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THE KNAPP FAMILY IN AMERICA

A Genealogy

OF THE

Descendants of William Knapp

WHO SETTLED IN

Watertown, Mass., in 1630

Including also a Tabulated Pedigree, Paternal and Maternal, of Hiram Knapp

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This book embodies the result of investigations pursued for many years, as a diversion from other literary labor, by one who, despite his modesty, reflected much honor upon the name he bore. [See Appendix, Note A.] The author would doubtless have extended and elaborated the work before publishing it, and solved some problems that perplexed him; but the editors have chosen to present it substantially as he left it. He was extremely painstaking in his researches and cautious in his statements, so that his records may generally be relied upon. His doubts, so far as known, are indicated as such.

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INTRODUCTION

The name Knapp is of Teutonic origin, and is derived from the Anglo-Saxon cnapa, which corresponds to the German Knappe, an esquire or body-servant to a knight or noble; or from cnaep, a hill, which, in the forms of Knap, Knop, Knob, nap, etc., occurs as a place-name in midland and southern England. Probably the name has not a common origin for all families bearing it. There are many variations in the spelling of the name, some families not adhering to any particular form, while others were quite persistent in so doing, even when more liberty in that matter was practiced than now.

The earliest mention of the name is in the Rotuli Curiæ Regis, Volume I, page 139, thus: "Anno Regis Ricardi IX: I: XV die [i. e., 1198], Petrus Knape." From that time down, it occurs frequently in English records. It was common in Suffolk and Norfolk counties and there is some evidence, but not as yet conclusive, that the Knapps of America came from the former county.* In the Visitation of Suffolk of 1577 the coat-of-arms of the Knapp family is thus described: "Or, in chief, three close helmets, sable; in base a lion passant, of the last. Crest: An arm embowed, in armour, proper, garnished, or, the hand of the first grasping by the blade a broken sword, argent; hilt and pommel of the second, with a branch of laurel, vert. Motto: Spes nostra Deus."

Among the immigrants who came over with Sir Richard Saltonstall in 1630 were two men, perhaps brothers, named Nicholas and William Knapp, who, with others, became the first settlers of Watertown, Mass. The children of Nicholas removed to Connecticut and are the ancestors of the Knapps of that state, of western Massachusetts, of New York and states farther west. William, who remained in Watertown, is the ancestor of those of the name in central and eastern Massachusetts, except the southeastern, where they are from Aaron (possibly a third brother), who was one of the early settlers of Taunton. The Knapps of New Hampshire and Maine are also descendants of William.

Before 1644 William Knapp was grantee of seven lots of land in the town of Watertown, and purchaser of one. His "homestall" of sixteen acres was bounded southwesterly by that of Richard Lock-

^{*} Mr. Oswald G. Knapp, of Hillside, Castle Hill, Maidenhead, England, who is about to publish a history of the English families of the name of Knapp, has made some interesting researches in an endeavor to locate our ancestor William.

wood, southeasterly by that of Nicholas Knapp, easterly by that of Richard Browne, northeasterly by that of Richard Beers, northerly by the highway (the Cambridge road). Most of his real estate, amounting to about one hundred and seventy acres, came, after his death, into the possession of Nathaniel Coolidge. His will, proved October 15, 1658, makes no mention of his wife, probably because made before his second marriage, his first wife having died in England. In the settlement of his estate, however, his widow received one third. In the records of Watertown there are many items relating to this, our earliest American ancestor.

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Note. —The successive generations are designated by the letters of the alphabet in large capitals, A representing the immigrant. The Arabic notation indicates the order in which the families of each generation are considered; and the Roman numerals distinguish the children of each family.

\mathbf{A}

WILLIAM KNAPP was born in England about 1578; came to this country in 1630 with Sir Richard Saltonstall, and was one of the first settlers of Watertown, Mass., where he died Aug. 30, 1658, aged, as the town record states, "about eighty." The name of his first wife, who died in England, is unknown; his second, whom he married between 1655 and 1658, was Priscilla Akers, widow of Thomas Akers.

CHILDREN:

(All born in England.)

B1 I. WILLIAM.

B² II. John.

B³ III. JAMES.

- IV. MARY, m., 1636 (?), Thomas Smith, of Watertown (who was b. 1601 and d. March 10, 1692[3]).
- v. Judith, m., 1650(?), Nicholas Cady, and removed, about 1668, to Groton, Mass.
- VI. Anne, m. Thomas Philbrick, of Hampton; d. May 17, 1667.
- VII. ELIZABETH, m. John Buttery and returned to England, where she resided at Bury St. Mary, Suffolk. In 1662, June 24, she, a widow, sold through her attorney, Thomas Danforth, her share (one eighth) of her father's estate. The original power of attorney is on file at the probate office in East Cambridge, Mass.

\mathbf{B}^{1}

WILLIAM² (William¹), son of the immigrant; b. in England; m., first, Mary —; m., second, about 1652, Margaret —; lived in Watertown, where he died Sept. 25, 1676.

- I. Priscilla, b. Nov. 10, 1642.
- II. Joseph, apprenticed March 6, 1656, to J. Fleming, afterwards to John Barnard.

III. JUDY, b. March 2, 1653.

IV. ELIZABETH, b. July 23, 1657; m., Sept. 11, 1674, Samuel Scripture, of Cambridge.

B^2

JOHN² (William¹), son of the immigrant; b. in England about 1624; m., May 25, 1660, Sarah Young. His will, proved April 27, 1696, mentions his wife Sarah and children I. to VII. in the following list.

CHILDREN:

C¹ I. John, b. May 4, 1661.

II. SARAH, b. Sept. 5, 1662 (called in John's will, Sarah Park).

- III. Henry, executor of his father's will. In 1716 he was protecting settlers against the Indians.
- C^2 iv. Isaac, b. 1672(?).
 - v. Mary, m. Simon Tozer, of Weston, Mass.

