

- plete his studies under Dr. S. C. Shattuck in whose family he was an inmate. In October, 1822, his health was such that his physician advised him again to go South: from this time he was unable to remain but a few months in a place. Oct. 8, he went to Mobile; Dec. 10, to Blakely; March 16, 1823 he went to Clinch, Ga.; in October back to Blakely; January, 1824, he went to Matansas, Kan.: in April back to Blakely; and Nov. 12 to Mobile, where he died Nov. 30, 1824.
1367. IX. OSMOND was b. May 15, 1800; m. *Clarissa Lake*, September, 1828. A (442) farmer.
1368. X. JASON was b. Sept. 29, 1802; m. *Mercy Merritt*, Sept. 1, 1828, of South- (443) bridge, Mass., daughter of Henry and Chloe (Dresser) Merritt, of Charlton, Mass., b. May 9, 1797 and d. Jan. 7, 1854. He was living in 1881. He resided in Charlton and Southbridge, Mass. and afterwards removed to Genoa Bluff, Iowa. A farmer.
1369. XI. GALEN was b. Oct. 14, 1804; m. *Louisa Howland*, April 9, 1839, daugh- (444) ter of Southworth Howland of Worcester, Mass., b. March 29, 1775 and granddaughter of Job Howland of Barnstable, Mass. Residence, Worcester, Mass. A machinist.

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NOAH CARPENTER^r 526, of Noah 150,

William 18. Noah 38. Noah 150.

Gen. 8. Children 5, b. in Attleboro.

1370. I. HANNAH was b. Jan. 29, 1759.
1371. II. SARAH was b. March 17, 1763 and d. July 22, 1807 in her 44th year and buried in South Attleboro.
1372. III. NOAH was b. June 7, 1765; m. widow, *Lucy Wilkinson*, published Jan. (445) 15, 1794; she was the relict of William Wilkinson; she d. May 23, 1797; m. 2d, *Mary Chase*, April 20, 1805. He d. May 27, 1809, aged 44 years. He was buried in South Attleboro. A farmer.
1373. IV. BETTY or MARY was b. March 31, 1767; m. a *King*, probably b. in 1772, and d. March 23, 1855. She d. Jan. 18, 1827 in her 60th year.
1374. V. MARY.

208.

JOSEPH CARPENTER^r 527, of Noah 150,

William 18. Noah 38. Noah 151.

Gen. 8. Child 1, b. in Dudley, Mass.

1375. I. ROBERT was b. May 15, 1767.

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ASA CARPENTER^r 531, of Stephen 153,

William 18. Noah 38. Stephen 153.

Gen. 8. Children 13, b. in Cumberland, R. I.

1376. I. CHLOE was b. Jan. 24, 1761; m. *David Brown*, Dec. 2, 1779; she d. Jan. 25, 1848, aged 87, he d. Oct. 18, 1849, aged 93. Residence, Attleboro, Mass. A farmer.

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1377. II. JOSEPH was b. Jan. 16, 1763; m. *Rebecca or Rhoda Miller*, Aug. 5, 1784; (446) she is called "Roby" on her grave-stone: d. Aug. 20, 1848. He d. Feb. 8, or 15, 1814 or 1815 at Cumberland, R. I. A farmer.
1378. III. LEVI was b. March 25, 1765; m. *Rebecca Sheldon*, May 20, 1797; she d. (447) Aug. 20, 1843, aged 74 years and was buried in Arnold Mill's burying ground. He d. April 16, 1856. A farmer.
1379. IV. LOIS was b. Dec. 4, 1767; m. *Benjamin Hill*, Nov. 17, 1790. Residence, Cumberland, R. I. A farmer.
1380. V. DOLLY was b. Nov. 22 or 25, 1769 or 1770; m. *Dan Carpenter*, No. 1291, son of Ezekiel, No. 495, Dec. 25, 1799. Residence, Attleboro. A farmer.
1381. VI. ABIGAIL was b. Nov. 8, 1771; m. *William Gay*, published Jan. 7, 1792. Residence, New London, N. H. A shoemaker.
1382. VII. JOHN was b. Jan. 21, 1774; m. *Nancy Bishop*, March 3, 1805, b. Dec. (448) 11, 1780 and d. Oct. 20, 1863. He d. May 18, 1851 at Attleboro. A farmer. 35310
1383. VIII. GEORGE was b. June 28, 1776. He went South.
1384. IX. LYDIA was b. June 18, 1778; d. young.
1385. X. JESSE was b. Nov. 9, 1780; m. *Polly Gilson*, Sept. 15, 1805. They (449) moved to Kirkland, N. Y. A machinist.
1386. XI. PEREZ was b. March 2, 1785; m. *Susan Whiting*, March 24, 1807. She (450) is called on her gravestone "Susannah." She d. Nov. 13, 1817, aged 27 years. Resided in Wrentham, Mass. and Pawtucket, R. I. A farmer.
1387. XII. POLLY was b. June 18, 1786; m. 1st *Oliver Pierce*, Dec. 23, 1804; m. 2d, *Isaac Shepardson*. Residence, Wrentham, Mass. A farmer. They had six children: 1, *Isaac*, b. April 7, 1818, probably in Attleboro, m. 1st Betsey J. Starkey, by her he had two children, Edwin Genoro, b. 1842, and Frank Leslie, b. in 1848, his 2d wife was Esther J. Hunt, he was a manufacturer of jewelry in North Attleboro; he d. Jan. 25, 1892: 2, *Mary*, b. March 7, 1820, m. Columbia Tingley, residence, Wrentham, Mass., they had four children, namely—Mary Anne who d. in 1894, Willard Francis who d. in 1880, Gardiner Columbia who d. in 1880, Harriet, b. June 23, 1854, probably in Wrentham; 3, *Otis*, b. May 9, 1822, probably in Attleboro, m. Lucy Sabina Pierrepant, he d. July, 1886, residence, Waterbury, Conn., they had two children, namely—Arthur Otis, b. 1847, and Ellen Antoinette, b. in 1852; 4, *John*, b. Sept. 5, 1824, probably in Attleboro, m. 1st, Emily Albro, by her he had two children, namely—Charles Alden, b. 1852, and Ella Howard, b. 1850; he m. 2d, Delia Amanda Hamlin, by her he had four children, namely—George Lawrence, b. 1860, Harry Winthrop, b. 1864, Mary Louisa, b. 1871, Jennie Inez, b. 1873, residence Attleboro and Mansfield, Mass.; for many years a manufacturer of jewelry: 5, *Harrict*, b. Jan. 13, 1827, probably in Attleboro: m. Nelson White, they have one son, Edwin, who is a commissary in the U. S. Army; 6, *Lewis*, b. Oct. 7, 1828, died in California.
1388. XIII. SALLY was b. April 15, 1788; m. *Larnard Whipple*, Dec. 27, 1810, at Cumberland, R. I. A farmer.

Many of the Carpenters, Whipples and Gilsons removed from Cumberland, R. I., to Troy and Greenwich, N. Y., about 1790.

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STEPHEN CARPENTER⁷ 533, of Stephen 153,

William 18, Noah 38, Stephen 153.

Gen. 8. Children 9. Born in Providence, R. I. or Cheshire, Mass.

1389. I. RUFUS was b. March 13, 1764 in Providence, R. I. or Cheshire, Mass.. (451)
and d. June 24, 1837. A farmer.

Rufus Carpenter of Adamstown, enlisted in the Continental Army, June 30, 1780; served five months and 23 days. Rufus appears among a list of men raised for six months and returned by General Putnam as having passed muster, a return dated "Camp ——— Oct. 25, 1780." He enlisted again as corporal in Lieutenant Jerry Brown's company, in Col. Asa Barnes' regiment, Oct. 13, 1781, and served 16 days, in a Berkshire county regiment, ordered on alarm to join General Stark at Saratoga.

1390. II. STEPHEN was b. April 14, 1766, probably in Providence, R. I.; m. *Mary* (452)
or *Polly Burlingame*, Jan. 4, 1788 or 1789, b. Oct. 4, 1770 in Canaan,
N. Y. She d. Oct. 30, 1837. He d. Dec. 10, 1827. He removed to Jeffer-
sonville, Ind. A farmer. He was a justice of the peace for many years; a
surveyor of land, and deacon of the Baptist church, and sometimes gave
public exhortations. He left home in 1813 and went West where he d. in
1827 aged 61 years.

Deacon Stephen Carpenter volunteered in Capt. Joab Stafford's company in 1777 and served six days. Independent company of volunteers from New Providence, Lanesboro, E. Hoosick and Gageboro. Fought at Bennington. He served again the second time as private in Samuel Low's company, Col. Benj. Simonds' regiment, Oct. 13, 1786; served nine days in a Berkshire regiment on a northern alarm under General Fellows.

1391. III. MARY was b. Sept. 19, 1768 in Cheshire, Mass.; m. *David Brown*. She d. Jan.
24, 1850 in Newport, N. H. Residence, Fairfield, Herkimer county, N. Y.
A farmer.

1392. IV. NATHANIEL was b. Feb. 11, 1770 or 1771; m. *Elizabeth Green*, Jan. 13, (453)
1795, daughter of Wardwell Green, b. May 14, 1774, in Coventry, R. I.;
d. Jan. 22, 1852. He d. March 8, 1820. He moved in 1796 to Fairfield,
N. Y. He became deranged and jumped into his well and was drowned at
the age of 49 years. A farmer.

1393. V. AMY was b. June 4, 1774; she m. *Peckham Barker*. She d. Aug. 19, 1867 at
Ogden, N. Y. Residence, Deerfield, Mass., and Rochester, N. Y. A
wheelwright.

A letter written by her in 1851, when she was 77 years of age and written from memory, states correctly the emigration of the three William Carpenters and that Noah, No. 38, the son of William, No. 18, married Tabathy Bishop; also other facts which proved to be correct. She also wrote about a coat of arms which she had heard her father talk about frequently; (her father was born in 1740;) she thought the coat of arms was recorded in Rehoboth.

1394. VI. LUCY was b. Oct. 10, 1777; m. *Dexter Mason*. She d. in July, 1868 in Ogden,
N. Y. Residence, Davenport, Monroe county, N. Y. A farmer.

1395. VII. GEORGE WASHINGTON was b. June 8, 1780; m. *Mary Horton*, Dec. 25, (454)
1802; b. in Scituate, Oct. 9, 1782, and d. in 1874. He d. Aug. 27, 1808.
Residence, Cheshire, Mass. A farmer.

1396. VIII. DARIUS was b. Jan. 19, 1783, in Cheshire, Mass.; d. March 3, 1829. (454½)
He was deranged during the latter part of his life. A farmer.

1397. IX. RUTH.

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JOHN CARPENTER⁷ 542, of Isaiah 158.

William 18, Noah 38, Isaiah 158.

Gen. 8. Children 4, b. in Pomfret, Conn., except the last.

1398. I. WILLIS was b. Aug. 22, 1768.
1399. II. SIMEON was b. March 7, 1770; sold land in 1797 in Derby, Vt. Nothing more is known of him.
1400. III. ALBA; m. *Betsy Randall*, Dec. 25, 1810.
1401. IV. JOHN was b. probably in Brownington, Vt.; m. *Lucina Thompson*. Res- (455)
idence, Brownington, Vt. He removed to Coe Ridge, O.

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JONAH CARPENTER⁷ 543, of Isaiah 158,

William 18, Noah 38, Isaiah 158.

Gen. 8. Children 7, b. in Ashford, Conn.

1402. I. ALATHEA was b. Sept. 19, 1772; m. *Abial Cheney*, May 11, 1797, of Ashford, Conn., b. Aug. 14, 1773; d. Sept. 16, 1841, son of Benjamin Cheney of Ashford. She d. May 13, 1866. Residence, Waterford, Vt. A farmer.
1403. II. ASA was b. Oct. 10, 1770, in Pomfret, Conn.; m. *Erepta Grow* July 4, (456)
1798, daughter of John Grow, b. Jan. 8, 1780 and d. Dec. 12, 1842 in Reading, Mich. He d. Sept. 10, 1826. Residence, Waterford, Vt. and Penfield, N. Y. A Presbyterian minister.

The Rev. Asa Carpenter was educated at Dartmouth College and graduated in 1795; he studied Divinity with Dr. Burton of Needham, Mass. He commenced his ministry about 1796. He established the first Congregational church in Waterford, Vt., and labored there until 1817, when he moved to Penfield, N. Y. He formed a Presbyterian church in Penfield, he also founded another Presbyterian church in North Penfield, and preached to the church in the "Village" with the exception of one or two years which time he preached mostly in North Penfield. He labored with these two churches during the last nine years of his life. He was one of the three that constituted the ecclesiastical council in settling the first minister of St. Johnsbury, Vt. He preached the first sermon in Coventry, Vt., in 1806, delivered in Jothan Pierce's barn on a week-day. There is no doubt that when this sermon was preached he was on a visit to his uncle, John Carpenter, No. 542, who then lived in Derby or Brownington, Vt., who had about that time moved there from Bethel, Vt.

The following is relative to the settlement of Asa Carpenter at Waterford, Vt.:

May 30, 1798, an ecclesiastical council convened at the house of Asa Grow in Waterford, agreeably to mission letters from the society in said town for the purpose of forming a church and setting apart Mr. Asa Carpenter to the work of the Gospel ministry in this place. The churches present at the ordination were, Lancaster, N. H., Haverhill, N. H., Newbury, Vt., Danville, Vt., and Thetford, Vt.; the latter was represented by Rev. Asa Burton with whom Asa Carpenter studied divinity. The Rev. Asa Burton was moderator and Rev. John Fitch scribe.

The church was organized, consisting of four members, namely, Reuben Buck, Samuel Soper, Samuel Fletcher and John Grow. In church meeting, May 30, 1798, Joseph Willard was chosen moderator of said meeting; he voted to give the Rev. Asa Carpenter an invitation to settle with them in the work of the Gospel ministry.

(Signed) JOSEPH WILLARD,
Moderator.

A letter of acceptance to the church of Christ in Waterford, beloved in the Lord:

"Since you have given me a call to settle with you in the work of the Gospel ministry, I now exhibit to you that I accept of the invitation, wishing that grace, mercy and peace may be multiplied unto you.

(Signed) ASA CARPENTER.

Waterford, May 30, 1798.

1404. III. JOSEPH TITUS was b. Jan. 2, 1774; m. *Huldah Davidson*, April 15, 1800, (457)
daughter of Peter Davidson of Brooklyn, Conn. He d. April 11,

1805, in Ashford, Conn. A farmer. She m. 2d, John Griggs, by him she had four children, two sons and two daughters namely—1, Theodore who lived at home and died there; 2, Huldah; 3, Lucian, he was a lawyer and went to New York; 4, John.

1405. IV. JONAH was b. Oct. 4, 1777; m. *Hannah Rice*, daughter of Obadiah Rice, (458) who moved from Brookfield, Mass. to Hartland, Vt., thence to Waterford, Vt., where she resided when married. He died August, 1867. Residence, Waterford, Vt. A farmer.

He served as town clerk from 1817 to 1823 and represented the town in the Legislature in 1823. He moved from Ashford, Conn., to Waterford, Vt., soon after 1800. He walked there twice—and on one of these journeys he called on his way at his Uncle John Carpenter's in Barnard, Vt., where he remained over night. He was deacon of the church, and captain of a military company.

1406. V. CHESTER was b. July 3, 1780; m. *Chloe Holt*, March 16, 1815, daughter (459) of Elijah Holt and granddaughter of Caleb Holt of Willington, Conn. she d. Oct. 24, 1819. Residence, Willington, Conn. A physician.

1407. VI. ISAIAH was b. June 29, 1783; m. *Caroline Bugbee*, April 21, 1808, daughter (460) of Amos Bugbee of Ashford, b. Dec. 27, 1785, d. Aug. 2, 1865. He d. July 6, 1871, aged 88 years. Residence, Waterford, Vt. A farmer. He moved to Waterford in 1808 into the wilderness and cleared up a farm, on which the Compiler now resides.

Isaiah Carpenter, No. 1407, moved from Ashford, Conn., to Waterford, Vt., in the spring of 1808, taking his family and goods in a two-horse wagon, including only one chair for his wife to occupy during the journey, a distance of 200 miles, which was accomplished in 10 days. The lot on which he was to move he had never seen nor was there a tree cut. He occupied that summer an old log house, on a lot adjoining the one he was to take, which was not much of a shelter as it was about ready to fall in. That summer he put up a small framehouse in the woods, covered it with rough boards, which proved a poor protection against the cold winter, as water would freeze in the room in which they lived, in the middle of the day during the coldest of the weather. The two-horse wagon which he came up in was exchanged even for a 30 by 40 foot barn, framed, put up, boarded and covered, and made complete that season: erected near the house, and was in use till about 1885 when it was torn down. The house is now used for a farm shop. Both stood near where the present building now stands. The first winter after he moved to Waterford he taught school in the district where he lived and had about 60 scholars: he received \$12 per month, \$2 in money and \$10 in merchantable stock or grain: he boarded himself. Caroline Bugbee, the wife of Isaiah Carpenter, was the granddaughter of Josiah Bugbee who was born Sept. 10, 1736, and married Pollycena Arnold, the granddaughter of an English Princess. Her mother was married when she was only seven years of age as it was customary to marry princesses in infancy to keep up the title, but as she grew up to womanhood or about the time she would be claimed as a wife her obligations as a wife were so distasteful that she and another young princess in the same situation went secretly aboard a vessel and sailed to America. The journey was so perilous she could not be induced to return to England: they came very near being taken by the pirates. In such a case the women would probably have jumped overboard or been thrown overboard. She married a man by the name of Arnold and lived in Hartford, Conn. Her daughter, Pollycena, married Josiah Bugbee. Josiah was the great grandson of Edward Bugbee, of Roxbury, Mass., who died previous to 1668.

The following are extracts from the will of Martha Bugbee, relict of Amos Bugbee, of Ashford, Conn.: "Being advanced in years I give and bequeath to my sons, Amos and Frank, one dollar each: to Ralph, \$50; to my four daughters, Martha Babcock, Caroline Carpenter, Elizabeth Martin and Maria Gould \$50 each: to son Miner, \$400; and to my four daughters all my wearing apparel: the rest to be equally divided between my two sons and four daughters." (Dated) September, A. D. 1843. (Signed) "Martha Bugbee."



ISAIAH CARPENTER.
(No. 1497.)

Amos Bugbee, private in Capt. Thomas Knowlton's company; marched from the town of Ashford, Conn., for the relief of Boston in the Lexington alarm, April, 1775; served 16 days I find him again as private in Capt. Thomas Knowlton's company, Col. Israel Putnam's regiment, enlisted May 6, 1775; discharged Dec. 10, 1775. The third time he entered the service September, 1776, and was discharged Nov. 2, 1776. He was in Capt. Isaac Sergeant's company in Major Backus regiment of Light Horse.

The following will was found among some loose papers in Isaiah Carpenter's desk, after his decease, in his handwriting with his name cut out, not probated. He afterwards made another will.

"In the name of God Amen, I Isaiah Carpenter of Waterford in the county of Caledonia and state of Vermont being weak in body but of sound mind, Blessed be Almighty God for the same, do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say. First. It is my will that the conditions contained in a certain deed executed by me the said Isaiah Carpenter to Amos B. Carpenter of Waterford county of Caledonia and state of Vermont, dated the thirteenth day of September eighteen hundred and forty-seven and also that the conditions contained in a certain bond or obligation referred to in the said deed executed to me the said Isaiah Carpenter and my wife Caroline by the said Amos B. Carpenter the thirteenth day of September eighteen hundred and forty-seven. Now it is my will that the conditions contained in said deed and bond an obligation be fulfilled in all their parts; except that part requiring the said Amos B. Carpenter to pay the sum of twelve hundred dollars at my decease and the decease of my wife Caroline, which sum of twelve hundred dollars it is my will, that the payment of the same shall be null and void. Secondly. I do hereby give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Caroline all of my household furniture of every kind and description whatever. Thirdly. I do hereby give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Caroline all moneys and demands that I may have of any and every description. Fourthly. I do hereby give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Caroline all of my real estate of every description, except that referred to in this my will which I dedeed to Amos B. Carpenter conditionally September 13, 1847. Fifthly, I do hereby give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Caroline all my remaining personal property of every description whatever. Sixthly, This is my will in regard to the bequests made to my beloved wife Caroline and this is my direction that whatever property both real and personal of any and every kind and description whatever that may be remaining at the decease of my wife Caroline shall be divided and disposed of as follows: First. Three hundred dollars shall be paid to my son Alonzo P. Carpenter and the remainder be equally divided and paid to my three daughters, Caroline, Maria and Eliza each one receiving one-third. Seventhly, It is my will and I do hereby declare that at the decease of myself and my beloved wife Caroline that my son Amos B. Carpenter shall have my farm in Waterford, Vermont known as the Hastings farm which was dedeed to me the said Isaiah Carpenter on the eighth day of March 1847 and recorded in the town clerk's office in said Waterford the ninth day of March, 1847; by his paying to my surviving heirs at the decease of myself and my wife Caroline, the sum of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1800.) Lastly, I do hereby appoint Amos B. Carpenter and Alonzo P. Carpenter my sons my sole executors of this my last will and Testament, hereby making all former wills void.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty-fifth day of January one thousand eight hundred and sixty.

Signed sealed, published and delivered by the above named Isaiah Carpenter as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names, as witnesses thereto.

MINER BUGBEE.
FRANK BUGBEE.
HELEN HADLEY.

1408. VII. DYER was b. April 22, 1786; m. *Martha Gibbs*, Sept. 19, 1811, she was (461) the daughter of Zephaniah and Lucinda Gibbs of Sturbridge, Mass., and was b. Dec. 24, 1788; she was granddaughter of James Gibbs; he d. May 21, 1861, in Sinclairville, N. Y. He was deacon of the church in Ashford before he removed to Sinclairville, N. Y. A farmer.

He was captain of a company in the war of 1812 and went to New London to keep the British from landing there, in which they succeeded; he was gone three months. The following is his obituary notice:

"The subject of this notice was born in Eastford, Conn.; he removed to Chautauqua county, near the village of Sinclairville, in 1836, where he has since resided and where he will long be remembered as an active, devoted Christian. For 23 years he has faithfully served the Congregational church in this village (Sinclairville) as its senior deacon and has always been ready for every good word and work. His death was sudden. He lived the life of the righteous and 'being dead he yet speaketh.'"

The compiler finds on the official records of Connecticut that a Josiah Carpenter marched to the relief of Boston at the time of the Lexington scare in 1775 for 21 days. This record is set to Josiah Carpenter of Coventry, Conn., No. 461. He has not been able to find any tradition in the family that this Josiah served in the Revolution. He does find a reliable tradition that Jonah, No. 543, (the father of this family) was a minute man and went to Boston and vicinity in 1775. He believes that the above record belongs to him. Jonah was called Josias in the family and was probably so recorded but in the transcribing it was possibly written Josiah.

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SIMMON CARPENTER⁷ 554, of Simeon 159,

William 18, Noah 38, Simeon 159.

Gen. 8. Child 1, b. in Pomfret, Conn.

1409. I. CYNTHIA was b. Jan. 11, 1813; m. *Dr. Palmer T. Bowen*, Oct. 28, 1831. Residence, Providence, R. I.

It is supposed that he has the old family Bible of Simeon Carpenter.

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OLIVER CARPENTER⁷ 555, of Simeon 159,

William 18, Noah 38, Simeon 159.

Gen. 8. Children 12, b. in Killingly, Conn.

1410. I. PARKER was b. April 29, 1781; m. *Mary Heath*. Residence, Athens, (462) Ohio. A farmer.

He served in the War of 1812, as lieutenant. Record reads "From New London, Conn., under Ebenezer Kelly's command, June 21, 1813, to Sept. 16." The second time under Solomon Sykes from New London, June 25, 1814, to July 14.

1411. II. AMASA was b. Oct. 17, 1782; probably m. *Harriet Newell Noble*, b. July 14, 1786 and d. in Dix, N. Y., daughter of Silas Noble. A farmer.
1412. III. SUSANNAH was b. June 17, 1784.
1413. IV. MARCELLA was b. March 29, 1786.
1414. V. ELISHA was b. May 15, 1789; m. *Mary Wiber*, of Troy, March 26, 1815. (464) Residence, Pomfret, Conn. and Fall River, Mass. A blacksmith.
1415. VI. JERUSHA was b. May 17, 1791.
1416. VII. OLIVER was b. Feb. 6, 1793; m. 1st, *Amy Smith*, Dec. 9, 1822; m. 2d, (465) *Mary Allen-March*, 1842 or 1843. Residence, Ashford, Conn. A deacon and a farmer.
1417. VIII. SIMON was b. Jan. 26, 1795; he moved to Athens, Ohio.
1418. IX. ASA was b. Oct. 4, 1797. A farmer.
1419. X. MELORA was b. Jan. 12, 1800; m. *William B. Carder*.
1420. XI. HIRAM was b. June 23, 1802; d. May 9, 1804, in Killingly, Conn.
1421. XII. ELIZA was b. Jan. 18, 1808; d. Dec. 25, 1829, in Killingly, Conn.

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William 18, Noah 38, Elisha 161.

Gen. 8. Children 7, b. in Attleboro, Mass.

1422. I. WILLIAM was b. April 9, 1769; m. *Esther Wilmarth*, published May 21, (466) 1789; he d. May 14, 1814. A farmer.

He removed to Providence, Saratoga county, N. Y., in 1798: he was induced to go there by the report of its being a wheat country; in 1811 he removed to Gienville township, Schenectady county, N. Y., where he died. While in Saratoga county he was almost continuously in some public office, being supervisor of the town of Providence from 1801 to 1806, justice of the peace, militia captain, etc., and represented Saratoga county in the New York Assembly in 1804 and 1805; practiced law while a resident of Saratoga county, and lastly in partnership with Justice Couch under the firm name of Couch & Carpenter.

1423. II. JAMES was b. Feb. 20, 1771; m. *Henrietta Ballard*, Jan. 30, 1803. Res- (467) idence, Providence, N. Y. A farmer. ¹²⁷⁰ D. 30 OCT 1858 Providence, Saratoga, NY.
1424. III. CHLOE was b. April 4, 1773; d. Aug. 11, 1790 in Attleboro.
1425. IV. MARTHA was b. Aug. 10, 1775; m. *Russell Clark*. Residence, Providence, N. Y. A farmer.
1426. V. ANNE was b. Sept. 13, 1777; m. 1st, *Joseph Monroe*, Jan. 17, 1797; m. 2d, a *Bloss*. Residence, Providence, N. Y.
1427. VI. MOLLY was b. Oct. 13, 1779; m. *Henry Newell*. Residence, Providence, N. Y. A farmer.
1428. VII. ELISHA was b. March 31, 1781; m. *Hannah Cheney*, May 28, 1801. He (468) d. in 1819 or 1820 in Providence, N. Y. A farmer.

Elisha was famous for his ready wit: his reputation for it has survived to this day. He could not apparently miss an opportunity for its exercise even at the mouth of the shot guns. On being met in a dark, lonely place by a highwayman who demanded his money or his life, he replied with startling readiness, "Money! I have not a continental; but take my life and if there is any thing in it I will go you halves." The robber said "Good evening;" and disappeared in the darkness.

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DANIEL CARPENTER⁷ 557, of Elisha 161,

William 18, Noah 38, Elisha 161.

Gen. 8. Children 7, b. probably in Monson, Mass.

1429. I. DANIEL was b. about 1770 in Monson, Mass. He d. when about 21 years of age.
1430. II. SAMUEL was b. about 1772; m. ———. No family. Residence, Cazenovia, N. Y. where he d. A farmer.
1431. III. JAMES was b. about 1775. Residence, Readsboro. Vt. A Baptist minister. Elected representative to the State Legislature in 1825 and 1830.
- ① 1432. IV. RICHARD was b. about 1787 or 1788; d. Nov. 21, 1881, aged 93 or 94 years. Residence, Readsboro. Elected representative of that town in 1822; also held the office of justice of the peace. (1734)
1433. V. SALLY; m. *Naham Grant*, son of Preast Grant of Monson, Mass. and moved to Readsboro, Vt. A house carpenter.
1434. VI. CHLOE was b. about 1781; m. a *Wells*. Residence, Readsboro, Vt. A farmer.

1435. VII. HEPSEBATH was b. about 1784; m. *Valentine Whitman Rathburn*, son of the Rev. John Rathburn of Richmond, Vt., and grandson of Joshua Rathburn and Mary (Whitman) Rathburn.

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REUBEN CARPENTER⁷ 563, of Elisha 161,

William 18, Noah 38, Elisha 161.

Gen. 8. Children 12, b. probably in Sutton, Mass.

1436. I. REUBEN was b. Jan. 7, 1776 and d. Oct. 13, 1777, in Sutton, Mass.
 1437. II. REUBEN was b. Oct. 29, 1777, d. June 17, 1782 at Sutton, Mass.
 1438. III. AMOS was b. Aug. 31, 1779; d. June 21, 1782, at Sutton, Mass.
 1439. IV. SARAH was b. Oct. 29, 1780; d. Oct. 15, 1789, at Sutton, Mass.
 1440. V. LYDIA was b. March 6, 1782; m. *Elijah Warren*. Residence, Bellingham and Upton, Mass. A farmer.
 1441. VI. WELCOME was b. June 4, 1784. Residence, Stonington, Conn. A mariner.
 1442. VII. REUBEN was b. March 8, 1789; m. *Lydia Pitcher*, Nov. 27, 1810. Residence, Schenectady, N. Y. A farmer. (469)
 1443. VIII. ELISHA was b. May 23, 1791; m. *Bethiah Ward*, March 25, 1813. She (470) was b. Feb. 15, 1795, daughter of Nathan and Anne Ward. When married Elisha was called "Elihue." Residence not known. A shoemaker.
 1444. IX. SALLY was b. May 3, 1793; m. *Elisha Taft*. Residence, Worcester, Mass. A farmer and shoemaker.
 1445. X. GEORGE WASHINGTON was b. Aug. 9, 1795; m. *Anna Dole*, Sept. 18, 1822; b. Feb. 15, 1799. Residence, Shelburne, Mass. A farmer. (471)
 1446. XI. ABNER PALMER was b. July 5, 1801, in Upton, Mass. Residence, Grafton, Mass. A farmer.
 1447. XII. SETH PRIME was b. Nov. 25, 1802, in Upton; m. 1st, *Maria Barber*, Jan. 25, 1829, daughter of James and Nancy (Park) Barber, b. July 9, 1806; d. Feb. 12, 1832. He m. 2d, *Diana Barber*, September, 1831; she was b. March 31, 1808. Residence, Milford, Mass. A shoemaker and farmer. (472)

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SIMEON CARPENTER⁷ 564, of Elisha 161,

William 18, Noah 38, Elisha 161.

Gen. 8. Children 11, b. in Sutton, Mass.

1448. I. JOHN was b. Dec. 6, 1785; m. *Abigail Healey*. Residence, Thompson, Conn. and Sparta, N. Y. A wheelwright. (473)
 1449. II. SALLY was b. Oct. 7, 1787; m. *Jonathan Larnard*. Residence, Sturbridge. A farmer.
 1450. III. RUFUS was b. April 29, 1790; d. the same year.
 1451. IV. SIMON was b. Aug. 30, 1791; m. *Fanny Rich*; October, 1814. Residence, Charlton. A farmer. (474)
 1452. V. DAVID was b. Jan. 9, 1794; m. 1st, *Lucy Waters*, April, 1812; she d. Oct. 15, 1830. He m. 2d, *Abigail Rich*, Oct. 18, 1831. Residence, Charlton, Mass. A farmer. (475)

1453. VI. BLANCHARD was b. Aug. 23, 1796; d. Jan. 24, 1797 in Sutton.
1454. VII. LINDA was b. Jan. 24, 1798.
1455. VIII. LEONARD was b. Jan. 24, 1798; m. *Matilda Romnals*. Residence, (476) Charlton, Mass. A wheelwright and farmer.
1456. IX. MATILDA was b. Oct. 1, 1800; m. *Stephen Waters*. Residence, Charlton. A miller and farmer.
1457. X. PRUDA was b. May 6, 1803; m. *Elijah Rich*, June 29, 1843. Residence, Charlton. A farmer.
1458. XI. TYLER was b. Oct. 8, 1805; m. *Betsy Waters*, May 22, 1832. Residence, (477) Sutton, Mass. A farmer.

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SETH CARPENTER' 566, of Elisha 161,

William 18, Noah 38, Elisha 161.

Gen. 8. Children 17, b. in Sutton, Mass.

1459. I. NATHANIEL P. was b. July 27, 1786, in Paris, Me.; d. April 13, 1807; he was a student in Hebron Academy; he committed suicide. *to Nathaniel P.*
1460. II. NATHAN was b. May 25, 1788; m. *Susanna Proctor*, of Merrimack, N. H. (478) She was b. there April 15, 1788 and m. at Buckfield, Me., March 3, 1811; removed to Foxcroft, March 10, following; she d. Sept. 11, 1860; he d. April 20, 1872. A farmer.

At that time the town contained only eight families. He, with others, laid the foundation of the flourishing academy and a Congregational church which are now exerting an extensive and salutary influence upon the educational and religious institutions of that section of the state. He was a very strict and devoted man, a deacon of the church. His wife Susanna was the daughter of Reuben Proctor by his wife Minda Bigelow of Hartford, Me., and sister of Mianda Proctor who married Seth Carpenter: father and son married sisters. She organized the first Sabbath-school in Foxcroft, and is still remembered as a remarkable woman and great church goer. They have a glass canteen in this family that Major Reuben Bigelow carried through the Indian and French wars. Mount Bigelow was named for him. He was with Wolfe's army in Arnold's expedition to Canada.

Mrs. Carpenter believed it her duty to consecrate her children to God in baptism. Elbridge G. was her eldest son and Mrs. Carpenter like Hannah of old would give her first-born son unto the Lord. Their nearest church was in Garland, six miles away from Foxcroft, through a dense wilderness: only a sled road a part of the way was cut out. Mrs. Carpenter with her infant son and Mrs. Mitchel, her neighbor went to meeting at Garland; started on an ox-sled as far as the road was cut, then the two women mounted a horse, Mrs. Carpenter taking the babe in her arms, and found their way through the woods by marked trees: when Mrs. Carpenter was arm weary Mr. Carpenter, on foot, would take the babe, and by taking turns in this way they reached the church. On this day Mrs. Carpenter and Mrs. Mitchel made a public confession of their faith in Christ and on the same day Mrs. Carpenter consecrated her son to God who afterwards became a very devoted servant and minister of Christ.

A Congregational church was organized at Foxcroft, Dec. 31, 1822. Nathan Carpenter's name stands first on the church records of members and first on the call of the Rev. Thomas Williams of Brewer, Me., who was duly installed. Mr. Carpenter moving the family and goods from Brewer to Foxcroft on an ox-sled. Mr. Carpenter was chosen the first deacon and was active in the temperance movement: through him a by-law was inserted that the members must abstain from the use of all intoxicating liquors as a beverage. The vote was unanimous. By his personal efforts he secured funds for the academy which for more than 50 years has been a source of honor and prosperity to the town.

1461. III. JOSHUA was b. Feb. 27, 1790, in Lincoln, Me.; m. *Susan Heald*. (479) He was sergeant in Capt. David Bryant's company, 45th regiment of infantry, Col. Dennis McCobb commanding, in service in the frontier in the war of 1812. He removed to Dover about 1820, and afterwards to Howland, and represented that town in the Legislature. He was appointed by President Jackson as collector of custom. He went from Castine to Bangor, Me., and was high sheriff of Penobscot county under Governor Dunlap. He moved to Lincoln, Me., and

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was there appointed Indian agent in 1844 of the Potowatomies in what is known as Kansas. After the expiration of his office, he moved to Houlton where he remained until his death, which was caused by a fall. He represented Dover in the state Legislature of Maine.

1462. IV. WALTER PRIME was b. April 26, 1792, in Patten, Me.; m. *Nancy Barnard*.
1463. V. JOHN was b. Sept. 20, 1793, in Patten; m. *Joanna Ford*.
John represented Patten in the state of Maine Legislature. He was residing in Lincoln, Me., in 1820, later moved to Minneapolis, Minn.
1464. VI. DENNIS was b. June 24, 1796, in Bangor, Me. He represented Howland in the state of Maine Legislature.
1465. VII. POLLY WOODBURY was b. May 2, 1798, in Bangor, Me.; d. Feb. 9, 1806.
1466. VIII. ANNA HAMLIN was b. Dec. 17, 1800, in Bangor, Me.; m. *Nehemiah Emers* of Lincoln, Me.; she d. Feb. 20, 1826.
1467. IX. REUBEN EARL was b. Sept. 9, 1802, at Paris, Me.; m. *Harriet Heald* of (480) Lincoln, Nov. 25, 1827.
1468. X. JAMES HARVEY was b. July 25, 1804; d. young.
(The above children were by his first wife, and the following by his second wife:)
1469. XI. POLLY was b. May 8, 1808; d. March 9, 1809, in Paris, Me.
1470. XII. OLIVA was b. April 21, 1810, in Paris, Me.; m. *Daniel Forbes*. She d. April 16, 1842.
1471. XIII. JULIA was b. Nov. 18, 1811, in Paris, Me.; d. June 24, 1813.
1472. XIV. MIANDA PROCTOR was b. July 15, 1813; d. May 15, 1815, in Paris, Me.
(By his third wife he had:)
1473. XV. MARY P. was b. March 1, 1815, in Paris, Me.; m. *William Sweat* of Portland, Me.
1474. XVI. AMANDA P. was b. Nov. 13, 1816; d. March 16, 1841, in Paris, Me.
1475. XVII. SETH G. was b. Feb. 12, 1818; d. April 2, 1844, in Paris, Me.

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NEHEMIAH CARPENTER⁷ 575, of Obadiah 165,

William 18. Noah 38. Obadiah 165.

Gen. 8. Children 9, b. in Attleboro and Foxboro.

1476. I. EZRA was b. March 25, 1753; m. 1st, *Margaret Daniels*, Oct. 21, 1779; (481) she d. March 19, 1790, aged 33 years; m. 2d, *Polly Daniels*, Dec. 16, 1790; she d. May 6, 1862, aged 93 years; he d. July 1st, 1841, in Foxboro, Mass. A farmer.

He was a soldier in the Revolution between three and four years: he was with Washington in crossing the Delaware and participated in many of the important battles of the war. April 19, 1775, the battle of Lexington was fought, and about four o'clock in the afternoon of the 21st, the news of the battle reached Foxboro with the call to the "minute men" to march at once to the assistance of the American troops near Boston. Ezra was in the field ditching, when he received the news: leaving his spade in the ditch he hastened home and with his step-mother's assistance packed his knapsack and at sunset on that April night, started on foot for the seat of war. He walked as far as Walpole where he halted to rest, turned in but didn't sleep a wink, as he says "I was so excited and anxious to fight the red-coats." In the morning he pushed on to Dedham where the regiment was stationed and in two days marched to Boston. Although not a participant, yet he was a witness of the battle of Bunker Hill, and so near that a stray bullet cut his underclothing grazing the skin, and killed a cow. In all the after years of his life it was a source of regret that he could not have been one of the immortal patriots engaged in that famous battle. When age came with its infirmities, nothing pleased him more than to have us boys gather around him while he repeated over and over the stirring scenes of the war. He told of his sufferings with his sore feet from wearing worn-out shoes.

Ezra Carpenter enlisted as private in Samuel Crowell's company, Col. Hawes' regiment, Sept. 25, 1777; served one month, five days; marched on a secret expedition; he again enlisted in Capt. Oliver Pond's company, in Col. J. S. Read's regiment, May 1, 1775; served eight months; Wrentham company.

1477. II. BETSEY was b. Dec. 21, 1754; m. *John Comey*, about 1782; he d. May 24, 1830, aged 77 years; she d. Feb. 12, 1823, in Foxboro, she and the rest of the children were born in Foxboro. A farmer.
1478. III. RACHEL was b. Jan. 21, 1757, m. 1st, *Lemuel Paine*, of Ipswich, Mass., son of William Paine; he d. Dec. 22, 1794, aged 47 years; they had seven children; m. 2d, *Dea. Isaac Pratt*, May 4, 1797; she d. Sept. 20, 1828, in Foxboro. A farmer. By her 2d marriage she had a daughter Eunice who m. William Plympton.
1479. IV. NEHEMIAH was b. Aug. 9, 1760; m. *Anne Daniels*, a sister to Ezra's two (482) wives; he d. Oct. 26, 1785; she m. 2d, *Dea. Stephen Rhodes*; their only daughter Asenath, m. *Joseph Carroll*; Anne d. Jan. 25, 1814. Residence, Foxboro. A farmer.

Nehemiah, the father, No. 575, was captain in the time of the Revolution. He was called upon to draft a certain number of men which was attended with many difficulties in procuring them. Several came forward and offered their services provided he would let his son Nehemiah go. His patriotism would not let the opportunity slip, considering liberty was worth more to the colonists than life. Giving unqualified permission he readily raised his men and his son Nehemiah went through the war and returned at its close to his friends. He was with Washington in crossing the Delaware at the time the Hessians were taken.

This Nehemiah is, no doubt, the son of Nehemiah by his wife Elisabeth Sweet, being only 17 years of age at this time, when his father was called upon to draft a certain number of men and gave his approval to the enlistment of his son who was then under age to do military duty. Nehemiah Carpenter appears as a private on the pay roll of Capt. John Bradley's company, in Col. Ben. Gills' regiment. Enlisted Aug. 14, 1777, discharged Dec. 12, 1777; served three months and 28 days. Marched to Manchester, Vt., to join the Northern army.

He again appears as private on pay roll of the company of Capt. James Indecott of Stoughton in Colonel McIntosh's regiment. Enlisted March 20, 1778; discharged April 5, 1778. The roll was dated at Stoughton, Mass., and marched to Roxbury and served 16 days.

He appears as private on pay roll of Capt. Samuel Halden's company, Col. Ebenezer Thayer's regiment. Enlisted July 27, 1780; discharged Oct. 31, 1780; served three months and seven days. This company was raised for three months to reinforce the Continental army.

1480. V. JOHN was b. April 25, 1763; m. 1st, *Susanna Brastow*, Feb. 7, 1793; (483) she d. Sept. 14, 1821, aged 53 years; m. 2d, *Abigail Bacon*; he d. Oct. 11, 1838. A farmer.

