

PHINEHAS⁵ ALLEN'S DESCENDANTS.

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BENJAMIN, Jr.,⁴ BENJAMIN,³ JOHN,² WALTER,¹

OF LINCOLN, MASS., 1745,

AND A

COMPLETE GENEALOGY OF THE DESCENDANTS

OF

BENJAMIN⁶ ALLEN, OF ASHBY, MASS., 1777.

By GEORGE HENRY⁸ ALLEN,

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Page 9, No. 6. Benjamin Allen married third, March 20, 1861, Mrs. Dorothy (Billings) Lord, daughter of Joshua and Lois (Gibson) Billings, born Ashburnham, July 1, 1783; she died at Fitchburg, Oct. 20, 1873.

Page 13, No. 13. Read Otis Jewett Allen, born "June 17, 1846," instead of "June 15, 1845."

Page 15, No. 21. Read Benjamin Colman Blodgett, born "March 12, 1838," instead of "May 31, 1834."

Page 15, No. 22. Read Mattie B. Blodgett, born "1863," instead of "1868."

Page 16, No 26. Referring to Thomas Hastings and his descendants, should read "His son Samuel (2) was the father of Nathaniel (3), b. Watertown 17---, who (not Samuel, Jr., as given in History of Ashburnham) was the father of Samuel, b. Shrewsbury, 1735, who was the father of Charles Hastings, b. Princeton, 1760, who with his brother (Ezra) settled in Ashburnham in 1788 (see Buckminster's Hastings Memorial, 1866)."

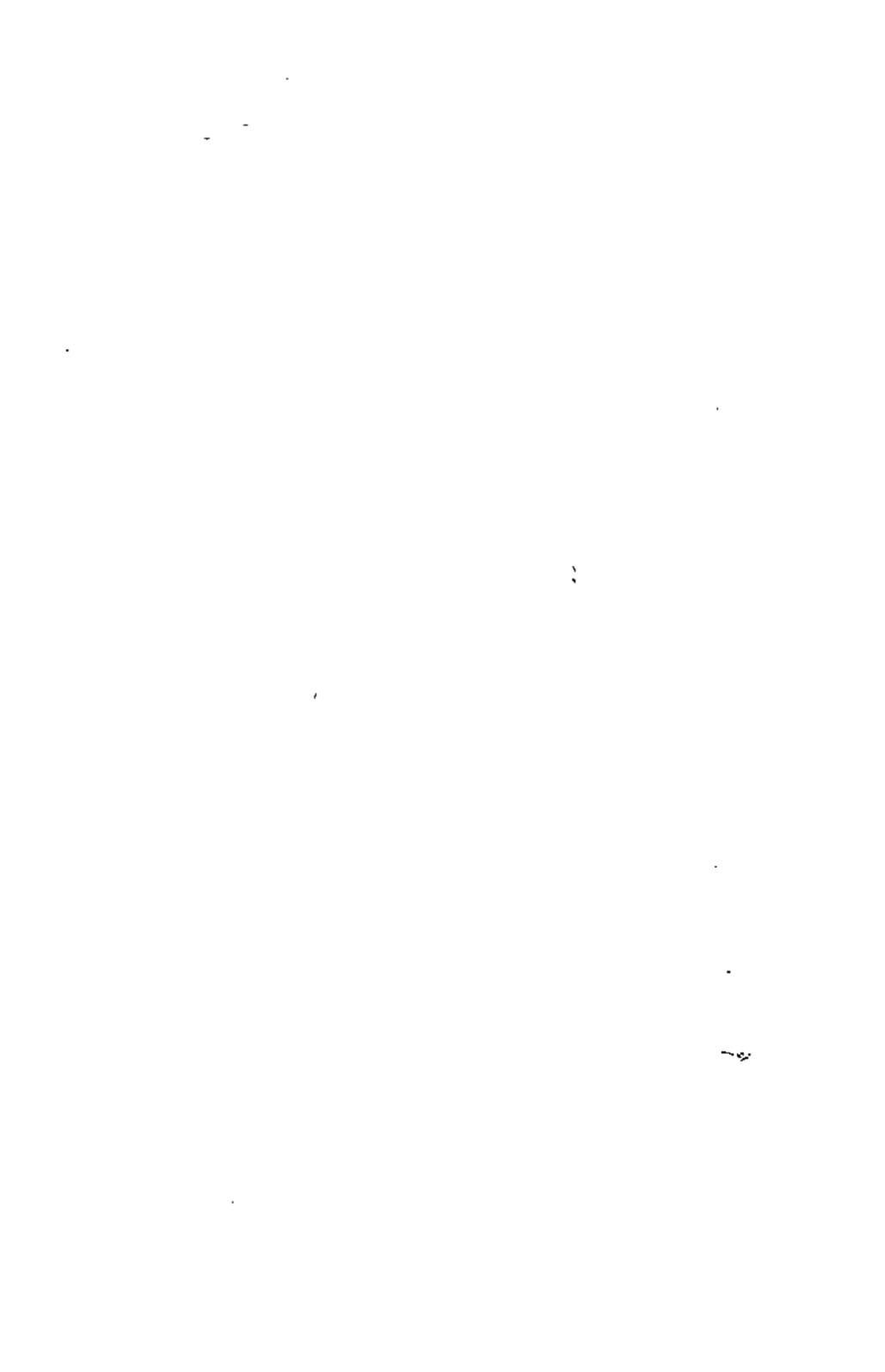
Page 22, No. 35. Read "Rev. Charles H. Davis" instead of "Charles A. Davis."

Page 23, No. 37. Read "Louis Eber Allen" instead of "Louise Eber Allen."

Page 24, No. 41. Read Mary Adaline died "Jan. 16" instead of "Jan. 19."

Page 25, No. 42, third line. Read "died Jan. 16" instead of "Jan. 19."

Page 26, No. 48. Read "Eudora Louisa" instead of "Louise Eudora."



PREFACE.

The compiling of this work was the result of an interest awakened by the publication of the book on Walter Allen and some of his descendants, by Mr. Allen H. Bent, in 1896. The first portion is a quotation from Mr. Bent's work, giving the direct line of family from (1) Walter Allen (1635-40); (2) John Allen; (3) Benjamin Allen (1662); (4) Benjamin Allen (1709).

According to Mr. Bent, Phinehas Allen, the fifth child and second son of Benjamin Allen (1709), was without descent. The remainder of the book embodies the research of the author upon this point.

It appears that Phinehas Allen was married three times and had children by his second and third wives. Having traced carefully the records of the marriages of Phinehas Allen (1745), the births, marriages, and deaths of nearly all his children are given, but no effort has been made to trace in full their descendants except in the case of his first child, Benjamin, born Nov. 4, 1777. To date of publication this record seems to be complete.

WALTER ALLEN'S DESCENDANTS.

1. WALTER¹ ALLEN was in Newbury, Mass., in 1640, and possibly before (the town was incorporated in 1635), but moved to Watertown about 1652. In 1665 he sold his estate in the latter town and bought sixty acres near the Concord boundary in what was then called Watertown Farms, afterward the town of Weston. In 1669 he purchased 200 acres more in Watertown Farms. About 1673 he moved to Charlestown, where he died July 8, 1681, æ. 80. He took oath in 1677 that he was 76, so he must have been born about 1601. At his death he not only owned land in Watertown and Charlestown, but in Sudbury and Haverhill. The latter farm came into his possession in 1673 in payment of a debt due from Thomas Davis.

Walter Allen's occupation is variously given in the old records as "farmour," planter, haberdasher, shop-keeper, and once (1673) more specifically, as a "Haberdasher of Hatts." The inventory of his estate amounts to £3015, a goodly sum for those days. When he came to Watertown he had a wife Rebecca, who died ———, and he married in Charlestown, Nov. 29, 1678, Abigail Rogers.

Children of Walter and Rebecca, the first three born probably in England, the other two in Newbury :

- i. JOHN.
- ii. DANIEL.
- iii. JOSEPH.
- iv. ABIGAIL, b. Oct. 1, 1641.
- v. BENJAMIN, b. Apr. 15, 1647.

2. JOHN² ALLEN (*Walter*¹) lived in Newbury, Mass., until 1662, when he moved to Sudbury, where he died Dec. 1, 1711, probably about 80 years old. He was a tailor, perhaps *the* tailor of the town, though for a few years in the latter part of his life he had a competitor in Enoch Cleveland, youngest son of Moses Cleveland, of Woburn, the first American ancestor of President Cleveland. John Allen also had a farm, where he lived, in the part of Sudbury now Wayland.

Sudbury was attacked by the Indians during King Philip's War in 1676, and John Allen was one of the sufferers, his loss on a petition to the General Court being estimated at £60. In 1688 he was one of those who took the public stock of ammunition into their hands, a sort of minute man. It is probable that his son Thomas was killed during the first French and Indian War (King William's War, 1689), as John

Allen's name appears on a petition of those "some of us for ourselves, others for our children and servants who were last winter impressed into dreadful service, where by reason of cold and hunger and in tedious marches many score of miles in snow and water, and laying on the snow by night, having no provision but what they could carry on their backs, beside hard arms and ammunition, it cost many of them their lives."