C³ vi. Joshua.

- VII. ABIGAIL, m., Oct. 3, 1712, Benjamin Newton, of Marlboro, Mass.
- viii. James, probably lost in the expedition against Quebec in 1690. [From Registry of Deeds, East Cambridge, Nov. 9, 1736: "Isaac Knapp, of Salem, and wife Anna grant land in Maine, west of Sowhegan, granted in right of his brother James, who was in the Canada expedition, now deceased."]

\mathbf{B}^3

JAMES² (William¹), son of the immigrant; b. about 1627; m. Elizabeth, dau. of John Warren. He was one of the original proprietors of Groton, Mass., where twenty acres of land, free from taxes for twenty years, were given him to encourage the building of a mill.

CHILDREN:

- I. ELIZABETH, b. April 21, 1655; m. Ephraim Philbrick, of Groton. She was bewitched in 1671. [See Appendix, Note B.]
- II. James, b. May 26, 1657; d. Sept. 26, 1657.

\mathbb{C}^1

JOHN³ (John², William¹), son of John [B²] and Sarah (Young) Knapp, b. in Watertown, May 4, 1661; m., Aug. 4, 1686, Sarah Park, and removed to Newton, where he died in 1733. His wife died Dec. 19, 1727. A deed dated June 14, 1729, names John, Sr.; John, Jr.,

husbandman; Jonas, housewright; Daniel and Jonathan, husbandmen; Sarah, Lydia, and Hannah, "symsters," all of Newton; James, husbandman, of Worcester; Ebenezer, weaver, of Weston. In the Registry of Deeds, East Cambridge, Mass., are many items relating to transfer of property among various members of this family, dating from 1704 to 1736.

CHILDREN:

- I. SARAH, b. Aug. 13, 1686; d. 1755; unmarried.
- D¹ п. Jонн, b. Dec. 11, 1688.
- D^2 III. James, b. Feb. 21, 1690.
 - IV. Jonas, m., Nov. 6, 1737, Mary Wright, at Falmouth, Me. On muster roll of Capt. John Shipley's company, June 26, 1722; on that of Capt. Geo. Berry's company, Falmouth, Me., May 19, 1746, to Jan. 19, 1747, Corporal Jonas Knapp.
 - v. Jonathan.
- D³ VI. DANIEL.
- D4 VII. EBENEZER.
 - VIII. LYDIA, d. April 29, 1734, unmarried.
 - IX. HANNAH, m. Moses Allen and lived in New Medfield, Worcester County, Mass.
 - x. Isaac, b. —; m. Mary and had a son, Jedediah, b. Feb. 28, 1726, who married Sarah and had a daughter Hannah, a minor above fourteen years of age in 1762, when the widow Sarah was appointed her guardian. They lived in Needham. Among the grantees of Lyndeboro, N. H., September, 1736, are Isaac and James Knapp, probably x. and III.

\mathbb{C}^2

ISAAC³ (John², William¹), son of John [B²] and Sarah (Young) Knapp, of Newton; b. 1672(?); lived in Charlestown, Cambridge, Marblehead, Salem. Was a shipwright. He died Dec. 8, 1744, and was buried in the Granary Burying-ground, Boston. His wife was Anna, dau. of Benoni Eaton, of Cambridge. He served in the Quebec expedition of 1690 with his brother James, and in 1735 received for his services in that war a grant of land in the Canada townships. The deed of its sale, recorded in East Cambridge, shows that he and his wife were both living Nov. 9, 1736. He removed to Salem between 1703 and 1707, and, so far as I know, all the Knapps of Essex County, of the eighteenth century, except those of Marblehead, are descended from him.

 Ann(A), b. April 20, 1695; m., April 4, 1715, William Parker, of Boston.

II. REBECCA, b. Jan. 13, 1697; m., Dec. 6, 1717, John Ridge-way, of Charlestown.

III. Isaac, b. June 15, 1699; bapt. at First Church, Charlestown, June 25, 1699; d. 1726, at Alicante, on his way home from Egypt.

IV. URSULA, b. July 3, 1701, at Cambridge; m., Nov. 26, 1747, Samuel Hastings, of Boston.

D⁵ v. Ebenezer, b. Aug. 20, 1703, at Cambridge.

vi. Mercy, b. Feb. 14, 1706.

VII. ABIGAIL, b. July 1, 1707, in Salem; m., Feb. 16, 1727, Benjamin Felt, of Salem.

D⁶ viii. John, b. Aug. 5, 1710, in Salem.

D' IX. NATHANIEL, b. May 4, 1713, in Salem.

D⁸ x. Samuel, b. June 6, 1717, in Salem.

XI. MARY, b. Dec. 20, 1721, in Salem; m., April 10, 1744, Christopher Brazier, of Boston.

C_{i}

JOSHUA³ (John², William¹), son of John [B²] and Sarah (Young) Knapp. Married Sarah Beal (who m., second, Jacob Busher). In York, Me., deeds, I find that he owned land in Maine, on south side of York River, as early as April 16, 1711. I also find that Joshua Knapp, of York, sold land, the deed signed by him and his wife Sarah and acknowledged at Roxbury, Mass., June 19, 1722, before Paul Dudley. Sarah Knapp, probably the above, was a widow in Dorchester in 1725, where her son Ebenezer was baptized, his mother belonging to church in York, Me.

CHILDREN:

I. Samuel, b. June 26, 1715, in Roxbury.

II. EBENEZER, bapt. Aug. 22, 1725, at First Church, Dorchester, Mass.

D^1

JOHN⁴ (John³, John², William¹), son of John [C¹] and Sarah (Park) Knapp, b. Dec. 11, 1688, in Newton; m., July 13, 1715, Mary Whitney, who was b. April 21, 1694. As his widow she was guardian of the children in 1739. He died May 26, 1730.

E¹ I. DAVID, b. March 12, 1717.