He was in the Revolutionary war serving until he was taken down with the fever. He used to relate the story of his efforts to get home: of his coming to a spring of water and drinking his fill, feeling it to be almost certain death for him to do so: for in those days and long after it was believed a few drops of water in fever were almost sure to prove fatal: he felt so much refreshed he continued his journey, arrived home safely, and ever after, cold water in abundance was his remedy for a fever.

He enlisted in the Continental army, July 9, 1780, for six months; age 17; stature five feet, 11 inches; complexion dark; served in Nathan Goodale's company; was dismissed Jan. 8, 1781.

1481. VI. ESTHER was b. March 4, 1766; m. *Nathaniel Clark*, Dec. 7, 1783; he d. Dec. 28, 1841, aged 74 years; she d. March 5, 1854, in Foxboro. A farmer.
1482. VII. PETER was b. Sept. 24, 1770 or 1771; m. *Esther Belcher*, Nov. 7, 1793, (484) daughter of Eleazer and Elizabeth Morse Belcher; she d. Dec. 19, 1843; m. 2d, *Susan Thayer*, Aug. 18, 1844; she d. Sept. 20, 1875; he d. March 27, 1848 or 1849; his eight sons with their wives followed him to his grave.
1483. VIII. CYNTHIA was b. Aug. 19, 1774; d. Aug. 30, 1775.
1484. IX. JAMES was b. July 6 or 26, 1768; d. Aug. 28, 1775.

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OBADIAH CARPENTER, 580, of Obadiah 165,

William 18, Obadiah 40, Obadiah 165.

Gen. 8. Children 7, b. in Attleboro, Mass.

1485. I. OBADIAH was b. Aug. 27, 1767; m. *Mary Tyler*, Dec. 9, 1790, in Attle- (485)
boro, b. Nov. 5, 1769; he d. 1838. They moved to Harford, Penn.
A farmer.
1486. II. JESSE was b. June 26, 1770; d. Sept. 18, 1775, in Attleboro.
1487. III. ELIAS was b. Aug. 23, 1773; m. *Polly Hawley*, who d. Jan. 30, 1857. (486)
He went to Harford, Penn. and d. Oct. 4, 1850. A farmer.
1488. IV. PATTY was b. June 13, 1776; d. Oct. 7, 1778, in Attleboro.
1489. V. AMY was b. Nov. 20, 1780; m. *Alden Capron*, about 1800. Settled in Ohio
where she d. Aug. 14, 1832.
1490. VI. LOIS was b. Dec. 4, 1784; d. Dec. 31, 1785.
1491. VII. LOUIS was b. Feb. 8, 1792.

The intervening numbers are dropped.

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DANIEL CARPENTER, 581, of Obadiah 165,

William 18, Obadiah 40, Obadiah 165.

Gen. 8. Children 11, b. in Attleboro.

1497. I. JOHN was b. Sept. 1, 1766; m. 1st, *Molly Tyler*, Feb. 21, 1793; she was (489)
the second daughter of John Tyler of Attleboro, and d. May 28, 1811.
He m. 2d, *Jydia Potter*, in 1813; she was b. in 1785; d. in 1881. He d.
March 2, 1838. He was one of the original Nine Partners who emigrated
and made the first settlement of Harford, Penn. in 1790. Residence was
Harford, Penn. A farmer.
1498. II. DANIEL was b. April 2, 1768; m. *Alice Richardson*, March 5, 1795; (By (490)
family record) daughter of Daniel Richardson, and was b. 1770, and
d. Jan. 28, 1844, aged 75 years. She was sister to Philena Richardson who
m. Jesse Carpenter. He d. Sept. 3, 1835. He served as captain in the
militia company. A farmer.
1499. III. EZRA was b. May 11, 1770; m. *Mary Follett*, June 17, 1795. He d. Feb. (491)
27, 1821. Residence, Susquehanna county, Penn. He removed
from Harford and settled in Herrick, and died there in 1821.
1500. IV. BETTY was b. March 28, 1772; m. *Samuel Thacher*, published, April 2, 1792 or
1793, son of the Rev. Peter Thacher by his wife, Bethiah, No. 574, (Carpenter)
Thacher. He was b. Oct. 28, 1768. Bethiah was the daughter of Obadiah
Carpenter, No. 165. She (Betty) d. March 5, 1835. He was one of the
nine partners who first settled Harford, Penn. Residence, Harford, Penn.
A farmer.
1501. V. SAMUEL was b. May 20, 1774. (The family Bible says it was May 22.) He d.
Nov. 1, 1775, in Attleboro.

1502. VI. REMEMBER was b. Feb. 8, 1776; m. *Betsy Read*, Oct. 11, 1801, daughter (492) of David Read of Attleboro. Remember d. Dec. 1, 1845. Residence, Pawtucket, R. I. He was deacon of the church. A butcher.
1503. VII. EBENEZER was b. Oct. 25, 1781; (The family Bible record has it 1780.) (493) m. *Clarissa Kent* Aug. 17, 1806, of Rehoboth. Residence, Pawtucket, R. I. A farmer.
1504. VIII. JESSE was b. Sept. 20, 1785; m. *Philena Richardson*, Dec. 19, 1805, (494) daughter of Daniel Richardson of Attleboro. She d. Dec. 19, 1862. He d. June 7, 1857. A butcher.
1505. IX. NANCY was b. Aug. 11, 1786; m. *Spencer Blanding*, Feb. 19, 1804, son of Simeon Blanding of Attleboro. Residence, Hillsdale, Penn. A farmer.
1506. X. SAMUEL was b. Jan. 12, 1789; m. *Nancy Ingraham*, Oct. 19, 1815, (495) daughter of Elijah Ingraham of Pawtucket, and granddaughter of Comfort Ingraham of Attleboro. She d. Nov. 3, 1861; he d. March 3, 1861. He was captain of a military company; he also served as president of the Attleboro Bank. A manufacturer.
1507. XI. ELIZABETH was b. Nov. 1, 1792 m. *Benjamin Bowen*, Feb. 11, 1819; she d. March 12, 1825. Residence, Pawtucket and Rehoboth, Mass. A farmer.

A company of nine, who went out from Attleboro in 1790, and settled in the town of what is now called "Harford, Penn.", have been called "the nine partners." as they joined together their fortunes to go into the dense wilderness and make a home of their own, thereby forming and settling a new township. They are recognized in history as "The Nine Partners"; and among them we find the name of Carpenter. Some of them were counted in with the nine and others were not; among those of the Carpenter name who are mentioned are, Samuel Thacher, (son of the Rev. Peter Thacher, who married Bethiah Carpenter, No. 574), Samuel married Betsy Carpenter, No. 1500, daughter of Daniel, No. 581, in 1792. John Carpenter, No. 1497, a brother to Betsy. Also Josiah Carpenter, No. 1520, son of Josiah, who married Chloe Carpenter, No. 1914, daughter of James, No. 799; she was third cousin to Josiah. her husband, and to Betsy and John. It also appears that Caleb, No. 1916, son of James, went out there with his sister and brother-in-law, and is called "Caleb Jr." He is also called "Young Caleb" (when he was 35 years of age.) No doubt it was to distinguish him from an elder Caleb. From that time, no trace of this "Younger Caleb" can be found. It is also said that Daniel, No 1498, a brother of John and Betsy, went out with the nine; if so, he did not remain there long; he must have returned to Attleboro, where he settled and raised a family. Their journey out is so nearly connected with the family, it will not be wholly uninteresting to the reader, and is given below.

"On the 27th of April, 1790, Tiffany, Titus, Follet, Josiah Carpenter, and Caleb Jr., left Attleboro; the other five the 29th: taking different roads in order to visit some connections and acquaintances who resided in the northern and western part of the states. They all met at West Stockbridge, and proceeded westward to Kinderhook. When here, they concluded that Cherry Valley would be the place of their residence. That conclusion, to look just a little farther, made many members of this audience life residents of Harford instead of Cherry Valley.

Emerging from the woods upon a cleared spot, now Cooperstown, they saw three small frame houses. Cooper, who had espied them, rushed out, and with his characteristic briskness and jollity, swung his hat and hallooed "Whora, ye Yankees; whora, ye Yankees!" Seizing the hand of the foremost he inquired, "How do you do? How have you been since I saw you? And how is your family?" And then he addressed the next, and the next in the same manner, when in fact he had not seen or heard of any of them before in his life.

The end of the consultation was, a trip down the Susquehanna. Cooper, possessing an inexhaustible fund of wit and good humor, finding in the company congenial spirits, made the forests resound with repartee and the loud laugh. At one time he fell overboard, and being pulled out, Hosea Tiffany inquired, "What news from below."

As far as the eye could see, nothing but an unbroken forest lined the banks of the river, mile

upon mile. They landed at the Great Bend the morning of May 16, the Sabbath, and attended meeting. The body of worshippers were composed of members from twelve different families. They remained over night a little above Great Bend. Monday, under the lead of Cooper they took the route of marked trees up Salt Lick Creek. This empties in the Susquehanna some distance above the present bridge. At the opposite end of this bridge were three tolerably sized apple trees, planted by the Indians, which bore well; and there also were signs of an Indian garden, having parsnips and scurvy grass.

They reached a small clearing, and a small new uninhabited hut. This hut may be identical with the one described in Samuel Preston's diary, Oct. 20, 1788, as being built by his party, 20 feet square, and of cherry logs. Here they encamped for the night.

The noon of Tuesday found them on the summit of the hill. One of the company climbed a tall pine. Hardly a better spot could have been chosen from which to view the land. The heavy ridges of the township could be clearly traced. The deep valley at their feet is now Burrow's Hollow: high in the southeast stood Elk mountain. The light green of the leaves contrasted with the deep green of the giant pines and hemlock,—a heavy, unbroken wilderness, without a human being in it; so lonesome and silent that not a bird was there.

A couple of giant hemlocks were soon felled and a rude bark hut built on this very spot. Four nights were passed here, the days being spent in prospecting. Cooper had brought them to this spot because it was near the Field's tract of 2,000 acres, principally now in Lenox. Contrary to his hopes, they chose Harford's rough hills to those of our neighbor.

A vote of these men during some part of these four days gave a majority against a purchase here. It would have been easy for Judge Cooper to have drawn up the writings Saturday morning on this spot, before breaking up, yet that was not done till the party had travelled into what is now Gibson, several miles beyond their purchase. Evidently Cooper did not wish to go farther with them. It must be yes or no, now. The decision was favorable. Writing materials were laid out on a stump, near Potter's lake, on which was written out the deed of bargain and sale, wherein four square miles of land with deductions that reduced it to 2,396 acres, were made over to the "Nine" for £1.198: just one-half pound per acre: or as Federal and English money were related then, \$1.33 per acre.

The autumn of 1790 found them here again. A central log house was first erected for general headquarters: it stood below the culvert on the Farrar Hill road.

The summer of 1791 found the most of them at work. Hosea Tiffany had begun his clearing; Robert Follet was at work just beyond Bird Shirwood's in the meadow around the old well. Samuel Thacher was preparing for his log house on the hill. Moses Thacher was clearing land in D. Van Burskirk's pasture, near the famous spring. John Parker was toiling amid the stones, just beyond D. E. Whitney's, and around the spring that still feeds the water-trough on the road. Ezekiel Titus had chosen the farther end of his tract where he was erecting his cabin. Daniel Carpenter may have begun on land owned by Horace Sweet. The younger Carpenter is in mystery; while younger Caleb never became a nine partner, and the older Caleb, after entering into the agreement, May 22, did not set foot probably on the soil for 18 years.

In an ox-sled, loaded to the full, Hosea Tiffany brought wife and three children February and March, 1792. Also Robert Follet brought his wife and child. Two years later, came John Carpenter and wife and Samuel Thacher and wife; each family with a son. And in the fall of 1795, came Ezekiel Titus, wife and two children.

Not till 1799 did Moses Thacher bring his family. He located outside the Nine Partner purchase.

In 1806, young Caleb concluded to emigrate to the settlement, locating near his brother-in-law, Ezekiel Titus, at the foot of the bluff. And to this same home came the father, two years later, now aged 69 years.—(1806).

The grit that characterized the greater portion seems not to have been possessed by Daniel and Josiah Carpenter; they never settled in Harford, but early retired from the company. Whether discontented with their purchase or appalled at the privations in prospect, is not known.

Before the year went out in 1833, the fourth Nine Partner was called for. Samuel Thacher, who owned the pretty farm on the hill, died on the 9th of October, aged 65 years. He was a very zealous man in the cause of Christianity.

March 2, 1838, the good John Carpenter must needs go, aged 71 years. A numerous family had sprung up around him. Obedient, loving, but for those children he would never have paid off

his Nine Partner Debt. He had buried his loved wife, Polly, in 1811. The blow was crushing. Our uncle, Williston Thacher, then only six years of age, passed the house and saw those children crying. That still, cold, dead mother! With a little son and daughter under each arm. They put the three to rest in the little graveyard and went to the home, that friends now said must be broken up. But the brave boys, John, No. 3189, and, Asahel, No. 3190, (the latter the father of Cyrus C. Carpenter, No. 5399, ex-Governor of Iowa: also the father of Gideon Judd Carpenter, No. 5397, ex-Speaker of the House of Representatives of California or Colorado) prevented it. And at last another mother was chosen—very different from the first—but equal to the task. She won the love of those children. Who does not respect the memory of Lydia Carpenter?

The seventh Nine Partner alone remained. Ezekiel Titus, while yet in his log cabin, buried Lois Richardson, his first wife, under distressing circumstances. A numerous family.

Feb. 25, 1846, he closed his eyes, aged 82 years; they inscribed on his tombstone, "The last one of the Nine Partners who first purchased in this town."—(of Harford.)

We honor these men because they ventured upon new scenes, took new risks, chose privations and discomforts and hard toil. They lived in complete isolation, perchance food for the bear and panther: met the sorest of privations that must arise when about a half-dozen families occupy an immense wilderness, and amid it all lived honorable lives.

223.

PETER CARPENTER⁷ 594, of William 167,

William 18, Obadiah 40, William 167.

Gen. 8. Children 5, b. in Norton, Mass.

1508. I. ELISHA was b. April 26, 1766; m. 1st, *Hannah Finney*, Nov. 5, 1795, who (496) d. June 30, 1805; m. 2d, *Hannah Briggs*, Oct. 27, 1807; he d. Nov. 21, 1822. Residence, Warren, R. I. and Norton, Mass. A merchant and farmer.
1509. II. ABIGAIL was b. March 19, 1769; m. *Jude Field*, April 17, 1788. Residence, Taunton, Mass. A farmer.
1510. III. PETER was b. Oct. 7, 1771; m. *Patience Rogers*, Oct. 11, 1794, daughter (497) of Peleg Rogers and Ruth his wife; she was b. in Warren, R. I., July 21, 1769, and d. there Jan. 10, 1855; he d. Nov. 23, 1836.

He came to Warren when a young man; for a short time he was occupied in teaching school; from that position he was chosen cashier of the Warren bank; he held the position for about 30 years, having the reputation of being remarkably faithful and exact in all his dealings and accounts; about this period he was stricken with paralysis and was compelled to vacate his position, upon doing which the directors presented him, on account of faithful services, with a solid silver pitcher which still remains an heirloom in the hands of the oldest direct descendant, the Hon. Charles Sidney Smith, Esq., ex-Mayor of Providence, R. I. At the time of his death, and for a number of years previous, he was deacon of the Baptist church.

Inscription:

"PRESENTED TO
PETER CARPENTER ESQUIRE
BY THE
PRESIDENT, DIRECTORS & COMPANY
OF THE
WARREN-BANK

As a tribute of respect for his faithful services as Cashier of said institution for 30 years.

Warren, R. I., October, 1835."

This cup holds nearly two quarts, and is of pure silver: it cost nearly \$100. (It was shown the Compiler by the family in 1845 or 1846.)

1511. IV. ISAAC was b. about 1774, in Norton; m. *Betsy* (or *Lydia*) *Smith*, April (498) 6, 1809. She d. March 18, 1832; he d. Nov. 13, 1809. A house carpenter.
1512. V. AMASA; d. April 24, 1809, in Norton. He was insane.

224.

WILLIAM CARPENTER⁷ 594, of William 167,
William 18, Obadiah 40, William 167.

Gen. 8. Children 6, b. in Norton, Mass.

1513. I. WILLIAM was b. June 25, 1760; m. 1st, *Hannah Keith*, in 1778; she d. (499)
June 6, 1806. He m. 2d, *Prudence Hoard*, Feb. 23, 1824. He d.
Aug. 25, 1837. A farmer.
1514. II. JOHN was b. May 12, 1767; m. *Polly Goward*; she had a brother Isaac (500)
Goward. John d. March 14, 1813, aged 46 years. Residence, Sutton,
Mass. and Croydon, N. H. A farmer.
1515. III. ELIZABETH was b. Feb. 22, 1779; m. *Benjamin Bassett*, March 5, 1797. Resi-
dence, Uxbridge and Sutton. A blacksmith.
1516. IV. EBENEZER was b. June 15, 1781. Residence, Sutton, Mass. A farmer. (501)
1517. V. SARAH was b. May 14, 1783.
1518. VI. SAMUEL was b. about 1780; m. a *Burt*. Residence Sutton, Mass. He had
eight children. A manufacturer.

225.

JOSIAH CARPENTER⁷ 595, of Josiah 170,

William 18, Obadiah 40, Josiah 170.

Gen. 8. Children 6, b. in Attleboro, Mass.

1519. I. EUNICE was b. Feb. 8, 1775; d. March 2, 1776.
1520. II. JOSIAH was b. Sept. 27, 1770; m. *Chloe Carpenter*, No. 1914, June 27, (502)
1793, daughter of James Carpenter, No. 799, by his wife Bethiah Hyde,
b. Aug. 16, 1770, in Rehoboth, Mass. Residence, Rowe, Mass. A farmer.
1521. III. DANIEL was b. Oct. 21, 1772; m. *Hannah Bliss*, Feb. 1, 1795, daugh- (1700)
ter of Abadial Bliss by his wife Lydia (Smith) Bliss, b. June 19, 1774.
Moved to Litchfield, Ohio. A farmer.
1522. IV. APOLLOS was b. April 16, 1777; m. 1st, *Pamelia Freeman*, June 19, 1800; (503)
m. 2d, *Betsey Carpenter*, No. 1919, sister to Chloe, b. Oct. 21, 1777, in
Rehoboth. He d. Jan. 15, 1826. Residence, Rowe, Mass. A farmer.
1523. V. HEPSEBATH was b. Jan. 9, 1779; m. *Josiah Perry*, Aug. 26 or July 2, 1802;
she d. Oct. 19, 1818. A farmer.
- 1523½. IV. ABNER.

226.

CYRIL CARPENTER⁷ 596, of Josiah 170,

William 18, Obadiah 40, Josiah 170.

Gen. 8. Children 12, b. in Attleboro, Mass.

1524. I. CYRIL was b. Sept. 14, 1766; m. *Mary Tyler*, April 15, 1790; he d. Nov. (504)
23, 1811. Residence, probably Harford, Penn. A farmer.
1525. II. DAN was b. June 14, 1768; m. *Lydia Thornton*; he d. Oct. 6, 1806. (505)
Residence, Camden, S. C. A merchant and manufacturer.

1526. III. ELKANAH was b. Aug. 11, 1770; m. *Experience Sweet*, Jan. 1 or June 9, 1794; he d. in November, 1825. Residence, Newport, N. H. A farmer.
1527. IV. TIMOTHY was b. March 2, 1773; m. *Hannah Brown*, Aug. 25, 1795. (506) Moved to Rowe, Mass., then to South Carolina, thence to Tennessee. A farmer.
- 39549 1528. V. SAMUEL was b. June 21, 1775; m. *Rhoda Carpenter*, No. 1917, Feb. 9, (507) 1797, daughter of James, No. 799, b. Aug. 6, 1773 and d. June 20, 1862. He probably d. May 23, 1844. (Elkanah Carpenter of Michigan has it that he died in 1861. Residence, Rowe, Mass.: he moved from there to New York thence to Ohio. A Baptist minister.
1529. VI. NATHAN was b. Oct. 21, 1777; m. *Lydia Paddleford*, who d. Oct. 25, (508) 1823, aged 42 years; he d. Jan. 1, 1816. A farmer.
1530. VII. LUCY was b. Oct. 17, 1779; m. *Ezra Follett*, Jan. 30, 1800; she d. Aug. 20, 1813. They moved to Pennsylvania. A farmer.
1531. VIII. DAVIS was b. Dec. 30, 1781; m. *Abiah Follett*, Jan. 20, 1811. It is sup- (509) posed that he moved to Harford, Penn.; he settled in Gibson township in 1809. A farmer.
1532. IX. JONATHAN was b. May 31, 1784. A farmer.
1533. X. MARY was b. May 3, 1784. It is supposed that she went to Harford, Penn.
1534. XI. HULDAH was b. Jan. 22, 1787; m. *Lewis Dary* April 14, 1805. A farmer.
1535. XII. HANNAH was b. Feb. 21, 1790; m. *Elisha Brown*, Nov. 12, 1809. They moved to Rowe, Mass. He d. in Hillsdale county, Mich.; she d. at Hudson, Mich. A farmer.

227.

SIMEON CARPENTER? 597, of Josiah 170, ✓

William 18, Obadiah 40, Josiah 170.

Gen. 8. Child 1, b. in Connecticut.

1536. I. CHARITY was probably the daughter of Simeon and the family lived in Conn. until after she m. *Benjamin Chandler*, who served in the war of 1812; he was taken sick and d. in Youngtown, N. Y., Sept 21, 1813.

228.

ABNER CARPENTER? 599, of Josiah 170, ✓

William 18, Obadiah 40, Josiah 170.

Gen. 8. Child 1, b. in New York.

1537. I. WELCOME ALLEN; residence, Griffin Mills, Erie county, N. Y. He had the care of his Uncle Simeon for a number of years.

229.

JOHN CARPENTER? 603, of John 171, ✓

William 18, Obadiah 40, John 171.

Gen. 8. Children 6, b. in Attleboro, Mass.

1538. I. ROXA was b. April 6, 1782; m. *Moses Capron*, Feb. 21, 1803, in Attleboro.

1539. II. GEORGE was b. June 4, 1784.
 1540. III. RUSSELL was b. May 16, 1786.
 1541. IV. ANNA was b. Jan. 29, 1775; m. probably *Dexter Foster*, April 25, 1798.
 1542. V. JOHN was b. Feb. 16, 1777, in Rehoboth or Seekonk; m. a daughter (510) of Dr. Stanley of Providence, R. I. It is probably this John's estate that was settled in 1815 of which the inventory was made Nov. 27, 1815, by his father, John Carpenter. The son is called "John Jr."
 1543. VI. AMY was b. March 6, 1780, in Rehoboth.

230.

JONATHAN CARPENTER? 605, of Ephraim 175,

William 18, Ephraim 42, Ephraim 175.

Gen. 8. Children 7, b. in Rehoboth, now Seekonk, Mass.

1544. I. HANNAH was b. July 14, 1755; m. *Amasiah Peck*, Dec. 30, 1779. He first moved to Swansea, N. H. and was on a farm there in 1780; from there he moved to Barre, Vt. A farmer. They left six children: 1, *Hannah*, b. Oct. 22, 1780, in Rehoboth; 2, *Jonathan*, b. June 20, 1783, in Rehoboth; 3, *Carpenter*, b. April 26, 1785, in Swansea, N. H.; 4, *Levi*, b. Jan. 18, 1788, in Swansea, N. H.; 5, *Otis*, b. April 22, 1790, in Swansea; 6, *Orinda*, b. July 24, 1792, at Barre, Vt. (It is probable that the first two children were born in Swansea instead of Rehoboth as he was at that place in 1780.)
 1545. II. JONATHAN was b. June 19, 1757; m. *Olive Sessions*, May 20, 1784, a (511) resident of Pomfret, Conn., and was probably a sister to Elizabeth Sessions who married David Carpenter, No. 1995. David was b. Dec. 8, 1757, son of John by his wife Mary (Woodward) Carpenter, No. 825. Olive d. Oct. 20, 1848, aged 91 years. He d. March 14, 1837, aged 80 years, in Randolph, Vt. He was town clerk from 1786 to March, 1788. A farmer and inn-keeper.

When he first came to Vermont he bought land in Pomfret, where he brought his wife and a daughter was born in 1784. He soon moved to Randolph, Vt. where he resided until his death at the age of 80 years. The year after he was married he went to Pomfret or Randolph to prepare a home for himself and wife, by clearing land and building a house. He soon returned for his wife and took her into the wilderness to his home by drawing her on a hand-sled some two miles, as there was no road to his cabin. In a few years in connection with his farming, he kept a tavern and accumulated a handsome property for those times.

In his early life he was quite religiously inclined, but not a member of any church, but was rather inclined towards the "Free Will Baptist." It was then Vermont law, grown from a scion brought from the Blue Code of Connecticut, that the ministry of the Orthodox Church be supported by a tax on the polls and ratable property of the inhabitants, whether members of the church or not. It also provided that any tax payer belonging to any other church might pay his tax for the support of any settled minister in his own town of his own denomination. At this time he had bargained for and lived upon a piece of land upon which he had cleared a small area; built himself a small log house, happy in the possession of a wife and two small children, and the owner of one cow. He had not a dollar of his own besides and no means to pay the purchase money for his land, or for necessaries for his family, save his hands, cow, ax and hoe— independent while able to work and dependent in sickness. In due time the constable came for his minister's tax; he could not pay it for he had no money and could not get it. His cow was levied upon and sold to pay tax and costs. The minister was paid for preaching the Gospel; and his babies were deprived of their milk. This hard treatment had the effect of making him

skeptical as to the truth of revealed religion. By dint of hard work and economy and by the blessing of God, he succeeded in temporal things and in a few years he exchanged his farm for another in the same town, on which he built a large house and added to his farming business that of keeping tavern and of course, liquor selling, which was then thought as necessary to success as breath is to life. In the year 1836, the old original sign was still swinging to the wind and was much weather worn, but the lettering and adornments were plainly to be seen. In the center of the sign was a table upon which a decanter and tumblers stood, each represented to be half-full of liquor; on top were the letters, "J. Carpenter," and on the bottom, "In 1801." The house was still kept open as a tavern in 1836, but no liquors had been sold for six years. A family of five sons brought up in this liquor-selling tavern all joined the temperance movement at an early day.

Although not a religious man he was always a very moral man, upright in all of his transactions with fellow men; he was high minded and a despiser of treachery in all its forms: charitable to all the worthy poor—they were never sent away empty handed: industrious, exemplary and in all respects a worthy citizen; was respected by his townsmen and was frequently called to serve them in town and county with much credit to himself and town. He served the full term of two years as a prisoner of war: was carried to England, serving part of the time in Forton prison and a part of the time in the old prison ship, "Jersey" in the full enjoyment of those luxuries usually allowed to such gentry by the British government, cold, short and poor rations, dirt, fleas, lice, rats and rags: he served faithfully in this way until peace was declared: and was discharged as they usually discharge such prisoners, as his diary will plainly show. The reader will find all of it interesting reading of reliable facts, as they come direct from one who was there and saw with his own eyes and suffered what other prisoners have suffered.

JONATHAN CARPENTER'S JOURNAL.

The diary of Jonathan Carpenter as kept and written by him: "A short journal or account, ledger or minutes of the life and transactions of Jonathan Carpenter, Jr., jumbled together with disorder and confusion, together with the memorable and remarkable events which I have seen at home and abroad, amongst the great and the small, old and young, friends and foes—foreign domestic."

"I was brought up at home, at my father's who gave me a common education and I worked at farming, etc., until I was upwards of 16 years of age, in which time I had brothers and sisters. March 5, 1770, after a town meeting of the inhabitants of Boston, some differences arose between the town folks and a party of the King's troops on which Captain Preston of the 29th regiment ordered them to fire, and the killed and wounded has since been called "The Boston massacre." Sept. 27, 1774, the King's troops began to fortify on Boston Neck and to use the inhabitants with severity which caused great uneasiness in town and country concerning the governments and duties: the British King and Parliament were about to inflict upon the colonies in America, and the bad success that detested article "tea" has met with, by which they thought (by making us pay a duty upon it) to bind on the chains. They have a long time been preparing to bring America under everlasting slavery to Great Britain: but the duty was denied them and the tea was destroyed in Boston Harbor. The inhabitants were resolute and ready to defend their own rights and liberties even to blood if the case should require it, which, according to circumstances could not long be avoided as generally thought, and that the dispute might end by force of arms.

Dec. 1, 1774, I went to live at my uncle's, Nathaniel Carpenter, according to a bargain we made, which was to work for him two years and one-half for his joiners's trade.

Jan. 9, 1775, at a town meeting and election of officers, etc. at Rehoboth, and a company enlisted called minute men, to stand ready (well prepared) to march to a minute's warning to protect the glorious cause of liberty.

May 3, 1775, some families are moving with the best of their goods out of Boston fearing what difficulties may arise, as the regular troops are strongly fortifying there.

April 10, 1775, a body of men marched from Rehoboth to Freetown after Col. Thomas Gilbert and other Tories collected there to disperse them.

April 19, 1775, last evening General Gage, commander of the King's troops detached a party of about 1,000 men under the command of Colonel Smith, and secretly set out with a design of

taking and destroying stores that the Provincials had at Concord; coming to Lexington, they found a number of inoffensive men together upon whom they fired. killed eight and wounded nine and then pushed on for Concord. The inhabitants being alarmed and collected together proceeded to a bridge when the King's troops first fired upon them which was returned with martial bravery, which compelled them to retreat with precipitation; and though re-inforced by Lord Percy with 1,400 men, they were glad to find themselves once more secure in Boston; during all of which time they were followed by their pursuers. This was the first commencement of hostilities between the King's troops and the Americans.

April 20. 1775, the militia marched from all quarters to Roxbury and adjacent towns.

May 9. 1775, the gates of Boston were shut and all communication stopped between town and country.

May 10. 1775. I left working in the shop and came to work at my father's during the summer.

June 17. 1775, as the American army to the number of about 2,000 were fortifying themselves on the heights of Charlestown or Bunker Hill, the enemy perceiving, sent out treble their number, and setting Charlestown on fire, and landing in the smoke, proceeded to dispossess them of the ground, which brought on a most obstinate and bloody engagement. when nearly 1,000 (some say 1,500) of the enemy were killed and wounded: we, being overpowered in number, retreated to Cambridge with a loss comparatively inconsiderable—about 100 were killed and died of their wounds.

July 2, 1775, his Excellency, Gen. George Washington, commander in chief of all the forces of the United States of America, took the command of our troops at Cambridge.

Sept. 1, 1775, I went to work again in the shop of uncle Nathaniel Carpenter.

Oct. 8. 1775, an alarm at Bristol: the Rose (or Ross) man of war, Capt. Wallace fired upon the town.

Nov. 2, 1775, Chamberlee and St. Johns were taken by our troops after a siege of six weeks.

Dec. 10, 1775, battle at Gwinn in Virginia.

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What relates to the services of Nathaniel Carpenter as captain of a company in which Jonathan Carpenter enlisted will be found under the name of Captain Nathaniel Carpenter, No. 498.

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February, 1776, about this time there was a company raised to go to Cambridge in which I enlisted, and the 13th day we marched for Winter Hill with Capt. John Paine, at which place we stopped until some time in March, when we marched around to Dorchester: at that time our troops took and fortified the lengths of Dorchester.

LIST OF CAPTAIN PAINE'S COMPANY.

John Paine, Captain.

Samuel Carpenter, Lieutenant, probably No. 1865.

John Wilson, } Sergeants.
Joshua Porter, }

James Hills, } Corporals.
Ephriam Bliss, }

LIST OF PRIVATES.

Simeon Hix
John Woodward
Joshua Porter, Jr.
Caleb (Jory)
Nathaniel Willmarth
Enos Walker
Richard Lee
Comfort Stanley
Asa Hix
Oliver Goff
Edward Knapp
Charles Wheeler
Comfort Chase
Elkanah Bowen
Miles Shorey
Valentine Wheeler

Aaron Lyon
Benjamin Wheeler
George Porter,
Abiah Carpenter, Prob. No. 1852,
Samuel Nash
James Pettis
Constant Turner
Zachariah West
Samuel Perry
Samuel MacCumber
Josiah Brigg
Aaron Goss
William Carpenter, Prob. No. 1333
Benjamin Medbury
William Hammond
Israel Goff.

John Carpenter, Jr., Prob. No. 1261
David Fuller
Simeon Rounds
Simeon Read
Joshua Armington
Joseph Wheaton
Josiah Thurber
Joseph Allen
Jonathan Carpenter, Jr., No. 1545
Joseph Porter
James Peck
Elkanah French
William Blanding
William Titus
Ezekiel Pettis

- March 17, 1776, the British army evacuated Boston and all embarked on board the ship and fell down below the castle where they lay at anchor.
- March 20, they landed from their ships and burned the castle, and then steered off, supposed for Halifax.
- March 28, Boston opened, supposed to be cleansed from the small-pox, which was left in it.
- April 1, Captain Paine's company was dismissed at Dorchester and marched for Rehoboth.
- July 4, was one of the most memorable events that ever took place in America, and gave the most universal joy to the inhabitants of this country. The thirteen united states were declared free and independent.
- Dec. 8, 1776, an alarm! The militia called to go to Bristol; Rhode Island was taken by the King's troops without any resistance, under General Clinton and Percy.
- Dec. 23, the militia at Bristol were dismissed.
- Dec. 26, General Washington surprised the enemy at Trenton and obtained a complete victory over part of them and made prisoners of 919, besides killing and wounding a number and taking a variety of arms, baggage, etc., (too many to be here mentioned.)
- Jan. 3, 1777, in the night-time General Washington with his main body marched to Princetown where he surprised a party of the enemy about three miles east of the town, killed and made prisoners 500, with a large quantity of baggage, and six field pieces; after which the enemy retired into winter quarters at Brunswick.
- Jan. 8, Captain Hill's company joined the regiment at Howland's ferry.
- June 19, General Howe's Army decamped from Brunswick where his headquarters had been since January last, and they retreated to Staten Island followed by General Washington. It is remarkable that General Howe's army returned to the same spot of ground where they first landed and the day was twelve months from the day they first took possession of it, his encampment, and ships lie the same as then.
- May 15, Battle of Bennington, Vt. A training at Rehoboth, and I, (Jonathan) enlisted for eight months.
- June 14, Capt. Samuel Drown's company marched from Rehoboth to Boston.
- July 10, Major General Prescott, the commander of the department on Rhode Island, was taken and brought off by Lieutenant Colonel William Barton, with about 40 men under his command.
- July 17, Drafted soldiers for one month in Rehoboth.
- July 6, the British troops took possession of Ticonderoga and Mount Independence, they being previously evacuated by General St. Clair who retired to Fort Edward to join General Schuyler.
- Aug. 16, Brigadier General Starks with 1,700 men under his command engaged a party of General Burgoyne's army from Quebec, under the command of Colonel Baum numbering about 2,500 men near Bennington, Vt.; the enemy were defeated with the loss of 200 killed and 600 prisoners taken, and four brass field pieces. Our loss was 30 killed and 42 wounded.
- Aug. 21, 1777, General Howe with a fleet of 200 sail anchored 200 miles up the Chesapeake bay and cannonaded Baltimore on the 27th, and then moved up to the head of Elk river and landed in Maryland. General Washington was at Wilmington, thirty miles from Philadelphia.
- Sept. 11, Battle at Brandy Wine—the Britons left masters of the field.
- Sept. 19, the American army under General Arnold on the west side of the Hudson river, four miles above Stillwater had a warm engagement with the enemy, both maintaining their ground until night, when both parties retired. One piece of the enemy's artillery was taken and retaken four different times, the enemy finally keeping it.
- Oct. 4, General Howe having sometime past, stole a march of a few miles on General Washington, and camped at Germantown, eight miles from Philadelphia; but this day they had a smart engagement for five hours, and in the first part of the action General Washington gained ground but finally was obliged to retreat.
- Sept. 25, 1777, General Howe's army took possession of the city of Philadelphia, (it being previously evacuated by the continental army) with a band of music playing "God save Great George our King."
- Sept. 30, 1777, Capt. James Hill's company from Rehoboth enlisted for one month on an expedition against Rhode Island.
- Oct. 1, they stationed at Fall River in Freetown.

- Oct. 6. Forts Montgomery and Clinton on the Hudson river were taken by the British troops.
- Oct. 13. the militia marched down to go on to Long Island.
- Oct. 16. the whole army marched down to _____ and encamped in the woods.
- Oct. 19. we marched to Frogland's ferry in order to go on to the island. and some were afraid and others did not dare to, therefore, it was omitted until another opportunity.
- Oct. 30. we dismissed ourselves and each went their way; and I came to my father's.
(We find in the list of members of Captain Hill's company. Jonathan Carpenter, Jr., No. 1545, Benjamin Carpenter, probably No. 802, Jacob Carpenter, No. 1546, Eliphalet Carpenter, probably No. 613, and Caleb Carpenter, Jr., No. 1177.)
- Oct. 7. 1777, a smart battle fought at Stillwater in which General Gates drove General Burgoyne about two miles, entered his works sword in hand and took eight brass field pieces and a quantity of baggage with some provisions.
- Oct. 17, 1777, Lieutenant General Burgoyne with the troops under his command surrendered prisoners of war to Major General Gates commander of the American army in the northern department of Saratoga with 37 pieces of brass cannon and 5,000 stands arms, stores, ammunition. etc.
- Dec. 11, 1777. I and E. Read set out for Boston, determined to take a cruise in a Privateer this winter; we arrived at Boston the 13th. and went to work on board of Brigg Reprisal, James Brown as captain, in fixing her out as we intended to go in her for which we were to have \$2 per day and board. Jan. 25. we got the brigg nearly fit for sea: there were among the number, Ephraim Read, Jonathan Carpenter and Caleb Carpenter. (No. 1177.)
- Feb. 13. 1778, in a hard gale of wind, we were driven down to the castle, etc., and lost one of our anchors and cable. and on the 15th we put to sea. and having a fair wind we clawed off the coast pretty fair; but the 19th, having got across the Gulf Stream at daylight we saw a sail which our Captain imprudently chased for nearly two hours, but finding his mistake put about, but she came up with us at 12 o'clock, which proved to be the Unicorn, a 20 gun ship in the service of the Tyrant King of Great Britain commanded by John Ford but we are no longer our own men, but have a new master and one of John Bull's masters I think, ha, ha!
- Now we must go on board of a new ship and be put in irons and crowded down below deck, half starved like poor devils (or rebels) as they call us. In this languishing condition we were obliged to stay, suffering all that those devils on earth (or rather hell afloat) could inflict, until the 7th day of March, when we were brought into Rhode Island harbor and put aboard the Clibborn, a prison ship riding at anchor. Now we enter another scene which is not much better, for our allowance is very short—150 men in a small ship (a light horse without number) but in hopes of seeing a cartel from Providence every hour. but being loth to discover it and by the help of kind Providence. we toughed it out until the 13th of April, when we became very ill; but all that were able were taken and distributed on board of a fleet of 24 sail, of Merchant's ships destined for England. I was not well, but nothing would do but that I must go, and finally went aboard the Myrtle, Captain Golden in command. My friend, Caleb Carpenter, and one Thompson of Virginia were with me, three being the complement for each ship.
- April 16. we sailed for Portsmouth, Eng., where we arrived the 12th day of May after a prosperous passage of 28 days; I was sick almost all the passage. but by the blessing of Him who rules by sea and land, I got my health again not by any favor or attendance from the "bold Britons" as they style themselves.
- May 13. 1778, we hauled into the harbor of Portsmouth, in the county of Hampshire, in Great Britain. After shuffling me about from one ship to another (to make me enter on board a King ship) until they were weary. The 18th, they put me aboard of the Prince Amelia, a gun-ship where I remained until the next day when we were sent ashore at Hosler hospital (a very fine building) where there were upwards of 1,700 men belonging to the shipping and staying there until the 4th of June when we were sent back to the guard ship again.
- June 19. 1778, we were again sent on shore, where we were examined, tried and committed to prison as rebels and pirates taken on the high seas: it being my birthday, the very day I should have had my freedom; but to get clear from cruel masters I rejoiced at an opportunity to go to prison where I found 175 prisoners—some of them had been there a year and were in good heart, but expected a long imprisonment.
- July 6, there were 64 more committed to prison, taken in the Angelic out of Boston. For the past

- six weeks there has been a great talk of our being exchanged by the way of France, very soon, which we call good news if it be true; likewise we hear that the British troops have evacuated Philadelphia and retired to New York. There are 27 sail of the line lying at Spit Head, waiting for a fair wind to put to sea. their destination is unknown.
- July 10, we hear P. North has sent to France to know the number of prisoners, in order for an exchange.
- Admiral Keepel's fleet sails to-day. There is great expectation of war with France.
- July 13, Admiral's fleet returns in again, having seen a fleet in the channel "big enough to Eat Em," ha, ha! Now the Press is very hot in the country, so that a man is not safe in his bed for robbers and press gangs.
- July 24, ten of our officers made their escape and got off clear. Both fleets are out. We expect soon to hear of a battle. Admiral Keepel's fleet consists of the victory of 100 guns, and five of 90 guns and 18 of 74 guns and 7 of 64 guns, making 31 sails of the line and six frigates. The French have 32 sail of the line and 15 frigates.
- July 30, about two o'clock at night we were discovered in our work, which was the digging of a hole to make our escape which could have been accomplished in two hours; we had dug about 15 feet under ground. It is reported in the newspapers that the fleet in the channel had a battle. Admiral Keeple lost 350 men killed and twice that number were wounded, when both fleets retired, the French into Brest, and the English disabled ships into Plymouth.
- Sept. 8, last night there was a breach made out of the prison into the highway, by undermining about 35 feet underground by which about 50 officers got away, but 20 of them were taken up and put into the "Black Hole;" the others got over to France. We were kept locked up until noon, and broke the door-lock and the Devil was to pay, and so things were "pitch-hot."
- Dec. 10, last night five men made their escape—"joy go with them." They tell us that we shall soon be exchanged but I suppose they lie as they used to do. Our money is reduced to one shilling per week—we have had two heretofore ever since I have been in this troublesome land, in high life below stairs.
- Dec. 17, the men of war officers came and took away the men that they had indicted in the yard, being 15 only.
- Jan. 1, 1779, this morning there is ice as thick as window glass; all the frozen weather we have had was one week.
- Jan. 9, Mr. Newsham, our agent tells us that he received a letter from the Admiralty which says that our exchange will be in a few days. (I hope they don't lie as they used to do.) Also a letter from Mr. Greenleaf who runs from this prison, who tells us that the Cartel has been agreed upon this three months, and that it lies wholly with the English ministry when the time shall be.
- Jan. 12, we hear to-day that 130 of our fellow prisoners have made their jokes by giving leg bail to Mill prison at Plymouth where there are upwards of three hundred to whom Heaven send deliverance in due time.
- Feb. 19, twenty more prisoners joined our troop, making in all 255—by kind Providence we are very healthy—we have not lost but nine men, who died in this place since the first prisoners were committed, which is almost two years but upward of 100 have broken out of prison and have gotten clear.
- June 20, Jeremiah ——, one of our privateer's crew from Rehoboth died at Haslex hospital with the small-pox.
- June 29, twenty-four French prisoners was brought to this place and put into another prison prepared for that purpose, and committing them by small parties as they are taken in Merchant's ships: having about 900 Frenchmen in prison. They begin to march them away to Winchester Castle in small parties.
- June 30, the total French prisoners committed to Forton prison were 2,730; at present time they send to Winchester 1,530, leaving in Forton prison 1,200.
- The allowance of food to supply six men for one week was as follows:

1 1-6 qt. Rum
 4 3-4 lb. Bread
 1 1-3 " Pork
 1 1-3 " Beef
 1-2 qt. Peas

1 lb. Flour
 1-3 lb. Raisins
 1-2 pt. Molasses
 1 qt. Oat Meal
 1-6 qt. Vinegar.