John left a will, dated Aug. 9, 1708, three years before his death, his son Benjamin being made executor. His first wife, Sarah, died Jan. 12, 1702, and his second wife, Mary, is probably the Mary Allen who died in Sudbury, Aug. 30, 1727.

Children of John and Sarah, i. to v. born in Newbury, vi. to viii. in Sudbury :

- i. DEBORAH, m. Joseph Dean.
- ii. JOHN, b. Aug. 28, 1656; died before his father.
- iii. SAMUEL, b. April 8, 1658.
- iv. JOSEPH, b. March 18, 1660.
- v. BENJAMIN, b. Jan. 30, 1662.
- vi. REBECCA, b. May 20, 1664.
- vii. THOMAS, b. April 29, 1666; d. March 23, 1689.
- viii. SARAH, b. March 7, 1668; d. unm., Aug. 29, 1702.

3. BENJAMIN³ ALLEN (*John*², *Walter*¹) was born in Newbury, Mass., Jan. 30, 1662, but was taken to Sudbury, Mass., the same year. He was a farmer and lived at Watertown Farms (incorporated in 1712 as Weston), where he died Aug. 12, 1721, æ. 59. His tombstone is in the old burial ground at Weston Centre. He married Frances Rice (born Feb. 3, 1671), daughter of Thomas Rice, of Sudbury. The *Boston Gazette* says Benjamin's widow lived to be 96; if so, she died about 1767.

Children of Benjamin and Frances :

- i. THOMAS, b. 1690.
 - ii. FRANCES, m. Dec. 24, 1724, John Gregory, of Weston.
 - iii. GRACE, b. 1696; m. Benjamin Harrington, and d. Jan. 6, 1730, in her 35th year.
 - iv. JONAS, b. Nov. 1, 1699.
 - v. ZEBADIAH, b. Jan. 19, 1702.
 - vi. BENJAMIN, b. Dec. 13, 1709.
4. BENJAMIN⁴ ALLEN (*Benjamin*³, *John*², *Walter*¹), was born in Watertown Farms (Weston), Mass., Dec. 13, 1709, and lived in the part of Weston incorporated in 1754 as Lincoln. No record of his death has been found. He married, July 1, 1731, Eunice Gale, of Watertown.

Children of Benjamin and Eunice, all born in Weston, Mass. :

- i. EUNICE, b. Jan. 28, 1733; m. 1759, Jonathan Tower, of Lincoln.
- ii. Lydia, b. March 29, 1735; m. 1754, John Wheeler, of Lincoln.

- iii. BEULAH, b. April 16, 1737; m. 1761, Joseph Billings, of Lincoln.
- iv. BENJAMIN, b. Nov. 11, 1739; m. Feb. 6, 1766, Mary Brown, who is probably the Mary that died in Lincoln, May 3, 1773. He d. at Lincoln, Feb. 26, 1770, leaving three daughters:
Pattee, b. March 12, 1766; m. Feb. 10, 1784, Joseph Billings, Jr.
Martha, b. about 1768.
Mary, b. about 1770.
- v. ABIGAIL, b. June 6, 1742; m. 1764, Abraham Wesson, of Lincoln.
- vi. **Phineas**, b. April 6, 1745; m. March 6, 1769, Abigail Foster, who d. May 18, 1770. He was a Revolutionary soldier, and lived in Lincoln and Lexington.
- vii. RACHAEL, b. June 25, 1747; m. 1768, Edward Farwell, of Townsend.
- viii. ANNA, b. Sept. 20, 1749; m. 1771, James Stimson, Jr., of Lincoln.
- ix. LUCY, b. March 20, 1753; m. 1781, Nathaniel Jackson.

[The foregoing is from Bent's genealogy of the family.]

PHINEHAS ALLEN'S DESCENDANTS.

5. PHINEHAS⁵ ALLEN (*Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Lincoln, Mass., April 6, 1745; died Smyrna, Chenango County, N. Y., May 15, 1830; married, first, Abigail Foster, of Lincoln, March 6, 1769, who died at Lincoln, May 18, 1770; second, Sarah Danforth, of Lexington, Sept. 14, 1775 (see town record of Lexington, page 93), died —; third, Dolly Flagg, of Leominster, at Fitchburg, by the Rev. John Payson, Nov. 31, 1784 (Fitchburg town record). In 1775, when married to Sarah Danforth, at Lexington, his residence is given as Concord. He was a man of a very considerable property, as evidenced by the fact that in 1781 he was taxed on real estate £19, and on personal £2 19s. in the town of Lincoln, and he was by reason of service exempt from the war treasurer's tax. He was taxed in Lexington in 1783. In 1784 he moved to Fitchburg, where he resided until about 1826, and lived for about two years with his son Benjamin in Ashby, when he moved with his son Abijah to Smyrna, New York. He was a farmer.

The Revolutionary War service of Phinehas Allen is certified to by the Hon. William M. Olin, Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, as follows:

PHINEHAS ALLEN appears among a list of men detached from Col. Brooks' Regiment to relieve Guards at Cambridge. In Capt. Farrar's Co. from Lincoln. (Year not given. Vol. 55; p. 9, file H.)

Children of Phinehas and Sarah (Danforth) Allen:

- i. BENJAMIN, b. Lincoln, Nov. 4, 1777; d. Ashby, Oct. 19, 1866; m., first, Feb. 4, 1798, Asenath Colman, of Ashby, b. Oct. 7, 1776, who d. Dec. 4, 1848; second, Aug. 16, 1849, Vashti Wilder, b. Aug. 26, 1788, who d. Nov. 27, 1859.
- ii. SALJBY ALLEN, b. Lincoln, Jan. 16, 1779; d. at Harvard, April 23, 1866; married, first, June 28, 1801, at Bedford, Benjamin Parker, b. Woburn, Aug. 26, 1780, who died at Fitchburg, Sept. 3, 1806; married, second, at Cambridge, June 7, 1821, Joseph Wetherbee, b. July 22, 1762, who died at Harvard, April 26, 1847. *
- iii. DOLLY, b. Weston, Jan. 15, 1781; m. Aaron Kemp, March 18, 1806. She died at Worcester, Washington County, Vt., June 24, 1859. He died at Claremont, N. H., Oct. 2, 1864.

* See Genealogy of Parker family.



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Children of Phinehas and Dolly (Flagg) Allen.

- iv. LYDIA THURSTON, b. Fitchburg, Aug. 28, 1785; married, at Fitchburg, Nov. 29, 1804, Samuel Parker, born, Woburn, Dec. 23, 1784; the family moved to Otselic, Chenango County, N.Y., May 8, 1820. He died in Belvidere, Boon County, Ill., Aug. 29, 1846; she died Aug. 26, 1865.*
- v. ABIGAIL, b. Fitchburg, Dec. 8, 1786; d. 1867; m., April 29, 1806, Jonathan Thurston, who d. Burlington, Wis., 1855.†
- vi. PHINEHAS, Jr., b. Fitchburg, Dec. 6, 1788; died, —; m. at Mason, N. H., by Rev. Ebenezer Hill, March 9, 1816, Sally Campbell; she died (widow) at Masoc, —, 1831. They had one son, who was adopted by Abijah Allen with whom he went to New York, where he died in his minority.
- vii. EUNICE, b. Fitchburg, March 18, 1790; d. Feb. 9, 1823; m. Dec. 14, 1815, Abel Thurston, who d. July 9, 1864.†
- viii. JOHN, b. Fitchburg, Nov. 5, 1791; married and lived in Charles-town. He had two children, Charles and Samuel W.; the former went to New York State, probably to Otselic, where he died; Samuel W. married and lived in Boston; was in the provision business in the vicinity of Summer and Federal streets from 1841 to 1869. There are no descendants of this family.
- ix. SAMUEL, b. Fitchburg, Nov. 28, 1793.
- x. BETSEY, b. Fitchburg, April 27, 1795; m. John Campbell, Dec. 2, 1819.
- xi. ABIJAH, b. Fitchburg, June 29, 1797; m. Abigail Bacon, Feb. 2, 1823, and moved, about 1828, to Smyrna, Chenango County, New York. No children.

[The third marriage of Phinehas Allen, and date of births of all of his children, from town records of Fitchburg.]

6. BENJAMIN⁶ ALLEN (*Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Lexington, Nov. 4, 1777 (see Ashby record, Aug. 16, 1846). died Oct. 19, 1866; married, first, Feb. 4, 1798, Asenath Colman, of Ashby, born Oct. 7, 1776, who died Dec. 4, 1848; second, Aug. 16, 1849, Vashti Wilder, daughter of Rufus Wilder, of Ashby, born Aug. 26, 1788, who died Nov. 27, 1859. He was a representative in Massachusetts Legislature, from Ashby, in 1854; he was a farmer and shoemaker.

Asenath Colman (sometimes written Coleman) the first wife of Benjamin Allen, and mother of all his children, was a descendant of James Colman and wife Rachel, who removed from Ipswich to the northeast part of Ashburnham in 1743. To him and one Deacon Foster falls the distinction of being the first permanent settlers in Dorchester Canada, the original name of the present town of Ashburnham. During the troublous times from 1745 to 1749, it is known that Mr. Foster, retiring within the line of the block houses, resided in Lunenburg. It is not probable that Mr. Colman remained all the time during this period of insecurity (caused by the French and Indian wars) in Dorchester Canada. However, he is found here continuously after 1750.