II. MARTHA, b. April 12, 1719; d. Oct. 10, 1721.

III. Ватнянева, b. Sept. 13, 1721; d. July 18, 1745; unmarried.

 E^2 iv. Josiah, b. Oct. 25, 1723.

E³ v. Jesse, b. Feb. 17, 1726.

VI. MARY, b. July 18, 1728; m., 1751, Elisha Hyde.

VII. Sybil, b. July 25, 1730; m., in Boston, June 6, 1749, Moses Mason; d. at the home of her son Walter, in Bethel, Me. This son Walter had a son, Javan Knapp Mason, D.D., who d. at Herndon, Va., Aug. 18, 1900, at the age of eighty-two.

D^2

JAMES⁴ (John³, John², William¹), son of John [C¹] and Sarah (Park) Knapp; b. Feb. 21, 1690, in Newton; m., first, April 2, 1714, Elizabeth Bond, who was b. Oct. 11, 1691, and d. Jan. 12, 1716 (buried in Old Burying-ground, Watertown, Mass.); m., second, Oct. 30, 1716, Mary, dau. of Nathaniel Fiske, who d. Feb. 21, 1732. He lived in Newton, Worcester, and Watertown.

CHILDREN:

I. Jonathan, b. Oct. 23, 1714, in Watertown; d. before 1748.

 E^4 II. Abijah, b. Oct. 2, 1717, in Worcester.

III. MARY, b. Dec. 16, 1719, in Worcester; m. Samuel Underwood.

IV. Benjamin, b. Aug. 31, 1721, in Worcester; d. in Sturbridge, 1747 or 1748.

v. James, b. Oct. 27, 1723, in Worcester; living in 1748.

E⁵ vi. Elisha, b. Dec. 6, 1725, in Worcester.

VII. ELIZABETH, b. May 15, 1729, in Watertown; m. (perhaps)
William Richards, of Framingham, Nov. 21, 1753.

E⁶ VIII. John, b. Oct. 21, 1731, in Watertown.

D^3

DANIEL⁴ (John³, John², William¹), son of John [C¹] and Sarah (Park) Knapp, b. 1708(?); m., Sept. 30, 1735, Sarah Welds (?); d. Sept. 2, 1772, aged about sixty-four. His widow died in 1797, aged about eighty-eight. The family removed from Newton about the middle of the eighteenth century, perhaps to Brattleboro, Vt. [see E⁷].

I. BEULAH, b. June 9, 1736; m. Oliver Cook.

II. ISABEL, b. Jan. 15, 1738.

III. DANIEL, b. Feb. 4, 1742.

IV. DEBORAH, b. 1744.

E⁷ v. James, b. Jan. 16, 1746.

vi. Jonas, b. Nov. 6, 1749.

VII. LYDIA, b. July 13, 1752.

D^4

EBENEZER⁴ (John³, John², William¹), son of John [C¹] and Sarah (Park) Knapp; was living in Weston in 1729, in Newton in 1734, and some time in Sturbridge; m., Sept. 19, 1734, Elizabeth Mason, of Newton, who was b. in 1709.

CHILDREN:

i. Ebenezer, b. July 2, 1739.

п. Јону, b. April 23, 1741.

III. Lois, b. June 16, 1743.

IV. RACHEL, b. June 20, 1745.

v. Hannah, b. Aug. 3, 1747.

\mathbf{D}^5

EBENEZER⁴ (Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Isaac [C²] and Anna (Eaton) Knapp; b. Aug. 20, 1703, in Cambridge, Mass.; m., first, in Boston, May 18, 1727, Jane Hanover, of Taunton, Mass.; m., second, Nov. 15, 1743, Mrs. Sarah Butler; m., third, Aug. 9, 1750, Mrs. Sarah Follansby, dau. of Peter Coffin, of Newbury, who was b. Aug. 24, 1701; d. Nov. 5, 1777.

He was a soldier in the French and Indian War, and was at Fort William Henry, Nov. 5, 1756. His will, dated Sept. 11, 1776, mentions his wife Sarah, sons William and Benoni Eaton, daughters Jane Dole and Mary Follansby, granddaughter Anna Choate, grandsons Hanover, Isaac, James, and William, the sons of his son Hanover; grandson Samuel, the son of his son Ebenezer. All his children except Isaac were baptized at the New South Church in Boston. He lived

CHILDREN:

 E^8 1. Hanover, b. August, 1728.

in Boston and in Newbury.

II. ISAAC, b. Nov. 9, 1730, in Salem. Was buried in the Old Granary Burying-ground in Boston.

[Is he the Isaac who m. Mary Twiss, of Danvers, Nov. 2, 1762?]

III. Anna, bapt. Dec. 10, 1732; d. Oct. 25, 1734.

IV. Anna, bapt. April 13, 1735; m., Aug. 10, 1754, Benjamin Choate.

E⁹ v. Ebenezer, *bapt*. Feb. 20, 1736[7].

E¹⁰ vi. William, bapt. Dec. 17, 1738.

VII. JANE, bapt. Jan. 4, 1740[1]; m. — Dole.

VIII. MARY, bapt. March 20, 1742[3]; m., Feb. 21, 1767, Thomas Follansby, of South Hampton, N. H.

E11 IX. BENONI EATON, bapt. Jan. 6, 1744[5].

X. Ursula, bapt. Dec. 28, 1746; m., first, May 1, 1772, Jonathan Symonds, of Salem; m., second, Oct. 25, 1801.
 Joshua Phippen; d. Dec. 20, 1818.

XI. SAMUEL, bapt. Sept. 11, 1748.

D^6

JOHN⁴ (Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Isaac [C²] and Anna (Eaton) Knapp; b. Aug. 5, 1710, in Salem; m., Dec. 1, 1731, Mary Wyatt, of Newbury. He was a shipwright and was living in Salem in 1759. John Knapp, of Salem, probably this man, was taken prisoner at Lake George in Captain Rogers's fight, and carried to Canada in 1757.