March 25, 1779, Bartholomew White, a prisoner in the yard, was shot through the body by a corporal of the guard, which consisted of 60 of the Westminster militia; he died 24 hours after being shot. The corporal was tried by a jury and cleared. (Proved, but very falsely to be by accident.)

March 27, I came out of the hospital cleansed of the small-pox. We have a letter from Mill prison which says that 100 of them have actually embarked on board of the Carteel ship for France, and expected one hundred to go from this place next, which is joyful news, for I am almost tired of imprisonment. We have had but six pence per week for the past three weeks, which will scarcely admit of paper to write and cipher to keep ourselves out of idleness.

April 5, we received a letter from Plymouth, which tells us that the Cartel ship is to sail from there March 25, with 100 men for the North; likewise Mr. Hartley, one of the parliament was here and tells us that the Cartel shall come to this place for the next lot.

April 14, we had half of this day's allowance of money stopped by the agent to pay damages done to the prison in trying to make our escape.

April 19, more American prisoners were committed to prison. (Nothing strange.)

April 26, twenty-four American prisoners were committed, and no news was received from the Cartel as yet.

May 7, some of the countrymen brought in seven French gentlemen in prison who ran away from this place, which caused a disturbance between the soldiers and some of the Frenchmen at whom the Sentinel fired his piece and shot two of them.

May 8, we have a letter in the yard from Mill prison which says that they are very sickly in that prison. They have had no news of the Cartel but expect her daily.

May 10, we have had a general washing and cleansing of the prison.

May 18, Mr. Wren Came and paid us our rations as usual and told us that he had news from France that the Cartel ship had sailed for this port. (God send her fair wind).

May 20, I went out in my turn betwixt the gates to attend market, etc.

May 22, last night seven prisoners broke out of prison from the grand Lobster Guard at Forton, etc., ha, ha, ha!

May 25, the guard is relieved to-day by the Lincolnshire militia of 100 men.

May 28, the guard is relieved by the Surry militia.

May 29, our agent tells us that he expects the Cartel in every day (which I suppose is only to content us that we may not run away) also he has sent our names to London for his Majesty's pardon, on which commenced a dialogue.

PRISONERS—Pardon: D——n his Majesty and his pardon too, who wants any of his pardons; what murder or treason have we done. pray?

AGENT—Why, you impudent rogues don't you know that you are rebels and were committed to prison as pirates for murdering and plundering his Majesty's subjects? And if we should subdue America, the laws of the nation would swing every dog of ye: and without his Majesty's most gracious pardon you would never step a foot from this place except it was to Tiburn or Execution-Dock which you deserve rather than an exchange.

PRISONER—Overpower and subdue America—ah! that is the least of my concern: you have not done it yet nor won't until the D——l's blind, and his eyes ain't sore yet: and if we wait here for that our heads will be as grey as woodchucks, and then it will be a great shame for you to hang us as it was for your troops to run through with their bayonets our inoffensive aged grandfathers and grandmothers who could not get out of their beds and rooms but lay at your mercy begging their lives.

AGENT—When was that done?

PRISONER—When your troops went out to Concord in April, 1775, sir, and likewise your officers or commander in Canada gave a bounty on scalps to encourage the Indians, Hessians, etc. to kill our harmless women and children.—This is the bold Britons, sir.

TURNKEY—You lie, d——n you. Exit Agent. You look as much like woodchucks as any beast I know of, ha, ha, ha!

PRISONER—Not more than you do like an owl.

SAILOR—Don't call people beasts for you don't know how soon you may be a hog yourself; ha, ha, ha!

May 30, a portion of the men that last went away were brought back and put into the "Black Hole."

June 14, we received a letter from Plymouth which tells us that the Cartel arrived at that place on the 6th day of June but they cannot tell whether she will come here for the next lot or not.

Also two men went out of the yard on board ships, namely: John Arthur and James Bonney.

June 18, we heard that the fleet under the command of Admiral Hardy at St. Helena under sailing orders was ordered by an express from London which says that the (Spanish) fleet had joined the French in the British Channel, etc. The Spanish fleet consists of 28 line of battle ships and the French 26; in all 54 ships of the line, besides a number of frigates. The English fleet consists of 31 sail of the line, and a number of frigates.

June 19, 1779, we hear that the English fleet have sailed, and this day is the anniversary of my imprisonment and my birthday, etc., but I hope that I shall not stay here much longer.

June 21, it is in the newspapers to-day that the Cartel ship arrived at Spit Head last night, which we hope is true.

June 25, the Cartel came to see us, and said that he would be ready to receive us on board in about five or six days which is very agreeable news to us. Cash that I received in this yard from subscription is £3, 2s. and 3d. sterling.

June 30, 190 of our names were called and ordered to keep ourselves in readiness to go on board of the Cartel which would be in a very short time.

July 2, we were called to be in readiness, and in the afternoon we marched off through Gosport and went on board the Milford cartel ship lying at Spit Head, etc. The day long wished for has come at last—Hurrah! I have been in Forton prison one year and 12 days.

July 7, we weighed anchor at Spit Head and set sail for the river of Nantz.

July 8, fair weather, small breeze; we make but little headway, being at Portland at 2 P. M.

July 10, fair weather and calm; at three o'clock A. M. we anchored at Plymouth Sound.

July 12, took a gentleman and lady on board, and at six o'clock this morning we got our anchor and made sail for Nantz, but the wind being contrary—at eight o'clock a calm.

July 14, fair weather, a small breeze of wind at Northeast by North; we left the Lizzard at eight o'clock last night: South and Southwest, ran about three knots.

July 22, we were dismissed from the Cartel and set on shore at Penbeef at our liberty, which seems very agreeable though strange to walk the streets at places: I have been in captivity 17 months and three days. In the afternoon we entered on board General Jiffin, an American privateer of 20 guns, George Wade Babcock commander: was bound on a cruise towards America for about three months.

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Come, now messmates as we are at liberty, let us sing a song over a bottle or two of wine:

"Come now my jolly hearts of old,
 Now from prison we are freed;
 Come fill us up a flowing bowl,
 That we may drink with speed:
 And let us now the bumpers flow
 For we've obtained our liberty;
 Success unto our allies now
 That live here o'er the Atlantic Sea.
 Likewise to all that for their rights
 Do now oppose our British foe:
 For to maintain those thirteen stripes
 Which make so grand a show
 In supporting of the thirteen states,
 For which we endured captivity.
 The motto now that cures all fates
 For me, is Death or Liberty.
 Come now, let's take our thundering arms
 And follow that magnanimous son;
 We are no strangers to alarm,
 Nor he whose name is Washington.

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And let's be resolute and brave,
Oh, see how just our cause appears!
For independence we will have
If we fight for it for fifty years."

J. C.

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The diary continues and gives an account of the cruising of the Jiffin, (the boat which he was on) and the engagements had with different vessels and prizes taken, etc., up to the time he landed in Boston, Nov. 1, 1779, which is here omitted, as well as the account he gives of the Revolutionary army during the two years of absence.

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A poem written by Jonathan Carpenter; by taking the first letter of the first word in each line will be the formation of his name:

"Judge now kind reader on these lines,
On them a moment set your mind;
Not long since I took a notion
And went to sea to try the ocean:
Thus was my mind to see possessions,
However, I think I saw some rash ones.
And I was taken without dispute,
Nor did it me a bit well suit.
Come, said they to Britain go,
And we will a halter show:
Rogues and Pirates you shall buy it,
Poor souls say ye, ye dare not try it.
Even if you should try your fun,
Not less than ten would hang for one.
To prison then we all were carried,
Even there we for twelve months tarried:
Rough as it was I stood the spray.

I from them now have got away.
Understand what here is meant,
Nor am I sorry that I went:
If I at all you find to blame.
On these do look and read the same
'Rote in these lines you will find my name."

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A POEM OF THE BRITISH COMMANDERS FOUND IN HIS DIARY.

"Gage, nothing did, and went to pot.
Howe, lost one town, another got,
Gay nothing lost and nothing won.
Dinsmore was homeward forced to run,
Clinton was beat and got a garter,
And bouncing Burgoyne caught a tarter,
This, all we got for millions spent
Is to be laughed at, and repent."

J. C.

Nov. 1, 1779, arrived at Boston.

Nov. 3, I set out for Rehoboth, and got home the next night, having been gone from home two years, wanting five weeks.

Dec. 6, I went to keeping school at D. Perrins for two months.

Dec. 27, "It was fine weather for the sleigh,
I took a notion in my head
To spend the money that I had—
I think the money is poor stuff,
I'll spend it now before it is worse.
If you would know more of the affair,
You may inquire, I don't care where."

Dec. 30, Thursday, the 30th, the weather not good.
We had a wedding in our neighborhood:
Amasiah Peck was the man's name,
If ever you see him, you will know him again.

(Amasiah Peck married Hannah Carpenter, Jonathan's eldest sister.)

Feb. 9, 1780, I went to Providence and bought me a hat for £50 lawful money in paper currency; and two pounds cotton for £13,—very cheap, ha, ha!

NO. 1545; FAMILY 230.

March 3, I received £150, the prize money due me for the prizes taken by the Jifin October last.
 March 27, I set out in company with David Carpenter to travel to the northern country to seek my fortune.

April 4, I went to Fitts Williams to make sugar for D. Bishop.

" This ninth day of April I take pen and ink,
 As strange as it is true I write what I think ;

Alone am I in Fitz William's woods,
 Boiling of sap to make West India goods ;

Out of the same good rum can be made,
 Then why can't we live without foreign trade?

Objections by merchants; their money won't double,
 And the D—l of it is, 'twon't pay us for trouble.

While boiling my sap I wrote down the lines,
 But not as though they were wonders or signs :

You may read it or sing it, just as you think best :
 If you will have any more you will write down the next.

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 After Jonathan and David had examined and inspected the soil and timber through a large por-
 tions of the towns from Guilford to Royalton, Vt., they returned to Pomfret, Vt., and bought 100
 acres at the rate of 12 sh. per acre, having travelled about 416 miles in 21 days.

May 15, began to chop and made the first stump on the lot.

May 20, " On our wild farm we worked a week.
 House built—a house that is strong and neat ;
 And it will serve 'though it is low
 For kitchen, hall and palace too—
 We planted potatoes, corn and beans
 Which some may take for foolish schemes."

July 10, we have chopped about eight acres on our own land in about six weeks successively
 which has almost tired me of that fun; no wonder neither. Also we had a training at Pomfret
 and enlisted 25 men (minute men) who will start in one day's time in case of an invasion, which
 is some expected of the Indians.

Aug. 10, this morning at 10 o'clock we were alarmed with the news that the Indians had come into
 Barnard, and had taken three men and had plundered the houses, (they were composed of 20
 Indians and Tories), and went off followed by 50 men from Barnard, but they could not overtake
 them.

Aug. 15, I engaged to go into the service for the town of Pomfret for three months.

Aug. 17, they marched to Barnard—distance 12 miles.

Aug. 20, we went on a scout for two days, up White River as far as Rochester through Stock-
 bridge (about 20 miles). Made no discoveries of the enemy.

Aug. 25, I went out on a scout for four days in company with 14 men of Barnard, in search of
 some Tories that have been skulking about and have taken two men from Weathersfield, Vt.
 We went up the South Branch of White River and over the heights of land to Pitsford fort on
 Otter Creek, about 30 miles course West, and came home on the 28th. The prisoners were
 taken with two Tories at Weathersfield.

Sept. 21, two men were taken from their work at Bethel by the enemy. I had a furlough of three
 days to go to Pomfret, and came back on the 24th.

Sept. 25, I went on a scout up White River, on the West Branch, for three days; but nothing
 remarkable.

Oct. 16, we were alarmed by intelligence that the enemy were plundering and burning at Royalton,
 and it was supposed that the woods were full of them. I went out in a scout round the north
 part of Barnard about 10 miles, and in again, but discovered nothing. By this time some of the
 inhabitants had come into the garrison, and a party went to meet the enemy (or at least to look
 for them): at about 12 o'clock in the night-time I went out in a party of 11 men, with Lieutenant
 Green, with four day's provisions; we marched by night to Bethel fort, from which upwards of
 100 men had just gone under Captain Safford to Royalton.

Oct. 17, from thence we marched to Colonel Woodward's at Middlesex. (now Randolph) about 15
 miles from Barnard fort and eight miles from Bethel fort. (It snowed almost all day.) There

we were joined by ten men and set off towards the heights of land in hopes of coming across our main body: and coming to a house in Middlesex burning, which we judged had been fired by the enemy about four hours. We took their trail and followed into Brookfield, and finding our men didn't follow, we encamped that night, but the Middlesex men returned; but the next morning, Oct. 18, we followed on about four miles further onto the heights of land, and finding that we should not be joined by more men, and our party but fourteen, which we thought too small a number to engage whom we thought to be three hundred, by the path they made, which was very easy to follow in the night. We left the chase and returned that day to Colonel Woodward's (back again). At Colonel Woodward's, we heard that the enemy had burned and destroyed Royalton, and some houses in Sharon and Middlesex, etc., and had taken off upwards of 20 prisoners and killed seven; notwithstanding they were fired upon by the advance guard of upwards of 400 men, which indeed put them to great confusion; but they killed two prisoners and fled, while the cowardly Colonel Hough was forming his men, hooting with a mock pretense of having a field fight with the Indians in the bush, which gave them time to get off; they (the Indians,) were commanded by Colonel Peters, a Tory.

Oct. 19, we returned home in peace—some moving off over Connecticut river and our savage enemy gone with flying colors into Canada, which is a poor story for a "whig" to tell.

Nov. 15, I was discharged from Fort Defiance at Barnard, and set off for Pomfret.

Nov. 21, I, Jonathan, and David returned together to Rehoboth.

A poem:

"Long as to him who works for debts to pay,
Long as the night to her whose lover is away,
Long as the year's dull circle seems to run,
When the brisk minor pants for twenty-one,
So slow the unprofitable moments roll
That took up all the functions of my soul
That keeps me from myself and still delay
Life's instant business to a future day;
That talk which as we follow or despise.
The eldest is a fool; the youngest, wise;
Which done, the poorest can no wants endure,
And which not done the richest must be poor."

June 12, I set out with David and Jacob to look at some land.

Sept. 10, 1781, Caleb Carpenter came to see me: he got home from his captivity in June, 1780.

Dec. 10, 1781, in Rehoboth, the following lines were written:—

"If in this book one chances to look
On what he does not comprehend,
Now laughing rude, he may intrude
And yet not understand.

The wise that read can judge with speed
How vanity is light,
And will with ease just as he please,
Nor take wrong in lieu of right.

Can any man do what he can
And not come under blame,
Rightly to please all men he sees
Passing life's spacious plain?

Each one in health should please himself,
Not minding others' speech:
Trusting to the truth of age and youth and
Evil deeds put out of reach."

"READ MY NAME EACH LINE WILL TEACH."

April 1, 1782, Rehoboth Election! All fools!

In 1782, I bought a right of land in the town of Randolph, and gave my note for £37 to be paid in neat stock, or New England rum delivered at P. P. Stafford's in said town next winter. I set out for Rehoboth.

[1783, in September, dated at Randolph: a short account of the settlement of Randolph. On the 16th of October, 1780, there were 14 families in town, but when the Indians burned Royalton they moved out, so that when Jonathan Carpenter moved into town there were only three fami-

lies there. The families moved back in 1782; Jonathan Carpenter moved back into the town between the years 1782 and 1785. (At least we find him there in 1785.) We also find Jacob Carpenter there in 1785 and David Carpenter in 1787, and Nathan Carpenter about the same time; also Simeon and Joshua Carpenter.]

Depreciation of the paper currency in 1777 of the United States as enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Rhode Island, which was taken from the diary of Jonathan Carpenter. From Jan. 1, 1777 to Jan. 1, 1781 it depreciated from \$1.05 to \$.50 for one dollar (\$1) in scrip.

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On the back cover of Jonathan Carpenter's diary we find the following:—

"When I am dead and in my grave,
And all my bones are rotten;
When this you see, remember me.
That I am not forgotten.

Jonathan Carpenter is my name.
Descent, from English nation;
This earth is yet my dwelling place,
But Christ is my salvation."

JONATHAN CARPENTER.

Dated, Rehoboth, 1782.

Jonathan Carpenter, Jr., of Rehoboth, enlisted as private in Captain Hill's company, Colonel Daggett's regiment, stationed at Bristol for three months, beginning Dec. 28, 1776; the second time as private in Captain Carpenter's company, in Colonel Craig's regiment at New York and White Plains; served 5 months; was discharged Dec. 1, 1776; the third time as private in Captain John Paine's company at Winter Hill; served two months; was discharged April 1, 1776; the fourth time as private in Captain Hill's company in Colonel Williams's regiment, roll sworn in at Rehoboth Sept. 29, 1777; served one month at Seekonk. Jonathan Carpenter of crew of brig "Reprisal" was taken Feb. 19, 1778, by the British; roll dated Boston Harbor, Feb. 10, 1778.

1546. III. JACOB was b. Nov. 21, 1759; m. 1st, *Huldah Drier*, published June 24, (512) 1785; she d. July 19, 1793; m. 2d, *Polly Carpenter*, No. 1289, of Ezekiel, No. 495, May 25, 1795; she d. Feb. 22, 1799, aged 36 years; m. 3d, *Mrs. McCoy*. He went to Pomfret, Vt. to look for a farm and moved to Randolph, Vt. about 1794. He d. Feb. 12, 1816. A farmer.

He served in the Revolution and drew a pension. He enlisted as private in Nathaniel Carpenter's company, James Whitney's regiment in Rhode Island alarm May 13, 1777; served one month and 25 days. Marched from Rehoboth to Point Judith.

Enlisted as private in Capt. Nathaniel Carpenter's company, Col. John Hathaway regiment in the Rhode Island Alarm April 21, 1777; served 23 days. Again as private in Captain Hills' company, Colonel Williams' regiment, Sept. 29, 1777; served one month. Roll sworn at Rehoboth. Again in Capt. Peleg Peck's company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's regiment, July 27, 1778; served one month and 15 days in the Rhode Island alarm.

Again as private in Captain Bullock's company, Colonel Carpenter's regiment in the Rhode Island alarm July 27, 1780; served five days.

Again in Captain Brown's company, Colonel Carpenter's regiment Aug. 1, 1780 and served five days. Marched from Rehoboth to Tiverton.

1547. IV. ABIGAIL was b. Aug. 30, 1762; m. *Jacob Hoar*, Sept. 4, 1787. She d. in May, 1825. A farmer.
1548. V. EPHRAIM was b. Jan. 8, 1765; m. *Betsy French*, Dec. 24, 1797; she d. (513) Dec. 20, 1843, aged 76 years; he d. Aug. 4, 1817. He resided on his father's farm in Seekonk.
1549. VI. ZERULAH was b. Aug. 7, 1767; m. *Benjamin Carpenter*, No. 2018, April 14, 1791, son of Zachariah Carpenter, No. 830, by wife Hannah, b. Dec. 25, 1763 and d. Jan. 26, 1819. She d. Jan. 26, 1828. A farmer.
1550. VII. ORINDA was b. Nov. 12, 1772; d. Oct. 16, 1775.

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NATHANIEL CARPENTER⁷ 607, of Ephraim 175.

William 18, Ephraim 42, Ephraim 175.

Gen. 8. Children 10, b. in Rehoboth.

1551. I. CHLOE was b. Feb. 1, 1758; m. *Thomas Munroe*, March 4, 1779. A mariner.
1552. II. CYRIL was b. May 1, 1760.
1553. III. LEWIS was b. May 9, 1762; m. *Mary Ann Bliss*, Aug. 23, 1789; he d. (514) March 11, 1843; he moved to Savoy, Mass., 1792, and thence to Springwater, N. Y. A farmer.
- Lewis Carpenter enlisted as private in the Revolution, in Capt. John Perry's company, Colonel Mitchell's regiment, July 27, 1780; served three months and five days; reinforcement to the Continental army at Rhode Island; he enlisted second, as private in Capt. Nathaniel Carpenter's company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm, July 20, 1777; served one month and five days; he enlisted again the third time as corporal in Captain Franklin's company, in Colonel Tyler's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm, July 1, 1779; served six months; he enlisted the fourth time as private in Capt. Jabez Bunce or Bundy's company, in Colonel Drury's regiment, July 23, 1781; served three months and 27 days; served at West Point; he was from Rehoboth.
1554. IV. NATHANIEL was b. Oct. 29, 1764; m. 1st, *Fila Halcomb*; m. 2d, *Philena*; (515) she d. aged 54 years; he d. on Oct. 4, 1842. He moved to Savoy, Mass. and thence to Hoosick, N. Y. A farmer.
1555. V. SARAH was b. June 13, 1767.
1556. VI. LUCY was b. July 23, 1769; d. Aug. 14, 1769.
1557. VII. ABEL was b. June 24, 1771; m. *Martha Eddy*, daughter of Dr. ^{Loved} ~~Lewis~~ (516) Eddy; he moved to Savoy and Adams, Mass. and afterwards to Chicago, Ill., where he d. Sept. 11, 1860. A merchant and farmer.
1558. VIII. CYRIL was b. Aug. 20, 1774; m. *Patience Eddy* and moved to North (517) Adams, Mass. A merchant.
1559. IX. AMOS was b. June 3, 1776; he moved to Russia, N. Y. A farmer. (518)
1560. X. SUSANNA was b. Aug. 16, 1778; m. *Ethan Walker*, Nov. 25, 1795; he was b. Aug. 28, 1769; d. Sept. 27, 1844; she d. April 14, 1857; they moved to Savoy; when aged they removed to Michigan. He was deacon of the church, held the office of selectman and other town offices. A farmer.

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EZRA CARPENTER⁷ 609, of Ephraim 175.

William 18, Ephraim 42, Ephraim 175.

Gen. 8. Children 7, b. in Attleboro.

1561. I. CYRIL was b. Oct. 1, 1771; m. *Abigail Capron*, April 6, 1796 or 1797; (519) she d. June 16, 1850; he d. March 26, 1852; he resided in Attleboro and Savoy, Mass.; he was a deacon in the church at Savoy. A farmer.
1562. II. EZRA b. Aug. 16, 1776; m. *Lucy Perrin*, Jan. 1, 1799, b. Feb. 26, 1779; (520) d. May 22, 1839; he d. Feb. 17, 1841. They moved from Attleboro to Savoy, Mass., thence to Groton, N. Y. and lastly to Pittsfield, Mich. He was one of the first settlers of Groton. He was a joiner and carpenter by trade. A farmer.

He and his wife Lucy were among the first members of the East Congregational church in 1808. It is handed down in the family that Major Benjamin Hicks, who had served with distinction in the Revolution, under Colonel Willet, at Fort Stanwick, (now Rome), against the Indians, in the many bloody battles fought in that vicinity and to whom lot No. 75 in the town of Locke, (now Groton) had fallen, employed one John Perrin during the summer of 1797; he was formerly of Berkshire county, Mass.; during said time Hicks made arrangement with Perrin to move upon said lot and commence clearing it off and cause it to be surveyed and offer such portions of it to actual settlers as he should be able; in October of that year, two teams with lumber wagon loaded with provisions, household furniture and other necessaries were fitted out.—Perrin with his wife and Ebenezer Williams, from Clarmont, N. H., going with the first load and Ezra Carpenter, No. 1562, from Savoy, Mass., with the second team. After a long and tedious journey through the wilds of that region,—and being directed for the last few miles by the blazed trees along the line which had been blazed by the original surveyors,—some distance before reaching Lot No. 75, they found a tree turned up by the roots; here they halted and built a sort of shelter from the elements, which they occupied for nearly a month, while they constructed a permanent building; before winter set in, Williams and Carpenter returned to Canajoharie and thence to Massachusetts; they were among the first settlers of Groton.

1563. III. ESTHER was b. Aug. 16, 1776; d. Oct. 1, 1778.
 1564. IV. NOAH was b. Feb. 3, 1779; m. 1st, *Sally Atwood*, b. in 1784, d. Aug. 9, (521) 1808; m. 2d, *Anne Briggs*, b. Sept. 26, 1787, d. Aug. 5, 1821; m. 3d, *Fanny Read*, b. March 26, 1789, d. in May, 1864; he d. Sept. 10, 1848, in Groton, N. Y. A carpenter and farmer.

Noah Carpenter of Groton, Conn., served in the war of 1812, under Amos Chaffee's command, from Aug. 23 to Oct. 5, 1814. This probably refers to Noah, No. 852.

1565. V. JOAB was b. Feb. 20, 1781; m. 1st, *Mary or Polly Bliss*, Feb. 7, 1805; (522) in the Bliss Genealogy she is called Mary, daughter of Ephraim Bliss, Jr., who married Hannah Carpenter, No. 1870, of Rehoboth. Mary was b. Oct. 18, 1780, d. April 17, 1843; m. 2d, *Olive Bliss*, Oct. 16, 1843, b. in October, 1785; m. 3d, *Phebe Everett*, Aug. 7, 1849, b. Sept. 6, 1788, d. May 5, 1876, aged 88 years; he d. Oct. 23, 1857; he moved to Groton, N. Y., thence to Ann Arbor, Mich. A farmer.

His 2d wife, widow Olive Bliss, relict of Ephraim Bliss, before marriage was Olive Ingraham, daughter of William and Esther Carpenter Ingraham, No. 1298, and granddaughter of Elisha and Esther Greenwood Carpenter, No. 503; residence, Groton, N. Y., where she died, but was buried in Adams, Mass.

1566. VI. DAVID was b. March 24, 1784; m. *Rachel Stone* and moved to Goshen, (523) Mass. A farmer.
 1567. VII. ABIGAIL was b. Feb. 30, 1786; m. *John Harris*; she d. Sept. 9, 1809 or 1810; they moved to Chesterfield, Mass. A cordwainer.

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AMOS CARPENTER' 610, of Eliphalet 177,

William 18, Ephraim 42, Eliphalet 177.

Gen. 8. Children 6, b. in Rehoboth and Attleboro.

1568. I. ABEL was b. Jan. 23, 1771.
 1569. II. JABEL was b. Jan. 23, 1771; he was a twin to Abel; m. a *Fuller*. Residence, Cumberland, R. I. A blacksmith.
 1570. III. ABEL was b. Sept. 11, 1772; m. *Sally Geer*, Dec. 3, 1795. He moved to Fairlee, Vt.
 1571. IV. AMOS was b. Aug. 20, 1775 in Attleboro; m. *Sally Jaquith* and moved to Fairlee, Vt. A house carpenter.
 1572. V. PRESTON was b. Nov. 16, 1781; d. young.

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- 1573. VI. LEWIS was b. about 1785 probably in Attleboro; m. *Mary Turner*, May (524) 14 or July 4, 1809. He moved to Fall River, Mass.

234. 20-17

EPHRAIM CARPENTER^r 612, of Eliphalet 177,

William 18, Ephraim 42, Eliphalet 177.

Gen. 8. Children 8, b. in Fairlee, Vt.

- 1574. I. FREELOVE was b. May 6, 1791.
- 1575. II. SALLY was b. Jan. 26, 1793; m. *Obed Moody*, and moved to Hadley, Mass.
- 1576. III. ELIPHALET was b. April 21, 1796; m. 1st, *Martha Morey*, Sept. 17, 1819, (525) d. March 11, 1825, aged 33 years; m. 2d, *Hannah Glover*, Oct. 10, 1827. Residence, Groton, Vt. He moved from West Fairlee to Topsham in 1839; after living here for three years he moved to Groton Pond, Vt. He served about 12 weeks in the war of 1812. He had five children by his first wife and twelve by his second wife.
- 1577. IV. EPHRAIM was b. Jan. 26, 1798; m. 1st, *Louisa Dickerson*, April 5, 1829, (526) she d. April 15, 1829; m. 2d, *Eliza A. Brown*, June 23, 1839, she d. Jan. 15, 1844; m. 3d, *Alice Mattoon*, May 2, 1844. Residence, Fairlee, Vt. A farmer.
- 1578. V. OBED was b. Aug. 13, 1800; he went to Springfield, Mass.
- 1579. VI. HANNAH was b. April 21, 1801; m. *William Knowles* and went to Roxbury, Vt.
- 1580. VII. COMFORT was b. Feb. 25, 1803; m. *Hannah Colton*, March 10, 1842.
- 1581. VIII. LYDIA was b. May 2, 1804; m. *David Ashley*. Resided in Vershire, Vt.

235. 20-18

ELIPHALET CARPENTER^r 613, of Eliphalet 177,

William 18, Ephraim 42, Eliphalet 177.

Gen. 8. Child 1, b. in Rehoboth.

- 1582. I. HANNAH was b. in 1785; m. *Hesekiah Bicknell*. Residence, Tunbridge, Vt. A farmer.

236. 20-19

REMEMBER CARPENTER^r 614, of Eliphalet 177,

William 18, Ephraim 42, Eliphalet 177.

Gen. 8. Children 6, b. in Randolph, Vt.

- ① 1583. I. EZEKIEL^{Smith} was b. Jan. 14, 1797. m. *Cynthia Franklin* ^{He died 4 Feb. 1869 at Randolph, VT} shed. 4 Feb. 1876 at St. Albans, VT (527)
- 1584. II. SELOMA was b. July 7, 1792.
- 1585. III. SARAH was b. Nov. 5, 1793.
- 1586. IV. EUNICE was b. June 17, 1795; d. July 12, 1819, at Randolph.
- 1587. V. MASON was b. Feb. 9, 1799; m. *Fannie Olds*, Sept. 29, 1822, b. Aug. (528) 30, 1802. Residence, Barre, Vt.
- 1588. VI. NANCY was b. March 2, 1801; d. Feb. 8, 1804, at Barre, Vt.

237. 2072

COMFORT CARPENTER² 616, of Eliphalet 177,

William 18, Ephraim 42, Eliphalet 177.

Gen. 8. Children 4, b. in Westminster, Vt.

- 1589. I. PRESTON was b. about 1820.
- 1590. II. BETSEY. ^{Abt 1818}
- 1591. III. PHILO was b. Jan. 10, 1816, and went to Cattaraugus, N. Y.
- 1592. IV. WILLIAM; he went to Connecticut. ^{abt 1814}

Family No. 238 is dropped.

239. 21424

RICHARD CARPENTER² 621, of Jabez 185,

Joseph 19, Joseph 45, Jabez 185.

Gen. 8. Children 6, b. in Newport, R. I.

- 1593. I. RICHARD was b. Oct. 3, 1757.
- 1594. II. ELIZABETH was b. June 7, 1759.
- 1595. III. MARY was b. June 8, 1761.
- 1596. IV. ANDREW was b. July 24, 1762; d. Sept. 28, 1765.
- 1597. V. JABEZ was b. April 17, 1764.
- 1598. VI. SAMUEL was b. about 1765 and d. the same year.

240. 21426

CALEB CARPENTER² 623, of Jabez 185,

Joseph 19, Joseph 45, Jabez 185.

Gen. 8. Children 5, b. in Newport, R. I.

- 1599. I. ELIZABETH was b. Aug. 18, 1772; d. Sept. 4, 1801, at Newport.
- 1600. II. JABEZ was b. July 12, 1773; d. Aug. 28, 1773, at Newport.
- 1601. III. JOSEPH was b. Aug. 22, 1774; d. Dec. 11, 1774, at Newport.
- 1602. IV. MARY was b. May 14, 1776; d. May 12, 1793, at Newport.
- 1603. V. HANNAH was b. Jan. 16, 1781; d. Dec. 28, 1797, at Newport.

241. 6350

WILLIAM CARPENTER² 629, of Benjamin 188,

Joseph 19, Benjamin 46, Benjamin 188.

Gen. 8 children 15

① Gen. 8. Children 15, first 2 b. in East Greenwich, R. I., remainder in Wilbraham, Mass.

- 1604. I. DANIEL was b. in 1749; m. Lucy Nichols; he d. in 1811. ^{abt 25} He settled in (529) Wilbraham, and moved to Pittsford thence to Barr, Vt., in 1793, ^{at 62} where ^{desc} ^{Pittsford} ~~lived~~. In 1814 his house was destroyed by fire also the contents among which were the records of the Carpenter family and other papers.

The following was taken from the History of Pittsford, Vt.: "In the history of Pittsford, Vt., we find that Daniel Carpenter located here with others in 1792. The father of Daniel was born in England (New England) and came to America when a young man. (This record will prove the tradition to be incorrect.) William the father was born in Swansea, Mass., then called New

- England and married Hannah Needham and settled in Greenwich, R. I., where his son Daniel was born about 1749. Daniel made his first purchase in ~~Lead~~ ^{Lead} Hollow in Pittsford, Aug. 11, 1793."
1605. II. JOHN was b. about 1751 in East Greenwich; m. *Lovina Chappelle* of East Haddam, Conn., probably July 12, 1777; she d. Oct. 7, 1819. He d. Oct. 24, 1818. He moved to Wilbraham, and to East Haddam (or Wales) where his children were born. A farmer.

A copy of a letter written by John Carpenter, born 1751, to his brother Nathan Carpenter of Barre, Vt., written on an old piece of paper, evidently torn from an old account book. (25 cts. Postage.) Dated April 2, 1811.

"*Loving Brother* :-

I take this opportunity to write a line to you on a bit of waste paper, for I have no other. We are all well but my wife; she has been almost or quite sick this three or four weeks, but she is on the gaining hand. I suppose you have heard of our father's death; he has been dead about a year, but I had no chance to send a letter to you and so I neglected it until now. He gave Powell his interest to maintain them, but he lived but a few months after that. I believe Powell did very well by him while he did live. I had to pay Barney's and the chief of Powell's cost before I could get him out: it cost me one hundred and ten dollars (\$110). I have got a note for you that Barney left at Newgate; my orders were not to send it only by a safe hand, but to bring it when I come, 'and I shall come when I bring it.' I had a letter from Reuben this summer; he said they were tolerably well, and he seems to like the country very well.

I hear that Daniel and his wife started to come down and see us last winter, but they havn't got here yet: what's the reason, I don't know.

If you want the census of our family I can tell you. Our children are all married and gone from us. John has only gone up to the road. Azubah lives at the South parish, Charles at Monson, Mass., and Lovina at Greene, Mich. So I shall conclude by sending my love to all of our friends."

(signed) JOHN CARPENTER.

Wilbraham, Mass., April 2, 1811.

1606. III. NATHAN was b. in 1765; m. *Azubah Blodgett*, of Randolph, Vt. He d. (531) Nov. 27, 1840. He moved to Barre, Vt., and thence to New York state, and from there to Cleveland, Ohio; he d. at Bickfield, Ohio. He was in Cleveland, Ohio in 1818.

He was justice of the peace for three years in Vermont, and for three years in Bickfield. He was one of the first settlers of Barre, Vt. With him were Mr. Gould and others, as early as 1787. He was the owner of the lot including the Currier place, which extended to the Camp farm. He gave the old common to the town for the purpose of building a Congregational church thereon.

1607. IV. REUBEN; m. a *Rood* and moved to Worthingham, Ohio.

- ① 1608. V. WILLIAM ^{Barney} was b. May 17, 1769; m. *Sarah Blodgett*, of Vermont, b. July 14, 1769, d. Feb. 24, 1850. He d. Oct. 15, 1852. Went to Newville, Ohio, and thence to Mansfield, Ohio, and lastly to Colorado. Miss Osburn says he d. in Wilbraham, Mass. in 1809 or 1810. The compiler thinks she is right, as she has always been found to be very accurate in genealogical matters.

1609. VI. BARNEY; moved from Barre to Worthingham, Ohio.

1610. VII. JOTHAM was b. Sept. 2, 1760; m. *Molly Patterson*, of Barre, Vt., April 18, 1772; she d. March 12, 1813, aged 52. He d. June 2, 1829. He was representative to the Legislature in 1826. A minister. He was the first settled minister of Fayeston, Vt. and secured the minister's lot of land in that town. He now has a son who resides in Brookfield.

1611. VIII. ZEBULON; d. at the age of 18 years.

1612. IX. DAVID.

1613. X. POWELL. He took care of his parents.

1614. XI. ANNA; m. *Moses Rood* of Barre, Vt.

1615. XII. IRVING.

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1616. XIII. POLLY.

1617. XIV. HANNAH was b. about 1767; m. ¹⁷⁵⁸ probably James ^{Thwing - son James + P. S. C. (meacham) Thwing} Irving of Wilbraham, Mass., and moved to Williamstown, Vt., where she d. in January, 1795, aged 38 years, with her sixteenth child in her arms; he m. 2d, widow Nancy Carpenter, her maiden name was Wolcott. He d. in Barre, Vt., March 6, 1834, aged 81 years.

1618. XV. JESSE was b. in 1749; m. *Ruth Streeter* of Nelson, Madison Co., N. Y. (534) He d. in 1843 at Nelson, N. Y. He moved into the state of New York about 1776.

Reminiscences of Jesse Carpenter No. 1618, father of Elijah Carpenter, No. 3445, furnished by Mary J. (Carpenter) Dean, No. 7204, daughter of Daniel Carpenter, the grandson of Jesse:

"My great grandfather, Jesse Carpenter, father of Elijah was a real live Christian. I lived for five years in the same family with him; but as he has been dead more than 40 years I have forgotten much. He was a stanch Baptist, an honest man, a good husband and father and a lover of his country. His sayings were such as these: one evening as we were sitting by the fire he said, 'so many years ago to-night I was in camp at Ticonderoga'; he said that his grandfather, or his great grandfather (I have forgotten which) had three hundred and sixty-five dwelling houses in the city of London, and on the top of his own house there was a fish pond.

It seems to me (Mary J. Carpenter) that great grandfather had a brother William who composed a little book of poetry, the title of which was 'Hasty Pudding.' I read it but I can only remember a few words, a couplet which ran thus:

'The crooked spoon just fitted to the lip,
And taught with art the gilding mass to dip.
And in haste is made and in haste is eat.'

He was a strong Anti-Mason, and composed some poetry on that subject which was well received. I once asked him if he was in the battle of Bunker Hill, and I think he said that he was not, but carried water to the soldiers at that time. He married Ruth Streeter. She was very decided in everything. She came to Nelson to live when I was very small. He spent the last years of his life making baskets, which furnished him with all he needed. He died about 1842 aged 90 years or more. At the age of 70 years, he married his second wife, Dorcas Cooper, with whom he lived five or six years. He had powder blown into his face, which caused the children to say his face looked as though it was muddy. It was imbedded into the skin so that it could not be got out, and it sometimes troubled him with an intolerable itching. Of his brothers and sisters I know nothing."

(This letter was transcribed by Henry Martin Dean, Hingham, Mass., Jan. 28, 1883.)

If the tradition in the above letter be correct in regard to the number of houses owned in England, it will show conclusively that we are in the line of John Carpenter, town clerk of London, (through his brother John, his heir.) as he owned about that number of houses or more, and had by tradition, a reservoir on top of his house.

242. 17892

DAN CARPENTER' 631, of Benjamin 188,

Joseph 19, Benjamin 46, Benjamin 183.

Gen. 8. Children 4, b. in Swansea, Mass. and Ashford, Conn.

1619. I. JOEL was b. Aug. 11, 1731 or 1732, in Swansea, Mass. He moved with (535) his father when young to Ashford, Conn.; m. *Mary Ruggles*, Dec. 9, 1755, who was b. in 1728 in New Britain, Conn. She d. in Ellington, Conn., Dec. 27, 1799. He d. Jan. 25, 1789, aged 57 years. We first find Joel in Hardwick, Mass. as early as March 25, 1752. He was then called a physician and he acted as surgeon's mate in the army.

On Dr. Joel Carpenter's gravestone in Ellington, Conn. it is stated that he died Jan. 25, 1789, aged 69 years. The compiler thinks there must be some mistake in the gravestone record, as the Hardwick Records tend to show that he was about 21 years of age when in Hardwick. Therefore, the compiler is inclined to believe that the correct date of his birth was Aug. 11, 1732. Though the marriage indicates that his birth occurred some years earlier than that, as his wife, Mary Ruggles was born in 1728.

He served in the Revolutionary war as surgeon. After leaving the army, he lived for many years on a farm in Ellington, Conn., and practiced as surgeon and physician. Edwin Hubbard of Chicago has it that Joel was born in 1720, which the compiler thinks is a mistake. This Hubbard record of 1720 has caused the compiler much trouble and work to reconcile this Joel born Aug.

1732 with Joel of 1720: we believe in Mr. Hubbard as to accuracy in all of his Antiquarian researches: but in this case we are obliged to take exceptions. It is very evident that this Joel was the son of Dan Carpenter of Ashford, Conn., where some of his descendants have lived to the present time. Dan was born in Swansea, Mass., Feb. 26, 1708. If his son Joel was born in 1720, Dan would then have been only 12 years of age. If born in 1731 or 1732, he would have been 24 years of age, which would appear very reasonable.