* See Genealogy of Parker family.

† See Genealogy of Thurston family.

For several years the nearest church was in Lunenburg, and in 1743 Mr. Colman and his wife brought letters from the church in Ipswich, and united with it. In 1760, when the church was organized in Dorchester Canada, they transferred their church relations. From the record of this proceeding it has been erroneously inferred that Mr. Colman at that time removed from Lunenburg to this place. The records of every year afford ample evidence that except during the years 1745 to 1749, of which little is known, Mr. Colman resided continuously in this town.

He was appointed on committees by the proprietors, and was held in high esteem by his associates. In 1765, at the first town meeting in Ashburnham, he was chosen one of the selectmen and a surveyor of highways. When Ashby was incorporated, his house and lands were included in that town, where his descendants have been numerous. He died Aug. 15, 1773. (See History of Ashburnham.)

His son Benjamin, baptized in Lunenburg, Aug. 3, 1749, married, Dec. 25, 1770, Susannah Martin, daughter of John Martin. He was a prominent citizen of Ashby; town clerk, 1794-8. They were the parents of Asenath Colman.

Children of Benjamin and Asenath (Colman) Allen :

- i. HENRY, b. Ashby, May 15, 1798; d. East Wallingford, Vt., Feb. 13, 1885; m. Sally Constantine, of Ashburnham, March 25, 1825, who d. East Wallingford, Vt., July 13, 1892.
 - ii. SARAH, b. Ashby, Aug. 7, 1800; d. Aug. 22, 1800.
 - iii. LOUISA, b. Ashby, Sept. 24, 1801; d. Newton, Jan. 31, 1874; m. Henry Blodgett, of Colbrook, N. H., March 17, 1801, who d. July 19, 1890.
 - iv. BENJAMIN COLMAN, b. Ashby, Aug. 11, 1803; d. Amherst, Mass., March 20, 1831, where he was in the graduating class at college.
 - v. ZENAS, b. Ashby, Nov. 4, 1805; d. Hyde Park, May 20, 1887; m., first, Caroline Randall, Sept. 11, 1827, b. Ashburnham, March 5, 1805, who d. Hyde Park, March 13, 1869; second, Mrs. Charlotte Maynard (Clarke) Sanders, of New Ipswich, N. H., March 23, 1870, b. at Whateley, Mass., Feb. 18, 1822.
 - vi. SIDNEY, b. Ashby, June 15, 1808; d. Newton, June 19, 1877; m., first, Harriet Lewis, Aug. 14, 1834, b. Ipswich, who d. Boston, July 31, 1846; second, Mrs. Emeline Darling Walcott, Boston, Jan. 10, 1847, who d. at Newton Corner, Feb. 17, 1881.
 - vii. SAMUEL MARTIN, Ashby, b. May 12, 1813; m. April 26, 1840, Nancy Smith Kendall, b. Ashby May 19, 1816, who d. Ashby, Dec. 11, 1895.
 - viii. CHARLES STINSON, b. Ashby, Jan. 3, 1820; m., first, Lucy Ann Hubbard, Aug. 16, 1842, b. March 4, 1824, who d. Ashby, Nov. 17, 1860; second, Sarah Caroline Hubbard, of Ashby, June 27, 1862, b. Ashby, June 19, 1837.
7. HENRY⁷ ALLEN (*Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Ashby, May 15, 1798, died E. Wal-

lingford, Vt., Feb. 13, 1885; married, March 25, 1825, Sally Constantine, daughter of Jacob Constantine, Jr., of Ashburnham, who died E. Wallingford, Vt., July 13, 1892. He was a carpenter and farmer. It will be noticed that four of his sons served in the Union Army.

Children of Henry and Sally (Constantine) Allen :

- i. JAMES TENNEY, b. Nottingham, March 13, 1827; d. Ashby, March 2, 1884.
 - ii. GEORGE FRANKLIN, b. Ashby, April 1, 1830; m. Emeline L. Bradish, b. Rutland, Vt., Sept. 4, 1831.
 - iii. CAROLINE AUGUSTA, b. Ashby, June 28, 1833; d. Townsend, Sept. 11, 1835.
 - iv. JAMES CHARLES MANSFIELD, b. Townsend, Jan. 30, 1836; m. May 26, 1888, Nellie M. Green, b. Wallingford, Vt., July 29, 1861.
 - v. HENRY C., b. Fitchburg, April 5, 1843. He was a private in Co. C, Fifth Vermont Volunteer Infantry, and was killed at Savage Station, Va., June 2, 1862.
 - vi. OTIS JEWETT, b. Fitchburg, June 17, 1846; m. Winoski, Wis., Feb. 14, 1871, to Rheamny Tucker, b. Mitchell, Sheboygan Co. Wis., Oct. 13, 1853. He d. Whitehall, Wis., Jan. 8, 1885.
 - vii. ANDREW, b. —; d. in infancy.
 - viii. ASENATH COLMAN, b. Winoheadon, Oct. 18, 1848; m. Harrison Gilliland, b. Jackson County, Ohio, Jan. 19, 1837.
 - ix. WILLIE C., b. Westminster —; d. —
8. GEORGE FRANKLIN⁸ ALLEN (*Henry,⁷ Benjamin,⁶ Phinehas,⁵ Benjamin, Jr.,⁴ Benjamin,³ John,² Walter,¹) born Ashby, April 1, 1830; married, Nov. 29, 1849, Emeline Louisa Bradish, born Rutland, Vt., Sept. 4, 1831.*

Capt. George Franklin Allen enlisted in the Union Army at Worcester, Mass., Co. D., 25th Infantry Massachusetts Volunteers, on Oct. 3, 1861. This company formed a part of the Burnside expedition to Hatteras, participating in the battle of Roanoke Island, Newbern and various other engagements. He was commissioned as captain of 2d Regiment N. C. Colored Troops on the 17th of July, 1863, afterward changed to 36th Regiment U. S. Colored Troops, continuing in the service until the fall of 1864, when he was discharged.

He located at Pleasant Grove, Minn., after leaving the army, where he has since resided, except for four years when he was engaged in building and carpenter work at Whitehall, Wis. For some twenty years he was engaged in farming and stock raising, but is now a justice of the peace in the village of Pleasant Grove, and occupies one of the best houses in the town.

Children of Geo. Franklin and Emeline Louisa (Bradish) Allen :

- i. EMILY LIZZIE, b. Keene, N. H., Sept. 24, 1850.
- ii. FRANKLIN GEORGE, b. Keene, N. H., Oct. 1, 1852.

- iii. ELLEN JANE, b. Fitchburg, May 14, 1855; d. Sept. 6, 1855.
- iv. ELLA LAURA, b. Worcester, July 20, 1861; d. Sept. 18, 1861.
- v. CARRIE ETTA, b. Pleasant Grove, Minn., July 6, 1865; d. Aug. 25, 1865.
- vi. HARRY JAMES, b. Chatfield, Minn., Jan. 4, 1869.
- vii. BENJAMIN CHARLES, b. Pleasant Grove, Minn., Jan. 24, 1876.

9. EMILY LIZZIE⁹ ALLEN (*Geo. Franklin,⁸ Henry,⁷ Benjamin,⁶ Phinehas,⁵ Benjamin, Jr.,⁴ Benjamin,³ John,² Walter¹*), born Keene, N. H., Sept. 24, 1850; married at Chatfield, Minn., Nov. 10, 1872, Peter Frye, born Albany, Me., Oct. 16, 1832.

Child of Emily L. Allen and Peter Frye:

- i. ARTHUR JAMES b. Sparta, Wis., June 20, 1875.

The family reside in Sparta, Wis.

10. FRANKLIN GEORGE⁹ ALLEN (*George Franklin⁸, Henry,⁷ Benjamin,⁶ Phinehas,⁵ Benjamin, Jr.,⁴ Benjamin,³ John,² Walter¹*), born Keene, N. H., Oct. 1, 1852; married, first, October, 1877, Martha Collins, born Pleasant Grove, Minn., March 11, 1864, who died May 2, 1882; second, April 15, 1897, Mrs. Rhenamy Allen, of Whitehall, Wis.

11. HARRY JAMES⁹ ALLEN (*Geo. Franklin,⁸ Henry,⁷ Benjamin,⁶ Phinehas,⁵ Benjamin, Jr.,⁴, Benjamin³, John², Walter¹*), born Chatfield, Minn., Jan. 4, 1869; married, March 10, 1891, Gertrude Alice Leach, born Pleasant Grove, Minn., Nov. 3, 1862.

Child of Harry James and Gertrude Alice (Leach) Allen.

- i. GLADYS GERTRUDE, born Pleasant Grove, Minn., Feb. 27, 1892.

12. JAMES CHARLES MANSFIELD⁹ ALLEN (*Henry,⁷ Benjamin,⁶ Phinehas,⁵ Benjamin, Jr.,⁴ Benjamin,³ John,² Walter¹*), born Townsend, Mass., Jan. 30, 1836; married, May 26, 1888, Nellie Maria Green, born Wallingford, Vt., July 29, 1861.