CHILDREN:

 MARY, bapt. at First Church, Salem, July 11, 1736. [Probably several other children not recorded.]

D^7

NATHANIEL⁴, Capt. (Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Isaac [C²] and Anna (Eaton) Knapp; b. in Salem, May 4, 1713; m., first, Aug. 31, 1734, Sarah Hart, who was b. June 15, 1710, and d. April 15, 1754; m., second, Sept. 18, 1754, Mrs. Elizabeth (Gerrish) Moody, who d. March 22, 1801. He died in Newbury, Mass., Feb. 12, 1776.

He was in the second Louisburg expedition, 1758-9, and his "Diary" was published in 1895 by the Society of Colonial Wars in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

CHILDREN:

I. Наппан, b. Jan. 20, 1735; d. Dec. 5, 1736.

 E^{12} II. NATHANIEL, b. March 30, 1736.

III. Наппан, b. Sept. 27, 1737; m., Jan. 14, 1760, Joseph Noyes.

IV. SARAH, b. April 1, 1739; m. — Whitman.

E¹³ v. Anthony, b. Jan. 29, 1743.

E¹⁴ vi. John, b. Oct. 3, 1744.

VII. REBECCA, b. July 18, 1746; m., Nov. 18, 1764, Simon Stacey Gardner.

VIII. ISAAC, b. Dec. 27, 1747.

IX. ABIGAIL, b. Dec. 2, 1748.

x. Samuel, b. Oct. 9, 1751; d. Feb. 15, 1834; unmarried. He owned several vessels in the West India trade, including the brig *Dolphin*, which was seized by the French in 1794 and carried to the West Indies.

E¹⁵ XI. BENJAMIN FELT, b. March 23, 1754.

XII. ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 3, 1757; d. Oct. 5, 1758.

D^8

SAMUEL⁴ (Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Isaac [C²] and Anna (Eaton) Knapp, b. June 6, 1717, in Salem; m., Jan 17, 1738, Mary Robinson; was killed in the battle of Louisburg, May 26, 1745, at the head of the volunteers who stormed the island battery.

CHILDREN:

I. Mary, b. April 1, 1739; m., Nov. 10, 1762, Aaron Davis, who was in the battle of Bunker Hill.

E¹⁶ II. SAMUEL, b. Jan. 28, 1741.

E¹⁷ III. WILLIAM, b. Nov. 24, 1742.

IV. ABIGAIL, b. —; m., Dec. 25, 1777, James Lenox.

\mathbf{D}^{g}

[I am at present unable to solve the problem of the birth and parentage of the following Isaac, but I think he was the son of Isaac [C²] and Anna (Eaton) Knapp. A son was born to them June 15, 1699; a son Isaac was baptized in the First Church, Salem, April 29, 1716; Isaac, Sr., was administrator of Isaac, Jr.'s estate in Salem, Aug. 18, 1726. Did the first son die early, and was a son, born in 1716, named Isaac in memory of him, as was very often the case? Who was the Isaac, Jr., who died in 1726 if not the son born in 1699?

— A. M. K.]*

ISAAC⁴ (——?), m., first, Mary ——, who d. Oct. 24, 1741; m., second, Judith Leach, of Amesbury; intention of marriage dated April 3, 1742; d. Feb. 4, 1792.

CHILDREN:

E¹⁸ I. John, b. March 11, 1736.

E¹⁹ II. ISAAC, b. March 16, 1748.

^{*} According to another authority, this man's ancestry is Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹. The author (A. M. K.) thought this was incorrect, and believed that the error was due to an early inaccuracy of his own, perpetuated in some town history. — Eds.

- III. Molly, m., Nov. 17, 1767, Elias Brown, of South Hampton.
- IV. Lydia, m., May 20 (?), 1776, Thomas Sumner, of Salisbury.

\mathbb{E}^1

DAVID⁵ (John⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of John [D¹] and Mary (Whitney) Knapp; b. in Newton, March 12, 1717; m., first, June 1, 1741, Sarah Bartlett, who d. in 1758; removed to Spencer in 1747; m., second, Sept. 27, 1759, Mehitable, widow of Dr. Jedediah Rice, of Hardwick; d. in 1773. Inventory of estate, Dec. 31, 1773, mentions Mehitable and John.

CHILDREN:

- I. Anna, b. Oct. 3, 1741, in Newton.
- F¹ и. Јонк, b. Мау 27, 1744, in Newton.
 - III. Joseph, b. Oct. 14, 1745, in Newton.
 - IV. DAVID, b. June 30, 1750, in Spencer.
 - v. Sarah, b. May 15, 1752, in Spencer; m., May 4, 1775, James Lamb.
- F² vi. Enoch, b. July 18, 1754, in Spencer.
 - VII. NATHAN, b. Sept. 29, 1760, in Spencer; was a Revolutionary soldier in Col. J. Cushing's regiment of artillery, and d. in service, Oct. 16, 1777.

\mathbb{E}^2

JOSIAH⁵ (John⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of John [D¹] and Mary (Whitney) Knapp; b. Oct. 25, 1723, in Newton, on a large farm on which his father and grandfather lived and died; m., first, Nov. 21, 1745, Mary, dau. of John Parker, of Newton Lower Falls; m., second, Sept. 8, 1772, Lydia Cheney.

- Samuel, b. Nov. 19, 1748; Revolutionary soldier of Salem; taken prisoner from schooner Warren, Dec. 27, 1777; escaped from Old Mill Prison [see Appendix, Note C]; taken on Black Princess, of Dunkirk, Oct. 11, 1781; also on privateer Junius Brutus, Oct. 11, 1782. Died in New York.
- п. Josiah, b. May 27, 1750; d. June 9, 1750.
- III. BATHSHEBA, b. March 15, 1751; d. 1777.
- F³ IV. Josiah, b. March 22, 1753.
 - v. Esther, b. June 14, 1755; d. 1770(?), aged fifteen.