- After his marriage, it appears that he returned to Woodstock or Ashford, Conn., where his family were born. At the breaking out of the Revolutionary war he enlisted as surgeon, and probably served through the war. On his return he settled in Ellington, Conn., where he practiced medicine until his death, Jan. 25, 1789, aged 57 years. The marking of his gravestone was probably taken from the Hubbard record, which would make his age 69.
1620. II. JONATHAN was b. April 11, 1752, in Ashford; m. *Rebecca Howard*: they (536) had three or four children.
1621. III. SERVIAH was b. April 17, 1736, probably in Swansea.
- 1621½ IV. REBECCA was b. Aug. 20, 1738.

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URIAH CARPENTER⁷ 633, of Benjamin 188,

Joseph 19, Benjamin 46, Benjamin 188.

Gen. 8. Children 11, b. in Ashford, Conn.

1622. I. GRACE was b. Aug. 21, 1734; m. *James Crawford*, Sept. 8, 1755; he was b. in 1733, and was the son of James who came from Ireland about 1730 (Scotch Irish); she d. Jan. 18, in Putney, Vt. They resided in Union, Conn., where their children were born. 1, *Chester*, d. Feb. 1, 1759; 2, *Frances*, b. April 30, 1760; 3, *Anne*, b. July 20, 1762; 4, *Theophilus*, b. April 25, 1764; 5, *Sarah*, b. April 2, 1768; 6, *Lydia*, b. in Willimantic, Conn.; 7, *Elizabeth*, who d. April 30, 1760. They moved to Westminster, Vt., in 1769; located first in the east parish and in a few years moved to the west parish, where he settled.

Grace was a woman of great mental and physical energy and of more than common mental powers, being well fitted for the trials with which she had to contend. She had a good common school education, had charge of a school in her own house, and was frequently called upon to write legal papers. When her son Theophilus was serving in the Continental army, at Cambridge, after the battle of Lexington, she had to go into the woods to get firewood. Theophilus, the fourth child of James and Grace, married Annie Johnson, Oct. 26, 1788; she was born Oct. 27, 1766, and died in 1851, in Putney; he died Jan. 10, 1856, aged 91; they had 10 children. He held many important offices in town: he was high sheriff of the county for four years and a member of the executive council for the same length of time; he was a member of the Legislature of Vermont for two years and a member of the Constitutional convention in 1822.

Grace's grandson David, the son of Theophilus, was given the commission of 2nd lieutenant in the 11th regiment U. S. A., raised in Vermont and New Hampshire, in the war of 1812. He was promoted to be 1st lieutenant and was stationed on the frontier of Vermont and New York in the winter of 1813 and 1814. They halted in the woods at French Mills, N. Y., Feb. 12, 1814: from there they went to Watertown, N. Y., and thence to Buffalo, N. Y., where the forces concentrated on April 14, with a view of the invasion of Canada across the Niagara river. In April, 1814, he was raised to the office of adjutant in the 11th regiment. The army crossed the Niagara at Black Rock, on the night of July 2, and immediately invested Fort Erie, which surrendered in the afternoon of July 3; on the 4th, General Brown took up his line of march and encamped at Chippewa: on the 5th, about 3 P. M., the enemy were seen approaching them: the contest was short, brilliant and decisive. The next battle was at Bridgewater: the battle was commenced by General Scott. In this battle David was appointed brigadier major and was ordered by General Scott to reform the brigade, which was promptly done on the field under the heavy fire of artillery and musketry. Having distinguished himself at this battle and at several subsequent engagements with the enemy, the general reported him to the war department as having shown great courage and ability. The secretary of war appointed him captain in the U. S. army, his commission to date from the 17th of September, 1814; he was the youngest captain in the field and was retained as captain after the war was over; but he resigned and returned to his home in Vermont.

James Crawford, with his wife Grace, took up his abode in a log house in the west part of the town, where he lived at the time of the massacre at Westminster: he was present at the burial

① See Page 340 for details.
② Per Pg. 340.

of French and helped to lay him out for burial. The party of "Yorkers," on their return, called at the house of James Crawford and called for something to drink. Mrs. Crawford replied, "We have no drink for murderers."

1623. II. HEZEKIAH was b. Dec. 8, 1736 or 1737; m. probably 1st, *Joanna* (537) *Aldrich* of Mendon, July 2, 1769; m. 2d, *Lois Corban*, b. in 1744, d. March 11, 1826; he d. May 7, 1820 or 1822. His residence is given as Johnston, R. I. He served in the Revolutionary war and afterwards went to Havana, Cuba.
1624. III. JONATHAN was b. Nov. 24, 1738; d. in 1748, at Ashford, Conn. *Lucy Wyman* - 2 children *Martha* + *Frederick*
- ① 1625. IV. URIAH was b. Jan. 6, 1741; m. probably 1st, *Aancy Laamis*; m. 2d, *Martha Bartlett*, daughter of Joel Bartlett of Attleboro, Sept. 4, 1768; she was b. April 11, 1746; he d. January, 1821. A farmer.
- Uriah, residence given as Westminster, Vt., enlisted as sergeant in Capt. John Grigg's company; was paid for services at Walpole, N. H.; had traveled 11 miles. Uriah enlisted for three years Feb. 4, 1777, under Capt. William Ellis, in company eight; received a bounty of 20 pounds; age 36 years.
- Uriah Carpenter, born at Ashford, Conn., and being at Oxford, Mass., enlisted for nine months in the Continental army; age 33; stature six feet; complexion light; hair light brown; eyes light; joined Captain Kingsbury's company, Colonel Hawes' regiment; enlisted about April, 1776. It appears that he enlisted again, residence given as Danvers, Essex county, Mass., March 29, 1781, for three years.
1626. V. MARY.
1627. VI. ANNE was b. Jan. 1, 1746; m. probably *James Collings* of Providence, R. I., Aug. 5, 1768.
1628. VII. ELIZABETH was b. Jan. 21, 1749; d. Aug. 25, 1749, at Ashford.
1629. VIII. DAN was b. June 13, 1750; m. *Lydia Powers*. He moved to Keene, N. (539) H. A farmer.
1630. IX. ISABELLA was b. May 5, 1743; d. Aug. 20, 1749, at Ashford.
1631. X. CALEB was b. Dec. 1, 1755.
1632. XI. DAVID was b. Jan. 28, 1759; m. *Azubah Allen*, of Windham County, (540) Conn., a relative of the noted Gen. Ethan Allen of Vermont, Nov. 8, 1786. He d. April 4, 1845 or 1849, (one account states that it was in 1849,) in Keene, N. H. A farmer.

When he was about 16 years of age, he volunteered and joined the Continental army, and was one of the guards at Major Andre's execution. At the close of the war he returned and soon after married Azubah Allen, daughter of Daniel Allen. About 1790 he removed to Landgrove, Vt., where he resided for 18 years. His first child was born in this town Aug. 26, 1787, and this is the first birth on the town record. He was a poor boy bound out to service at an early age, but as he became older he was dissatisfied with his usage and determined to leave; he stole his indentures from his master's desk and hid them under a stone on the premises. After he became of age he returned and found them all safe. He never had the advantages of a common school education, but he learned to read and to keep his accounts, and became a self educated man. He represented the town in the Vermont Legislature in 1800 and in 1802. He held the office of justice of the peace and other important town offices. He removed to Keene, N. H., in 1807, where he died in 1845. He accumulated a handsome property, to the reported amount of \$40,000.

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BENJAMIN CARPENTER? 634, of Benjamin 188.

Joseph 19, Benjamin 46, Benjamin 188.

Gen. 8. Children 3, b. in Ashford, Conn. (*Hayward*)

- ② 1633. I. BENJAMIN was b. Oct. 28, 1760; m. *Ruth Hayward*, Nov. 24, 1784; she (541) d. July 26, 1832, aged 69 years. He d. Feb. 5, 1838, in Surry, N. H. A farmer. *She was b. 26 Mar 1763. Daughter of Peter Hayward.*

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① See Page 840 for note on grandchildren

1634. II. JOANNA was b. probably in Ashford, Oct. 24, 1763; m. *Philip Wilber*. Residence, Salisbury, Vt. A farmer.
1635. III. AMASA was b. Dec. 23, 1776, probably at Ashford; m. *Mary Rice*, and went to Landgrove, Vt., and thence to New York. A farmer.
1636. Is dropped.

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JOTHAM CARPENTER? 635, of Jotham, 189.

Joseph 19, Benjamin 46, Jotham 189.

Gen. 8. Children 13, b. in Rehoboth and Swansea, Mass.

1637. I. OLIVER was b. March 1, 1729, at Rehoboth.
1638. II. DORCAS was b. May 15, 1731, in Rehoboth; m. probably *James Bullock*, Oct. 24, 1756. A farmer.
1639. III. LYDIA was b. in Swansea: m. 1st, *Jonathan Thurber*; m. 2d, a *Blake*.
1640. IV. ISAIAH was b. Jan. 8, 1735, at Rehoboth; m. *Miriam Sly*, in 1767; she (542) was b. in 1744, residence, Salisbury, Vt.; d. Jan. 19, 1838. He d. Jan. 17, 1809, in Salisbury, Vt. A farmer. She was b. 20 OCT 1743

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Isaiah Carpenter and James Breckinridge were accused of rioting by the New Yorkers who claimed that they had taken land under the New Hampshire grant, within the limits of New York territory: and further, that they had taken up arms to fight for the land as a part of Bennington. This accusation was not true; they were within the limits of Bennington. It arose from the fact that they were loyal to the proposed government of Vermont. It was about the year 1777. Isaiah Carpenter was one of the first settlers of Salisbury, under the New Hampshire grant; he was a conspicuous character in the difficulties between the "Green Mountain Boys" and the "Yorkers." Mr. Carpenter was a near neighbor of Judge Olin. The "Yorkers" drove Carpenter from his cabin on a few acres of clearing, and put one of their grantees in possession. One day as the "Yorker" was chopping a tree, there was a report, and a ball whistled by his head: he, supposing that it was some hunter, kept on chopping; in a few moments there was another report, and a second bullet struck the tree a few inches above his head. He left for parts unknown, immediately, and Carpenter had full possession. A short time after this, Judge Olin shot a steer which he was killing for family use: Carpenter, hearing the report, took his musket and came running down to Judge Olin's inquiring "Where are the 'Yorkers'?"

1641. V. NATHAN was b. Feb. 18, 1738; m. 1st, a *Davis*; m. 2d, *Hannah Thomas*, (543) March 10, 1780, of Warren, R. I. They moved to Mansfield, Conn.; he d. about 1818, at John Ross's in Willington, Conn. He probably moved to Stafford, Conn. but there were not any of the family there in 1840.
1642. VI. ANNE or HANNAH was b. in Swansea; m. *Samuel Bliss*, Jan. 12, 1755.
1643. VII. SYBIL was b. Feb. 26, 1739, in Rehoboth; m. *Henry Ingalls*, Nov. 21, 1761.
1644. VIII. MEHITABEL was b. July 28, 1742, in Rehoboth; m. *Nathan Mason*, March 7, 1765, residence, Cumberland, R. I.
1645. IX. ELIZABETH was b. Dec. 20, 1746, in Rehoboth; m. *Nathaniel Carpenter*, No. 826, May 9, 1765; residence, Cumberland, R. I. A farmer.
1646. X. FREELove was b. April 27, 1749, at Rehoboth; m. *Job Whipple*; residence was Saratoga Springs, N. Y. A manufacturer.
1647. XI. JOTHAM was b. Nov. 28, 1750, in Rehoboth; m. *Hannah Gulley*, Aug. 2, (544) 1769; residence, Cumberland, R. I. A farmer and merchant.

Jotham Carpenter enlisted as private in Colonel Israel Chapin's regiment, Oct. 18, 1779; served one month, 11 days with reinforcement to Continental army; he enlisted the second time as private in Capt. John Carpenter's company, March 5, 1781; served two months on guard duty at Springfield.

1648. XII. OLIVER was b. Nov. 15, 1753, at Rehoboth; m. *Joanna Ballou*, May (1576) 12, 1775, daughter of Ezekiel Ballou. Residence, Mendon, from which place they removed to Nassau, N. Y.

He was one of the selectmen of the town, from 1786 until 1795, and was treasurer of the town from 1796 until 1803. He enlisted in the Revolution as corporal in Capt. Daniel Batcheller's company, in Col. Tyler's regiment, during the Rhode Island alarm, July 28, 1780; served 15 days enlisted the second time as private in Capt. Samuel Cragin's company, Col. Tyler's regiment, in the R. I. alarm, Dec. 8, 1776; served one month, 15 days. Oliver Carpenter, corporal in Captain Cragin's company, was on pay abstract, for service of two months and 26 days at Rhode Island.

1649. XIII. DESIRE was b. Oct. 26, 1755, at Rehoboth; m. 1st *William Lang* or *Long*, (probably Lang), Oct. 24, 1773, son of John of Greenland; m. 2d, *Moses Ballou*, March 22, 1778, son of Samuel Ballou of Smithfield; residence, Smithfield, R. I. A farmer.

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HEZEKIAH CARPENTER^r 640, of Jotham 189.

Joseph 19, Benjamin 46, Jotham 189.

Gen. 8. Children 6, b. in Hopkinton, R. I.

1650. I. DANIEL; m. 1st, a *Waterman*; m. 2d, *Thankful Johnson*. Residence, Locke, N. Y. A farmer and house carpenter.
1651. II. HANNAH was b. about 1750, in Hopkinton, R. I.; m. *John Burdick* of Richmond and moved into the state of New York. A farmer.
1652. III. LYDIA; m. *John Fenner*. Residence, Hopkinton, R. I. A farmer.
1653. IV. SARAH was b. in 1755; m. an *Eggleston* and moved into the state of New York. A farmer.
1654. V. ESTHER was b. in 1780, (probably by 2d wife, Prudence Johnson); m. *Pardon Crandall*, Dec. 19, 1799. A farmer.
1655. VI. JOHN was b. in 1779; m. 1st, *Esther Crandall*, Feb. 4, 1802; m. 2d, (545) *Eunice Minor*; m. 3d, *Hannah Bennett*, Dec. 7, 1840. Residence, Warwick, R. I. A carpenter and a farmer.

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BARNARD CARPENTER^r 646, of John 194.

Joseph 19, Benjamin 46, John 194.

Gen. 8. Children 2, b. in Swansea, Mass.

1656. I. HANNAH was b. Feb. 16, 1746.
1657. II. SARAH was b. April 16, 1744.

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JOHN CARPENTER^r 647, of John 194.

Joseph 19, Benjamin 46, John 194.

Gen. 8. Children 11, b. in Stafford, Conn.

1658. I. JOHN was b. April 15, 1756; m. 1st, *Prudence Gallup*, of Groton, Conn., (546) Aug. 28, 1783; m. 2d, *Sarah Orcutt*, of Stafford, Conn., April 26, 1786, daughter of Colonel Orcutt, who d. in Randolph, Vt., aged 100 years. John d. in 1847, at Randolph, Vt. He as a resident of Stafford, bought

land in Bethel, Vt., in 1803. It is probably the same John that sold land in Bethel when a resident of Randolph. He also bought in Bethel in 1804, and sold in Bethel in 1809.

- ML 1659. II. OLIVER was b. Dec. 28, 1757. He was killed at Roxbury, Mass., in the continental service, Sept. 1, 1775.
1660. III. A daughter, name not known; m. a *Whitaker*; resided in Vermont.
1661. IV. SARAH was b. April, 1760; m. *Ezra Grosvenor* of Bridgeport, Vt.; d. Nov. 18, 1812. They moved to New York.
1662. V. JOSIAH was b. in October, 1762; m. *Hannah Morrill*, of Canterbury, (547) N. H., April 13, 1790; she was b. in 1767, and was the daughter of David Morrill of Salisbury, Mass., who was a descendant of Abraham Morrill who came from England in the "Lyon," in 1632; she d. Feb. 21, 1847, aged 80 years and 2 months. He d. March 1, 1851, aged 88 years, and 4 months, at Chichester, N. H. A Congregational minister.
- He was graduated from Dartmouth College with the first honors of the college, in 1787, and was ordained to the pastoral care and charge of the Congregational church in Chichester, N. H., Nov. 2, 1791, which charge he retained for about 40 years. He was baptized by Dr. John Willard, a brother of President Willard, of Stafford, Conn. He was ordained in Chichester, Nov. 2, 1791, and dismissed July 24, 1827, and remained with the people of Christ until he died. He, with three of his brothers, served on sentinel duty at Roxbury Neck, Mass., where one of his brothers was killed.
1663. VI. JOSEPH was b. July 19, 1764; m. 1st, *Betsy Wheeler*, of Massachusetts; (548) by her he had one son and three daughters; m. 2d, *Sarah Buel*, of Lebanon, Conn.; by her he had 10 children. He went to Randolph, Vt., when about 20 years of age, where he resided for 27 years. He d. April 17, 1834. A farmer and innkeeper.
1664. VII. THURSTON was b. Oct. 2, 1766; m. 1st, *Abigail Strong*; she d. Oct. 11, (549) 1810; m. 2d, *Alice Jewett*. He d. Aug. 2, 1838. Residence, Stafford, Conn. A farmer.
1665. VIII. SAMUEL was b. Nov. 29, 1768; d. Oct. 15, 1797. He was educated for a physician and entered the United States service as a surgeon, in some expedition. One report states that he became tired of it and left; another account states that he was killed in the service, Oct. 5, 1797. Where he settled is not known.
1666. IX. MARY was b. Nov. 18, 1770; d. Feb. 6, 1776.
1667. X. NATHANIEL was b. Jan. 30 or Dec. 30, 1772 or 1773; d. Sept. 3, 1795, in the West Indies.
1668. XI. IRENE was b. Dec. 15, 1774 or 1775; d. Jan. 22, 1776.
1669. XII. MARY was b. Aug. 11, 1779; m. *Abner Morrill*; they lived the first year after marriage, in Canterbury, N. H.; then they moved to Wheelock, Vt., and d. there; he d. May 11, 1851, aged 83; she d. March 15, 1865, aged 87 years; they had 10 children: 1, *John*, b. 1800; 2, *Sarah*, b. 1804; 3, *Luther*, b. 1806; 4, *Horatio G.*, b. 1808; 5, *Mary*, b. 1809; 6, *Joseph*, b. 1811; 7, *Horace*, b. 1812; 8, *Laban*, b. 1814; 9, *Judith*, b. 1817; 10, *Nancy*, b. 1818.

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WILBUR CARPENTER' 653, of Job 196,

Joseph 19, Benjamin 46, Job 196.

Gen. 8. Children 11, b. in Providence and Warwick.

1670. I. LUCY was b. Oct. 7, 1751; m. *William Rice*, Dec. 15, 1772, son of Nathan and grandson of John. Their children were: 1, *Benjamin*, b. 1779; 2, *Thomas C.*, b. 1781; 3, *William*, b. 1788; 4, *Whipple*, b. 1795; 5, *Elizabeth*, m. Charles Briggs, son of Charles of East Greenwich.
1671. II. LYDIA was b. Dec. 24, 1755; m. *Daniel Whitman*, son of Elisha, Oct. 6, 1782; he d. Feb. 9, 1819, aged 62 years; she d. Nov. 29, 1835, at Warwick. A farmer. They had four children: 1, *Martin*, b. in Warwick, m. a Stafford; 2, *Mary*, b. Nov. 5, 1785; 3, *Daniel*, b. Jan. 11, 1793, d. May 22, 1807; 4, *Lydia Ann*, b. Jan. 1, 1800, m. George Rice, Jan. 29, 1820, residence, Providence, R. I.
1672. III. THOMAS was b. July 11, 1758. He was a mariner and d. at sea. He went out privateering, and was taken by the English at the time of the Revolutionary war and carried to the island of Antego; he was taken sick and put into the hospital on that island, from which he undertook to make his escape by fleeing to a cornfield or sugar cane-field, with one of his companions; they both determined not to be taken alive. They were closely pursued by the negroes and finally taken. It was supposed, from the screams which were heard that his companion was horribly murdered; Thomas was taken and sent to England. He first went out with Captain Babcock, privateering, and took 28 prizes: he was then taken to Antego, and from this island he was shipped aboard an English vessel which was taken by the Americans. He still continued his business on the water for the Americans, and was taken by the English and carried to England, where he was imprisoned. He there set up a military school, and also kept a grog shop, including the business of a barber. He said that he had often taken in a guinea before breakfast. He was in prison for more than a year, and at the end of the war was sent with the rest of the prisoners to Boston. After moving to Providence, R. I., he went aboard a schooner bound for North Carolina; he went as captain, the former captain being sick, but has never been heard from since. It is supposed that he was thrown overboard by the crew; as they were in company with another schooner, lights were kept on deck during the night; on this vessel, they were all suddenly extinguished and the vessel has never been seen since. Thomas Carpenter of Salem, went on brig "Lively," under Capt. Benjamin Dunham, roll dated Aug. 11, 1780: aged 26; stature 5 feet, 7 inches; complexion light.
1673. IV. BENJAMIN was b. April 26, 1760, in Providence, R. I.; m. 1st, *Mary* (550) *Burke*, Aug. 29, 1790, daughter of William Burke; she d. June 9, 1809, aged 43 years; m. 2d, *Lucy Bennett*; she d. Oct. 12, 1838, aged 46 years. Residence, Warwick, R. I. A farmer.
1674. V. DANIEL was b. Dec. 17, 1753, in Providence, R. I.; m. *Phebe Whitman*; (551) he d. April 27, 1803. Residence, Warwick and Pawtucket, R. I. A farmer, shoemaker and merchant.
1675. VI. SARAH was b. Oct. 18, 1763; m. *Peleg Whitman*; he d. Nov. 15, 1841, aged 80 years; she d. March 1, 1808.
1676. VII. WILBUR was b. Dec. 29, 1765; m. *Patience Bentley*, Oct. 7, 1810, daughter (552) of Caleb Bentley. A farmer.
1677. VIII. POLLY was b. Nov. 25, 1767; m. *Peter Sprague*, son of William, Feb. 19, 1789. On the Warwick Records she is called "Mary." A farmer.
1678. IX. NANCY or ANNE was b. Feb. 18, 1771; m. *George Carder*, June 14, 1801. Residence, Warwick. A farmer.
1679. X. JOB was b. April 27, 1773; he d. May 18, 1851; Nancy, his wife, d. April 20, 1863, aged 83 years. It appears that this Job was a resident of Providence

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and owned real-estate there, through which a street was laid out named Carpenter St., for the reason that it was laid through his land.

JOB CARPENTER

Has for Sale,

A FEW casks of new Rice: Hyfon, Young Hyfon, Souchong and Bohea Teas, by the cheft, box or quarter cheft: a few boxes of English Crown Window Glafs: 10 kegs Richmond sweet scent Tobacco of the first quality: 51 barrels Hemp Seed, with as great a variety of other Goods as any Store in town. The Subscriber tenders his sincere thanks to old and new customers, and solicits a continuance of the same—the smallest favors will be thankfully received and duly attended to.—*Providence, R. I., April 27, 1811, Columbian Phoenix or Providence Patriot.*

1679½. XI. MILLICENT; m. Benjamin Vaughay of Cranston, R. I.

m. 5 Oct 1804 in Warren, R. I.

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BENJAMIN CARPENTER⁷ 657 of Edward 199,

Joseph 19, Benjamin 46, Edward 199.

Gen. 8. Children 11, b. in Warren, R. I., or Guilford, Vt.

1680. I. ASAPH was b. July 22, 1746, in Warren, R. I.: m. and moved to Hender- (553)
son of Hudson, N. Y., and d. there.

He resided, previous to marriage, in Guilford, Vt., during the time of the trouble with the New York land grants. He petitioned the governor and council of Vermont to have his fines abated, about 1784: he and others, were fined by the court of Vermont for opposing the government of Vermont, claiming to be under the jurisdiction of New York. In 1784 the state's attorney was directed to suspend the collection of said fine: it was remitted by the governor and council the same year, which accounts for the following: "A grant was given by the government of New York to Asaph Carpenter, including lot No. 69, of 350 acres, in 1786: the township not named."

1681. II. JOSEPH was b. Feb. 24, 1749, probably in Warren, R. I.: m. 1st, Tamer (554)
Carpenter, of Ira, Vt.: m. 2d, Eunice, who d. September 1843; he d.
in May, 1829, aged 81 years.

He was for several years pastor of the Baptist church in Ira, Vt., from 1808 to 1816, and died there. The Rev. Joseph Carpenter was ordained pastor of the Baptist church in Ira: he divided his labors between his farm and church, laboring on the farm week days and preaching on the Sabbath, and from house to house, until 1812.

1682. III. LUCINDA was b. March 6, 1751, in Warren, probably; m. 1st, *Stephen Chase*;
residence, Halifax, Vt.: m. 2d, *Judge Wheeler* of Brattleboro. Stephen deeds
land to his wife Lucinda, in Halifax, July 12, 1793; James Tucker deeds
land to widow Lucinda Chase, Oct. 3, 1793. They had eight children,
namely: 1, *Cyrus*, m. Abigail Carleton; 2, *Elizabeth*, m. Eliakin Jones;
3, *Asaph*, m. Tamer Clark; 4, *Allen*, b. Feb. 7, 1780, m. Hannah Under-
wood, Oct. 8, 1801, m. 2d, Polly Dunbar, June 4, 1826; 5, *Lucinda*, m.
(after the death of her sister), Eliakin Jones; 6, *Stephen*, m. Persis Parks;
7, *Amey*, m. Samuel ———; 8, *Lydia*, m. Samuel Jackes.

Cyrus and Abigail Chase had at least two children. As it appears by the land records of West Halifax, Vt. Benjamin Carpenter of Guilford, in the county of Windham, Vt., for the love and affection he bears for his grandchildren, Abigail Chase, and her daughters Eunice and Nabby Chase, deeds land in Halifax, in 1802; later, in the same deed, he calls them "my children." They are also mentioned in Benjamin Carpenter's will. John Turner married Eunice Chase, granddaughter of Lucinda Carpenter, March 25, 1810.

1683. IV. LOIS was b. Sept. 8, 1753, in Warren; m. *John Slater*; he d. about 1814; they
moved into the state of New York to Jay (probably). John Slater, on hearing
the news that peace was restored, was so excited with joy that he dropped
dead on his way home from Elder Allen's where he heard the news; they
had a son, Ira. Residence, Jay, N. Y.

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1696. VI. WILSON was b. Aug 7, 1766, in Guilford, Vt.; m. *Hepsibah Robinson*, Aug. (558)
2, 1792, of Clarendon, Vt., b. March 18, 1772. He d. April 14, 1855.
Residence, Ira, Vt. He came to Guilford when only one year old, and was
brought up in that town. A farmer.
1697. VII. MARY, d. Nov. 28, 1774. (1844)

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CALEB CARPENTER⁷ 661, of Edward 199,
Joseph 19, Benjamin 46, Edward 199.
Gen. 8. Children 7, probably b. in Guilford, Vt.

1698. I. BENJAMIN.
1699. II. EDWARD.

It was probably this Edward who was fined by the supreme court of the Provincial government of Vermont for opposition to the government of that state, claiming to be subject to the government of New York. Soon after, the state's attorney was ordered to suspend the collection of said fine. He petitioned the government council for the abatement of said fine, about 1784, and it was remitted by the government council. Oct. 27, 1784. He probably resided at the time in Guilford. There is no trace of him since that time.

1700. III. CALEB.
1701. IV. JOB.
1702. V. A. C., probably A. C. Carpenter. (559)
1702-a. VI. BENJAMIN, son of Caleb by his wife Hannah.
1702-b. VII. EDWARD.

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BELOVED CARPENTER⁷ 662, of Edward 199,
Joseph 19, Benjamin 46, Edward 199.
Gen. 8. Child 1, b. at Mt. Tabor, Vt.

1703. I. HANNAH was b. about 1765; m. *Gideon Taber*, b. in 1762, son of Walter, of Mt. Tabor. Walter was in the Revolutionary war.

253½.

CORNELL CARPENTER⁷ 664, of John 200,
Abiah 21, Oliver 54, John 200.
Gen. 8. Children 4, b. in East Greenwich.

1704. I. JOHN was b. Dec. 3, 1751 (b. in 1753 by James N. Arnold); m. *Sarah* (560)
Weathers, Oct. 13, 1774.
1705. II. CORNELL was b. March 13, 1748. (1616)
1706. III. ABIGAIL was b. July 5, 1756.
1706-a. IV. THOMAS.

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ROBERT CARPENTER⁷ 671, of Christopher 201,
Abiah 21, Oliver 54, Christopher 201.
Gen. 8. Children 6, b. in East Greenwich.

1707. I. CHRISTOPHER was b. 1756.

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1708. II. JOHN was b. Feb. 11, 1758; m. *Sally Stone*; m. probably 2d, *Charity*. (561)
 1709. III. PHEBE was b. Nov. 27, 1760.
 1710. IV. MERCY was b. May 14, 1763.
 1711. V. EZRA was b. Aug. 10, 1769.
 1712. VI. ROBERT.

255. *7*NICHOLAS CARPENTER^r 676, of Christopher 201,

Abiah 21, Oliver 54, Christopher 201.

Gen. 8. Children 15, b. in Maryland or Indiana.

1713. I. DAVID.
 1714. II. CHRISTOPHER.
 1715. III. JOHN was b. in 1772, in Maryland; m. *Sarah Buck* of Verona, Ohio, (562)
 daughter of Michael Buck, b. in 1772 in Virginia. Both d. in 1855.
 Residence, Indiana. A farmer.
 1716. IV. JOSEPH.
 1717. V. THOMAS.
 1718. VI. NANCY.
 1719. VII. NICHOLAS. *m. Mary - had Nicholas, Joseph and 5 d. in VT.*
 1720. VIII. SARAH.
 1721. IX. CALHARUE.
 1722. X. MARGARET.
 1723. XI. MARY.
 1724. XII. BARBARA; m. *Benjamin Brown* of Cranston, Oct. 16, 1768.
 1725. XIII. ELIZABETH.

256. *1750*JONATHAN CARPENTER^r 690, of Jeremiah 204,

Abiah 21, Oliver 54, Jeremiah 204.

Gen. 8. Children 4, b. Pownal, Vt. and Rutland, Vt.

1726. I. RHODA was b. March 30, 1768, in Pownal, Vt.; m. *John Gibson*, May, 1792; he
 d. October, 1839; she d. in May, 1834, in Sutton, Lower Canada. A farmer.
 1727. II. STEPHEN was b. March 19, 1770, in Pownal, Vt.; m. 1st, *Filinda Heath*, (563)
 June 7, 1795; she d. May 22, 1824; m. 2d, widow *Catherine Barchardt*,
 Feb. 13, 1825. Residence, Richford, Vt. He was a charter member of the
 Congregational church in 1802. He moved to Richford with his father in
 1778. A farmer.
 1728. III. ISABEL was b. in 1773; d. in 1776, at Pownal, Vt.
 1729. IV. JONATHAN was b. October, 1775, at Rutland, Vt.; m. *Patience Rogers*, (564)
 February, 1809. Residence, Richford, Vt. It was probably this Jona-
 than who was representative in the legislature of Vermont in 1828 and 1829.

Jonathan was among the early settlers of the town of Richford. He was born in Rutland, Vt., in 1775; his father moved to Berkshire when he was quite young, where he lived for a time. He apprenticed himself to a tanner and shoemaker; was diligent in business, which shaped his after

life. He moved to Richford about 1800 and settled on a small farm, and in connection with the farm he carried on a small tannery. He sold his farm about 1826 and moved to the Falls, and carried on the shoe and leather business, and in addition he added a store. He was enterprising and influential. He held nearly all of the town offices. He was Justice of the Peace for nearly thirty years, and was town clerk for several years. He was a believer in temperance, and religion. He died in September, 1859.

1730. V. ASA was b. about 1775; d. young, at Rutland.

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WILLIAM CARPENTER⁷ 691, of Jeremiah 204,

Abiah 21, Oliver 54, Jeremiah 204.

Gen. 8. Child 1, b. in Clarendon, Vt.

1731. I. ROSANNA; m. 1st, *Thomas Spencer*; a farmer; m. 2d, *Dr. John Potter*. Residence, Clarendon, Vt.

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JOSHUA CARPENTER⁷ 692, of Jeremiah 204,

Abiah 21, Oliver 54, Jeremiah 204.

Gen. 8. Children 7, first two b. in Bennington, Vt., others not evident.

1732. I. ELI; m. twice.
 1733. II. REYNOLDS was b. Dec. 24, 1784; m. 1st, *Mary Niles*, Jan. 11, 1814; (565)
 b. Dec. 26, 1790, d. Aug. 23, 1822; m. 2d, *Hannah Niles*, Dec. 16,
 1823; b. June 24, 1799. He was elected representative to the legislature of
 Vermont in 1833. A farmer.
 1734. III. MERIBAH, d. December, 1854; m. twice.
 1735. IV. RUTH. m. *Markland*
 1736. V. MARY was b. Dec. 12, 1787.
 1737. VI. MARGARET.
 1738. VII. FRANCES was b. 1783; m. *Capt. William Baker*, Dec. 5, 1803, son of Benjamin,
 of North Kingston; he d. March 14, 1856, in North Kingston.

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JOSEPH CARPENTER⁷ 706, of Thomas 205,

Abiah 21, Oliver 54, Thomas 205.

Gen. 8. Children 15, b. in Huntington, Vt.

1739. I. THOMAS was b. Nov. 25, 1772; d. young.
 1740. II. JOSEPH B., was b. April 11, 1774.
 1741. III. JESSE P., was b. Oct. 27, 1775; m. and resided in Milton, Vt., in 1822. (566)
 He moved to Akron, Ohio, about 1822, with his family. A physician.
 1742. IV. ELIZABETH was b. July 15, 1777; m. *Timothy Bull*, at Wallingford, Vt. A
 minister.
 1743. V. THOMAS was b. March 25, 1779; he was residing in New Haven, Vt., in (567)
 1822, a minister in the Methodist church.
 1744. VI. PATIENCE was b. Nov. 23, 1782; m. *Elisha Hurlbut*, Oct. 6, 1800.
 1745. VII. SAMUEL was b. July 15, 1783.

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① Per Pg. 840. At least one daughter. See Pg. 840 for details
 ② Per Pg. 840.
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- 1746. VIII. HARRY was b. April 11, 1784.
- 1747. IX. BETHIAH was b. Nov. 20, 1785; m. *Nathan Stewart*. The whole family were drowned in a vessel on the New Haven river in Vermont.
- 1748. X. SAMUEL B. was b. Oct. 6, 1787.
- 1749. XI. SAMUEL C. was b. Nov. 3, 1789.
- ① 1750. XII. POLLY was b. (May 7) 1791; m. a *Euloom*. *Luther Fullam of Milton, VT. d. 1872.* Polly or Patty called Martha
- ② 1751. XIII. PATTY was b. Aug. 25, 1793. m. *John Hyde* she died in Swanton, VT.
- ③ 1752. XIV. HANNAH was b. July 5, 1795. m. a brother of John Hyde. She d. *Ch. Chester, VT.*
- 1753. XV. MAHALA was b. Dec. 11, 1797; m. a *Black*.

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BERIAH CARPENTER? 707, of Thomas 205,
 Abiah 21, Oliver 54, Thomas 205.

Gen. 8. Children 11, b. in South Kingston and Wallingford, Vt.

- 1754. I. BERIAH was b. Dec. 1, 1772; moved to Utica, N. Y. A farmer. (568)
- 1755. II. JOHN A. was b. April 24, 1774; m. *Druzilla Nichols*, at Wallingford, Vt., (569) in 1797. He d. in 1846, at Huntington, Vt. A tailor.
- 1756. III. WILLIAM was b. Sept. 27, 1776; m. *Katy Nichols*, at Wallingford, Vt. Residence, Hopkinton, N. Y.
- 1757. IV. ABIGAIL was b. Nov. 5, 1778.
- 1758. V. SUSANNA was b. May 22, 1781.
- 1759. VI. CHRISTOPHER was b. Jan. 8, 1784. He went into the state of New York.
- 1760. VII. GEORGE WASHINGTON was b. June 19, 1787; m. *Betsy Finney*, at Wallingford, Vt., in 1806. He was a Free Will Baptist minister. He went north, and afterwards into Lower Canada. He d. at East Farnham, Can. (570)
- 1761. VIII. THOMAS was b. July 4, 1789; m. *Roby Bugbee*; she d. Sept. 25, 1850, (571) aged 60 years; he d. July 7, 1858, in Huntington, aged 69 years. A farmer. The remainder of the family were born in Wallingford, Vt.
- 1762. IX. JAMES was b. Jan. 14, 1793. He went to Weedsport, N. Y.
- 1763. X. ELIZABETH was b. Sept. 28, 1795.
- 1764. XI. CALVIN was b. April 14, 1799. He went to Weedsport, N. Y. He served as town clerk. A blacksmith.

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NICHOLAS CARPENTER? 708, of Thomas 205.
 Abiah 21, Oliver 54, Thomas 205.

Gen. 8. Children 6, b. probably in Somersworth, N. H.

- ④ 1765. I. JOHN was b. in 1761; m. *Mary*, who d. July, 1848; he d. Oct. 1, 1848, aged (157) (1578) 87 years.
- 1766. II. THOMAS was b. in 1764; m. *Sally Wentworth*, daughter of Lieut. Benjamin; she was b. Feb. 28, 1758. (572)
- ⑤ 1767. III. BENJAMIN was b. in 1767; m. *Sophia*. (573) and
- ⑥ 1768. IV. NATHANIEL was b. in 1770. Fam. 1790 (5) (1790)

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⑤ Per Pg. 840 - Family # 573 & 1782.
 ⑥ " " " " # 1790.

1769. V. NABBY. (1722-1780) b. 1722
 1770. VI. TAMER, probably.

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 ✓ 262. 723

OLIVER CARPENTER⁷²³ 717, of Oliver 208,

Abiah 21, Oliver 54, Oliver 205.

Gen. 8. Children 3, b. in Providence, R. I.

1771. I. LYDIA was b. Sept. 3, 1744.
 1772. II. BARLOW was b. Sept. 12, 1747. (574)

There is no doubt but that it was this Barlow who resided at Mendon, Mass., and volunteered as private in Capt. John Albee's company; served nine days in the Lexington alarm. He enlisted the second time as private in Capt. Samuel Craggin's company, Colonel Tyler's regiment in the Rhode Island alarm, December, 1776; served five months and 24 days. He enlisted the third time as private in Capt. Wm. Tucker's company, Colonel Gerrish's regiment in the Rhode Island alarm, July 9, 1778; served five months and 24 days.

1773. III. A son, name not known.

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BENJAMIN CARPENTER⁷¹⁷ 717, of Oliver 208,

Abiah 21, Oliver 54, Oliver 205.

Gen. 8. Children 6, b. in Greenwich, R. I.

1774. I. SARAH was b. Jan. 27, 1743.
 1775. II. JANE was b. July 20, 1744.
 1776. III. ELISHA was b. Aug. 23, 1748. (575)
 1777. IV. MARY was b. June 11, 1751.
 1778. V. ELIZABETH was b. March 2, 1756.
 1779. VI. BENJAMIN was b. Oct. 14, 1759.

✓ 264.

TIMOTHY CARPENTER⁷²⁰ 720, of Oliver, 208,

Abiah 21, Oliver 54, Oliver 205.

Gen. 8. Children 6, b. in West Greenwich, R. I.

1780. I. SARAH was b. June 6, 1755.
 1781. II. OLIVER was b. June 28, 1757.
 1782. III. BENJAMIN was b. Aug. 29, 1760.
 1783. IV. HEZEKIAH was b. Feb. 8, 1763.
 1784. V. DIADEMA was b. April 20, 1765.
 1785. VI. DANIEL was b. April 2, 1768.

No. 265 is dropped.

266.

SAMUEL CARPENTER⁷²⁹ 729, of Samuel 234,

Samuel 23, Samuel 62, Samuel 234.

Gen. 8. Children 6, b. in Pomfret, Conn.

1786. I. SAMUEL was b. May 24, 1757; m. 1st, *Dolly Alton*, April 27, 1780; she (576)

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d. March 9, 1783; m. 2d, *Sybil Alton*, May 4, 1786; he d. Jan. 7, 1798.
A farmer.

He probably served in the war of the Revolution: we find a Samuel in Capt. Caleb Clark's company, in the 11th Connecticut regiment; he was at New York, in 1776; he entered the service, probably the second time, Jan. 8, 1778, in Captain Williams' company, in Colonel Johnson's regiment.

1787. II. JEMIMA was b. Jan. 9, 1742; m. *Joseph Bardick*, Feb. 21, at Pomfret, Conn.
1788. III. WILLIAM was b. June 14, 1745; m. *Mary Carpenter*, No. 1769, Jan. 19, (577)
at Pomfret, Conn.
It is probably this William who marched to Lexington for the relief of Boston, in 1725; he afterwards drew a pension: he went for 26 days; his wife drew a pension in 1818.
1789. IV. KEZIAH was b. June 8, 1749.
1790. V. HANNAH was b. December 11, 1752; d. Jan. 6, 1753, at Pomfret, Conn.
1791. VI. EBENEZER was b. Feb. 4, 1754.

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NATHANIEL CARPENTER^r 730, of Samuel 234,

Samuel 23. Samuel 62. Samuel 234.

Gen. 8. Children 8, b. in Pomfret, Conn.

- 6620 1792. I. AMASA was b. May 15, 1749; probably m. *Annie Carpenter*, No. 411, Feb. 1,
1770, daughter of Amos, No. 120, of Coventry; he d. March 6, 1773. She
m. 2d Benjamin Fenton.
1793. II. MARY was b. Feb. 24, 1750 or 1751.
1794. III. ELIJAH was b. April 30, 1753; m. *Lois Sharp*, Jan. 4, 1776. (578)
1795. IV. NATHANIEL was b. July 18, 1756; m. *Elfreda Dresser*, June 20, 1775. (579)
daughter of Nathan and Orinda (Carpenter) Dresser, No. 473, b. Oct.
16, 1759; she d. May 11, 1840, aged 81 years. He d. Oct. 16, 1829, in
Hanover, N. H. He served in the Revolution in company commanded by
Lieutenant Tucker from Woodstock, Conn.
Orinda (Carpenter) Dresser was born in 1737. Nathaniel settled in Cornish, N. H., about 1775; he
afterwards lived in Strafford, Vt., and finally settled in Hanover, N. H., about the year 1796;
their house was about three-fourths of a mile south of Dartmouth college, on the river road,—
the first house south of Mink brook. He was living there in 1824 and 1828.
1796. V. ABISHAI was b. Feb. 27, 1758; d. March 8, 1758, at Pomfret, Conn.
1797. VI. EUNICE was b. May 12, 1759.
1798. VII. LUCY was b. June 21, 1761.
1799. VIII. HANNAH was b. Sept. 1, 1763; m. *Samuel Torrey*; she d. March 31, 1846. Res-
idence, Sutton, Mass.