James C. M. Allen enlisted in the Union Army at Worcester, Mass., on the third day of October, 1861, in Co. D., 25th Infantry Regiment Massachusetts Volunteers, Col. Edwin Upton. The regiment went into winter quarters at Annapolis, Md., and became a part of the expedition to Hatteras and North Carolina under General Burnside. He remained with the regiment during the term of enlistment, three years, participating in nineteen engagements, the most important of which was Cold Harbor. At the close of his term of enlistment he settled at East Wallingford, Vt., where he now resides, following the occupation of a carpenter.

Children of James Charles Mansfield Allen and Nellie Maria (Green) Allen:

- i. BERTHA MAY, b. E. Wallingford, Vt., Oct. 13, 1890.
- ii. PERCY WALTER, b. E. Wallingford, Vt., June 26, 1894

13. OTIS JEWETT⁸ ALLEN (*Henry*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Fitchburg, Mass., June 15, 1845, died Whitehall, Wis., Jan. 8, 1885; married, Feb. 14, 1871, at Winooski, Wis., Rheamly Tucker, born Mitchell, Sheboygan County, Wis., Oct. 13, 1853.

Otis Jewett Allen enlisted in the Union Army at the early age of sixteen, serving with credit throughout the War of the Rebellion, — nearly six years. He was in Co. 1, 5th Infantry Regiment Vermont Volunteers, Co. D, 9th Infantry Regiment Vermont Volunteers, and the 12th Cavalry Regiment Illinois Volunteers. He fought at Harper's Ferry, Gettysburg, and various other engagements.

At the close of the war he went West, and completed a course at Commercial College in St. Paul, Minn., and was admitted to Cook County bar. He removed to Sheboygan County, Wis., in 1870, where he was married. In 1873 he removed to Trempeleau County, Wis., and on the 20th of April, 1875, was admitted to Trempeleau bar at Galesville. He located at Whitehall and entered upon his law practice, which at the time of his death was very extensive.

Children of Otis Jewett Allen and Rheamly Allen :

- i. WM. OTIS, b. Winooski, Sheboygan Co., Wis., April 28, 1872.
- ii. KATE RHEAMLY, b. Lincoln, Trempeleau Co., Wis., Feb. 20, 1874.
- iv. VERA SARAH, b. Whitehall, Trempeleau Co., Wis., July 24, 1878.

14. WM. OTIS⁹ ALLEN (*Otis Jewett*,⁸ *Henry*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Winooski, Sheboygan Co., Wis., April 28, 1872; married at Marshfield, Wis., July 4, 1893, Annetta Jane Bowen, born Colby, Wis. — 1875.

Child of William Otis and Annetta Jane (Bowen) Allen :

- i. LISLE FOREST, b. Marshfield, Wis., Nov. 26, 1894.

15. ASENATH COLMAN⁹ ALLEN (*Henry*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born village of Waterville, Winchendon, Mass., Oct. 18, 1848; married at Whitehall, Trempeleau County, Wis., Sept. 4, 1873, Harrison Gilliland, born Hamilton Township, Jackson County, Ohio, Jan. 19, 1837.

No children.

Harrison Gilliland, husband of Aseuath Colman Allen, was graduated from the Ohio University at Athens, Ohio, in 1860. He became president of Gale College at Galesville, Wis., in 1865, remaining in that position twelve years, resigning in 1877. He became a member of the Wisconsin bar in 1879, where he practised law for several years. He removed, in 1886, to Burbank, Cal., purchasing a small fruit and alfalfa ranch, where they now reside.

16. LOUISA⁷ ALLEN (*Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Ashby, Sept. 24, 1801, died Newton, July 31, 1874; married, Dec. 2, 1827, Henry Blodgett, born Colbrook, N. H., March 17, 1801, who died July 15, 1890.

The family resided in Newton for many years, where Mr. Blodgett followed the occupation of a carpenter and builder.

Children of Louisa Allen and Henry Blodgett:

- i. ANN LOUISA, b. Boston, Nov. 1, 1828, d. April 16, 1895.
 - ii. BENJAMIN COLMAN, b. Boston, May 31, 1834, d. Oct. 4, 1837.
 - iii. BENJAMIN COLMAN, 2d., b. Boston, March 12, 1838.
 - iv. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Boston, Jan. 8, 1841.
 - v. FRANCES AMELIA, b. Boston, Dec. 6, 1844.
17. ANN LOUISA⁸ BLODGETT (*Louisa*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Boston, Nov. 1, 1828, who died April 16, 1895; married, May 1, 1851, Samuel Stanton, born Barnstead, N. H., Oct. 1, 1819, died Feb. 14, 1895.

Children of Ann Louisa Blodgett and Samuel Stanton:

- i. LOUIS CHALMERS, b. Boston, April 25, 1852.
 - ii. ELLEN LOUISE, b. Newton, Aug. 17, 1853.
 - iii. SAMUEL CECIL, b. Newton, June 23, 1856.
- The family resided for many years in London, England, returning but a short time before the death of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton.
18. LOUIS CHALMERS⁹ STANTON (*Ann Louisa*,⁸ *Louisa*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Boston, April 25, 1852; married, July 6, 1882, Sarah Emma Bacon, born Newton, April 16, 1854.

Children of Louis Chalmers and Sarah Emma (Bacon) Stanton:

- i. HAROLD BACON, b. Newton, July 10, 1883.
 - ii. BERTHA, b. Newton, Oct. 28, 1885.
 - iii. MALCOLM, b. Newton, Feb. 9, 1888.
19. ELLEN LOUISE⁹ STANTON (*Ann Louisa*,⁸ *Louisa*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Newton, Aug. 17, 1853; married, Nov. 1, 1876, Herbert U. Weilbrecht, born London, England.

Children of Ellen Louise Stanton and Herbert U. Weilbrecht:

- i. WINNIFRED MARGARET, b. in India, July 29, 1877.
- ii. FREDERICK JAMES, b. India, Sept. 20, 1878.
- iii. GERTRUDE MARY, b. India, Dec. 23, 1879.
- iv. DOROTHEA, b. London, Eng. d. India.
- v. ELLEN BERTHA, b. India, d. India.

This family reside in India, where Mr. Weilbrecht is a college professor.

20. SAMUEL CECIL⁹ STANTON (*Ann Louisa*,⁸ *Louisa*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Newton, June 28, 1855; married in Trinity Chapel, New York, Feb. 12, 1885, Harriet Louise Cornwell; born New York City, Jan. 22, 1862.

Children of Samuel Cecil and Harriet Louise (Cornwell) Stanton:

- i. GEORGE CORNWELL, b. Chicago, 1889; d. 1896.
- ii. DOROTHY, b. Chicago, 1891; d. 1894.
- iii. JOHN BLOOMFIELD, b. Chicago, April, 1897.

21. BENJAMIN COLMAN⁸ BLODGETT (*Louisa*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Boston, May 31, 1834; married, Newton, March 5, 1862, Alethea E. Pulsifer, born Newton, April 21, 1840.

Child of Benjamin Colman and Alethea E. (Pulsifer) Blodgett:

- i. MATTIE B. BLODGETT, b. Newton, Aug. 12, 1863.

He is a professor of music at Smith College, Northampton, Mass.

22. MATTIE B.⁹ BLODGETT (*Benjamin Colman*,⁸ *Louisa*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Newton, Aug. 12, 1868; married, Northampton, July 25, 1893, Robert Manning Palmer, born Boston.

Children of Mattie B. Blodgett and Robert Manning Palmer:

- i. ROBERT M., born Northampton, 1894.
- ii. KIMBALL BLODGETT, b. Seattle, Wash., Sept. 23, 1896.

The family reside in Seattle, Washington.

23. WILLIAM HENRY⁸ BLODGETT (*Louisa*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Boston, Jan. 8, 1841; married, Newton, June 14, 1865, Adelaide Nicholson, born Fitchburg, Jan. 10, 1847.

Children of William Henry and Adelaide (Nicholson) Blodgett:

- i. GRACE ALLEN, b. Newton, Nov. 26, 1867.
- ii. WILLIAM ERNEST, b. Newton, July 10, 1874.

William Henry Blodgett is in the firm of Joel Goldthwait & Co., extensive dealers in carpets, Boston, Mass., and resides in Newton, Mass.

24. GRACE ALLEN⁹ BLODGETT (*William Henry*,⁸ *Louisa*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Newton, Nov. 26, 1867; married, Newton, Nov. 14, 1895, Ralph Holland Seelye, born Springfield, 1865.

Child of Grace Allen Blodgett and Ralph Holland Seelye :

- i. BARBARA, b. Springfield, Mass., July 2, 1897.

25. FRANCES AMELIA⁸ BLODGETT (*Louisa,⁷ Benjamin,⁶ Phinehas,⁵ Benjamin, Jr.,⁴ Benjamin,³ John,² Walter¹*), born Boston, Dec. 6, 1844; married, Newton, Sept. 14, 1870, John Eliot Trowbridge; born Newton, Oct. 20, 1845.