VI. SIBYL, b. June 25, 1757; m. Enoch Baldwin.

VII. TIMOTHY, d. in Beaufort, S. C., where he was engaged in mercantile business.

VIII. HANNAH, b. 1761(?); d. in Boston, Oct. 7, 1841, aged eighty.

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JESSE⁵ (John⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of John [D¹] and Mary (Whitney) Knapp; b. Feb. 17, 1726; m., in 1760, Submit Cook, of Needham, where he was, in 1757, a blacksmith. He was a Revolutionary soldier from Dedham, Mass.; a minuteman in Captain Battle's company, April 19, 1775; sergeant under Col. John Brewer; lieutenant under Colonel McIntosh; engaged at Dorchester Hill, March, 1776.

CHILDREN:

(Born in Dedham.)

- I. Rhoda, b. Oct. 9, 1761; m. Thomas Symonds, who was b. in Danvers, Mass., pioneer in Denmark, Me., 1794.
- II. JAVAN, b. May 1, 1764.
- III. NAHUM, b. July 21, 1766.
- IV. SALLY, b. Dec. 23, 1768.
- v. Joash, b. March 6, 1771.

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ABIJAH⁵ (James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of James [D²] and Elizabeth (Bond) Knapp; b. in Worcester, Oct. 2, 1717; m., Nov. 19, 1744, Abigail Ward. Lived in Marlboro, Petersham, and in Bennington, Vt., where he died January, 1799.

CHILDREN:

- I. Lucy, b. Nov. 19, 1745.
- II. ABIGAIL, b. Nov. 15, 1748.
- F^4 III. BENJAMIN, b. July 18, 1751.
 - IV. ELIZABETH, b. July 5, 1754.

$^{\cdot}$ E^{5}

ELISHA⁵ (James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of James [D²] and Elizabeth (Bond) Knapp; b. in Worcester, Dec. 6, 1725; m. Persis——, who d. Sept. 13, 1776. Lived in Petersham and Orange, Mass., in Winchester, N. H., and in Dummerston, Vt., where he died in 1806.

- I. Lucretia, b. Aug. 13, 1752, in Petersham; m., May 18, 1775, Capt. Isaac Miller, of Dummerston, Vt.
- F⁵ II. ELISHA, b. Jan. 20, 1754, in Petersham.
- F^6 III. ICHABOD, b. Dec. 20, 1755.
- F7 IV. JOHN.
 - v. Persis, b. 1762; d. 1780.
- F⁸ vi. Jonah, b. 1770; d. Sept. 17, 1821.
 - VII. ABIGAIL, b. 1770; m., 1792, Cyrus Robinson; d. 1792.
 - VIII. Polly, m. Benjamin Rider, Jan. 30, 1806.
 - IX. BETSY.
 - X. CATHERINE.

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JOHN⁵ (James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of James [D²] and Mary (Fiske) Knapp; b. Oct. 21, 1731, in Watertown, Mass.; m. Anna, dau. of Jazaniah Rice, who d. March, 1812. Lived in Petersham, where he died Aug. 20, 1814.

CHILDREN:

- I. LYDIA, b. April 9, 1761; m. Ed. Powers, of Phillipston.
- II. LEVI, b. May 16, 1763; d. 1785, in Petersham.
- F^9 III. JESSENIAH, b. Oct. 1, 1765.
- \mathbf{F}^{10} IV. James, b. May 20, 1767.
 - v. Anna, b. Sept. 22, 1770; d. Dec. 19 (or 20), 1826, unmarried.
 - vi. Lucy, b. Jan. 31, 1773; m. Joseph Ingalls; d. Oct. 13, 1822, at Keene, N. H.
 - VII. MARY, b. June 24, 1775; m. Amos Johnson; d. Nov. 8, 1826, at Petersham.

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JAMES⁵ (Daniel⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Daniel [D³] and Sarah (Park) Knapp; b. in Newton, Jan. 16, 1746 [Mr. Timson says 1742]; m., first, Patty (Polly) Dunklee, who d. May 16, 1770, aged twenty-three; m., second, Jerusha Lyons, who d. June 8, 1791, aged twenty-four(?); m., third, Molly Redfield, who was born July 2, 1773, and died Sept. 1, 1810. He was living in Brattleboro, Vt., in 1768; went to Newfane, Vt., in 1818, where he died in the home of his son-in-law, John Timson, Nov. 22, 1822.

[Martha A. Fellowes, dau. of John A. and Welthea (Knapp) Fel-

lowes, m. Levi, son of John and Julia (Knapp) Timson. James d. Nov. 22, 1822, aged, as his grandson says, seventy-eight. This would make his birth 1744, instead of 1746, as I find it. Tradition makes his birthplace Watertown, his father's name Daniel, and one of his sisters, Beulah; so that I think, in spite of the above discrepancies, he must be identified with the James who was born in 1746. — A. M. K.]

CHILDREN:

(All born in Brattleboro, Vt.)

- 1. Elijah, b. Nov. 2, 1767. Removed to New York State.
- II. James, b. April 1, 1781. Removed to New York State.
- III. JESSE, b. July 20, 1784; d. March 24 (?), 1785.
- IV. SIBYL, b. Nov. 1, 1793; m., Oct. 20, 1816, William Norton, of Northfield, Mass., and later of Keene, N. H.; d. Dec. 13, 1862.
 - v. Julia, b. Oct. 12, 1794; m., Nov. 22 (or 20), 1813, John Timson, of Brattleboro, Vt.; d. 1864.
- vi. Fanny, b. March 10, 1796; m., Dec. 7, 1815, Levi Barrett, of Brattleboro; removed to Jackson, Pa.; d. in East New Milford, Pa., May 16, 1870.
- VII. DARAXA, b. July 14, 1797; d. Dec. 19, 1809, at Brattleboro, Vt.
- VIII. LEONARD, b. Jan. 20, 1799; d. July 31, 1883, at Brattleboro, Vt.
 - IX. Horace, b. Nov.(?) 11, 1800; m., Jan. 18, 1827, Martha T. Munroe; had a large family; lived in Boston; d. in Gardner, Mass., Nov. 5, 1848.
- F¹¹ x. Oren B., b. June 5, 1802.
 - XI. Polly, b. Nov. 8, 1804; m., Sept. 2, 1820, Matthew Towle; lived in Charlestown, N. H.; d. in Brattleboro, May 28, 1876.
 - XII. GRATIA, b. Oct. 22, 1805; m. Leander Earle, of Boston; d. in Charlestown, Mass., April 20, 1862.
 - XIII. WELTHEA, b. Oct. 1, 1807; m., Dec. 26, 1824, John A. Fellowes, of Barre, Mass., where she d. May 8, 1841.