268.

AMOS CARPENTER^r 733, of Timothy 235,

Samuel 23. Samuel 62. Timothy 235.

Gen. 8. Children 13, first b. in Rehoboth, Mass.; rest in Westminster, Vt.

1800. I. ABIAL was b. in 1750; m. *Tryphenc Prichard*. Residence, Northfield, Vt. (580)
A blacksmith.
1801. II. ABUEL was b. in 1752; m. *Hannah Webb*; b. in 1754. d. in 1818; he d. (581)

- in June 1840. He was drafted in the Revolutionary war, but sent a substitute. A farmer.
- ① 1802. III. ABEL m. Sarah ^{PH} Phippen. A farmer. (582)
1803. IV. AMOS m. Elizabeth (or Betsey) Lane. He moved to Stanstead, Canada. (583)
A farmer.
1804. V. ABNER m. Ruth Dudley. Residence, Northfield, Vt. A farmer. (584)
1805. VI. COMFORT was b. Aug. 20, 1763; m. Thankful Kent (or Canfield) March 22, 1787; she d. in 1851; he d. April 15, 1806. Residence, Stanstead, Can. He built a saw-mill in 1800, in Stanstead. A farmer. (585)
1806. VII. CALEB; went to Stanstead, Can. A miller.
1807. VIII. DAILY m. Susan Kent. Residence, Charlestown, N. H. A tailor. (586)
1808. IX. SALLY m. Simeon Glaton. They moved to Genesee Flats, N. Y. A farmer.
1809. X. PAMELIA; d. when about 18 years of age.
1810. XI. POLLY; m. Joseph Farewell. Residence, Charlestown and Dalton, N. H. A farmer.
1811. XII. SQUIRE.
1812. XIII. ROSWELL; m. Louisa Larkins, of Rockingham, Vt. He was 80 years of age when he died. He came to Northfield when the country was new, not far from 1787, from Charlestown, N. H. It is said he was a good dancer and took great delight in parties. He contributed largely to building one or both of the Universalist churches in Northfield. A farmer. (587)

269.

TIMOTHY CARPENTER? 736, of Timothy 235,

Samuel 23, Samuel 62, Timothy 235.

Gen. 3. Children 3, b. two in Rehoboth, Mass.; the youngest in Westminster, Vt.

1813. I. AMY was b. March 7, 1763; m. Joel Perham; he d. in 1812. Residence, Westminster, Vt. A farmer.
1814. II. TIMOTHY was b. May 19, 1765; m. Molly Perham; he d. in August, 1814. Residence, Westminster and Belvidere, Vt. The first meeting held in Belvidere was in his barn, by Elder Morris of Hardwick, Vt. (588)
1815. III. LEWIS was b. Aug. 30, 1768; m. Nabby Richards, Feb. 22, 1792. (589)

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EZEKIEL CARPENTER? 739, of Andrew 236,

Samuel 23, Samuel 62, Andrew 236.

Gen. 8. Children 3, b. in Rehoboth, Mass.

1816. I. SIMEON was b. Jan. 25, 1765; d. previous to 1790.
1817. II. CHLOE was b. Jan. 20, 1766; m. Charles Cushing, Oct. 12, 1788. She was his second wife.
1818. III. OTIS was b. Dec. 22, 1767.

271. *2057*GIDEON CARPENTER⁷ 740, of Nathan 243,

Samuel 23, Samuel 62, Nathan 243.

Gen. 8. Children 8, b. in Hardwick, Mass.

1819. I. NATHAN was b. Feb. 6, 1748; m. 1st, *Sarah or Sally Cox*, of Hardwick, (590) in 1774; m. 2d, a widow, *Hannah Andrews*, of Stockbridge, Vt., April or May 8, 1788. The latter is probably correct. He d. in Middlebury, Vt., July, 1842. He moved there when the children were young, before 1783. His 2d wife, before marriage, was Hannah Lurvey, and came from Cape Cod and Newburyport; her father was a sea captain in the India trade, and died of the yellow fever, at sea. He was a member of a company of minute men who reported at Cambridge, after the battle of Lexington, in 1775.
1820. VII. BENJAMIN was b. July 21, 1765. *with v. 2 box, 1841, to 1842, 1843.*
1821. III. MARY was b. April 1, 1754; m. *James Nutting*, of Brimfield, Mass., June 29, 1774.
1822. IV. ELIJAH was baptized April 16, 1758, in Hardwick, Mass.; m. *Sarah* (591) *Wing*, Feb. 1, 1784, daughter of James Wing, who d. Jan. 10, 1842, nearly 81 years of age. He d. Aug. 28, 1814. He lived on the West Road, formerly called Turkey street.

Elijah Carpenter, son of Gideon, was a member of a military company that marched to the relief of Bennington, in August 1777, but did not arrive till after the battle.

He was private in Capt. John Crawford's company, in Col. Job Cushing's regiment, Sept. 7, 1777; served two months and 20 days; he also served in Timothy Page's company, in Col. James Converse's regiment, Aug. 21, 1777; served ten days; marched to Bennington, Vt., on alarm; he also appears as corporal in Jos. Richardson's company, Col. Samuel Denney's regiment, Oct. 19, 1779; served one month and 12 days; he was from Worcester county, Mass. We also find him acting as sergeant in Capt. Benjamin Nye's company, Colonel Sparkhawk's regiment, Sept. 17, 1778; served at Dorchester two months and 29 days.

1823. V. RHODA was b. April 6, 1760.
1824. VI. GIDEON was b. about 1750; m. *Anna Cox*, March 15, 1773, daughter of (592) Capt. Ebenezer Cox. *Nathan's Co. Carpenter, 1774.*
1825. VII. JAHAZAEL was baptized Sept. 12, 1762, and d. about 1820. (593)
- He enlisted as private in Captain McNall's company, Colonel Pierce's regiment, in R. I. alarm May 24, 1779; served one month, 11 days; marched to Tiverton.
1826. VIII. ELIZABETH was baptized June 19, 1768; m. *Oliver Chapin*, Nov. 25, 1790.

272. *2058*BENJAMIN CARPENTER⁷ 745, of Nathan 243,

Samuel 23, Samuel 62, Nathan 243.

Gen. 8. Child 1, b. in Hardwick, Mass. *with v. 2 box, 1841, to 1842, 1843.*

1827. I. SUSANNAH was b. Feb. 29, 1739; m. *Abel Benjamin*, March 22, 1759.

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JEDEDIAH CARPENTER⁷ 754, of Charles 244,

Samuel 23, Samuel 62, Charles 244.

Gen. 8. Children 11, first 4 b. in Rehoboth, Mass., the remainder in Keene, N. H.

1828. I. HANNAH was b. Jan. 26, 1756; m. *Calvin Jacobs*, May 28, 1776. A farmer.
1829. II. OLIVE was b. Dec. 24, 1758; m. *Royal Paine*, July 16, 1777. A merchant.

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① Per Pg. 840 all after 1771 is to be thrown out. (including 1720)
 ② Per Pg. 840. Residence Osceola & Middleburg, PA

By second wife:

1830. III. CHARLES was b. May 25, 1761; m. 1st, *Rebecca Isham*, about 1789, she (594)
 d. 1792; m. 2d, *Sarah Thompson*, in 1794; he d. March 2, 1845. He
 moved from Rehoboth to Surry, N. H. A farmer.
1831. IV. JEDEDIAH was b. Feb. 1, 1765; m. *Eunice Braybrook*. Residence, Gil- (595)
 sum, N. H. A farmer.
1832. V. AARON was b. April 22, 1767; m. *Mary Thompson*; he d. Sept. 24, 1854. (596)
 Residence, Concord, Vt. A farmer.
1833. VI. EZRA was b. June 9, 1774; m. 1st, *Betsey Chapin*, daughter of Justis and (597)
 Johanna (Fuller) Chapin, Dec. 28, 1797; she was b. May 16, 1777, in
 Surry, and d. there Sept. 14, 1819; m. 2d, *Mrs. Sibyl Hayward Smith*, July
 9, 1820, at Surry, N. H. There was no issue by last wife. A farmer.
1834. VII. CHLOE was b. March 24, 1763; m. *Ebenezer Isham*. Residence, Gilsum, N. (598)
 H. A farmer.
1835. VIII. MARY was b. July 20, 1769; m. *Samuel Isham*. Residence, Gilsum, N. H. A (599)
 farmer.
1836. IX. HULDAH was b. Aug. 14, 1772; m. *Joshua Isham*. Residence, Alstead, N. H. (600)
 A farmer.
1837. X. ORINDA was b. March 4, 1777; m. *Gaylord Wilcox*. Residence, Surry, N. H. (601)
 A farmer.
1838. XI. SARAH was b. July 2, 1779. (602)

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SAMUEL CARPENTER⁷⁵⁷, of Charles 244.

Samuel 23, Samuel 62, Charles, 244.

Gen. 8. Children 8, first 6 b. in Rehoboth, Mass. last 2 in Richmond, N. H.

1839. I. DANIEL was b. Dec. 29, 1761; m. *Mary Thompson*. He moved to (1719)
 Richmond, N. H., thence to Cooperstown, N. Y., and d. in Portville,
 Cattaraugus Co., N. Y., Aug. 26, 1840.
1840. II. ABIJAH was b. Sept. 22, 1764. He moved to Richmond, N. H.
1841. III. IRENE.
1842. IV. CHARLES was b. Sept. 30, 1768 or 1769; m. *Lucy Darling*, b. in 1773, (598)
 and d. March 9, 1848, aged 75 years; he d. Nov. 18, 1840, aged 71
 years, 18 days. He emigrated to Osceola, Pa., in 1801, and resided there
 till 1812; he d. in Deerfield, Pa.
- ① 1843. V. SAMUEL was b. Feb. 8, 1771; m. ~~*Sarah Hix*~~, in Rehoboth, Mass. (1720)
- ② 1844. VI. JEDEDIAH: m. probably *Hannah Stratton*. He was b. 27 Mar. 1814 in Richmond, N.H. (1722)
 D. 1854 in Middleburg, PA A farmer,
1845. VII. SARAH.
1846. VIII. LURANE was b. Nov., 1766.

It is reported by the family that Samuel, No. 757, who married *Mary Hix*, emigrated to Osceola, Penn., with four of his sons; namely, Charles, Samuel, Jedediah and Abijah. We have no direct proof that the father emigrated but it is evident that his wife went, as she died there, March 16, 1811. The family was there as early as 1801. Samuel and Jedediah bought in company jointly in 1808. After their mother died in March, they sold out in June: the signatures were "Samuel and wife Sally," "Jedediah and wife Sarah." Whether the father died in Richmond, N. H., or

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Osecola, is not known. It is evident that Charles' family, whether born in Richmond, N. H., or Osecola, Penn., all settled in the West, except Abishur who died in Boston. He was the father of George S. Carpenter of Boston.

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OLIVER CARPENTER⁷ 758, of Edmund 245.

Samuel 23, Samuel 62, Edmund 245.

Gen. 8. Children 8, b. in Attleboro, Mass.

1847. I. WILLIAM was b. Aug. 29, 1760; he moved to Connecticut. (599)
 He marched from Attleboro to Rhode Island, April 21, 1777, under Capt. Stephen Richardson, for 25 days' service. William C., private in Captain Richardson's company, in the Rhode Island alarm, Sept. 25, 1777, served one month and six days; he served the third time in Captain Wilmarth's company, Colonel Daggett's regiment, Jan. 1, 1778; served at Rhode Island, two months, 25 days; the roll sworn at Taunton, Mass. We find him serving as corporal in Capt. Caleb Richardson's company, Colonel Hathaway's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm, March 25, 1779; served 21 days; the roll was dated at Attleboro. He served as private in Capt. Alexander Foster's company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm, July 27, 1778; served 17 days.
 William Carpenter, of Attleboro, enlisted in the Continental army for nine months; age, 19; stature five feet, 10 inches; enlisted from Colonel Dean's regiment; William Carpenter of Attleboro, private in the Continental army, in Colonel Sheldon's Light Dragoons, from September 1779 to June 16, 1780, enlisted as corporal of the Dragoons, June 16, 1780, for the rest of the war.
1848. II. ANNA was b. April 8, 1762; m. *Samuel Walker*, published Oct. 28, 1784; b. Feb. 4, 1762, d. Feb. 19, 1831; she d. April 9, 1815. Residence, Rockingham, Vt. or some place in New Hampshire. He was son of Lieut. Aaron Walker of Rehoboth; he enlisted in the Continental army and served for several years. They had five children.
1849. III. SARAH was b. Aug. 4, 1765; according to David J. Jillson she was published to *Consider Atherton*, Oct. 24, 1784; if so, he was her 1st husband, as she m. *Amos Ide*, Dec. 17, 1795. A farmer.
1850. IV. NATHAN was b. May 8, 1767; m. *Lucinda Ingraham*, Oct. 26, 1794. He (600) probably d. Sept. 3, 1814. A carpenter.
1851. V. OLIVER was b. March 30, 1769; m. *Betsey Draper*, April 2, 1792. Residence, Brookfield, Mass. A farmer. (601)
1852. VI. CALVIN was b. Nov. 4, 1771; m. *Olive Phipps*. Residence, Newport and Providence, R. I. A carpenter. (602)
1853. VII. LUTHER was b. Jan. 26, 1775; m. *Esther B. Jillson*, May 14, 1807; he d. in January, 1844. Residence, Pawtucket, R. I. A carpenter. (603)
1854. VIII. MARY was b. July 26, 1777; m. *Abraham Bowen*, Jan. 6, 1803.

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EDMUND CARPENTER⁷ 760, of Edmund 245.

Samuel 23, Samuel 62, Edmund 245.

Gen. 8. Children 4, first b. in Rehoboth and rest in Attleboro, Mass.

1855. I. NATHANIEL was b. Nov. 25, 1762.
1856. II. RACHEL was b. Dec. 21, 1766.
1857. III. MARY was b. Oct. 5, 1773.
1858. IV. EDMUND was b. May 13, 1776.

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ABIAH CARPENTER⁷ 763, of Abiah 247,

Samuel 23, Abiah 64, Abiah 247.

Gen. 8. Children 5, b. in Rehoboth, Mass.

1859. I. KESIAH was b. Dec. 20, 1745; m. probably *Oliver Bliss*, May 21, 1767, son of Nathaniel Bliss, Jr., by his wife Mary, of Rehoboth.
1860. II. MEHITABLE was b. Sept 21, 1747. It is said that she m. *Allen Carpenter*, No. 848, son of Abial, No. 291.
1861. III. LYDIA was b. Oct. 23, 1749.
1862. IV. ABIAH was b. Nov. 17, 1751; he m. *Hopetill Short*, Nov. 11, 1784; she (604) d. Nov. 11, 1810, aged 50 years. He d. July 19, 1809, aged 58 years.
- Abiah served in the Revolution as private in Captain Hicks' company, Colonel Daggett's regiment, Jan. 13, 1778; served two months. 19 days in the Rhode Island alarm, the roll sworn at Rehoboth. Abiah Carpenter of Rehoboth, private in Captain Bullard's company, in Col Thomas Carpenter's regiment, July 27, 1778, served one month, 16 days, in the Rhode Island alarm.
1863. V. OLIVE was b. March 30, 1754; probably m. *Nathaniel Paine*, May 25, 1775.

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ABEL CARPENTER⁷ 766, of Abiah 247,

Samuel 23, Abiah 64, Abiah 247.

Gen. 8. Children 2, b. in Rehoboth, Mass.

1864. I. ABEL was b. May 27, 1754; m. *Hannah Wilmarth*, of Rehoboth, Jan. 6, (605) 1779; b. Aug. 18, 1760 and d. Sept. 1st, 1806, aged 46 years, he d. Nov. 26, 1843. Residence, Lyndon, Vt.; he moved there in 1796—went into a schoolhouse to live until he could build a house of his own.

He was a soldier in the Revolutionary war.—was engaged in the battle of Monmouth, and Red-banks, and also in a skirmish at Harlem Heights, when he was wounded by a musket-ball which he received in his side and carried it with him to his grave.

It was probably this Abel Carpenter who was ensign in the 2d Rhode Island regiment, Israel Angel, colonel, and was promoted in the same company to 2d lieut. services rendered in 1777 and 1778. He resided in Lyndon at the time of his death. He was one of the selectmen of the town for 20 years, and filled various other offices in town with honor to himself and credit to the town. He never was confined to his bed a day in his life by illness until his last sickness, 10 days before he died.

The family monument of Abel Carpenter Esq., one of the Revolutionary soldiers, was the first monument erected in the cemetery at Lyndon, Vt.

Abel Carpenter served in the Revolution as private in Captain Hicks' company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's regiment, Aug. 2, 1780; served six days; marched to Tiverton on the Rhode Island alarm. (The compiler is not certain which Abel this belonged to; both served.)

1865. II. SARAH was b. Nov. 2, 1752; d. July 10, 1753 in Rehoboth.

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PETER CARPENTER⁷ 773, of Thomas 248,

Samuel 23, Abiah 64, Thomas 248.

Gen. 8. Children 7, b. in Rehoboth.

1866. I. SAMUEL was b. Sept. 18, 1746; m. 1st, *Lydia Sprague*; d. Feb. 1, 1786, (606) aged 40 years; m. 2d, *Deborah Brown*; d. Nov. 2, 1787; m. 3d, *Lydia Short*, published Aug. 10, 1788; d. March 11, 1796; m. 4th, *Esther Tiffany*, April 9, 1797; d. May 11, 1818, aged 55 years. He d. Dec. 10, 1803. He held the office of colonel in the militia. A farmer.

No. 1859; FAMILY 276.

Samuel Carpenter enlisted in the service as 2d lieutenant, in Capt. Nathaniel Carpenter's company for six months; was discharged Jan. 15, 1776. Samuel Carpenter of Rehoboth commissioned 1st lieutenant in Capt. John Paine's company in Col. Jacob French's regiment of Massachusetts militia: stationed at Winter Hill, Feb. 27, 1776. Samuel Carpenter, of Rehoboth commissioned 2d lieutenant in Captain Hicks' company, Colonel Thomas' regiment, March 27, 1776: Samuel Carpenter, lieutenant in Captain Hicks' company, in Colonel Carpenter's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm; enlisted Dec. 8, 1776, served 16 days, marched from Rehoboth to Bristol. Samuel Carpenter, 2d lieutenant in Captain Hicks' company, in Colonel Daggett's regiment; served three months, under General Spencer, dated at Taunton, Jan. 6, 1778. Samuel Carpenter, 1st lieutenant in Captain Hicks' company of Massachusetts militia, Sept., 1779. Samuel Carpenter lieutenant in Capt. James Wilmarth's company, in Colonel Carpenter's regiment, Rhode Island alarm, July 28, 1780, served 12 days and marched from Rehoboth to Tiverton.

1867. II. PETER was b. Dec. 31, 1747; m. 1st, *Patience Bullock*, Dec. 19, 1771; (607) d. Sept. 12, 1788, aged 42 years; m. 2d, *Abigail Bicknell*, October, 1789; he d. Oct. 9, 1806. Probably resided in Providence, R. I.

Peter Carpenter of Rehoboth enlisted as private in Capt. Isaac Hodges' company, Colonel Francis' regiment, in October, 1776: Peter Carpenter, Jr., appears on receipt, dated Oct. 9, 1776, for wages, in Captain Hodges' company, from Aug. 12, to Oct. 1, 1776.

1868. III. RACHEL was b. Sept. 8, 1750; m. *Ephraim Brown*, March 9, 1775. Residence, Stockbridge, Mass. A farmer.
1869. IV. MARY was b. Sept. 20, 1752; m. *Ebenezer Short*, Dec. 11, 1791; she d. Sept. 9, 1792. A farmer.
1870. V. HANNAH was b. March 16 or May 16, 1757; m. *Ephraim Bliss*, Dec. 23, 1779, b. Dec. 26, 1753 and d. May 8, 1823. She d. Aug. 18, 1838. He m. 2d, *Rebecca Smith*, b. July 20, 1764 and d. March 6, 18—. He moved to Savoy, Mass. A farmer.
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AG 1871. VI. AMY was b. Nov. 12, 1760; d. March 12, 1824.
1872. VII. CHRISTOPHER was b. April 15, 1762; m. *Lettie Burr*, Dec. 25, 1788; she (608) d. Jan. 16, 1839, aged 74 years. He d. July 10, 1840. A farmer.

Christopher Carpenter enlisted as private in Capt. Elijah Walker's company, in Col. John Hathaway's regiment, Oct. 17. —: served one month, 28 days; marched to Dorchester Heights; he enlisted again as private in Captain Hicks' company, Colonel Carpenter's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm, Aug. 2, 1780; served seven days; marched to Tiverton.

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THOMAS CARPENTER' 775, of Thomas 248,

Samuel 23. Abiah 64. Thomas 248.

Gen. 8. Children 12, b. in Rehoboth, Mass.

1873. I. ELIZABETH was b. Dec. 22, 1755; m. *Preserved Abell*, Jan. 16, 1777; she d. in 1791. He m. 2d a sister-in-law to Charles L. Carpenter; her maiden name was Sarah Mason and she was the widow of Ira Carpenter, No. 1360. He had eight children by his 1st wife, namely: 1, *Rebecca*, b. in 1784; 2, *Sarah*, b. in 1787; 3, *Betsey*; 4, *Pamelia*; 5, *Robert*; 6, *Lydia*; 7, *Fairfax*; 8, *Sophronia*, b. Nov. 11, 1791.
1874. II. THOMAS was b. March 6, 1758; m. *Cynthia Wheaton*, May 2, 1782; she (609) d. Dec. 1, 1786, aged 29 years; m. 2d, *Susanna Perrin*, Feb. 6, 1788; b. Feb. 28, 1764 and d. March 29, 1817, aged 54 years. She was the granddaughter of Daniel Perrin who married Abigail Carpenter, No. 44. He d. June 20, 1837. He was elected to the general court of Plymouth, as deputy, in 1818. He held the office of justice of the peace for many years, also held other town offices. A farmer.

No. 1867; FAMILY 279.

Thomas Carpenter of Rehoboth, enlisted as private in Capt. Isaac Hodges' company, Aug. 12, 1776; served one month; he enlisted again as private in Capt. John Dyer's company, in Colonel Carpenter's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm; Dec. 8, 1776; served eight days and marched from Rehoboth to Bristol; enlisted again as private in Captain Hicks' company, in Colonel Daggett's regiment, in Rhode Island alarm, Jan. 2, 1778, served three months, roll sworn at Rehoboth; Thomas Carpenter of Rehoboth private in Captain Bullock's company, in Colonel Carpenter's regiment, enlisted July 27, 1778; served one month and 16 days; again enlisted as private in Capt. Simeon Cole's company, Colonel Carpenter's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm, Aug. 2, 1780; served six days and marched to Tiverton; Thomas Carpenter, private in Captain Dyer's company, Colonel Carpenter's regiment, Dec. 8, 1776. served 16 days and marched from Rehoboth to Bristol.

1875. III. SARAH was b. Oct. 10, 1760; d. Oct. 13, 1775. 1889.
1876. IV. WILLIAM was b. April 15, 1763; d. Oct. 29, 1763. 1890.
1877. V. JAMES was b. April 16, 1764; d. June 30, 1764. 1891.
1878. VI. STEPHEN was b. Nov. 5, 1765; m. *Hannah Wilmarth*, January, 1797. A (610) farmer. 1892.
1879. VII. JAMES was b. Sept. 15, 1767; m. *Lucy Bliss*, March 26, 1788; b. June (611) 23, 1769 and d. Sept. 21, 1817 in her 49th year; she was the grand-daughter of Lieut. Ephraim Bliss who married Rachel Carpenter, No. 252, and great-granddaughter of Jonathan Bliss who married Miriam Carpenter, No. 39. He d. Oct. 11 or 20, 1812. A manufacturer and farmer. 1893.
1880. VIII. REBECCA was b. Sept. 14, 1769; m. 1st, *Samuel Bliss*, July 17, 1789; m. 2d, *Thomas Carpenter*. She d. Jan. 23, 1837, aged 68 years. A farmer.
1881. IX. NATHAN was b. June 17, 1772; d. July 17, 1773.
1882. X. PETER was b. Oct. 5, 1773; m. *Nancy Bishop*, Nov. 24, 1796; he d. (612) June 9, 1814. A farmer.
1883. XI. NATHAN was b. Aug. 27, 1776; d. Jan. 17, 1789.
1884. XII. A child not named; b. Oct. 8, 1759 and d. the same date.

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CALEB CARPENTER⁷ 776, of Thomas 248,
Samuel 23, Abiah 64, Thomas 248.

Gen. 8. Children 10, b. at Rehoboth, Mass.

1885. I. ABEL was b. Jan. 13, 1762; m. *Olive Bliss*, Nov. 9, 1786, granddaughter (613) of Lieut. Ephraim Bliss, who married Rachel Carpenter, No. 252, and great-granddaughter of Jonathan Bliss, No. 39, who married Miriam Carpenter. Olive was b. May 29, 1763 and d. Feb. 25, 1789, aged 26 years; m. 2d, *Rachel Hodges*, April 15, 1790; he d. in 1848 or 1849. A farmer. 1894.

He enlisted as private in Captain Ide's company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's regiment, Aug. 1, 1780; served 10 days and marched from Rehoboth to Tiverton, in the Rhode Island alarm.

1886. II. HULDAH was b. Jan. 27, 1764; m. *Joshua Smith*, April 13, 1791. A farmer.
1887. III. JOSHUA was b. July 24, 1766; m. *Elizabeth Smith*, Jan. 13, 1792; she d. (614) March 7, 1844, aged 80 years. He d. in 1848 or 1849. He resided in Lenox and Lee, Mass. and New Britain, Conn. A farmer.

He united with the church at Lenox, Mass. Mar. 28, —. He was taken from a merchant vessel aboard a man of war, and was held as prisoner for seven years before he was released.

1888. IV. CALEB was b. Dec. 18, 1768; m. 1st, *Hannah George*, who d. March 12, (615) 1805, aged 34 years; m. 2d, *Mary Clark*, May, 1810. He d. Aug. 13, 1835. A farmer. 1895.

No. 1875; FAMILY 280.

① Per pg. 840 The Nattingers had a daughter. See pg. 840 for family.

1889. V. WILLIAM was b. July 2, 1771; m. *Elizabeth Burt*, Jan. 15, 1796. He (616) resided in Freetown, Mass. and was living in 1847. A physician.
1890. VI. NANCY was b. Nov. 21, 1773; m. *George Peck*, April 24, 1794, son of Samuel and Sarah Peck, b. March 7, 1768. Residence, Montague, Mass. A shoemaker and farmer.
1891. VII. GALEN was b. Feb. 27, 1776; probably m. *Mary George* (sally), January, 1807, (617) daughter of Thomas George; she d. Feb. 11, 1843; he d. July 21, 1843. Residence, Wrentham, Mass. A farmer.
1892. VIII. ROYAL was b. May 17, 1778; m. *Elvira Wheeler*, June 1, 1834; she d. (618) Feb. 9, 1841; he d. in 1848 or 1849. He was graduated from Brown University of Providence; entered college in 1801 and graduated in 1805; he studied medicine with Dr. Isaac Fowler of Rehoboth, Mass. A physician.
1893. IX. SUSANNAH was b. Nov. 30, 1780; m. *William Blanding*, May, 1805, a brother of James Blanding, who m. Elizabeth Carpenter, No. 1894; William b. Feb. 7, 1773 and d. April 12, 1857 at Elm Cottage, Rehoboth, Mass.; she d. Sept. 8, 1809. Residence, Camden, S. C. and Philadelphia. He m. 2d, Rachel Willett of Philadelphia where he resided for many years.

William Blanding was the son of William, b. 1747, grandson of William, b. 1712, greatgrandson of William, b. 1676; the only son of William of Upton on the Severn, Worcestershire, Eng., who settled in Boston in 1640. He was one of the foremost naturalists of his day; his collection was by him presented to Brown University, Providence, R. I. Mr. Blanding first settled in Attleboro, Mass., and removed to Camden, S. C. where he practised medicine and became an eminent scholar in natural history. It is said that his cabinet of history was probably larger than that of any one individual in the United States.

His father Wm. Blanding, b. 1747, enlisted in Captain Hodges' company, and Col. Ebenezer Francis' regiment, Aug. 12, 1776, discharged Oct. 1, 1776, received his pay under the rank of sergeant and served as quartermaster under Col. Thomas Carpenter from Rehoboth on an alarm from Bristol, Dec. 8, 1778, served 20 days.

1894. X. ELIZABETH b. Oct. 3, 1784; m. *James Blanding*, April 24, 1811; b. Oct. 12, 1781, and was the third son of William Blanding and a descendant of William Blanding who settled in Boston, in 1640. They had eight children: 1, *Susanna C.*, b. March 12, 1812, m. Nathaniel H. Avery, M. D., of Boscawen, N. H., she d. 1870; 2, *Elizabeth P.*, b. April 6, 1814, m. Elias W. Plympton, June 12, 1855, of Providence, R. I., no. issue; 3, *Nancy Augusta*, b. May 31, 1816, m. John G. Nattinger, Sept. 25, 1856, residence in Ottawa, Ill.; 4, *Juliet Maria*, b. May 8, 1818, d. May 7, 1853; 5, *William Willett*, b. Nov. 1, 1820; 6, *Abraham Ormsbee*, b. April 28, 1823, m. Ellen Cressey of Newark, N. J., Feb. 21, 1855, she d. July 31, 1882; 7, *Leafy Hunt*, b. Feb. 9, 1825, d. in 1864; 8, *Sarah Murray*, b. June 21, 1807, m. Reuben Bowen, Feb. 23, 1865, of Rehoboth, b. Oct. 15, 1812.

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STEPHEN CARPENTER? 783, of Stephen 260,

Samuel 23, James 65, Stephen 260.

Gen. 8. Children 1, b. in Woodstock, Conn.

1895. I. ELIAS was b. May 25, 1760.

He entered the Revolutionary service in Captain Tilden's company, July 1, 1778, in Colonel McClellan's regiment; he enlisted in the Continental army from Stonington, Conn., in Captain Eldridge's company, May 1. —; was made corporal Aug. 23, 1779; was reduced to the ranks Oct. 30, 1779; was again made corporal Jan., 1780, and sergeant Sept. 24, 1790.

No. 1889; FAMILY 281.

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GERSHAM CARPENTER⁷ 786, of Stephen 260,

Samuel 23. James 65. Stephen 260.

Gen. 8. Children 7, b. in Providence, R. I.

1896. I. JOSEPH was b. May 6, 1751; m. *Persis Rawson*, May 6, 1770 or 1771, (619) daughter of Thomas and Anna Rawson, of Milford, Mass., b. May 6, 1751, and d. July 8, 1831, aged 80 years. Residence, Uxbridge, Mass. A cabinet maker.

Joseph Carpenter of Uxbridge, private in Lieut. James Chapman's company, served 15 days; enlisted again as private in Colonel Wade's regiment, Rhode Island alarm, June 19, 1778; served one month; roll dated at Uxbridge.

1897. II. STEPHEN was b. about 1752; he went to North Carolina. A mariner.
 1898. III. JOHN was b. about 1775. A cabinet maker.
 1899. IV. MOLLIE was b. about 1778; m. *Benjamin Green*. Residence, Uxbridge, Mass. A farmer.
 1900. V. NANCY was b. Feb. 24, 1762; m. 1st, a *Whipple*; m. 2d, a *Jenks*; m. 3d, *Christopher Capron*; she d. May 9, 1838.
 1901. VI. HANNAH was b. Oct. 17, 1766; m. *Moses Eddy*, April 6, 1794; he d. May 28, 1823, aged 58 years; she d. May 14, 1838. A merchant.
 1902. VII. MARTHA was b. Aug. 7, 1779; m. *William Jacobs*; she d. in 1802.

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PETER CARPENTER⁷ 790, of Stephen 260,

Samuel 23. James 65. Samuel 260.

Gen. 8. Children 7, b. in Rehoboth, Mass.

1903. I. SAMUEL was b. May 7, 1760; m. *Deborah Martin*, Nov. 30, 1786. (620)

Samuel Carpenter enlisted as private in Captain Wilmarth's company, Colonel Hathaway's regiment, March 16, 1779; served 28 days; at Howland's Ferry; enlisted the second time in Capt. Nathaniel Carpenter's company, in Col. Thomas Carpenter's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm, July 20, 1777; served one month and seven days; marched from Rehoboth to Bristol. Samuel Carpenter, of Rehoboth, private in Captain Franklin's company, in Colonel Daggett's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm, Jan. 1, 1778, and served three months; enlisted again from Rehoboth in Captain Brown's company, in Col. Thomas Carpenter's regiment, Rhode Island alarm, Aug. 1, 1780; served seven days, marched to Tiverton; enlisted in the Continental Army, July 26, 1779; age 19, height five feet seven inches; complexion light; hair light; eyes dark; enlisted from Colonel Carpenter's regiment. Samuel Carpenter, 2nd, private in Capt. Jabez Bullock's company, Colonel Thomas' regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm; enlisted July 27, 1780; served five days and marched to Tiverton; Samuel Carpenter appears as sergeant on roll, March 7, 1783, Capt. John Reid's company, Colonel Hunter's regiment.

1904. II. RACHEL was b. March 14, 1762; d. April 24, 1775.
 1905. III. ASA was b. Oct. 16, 1763; m. 1st, *Sarah Read*, daughter of Simeon and Elizabeth; m. 2d, *Abigail Moore*, of Dummerston, Vt.; he d. Jan. 8, 1824, in Brattleboro, Vt. Residence, Putney, Vt. A farmer and shoemaker.
 1906. IV. ABEL was b. June 20, 1766; m. a *Martin*, sister of Deborah Martin, the wife of Samuel. Residence, Brattleboro, Vt. (622)
 1907. V. REMEMBER was b. April, 1776; d. June of the same year.
 1908. VI. STEPHEN: m. *Lucinda Mixer*; d. at Fitchburg, Mass. They had 11 children. (623)

2nd
wife
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1909. VII. BENAJAH was b. Sept. 8, 1778; m. *Polly Lincoln*. Residence, Worcester (624) and thence to Brattleboro, Vt. where he d. They had 12 children.
 1909-a.VIII. LYDIA; adopted; m. *David Carpenter*, No. 4046, son of Josiah, No. 1912.

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JOHN CARPENTER⁷ 792, of Stephen 260,
 Samuel 23, James 65, Stephen 260.

Gen. 8. Children 2, b. in Providence, R. I.

1910. I. WILLIAM UTTER was b. Aug. 25, 1766. A mariner.
 1911. II. LYDIA was b. Oct. 26, 1794; m. *James Brown*, April 29, 1813. A house carpenter.

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JAMES CARPENTER⁷ 799, of Ebenezer 263,
 Samuel 23, James 65, Ebenezer 263.

Gen. 8. Children 13, b. in Rehoboth, Mass.

1912. I. JOSIAH was b. Jan. 17, 1768; m. *Lois Bullock*; he d. in 1823. They (625) moved to Ohio. A farmer.
 1913. II. LUCY was b. July 1, 1769; m. *Abel Bliss*, of Rehoboth, Feb. 7, 1788, (was his second wife). A son of Abiah and Mary (Smith) Bliss, b. April 27, 1763 and d. Nov. 3, 1852. She d. Aug. 3, 1835. He m. for his first wife, Betsey Barrows, Sept. 8, 1785; she d. Feb. 6, 1787. A farmer. He had 10 children, viz.: 1, *Alfred*; 2, *Hannah*; 3, *Lucy*; 4, *Betsey*; 5, *Caleb*; 6, *Sally*; 7, *Horace*; 8, *Abel*, m. Chloe Carpenter, first cousin; 9, *Daniel*; 10, *Huldah*.
 1914. III. CHLOE was b. Aug. 16, 1770; m. *Josiah Carpenter*, No. 1520, son of Josiah, No. 595, b. Sept. 27, 1770. Residence, Rowe, Mass. A farmer.
 1915. IV. ELIJAH.
 1916. V. CALEB was b. Oct. 29, 1771. No report received of his death: it is supposed that he died in England. A mariner.
 1917. VI. RHODA was b. Aug. 6, 1773; m. *Samuel Carpenter*, No. 1528, son of Cyril, No. 596, b. June 21, 1775 and d. May 23, 1844; she d. June 20, 1862. They moved into the state of New York. A Methodist minister.
 1918. VII. DAVID was b. Sept. 13, 1775; m. *Betsey Kent*, (by the family record he m. Lydia Keith) probably Keith is right, and moved to Brattleboro, Vt. A farmer.
 1919. VIII. BETSEY was b. in 1777; m. *Apollos Carpenter*, No. 1522, son of Josiah, No. 595, and Hepsibah, b. April 16, 1777; d. April 15, 1826.
 1919-a. IX. SIMEON, met with an accident when a child and was cared for by the family. The father James Carpenter willed all his property to Abner on condition he supported his brother Simeon during his life: in accordance to the will Simeon was sent to Pennsylvania to his brother.
 1919-b. X. HANNAH; m. *Isaac Barrows*. They had six children, viz.: 1, *Pliny*, had several children one by the name of Charles, residence, Springfield, Vt.; 2, *Nancy*, m. a Harding, who served as chaplain in the house of correction at

- Fitchburg, Mass.; 3, *William Henry*; 4, *Lorenzo*, was a Methodist minister, m. a Chase; 5, *Miranda*; 6, *Hannah*.
- 1919-c. XI. ABNER; m. 1st, *Hannah Hawes*, in Brattleboro, Vt., and emigrated to (1706) Pennsylvania where he died; m. 2d, a widow in Pennsylvania, whose farm joined his.
- 1919-d. XII. ELIJAH; m. *Sallie Williams*.
- 1919-e. XIII. EBENEZER; m. *Sally Bartlett*. Residence, Ware, Mass. (1707)

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BENJAMIN CARPENTER⁷ 802, of Ebenezer 263,

Samuel 23, James 65, Ebenezer 263.

Gen. 8. Children 9, b. in Rehoboth, Mass.

1920. I. POLLY was b. Dec. 6, 1774; m. Joseph Webber, April 17, 1796. Residence, Monson, Mass. A farmer.
1921. II. BETSEY was b. Oct. 20, 1779; m. *Edward Ide*, Feb. 26, 1801, at Rehoboth. A farmer.
1922. III. NATHANIEL was b. July 6, 1781; m. *Frudence Peck*, Jan. 3, 1808; she d. (626) April 13, 1827; m. 2d, *Sally Peck*, Feb. 1, 1838; she d. April 17, 1839; both daughters of David Peck. He d. in 1849. A wheelwright.
1923. IV. RICHARD was b. May 1, 1784; m. *Mary* or *Polly Chase*, Sept. 29, 1808. (627) A farmer.
1924. V. CYRIL was b. Sept. 2, 1786; d. Aug. 13, 1806, at Rehoboth.
1925. VI. ASA was b. May 5, 1789; m. *Charlotte Ide*, Feb. 24, 1814, b. April 28, (628) 1793. He d. March 3, 1815. A mechanic. She m. 2d, Sylvanus Newman, by him she had five children, viz.: Mary, Martha, John, Henry, and Gilbert.
1926. VII. BENJAMIN was b. Oct. 20, 1791; m. *Sally Foot*. Residence, Litchfield, Conn. A mechanic.
1927. VIII. SAMUEL was b. July 12, 1793; d. March, 1815, in Rehoboth.
1928. IX. TILLINGHAST was b. July 6, 1799; m. an *Arnold* and moved to Wind- (629) ham, Penn. A millwright.

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SAMUEL CARPENTER⁷ 807, of Solomon 278,

Samuel 23, Solomon 68, Solomon 278.

Gen. 8. Children 4, b. in South Kingston, R. I.

1929. I. SAMUEL was b. April 4, 1733. *S. and P.*
1930. II. JOSEPH was b. June 22, 1736.
1931. III. ELIZABETH was b. May 10, 1741.
1932. IV. SOLOMON was b. April 21, 1754.

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JEREMIAH CARPENTER⁷ 810, of Daniel 279,

Samuel 23, Solomon 68, Daniel 279.

Gen. 8. Children 12, b. in South Kingston, R. I.

1933. I. EPHRAIM was b. May 15, 1753; m. *Mary Rodman*, b. Dec. 16, 1755. A (630) farmer.

1934. II. DORCAS was b. June 5, 1755; m. *Thomas Browning*; they moved up into the country. A farmer.
1935. III. SARAH was b. Oct. 30, 1757; m. *Shorey Davis*. A farmer and tailor.
1936. IV. ESTHER was b. Jan. 11, 1760; m. *Isaac Sheldon* and went west. A farmer.
1937. V. SUSANNA was b. April 9, 1762 and d. young.
1938. VI. JEREMIAH was b. June 14, 1765; m. *Hannah Knowles Carpenter*, b. June 14, 1765; d. Jan. 28 or Feb. 1, 1829, aged 65; he d. March 29, 1825. A farmer. m. abt 1783

Jeremiah's farm on which he lived and died comprised originally several hundred acres, at his death the land was divided among the children. The farm had been in the family for three generations or more, on this farm the family burying yard was laid out by the grandfather Daniel Carpenter, in which he lies buried, his son Jeremiah and grandson, side by side.

1939. VII. RENEWED was b. Nov. 5, 1766; m. *David Davis*. A farmer.
1940. VIII. GARDNER was b. Jan. 31, 1769; m. *Elizabeth Hall* and went west. A farmer.
1941. IX. ABIGAIL was b. March 23, 1771; m. *John Caswell* and went west. A farmer.
1942. X. HANNAH was b. Aug. 23, 1772; m. *John Steadman*.
1943. XI. ASA was b. Feb. 27, 1775; m. *Hannah Hazard* and went west.
1944. XII. MARTHA was b. May 18, 1777; m. *Benedict Oatley* and went west. A farmer.

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JONATHAN CARPENTER⁷ 812, of Daniel 279,

Samuel 23, Solomon 68, Daniel 279.