Children of Frances Amelia Blodgett and John Eliot Trowbridge :

- i. LOUISA ELIZABETH, b. Newton, Oct. 3, 1871.
- ii. AGNES BACON, b. Newton, Oct. 27, 1876.
- iii. HENRY OTIS, b. Newton, July 18, 1878.

The family reside at Newton, Mass.

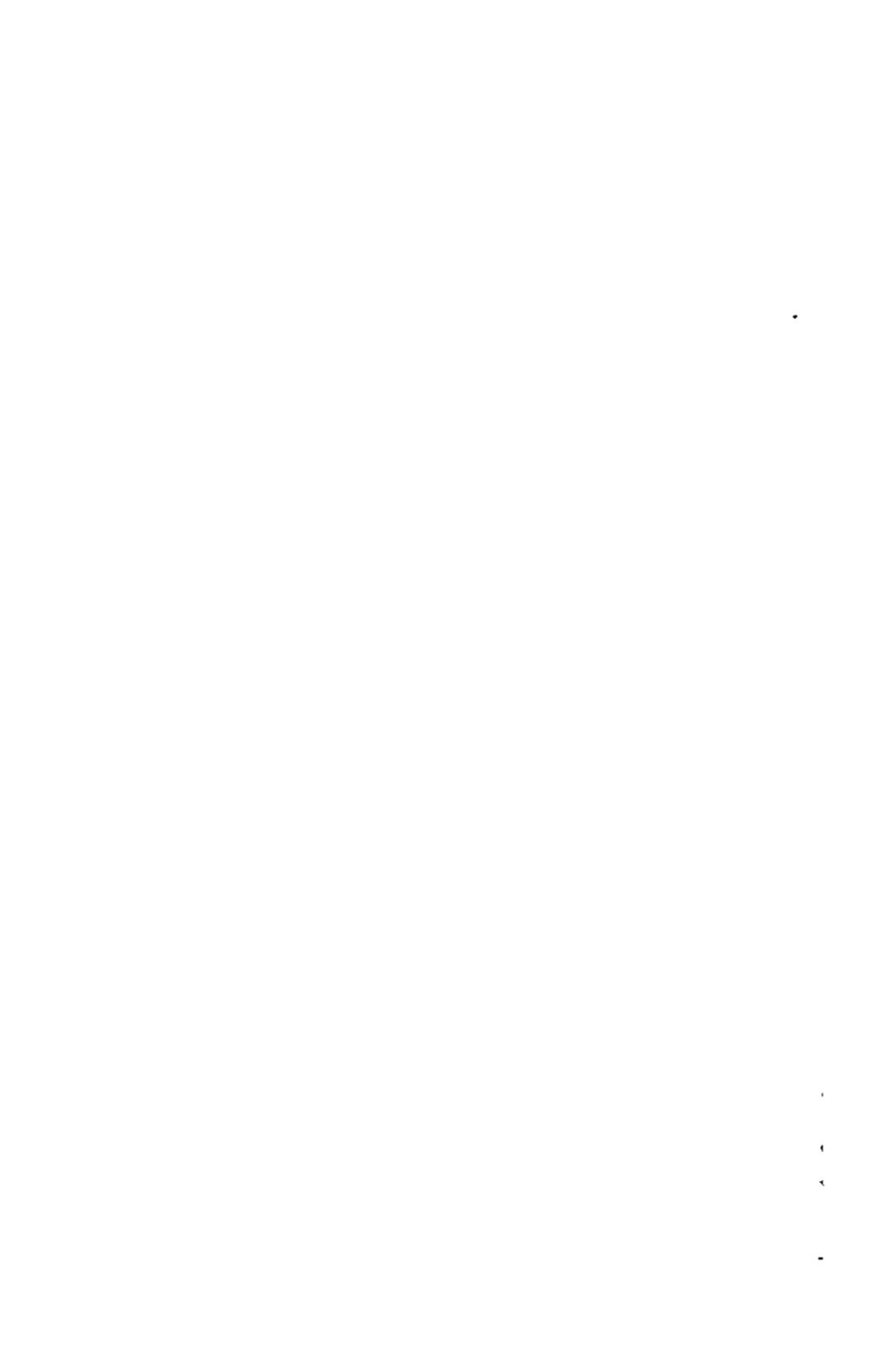
26. ZENAS⁷ ALLEN (*Benjamin,⁶ Phinehas,⁵ Benjamin, Jr.,⁴ Benjamin,³ John,² Walter¹*), born Nov. 4, 1805, died May 20, 1887; married, first, Caroline Randall, Sept. 11, 1827, born Ashburnham, March 5, 1805 who died Hyde Park, March 13, 1869; second, Mrs. Charlotte Maynard (Clarke) Sanders, of New Ipswich, N. H., March 23, 1870, born at Whateley, Mass., Feb. 18, 1822. He was a paper hanger by trade, but for many years prior to his decease was in the employ of the Hyde Park Woolen Company. He was very prominent in church affairs, and deacon of the Congregational Church. He represented the city of Boston in the Massachusetts House of Representatives in 1853 and 1854. (His father was also a representative from Ashby, in 1854.) He was a member of the first Board of Selectmen of the town of Hyde Park, where he resided and was much respected. The Hyde Park Historical Society at his death published a memorial of him.

Caroline Randall, the first wife, and mother of the children of Zenas Allen, was a descendant of Thomas Hastings (1), of Ipswich, England, who settled in Watertown, Mass., in 1634. His son, Samuel (2), was the father of Samuel, Jr (3), born in Shrewsbury in 1735, who was the father of Charles Hastings (4), born in Princeton in 1760, who with his brother settled in Ashburnham in 1783. It is a fact worthy of mention that Charles Hastings enlisted in the Continental Army five times for short terms during the Revolutionary War. During his last enlistment he served under Gen. Lafayette at West Point.

The Revolutionary War service of Charles Hastings, as preserved at the State House and certified to by Hon. William M. Olin, Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, is as follows : —



ZENAS ALLEN.



- CHARLES HASTINGS: Appears with rank of *Private* on Muster and Pay Roll of Capt. Joseph Sargeant's Co., for service at Rhode Island. Enlisted May 5, 1777. Discharged July 12, 1777. Time of service, 2 mos. 7½ days. Detached from Cols. Whitney's and Stearns' Regts. and marched to Rhode Island under Gen. Spencer. Residence, Princeton. Vol. 3; p. 162-3.
- CHARLES HASTINGS: Appears among a List of Men in Capt. Sargeant's Co., Col. Joseph Whitney's Regt. on mileage roll. Dated June 22, 1777. Residence, Princeton. Vol. 3; p. 162½.
- CHARLES HASTINGS: Appears with rank of *Private* on Muster and Pay Roll of Capt. Francis Willson's Co., Col. Danforth Keyes' Regt. Enlisted Aug. 13, 1777. Discharged Dec. 31, 1777. Time of service, 4 mos. 17 days. Service at Rhode Island. Vol. 24; p. 156.
- CHARLES HASTINGS: Appears on a Pay Abstract of Capt. Francis Willson's Co., Col. Danforth Keyes' Regt., for travel from place of discharge to his home, — Princeton, dated Providence, Dec. 29, 1777. Vol. 24; p. 156½.
- CHARLES HASTINGS: Appears with rank of *Private* on Muster and Pay Roll of Capt. John White's Co., Col. Abijah Stearns' Regt. Enlisted April 1, 1778. Discharged July 2, 1778. Time of service, 3 mos. 5 days. Residence, Princeton. Service in and near Boston. Vol. 24; p. 49.
- CHARLES HASTINGS: Appears with rank of *Private* on Muster and Pay Roll of Capt. Ebenezer Belknap's Co., Col. Nathaniel Wade's Regt., for service at Rhode Island. Enlisted July 21, 1778. Discharged Jan. 1, 1779. Time of service, 5 mos. 15 days. Travel allowance from North Kingston, R. I., to place of discharge, i. e., home. Vol. 1; p. 64.
- CHARLES HASTINGS: Appears in a Descriptive List of Men raised to reinforce the Continental Army for the term of Six Months, agreeable to resolve of June 5, 1780. Age, 18 years. Stature, 5 ft. 5 in. Complexion, freckled. Residence, Princeton. Arrived at Springfield, July 6, 1780. Marched to camp, July 6, 1780, under command of Lieut. Taylor of 2d Mass. Regt. Received of Justin Ely, Commissioner, by Maj. Peter Harwood, of 6th Mass. Regt., at Springfield, July 6, 1780. Vol. 25; p. 186.
- CHARLES HASTINGS: Appears among a List of Men raised for the Six Months' service and returned by Brig.-Gen. Paterson, as having passed muster, in a return dated Camp Totoway, Oct. 25, 1780. Vol. 25; p. 232.
- CHARLES HASTINGS: Appears in a Pay Roll for Six Months' Men raised by the town of Princeton for service in the Continental Army during 1780. Marched July 2, 1780. Discharged Dec. 14, 1780. Time of service, 5 mos. 21 days. Vol. 4; p. 154.

His eldest daughter, Betsey (5), was born Nov. 25, 1782, and was married to David Randall, of Ashburnham, March 16, 1805, who were the parents of Caroline (6). (See Stearns History of Ashburnham, 1887.)