 F^{12} xiv. Richard, b. May 4, 1809.

\mathbb{E}^{8}

HANOVER⁵ (Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Ebenezer [D⁵] and Jane (Hanover) Knapp; b. in Boston, August, 1728 (Salem records); bapt. at New South Church, Boston, May 18, 1729.

(Mentioned in Ebenezer's will, dated Sept. 11, 1776.)

- I. HANOVER.
- II. ISAAC.
- III. JAMES.
- IV. WILLIAM.

\mathbf{E}_{9}

EBENEZER⁵ (Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Ebenezer [D⁵] and Jane (Hanover) Knapp; bapt. at New South Church, Boston, Feb. 20, 1736[7]; m., Nov. 17, 1757, Anna Pillsbury, who d. November, 1758. He lived in Newbury, Mass., and died before 1776. The will of Ebenezer, Sr., dated Sept. 11, 1776, mentions Ebenezer's son Samuel.

CHILD:

I. Samuel, b. March 20, 1758.

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WILLIAM⁵ (Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Ebenezer [D⁵] and Jane (Hanover) Knapp; b. in Boston in 1738; m., July 2, 1761, in Newbury, Lydia Coombs, who d. April 27, 1824. He died in Newburyport, June 4, 1780. [Newburyport was set off from Newbury as a separate town in 1764.]

CHILDREN:

- F¹³ I. PHILIP COOMBS, b. Aug. 15, 1762.
 - II. Jane, b. 1764; m., May 21, 1785, John Newman; d. Aug. 10, 1794.
- F¹⁴ III. Isaac, b. June 2, 1766.
 - IV. MARY COOMBS, b. March 20, 1768; d. July 5, 1842.
- F¹⁵ v. William, b. April 27, 1770.
- F^{18} vi. Ebenezer, b. Jan. 4, 1772.
 - VII. SARAH COFFIN, b. April 4, 1774; m., Dec. 9, 1797, Robert Downs.
 - VIII. ROBERT, b. May 19, 1777; lost at sea.
 - IX. Lydia, b. April 28, 1780; m., May 13, 1798, Joshua Hill.

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BENONI EATON⁵ (Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Ebenezer [D⁵] and Jane (Hanover) Knapp; bapt. Jan. 6, 1744[5], at the New South Church, Boston; m. Hannah Moody, who d. Nov.

21, 1816. He was a Revolutionary soldier under Col. Moses Little, May 9, 1775; in Col. Benjamin Perkins's regiment at Bunker Hill, and re-enlisted July, 1780. He died Aug. 7, 1807.

CHILDREN:

I. Jane Hanover, b. Dec. 8, 1773; m., Aug. 16, 1796, John King.

II. TRISTRAM, b. Jan. 19, 1775; m., June 1, 1800, Mary Wiley (who m., second, Aaron Pardee, Dec. 10, 1820, and d. March 28, 1835).

III. BENONI EATON, b. Aug. 5, 1778; m., May 10, 1801, Love

Joseph; d. January, 1811.

IV. HANNAH, b. Feb. 28, 1781; m., Jan. 18, 1801, Daniel Ober; d. Dec. 11, 1805.

v. Mary, b. Oct. 19, 1789.

VI. ELIZABETH (?).

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NATHANIEL⁵ (Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Nathaniel [D⁷] and Sarah (Hart) Knapp; b. in Newbury, Mass., March 30, 1736; m., first, June 14, 1757, Mary Myrick, who d. May 29, 1779; m., second, Nov. 26, 1780, Judith Rolfe, who d. June 28, 1790; m., third, Feb. 16, 1795, Martha Lurvey, who d. June 19, 1847. He died July 6, 1816.

CHILDREN:

- I. Jacob, b. Nov. 22, 1757; was at Bunker Hill in Col. Benj. Perkins's regiment; afterwards shipped on the privateer *Yankee Hero*, which was lost with all on board, in 1776.
- II. SARAH, b. April 3, 1760; m., first, Oct. 9, 1780, John Edwards, who d. May, 1805; m., second, March 5, 1806, Moses Davenport; d. March 14, 1831.
- III. MARY, b. July 24, 1762; d. Nov. 22, 1765.

 F^{17} IV. NATHANIEL, b. Aug. 30, 1764.

v. Mary, b. June 9, 1767; m., Aug. 15, 1793, Edmund M. Baker.

vi. Isaac, b. May 23, 1769; d. Dec. 2, 1770.

VII. ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 25, 1771; m., Dec. 14, 1794, Abraham Perkins; d. Feb. 12, 1831. A son, Nathaniel, b. April 18, 1803, in Salem.

 F^{18} VIII. Isaac, b. Jan. 25, 1774.

IX. ANTHONY, b. April 12, 1776; d. May 2, 1776.

F¹⁹ x. Anthony, b. March 4, 1778.

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ANTHONY⁵, Capt. (Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Nathaniel [D⁷] and Sarah (Hart) Knapp; b. in Newbury, Mass., Jan. 29, 1743; m. Hannah ——, who d. August, 1807, aged sixty-three. He died at Demerara, Sept. 25, 1792.