Gen. 8. Children 8, b. in South Kingston, R. I. m. abt 1792

1945. I. SOLOMON was b. June 4, 1764; m. *Hannah Knowles*; she d. July 6, 1832, aged 63; he d. Feb. 28, 1851; they moved to Jamestown, R. I. A farmer. (632)
1946. II. TIMOTHY was b. Nov. 8, 1765; m. *Mary Gardner*. A farmer. (633)
1947. III. DANIEL was b. Feb. 11, 1769; m. *Renewed Rodman*, May, 1804, daughter of Robert Rodman and was b. Oct. 27, 1782; d. Nov. 20, 1823, aged 42 years; m. 2d, *Abigail Hazard*, who probably d. in 1842; he d. Aug. 15, 1825. A farmer. (634)
1948. IV. SARAH was b. July 22, 1761; m. *George Potter*. A farmer.
1949. V. JONATHAN was b. Nov. 13, 1773; m. 1st, *Polly Hazard*, Feb. 4, 1798, of Newport, R. I., daughter of Simeon Hazard, of South Kingston; m. 2d, *Betsy Oatley*; m. 3d, *Nancy Oatley*. Residence, Kingston, R. I. (635)
1950. VI. RENEWED was b. Oct. 14, 1762.
1951. VII. DEBORAH was b. July 22, 1767; m. *Joshua Clark*. A blacksmith.
1952. VIII. MIRIAM was b. March 3, 1772; m. *William Rodman*, son of Robert, b. Feb. 27, 1775. A farmer.

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DANIEL CARPENTER⁷ 814, of Daniel 279,

Samuel 23, Solomon 68, Daniel 279.

Gen. 8. Children 16, b. in North Kingston, R. I.

1953. I. ABIGAIL was b. April 2, 1770.
1954. II. SAMUEL was b. Dec. 5, 1771.

① Married 1st Cynthia Walker, daughter of William Walker of Thompson, Ct. Per Pg. 840

② Per Pg. 840

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1955. III. EDWARD.
1956. IV. NABBY; m. *John Chaplin*. Moved to Connecticut. A farmer.
1957. V. SARAH; m. *Henry Sherman*. A shoemaker.
1958. VI. NATHANIEL; m. *Martha Turner* about 1805. A farmer. (636)
① 1959. VII. RICHARD; m. *Cynthia Thompson*, June 5, 1852, daughter of William. (637)
He went to Thompson, Conn. He was b. 5 June 1787
Richard Carpenter, of Thompson, Conn., yeoman, married ^{24 May} Cynthia Walker, May, 1812; she was born July 31, 1791; died ~~June 1~~ June 1, 1852; residence, Thompson, Conn. It is probably this Richard who served in the war of 1812, under Peter Lord, from Aug. 24, 1814, to Sept. 26, 1814; one month. She died 5 Jan 1852
1960. VIII. SUSAN.
1961. IX. PEGGY.
1962. X. POLLY.
1963. XI. GEORGE was b. about 1780.
1964. XII. ASAHIEL. Residence, Norway, Herkimer county, N. Y. His son Jackson (638) resided with him. A farmer.
② 1965. XIII. ARNOLD. resided near Providence, RI.
1966. XIV. DANIEL was b. about 1778. (639)
1967. XV. BENJAMIN.
③ 1968. XVI. WILLIAM. m. *Elsie Dexter* in 1807 both of Providence, RI They (1827) moved to Chatham, NY. He was in the War of 1812.

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JAMES CARPENTER' 819, of Daniel 279,

Samuel 23, Solomon 68, Daniel 279.

Gen. 8. Children 9, b. probably in South Kingston, R. I.

1969. I. JAMES RODMAN was b. in 1779; m. *Hannah Oatley*, daughter of Jonathan and Mary (Hazard) Oatley. He d. in 1865. They were members of Society of Friends; she was a Quaker preacher—her sermons are still remembered for their practical good sense and her persuasive eloquence. (640)
1970. II. CATHERINE was b. in 1781; m. *Sylvanus Titus*.
1971. III. RENEWED; m. *Samuel Wilbur*.
1972. IV. DANIEL was b. about 1785; m. *Mary Clark*, in 1813; he d. in 1870. (641)
1973. V. JOHN RODMAN; m. *Mary Potter*, in South Kingston.
1974. VI. RUTH; m. *Thomas Hazard*.
1975. VII. MERCY was b. about 1791; m. *Benjamin Clark*.
1976. VIII. DEBORAH; m. *Henry Clark*.
1977. IX. WILLIAM; m. 1st, *Lydia Clark*; m. 2d, *Nancy Burdick*; m. 3d, *Harriet Saunders*.

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STEPHEN CARPENTER' 821, of Daniel 279,

Samuel 23, Solomon 68, Daniel 279.

Gen. 8. Children 7, b. in South Kingston, R. I.

1978. I. WILLIAM was b. about 1788; m. 1st, *Alice Briggs*; m. 2d, *Hannah Cottrell*. A farmer.

No. 1955; FAMILY 291.

1979. II. STEPHEN. He went aboard an English ship, and was never heard of afterwards.
1980. III. DANIEL was b. 1802 (by family record); m. *Mary Graden*. A farmer.
1981. IV. RENEWED. *Grady*
1982. V. SUSAN.
1983. VI. MERCY was b. about 1800; m. *Thomas Williams*, Feb. 9, 1821, and resided in Cumberland, R. I.
- 1983½. VII. HANNAH.

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THOMAS CARPENTER^r 822, of David 284,

Samuel 23. David 69, David 281.

Gen. 8. Children 10, b. in Rehoboth, Mass.

1984. I. DAVID was b. Sept. 11, 1753.
1985. II. ELIZABETH was b. April 17, 1755; m. *Kent Bullock*, of Providence, May 9, 1776. Residence, Rehoboth. A farmer.
1986. III. DOROTHY was b. April, 1757; m. *Jonathan Alger*, Sept. 27, 1782 probably; he d. March 5, 1837, aged 82; she d. Dec. 16, 1822. Residence, Rehoboth and Barrington. A farmer.
1987. IV. THOMAS was b. March 6, 1758; m. 1st, *Olive Wheaton*, March 26, 1783, (642) daughter of Joseph Wheaton of Rehoboth; she d. Oct. 12, 1783; m. 2d, *Chloe Bliss*, Dec. 7, 1786; she was b. March 4, 1765, d. Jan. 25, 1813; she was the granddaughter of Ephraim Bliss who married Rachel Carpenter, No. 252, and great-granddaughter of Jonathan Bliss who married Miriam Carpenter, No. 39; m. 3d, a widow, *Rebecca Bliss*, No. 1880, Jan. 25, 1820, the daughter of Thomas Carpenter, No. 775, b. Sept. 14, 1769 and d. June 23, 1837; he d. Oct. 29, 1822. A farmer.

He served as town clerk for a number of years. Thomas Carpenter, Jr., enlisted as private in Captain Hicks' company, in Col. Thomas Carpenter's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm, Aug. 1, 1780; served nine days and marched to Tiverton. It is probably this Thomas whose name appears among those of the company raised in Rehoboth, in 1780, to reinforce the Continental army and was marched to West Point. It is probable that it was this Thomas Carpenter who enlisted in Capt. Simeon Carpenter's company, in Col. Thomas Carpenter's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm, Aug. 1, 1780, served nine days and marched to Tiverton, R. I. It also appears that it was this Thomas Carpenter who served as captain in Col. Thomas Carpenter's regiment, raised in 1780, in the Rhode Island alarm and served nine days.

1988. V. CROMWELL was b. in 1758 or 1759; d. July 22, 1810.
1989. VI. JOSEPH was b. Jan. 6, 1761; d. Jan. 14, 1783. *1788?*
1990. VII. LYDIA was b. Dec. 23, 1762; m. *James Bliss*, Dec. 11, 1783, who m. 2d, Mary Carpenter, No. 1999, Nov. 23, 1786, daughter of John, No. 825; he was a grandson of Ephraim Bliss, who married Rachel Carpenter, No. 252; he was b. Jan. 18, 1762, and d. in 1842; she d. Aug. 8, 1785. A farmer. See No. 1999 for family under 2d wife.
1991. VIII. EBENEZER was b. May 17, 1764; m. 1st, *Lydia Brown*, Nov. 17, 1791, (643) daughter of Dea. John Brown and cousin to Lavinia Brown who married Wooster Carpenter, No. 1318, she d. June 2, 1794; m. 2d, *Hannah Fisher*, Jan. 25, 1798, daughter of Squire Fisher of Westboro, Mass.; he d. Aug. 31, 1807. A farmer.

He enlisted as private in Capt. Peleg Peck's company, in Col. Thomas Carpenter's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm, July 27, 1778; served one month and 15 days.

1992. IX. ASAPH was b. July, 1763; m. 1st, *Henrietta Sabin*, who d. Nov. 20, 1791. (644) in her 23d year; m. 2d, *Martha Daggett*, August, 1796; he d. Nov. 10, 1802. A farmer.
1993. X. LEAPHE was b. Oct. 15, 1771; m. *Jonathan Chaffee*, May 6, 1792; he d. July 25, 1845, in the service; he was taken prisoner aboard the Jersey ship. A mason.

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JOHN CARPENTER: 825, of David 284,

Samuel 23, David 69, David 284.

Gen. 8. Children 13, b. in Rehoboth, Mass.

1994. I. JOHN was b. April 6, 1756; m. 1st, *Cynthia Brown*, Jan. 11, 1781; she (645) was b. Jan. 20, 1758, and d. Jan. 10, 1825, aged 67 years; m. 2d, *Azubah Perham*, Nov. 26, 1825; she d. Aug. 20, 1842, aged 88 years; he d. Feb. 1, 1843, aged 87 years. Residence, Brattleboro, Vt. A farmer.

The following is an abstract of a letter from Mrs. Jason Clark, granddaughter of John Carpenter: "My mother, Lucy Carpenter, was the youngest daughter of my grandfather, John Carpenter, the first settler on the old family homestead in Brattleboro. The old gentleman has often shown me where he cut the first tree for the log house, it being a vast wilderness when he came here. He was one of the first settlers of Brattleboro. My parents reside on the old homestead. We are now living in a house built by Cyril Carpenter, son of Edward who was a brother of Col. Benjamin Carpenter: this house stands only a short distance from where the two graves of Edward and Col. Benjamin Carpenter are, which can be plainly seen from the window."

John Carpenter, Jr., of Rehoboth, enlisted as private in Capt. Isaac Hodges' company, Colonel Francis' regiment, from August to November, 1776; John Carpenter, Jr., enlisted again the same year in Captain Hicks' company, Colonel Carpenter's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm, Dec. 8, 1776; served 16 days; he served in Capt. John Paine's company at Winter Hill, two months, April 1, 1776; he also enlisted Aug. 27, 1777, in the Continental army for three years; joined Captain Hunt's company, Colonel Jackson's regiment; was 21 years old, five feet eight inches high; served at Guelph, Penn., April 30, 1778; at Providence, R. I. Sept. 8, 1778; Pawtuxet, R. I., Jan. 7, 1779; at Providence, from July 9, to Dec. 31, 1779.

1995. II. DAVID was b. Dec. 8, 1757; m. *Elizabeth Sessions*, May 30, 1787; he d. (646) Dec. 24, 1817. Residence, Randolph, Vt. A farmer.

We find his name in Captain Stone's company, in 1777, in Colonel Latimer's regiment; his services commenced Aug. 23, and he was discharged Nov. 9; he enlisted for a short term in 1779, in the 1st regiment, July 1; discharged Dec. 9; he also enlisted as private in Nathaniel Carpenter's company, Colonel Carpenter's regiment in the Rhode Island alarm, July 20, 1777; served one month and five days; again in Captain Hicks' company, in Colonel Daggett's regiment in the Rhode Island alarm, Jan. 2, 1778; served three months; roll sworn at Rehoboth; again as corporal in Captain Bullock's company, Colonel Carpenter's regiment, in the Rhode Island alarm, July 27, 1778; served one month and 16 days.

David and Jonathan Carpenter, No. 1545, went to Pomfret, Vt., May 13, 1780, and bought 100 acres of land, made a clearing and built a house; they had traveled 416 miles in 21 days; they afterwards moved to Randolph. They were fourth cousins and probably married sisters.

1996. III. JOANNA was b. April 14, 1759; m. *Jacob Allyn*, Dec. 25, 1780, and moved to Pennsylvania. A farmer. They had ten children, namely: 1, *Betsey*, b. 1781; 2, *Esra*, b. 1782; 3, *Alfred*, b. 1784; 4, *David*, b. 1786; 5, *Sarah*, b. 1788; 6, *Nancy*, b. 1790; 7, *Jacob*, b. 1792; 8, *Jonathan*, b. 1794; 9, *Seneca*, b. 1796; 10, *Joanna*, b. 1798.
1997. IV. BETHIA was b. Jan. 26, 1761; m. *Col. Joseph⁸ Wheaton*, of Nathaniel⁴, James³, John², Robert¹, Nov. 23, 1779; she d. April 1, 1847, in her 87th year. Residence, Providence, R. I. A farmer. They had a son Joseph Carpenter Wheaton, b. March 28, 1783, in Rehoboth, who m. Catherine Metcalf Sabin,

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- June 25, 1810, daughter of James' Sabin by James⁴, James⁵, William¹. Joseph C. Wheaton, d. Sept. 9, 1846. Their daughter Catherine Sabin Wheaton, b. Sept. 18, 1814, (living in 1896), m. George Arnold Cole, Aug. 1, 1838, son of Jeremiah¹, Richard⁶, Hugh³, Hugh⁴, Hugh³, Hugh², James¹, of Plymouth. Catherine S. Wheaton Cole, a granddaughter of Bethia, No. 1997, had a son Joseph Carpenter Wheaton Cole, b. Jan. 9, 1852. Residence, Providence, R. I.
1998. V. SARAH was b. Nov. 25, 1762; m. *Benjamin Linsley*, April 21, 1784; d. Feb. 3, 1786. A farmer.
1999. VI. MARY was b. Dec. 9, 1764; m. *Capt. James⁶ Bliss*, of Jonathan³, Lieut. Ephraim⁴, No. 252, Jonathan², No. 39, Jonathan², Thomas¹, Nov. 23, 1786; he was b. Jan. 18, 1762 and was the grandson of Ephraim Bliss, who married Rachel Carpenter; he d. March 5, 1842; she d. Aug. 9, 1828; James Bliss's 1st wife was Lydia, No. 1990, daughter of Thomas Carpenter, No. 822. A farmer. They had seven children: 1, *James*, b. Nov. 7, 1787, m. three times; 2, *Elijah*, b. 1789, m. Sarah Perry; 3, *Kesiah*, b. 1791, m. Hezekiah Perry; 4, *Danforth*, b. 1793; 5, *Lucy*, b. 1796; 6, *Mary*, b. 1798; 7, *Patty*, b. in 1802.
2000. VII. REBECCA was b. Dec. 18, 1766; m. *Cyril Wheeler*, b. 1767, d. May 28, 1786; she d. April 30, 1857. Residence, Swansea. They had five children, namely: 1, *Rebecca*, b. 1791, m. Gardner Case, Jr.; 2, *Mary T.*, b. 1793, m. Jeremiah C. Luther; 3, *Elizabeth*, m. Daniel Barney of Attleboro; 4, *Cyril C.*, b. 1798, m. Hannah M. Hazard, at Newport, R. I.; 5, *Hannah F.*, b. 1810, m. Capt. Jeremiah Jolls.
2001. VIII. ELIJAH was b. March 19, 1768; d. Sept. 12, 1778.
2002. IX. LUCY was b. April 5, 1771; d. Oct. 9, 1776.
2003. X. SYLVIA; d. Feb. 2, 1832, in Rehoboth.
2004. XI. NOAH was b. May 23, 1775; m. 1st, *Sally Peck*, Dec. 4, 17—, daughter (647) of Jothaniel by wife Sarah Peck, b. Oct. 11, 1775; m. 2d, *Lydia Hicks*; she d. May 4, 1835, aged 57 years. He d. May 20, 1837. A farmer.
2005. XII. CYRUS was b. Feb. 5, 1802; m. 1st, *Alvira Louisa Gale*, March 6, 1825, (648) daughter of A. Gale, b. May 7, 1808, of Guilford, Vt., d. July 12, 1841; m. 2d, a widow, *Harriet N. Franklin*, July 4, 1843, before marriage a Noyes, daughter of James Noyes, of Guilford. He served as justice of the peace for many years, and was sheriff for 11 years; he also held various other town offices. A farmer and millwright.
- Cyrus's mother was 50 years of age, and his father was 70 when he was born. His nephew, Dr. Elijah W. Carpenter, No. 4191, of Bernardston, Mass. when 20 years of age went to Brattleboro, Vt. from Rehoboth, on horseback and returned in the same way, and brought with him his uncle Cyrus who was then only six years of age. His nephew Elijah was 14 years older than his uncle Cyrus.
2006. XIII. PARDON was b. Oct. 18, 1794. He was the son of widow Mary Ide, and was adopted by his stepfather, John Carpenter; he thus became a member of the family as reported to the compiler.

① See letter starting Page 840 (under 2008) for Family.
② Per Pg. 908.

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NATHANIEL CARPENTER⁷ 826, of David 284,

Samuel 23. David 60. David 284.

Gen. 8. Children 10, b. in Rehoboth and Leyden, Mass.

- 2007. I. JOTHAM was b. Feb. 17, 1766. He was killed in a mill at Leyden, Mass.
- ① 2008. II. CYNTHIA was b. Aug. 11, 1767; m. *Elijah Root*, of Montague, Mass.
- 2009. III. OLIVE was b. Dec. 8, 1770, in Guilford, Vt.; m. a *Bullock*.
- 2010. IV. ELIZABETH was b. April 7, 1773, in Guilford, Vt.; d. May 30, 1773.
- 2011. V. DAVID was b. Sept. 1, 1774; m. 1st, *Jemima Newcomb*, Sept. 19, 1801; she (649) was b. Jan. 10, 1780, in Bernardston and d. Sept. 1, 1828; m. 2d, *Lydia Hitchcock*, b. May 15, 18—; he d. June 5, 1840.
- 2012. VI. A child not named, b. Nov. 26, 1776; d. when eight weeks old.
- 2013. VII. NATHANIEL was b. Aug. 31, 1778, in Guilford, Vt.; m. *Ruth*. He removed to the western part of Mass., thence to Maryland, N. Y. A farmer and merchant.
- ② 2014. VIII. ABEL was b. April 16, 1781, in Leyden, Mass.; he was twice married. Residence, Leyden. A merchant. *See Page 908 for Families*
- 2015. IX. JOSEPH was b. May 27, 1783, at Leyden; he moved to Maryland, New York state, near his brother Nathaniel. A physician.
- 2016. X. ELIZABETH was b. April 18, 1786, in Leyden; m. *Salmon Root*, Nov. 4, 1807; b. Aug. 13, 1780, d. April 21, 1849; she d. Sept. 10, 1849. Residence, Montague, Mass. They had ten children, b. in Montague: 1, *Lucius*, b. Nov. 20, 1808, d. 1859; 2, *Amanda*, b. 1811, m. Warren M. Graves of Sunderland, Mass.; 3, *Warren*, b. 1813, m. Maria E. Reed, 1843; 4, *Almira*, b. 1815, m. Joshua Osgood, 1839; 6, *Julia*, b. 1818, m. William A. Rawson, 1839; 7, *Moses*, b. 1821, m. Sarah L. Sweet, 18—, m. 2d, Mary A. Blanchard, 1852; 8, *Sidney*, b. 1824, m. Mary Clark, in 1849; 9, *Eliza*, b. 1827, m. Augustus, in 1850; 10, *Minerva*, b. 1831, m. William B. Birgin, in 1853.

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ZACHARIAH CARPENTER⁷ 830, of Zachariah 285,

Samuel 23. Zachariah 70. Zachariah 285.

Gen. 8. Children 8, b. in Rehoboth, Mass.

- 2017. I. BETHIA was b. May 12, 1762; m. *Lewis Walker*, Oct. 6, 1791, son of Abraham Walker; b. March 17, 1765; d. May, 1805; she d. May 18, 1833. A farmer.
- 2018. II. BENJAMIN was b. Dec. 25, 1763; m. *Zeruiah Carpenter*, No. 1549, April, (650) 1791; she d. Jan. 29, 1828, aged 60 years; he d. Jan. 26, 1819, aged 55 years. A farmer.
- 2019. III. ZACHARIAH was b. Oct. 16, 1765; m. *Lydia Whitman*, Nov. 27, 1791, (651) daughter of Samuel and Amey Whitman; she d. July 28, 1847, aged 73; he d. Feb. 22, 1839. Residence, Walpole, N. H. He settled in Walpole early in the present century; he was for many years a hotel keeper near where the railroad station now is, at the mouth of Cold river. A carpenter by trade.

2020. IV. HANNAH was b. Nov. 10, 1767; m. *Moses Walker*, in 1790; b. Dec. 16, 1760; d. Jan. 23, 1849; she d. Jan. 22, 1838. He was a revolutionary soldier; he served as lieutenant in the war. A farmer. Moses Walker married first, Anne Brown of Seekonk, April 10, 1783; she d. Feb. 4, 1786; m. second, Mary Whitaker, Aug. 14, 1787, daughter of John and Mary Whitaker; she d. Feb. 28, 1788; m. third, Hannah Carpenter, 1790.
2021. V. OTIS was b. Dec. 31, 1769; m. *Mehitable Phinney*, April, 1796, of Barnstable; she d. July 25, 1864; he d. Aug. 8, 1840. A mechanic and farmer. He held the office of treasurer of the town, from 1813 to 1818. (652)
2022. VI. PATTY was b. Aug. 7, 1772; d. Sept. 15, 1775.
2023. VII. ESTHER was b. April 18, 1775; m. *Daniel Perrin*, Oct. 17, 1797, son of David and Abigail (Cooper) Perrin, and was b. Feb. 15, 1763; d. Feb. 12, 1838; he was the great-grandson of Daniel Perrin, who married Abigail Carpenter, No. 44, daughter of William³; Esther d. Aug. 29, 1849. Daniel Perrin was a farmer. They had six children, namely: 1, *David*, b. June 29, 1798, d. 1822, a carpenter; 2, *Philena*, b. Aug. 4, 1800, m. Nathaniel Read, of Seekonk, had one son, David, b. 1837; 3, *Seba*, b. May 21, 1802, d. in 1829, a carpenter by trade; 4, *Daniel*, b. May 25, 1804, he is now living in Seekonk, (1897); 5, *Nelson*, b. April 13, 1809, m. Mary J. Smith, 1838, a physician; 6, *Mary Perrin*, b. Sept. 14, 1811, has been a school teacher nearly all her life, commenced when she was 17, teaching from 1828 to 1841, again commencing in 1872 taught ten years, three terms a year.

Nelson had a son William Smith Perrin, who enlisted in 1861 in the civil war, in the light battery, for three years: he was wounded by a shell taking off his leg from his knee down: he lay out in the rain for 36 hours with nothing to eat: was then taken by the enemy to Libby prison and had his leg amputated; he served under Captain Weeden; he had two horses shot from under him and was in 27 engagements; he returned to his home and died of his wounds: he was discharged as captain.

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PHANUEL CARPENTER¹ 831, of Zachariah 285.

Samuel 23, Zachariah 70, Zachariah 285.

Gen. 8. Children 10, b. in Rehoboth, Mass.

2024. I. SALLY was b. Oct. 20, 1769; m. *Uriah Bowen*, Nov. 8, 1798. Residence, Attleboro. A farmer.
2025. II. PHANUEL was b. April 25, 1773; d. Oct. 26, 1778, in Rehoboth.
2026. III. SIMEON was b. Aug. 19, 1775; d. the same year.
2027. IV. REMEMBER was b. Jan. 22, 1778; m. *Esther Bowen*, Feb. 4, 1805; she d. Oct. 9, 1858, aged 83 years. He d. Feb. 3, 1849, aged 71 years. A farmer. (653)
2028. V. PHANUEL was b. April 16, 1780; m. *Lucy Blanding*, May 28, 1806; b. Oct. 31, 1783, d. Sept. 4, 1855. A butcher. (654)
2029. VI. SEBA was b. Aug. 27, 1782; d. March 12, 1854, in Attleboro. He was a physician, and had good success in his practice and stood high in his profession. He did not practice surgery, and never graduated from any medical college. When 11 years of age, he had his leg injured and had to have it amputated; probably from those circumstances he selected the profession he did. He

obtained his education principally from the popular instructor, Elihue Carpenter, No. 524. He was a very independent man and very liberal to the poor.

2030. VII. POLLY was b. Jan. 18, 1786; d. May 22, 1839, aged 54 years, in Rehoboth.
 2031. VIII. BETSEY was b. Sept. 14, 1790; d. July 9, 1811, aged 21 years, in Rehoboth.
 2032. IX. NANCY was b. Sept. 14, 1790, was a twin sister to Betsey; she d. Feb. 11, 1793.
 2033. X. BETSEY was b. July 30, 1812; m. *Capt. George W. Bliss*, son of *Capt. Asaph and Abigail (Williams) Bliss*, d. Oct. 6, 1834; she d. Jan. 23, 1853; he held many important offices in town.

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CALEB CARPENTER: 833, of Zachariah 285.

Samuel 23. Zachariah 70. Zachariah 285.

Gen. 8. Children 8, b. in Rehoboth, Mass.

2034. I. LUCY was b. Aug. 29, 1770; m. *David Newman*, April 24, 1794; they removed near to Brattleboro, Vt. A mechanic.
 2035. II. PATIENCE was b. April 23, 1772; m. *Daniel Allen*, of Walpole, N. H., Nov. 1, 1795. Residence, Walpole. A farmer.
 2036. III. ORINDA was b. about 1773.
 2037. IV. LEMUEL was b. Oct. 15, 1774; m. *Lucinda Wheaton*, Dec. 18, 1803; he (655) d. March 7, 1833. He was one of the selectmen from 1815 to 1819 inclusive, of Seekonk. A mechanic.
 2038. V. ORINDA was b. Jan. 20, 1777; m. *Cole Bullock*, March 7, 1802 and moved to Walpole, N. H.
 2039. VI. ASA was b. July 4, 1779; d. Dec. 7, 1783.
 2040. VII. LEWIS was b. June 14, 1781; m. *Sarah Read*, Feb. 1, 1806, daughter of (656) *Nathan Read*, b. June 9, 1778; d. in 1832; he d. in June, 1844. A farmer.
 2041. VIII. PATTY was b. Dec. 12, 1785; m. *Samuel Allen*, published April 18, 1811; she was recorded on the records of birth, "Patty" and was published as "Martha." A farmer.

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SIMEON CARPENTER: 834, of Zachariah 285.

Samuel 23. Zachariah 70. Zachariah 285.

Gen. 8. Children 2, probably b. in Richmond, Mass.

2042. I. JOEL, resided in Richmond and Lenox, Mass.
 2043. II. ESTHER was b. about 1770.

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RICHARD CARPENTER: 836, of Zachariah 285.

Samuel 23. Zachariah 70. Zachariah 285.

Gen. 8. Child 1, b. probably in Richmond, Mass.

2044. I. MARGARET was b. about 1770; m. a *Smith*. Residence, Amherst, Mass.

- ① See Pg. 841. Lucy's son is a Judge in California - See Pg. 841.
 ② Per Pg. 841 & 842 - Ira m. Lucinda Gilford Swinerton on
 12 Mar. 1810 at Hartford, Ct. She was the daughter of
 James Swinerton, Sr. & Lenora Gilford. Ira d. 1 Apr. 1864.

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③ Per Pg. 842

✓ 301. 10856

BENJAMIN CARPENTER⁷ 838, of Zachariah 285,

Samuel 23. Zachariah 70, Zachariah 285.

Gen. 8. Children 2.

2045. I. WILLIAM; d. young.
 2046. II. GEORGE; d. on board of the ship Margaret, June, 1810.

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ABRAHAM CARPENTER⁷ 842, of Abial 291,

Samuel 23. Abraham 71. Abial 291.

Gen. 8. Children 9, b. in Rehoboth, Mass., Woodstock, Conn. and Plainfield, N. H.

2047. I. JESSE was b. Sept. 27, 1760, in Rehoboth; m. *Anne Cutter*, Sept. 28, (657)
 1782, of Plainfield, N. H., and d. July 15, 1797; m. 2d, a widow,
Sarah Andrews, Oct. 18, 1797; she d. June 3, 1824. He d. Feb. 23, 1838.
 Residence, Corinth, Vt. A farmer.

At the age of two years his father moved to Killingly, Conn. In 1773 or 1774 he moved to Plainfield, N. H. and settled near the centre of the town. He moved to Corinth, April 6, 1803, where he died. His wife Sarah, was the widow of Abijah Andrews, she was born in 1768.

2048. II. PHEBE was b. June 7, 1762; d. in infancy.
 2049. III. CYRIL was b. Jan. 3, 1766, in Woodstock, Conn. Residence, Saratoga, N. Y.
 A physician.
 2050. IV. ABRAHAM was b. July 11, 1768, in Woodstock, Conn. He moved to Floyd, N. Y.
 2051. V. ELIZABETH was b. Nov. 20, 1770, in Woodstock, Conn.; m. *Charles Moses*. She
 d. in 1812. Residence, Malone, N. Y.
 2052. VI. CYRUS was b. in 1776 at Plainfield, N. H. and d. Dec. 24, 1849, in Whit- (658)
 ing, Vt.

Record received from Dr. Cyrus Carpenter of Stratford, N. H. says that he was born March 13, 1780, at Lebanon, N. H. And that he married Hannah Whipple, the daughter of Nehemiah Whipple of Rutland, Vt. She was born June 26, 1781 and died in Stratford, N. H., Oct. 8, 1801. Cyril and Cyrus, we are informed, graduated at Dartmouth college where they studied medicine; the former located at Saratoga and the latter at Stratford.

2053. VII. SUSANNA; m. *Nathaniel Allen*; she d. in Sudbury, Vt., in 1838.
 2054. VIII. OLIVE; m. *John Wood*.
 2054-a. IX. A child who d. in infancy.

303. 8357

NATHAN CARPENTER⁷ 846, of Abial 291,

Samuel 23. Abraham 71. Abial 291.

Gen. 8. Children 10, b. in Warren, R. I., Ashford or Stafford, Conn., and in Ohio or New York.

- ① 2055. I. LUCY was b. Sept. 21, 1787, probably near Delaware, Ohio or New York, and
 the rest of the family in the same place; m. *James Swinerton*, Aug. 31, 1806.
 2056. II. IRA was b. Jan. 1, 1783, at Simsbury, Conn.; m. *Lucinda Swinerton*, March 12,
 1810, at Hartford, Conn.; she b. July 28, 1778 and d. April 1, 1844; he d.
 ② 1 April 1864 at Delaware, Ohio. Residence, Delaware. Ira d. 1 Apr. 1864. (1730)
 ③ 2057. III. JOHN was b. Oct. 7, 1784; m. *Hannah Cellar*, Oct. 23, 1807; he d. Aug. 29,
 1811. 1809

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① Per Pg. 842
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⑤ Per Pg. 842

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- ① 2058. IV. ALFRED was b. July 23, 1786; m. *Cynthia Case*, March 31, 1812; he went west. *d. 4 Jul 1861 at 21st Residence: Morgan, IL*
2059. V. IRENE was b. April 26, 1788; d. Sept. 6, 1862.
- ② 2060. VI. NATHAN was b. March 4, 1790; m. *Electa Case*, Jan. 24, 1811; he d. (659) *23 October, 1867. B. in Chemung Co., NY. She d. 12 Mar 1867 Residence: Worthington, OH.*
He cleared and lived on a farm in the south part of Delaware county, on the east side of the river; afterwards added a farm and mill property on the west side; he erected a log cabin there in which the Rev. George Carpenter, his son, was born; in 1837, he moved to a farm near Washington, Franklin Co., Ohio. *Electa was the daughter of George Case, who with residence near New Haven, Ct. & who went to Ohio in 1803.*
- ③ 2061. VII. SARAH was b. Dec. 4, 1791; m. *John Hunt Hardin*
④ 2062. VIII. JAMES was b. Feb. 17, 1795; m. *Melissa Case*, Oct. 11, 1815; he d. Aug. 6, (1742) *1862; he resided on the old homestead which has been kept in the family. m. 2nd time Hilpa Case. Residence: Liberty, W.P., OH.*
⑤ 2063. IX. LAURA was b. Oct. 10, 1797; m. *G. Case*; d. Sept. 7, 1885. *She d. 12 Apr 1885 Residence: Grantville, OH*
2064. X. CHARLOTTE was b. Oct. 25, 1799; d. Jan. 24, 1810. *Extensive Stock Raiser.*

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ALLEN CARPENTER^r 848, of Abial 291,
Samuel 23, Abraham 71, Abial 291.
Gen. 8. Child 1, b. in Rehoboth, Mass.

2065. I. BENONI was b, May 10, 1785.

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COMFORT CARPENTER^r 850, of Abial 291,
Samuel 23, Abraham 71, Abial 291.
Gen. 8. Children 2, b. in Ashford, Conn.

2066. I. SAMUEL H., b. in 1788; m. *Lois H. Dow*, in 1818, daughter of Abel (660) *Dow*, b. in 1790; he d. in 1850. A farmer.
2067. II. NOAH. (661)

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NOAH CARPENTER^r 852, of Abial 291,
Samuel 23, Abraham 71, Abial 291.
Gen. 8. Children 6, b. in Pomfret, Conn.

2068. I. ELIJAH SHARP was b. Oct. 27, 1792; m. *Asubah Coburn*, who d. June 22, (662) *1839; he d. Aug. 21, 1870. Residence, Homer, N. Y. A farmer.*
2069. II. EPHRAIM was b. Aug. 22, 1795; d. about 1836. Residence, Homer, N. Y. (663)
2070. III. LORENZO was b. June 17, 1798; d. about 1816. Residence, Homer, N. Y. *He was drowned in the Ohio river.*
2071. IV. ASAPH HOMER was b. June, 1800; m. *Almira Clark*. Residence, (664) *Homer, N. Y.*
2072. V. SARAH; m. a *Goodell*. Residence, Homer, N. Y. A farmer.
2073. VI. LOIS was b. probably in Homer, N. Y.; m. *Eleazer Segar*. Residence, Homer, N. Y. A blacksmith.

GENERATION NINE.

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NEHEMIAH CARPENTER* 855, of Nehemiah 293.

John 17. John 24. Nehemiah 73. Nehemiah 293.

Gen. 9. Children 12, probably b. in Jamaica, L. I.

2074. I. ELIZABETH was b. Feb. 10, 1783; d. Sept. 27, 1852.
2075. II. MARY was b. Sept. 16, 1784; d. March 8, 1837.
2076. III. JAMES was b. March 20, 1786; d. March 22, 1786.
2077. IV. WILLIAM was b. April 10, 1787; d. Aug. 20, 1793. ~~(455)~~
2078. V. AMELIA was b. March 17, 1789; d. Aug. 7, 1828.
2079. VI. JOHN R. or B. was b. Feb. 20, 1791; d. Aug. 18, 1793.
2080. VII. LUCETTA was b. April 7, 1793; d. July, 1870; m. *Jacob Ryder*, b. Oct. 18, 1785 and d. May 15, 1835; they had nine children, namely: 1, *Nancy Carpenter*, b. July 14, 1815, d. Aug. 18, 1841; 2, *George William*, b. May 10, 1817, m. Elizabeth Brown; 3, *Hiram Tompkins*, b. July 11, 1820, d. Jan. 11, 1840; 4, *Nehemiah Carpenter*, b. July 10, 1822, m. Phenora A. Thompson, b. March 5, 1828, their children were, Elizabeth Morse, b. July 12, 1849, d. April 16, 1872, Joseph Thompson, b. Oct. 11, 1852, d. May 7, 1853, Frank, b. Jan. 11, 1854, Harriet, b. May 1, 1856, N. Carpenter, b. Nov. 15, 1858; 5, *Mary Eliza*, b. May 1, 1824, d. Aug. 3, 1827; 6, *John*, b. Oct. 4, 1826, d. July 22, 1832; 7, *Sarah Lucetta*, b. May 11, 1829, m. Charles Sherwood; 8, *James Jacob*, b. July 8, 1831, m. twice, 1st, Mary Carpenter, 2d, Kate McEwen; 9, *Lucetta*, b. June 28, 1834, d. July 22, 1840.
2081. VIII. BENONI B. was b. Dec. 13, 1795; d. July 25, 1796.
2082. IX. NEHEMIAH was b. Aug. 13, 1798; d. May 24, 1825; m. *Martha Bogart*. (665) (666)
2083. X. VLEITE was b. July 2, 1801; d. May 24, 1825.
2084. XI. NANCY was b. Jan. 18, 1804; d. Jan. 4, 1815.
2085. XII. WILLIAM was b. May 1, 1806, in Dutchess county, N. Y. and went to Onondaga county, 1816 and later to Dryden, Tompkins county, N. Y.; m. 1st, *Mary Hollister*, Jan. 19, 1832; m. 2d, *Harriet Bacon*. Residence, Tompkins county. He d. May 7, 1875. He was prominent in his community, as an abolitionist and was expelled from the Presbyterian church on this account. A farmer. (666) (665)

Individual No. 2086 and Family No. 307 are dropped.

308.

CHARLES CARPENTER* 862, of William 294.

John 17, John 24, Nehemiah 73, William 294.

Gen. 9. Child 1, b. in Downer's Grove, Ill.

2087. I. WILLIAM M. was b. about 1760.

No. 2074: FAMILY 306.

309. 20825

DANIEL CARPENTER* 867, of Daniel 296,

John 17, John 24, John 74, Daniel 296.

Gen. 9. Children 10, b. in Goshen, N. Y.

2088. I. JAMES HARVEY was b. Sept. 26, 1809; d. in Goshen, N. Y., Jan. 19, 1840.
 2089. II. SUSAN was b. Aug. 14, 1811; d. Oct. 23, 1870.
 2090. III. JOHN SKENKS was b. May 25, 1813; m. *Agnes Fulton*, Feb. 5, 1835; she (667) was b. Dec. 1, 1816, d. Feb. 23, 1894. He d. May 3, 1856. A blacksmith.
 2091. IV. MARY was b. March 20, 1815.
 2092. V. ROBERT was b. June 18, 1817; m. *Susan Tappen*. He d. July 26, 1854, (668) aged 37. Residence, New York city. A merchant.
 2093. VI. ELEANOR was b. March 20, 1819; m. *C. S. Tappen*; she d. Dec. 4, 1880, aged 61. Residence, New York city. A book-keeper.
 2094. VII. ISAAC was b. Feb. 6, 1821; d. Sept. 20, 1822.
 2095. VIII. HARRIET ELIZABETH was b. Oct. 27, 1824; d. July 21, 1894, at Tecumseh, Mich.
 2096. IX. SARAH FRANCES was b. March 13, 1827; m. *Henry C. Cauklin*, Dec. 21, 1857.
 2096½. X. CATHERINE was b. Nov. 22, 1822 and d. March 22, 1832.

310. 20826

JOHN CARPENTER* 868, of Daniel 296,

John 17, John 24, John 74, Daniel 296.

Gen. 9. Child 1, b. in Goshen.

2097. I. JOHN A.; m. *Mary Hope*. Residence, Denton, Orange county, N. Y. A merchant.

311. 20827

INCREASE CARPENTER* 870, of Increase 297,

John 17, John 24, John 74, Increase 297.

Gen. 9. Children 3, b. in Minisink, N. Y.

2098. I. JOHN was b. about 1800.
 2099. II. WILLIAM.
 2100. III. ISAAC; m. *Charlotte Wood*.

312. 20828

JOHN COE CARPENTER* 878, of John 300,

John 17, John 24, John 74, John 300.

Gen. 9. Children 4, b. in Ohio and New York.

2101. I. JOHN was b. Dec. 13, 1805, at Windham, Green county, N. Y.; m. 1st, (669) *Sarah L. Ferrill*, Aug. 20, 1828, daughter of Andrew Ferrill, M. D., of Herkimer, N. Y.; she d. Sept. 14, 1844; m. 2d, *Mary Hawkes*, Jan. 3, 1848, daughter of Judge Edmund Hawkes, of Oswego, N. Y.; John was an editor and proprietor, for many years, of the *Oswego Palladium*, Oswego, N. Y.

No. 2088; FAMILY 309.

A LONG LIFE OF LABOR.

"Died.—In Woodbury, N. J., July 21, 1891, John Carpenter, aged 85 years, seven months and eight days.

He took to the printing office while yet a boy, and secured an apprenticeship in the office of the *Herkimer Herald*. He became its acting editor while yet a young apprentice, and at the age of 19, differing with the owner of the paper as to the Presidential candidates, he bought the balance of his apprenticeship and the paper with it, and transferred its support from Adams to Jackson. The people of Herkimer County, in the election of 1824, sustained the course of the new editor. In 1826 Mr. Carpenter was induced to remove to Oswego, then a promising lakeport settlement on the northern frontier, and help establish the *Oswego Palladium*, which is yet a prosperous and influential paper with daily and weekly editions, and one of the oldest Democratic papers in New York State. Most of his long life was spent in Oswego, which he saw grow from a little village about the frontier forts to become a city of considerable commercial importance to the country.

After about twenty years' close labor on the *Palladium*, during which it did good service for his party—being the paper which in the 1840 campaign got from General Harrison and published the famous letter in which he confessed that he had a political committee of three to keep his political conscience and tell what his opinions were on public issues—Mr. Carpenter sold the printing office in order to accept the clerkship of the County to which he had been elected; but he afterward for many years contributed to the political columns of the paper.

Deceased was through all his life a very strict adherent to the old party of Jefferson. His first vote for president was for Andrew Jackson, his last for Grover Cleveland, and in his old age he expressed himself glad to know that for more than a half a century he had never failed to discharge his duty as a citizen in voting both in the spring and fall elections every time. When he removed to New Jersey, a few years ago—warned by a second attack of pneumonia that he could not longer stand the Lake Ontario winters—he so timed his removal as to cast his vote in New York state and become a resident of New Jersey the same day; so that in all his more than three score years as a voter he never missed a single general election. In 1876, when he had voted for the one hundredth time (spring and fall), he was elected by acclamation to represent the Oswego district in the Democratic state convention of New York, with a very complimentary resolution by the county convention.