Children of Zenas and Caroline (Randall) Allen :

- i. CHARLES HASTINGS, b. Boston, June 14, 1828.
- ii. GEORGE HENRY, born Fitchburg, Nov. 22, 1832.

27. CHARLES HASTINGS⁸ ALLEN, (*Zenas,*⁷ *Benjamin,*⁶ *Phinehas,*⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.,*⁴ *Benjamin,*³ *John,*² *Walter,*¹) born Boston, June 14, 1828; married, July 2, 1849, Caroline F. Sanders, daughter of George and Caroline (Muzzey) Sanders, born New Ipswich, N. H., Aug. 9, 1827, died Boston, Aug. 31, 1897.

Hon. Charles H. Allen was educated in the public schools of Boston. His business life began with a term of service as the youngest boy in the dry goods jobbing store of J. H. & J. Osgood, of Boston. Subsequently he became bookkeeper for Francis Skinner & Co., commission merchants, who were engaged in selling cotton and woolen fabrics for manufacturers.

In 1868 he entered a partnership in the firm of Leland, Allen & Bates, which carried on the same business as the firm with whom he had previously been employed. This connection lasted until 1876, when the firm was dissolved, and since that time Mr. Allen has never been engaged in mercantile business.

From 1887 until 1897 Mr. Allen was president of the Central National Bank of Boston. That his management was a success is best evidenced by the fact that dividends were paid semi-annually, which gave excellent satisfaction to the stockholders. Since January, 1880, Mr. Allen has been president of the Home Savings Bank, and here his financial ability has found an extended opportunity for display. When he assumed the presidency, the bank had been under the shadow of a temporary injunction for the space of two years. In less than eight months this was dissolved. The deposits at that time were about \$2,500,000. When the injunction was put aside there was some call for deposits, for which ample provision had been made. The deposits at this time were reduced to \$1,700,000. Not long afterwards deposits commenced to grow, and by gradual and steady increase they have now passed the six and a half million mark. The increase in 1897 was larger than that of any similar bank in Boston, with a single exception; if the increase was taken on the basis of a percentage, it would be by far the largest. Mr. Allen was made president entirely without his solicitation; as he had no previous connection with the bank, the statement of the marked success attained carries with it its own praise.

For many years Mr. Allen was a member of the Mercantile Library Association, and from the years 1846 to 1853 served as a member of



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its board of government. In 1851 he was elected president after a spirited contest. These were the palmy days of the Library Association, when it had over 2,300 members, and the number of books was over 22,000. The educational idea was prominent at that time, and a certain share of the work done was that which has since been taken up by the Young Men's Christian Association and the Young Men's Christian Union.

The list of men whose education was broadened by the training received in the Mercantile Library Association is a widely extended one, and its influence upon the community is far from being lost, even at the present time.

Mr. Allen has had his share of official honors, and has declined others of equal importance to those named. In 1867 and 1868 he was a member of the Common Council of the city of Boston, the last year serving as president. From 1869 to 1872 he was a member of the Cochituate Water Board of Boston, being president of the board the last two years. During this time Chestnut Hill Reservoir was completed, and legislative authority secured to connect the Sudbury River with the then existing "Cochituate" system.

Mr. Allen was a member of the lower branch of the State Legislature in 1878, and again in 1880. Both of these years he served on the committee on finance. He was a member of the State Senate for the years 1881 and 1882, and both of these years served as chairman of the committee on treasury; he was also a member of other important committees. He was a member of the Board of Aldermen of Boston for the years 1885 to 1888 inclusive, and for two years, 1886 and 1888, served as chairman of the board.

From 1855 to 1862 Mr. Allen was a commissioned officer of the famous Boston Light Infantry, a military company organized in 1798, and which has for a hundred years maintained a high position in the Volunteer Militia of Massachusetts. In 1861 this corps was increased to four companies and became known as the Second Battalion of Infantry. At the breaking out of the Rebellion in 1861, this command was detailed to Fort Warren in Boston Harbor, and remained there about sixty days. Their time was occupied in giving instruction to more than two thousand volunteers who were quartered there awaiting orders to be sent to the army. This organization was the nucleus of the Forty-third Regiment of Massachusetts Volunteers.

In all public emergencies Mr. Allen has ever been ready with council and practical support to lend a friendly hand. The public at large has come to look to him, with other gentlemen of the same stamp, as fitting representatives of their sympathy, and natural almoners of their bounty.

Children of Charles Hastings and Caroline F. (Sanders) Allen :

- i. CHARLES FREDERICK, b. June 16, 1852.
- ii. FRANCIS SKINNER, b. Nov. 23, 1857.

28. CHARLES FREDERICK⁹ ALLEN (*Charles Hastings*,⁸ *Zenas*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), both Boston, June 16, 1852; married, Dec. 22, 1874, Emma Wadleigh, born Boston, Oct. 18, 1855.

Mr. Allen resides in Boston, and is of the firm of Robert Bleakie & Co., woolen manufacturers, at Hyde Park, Mass.

Children of Charles Frederick and Emma (Wadleigh) Allen :

- i. HENRY WALTER, b. Boston, Oct. 5, 1875, died Boston, July 2, 1897.
 - ii. PAUL HASTINGS, b. Hyde Park, Nov. 28, 1883.
29. FRANCIS SKINNER⁹ ALLEN (*Charles Hastings*,⁸ *Zenas*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Boston, Nov. 23, 1857; married, first, Josephine Frances Reed, Oct. 12, 1881, born Kingston, Mass., Sept. 27, 1858, who died Hyde Park, Mass., Dec. 24, 1884; second, Louise Sewall Mann, Oct. 30, 1890, born Dorchester, Mass., Oct. 18, 1858.

He is connected in business with Robert Bleakie & Co., woolen manufacturers, at Hyde Park, and resides in Boston.

Child of Francis Skinner and Josephine Frances (Reed) Allen :

- i. JOSEPHINE FRANCES, b. Hyde Park, Dec. 23, 1884, and died March 26, 1886.
30. GEORGE HENRY⁶ ALLEN (*Zenas*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born in Fitchburg, Nov. 22, 1832; married, first, Dec. 12, 1855, Emily Annette Boyden, daughter of Samuel and Roxanna Boyden, born Enfield, Feb. 12, 1832, who died Nov. 26, 1862; second, Nov. 10, 1864, Sarah Emery Sylvester, daughter of Robert and Sarah Sylvester, born Hanover, Sept. 1, 1843.

George H. Allen was educated in the Boston public schools, and graduating therefrom engaged in the sale of paper hangings, in which he continued until 1858, when he was appointed Secretary of the Board of Engineers of the Boston Fire Department, first by the Board itself, and later by concurrent vote of the Board of Aldermen and Common Council, and annually thereafter until 1867. He was, at the same time, clerk of the Lamp Department doing the entire clerical work of both these important departments of the government.

In 1867 he was appointed by his Honor Mayor Otis Norcross as Superintendent of Lamps, to succeed Capt. William Barnicoat, deceased. The appointment was confirmed by the Board of Aldermen. He was re-appointed and confirmed by each succeeding mayor and Board of Aldermen for sixteen years until 1883. He was again appointed, and served the city in the same capacity two years during the administration of his Honor Mayor Thomas Norton Hart.



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He was for several years a member of the celebrated Boston City Guard, which formed the nucleus of the Thirteenth Regiment Massachusetts Volunteers.

During the year 1863 and 1864 he was detailed by his Honor Mayor Frederick W. Lincoln several times to aid in obtaining re-enlistments to fill the quota of the city in the Union Army.

He is a member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, and has been many years its clerk. He was a lieutenant of the company in 1868.

He is now connected with the Central National Bank and resides in Boston.

Children of George Henry and Emily Annette (Boyden) Allen :

- i. CARRIE ANNETTE, b. Sept. 8, 1858; m. William Maynard, Nov. 18, 1886; b. Tepic, Mexico, June 25, 1857. They reside in Newark, N. J. He is in the employ of the Winchester Arms Company in New York City.
- ii. NELLIE WRIGHT, b. Aug. 15, 1862; d. March 3, 1863.

Children of George Henry and Sarah Emery (Sylvester) Allen :

- i. FANNIE SEAVER, b. Boston, Aug. 13, 1869; m. William R. Waterman, Nov. 27, 1889.
- ii. SARAH SYLVESTER, b. Boston, Sept. 17, 1871.
- iii. GRACE HASTINGS, b. Hanover, Mass., June 29, 1874.

31. FANNIE SEAVER⁴ ALLEN (*George Henry*,⁸ *Zenas*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Aug. 13, 1869; married, Nov. 27, 1889, William R. Waterman, of Hanover, born June 27, 1867, son of Rodolphus C. and Martha Adele Waterman. He is engaged in the manufacture of tacks, at Hanover, Mass., where they reside.

Child of Fannie Seaver Allen and William R. Waterman :

- i. ADELLE ALLEN, b. Hanover, Jan. 1, 1896.