He was first lieutenant on privateer *Dalton*, captured June, 1777, carried to England and confined in Mill Prison. While there he was treated kindly by an English clergyman (probably the chaplain), for whom he named his first-born son, Robert Heath, a name which has been continued for generations in this line. [See Appendix, Note C.]

CHILDREN:

- F²⁰ I. ROBERT HEATH, b. April 6, 1779.
 - II. JACOB, b. April 2, 1781; d. at Hispaniola, 1794.
 - III. SARAH, b. Jan. 28, 1783; m., first, Nov. 1, 1810, Capt.
 Jesse Hoyt, who d. in Havana, Feb. 17, 1811; m., second,
 Aug. 1, 1816, Joseph Brown, who d. at Bangor, Me.,
 Oct. 10, 1845. She died June 18, 1819.

\mathbb{E}^{14}

JOHN⁵ (Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Nathaniel [D⁷] and Sarah (Hart) Knapp; b. in Newbury, Mass., Oct. 3, 1744; m., April 28, 1767, Anna Adams, who was b. in Newbury March 14, 1748, and d. Sept. 29, 1778. He died in 1797.

CHILDREN:

- F^{21} 1. John, b. June 9, 1769.
 - II. Anna, b. Oct. 9, 1771; m., Nov. 8, 1795, Thomas Cross.
 - III. REBECCA, b. Jan. 21, 1774; d. July 7, 1797; unmarried.
 - IV. SILAS, b. Aug. 24, 1776.

\mathbb{E}^{15}

BENJAMIN FELT⁵, CAPT. (Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Nathaniel [D⁷] and Sarah (Hart) Knapp; b. in Newbury, Mass., March 23, 1754; m. Anna ——, who died Sept. 9, 1812. He died at sea, April 30, 1803.

- Benjamin, b. Sept. 15, 1780; d. at Vera Cruz (?), July 12, 1802.
- II. HANNAH, b. March 15, 1782; m., Oct. 17, 1805, W. Coffin; d. Dec. 15, 1812.
- III. GYLES, b. July 23, 1784; d. at sea, June, 1803.
- IV. NATHANIEL, b. May 10, 1786; d. at sea, April 6, 1810.

v. Joseph, b. Oct. 6, 1789; d. in New Orleans.

VI. ABIGAIL, b. March 23, 1794; m., July 15, 1817, Alexander Livingstone; d. Jan. 10, 1879.

VII. SAMUEL, b. Oct. 25, 1796; d. at Sailors' Snug Harbor, Staten Island.

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SAMUEL⁵ (Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Samuel [D⁸] and Mary (Robinson) Knapp; b. in Newbury, Mass., Jan. 28, 1741; m. Mary Jenkins, who d. in Salem, July 24, 1830, aged ninety. He died in Salem, Aug. 14, 1778.

CHILDREN:

I. MARY ANN, b. 1761; d. Aug. 26, 1777.

 F^{22} II. John, b. 1763.

 F^{23} III. Anthony, b. Nov. 12, 1770.

 F^{24} iv. Joseph Jenkins, b. Sept. 18, 1773.

v. Samuel; removed to Baltimore. Had a family.

vi. Anna, b. 1776; m. W. L. Foster; d. May 20, 1865.

 F^{25} VII. ISAAC, b. 1778.

VIII. URSULA, m. —— Larkins, of Byfield; d. Feb 3, 1844.

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WILLIAM⁵, Capt. (Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Samuel [D⁸] and Mary (Robinson) Knapp; b. in Newbury, Nov. 24, 1742; m. Hannah Cohens, who d. Feb. 21, 1812. He commanded the armed brig Pallas in 1779. Was surveyor of the port of Newbury. Died July 28, 1805.

CHILD:

 HANNAH COHENS, b. Nov. 30, 1777; m., May 4, 1807, Michael Titcomb; d. Dec. 26, 1833.

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JOHN⁵ (Isaac⁴ [see D⁹]), son of Isaac [D⁹] and Mary Knapp; b. in Salisbury, Mass., March 11, 1736; m., Oct. 10, 1765, Sarah Brown, who d. Feb. 14, 1810. He was a soldier in the French and Indian and the Revolutionary wars. Removed about 1800 to Parsonsfield, Me., where he died May 10, 1816.

CHILDREN:

(All born in Salisbury.)

 Lois, b. Feb. 13, 1766; m. — Richardson, of New Hampshire; d. April 6, 1842.

 F^{26} II. Samuel, b. July 9, 1770.

- III. Polly, b. July 3, 1773; m., Dec. 6, 1795, Thomas Osgood; lived in Amesbury; d. Feb. 9, 1843.
- IV. John, b. Dec. 28, 1776; m. Abigail Drake, who d. March 29, 1843; lived in Parsonsfield and in Effingham; d. April 11, 1843, s. p.
- v. William, b. Dec. 1, 1778; went to Parsonsfield in 1798; m. Mary Tucke, who d. in 1851. Lived in Effingham, Conway, and in Meredith, N. H., where he d. Jan. 5, 1859, s. p.
- VI. Betsy, b. June 26, 1782; m. Josiah Cate; d. Feb. 6, 1842, at Camden, Me. Had four daughters.

 F^{27} VII. DANIEL, b. Aug. 28, 1785.

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ISAAC⁵, Capt. (Isaac⁴ [see D⁹]), son of Isaac [D⁹] and Judith (Leach) Knapp; b. March 16, 1748, at Salisbury, Mass.; m., first, April 24, 1770, Susanna, dau. of John and Susanna (Goodwin) Newman, who was b. Sept. 22, 1750, and d. Aug. 12, 1807; m., second, March 31, 1808, Dolly Stanwood, who d. Aug. 2, 1818. He removed early in the nineteenth century to Sanbornton, N. H., but continued to follow the sea. He died March 22, 1830. [See Appendix, Note D.]