Political duties are public duties, and, where the close of a long life affords such an instance of fidelity to honestly held political convictions, it seems proper to publicly mention it. Deceased was as unselfish as he was devoted to the party of his preference. When he did not like its candidates, he supported them for their cause; when his own views failed to prevail, he promptly accepted those of the majority as declared through the regular council of the party; in no other way, he believed, could the party and its standard be sustained and its policy carried to triumph for the good and glory of the country.

The deceased was just as warm and strong in his private friendships: but where they clashed with the cause of his party he never hesitated in his course. He had been a staunch friend and adherent of President Van Buren, but when, in 1848 General Cass became the candidate of the party, and "Little Van" then started his personal party, Mr. Carpenter stood almost alone in his section, at first, in support of the regular ticket of the national convention. In fact, Mr. Nathan Robbins (who was then collector of the port of Oswego) was the only other official at the time in that democratic county who stood by Mr. Carpenter in supporting the regular electoral ticket. Oswego was never a democratic county after the Van Buren bolt; but deceased was several times elected a member of its board of supervisors, and took a prominent and honorable part in the county management. Between 1852 and 1856 he was a member of the National Democratic committee of New York state.

The deceased was as devoted to domestic duties and to his private affairs as to his duties as a citizen. He won warm and universal esteem as a neighbor and reciprocated love of all his large family. He was unselfishly and untiringly active as long as his eye and hand had strength to labor. Only a few weeks before his death he was every day helping effectually in the office of the *Gloucester County Democrat* (the paper of his son, James), and when one morning he had to return to bed, never to rise again in life, it was truly a bed of rest for him—a rest which was most welcome to his well-worn body and mind, and a rest which had been richly earned. He went as a child to its slumber."

2102. II. ELIZA was b. Jan. 1, 1801; m. *Asahel Peck*. They settled in Batavia, N. Y.; later, lived in Chicago with her only grandchild, Edmund Peck; she had two children, Edward who m. a Miss Cochrane and Mary who m. 1st, a Young and 2d, a Harris; Edward has a son Edward Jr., who lives in Chicago; Mary had one child who d. when about 18.
2103. III. CYNTHIA was b. Sept. 21, 1803; m. a *Kinney*; she d. in Sandusky, Ohio; she had four children, namely: *John C.*, *Susan K.*, *George* and *Addison*; all married; Addison lives in Toledo.
2104. IV. SANDS COE was b. about 1815, in Manlius or Fayetteville, N. Y., and is (670) now living in 1895; m. *Mary Clark*, about 1842, daughter of Samuel Clark, at Port Huron, Mich, and granddaughter of Gen. Samuel Clark.

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BENJAMIN CARPENTER^s 881, of John 300,

John 17, John 24, John 74, John 300.

Gen. 9. Children 6, b. in New York state.

2105. I. SARAH ALDEN was b. April 29, 1808; m. *Rev. Isaac J. Rice*, about 1834. Residence, Manlius, N. Y.; she d. Aug. 18, 1879. He was a Congregationalist minister and became an ardent worker in the cause of abolition. His last years were spent at Beverly, Ontario, where he had a charge. He was characterized by an indescribable will and a kindly heart and believed that the Lord would provide for those he loved. They had three children, viz.: 1, *Benjamin Bartlett*; 2, *Isaac James*; 3, *Gerrit Smith*. Benjamin Bartlett Rice, settled in Buffalo, N. Y., and m. Harriet ———. An architect. In religious faith a Methodist. He d. in 1896, leaving a wife and six children. Isaac James Rice, b. June 24, 1838; m. Eliza Allen of Poland, O., where both had engaged in the same spell-downs and literary taste with President McKinley, (then called Bill McKinley) at the village school. Isaac settled in Chicago and was engaged in the hardware business. They had several children, viz.: Caroline Allen, the eldest, b. Dec. 15, 1862. After graduating at a high school, took a teacher's course at the Cook county normal school, receiving diploma in 1881. After five years teaching she attended Lumbard university and received the degree of B. D.; graduating from the theological course in 1889; her health would not permit doing active work in her chosen calling, though having taken charge of three different parishes for short periods. 2, Portland Chase, d. young. 3, Helen A., b. June 19, 1866. She has received the degree of B. A., since been employed as principal in high schools, with good success. 4, Leonard S., d. young. 5, Herbert L. He completed his college course at the Columbia university. A resident of Washington, D. C. Married Rose Ackley of Washington, D. C., they had one child. 6, Paul R. W., b. April 18, 1875; d. at 17 years of age. 7, Ethel V., b. June 25, 1880. The third son of Isaac by his wife Sarah A. Carpenter, m. Sarah Robinson of Detroit, Mich. and settled in Buffalo, N. Y., thence to Chicago, Ill. He edited a musical monthly; invented numerous charts to aid beginners. A teacher of music. He d. about 1885.

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REHOBOTH FAMILY.

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- ① 2106. II. BENJAMIN was b. ^{Dec. 9, 1809} ~~Dec. 7, 1806~~ in Manlius, N. Y.; m. *Abigail Hayes*, of (671) ;
 Hartford, Trumbull county, Ohio, Sept. 20, 1832, daughter of Col.
 Richard Hayes who earned his title in the war of 1812, in which he took a
 conspicuous part; she d. Nov. 15, 1873; m. 2d, *Mrs. Maria Hayes White*
more Feb. 4, 1875; he d. April 9, 1881, in Chicago. *Whitmore*

Benjamin's early boyhood days were passed in his native county and when 14 years old he went to Hartford, Trumbull county, Ohio, where he enjoyed the benefit of academic education. He later entered the store of Col. Richard Hayes and for several years followed a mercantile business. From an early age he had cherished an ambition to become a lawyer and diligently pursued the study of the law in every leisure hour. In 1837, he removed to Conneaut, Ashtabula county, Ohio, and entered the law office of Judge S. F. Taylor, being shortly thereafter admitted to the bar. When Judge Taylor moved away a year later Mr. Carpenter succeeded to his business, and continued successfully for nine years in the active practice of his profession. He formed a partnership with Zaphna Lake, under the style of Lake & Carpenter, which proved a strong and successful combination. They operated a general store at Conneaut and carried on a large trade with owners and captains of lake craft. They also built several large vessels and in 1847 launched what was then the largest craft on the great lakes,—the brig "Banner"—and were ridiculed by their neighbors for what was considered a venturesome enterprise. In 1850 Mr. Carpenter became a resident of the thriving young city of Chicago, which was thenceforth his home. He then went into the packing business for several years. In 1857 he was elected a member of the city council from the then ninth ward, and from that day devoted most of his attention to public interests. He was the first president of the board of public works. He was an upright man and did not hesitate to express himself clearly and forcibly, and to act upon his convictions in both public and private life. There was probably not a schoolhouse in Ashtabula county, Ohio, in which his voice was not heard in denunciation of slavery during the exciting time of his early manhood; no fugitive slave was ever returned south from his county; and he was equally active in sustaining the cause of temperance. He was one of the founders of Plymouth Congregational church, and also of the New England Congregational church at Chicago.

2107. III. CHARLES was b. Dec. 13, 1813; d. 1832.
 2108. IV. HEZEKIAH WOODRUFF was b. May 13, 1816; d. June 3, 1828.
 2109. V. ABIGAIL was b. July 22, 1818; m. *Rev. Finley Ferguson*; she d. 1887.
 2110. VI. WILLIAM was b. July 12, 1820; d. in 1865.

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ISAAC CARPENTER^s 884, of John 300,

John 17, John 24, John 74, John 300.

Gen. 9. Children 7, b. in New York or Jersey City, N. J.

- ① 2111. I. HEZEKIAH GOODWIN was b. Sept. 9, 1817. Residence, Ramsey, N. J. *married 2x*
B. Ver-non, NY d. 25 Sept. 1895 Ramsey NY
 ② 2112. II. HELEN was b. Dec. 31, 1818; m. *Samuel A. Hopkins*, of New York, May 9, 1839.
B. Ver-non, NY d. Oct 1897 He was b. 2 Jun 1816 Amity, NY d. 10 Sept. 1872 NYC
 2113. III. SUSAN was b. Oct. 17, 1820.
 ③ 2114. IV. HENRY was b. Nov. 25, 1822; m. 2d, *Emeline D. Woodward*, b. July 4, 1823; *(1804)*
 d. July 16, 1885. *Married Twice - DID NOT Marry Emeline Woodward.*
 ④ 2115. V. EMMA was b. April 9, 1833; m. *Edward Hayes*, and lives at Washington, D. C.
m. 22 Oct. 1856 He was b. 30 Sept 1809 Hartford, OH
 ⑤ 2116. VI. GEORGE was b. July 27, 1834; lives in Brooklyn, N. Y. - A sea Captain.
 2117. VII. JOHN.

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BENJAMIN CARPENTER^s 886, of Benjamin 301,

John 17, John 24, John 74, Benjamin 301.

Gen. 9. Children 4, b. in Minisink, N. Y.

- 2118 I. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN was b. Feb. 16, 1818; m. *Ann Eliza Cropsey*. Residence,
 New York city. A merchant.

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2119. II. DEWITT CLINTON was b. April 19, 1826. A merchant.
 2120. III. SUSAN ABIGAIL was b. July 28, 1823.
 2121. IV. ANDREW JACKSON was b. March 4, 1833.

316.

WILLIAM CARPENTER^s 887, of Benjamin 301,

John 17, John 24, John 74, Benjamin 301.

Gen. 9. Child 1, b. in Minisink, N. Y.

2122. I. LEWIS; d. about 1830. A farmer. He had two or three children.

317.

SOLOMON CARPENTER^s 894, of Michael 305,

John 17, John 24, Solomon 75, Michael 305.

Gen. 9. Children 2, b. in Goshen, N. Y.

2123. I. EMMELINE was b. about 1805; she was baptized 1814 and d. June 6, 1822.
 2124. II. DOROTHY was b. April 21, 1810; m. and left a son. She is recorded on church records as Dolly Juliett.

318.

NEHEMIAH CARPENTER^s 902, of Michael 305,

John 17, John 24, Solomon 75, Michael 305.

Gen. 9. Children 2, b. in Goshen or Chester, N. Y.

2125. I. SOLOMON was b. in 1824 and moved to Chester.
 2126. II. MARY was b. in 1834 and moved to Chester.

319.

WILLIAM CARPENTER^s 906, of William 306,

John 17, John 24, Solomon 75, William 306.

Gen. 9. Children 12, b. in Pine Swamp, Walkill, N. Y.

2127. I. MARIA was b. in 1804; m. *Charles Weeks*.
 2128. II. JULIA was b. in 1806; m. *Daniel Derby*. A farmer.
 2129. III. SARAH was b. in 1807; m. *DeWitt C. King* and resided in Barryville, N. Y. An innkeeper.
 2130. IV. FANNIE was b. in 1808; m. *Lebius L. Harding*. Residence, Mount Hope, Orange county, N. Y. A farmer.
 2131. V. NATHANIEL V. was b. in 1809; m. *Julia Ann Sayer*. A farmer. (672)
 2132. VI. WILLIAM H. was b. in 1810; m. *Mary Ann Godfrey*. A farmer. (673)
 2133. VII. ABIGAIL was b. in 1812; m. *James B. Godfrey*. Residence, Deer Park or Port Jervis. A merchant.
 2134. VIII. JAMES was b. March 26, 1817; m. *Mary Ann Hazen*. A farmer. (674)
 2135. IX. JOEL HOYT was b. in 1818; m. *Arminda Godfrey*. A farmer.
 2136. X. GEORGE W. was b. in 1819.
 2137. XI. EMELINE was b. in 1821; m. *M. S. Beaks*. A farmer.
 2138. XII. BENJAMIN was b. in 1822.

✓ 320. 01007

BENJAMIN CARPENTER^s 910, of William 306,

John 17, John 24, Solomon 75, William 306.

Gen. 9. Children 9, b. in Walkill, Orange Co., N. Y.

2139. I. MARY ANN; m. *Oscar Shaw*. Residence, Walkill, Orange county, N. Y. A cooper and farmer. b. abt 1804
2140. II. FANNY JANE; m. *James M. Moore*. Residence, Walkill, N. Y. and Parisville P. O., N. Y. A farmer and a land surveyor.
2141. III. MATILDA; m. *Augustus Coleman*. Residence, West Cousin, probably Parishville, P. O., N. Y. A carpenter.
2142. IV. GEORGE K.; m. *Nancy Holly*. Residence, Walkill, N. Y.
2143. V. HANNAH. b. 1817
2144. VI. SAMUEL.
2145. VII. WILLIAM; m. about 1830. b. abt 1820
2146. VIII. BENJAMIN, d. young. b. 1820
2147. IX. LUCINDA. abt 1824

✓ 321. 01082

JOHN CARPENTER^s 918, of Benjamin 309,

John 17, John 24, Solomon 75, Benjamin 309.

Gen. 9. Children 12, b. at Carpenter's Point, Minisink, N. Y.

2148. I. JAMES was b. about 1820.
2149. II. ASENATH; m. *Nathan Skimmings*. Residence, Deer Park, N. Y. A wheelwright.
2150. III. SARAH.
2151. IV. ELEANOR. Residence, Sullivan county, N. Y. A miller and lumberman.
2152. V. MARGARET. abt 1820
2153. VI. BENJAMIN.
2154. VII. LEVI. abt 1830
2155. VIII. SOLOMON.
2156. IX. JOHN WESLEY. abt 1836
2157. X. AMANDA.
2158. XI. MARIHA.
2159. XII. ELIZABETH.

✓ 322. 01083

BENJAMIN CARPENTER^s 920, of Benjamin 309.

John 17, John 24, Solomon 75, Benjamin 309.

Gen. 9. Children 3, b. at Deer Park, N. Y.

2160. I. LYDIA. abt 1830
2161. II. MARGARET.
2162. III. A SON.

✓ 323. 2115

SAMUEL CARPENTER^s 928, of Increase 310,
John 17, John 24, Increase 77, Increase 310.

Gen. 9. Children 12, b. probably in Jamaica, L. I.

2163. I. JOHN was b. in 1796.
2164. II. RUTH; m. *Daniel Denton*.
2165. III. INCREASE; m. *Elizabeth* —. (675)
2166. IV. JANE.
2167. V. SAMUEL.
2168. VI. JAMES; m. a *Wiggins*. They had three or four children. A farmer.
2169. VII. ANN; m. *Joseph* —.
2170. VIII. ELIZA; m. *Lewis Conklin*.
2171. IX. MARIA; m. *Isaac Eldridge*.
2172. X. MARY.
2173. XI. ELIZABETH.
2174. XII. PATIENCE.

✓ 324. 2112

JAMES CARPENTER^s 929, of Increase 310,

John 17, John 24, Increase 77, Increase 310.

Gen. 9. Children 4, b. in Brooklyn, N. Y.

2175. I. MARY ANN; m. *James Ludlow*.
2176. II. DAVID.
2177. III. MATILDA; m. *John Weeks*.
2178. IV. ELIZABETH.

✓ 325. 2113

GEORGE CARPENTER^s 930, of Increase 310,

John 17, John 24, Increase 77, Increase 310.

Gen. 9. Children 5, b. at Jamaica, L. I.

2179. I. MARY was b. June 6, 1801; m. *John Skidmore*.
2180. II. JOHN was b. April 1, 1803; d. Sept. 23, 1823, in Jamaica, L. I.
2181. III. WILLIAM was b. Jan. 25, 1806; d. Oct. 2, 1807, in Jamaica, L. I.
2182. IV. INCREASE was b. Aug. 29, 1808; m. *Charity Henderson*. A butcher. (676)
2183. V. WILLIAM G. was b. Feb. 4, 1811; m. *Cornelia Bennett*. A butcher. (677)

✓ 326. 2114

DAVID CARPENTER^s 932, of Increase 310,

John 17, John 24, Increase 77, Increase 310.

Gen. 9. Children 4, b. probably in Philadelphia, Pa.

2184. I. ELIZABETH.
2185. II. MARY ANN was b. about 1820.
2186. III. SARAH ANN.
2187. IV. GEORGE.

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JACOB CARPENTER^s 933, of Jacob 311,

John 17, John 24, Increase 77, Jacob 311.

Gen. 9. Children 10, b. in Jamaica, L. I.

2188. I. MARY was b. Sept. 19, 1781; m. *Stephen Hendrickson*, about 1809; m. 2d, *Jacob Bergen*, about 1829. Residence, Jamaica.
2189. II. JOHN was b. Sept. 17, 1785; m. *Lettie Burges*. (678)
2190. III. DEBORAH was b. Aug. 12, 1783; m. *John Burges*.
2191. IV. JACOB was b. April 10, 1804; m. *Eliza Cramer*. A farmer. (679)
2192. V. MELANCTHON was b. Sept. 14, 1792; his will, dated at Jamaica, gives to his daughters Jane and Elizabeth and a son, John; dated March 4, 1842 and proved May 23, 1842. (680)
2193. VI. DAVID was b. Dec. 7, 1787; d. Aug. 13, 1793, at Jamaica.
2194. VII. RUTH was b. March 28, 1790; m. *Jasper Franer*.
2195. VIII. ELLEN was b. Aug. 16, 1795; m. *William Smith*.
2196. IX. CATHARINE was b. Nov. 14, 1797; m. 1st, *Benjamin Everett*; m. 2d, *Jacob Bergen*.
2197. X. JANE was b. April 28, 1801.

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NATHANIEL CARPENTER^s 934, of Jacob 311,

John 17, John 24, Increase 77, Jacob 311.

Gen. 9. Children 12, b. in Jamaica L. I. and New York City.

2198. I. DANIEL was b. about 1800; d. young.
2199. II. MARY, d. young.
2200. III. ELIAS was b. about 1791; m. *Priscilla Everett*.
2201. IV. NATHANIEL was b. Nov. 4, 1795; m. 1st, *Patience Bailey*; m. 2d, *Eliza Ryder*. He d. Oct. 12, 1827, aged 31 years, 11 months and 8 days. (681)
2202. V. JACOB was b. in 1796; m. *Elizabeth Denton*, Jan. 28, 1819. (682)
2203. VI. NEHEMIAH BAYLIS was b. in 1806. Residence, New York City.
2204. VII. BENJAMIN was b. in 1812; m. *Sarah Smith*. (683)
2205. VIII. REBECCA was b. in 1798.
2206. IX. PRISCILLA was b. in 1801.
2207. X. DEBORAH was b. in 1803.
2208. XI. JANE, d. young.
2209. XII. RUTH, d. young.

329. ✓

DANIEL CARPENTER^s 935, of Jacob 311,

John 17, John 24, Increase 77, Jacob 311.

Gen. 9. Children 7, b. in Jamaica, L. I.

2210. I. ELIZABETH was b. in 1789.
2211. II. NATHANIEL was b. in 1791.

2212. III. HENRY was b. about 1790.
 2213. IV. JOHN.
 2214. V. JAMES: m. *Sarah Wood*. Residence, Sing Sing, N. Y.
 2215. VI. SARAH.
 2216. VII. LATICIA.

330. 21191

JOHN CARPENTER* 941, of John 312,

John 17, John 24, Increase 77, John 312.

Gen. 9. Children 3, b. probably at Pittstown, N. Y.

2217. I. JOHN was b. about 1800. He was at one time a merchant in St. Albans, Vt. (684)
 2218. II. DELIA; m. *Daniel D. Howard*, b. July 3, 1801 and d. March 29, 1871.
 Residence, Burlington, Vt. They had one child a daughter.
 2219. III. DANIEL.

Daniel of Fishkill or Pittstown, N. Y., married Esther Thorne and moved to Troy, N. Y.; he built the first stone house in Troy; he had a son Henry who married a daughter of John Mascraft of Woodstock. A niece of Daniel Carpenter married Amos Carpenter who had a son or grandson George Washington, born in 1811, and who married Mary Burden and had 13 children. Daniel was captain of a Hudson river sloop. (By Mrs. M. P. Ferris, Garden City, N. Y.)

331. 21192

HOPE CARPENTER* 946, of Hope 317,

John 17, Hope 25, Hope 82, Hope 317.

Gen. 9. Children 10, probably b. at Elizabeth, N. J.

2220. I. DEBORAH was b. Oct. 1, 1798; m. *Joseph Magie*, a brother of Rev. David Magie.
 2221. II. BETSEY was b. March 15, 1799.
 2222. III. JAMES was b. April 9, 1801. He owns the old Carpenter estate. John Lum was living on it in 1893. James had three daughters.
 2223. IV. EDWARD was b. March 19, 1806; m. and moved to Indiana.
 2224. V. MARY was b. May 3, 1808; m. *John Lum*. Residence, Union, N. J. He has the old family bible of the Carpenter family.
 2225. VI. HENRY was b. April 22, 1810; m. and has three children.
 2226. VII. JOHN was b. Feb. 9, 1812; m. and moved to Marengo, Ohio.
 2227. VIII. AARON was b. April 17, 1814; m. *Mary E. Wade*. Residence, Bennington, Ohio. (685).
 2228. IX. JOSEPH was b. May 16, 1818. Resides in New York City.
 2229. X. MAGIE.

The foregoing family was taken from the family bible by Emma W. Carpenter, 120 West Grand St., Elizabeth, N. J., the daughter of James.

332.

HENRY CARPENTER* 948, of Hope 317,

John 17, Hope 25, Hope 82, Hope 317.

Gen. 9. Children 8, b. probably in Elizabeth, N. J.

2230. I. HOPE was b. in 1792; he went to the "Lake Country" near lake Erie.

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2231. II. SARAH; m. *J. Moore* and went to Ohio.
 2232. III. PHEBE; m. and moved to Cincinnati, Ohio.
 2233. IV. JOHN. (686)
 2234. V. MARY; m. a *Crane* and went to Cincinnati, Ohio.
 2235. VI. ELIZABETH. She was living in 1847.
 2236. VII. DANIEL. (687)
 2237. VIII. NANCY; m. a *Slack*; lives near Birmingham, N. J., four miles above Trenton. They have a son Amos Slack.
 Family No's. 333, 334 and 335 are dropped.

336.

① PETER CARPENTER⁹⁶², of Joseph³²².
 John¹⁷, Hope²⁵, ~~Elizabeth³⁴~~, ~~Joseph³²²~~, ~~John³⁵~~, ~~Elizabeth^{326a}~~, ~~Joseph³²²~~
 Gen. 8. Children 3, b. in Carpenter's Hill, ~~Es.~~ NY.

2238. I. JOSEPH was b. Aug. 4, 1823; m. *Mary Stegall*, 1849; she d. in 1851; m. 2d, *Pauline Burns*, in 1853; he d. Sept. 27, 1866, of cholera and was buried at Shelbyville, Tenn.
 2239. II. SAMUEL was b. Nov. 2, 1827; m. *Sarah E. Montgomery*, March 14, 1855, daughter of Thomas and Mary Fleming Montgomery. Residence, Bloomfield, Ia. and Oswego, Kans. (688)

Sarah E. Montgomery's father was a large land and slave owner of Bedford county, Tenn., and traces his ancestry to the Montgomeries of Revolutionary time and to county Antrim in Ireland. Samuel Carpenter embarked in the mercantile business in 1855 at Palmetto, Tenn., with his brother-in-law Robert S. Montgomery and was very successful. During the civil war he and the Montgomeries were loyal to the Union, Samuel being a rank abolitionist, absolutely refusing to own slaves or traffic in them. His store was destroyed by the rebels in 1862 and he was taken prisoner by Morgan's guerrillas and barely escaped with his life; after which he hastily collected what property he could and through the influence of his brother John, a confederate officer, he was allowed to pass the rebel lines, and with his family and father started north. He located at Bloomfield, Iowa and again embarked in the mercantile business and was remarkably successful. Owing to the rigorous climate of Iowa, his father died there and also his father-in-law, Thomas Montgomery, who also had to leave the south. Thus these two old patriots sleep their last sleep side by side, because of their loyalty to their country and flag. In 1865 Samuel returned to Tennessee, where he resided until 1874, when he with his family moved to Kansas and located at Oswego, in Labette county, erecting the first business block in that town and he still resides there though retired from business. He is an elder in the Presbyterian church and has been a member of the same from his youth.

2240. III. JOHN was b. Nov. 29, 1832; m. *Elizabeth Cochrane*, Nov. 16, 1866; her family came from North Carolina; she d. Feb. 12, 1883, and is buried at Oswego, Kans. (689)

John began life as a clerk in a country store and later went into the mercantile business on his own account. He joined the confederate army in 1861; enlisted in company D, fourth Tennessee cavalry, Starn's regiment, Dibrell's brigade. Their range was chiefly in Tennessee, Kentucky and West Virginia. He fought in the battles of Thomas' Station, Chickamauga, Knoxville, Dalton, Resaca, Keneshaw Mountain, Ringgold and London, Tenn.; Clinch and Big Hill Gap, East Tenn.; Atlanta, Columbia, S. C.; Raleigh and Balhville, Va.; Barboursville, Bacon Creek, Big Hill, Richmond, Frankfort, Munfordville and Perryville, Ky.; Jackson, West Tenn.; Humboldt and Wartrace, Tenn. He was with Forrest when he captured Straight's command at Sand Mountain, north of Louisville. His last battle was at Greensborough, N. C. Here he was detailed as escort to Jefferson Davis who was making his way to Mexico. He surrendered to Sherman's men, May 9, 1865 and Davis was captured the next day. Since the war, Davis in writing to a nephew of John said: "Give my regards to your gallant uncle." Company D, fourth Tennessee cavalry, was formed with 96 men, all of whom were killed in battle except five. John had four horses killed under him during his service. After the war he returned to Farmington, Tenn., ragged and penniless, but later accumulated sufficient means to again embark in the mercantile business. He came to Kansas in 1878 and joined his brother Samuel at Oswego, Kans. He now resides there but has retired from active business.

337.

① JOHN CARPENTER* 963, of Joseph 322,
John 17, Hope 25, ^{John 85, 336} Ezekiah 9, Joseph 322.

Gen. 12 Children 3, birthplace not known.

2241. I. JOSEPH was b. Nov. 7, 1819; d. Sept. 14, 1845.
2242. II. RUTH was b. Dec. 17, 1827; m. *William Mull*.
2243. III. JOHN was b. Nov. 9, 1831; m. 1st, *Anne Lovina Mull*, in 1851, daughter (690)
of Jacob Mull; m. 2d, *Mary J. Mull*, daughter of John Mull, in 1867.
He had four children by his 1st wife and seven by his last wife.

338.

DANIEL CARPENTER* 978, of Benjamin 335,

John 17, William 26, Daniel 89, Benjamin 335.

Gen. 9. Children 3, grandfather b. in Hempstead, L. I.

2244. I. SAMUEL was b. about 1810, in Amenia, N. Y.; m. *Hannah Shutting*.
2245. II. EDMUND; m. *L. Hoag*.
2246. III. BENJAMIN was b. about 1815, at Amenia; m. *Fanny Hunting*. He was killed
on the railroad at the west.

339.

MORGAN CARPENTER* 981, of Benjamin 335,

John 17, William 26, Daniel 89, Benjamin 335.

Gen. 9. Children 9, b. in Stanford, N. Y.

2247. I. CATHERINE BOCKEE was b. Nov. 25, 1821.
2248. II. BENJAMIN PLATT was b. Nov. 25, 1821 and d. Dec. 30, 1836, in Stanford.
2249. III. CATHERINE BOCKEE, was b. June 24, 1823; m. *John B. Lent*, Oct. 28, 1847;
she d. Sept. 17, 1879, he d. April 25, 1882. Residence, Poughkeepsie or
Chautauqua, N. Y.
2250. IV. MARY M. was b. Feb. 1, 1825; m. *Edward G. Tyler*, Oct. 1, 1841. Residence,
Canandaigua county, N. Y. They had three children: 1, *Maria Seymore*;
2, *Morgan Carpenter*; 3, *Mary Katie*. All b. in Canandaigua, N. Y.
2251. V. JACOB BOCKEE was b. July 16, 1826; m. *S. E. Thorne*, Jan. 28, 1860. (691)
He d. April 9, 1894.

"Hon. Jacob B. Carpenter was found dead in bed at his home at Little Rest, in the town of Washington, early Monday morning, Apr. 9, 1894. His death was caused by heart trouble, from which he had suffered for years. His death was entirely unexpected, and will be sincerely regretted. He was born in the town of Stanford, July 16, 1826, the son of Morgan and Maria Bockee Carpenter. He was born on the farm where his father and grandfather had lived before him. He came of a family quite prominently identified with the social, commercial and political history of Dutchess Co. His father was lay judge in Dutchess years ago, and his home was in Poughkeepsie until 1871 when he died. His mother was a woman of refinement and culture. She died in 1870. Jacob was the oldest of sons, the others being B. Platt and Isaac. He was sent to school at Stanford, and afterwards graduated at Union College in 1845. He returned to Stanford and for eighteen years followed farm life. He loved the country and always maintained a home out side the city. He took an active part in public affairs. His first public position was that of supervisor from the town of Stanford, to which office he was elected in 1855. The following year was elected member of the assembly from this district. In 1860 he was one of the presidential electors, and cast his vote for Abraham Lincoln. In 1864 Mr. Carpenter left his farm and made his home in Poughkeepsie, and during the years from 1866 to 1868 he engaged

in financial enterprises in the territory of Colorado; he crossed the plains a dozen times in two years. In 1870 he was again elected supervisor and in 1872 he was elected a member of the assembly for the second time. In 1875 he was elected mayor of the city of Poughkeepsie, on the democratic ticket: this was his last public office, and he filled it as he had filled all the others he had held—with ability and integrity. Mr. Carpenter was receiver for the old Poughkeepsie and Eastern railroad, and at one time he was a member of the board of managers of the Hudson river state hospital. In January, 1860, Mr. Carpenter was married to Miss Sarah Thorne, daughter of the late Stephen Thorne of Poughkeepsie. Two daughters blessed the union, Minnie T. and May.

Mr. Carpenter was a man of strong character, and his likes and dislikes were extreme. In politics he identified himself with both the great parties at different times. In 1884 he supported Mr. Cleveland and took an active part in the campaign with the democrats. In 1888 he opposed the election of Mr. Cleveland, and made speeches against the democracy, and in favor of Mr. Harrison. In late years he took no active part in politics. He lived quietly at home where he died."

2252. VI. ISAAC SMITH was b. June 24, 1828; m. *Julia Wilson*, Aug. 28, 1851; she (692) d. May 22, 1858; m. 2d, *Sarah B. Wilson*, Sept. 5, 1861. He lived on the farm purchased by his grandfather, Benjamin Carpenter. P. O. address, Shekomeko, Dutchess Co., N. Y.
2253. VII. LOIS SMITH was b. Nov. 26, 1830; m. *Abraham Steele*, July 1, 1851.
2254. VIII. SARAH MARIA was b. March 25, 1832; d. March 21 or 22, 1894, at Poughkeepsie, N. Y. She was for a long time one of the state board of commissioners of charity, and a very active member. She took much interest in local doings and was well known as a woman of remarkable ability and good judgment.
2255. IX. BENJAMIN PLATT was b. May 14, 1837; m. *Esther Thorn*, Nov. 24, (693) 1860. Residence, Poughkeepsie.

After a preparatory course in the schools of his native town, he entered Union college, from which he was graduated in 1857. He immediately after commenced studying law, and in 1858, when he had just obtained his majority he was elected district attorney of Dutchess county, but resigned the office late in 1860. From 1865 to 1869 he was internal revenue assessor for the twelfth district of New York; and in 1867 he was sent to the state constitutional convention, from the eleventh senatorial district. In 1872 he was the temporary chairman of the republican state convention. He was elected to the state senate in 1875 from the eleventh district by a majority of 3,610, over James Mackin, democrat; although the democratic majority of the preceding election of senator had been 1945. In November, 1877, Mr. Carpenter was elected county judge for Dutchess county. He now resides at Helena, Mont.; was the last territorial governor of that new state. He was appointed to the governorship by President Arthur, which office he held until the election of President Cleveland. His mother was Maria Bockee, daughter of Jacob Bockee, and granddaughter of Margaret (Platt) Smith. Before he went west he was nominated on the republican ticket for lieutenant governor of New York. He was prominent in his party in the state.

340.

JESSE CARPENTER^s 983, of Colvin 336,

John 17, Samuel 27, Joseph 91, Colvin 336,

Gen. 9. Children 4, b. probably in Chester, N. Y.

2256. I. CLARA; m. *David Roe*, of Chester, Orange county, N. Y.
2257. II. JOSEPH; m. *Olive Taylor* and had five children; he d. in 1829, aged 45; (694) she m. 2d, a *Barney* and was living in Elmira in 1887 with her son Joseph Barney; she was aged 92 years.
- ① 2258. III. JESSE; m. *Emma Sager*, daughter of Judge John Sager, of Seneca, N. Y.; he d. July 11, 1859, aged 72. He was b. 1787 See notes pg. 843.
2259. IV. HANNAH.

No Family No. 695.

NO. 2252: FAMILY 340.

341.

*See duplicate family # 694*JOSEPH CARPENTER^s 998, of Jesse 340.

John 17, Samuel 27, Joseph 91, Jesse 340.

Gen. 9. Children 4, b. probably in Chester, N. Y.

2260. I. JESSE was b. about 1785; he was drowned when young.
- 2260-a. II. ROBERT T.: he had one child; both d. near N. Y.
- 2260-b. III. JONAS S.; m. and had one child.
- 2260-c. IV. B. SEELEY: he had five children, four daughters and one son. His son lives near Bath, N. Y.

342.

JESSE CARPENTER^s 999, of Jesse 340.

John 17, Samuel 27, Joseph 91, Jesse 340.

Gen. 9. Children 10, b. probably in Chester, N. Y.

2261. I. EDWARD S. was b. in 1811; m. *Harriet Strong*; he d. 1837; they had eight children.
2262. II. GEORGE E. was b. in 1813; m. *Emily Burrington*, in 1844.
2263. III. MARTHA T. was b. in 1816; m. *B. C. Wickham*, of Tioga, Penn., about 1851.
2264. IV. JAMES was b. in 1818; m. *Martha E. Carpenter*, in 1844, granddaughter of Gen. Matthew Carpenter: they had two children.

Matthew Carpenter came from Oneida county to Chemung county in an early day: he was a surveyor for the state: he had three sons and eight daughters, the city of Elmira was named for one of the daughters; they were all very eminent women. Martha E. has one son and one daughter. Although bearing the same name Mrs. Martha E. Carpenter and her husband knew of no relationship.

2265. V. SALLY was b. 1820.
2266. VI. JONATHAN C. was b. in 1822; m. *Hannah Seely*, of New York, in 1852; he d. Jan. 6, 1887; they had three children. Residence, Na-au-say, Kendall Co., Ill.
2267. VII. CLARA C. was b. in 1824.
2268. VIII. WILLIAM S. was b. in 1826; m. *Hattie Beckwith*, in 1850 or 1851, of (696) Elmira, N. Y., probably b. March 30, 1829, and d. Sept. 19, 1841.
2269. IX. SUSAN E. was b. in 1828; m. *John G. Lowman*, in 1854, of Lowmanville, Ky. they had three children.
2270. X. HENRY F. was b. in 1830; d. young.

343.

DANIEL CARPENTER^s 1002, of Samuel 344.

John 17, Samuel 27, Samuel 92, Samuel 344.

Gen. 9. Children 13, b. probably in Goshen, N. Y.

2271. I. ELIZA was b. June 9, 1799; m. a *Brown*. They had four children namely: 1, *Carrie*; 2, *Louisa*, m. a Cole; 3, *Sarah*; 4, *Samuel*; 5, *James*.
2272. II. TEMPERANCE was b. April 13, 1802; m. a *Smith*.
2273. III. SAMUEL was b. Oct. 1, 1804.
2274. IV. SALLY, d. young.

2275. V. SARAH was b. Oct. 27, 1812; m. a *Webb*; he d. Sept. 19, 1884, at Ridgebury, N. Y. They had two children, namely: 1, *Daniel*; 2, *Jessie*; m. W. Decker.
2276. VI. DANIEL CARPENTER was b. April 18, 1814; m. *Martha A. Carpenter*, No. (697) 2289, daughter of Benjamin, No. 1004, April 26, 1837. Residence, Addison, Steuben Co., N. Y.
2277. VII. ALLETTA was b. Jan. 21, 1816; m. a *Russell*.
2278. VIII. MARY was b. March 25, 1818; m. a *Paine*. They have had five children.
2279. IX. JOHN was b. Jan. 8, 1820; d. Aug. 20, 1885. Residence, Wellsville, N. Y. (698)
2280. X. WILLIAM was b. May 7, 1822; m. *Arminda Carpenter*. (699)
2281. XI. ARMINDA; d. July 1, 1825.
2282. XII. JANE was b. Aug. 12, 1826; m. a *Rankin*; she d. May 24, 1889; they had four children, namely: 1, *Estella*; 2, *Alletta*; 3, *Jessie*; 4, *May*.
2283. XIII. SAMUEL was b. Aug. 6, 1828; d. Dec. 7, 1894. Residence, Wellsville, N. Y. (700)

344.

BENJAMIN CARPENTER^s 1004, of Samuel 344,

John 17, Samuel 27, Samuel 92, Samuel 344.

Gen. 9. Children 12, b. probably in Goshen, N. Y. ¹⁷⁵² ~~1758~~

2284. I. SARAH; m. *Horace Stowell*; they had six children, namely: 1, *Adaline*; m. a Greene; 2, *Mary*; 3, *Hazard*; 4, *Horace*; 5, *Eliza*, m. a McConnell; 6, *Sarah*, m. a McClellan.
2285. II. EMILY; m. a *Searle*; they had three children, namely: 1, *Anne*; 2, *Henry*; 3, *Emily*.
2286. III. MARGARET; m. a *Chamberlain*; they had seven children, namely: 1, *John*; 2, *Joseph*; 3, *Jeanette*, m. a Caswell; 4, *Emma*, m. a Julian; 5, *Henrietta*, m. a Johnson; 6, *Ralph*; 7, *Horace*.
2287. IV. KATE; m. a *Morgan* and had two children.
2288. V. DANIEL.
2289. VI. MARTHA ALIDA; m. *Daniel Carpenter*, No. 2276, son of Daniel, her cousin, No. 1002.
2290. VII. MARY; m. *Solomon Londers*; they had two children: 1, *Charles*; 2, *George*.
2291. VIII. ELIZABETH ALLISON; m. *Solomon Londers*, for his 2d wife; they had four children, namely: 1, *Mary*, m. an Austin; 2, *Olive*, m. a Fisher; 3, *Augusta*, m. a Church; 4, *Sarah*; 5, *Margaret*.
2292. IX. BENJAMIN.
2293. X. SAMUEL, m. *Nancy Gardner*, his cousin, daughter of Hannah. (701)
2294. XI. DANIEL A. (702)
2295. XII. CATHERINE; m. a *Wagner*; they had two children, namely: 1, *Sarah*, m. a Thompson; 2, *Frederick*.

345.

WILLIAM A. CARPENTER^s 1005, of Samuel 344,

John 17, Samuel 27, Samuel 92, Samuel 344.

Gen. 9. Children 10, b. probably in Goshen, N. Y.

2296. I. SAMUEL EDSSELL was b. July 5, 1808; d. June 14, 1854, b. in Bainbridge, Chenango Co., N. Y. and d. Residence, Buffalo, N. Y.

- 2297. II. ELIZABETH ALLISON was b. March 1, 1811, in Buffalo, N. Y.; m. *Leslie Fleming*, she had a family of five children and the only surviving member in 1897, is Mrs. John F. Kerns of Buffalo, N. Y.: 1, *Earnot C.*, b. Feb. 10, 1845; 2, *Elizabeth E.*, b. Dec. 15, 1847 and three others.
- ① 2298. III. WILLIAM LEWIS, was b. July 17, 1813, in Batavia, N. Y.: m. *Mamie (703) Frances Bristol*, in 1837; he d. in 1867. He was editor of the *Dunkirk Beacon*. See Note page 843.
- 2299. IV. HARRIET TRACY was b. April 5, 1816, in Buffalo; m. *Horace Thomas* of Groton, N. Y., Feb. 16, 1815; he d. July 22, 1887, in Buffalo; she d. Nov. 9, 1880; they had seven children, viz.: 1, *Celesta Emiline*, b. June 27, 1838; 2, *William Allison*, b. Dec. 8, 1840, d. Oct. 19, 1870, in Buffalo; 3, *Horace, Jr.*, b. Jan. 3, 1843, d. Sept. 14, 1862; 4, *Harriet Elizabeth*, b. Feb. 23, 1845, d. Sept. 5, 1872, in Cleveland O.; 5, *Alanson Seward*, b. Jan. 11, 1848; 6, *John Henry*, b. April 10, 1850, d. Oct. 14, 1886, in Florida; 7, *Orin Clark*, b. April 9, 1852, all b. in Buffalo, N. Y.
- 2300. V. JOHN HENRY was b. June 14, 1818; d. Jan. 21, 1863; m. — no issue.
- 2300-a. VI. CARNOT was b. Oct. 6, 1820, in Chautauqua, N. Y.; d. Dec. 27, 1853.
- 2300-b. VII. FRANKLYN was b. March 5, 1823, in Chautauqua; lost at sea, Sept. 12, 1857.
- 2300-c. VIII. LAFAYETTE was b. Feb. 22, 1825 and d. in infancy.
- 2300-d. IX. LAFAYETTE was b. Oct. 30, 1827; he was m.: d. in Petaluma, Cal., about 1891; had two daughters and a son Edsell, who now resides there.
- 2300-e. X. PHEOBETT was b. Aug. 15, 1830; m. a *White* and left two daughters and one son; she d. in Michigan.

346.

JAMES CARPENTER^s 1020, of Benjamin 354.

John 17, Samuel 27, Benjamin 93, Benjamin 354.

Gen. 9. Children 2, b. in Kingston, Penn.

- 2301. I. BENJAMIN OWEN b. about 1801. (704)
- 2302. II. JOHN was b. about 1805.

347.

RICHARD CARPENTER^s 1027, of John 362,

John 17, Samuel 27, John 95, John 362.

Gen. 9. Child 1, b. probably in Goshen, N. Y.

- 2303. I. ANNE; m. *Terry Deuman*; they moved to Ohio.

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JESSE CARPENTER^s 1031, of John 362,

John 17, Samuel 27, John 95, John 362.

Gen. 9. Children 16, b. in Walkill, Orange Co., N. Y.