32. SIDNEY⁷ ALLEN (*Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Ashby, June 15, 1808, died Newton, June 19, 1877; married, first, Harriet Lewis, Aug. 14, 1834, born Ipswich; died Boston, July 31, 1846; second, Mrs. Emeline Darling Walcott, daughter of Ethan and Mary Hapgood Darling, Boston, Jan. 10, 1847, born Hudson, Mass., July 3, 1816, died at Newton Corner, Feb. 17, 1884. Mr. Allen resided at Newton and he was a piano action adjuster.

Children of Sidney and Harriet (Lewis) Allen :

- i. BENJAMIN SIDNEY, b. Boston, June 19, 1835. Benjamin Sidney Allen is a seaman, and for many years has resided at Port Adelaide, Australia.

- ii. CHARLES LYMAN, b. Boston, Feb. 5, 1837, unmarried, residence, Worcester, Mass.
- iii. * EDWARD HENRY, b. Boston, June 7, 1839; d. Sept. 9, 1840.
- iv. * EDWIN HERVEY, b. Boston, June 7, 1839; d. April 5, 1841.
- v. CAROLINE LOUISA, b. Boston, Oct. 10, 1841.
- vi. HARRIET ELIZA, b. Boston, Dec. 24, 1842.
- vii. EDWARD HERVEY, b. Boston, Sept. 14, 1844; d. Aug. 3, 1852.

Children of Sidney and Emeline Darling (Walcott) Allen :

- i. LOUIS EBER, b. Newtonville, Aug. 29, 1852.
- ii. HERBERT DARLING, b. Newtonville, Feb. 23, 1858.

33. CAROLINE LOUISA⁸ ALLEN BROOKS (*Sidney*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Boston, Oct. 10, 1841; married, South Boston, Jan. 29, 1863, John Lewis Brooks, born Trenton, now Lamoine, Me., Sept. 14, 1836.

Children of Caroline Louisa Allen and John Lewis Brooks :

- i. * ANNIE MAY } b. Boston, Aug. 26, 1864.
- ii. * JENNIE MARIA } }
- iii. HATTIE ELIZA, b. Boston, May 2, 1866; d. Feb. 15, 1868.
- iv. GEORGE LEWIS, b. Boston, June 14, 1869.
- v. SIDNEY ALLEN, b. Cambridge, Aug. 7, 1884; d. April 10, 1890.
- vi. INEZ MARION, b. Hyde Park, May 27, 1879.

The family reside in Hyde Park, Mass.

34. JENNIE MARIA⁹ BROOKS (*Caroline Louisa*,⁸ *Sidney*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Boston, Aug. 26, 1864; married George Sanford Watson, of Richmond, Me., March 24, 1887.

Children of Jennie Maria Brooks and George Sanford Watson :

- i. LAURA BROOKS, b. Hyde Park, Feb. 20, 1888; d. April 10, 1890.
- ii. LILY PINKHAM, b. Hyde Park, Feb. 20, 1890.

35. HARRIET ELIZA⁸ ALLEN (*Sidney*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Boston, Mass., Dec. 24, 1842; married, March 30, 1876, at Jackson Court House, Jackson County, Ohio, Rev. Charles A. Davis, born Centerville, Ohio, June 14, 1844.

Children of Harriet Eliza Allen and Rev. Charles H. Davis :

- i. ALLEN SIDNEY DAN, b. Greenwood, Ind., Jan. 13, 1877.
- ii. ANGUS CHARLES, b. Mt. Vernon, Ill., Feb. 1, 1880.

The Rev. Charles H. Davis is a clergyman of the Baptist denomination. The family reside in Granville, Ohio, where the two sons are in college. The Rev. Charles H. Davis, husband of Harriet E. Allen, was a soldier in the Union Army, enlisting as a private in Company B, Fifty-sixth Ohio Volunteer Infantry, at Oak Hill, Ohio, Jan. 1,



SAMUEL MARTIN ALLEN.



OLIVER HOBART ALLEN.

1862, and was discharged at New Orleans, La., April 25, 1866, he having re-enlisted Jan. 5, 1864, and being held on detached service in the Freedman's Bureau for a long term after the actual close of the war. He was in the battles of Corinth and in Shiloh, and the Mississippi and Red River campaigns. On his return home he obtained for himself an education, and fitted himself for the ministry, having graduated from a three-years course at Crozer Theological Seminary, at Upland, Penn., May 18, 1874.

36. HERBERT DARLING⁸ ALLEN (*Sidney*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Newtonville, Feb. 23, 1858; married, Aug. 5, 1883, Annie Louise Lunt, born Cambridgeport, Mass., Oct. 30, 1863.

Children of Herbert Darling and Annie Louise (Lunt) Allen:

- i. FLORENCE LOUISE, b. Cambridgeport, Mass., Oct. 12, 1884.
- ii. FRANK SOMERBY, b. Cambridgeport, March 6, 1886.

Herbert Darling Allen now resides at Columbus, Ohio, and has been clerk of the American Hotel for some years.

37. LOUISE EBER⁸ ALLEN (*Sidney*,⁷ *Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Newtonville, Mass., Aug. 29, 1852; married, Chicago, Ill., Aug. 29, 1878, Lilla Victoria Appleby, born Portland, Me., Nov. 28, 1855.

Child of Louise Eber and Lilla Victoria (Appleby) Allen:

- i. MAE GINDITTA ALLEN, b. Cobourg, Ontario, Canada, July 21, 1879.

Louis Eber Allen is a piano action regulator, in Boston.

38. SAMUEL MARTIN⁷ ALLEN (*Benjamin*,⁶ *Phinehas*,⁵ *Benjamin*,⁴ *Benjamin*,³ *John*,² *Walter*¹), born Ashby, May 12, 1813; married, April 26, 1840, Nancy Smith Kendall, daughter of Oliver and Lucy Wellington Kendall, born Ashby, May 19, 1816, died Dec. 11, 1895.

Mr. Allen resides in Ashby and is by occupation a house painter.

Children of Samuel Martin and Nancy Smith (Kendall) Allen:

- i. NANCY ELIZABETH, b. Ashby, May 23, 1841; m. at Ashby, Oct. 6, 1886, Nathan Shibaël Daniels, jeweller, of Concord Mass., b. Hope, Me., April 13, 1835. No children.
- ii. SAMUEL COLMAN, b. Ashby, Nov. 17, 1844; m. at Portland, Me., Dec. 8, 1869, Helen Brooks Bailey, b. Portland, Me., Jan. 11, 1847.
- iii. OLIVER HOBART, b. Ashby, Sept. 26, 1856, d. Jan. 7, 1892. Unmarried.

39. SAMUEL COLMAN⁶ ALLEN (*Samuel Martin,*⁷ *Benjamin,*⁶ *Phinehas,*⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.,*⁴ *Benjamin,*³ *John,*² *Walter*¹), born Nov. 17, 1844; married, Dec. 8, 1869, Helen Brooks Bailey, born Portland, Me., Jan. 11, 1847. He is of the firm Kendall & Whitney, dealers in agricultural implements and seeds, Portland, Me., in which he has been very successful.

Children of Samuel Colman and Helen Brooks (Bailey) Allen:

- i. FRANK COLMAN, b. Portland, Me., Nov. 1, 1870; m. June 5, 1895, Harriette Lawrence Libby, b. Portland, Nov. 28, 1870.
 - ii. BESSIE HELEN, b. Portland, Sept. 17, 1879.
40. FRANK COLMAN⁹ ALLEN (*Samuel Colman,*⁸ *Samuel Martin,*⁷ *Benjamin,*⁶ *Phinehas,*⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.,*⁴ *Benjamin,*³ *John,*² *Walter*¹) born Portland, Nov. 1, 1870; married, June 5, 1895, Harriette Lawrence Libby, born Portland, Me., Nov. 28, 1870. He is of the firm of Cressey, Jones & Allen, piano and music dealers in Portland, Me.

Child of Frank Colman and Harriette Lawrence (Libby) Allen:

- i. DONALD LIBBY ALLEN, b. Portland, Dec. 15, 1896.
41. CHARLES STIMSON⁷ ALLEN (*Benjamin,*⁶ *Phinehas,*⁵ *Benjamin, Jr.,*⁴ *Benjamin,*³ *John,*² *Walter*¹), born Ashby, Jan. 3, 1820; married, first, Lucy Ann Hubbard, Aug. 16, 1842, born Ashby, March 4, 1824, who died Nov. 17, 1860; second, Sarah Caroline Hubbard, June 27, 1862, born Ashby, June 19, 1837.

Charles Stimson Allen resides in Ashby, Mass., and is a manufacturer of tubs and pails, and carries on a farm. He married twice, both times the daughter of Jackson and Mary Hubbard.

Children of Charles Stimson and Lucy Ann (Hubbard) Allen:

- i. MARY ADALINE, b. Ashby, Dec. 20, 1842; d. Jan. 19, 1898; m. Aug. 3, 1863, Charles Edwin Gould, b. Chelmsford, Feb. 22, 1812, who died Nov. 16, 1894.
- ii. LUCY ASENATH, b. Ashby, Sept. 8, 1844; m. April 16, 1867, William Nathan Davis, b. Fitchburg, Oct. 3, 1844, who died April 18, 1893. (No children.)
- iii. CHARLES HUBBARD, b. Ashby, Aug. 4, 1846; m. Leominster, Augusta Haven Cozzens, b. Holliston, Dec. 21, 1845.
- iv. EDWARD HAMILTON, b. Ashby, Oct. 16, 1848; m. Oct. 31, 1880, Lizzie Mary Bixby, b. Leominster, March 24, 1855.
- v. GEORGE BENJAMIN, b. Ashby, Oct. 15, 1850; d. May 23, 1877.
- vi. CAROLINE MORGIANA, b. Ashby, Sept. 17, 1852; d. Jan. 5, 1866.
- vii. EUDORA LOUISA, b. Ashby, Sept. 24, 1853; m. Jan. 5, 1874, Woodbury Holmes b. Bridgton, Me., March 15, 1850.
- viii. ALICE MILDRED, b. Ashby, April 12, 1857; m. Sept. 8, 1879, William Pittman Hall, b. Wrentham, Feb. 24, 1853.



CHARLES STIMSON ALLEN.

Children of Charles Stimson and Sarah Caroline (Hubbard) Allen :

- i. **IDA MARIA**, b. Ashby, Aug. 31, 1862; married, first, Oct. 11, 1882, William Henry Kenefick, born, Leominster, Aug. 27, 1862, who died March 13, 1886; second, Oct. 12, 1893, George Adam Frye, b. Fitchburg, Oct. 3, 1860.
- ii. **HARRY JACKSON**, b. Ashby, Feb. 12, 1865; married, Oct. 23, 1892, Eva Belle Sawyer b. Fitchburg, Aug. 11, 1867.
- iii. **MYRA AMELIA**, b. Ashby, Oct. 9, 1866; married, Jan. 29, 1884, Charles Frederick Bliss, b. Fitchburg, Oct. 8, 1863. He is a passenger conductor on Fitchburg R. R.
- iv. **WILLIAM DERRY**, b. Ashby, Feb. 9, 1869; d. Nov. 4, 1878.
- v. **ETTA**, b. Ashby, April 1, 1871; d. April 5, 1875.
- vi. **JAMES COLMAN**, b. Ashby, March 28, 1872; unmarried.
- vii. **FRED**, b. Ashby, Feb. 15, 1875; unmarried.
- viii. **FRANK**, b. Ashby, April 6, 1877; unmarried.

42. **MARY ADALINE⁸ ALLEN** (*Charles Stimson,⁷ Benjamin,⁶ Phinehas,⁵ Benjamin, Jr.,⁴ Benjamin,³ John,² Walter¹*), born Ashby, Dec. 20, 1842; died, Jan. 19, 1898; married at Clinton, Aug. 3, 1863, Charles Edwin Gould, b. Chelmsford, Feb. 22, 1842, who died Nov. 16, 1894. He was a machinist and inventor.

Children of Mary Adaline Allen and Charles Edwin Gould :

- i. **THURSTON ALLEN**, b. Leominster, April 25, 1865.
- ii. **GEORGE GARDNER**, b. Leominster, April 18, 1870.
- iii. **EBEN COLMAN**, b. Leominster, Sept. 5, 1875.
- iv. **RUTH ALBERTA**, b. Leominster, June 22, 1877.

The family reside in Leominster, Mass.

43. **GEORGE GARDNER⁹ GOULD** (*Mary Adaline,⁸ Charles Stimson,⁷ Benjamin,⁶ Phinehas,⁵ Benjamin, Jr.,⁴ Benjamin,³ John,² Walter¹*), born Leominster, April 18, 1870; married at Barton, Fla., April 18, 1893, Alice Maude Symonds, born Portland, Me., Dec. 18, 1872.

Child of George Gardner and Alice Maude (Symonds) Gould :

- i. **GORDON ALLSTON**, b. Leominster, Aug. 26, 1894.

The family reside in Leominster, Mass.

44. **LUCY ASENATH⁸ ALLEN** (*Charles Stimson,⁷ Benjamin,⁶ Phinehas,⁵ Benjamin, Jr.,⁴ Benjamin,³ John,² Walter¹*), born Ashby, Sept. 8, 1844; married, April 16, 1867, William Nathan Davis, b. Fitchburg, Oct. 31, 1844, who died April 18, 1893. (No children.) She resides in Ashby, Mass.

45. **CHARLES HUBBARD⁸ ALLEN** (*Charles Stimson,⁷ Benjamin,⁶ Phinehas,⁵ Benjamin, Jr.,⁴ Benjamin,³ John,² Walter¹*), born Ashby, Aug. 4, 1846; married in Leominster, Nov. 5, 1872, Augusta Haven Cozzens, b. Holliston, Dec. 21, 1845.

Children of Charles Hubbard and Augusta Haven (Cozzens) Allen :

- i. MABEL LOUISE, b. Leominster, March 12, 1874.
- ii. HERBERT COZZENS, b. Leominster, Jan. 7, 1876.

The family reside in Roxbury, Mass.

46. EDWARD HAMILTON⁸ ALLEN (*Charles Stimson*⁷, *Benjamin*⁴, *Phinehas*⁵, *Benjamin, Jr.*⁴, *Benjamin*³, *John*², *Walter*¹), born Ashby, Oct. 16, 1848; married Oct. 31, 1880, Lizzie Mary Bixby, born Leominster, March 24, 1855.

Child of Edward Hamilton and Lizzie Mary (Bixby) Allen :

- i. CLIFTON LINMORE, b. Leominster, March 25, 1881.

The family reside in Leominster, Mass.

47. EUDORA LOUISA⁸ ALLEN (*Charles Stimson*⁷, *Benjamin*⁶, *Phinehas*⁵, *Benjamin, Jr.*⁴, *Benjamin*³, *John*², *Walter*¹), born Ashby, Sept. 24, 1853; married, Jan. 5, 1874, Woodbury Holmes, born Bridgeton, Me., March 15, 1850.

Children of Eudora Louisa Allen and Woodbury Holmes :

- i. CORA MAY, b. Fitchburg, May 26, 1873; d. Sept. 12, 1873.
- ii. GEORGE WOODBURY, b. Luddenburg, Aug. 29, 1874.
- iii. CHARLES STUART, b. Leominster, Oct. 3, 1877.
- iv. ALFRED ALTON, b. Ashby, Jan. 4, 1882.
- v. FLORENCE PEARL, b. Ashby, July 7, 1884; d. July 15, 1893.
- vi. LUCY EUDORA, b. Ashby, June 21, 1891.

The family reside in Ashby, Mass.

48. CHARLES STUART⁹ HOLMES, (*Louise Eudora*⁸, *Charles Stimson*⁷, *Benjamin*⁶, *Phinehas*⁵, *Benjamin, Jr.*⁴, *Benjamin*³, *John*², *Walter*¹), born Leominster, Oct. 3, 1877; married at Fitchburg, April 17, 1897, Bertha Eva Zube, born Ashburnham, April 15, 1878.

49. ALICE MILDRED⁸ ALLEN (*Charles Stimson*⁷, *Benjamin*⁶, *Phinehas*⁵, *Benjamin, Jr.*⁴, *Benjamin*³, *John*², *Walter*¹), born Ashby, April 12, 1857; married, Sept. 8, 1879, William Pittman Hall, born Wrentham, Feb. 24, 1853.

He is a straw bather by trade and resides in Wrentham, Mass. No children.

50. IDA MARIA⁸ ALLEN (*Charles Stimson*⁷, *Benjamin*⁶, *Phinehas*⁵, *Benjamin Jr.*⁴, *Benjamin*³, *John*², *Walter*¹), born Ashby, Aug. 31, 1862; married, first, Oct. 11, 1882, William Henry Kenefick, born Leominster, Aug. 27, 1862, who died March 13, 1886; married, second, Oct. 12, 1893, George Adam Frye, born Fitchburg, Oct. 2, 1860.

Children of Ida Maria Allen and William Henry Kenefick :

- i. AMIE MAY KENEFICK, b. Ashby, Oct. 11, 1882.
- ii. HARRY WILLIAM KENEFICK, b. Ashby, Oct. 27, 1884.

The family reside in Fitchburg, Mass.

51. HARRY JACKSON⁸ ALLEN (*Charles Stimson,⁷ Benjamin,⁶ Phinehas,⁵ Benjamin, Jr.,⁴ Benjamin,³ John,² Walter¹*), born Ashby, Feb. 12, 1865; married, Oct. 23, 1892, Eva Belle Sawyer, born Fitchburg, Aug. 11, 1867.

Child of Harry Jackson and Eva Belle (Sawyer) Allen :

- i. GUY BENJAMIN, b. Fitchburg, Nov. 6, 1893.

The family reside in Fitchburg, Mass.

52. MYRA AMELIA⁸ ALLEN (*Charles Stimson,⁷ Benjamin,⁶ Phinehas,⁵ Benjamin, Jr.,⁴ Benjamin,³ John,² Walter¹*), born Ashby, Oct. 9, 1866; married, Jan. 30, 1884, Charles Frederick Bliss, born Fitchburg, Oct. 8, 1868, who resides in Waltham.

Child of Myra Amelia Allen and Charles Frederick Bliss :

- i. IRENE MILDRED, b. Fitchburg, Aug. 29, 1886.