- 2304. I. HARRIET was b. Sept. 18, 1795; m. *Moses Mapes*; she d. Jan. 29, 1828. A farmer.

2305. II. WILLIAM was b. Sept. 2, 1797; m. *Martha Gould*. Residence, Wantage, (705)
Sussex Co., N. Y. A farmer.
2306. III. MAHALA was b. Feb. 7, 1800; m. *Nathaniel Coleman*, May 16, 1827. A farmer.
2307. IV. JESSE was b. Sept. 13, 1802; m. *Eliza Robinson*, who d. in Novem- (706)
ber, 1847. Residence, Wantage, Sussex Co., N. Y.
2308. V. JOHN MAPES was b. Sept. 30, 1804; m. 1st, *Pamelia Curtis*; m. 2d, (707)
Pamelia Howell. He was pastor of the Baptist church in Vincenttown,
N. J., in 1846. A Baptist clergyman.

Extract from a letter from Rev. John M. Carpenter:

VINCENTOWN, N. J., FEB. 25, 1846.

MR. A. B. CARPENTER:—

Dear Sir:—By due course of mail I received your letter of the 16th inst. and avail myself of this early opportunity to return you an answer. Tracing out the ancestry of my family and of the Carpenter name is a subject which has occupied less or more of my thoughts for a number of years, but hitherto I have not undertaken its accomplishment. My neglect has not been altogether for want of interest in the subject but mostly for want of being able fully to gain a starting point. I am highly gratified that you have undertaken to find out, if possible the connecting links in the genealogical line of the great number bearing our name, so as to enable you to trace their descent back to one common family origin, forming, though exceeding distant, a relation between us. It is equally gratifying that you have called my attention to the matter and solicited my co-operation in the task you have attempted. Be assured I shall take pleasure in rendering you all the assistance in my power. In order to enter thoroughly upon this work, you will grant me the indulgence of a little time that I may make some little investigation beyond what I have ever yet done."

The compiler had the pleasure of meeting him at his house in 1846 on his way to Philadelphia and found him much interested in a genealogy and expected much from him by way of assistance, which was cut short by his death a year or two later. No information of the family has since been received, even the date of his death, or from any one of his 15 brothers and sisters except what was procured at that time: also failed in the efforts to procure a biographical sketch.

2309. VI. MARIA was b. Sept. 14, 1808; m. *Joshua Carwin*, who d. in 1846, at Minisink, N. Y.
2310. VII. PAMELIA was b. Sept. 16, 1810 and d. young.
2311. VIII. STEPHEN CLARK was b. March 10, 1812; d. in 1836. A tailor. (708)
2312. IX. OLIVER LEWIS was b. March 31, 1814; m. a *Raynor*. A farmer. (709)
2313. X. BENJAMIN STEARNS was b. Dec. 22, 1816; m. *Susan Mills*. Residence, (710)
Wantage. A farmer.
2314. XI. AMY was b. in May, 1819; d. young.
2315. XII. JULIA ANN was b. January, 1821; m. *Joseph Winters*. Residence, Minisink.
A tailor.
2316. XIII. CHARLOTTE A. was b. in May, 1823; d. in 1824 at Walkill, Orange Co., N. Y.
2317. XIV. ZELOTAS GRENELL was b. August, 1825.
2318. XV. SARAH ELIZABETH was b. April 17, 1827.
2319. XVI. ORA GRENELL was b. in January, 1830.

349.

ASA CARPENTER^s 1032, of John 362,

John 17. Samuel 27. John 95. John 362.

Gen. 9. Children 5, b. in Minisink, Orange Co., N. Y.

2320. I. MARIA was b. in 1808. Residence, western New York.
2321. II. ELIZABETH.

2322. III. MELISSA.
2323. IV. JANE.
2324. V. ASA.

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WAIT CARPENTER* 1036, of Wait 363,

John 17, Samuel 27, John 95, Wait 363.

Gen. 9. Children 2, b. probably in Goshen, N. Y.

2325. I. HORACE; m. *Mehitabel Graham*, Nov. 5, 1814.
2326. II. JANE was b. about 1800.

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DANIEL CARPENTER* 1038, of Joseph 365,

John 17, Samuel 27, John 95, Joseph 365.

Gen. 9, Children 8, b. probably in Goshen, N. Y.

2327. I. MARY was b. Oct. 2, 1788; m. a *Seeley*; she d. June 30, 1829.
2328. II. JOHN was b. Jan. 19, 1787; d. April 9, 1826, in Minisink, N. Y. (711)
2329. III. LYDIA was b. May 2, 1794; m. *Benjamin Smith*, son of Benjamin who m. Ruth Carpenter, No. 1037. They had only one child, a daughter; when last heard from, she and her husband had gone to the far west.
2330. IV. JOSEPH was b. Dec. 15, 1790.
2331. V. CLARISSA was b. July 21, 1800 and d. in October, 1833.
2332. VI. JESSE was b. Aug. 6, 1792 and d. Jan. 25, 1828.
2333. VII. REBECCA was b. Oct. 27, 1798; m. 1st, *John Hawkins*, July 2, 1818; he d. in February, 1821, in Northville, Wayne Co., Mich.; m. 2d, *Asa Sha*, son of Anson Sha, June 22, 1828.
2334. VIII. EPHRAIM WOOD was b. May 21, 1804 and d. Aug. 8, 1822.

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NEHEMIAH CARPENTER* 1045, of Nehemiah 368,

John 17, Solomon 28, Solomon 96, Nehemiah 368.

Gen. 9. Children 10, b. in New York state.

2335. I. NOAH S. was b. Jan. 14, 1782, in Orange Co., N. Y. He is a relative of Samuel, probably of Ridgebury, N. Y. and Benjamin of Brookfield, N. Y. and Noah, the lame man. (712)
2336. II. MARY was b. Nov. 6, 1783 and d. young.
2337. III. AENER was b. Jan. 19, 1790 and d. in 1805.
2338. IV. WILLIAM was b. Nov. 17, 1793.
2339. V. NICHOLAS was b. Nov. 28, 1785, and d. young. *Nicholas in 5. 1795 went to Canada*
2340. VI. WILKINS was b. July 12, 1797 and d. in 1834 or 1835. He resided in Bloom-
ingburgh, N. Y.
2341. VII. ANNA was b. Feb. 17, 1799 and d. young.
2342. VIII. JAMES was b. Aug. 21, 1800.

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2343. IX. GEORGE THOMPSON was b. March 3, 1803.
2344. X. SARAH was b. Dec. 4, 1787.

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NICHOLAS CARPENTER* 1046, of Nehemiah 368,

John 17, Solomon 28, Solomon 96, Nehemiah 368.

Gen. 9. Children 6, b. probably in Goshen, N. Y.

2345. I. ALBERT was b. in 1806.
2346. II. EDWIN was b. in 1807.
2347. III. WILLIAM STRINGHAM was b. in 1810. He resided in Minisink.
2348. IV. ANN ELIZA was b. in 1813.
2349. V. NELSON B. was b. in 1820. Residence, New York city.
2350. VI. MARGARET PRISCILLA was b. in 1823.

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ELIPHALET CARPENTER* 1052, of Eliphalet 373,

William 18, John 31, Eliphalet 98, Eliphalet 373.

Gen. 9. Child 1, b. in Woodstock, Conn., or Keene, N. H.

2351. I. HANNAH was b. 1766; d. November, 1777.

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EPHRAIM CARPENTER* 1054, of Eliphalet 373,

William 18, John 31, Eliphalet 98, Eliphalet 373.

Gen. 9. Children 11, b. in Woodstock, Conn.

2352. I. ELIAS was b. Oct. 7, 1761; m. *Sarah Prescott*, Dec. 6, 1798, of Strafford, (713) Vt., daughter of James and Jane Prescott, b. Aug. 6, 1779, at Deering, N. H.; she d. Aug. 6, 1837, at Strafford, Vt.; he d. Feb. 16, 1851, aged 90 years, in Strafford, Vt. A farmer.

Elias enlisted in the Revolutionary army from Strafford, Vt., January, 1781, in Captain Wells' company, Col. Samuel B. Webbs' regiment, of Connecticut; served till Jan. 4, 1784 and received a pension from April 9, 1818; he was the first man to enter Yorktown at the surrender of Cornwallis; was most loyal until his death, telling with great earnestness reminiscences of the war; although a pious man and never profane he invariably spoke of the Tories as "Damned Tories," so that one of his grandchildren supposed that "Damned Tories" was one word. The following obituary notice is copied from an old newspaper.

"Died in Strafford, Feb. 16, 1851, Mr. Elias Carpenter one of the few surviving Revolutionary soldiers, aged 90. Mr. Carpenter enlisted in the service of his country under Washington, when 17 years old, and was at the evacuation of New York and the taking of Lord Cornwallis which decided the independence of our country. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church."

2353. II. EPHRAIM was b. May 26, 1762 or 1763 and d. Jan. 20, 1776, in Woodstock, Conn.
2354. III. ELIPHALET was b. July 9, 1765; m. 1st, *Sybil Vinny*, in 1785; m. 2d, (714) *Matilda Reynolds*, April 18, 1815; he d. April 6, 1835. He probably served in the Revolutionary war as an Eliphalet Carpenter was on the pension roll of Connecticut as a resident of Ashford, Conn. He was a charter member, one of eight, of the first church in Belvidere, Vt., in 1812. A farmer.

It was probably this Eliphalet who served as private in Capt. Shubal Willmarth's company, Col. Benjamin Symond's regiment, enlisted April 26, 1778 and served 24 days, marched to Saratoga, N. Y., Berkshire county regiment. At the time of enlistment he was probably a resident of Ashford, Conn.

2355. IV. WILLARD was b. April 3, 1767; m. *Polly Bacon*, Feb. 23, 1791, daughter (715) of Oliver Bacon and was b. March 15, 1769; d. March 4, 1860, aged 91; he d. Nov. 14, 1854, at Strafford, Vt. A farmer.
- He moved to Strafford, Vt., soon after his marriage. It was then a vast wilderness, only a very few settlers in the town. He was really a pioneer settler and raised up a large and industrious family. After his death, Polly, his widow, lived and died at the residence of her son Lucius, at the advanced age of 92 years (family record). After death could be counted 12 children, 52 grandchildren, 53 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.
2356. V. JOSEPH was b. March 5, 1769; m. *Sally or Sarah Prescott*, Oct. 15, 1826; she was the daughter of William W. and Jane Prescott and was b. Sept. 1, 1805; d. April 28, 1842. He probably resided in Strafford, Vt.
2357. VI. BEMSLEY was b. April 19, 1771; d. Oct. 7, 1775.
2358. VII. HARVEY was b. Dec. 31, 1775; m. 1st, *Charity*; m. 2d, *Esther Sabin*. (715½) He moved to Strafford, Vt., and later went West. A farmer.
2359. VIII. POLLY was b. May 12, 1778; d. in Strafford, Vt.
2360. IX. EPHRAIM was b. June 7, 1780; m. 1st, *Elizabeth Prescott*, June 30, 1802; (716) she was the daughter of James Prescott and d. Jan. 18, 1841; m. 2d, *Sarah or Sally A. King*, Oct. 21, 1841; she was b. Dec. 8, 1799, in Tunbridge, Vt., and d. Jan. 18, 1868. He d. June 11, 1863; residence, Tunbridge, Vt. A farmer.
2361. X. JOHN SULLIVAN was b. June 26, 1782; m. *Martha* ———; he moved to (717) Ashtabula county, Ohio, where he d. A farmer.
2362. XI. NELLIE; d. Oct. 9, 1775, at Woodstock, Conn.

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ELIJAH CARPENTER* 1057, of Eliphalet 373.

William 18. John 31. Eliphalet 98. Eliphalet 373.

Gen. 9. Children 13, b. in Sturbridge, Mass.

2363. I. SAMUEL was b. July 20, 1768; d. May 14, 1813.
2364. II. JOHN was b. Aug. 10, 1770; m. Anne Colegro. He composed one of the 23 first families of Greensboro, Vt., in 1795, and from Greensboro he went to Hyde Park, Vt., thence to Michigan. A farmer.
2365. III. HANNAH was b. Sept. 17, 1772; d. July 3, 1773.
2366. IV. HANNAH was b. Aug. 15, 1774; m. *Harvey Rounds* and moved to the state of New York. A farmer.
2367. V. DANIEL was b. Sept. 30, 1776 and probably m. *Olive Howard* of Mendon, Mass., May 22, 1801. On the records of Cumberland, R. I., we find the name of Daniel Carpenter of Cumberland, R. I., who married Olive Howard. He moved to Greensboro, Vt. A farmer.
2368. VI. MARY was b. Nov. 2, 1778.
2369. VII. ELIJAH was b. Dec. 12, 1780; m. *Abigail Pratt*, March, 1806. He (718) moved to Cumberland, R. I. A farmer.

2370. VIII. LOIS was b. Dec. 29, 1784.
 2371. IX. ZERUIAH was b. Oct. 18, 1786; d. April 30, 1801.
 2372. X. OLIVER was b. Jan. 10, 1789; m. *Amy Drury* of Charlton, Mass., May (719)
 19, 1811. A farmer.
 2373. XI. POLLY m. *Caleb Colegro* and they moved to Scituate, R. I., thence to the state
 of New York.
 2374. XII. ANNE was b. March 5, 1791; m. *John Gare*, Jan. 10, 1812; she d. May 15,
 1832; he d. March 3, 1842. Residence, Charlton and Sturbridge, Mass.
 2375. XIII. EPHRAIM (probably). The last two mentioned were children by the second wife.

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EBENEZER CARPENTER^s 1058, of Eliphalet 373.

William 18, John 31, Eliphalet 98, Eliphalet 375.

Gen. 9. Children 9, b. probably in Keene, N. H.

2376. I. PRUDENCE was b. about 1780; d. young.
 2377. II. MARY; d. young.
 2378. III. PRUDENCE; m. *Harvey Wells*; resided in Dublin, N. H.
 2379. IV. DINAH; m. *Asa Archer*. Residence, Manchester, N. H. A house carpenter.
 2380. V. DOLLY; m. *Thomas Wait*. Residence, Brookfield, Mass. A farmer.
 2381. VI. CHARITY; m. *Comfort Hamilton*. They moved to Geneva, N. Y. An innkeeper.
 2382. VII. REBECCA; m. *Silas Nurse* and resided in Walpole, N. H. A farmer.
 2383. VIII. OBADIAH was b. July 8, 1783; m. *Nancy Morse*, daughter of Joseph (720)
 Morse, Sept. 21, 1808. Residence, Littleton, N. H.; he moved there
 about 1808; he d. Sept. 15, 1860. A farmer.
 2384. IX. EBENEZER; m. *Pamela Ames*, February, 1802. A farmer. (721)

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JOHN CARPENTER^s 1061, of John 375,

William 18, John 31, Eliphalet 98, John 375.

Gen. 9. Children 2, b. in Brimfield, Mass.

2385. I. WILLIAM was b. July 25, 1757; m. *Sarah Sherman*, in 1782, daughter of (722)
 Thomas Sherman, b. March 28, 1765 and d. Oct. 5, 1835, aged 70
 years. He d. April 5, 1816. Residence, Kirkland, Oneida Co., N. Y.

William Carpenter, was in the service under his father's command, eight months during the siege of Boston, and later for three full years he served in Captain Toogood's company, Col. John Nixon's regiment; as appears from his discharge now in possession of his son William, which is as follows:

This certificate agrees exactly with the public records in the office of the Massachusetts secretary of state, where, also, is found the evidence of his other tour of service. He served also in the year 1776—though, as mentioned, in the case of his father, there is no official record of the service.

During the foregoing certified term of service, he was under Colonel Nixon, who held a brigadier's commission, and was in the battle of Stillwater or Bemis's Heights, and the battle of Saratoga. During this term of three years, he acted in a two-fold relation—doing duty as a private soldier, and when not on duty, acting as clerk of the regiment.

Having devoted nearly five years of the ardor of youth, and the vigor of manhood, to the service of his country, he retired to the quiet of his own home, having been paid off, at his discharge, in continental money, utterly worthless for any business transaction, and valuable to his descen-

dants only as evidence of the patriotic service and sacrifices of their ancestor. This continental money, to the amount of one hundred dollars, (the rest having been distributed among friends of the family,) is now in possession of his son William. Let us not speak lightly of this currency, for though coarse the paper, and coarser yet the engraving, and though emphatically a "hard currency" for those who were obliged to receive it as cash, it filled a place and sustained a part in the Temple of Independence.

William Carpenter, the subject of this sketch, having completed his term of three years, besides the other periods mentioned in the aggregate about five years—he returned to Brimfield, Mass., his native town, poorer than when he entered the service, except in the satisfying assurance of having stood for his country's freedom in the years of her darkness and peril.

In 1790 he removed to Kirkland, (then a part of Whiteston, and later Paris,) N. Y., to subdue a forest farm as his future home—and here by his talents and practical education, he made himself generally useful to his own and the surrounding neighborhoods, in facilitating the transaction of business, and adjusting differences among neighbors and friends, till the 5th day of April, 1816, when his spirit passed away. (By R. V. Carpenter, Chicago Ill.)

2386. II. ABIAL was b. June 20, 1759; m. *Mary Sherman* who d. April 5, 1837; (723) he d. Oct. 30, 1840. He moved to Adams, N. Y., thence to Kirkland, Ohio, and afterwards probably to Clinton, Oneida Co., N. Y. Though young, he was in the Revolutionary war in 1776.

Abial Carpenter, the younger son of John and Mercy, early caught the glow of patriotism. On hearing that a British force was about to march from Boston to seize the public stores at Concord, Mass., about sixty miles from his home; though only sixteen years of age, and from an early lameness not liable for military service, he hastened with others to meet the common foe. While on the way, having learned that the battle at Lexington had been fought, and that the British had retreated to Boston, he retraced his steps to Brimfield.

In 1776 he was in the army; though as mentioned in connection with his father's service, there is no official record of the 13,000 of Massachusetts soldiers who served that year. 1777 he served as a private in the same company—Captain Sibley's, in which his father was lieutenant. In 1778 he was attached to his father's company, Colonel Wood's regiment, stationed on the Hudson. In 1779, 1780, and 1781, he was under his father as commander of the guards, at Springfield—and after an aggregated time of service of four to five years, he too, at his discharge, was paid in the then worthless continental currency, (yet preserved as an honorable heirloom in his family,) and returned to his home in Brimfield.

In 1792 he rejoined his father and brother in Kirkland, then (Paris,) N. Y., and later removed to Adams, Jefferson Co., N. Y., where in 1840, at the mature age of more than 80 years, he went to his rest—he, only, of all his father's family, having for a few years enjoyed a pension from the country he had served so well.

Such as is here given, by one in no wise related, except by the common ties of manly virtue, is an outline of the public services of two generations of the Carpenter family, at an eventful period of our country's history. Rarely, indeed, can the annals of patriotism present an equal record, of a father subjecting himself and consenting that his two sons and only children should be subjected to all the hardships and perils of a doubtful war; and returning when the contest was triumphantly closed, poor in worldly wealth, but rich in the inheritance of liberty and peace, which had been secured for a continent.

May their descendants and fellow citizens learn patriotism from so high an example—and should clouds and darkness and storms again surround us, and threaten, from any point, the fair heritage they have left us, may we look upon the record, and go and do likewise. (By R. V. Carpenter, Chicago Ill.)

Abial Carpenter, of Brimfield, Mass., private, enlisted in Capt. James Sherman's company, in the Lexington alarm and served two days; he also served in Captain Sibley's company, Colonel Keyes' regiment, July 16, 1777, in the Rhode Island alarm, five months and 15 days; he enlisted again in Capt. John Carpenter's company, Col. Ezra Wood's regiment, June 2, 1778; served eight months on the North river, N. Y.; enlisted again the fourth time in John Carpenter's company, March 7, 1779, served two years, four months and 20 days, at Springfield, Mass. [He is transcribed from the record an Abial but the correct name is probably Abiah. Both refer to the same person.]

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BEMSLEY CARPENTER^s 1063, of John 375.

William 18, John 31, Eliphalet 68, John 375.

Gen. 9. Child 1, b. in Woodstock, Conn.

2387. I. BEMSLEY was b. April 3, 1776.

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JOSEPH CARPENTER^s 1064, of John 375,

William 18, John 31, Eliphalet 98, John 375.

2388. I. NANCY was b. Feb. 9, 1786.
 2389. II. ELIZABETH was b. Sept. 14, 1778; m. *Solomon Hosmer*, of Providence, R. I.
 2390. III. BEMSLEY; m. 1st, *Sarah Baker*; m. 2d, *Olive Foote*, of Lee, Mass. (724)
 2391. IV. POLLY; m. *Uriah Childs*, son of Abel and Rebecca, of Woodstock, Conn.; he was b. Dec. 5, 1779, d. July 4, 1812; she d. in 1824. in Chenango Co., N. Y.

360.

JOSEPH CARPENTER^s 1066, of Joseph 376,

William 18, John 31, Eliphalet 98, Joseph 376.

Gen. 9. Children 7, b. in Norwich, Conn.

2392. I. CHARLES. Residence, Boston, Mass. He sold land in Norwich in 1807. A jeweler.
 2393. II. ALFRED, son of Joseph sold land in 1808.
 2394. III. DANIEL; m. a widow, *Sarah H. Norton*, (reported a widow of Charles Shaw). He d. June 11, 1837. He sold land in Norwich in 1816 and in 1822. He went to Montgomery, Ala. A merchant.
 2395. IV. GARDNER; m. *Rebecca E. Hunter*, Jan. 19, 1819. He sold land in Norwich, in 1814. (725)
 2396. V. BETSEY.
 2397. VI. NANCY.
 2398. VII. MARY ANN; m. *Walter Lester*, in 1821.
 Gardiner, Charles, Betsey, Nancy and Mary Ann sold land in Norwich in 1808.

361.

GARDNER CARPENTER^s 1067, of Joseph 376,

William 18, John 31, Eliphalet 98, Joseph 376.

Gen. 9. Children 5, b. in Norwich, Conn.

2399. I. MARY ELIZABETH was b. Oct. 12, 1797.
 2400. II. GARDNER was b. March 29, 1802.
 2401. III. HENRY was b. Nov. 10, 1804.
 2402. IV. JOHN was b. March 4, 1817.
 2403. V. CHARLES was b. Oct. 21, 1810. Sold land in 1834.

362.

AMASA CARPENTER^s 1068, of Jesse 385,

William 18, John 31, Jesse 102, Jesse 385.

Gen. 9. Children 3, b. in Woodstock, Conn.

2404. I. CYRIL was b. Feb. 10, 1772; m. *Abigail May*, daughter of Thomas May, (726) Jan. 17, 1799. (She is recorded as "Nabby" on the Woodstock record.) She d. Aug. 19, 1832. He d. Nov. 19, 1839. A farmer.

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- 2405. II. NANCY was b. Aug. 12, 1773; m. *Lemuel Massey*; he d. in January, 1839. She d. March, 1832. A farmer.
- 2406. III. PRISCILLA was b. June 27, 1775; m. *Walter Walker*; he d. December, 1835. Residence, Brookfield, Mass. A blacksmith.

363.

DAVIS CARPENTER^s 1071, of Jesse 385.

William 18, John 31, Jesse 102, Jesse 385.

Gen. 9. Children 22, b. in Woodstock, Conn. and Walpole, N. H.

- 2407. I. AMASA was b. June 14, 1779; m. *Rebecca Mason*, March 21, 1798; she d. (727) in 1863; he d. March 13, 1837. Residence, Walpole, N. H. A farmer.
- 2408. II. RUTH was b. Dec. 22, 1780; m. *William Kingsbury*, March 3, 1820. Residence, Alstead, N. H. and Brockport, N. Y. A farmer.
- 2409. III. WALTER was b. Sept. 22, 1782; m. *Abigail Bowker*, Oct. 18, 1812. He (728) went to Brockport, N. Y. A farmer.
- 2410. IV. SYLVESTER was b. Aug. 3, 1784; m. 1st. in 1807; m. 2d. *Lydia Bowker*, (729) Aug. 23, 1826. Residence, Walpole, N. H. and Randolph, Vt.
- 2411. V. A twin, } not named, b. March 14, 1786; d. in infancy.
- 2412. VI. A twin, }
- 2413. VII. LUCY; d. young.
- 2414. VIII. HANNAH was b. Oct. 5, 1787 or 1788; m. *Bartlett Bowker*, Jan. 27, 1809, b. Dec. 6, 1784. Residence, Walpole, N. H. and St. Johnsbury, Vt. A farmer. They had ten children, viz.: 1, *George*, b. October, 1807; 2, *Meriam*, b. Dec. 19, 1810; 3, *Roxana A.*, b. Jan. 27, 1812; 4, *Davis C.*, b. May 13, 1815; 5, *Lucy C.*, b. May 7, 1817; 6, *Harriet F.*, b. Aug. 17, 1820; 7, *Sybel*, b. Feb. 27, 1822; 8, *Calvin*, b. Aug. 27, 1823; 9, *Hannah J.*, b. June 14, 1826; 10, *Charles A.*, b. May 30, 1830.
- 2415. IX. POLLY was b. May 10, 1789; d. in infancy.
- 2416. X. ASA was b. Nov. 10, 1791; m. *Mary Crehore*, in 1815; d. 1836. Residence, Rochester, N. Y. He was the youngest child b. in Woodstock, Conn., the remainder in Walpole, N. H. A miller.
- 2417. XI. ALICE was b. Jan. 14, 1794; m. *Orlando Parker* in 1818; he d. about 1828. Residence, Oswego, N. Y. A speculator. They had three children.
- 2418. XII. SARAH was b. Jan. 26, 1796; d. in infancy.
- 2419. XIII. LUCY was b. Oct. 1, 1797; m. *Charles Bugbee*, in 1822. Residence, Waterford, Vt. A farmer.
- ① 2420. XIV. DAVIS was b. Dec. 25, 1799; m. *Azubah Brockway*, of Brockport, N. Y., Oct 5, 1825. A physician. b. in Walpole, N.H. m. 5 OCT. 1825 See Note Page 843. d. 1878 Brockport. No Family
- 2421. XV. CYRIL was b. Oct. 29, 1801; m. *Nancy Farnsworth*, in 1824 or 1825. (731). Went to Brockport, N. Y. A farmer.
- 2422. XVI. MARY was b. about 1802; m. *Charles Chase* and went to Fall River, Mass. A physician.
- 2423. XVII. MIRIAM was b. Oct. 8, 1804; m. *Charles E. Chase* of Walpole, Nov. 17, 1825. She was the first child by his 2d wife, widow Lucy Bowker.

2424. XVIII. NANCY CUSHING was b. September, 1806; m. *Dr. Foster Hooper* of Fall River, Mass.
2425. XIX. POLLY was b. May 10, 1789; m. *Erastus Fielding*, Nov. 4, 1807. Residence, St. Johnsbury Centre, Vt. and Brockport, Monroe Co., N. Y. They had four children, viz: 1, *Ebenezer*; 2, *Carpenter*; 3, *Jerome*; 4, *Nancy*.
2426. XX. SOPHIA was b. Dec. 16, 1808; m. *Luther Proctor*. She d. Oct. 12, 1836. A farmer.
2427. XXI. LOUISA was b. Aug. 10, 1810; m. *Frederick Rice* of East Brimfield, Mass.
2428. XXII. ELIZA was b. Dec. 29, 1812; m. *William Barron*, Feb. 13, 1835. Residence, Woodstock, Vt. They had two children, viz: 1, *Louisa*; 2, *Fanny*. A farmer.

Widow Lucy Bowker had six children before she married Davis Carpenter, viz.: Bartlett, Cushing, Abigail, Lydia, Lucy, and Sally (not in the order of birth.) They were taken into Mr. Carpenter's family and brought up as one family; making in all 28 children; 24 growing up to man and womanhood.

Abigail Bowker married Walter Carpenter (No. 2409); Lydia Bowker married Sylvester Carpenter (No. 2410); Bartlett Bowker married Hannah Carpenter (No. 2414); children of Davis Carpenter by his first wife Miriam; thus the marrying of two brothers to their two sisters, and a sister to her brother in the same family without any blood relation.

364.

JESSE CARPENTER^s 1076, of Jesse 385,

William 18, John 31, Jesse 102, Jesse 385.

Gen. 9. Children 15, b. in Lyme, N. H.

2429. I. JESSE; d. young.
2430. II. ASA was b. about 1780; m. 1st, *Nancy Turner*; m. 2d, *Sophronia (732) Porter*. Residence, Manchester, N. H. A farmer and shoemaker.
2431. III. WILLARD; m. *Betsy Wisson*, and went to Clarkson, N. Y. A farmer. (733)
2432. IV. CYNTHIA m. *Silas Follett*. Residence, Thetford, Vt. A farmer.
2433. V. IRENE; m. *David Baker*. Residence, Thetford, Vt. A clothier and farmer.
- ① 2434. VI. ELEAZER; ^{b. 10 Dec 1790} probably d. young. m. ^{Craft Kinney m. 2 Oct 1814 (1751)} *Fanny Schuchter* Sherris b. 15 Apr 1796
2435. VII. SYLVIA; probably d. young.
2436. VIII. LUCY; m. *Calvin Hosford*. Residence, Thetford. A farmer.
2437. IX. AMY; m. *David Pushee*, b. March 6, 1787, son of David. Residence, Lyme, N. H. A farmer.
2438. X. MIRIAM; m. *Theron Converse*. A farmer.
2439. XI. JESSE was b. April 5, 1796; m. *Abigail Hovey*, June 2, 1822, b. Jan. 31, (734) 1797, in Lyme, N. H., d. June 3, 1862, in Hartford, Conn. A farmer and dealer in patents.
2440. XII. POLLY; m. *John Winslow*. A farmer.
2441. XIII. BETSEY; probably d. young.
2442. XIV. ABIGAIL; m. *Shubel Dimock*.
2443. XV. ELIZA was b. about 1810; d. young.

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NATHAN CARPENTER^s 1080, of Benjamin, 389,

William 18, John 31, Jesse 102, Benjamin 389.

Gen. 9. Children 9, b. in Keene, N. H.

2444. I. BARNARD was b. about 1790. He went to Jay, N. Y.
 2445. II. MERCY; residence, Keene, N. H.
 2446. III. LEVANDER; went to Jay, N. Y.
 2447. IV. LANCON.
 2448. V. PERSIS; went to Jay, N. Y.
 2449. VI. DOLLY; went to Jay, N. Y.
 2450. VII. JAMES; went to Troy, N. Y.
 2451. VIII. ZIMRI; went to Jay, N. Y.
 2452. IX. DAN.

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STEPHEN CARPENTER^s 1082, of Benjamin 389,

William 18, John 31, Jesse 102, Benjamin 389.

Gen. 9. Children 10, b. in Keene, N. H.

2453. I. ZILPAH SMITH.
 2454. II. WILLIAM was b. about 1780.
 2455. III. LUCY; d. Sept. 21, 1871 in Rutland, Vt. She was the last survivor of the family.
 2456. IV. ISABEL; residence, Rutland, Vt.
 2457. V. ASENATH was b. in Keene, N. H. or Rutland, Vt.
 2458. VI. LUCINDA.
 2459. VII. MATILDA; m. *Harvey Reynolds* of Sharon, Vt.
 2460. VIII. ORPHA W. B. was b. Aug. 30, 1801; m. *Hersey A. Estus*, July 4, 1819; he d. Dec. 13, 1864. She d. Sept. 17, 1853. Residence in Shrewsbury and Bridgeport, Vt. They d. at East Troy, Wis.
 2461. IX. WILBUR.
 2462. X. ENOS was b. in N. H. or Rutland, Vt.

One of the oldest daughters married Amos Stratton, son of Stephen.

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BENJAMIN CARPENTER^f 1083, of Benjamin 389,

William 18, John 31, Jesse 102, Benjamin 389.

Gen. 9. Child 1, b. in Southbridge or Sturbridge, Mass.

2463. I. BENJAMIN was b. about 1781 or 1783. His father being killed in the Revolutionary War before Benjamin was born, he was brought up in Southbridge or Sturbridge by Charles Newton. He m. *Hannah Whiting* about 1800 and moved to Cavendish or Plymouth, Vt. about 1804.

(736)

368.

SAMUEL CARPENTER⁸ 1099, of William 398,

William 18, William 32, Ebenezer 113, William 398.

Gen. 9. Children 5, the father b. in Cumberland, R. I.

2464. I. POLLY was b. Jan. 12, 1787.
2465. II. JOHN was b. May 5, 1790. He moved to New York city at an early day and nothing has been heard from him by the family since.
2466. III. SAMUEL was b. Nov. 15, 1792. (737)
2467. IV. CLARISSA was b. July, 1795 and probably d. young.
2468. V. JAMES was b. June 2, 1799; m. *Pauline Hilton*, of Saratoga, N. Y., June 24, 1820; she was b. Aug. 29, 1801 and d. at Hillsdale, Mich., July 29, 1854; he d. April 14, 1888, at Cresco, Howard Co., Iowa. (738)

He emigrated to Crowell, N. Y. and then to Hillsdale, Mich., in 1854; stayed there until the next spring and then moved to Jonesville, Wis. and stayed there one year and in the spring of 1856 went to Howard Co., Iowa and purchased a farm.

Ex-sheriff James Carpenter passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William H. Patterson, in Cresco, April 14, 1888, aged nearly 89 years. In 1857, when he became a resident of Howard county he was elected sheriff, served several years and always discharged the duties with conscientious fidelity; as a neighbor he was every person's friend; he was loved and respected.

2469. VI. EBENEZER. (739)

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EBENEZER CARPENTER⁸ 1100, of William 398,

William 18, William 32, Ebenezer 113, William 398.

Gen. 9. Children 8, b. in Cumberland, R. I.

2470. I. WILLIAM was b. Jan. 21, 1786; m. *Martha Howard*. He d. July 27, 1812 in his 27th year. Residence, Providence and Pawtucket, R. I. A cabinet maker.
2471. II. AMY A. was b. Nov. 3, 1787 and d. March 7, 1826, in her 38th year.
2472. III. LUCRETIA was b. Sept. 13, 1789; m. *George Pierce*. A machinist.
2473. IV. MARIA was b. Sept. 12, 1791; m. a *Washman*.
2474. V. HANNAH was b. Nov. 25, 1793 and d. Jan. 21, 1840, aged 46 years.
2475. VI. JOHN JAY was b. March 2, 1796; m. *Susan Hunt*, Jan. 2, 1819, who d. Feb. 7, 1879, aged 83 years. He d. May 21, 1870, aged 74 years. Residence, Smithfield, R. I. (740)
2476. VII. DAVID ANGELL was b. Feb. 20, 1798 and d. Jan. 21, 1817, in his 19th year.
2477. VIII. EBENEZER was b. June 9, 1800; m. *Ruth Ann Sheldon*, Dec. 29, 1825. Residence, Westerly, R. I. A house carpenter.

370.

SETH CARPENTER⁸ 1101, of Seth 405,

William 18, Benjamin 34, Amos 120, Seth 405.

Gen. 9. Children 2, b. in New Haven, Conn.

2478. I. GEORGE was b. about 1802; m. *Mary Atwater* and moved to Berkshire, Washington Co., Mich. A farmer.
2479. II. WILLIAM was b. Jan. 1, 1805; m. *Adeline Cornell*, daughter of John Cornell, b. Jan. 18, 1807. They moved to Monticello, N. Y. A shoemaker. (741)

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ELISHA CARPENTER^s 1109, of Elisha 406,
William 18, Benjamin 34, Amos 120, Elisha 406.

Gen. 9. Child 1, the father b. in Coventry, Conn.

2480. I. JAMES was b. about 1775. (742)

372.

ISAAC CARPENTER^s 1119, of Timothy 407,
William 18, Benjamin 34, Amos 120, Timothy 407.

Gen. 9. Children 4, the father b. in Coventry, Conn.

2481. I. HENRY MILLER was b. Sept. 16, 1804, in Philadelphia, Penn.; m. *Mary* (743)
Ann Marker, who d. Dec. 30, 1846.
2482. II. WILLIAM PARKER was b. Sept. 8, 1805, in Philadelphia; m. *Ann* (744)
Rudolph.
2483. III. CHARLES ALEXANDER was b. June, 1810, at Philadelphia.
2484. IV. ISAAC ROBINSON was born in Philadelphia.

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FREDERICK CARPENTER^s 1127, of Joshua 410,
William 18, Benjamin 34, Amos 120, Joshua 410.

Gen. 9. Children 11, b. in Charlestown, Mass.

2485. I. DIANA was b. Oct. 17, 1797; m. *Thomas A. Parker*, of Charlestown and had two
children: 1, *Harriet K.*, b. Sept. 4, 1822; 2, *Diana P.*, b. Dec. 22, 1823.
She d. April 15, 1833, in Boston. Residence, Hartford, Conn.
2486. II. FREDERICK was b. Sept. 5, 1799 and d. Oct. 9, 1800, in Charlestown, Mass.
2487. III. FREDERICK was b. March 18, 1801 and d. June 20, 1833, in Charlestown, Mass.
2488. IV. MARTHA WASHINGTON was b. Aug 15, 1803 and d. Aug. 24, 1825, in Charlestown, Mass.
2489. V. JOHN WEST was b. Oct. 14, 1805; d. June 24, 1835. He went west, in the
vicinity of St. Louis, Mo.
2490. VI. CHARLES MASON was b. Dec. 13, 1807 and d. March 24, 1829. He went to
Richmond, Va.
2491. VII. CATHERINE was b. Dec. 17, 1809 and d. March 19, 1828.
2492. VIII. GEORGE WEBSTER was b. May 26, 1812 and d. Nov. 10, 1837.
2493. IX. An infant b. Dec. 18, and d. Dec. 25, 1815, in Charlestown.
2494. X. MARCELLUS was b. Feb. 2, 1817; m. *Eliza A. Smith*, of Hollis, Me.; he d.
October, 1894. He was a trader; he held the office of overseer, etc.

Obituary notice of the death of Marcellus.

"Marcellus Carpenter, whose death was announced in this morning's Herald was born Feb. 2, 1817 at the corner of Austin St. and what is now Rutherford Ave., Charlestown. He was the tenth of 11 children.

He came from good old revolutionary stock, several of his ancestors having served in the continental army, among them being his grandfather, Major Heath. His father was of the firm of Barnabas, Edwards & Co., stoneware dealers on Austin Street.

Mr. Carpenter was a graduate of the old training field school. When 13 years of age, he commenced his apprenticeship in the carriage trimming and harness business, served his time, and became an expert workman.

At the age of 18 he entered the employ of a periodical dealer, and two years later, he established a book-store of his own. A few years later he commenced jobbing in fancy goods and druggists' sundries, which business he followed, with more or less activity, until quite recently. He introduced the harmonica into the New England States from Germany, in 1846. He was an expert player, and used to accompany himself with the guitar. He was much in demand at church concerts.

In 1847 he formed a partnership with George W. Lyon, a wealthy Chicagoan, who died last January, and for several years they travelled through New England, giving entertainments. He was a veteran fireman, having been a member of the volunteer department for upwards of fifty years, running with Warren engine company 4, from 1857 until 1871. In 1838 he joined the Charlestown light infantry and remained with it for several years. In 1873 he was an overseer of the poor and was regarded as one of the best who ever served in Charlestown. Since that time he has regularly visited the almshouse and provided the inmates with an entertainment. He regarded bestowing Christmas presents on the inmates each year a pleasant duty. He was a member of the training school association and of the first Baptist church of Charlestown. He was a life-long Democrat.

2495. XI. THOMAS VINCENT was b. March 3, 1820; m. *Mercy E. Chaplin*, Dec. 14, (1582) 1842, daughter of Rev. Ira Chaplin, of Hamilton, N. Y. He d. at the Highlands, N. J. A dry goods merchant. The Rev. Ira Chaplin, D. D., was for 15 years the first president of the Colby university, Waterville, Me.

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DAN CARPENTER¹ 1138, of Simeon 413,

William 18, Benjamin 34, Amos 120, Simeon 413.

Gen. 9. Children 4, b. in Waterbury, Vt.

2497. I. SARAH PARTRIDGE was b. May 18, 1807; m. the *Hon. Paul Dillingham*, Oct. 4, 1827; she d. Sept. 30, 1831. He m. 2d, Julia, the sister of Sarah, his 1st wife.
2498. II. WILLIAM was b. Oct. 25, 1805; m. *Mary Emeline Partridge*, of Norwich. (745) Vt., Oct. 1, 1829, daughter of Cyrus Partridge, b. Feb. 13, 1811 and d. Jan. 15, 1880. He d. March 17, 1881. A merchant and farmer.

He held various town and county offices—was town Clerk for eight years—member of the constitutional convention in 1843—town representative in 1844 and 1845—county senator for Washington county in 1848 and 1849. He prepared for college at the Montpelier academy and at Capt. Alden Partridge's military and scientific academy at Norwich, Vt. He entered college at Burlington in 1822; his health failed him at the close of his sophomore year, and he then entered into the mercantile business.

2499. III. ELIZA was b. Dec. 11, 1810; m. *William W. Wells*, Jan. 12, 1831, b. Oct. 28, 1805 and d. April 9, 1869. She d. Aug. 5, 1873, in Waterbury. A tanner, currier and merchant. They had ten children, namely: 1, an infant son, b. Oct. 26, 1832 and d. the same date; 2, *Roswell White*, b. Nov. 17, 1833, in Waterbury, m. *Triphosa A. W. Wright*, Oct. 27, 1856, of Sharon, Vt., she now resides at Waupun, Wis., he went to Wisconsin and d. Feb. 4, 1883, a druggist; 3, *Edward*, b. Oct. 30, 1835, in Waterbury, m. 1st, *Martha F. Parmelee*, April 26, 1858, she d. Nov. 25, 1876, he m. 2d, *Effie E. Parmelee*, a sister to his first wife, Oct. 14, 1879, residence, Burlington, Vt., a merchant; 4, *William*, b. Dec. 14, 1837, in Waterbury, m. *Arahanna Richardson*, Jan. 18, 1866, daughter of Edwin and Sarah B. (Wheeler) Richardson of Fitchburg, Mass., he d. April 29, 1892, at New York city, a collector of customs; 5, *Curtis*, b. Feb. 1, 1840, in Waterbury, m. *Frances Colby*, March 19, 1863, daughter of True B. and Julia E. (Allen) Colby of Waterbury, Vt., a cashier