CHILDREN:*

- I. Isaac, b. Oet. 25, 1771; d. July 7, 1773.
- F^{28} II. Jacob Newman, b. Nov. 7, 1772.
- F²⁹ III. BENJAMIN N., b. April 23, 1776.
 - IV. Susanna, b. May 11, 1779; d. Aug. 23, 1780.
 - v. Isaac, b. April 5, 1781; d. Oet. 9, 1792.
- F³⁰ VI. SAMUEL LORENZO, b. Jan. 19, 1783.
 - VII. WILLIAM, b. Aug. 7, 1785; d. March 4, 1824; unmarried.
- F³¹ VIII. Joseph, b. Jan. 31, 1788.
 - IX. JEREMIAH, b. March 31, 1792; d. Sept. 29, 1793.

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JOHN⁶ (David⁵, John⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of David [E¹] and Sarah (Bartlett) Knapp; b. in Newton, May 27, 1744; removed to Spencer in 1747 with his father's family; m., Nov. 25, 1773, Ascenath Green, of Leicester; d. June 27, 1809. After his death his widow and son removed from Spencer.

^{*} In Runnels' "History of Sanbornton," etc., these are given as the children of Isaac⁵, who was the son of Nathaniel (Isaac³, John², William¹). This was copied from a statement made by A. M. K. many years ago, which he afterwards found to be incorrect. — Eds.

I. Anna, b. —; m., April 10, 1792, Nathaniel Cobb.

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ENOCH⁶ (David⁵, John⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of David [E¹] and Sarah (Bartlett) Knapp; b. July 18, 1754, in Spencer; m., Nov. 28, 1782, Lydia, dau. of Capt. Edmund Bemis; d. Aug. 13, 1811, in Spencer. After his death the family removed to Maine.

CHILDREN:

I. DAVID, b. Sept. 14, 1783.

G¹ II. Nathan, b. Dec. 2, 1784.

III. Lydia, b. March 21, 1786.

IV. Enoch, b. Feb. 2, 1788; m. Experience ---; d. in 1816.

v. Samuel, b. Jan. 4, 1790.

vi. Anna, b. May 7, 1793.

VII. SALLY, b. Dec. 14, 1794.

viii. Silas, b. Feb. 20, 1798.

IX. Lucy, b. Aug. 28, 1799.

x. William, b. April 3, 1801.

XI. LUCINDA, b. June 11, 1803.

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JOSIAH⁶ (Josiah⁵, John⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Josiah [E²] and Mary (Parker) Knapp, b. March 22, 1753, in Newton; m., 1775, Mary, dau. of John and Mary (Lawrence) Fairservice, of Boston, who was b. Nov. 19, 1755, and d. in 1831. He was a Revolutionary soldier, April 19, 1775, in Capt. A. Fuller's company. He was a merchant in the West India goods business in Boston, where he died May 13, 1843, aged ninety. He and his wife were buried in King's Chapel Burying-ground. [See Appendix, Note E.]

CHILDREN:

(All except Henry born in Boston and christened in Trinity Church.)

MARY, b. Aug. 31, 1776; m., Oct. 26, 1797, Samuel Dillaway, Jr.; d. June 6, 1830.

II. GEORGE, b. April 9, 1778; d. Jan. 16, 1822, on the coast of Africa; unmarried.

III. John, b. March 12, 1779; Harvard University 1800; d. March 9, 1849; unmarried. [See Appendix, Note F.]

IV. CHARLES, b. Dec. 28, 1782; d. in Boston, Oct. 22, 1859; unmarried.

- v. Elizabeth, chris. Sept. 3, 1783; buried Sept. 8, 1783.
- VI. ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 2, 1784; m., Jan. 6, 1818, Chief Justice Lemuel Shaw; d. June 13, 1822.
- VII. LUCRETIA, b. April 2, 1785; d. Nov. 2, 1866; unmarried.
- viii. Dorothy Wharton, b. July 27, 1786; d. April 18, 1787.
 - IX. DOROTHY WHARTON, b. Feb. 2, 1788; m. Feb. 2, 1813, Samuel Dow, Jr.; d. Feb. 1, 1868.
 - X. CAROLINE, b. Feb. 11, 1791; m., June 7, 1815, Dr. George Hayward; d. April 18, 1854.
- G^2 XI. HENRY, b. Feb. 13, 1792.
 - XII. WILLIAM, chris. June 11, 1793; buried Sept. 8, 1794.
 - XIII. Martha Bird, b. March 31, 1796; m., Sept. 13, 1814, Philip Marett; d. Sept. 2, 1878, at New Haven, Conn.

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BENJAMIN⁶ (Abijah⁵, James⁴, John,³ John², William¹), son of Abijah [E⁴] and Abigail (Ward) Knapp; b. July 18, 1751, in Marlboro, Mass.; m. Lucy ——; was in Capt. Joel Fletcher's company at Charlestown, Oct. 6, 1775, and in Captain Wheeler's company of minutemen, April 19, 1775. He was drowned at Petersham in 1783.

CHILDREN:

(All born in Petersham.)

- I. Lucy, b. Oct. 15, 1777; m. —— Peckham.
- II. Joel, b. Sept. 14, 1779.
- III. Jonas, b. Sept. 14, 1781.

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ELISHA⁶ (Elisha⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Elisha [E⁵] and Persis (——) Knapp; b. in Petersham, Mass., Jan 20, 1754; was a Revolutionary soldier in Col. Luke Drury's regiment in 1781; m., first, Hannah ——; m., second, Lucretia Alexander, in 1795; lived in Winchester, N. H.

- I. MELINDY, b. July 22, 1787.
- II. CLARK, b. April 18, 1789, in Richmond, N. H.
- III. CLARISSA, b. ——, 1795.
- IV. SOPHIA, b. March 15, 1797.
- v. Harry, b. Jan. 11, 1799.
- VI. ORA H., b. Jan. 1, 1804; m., Sept. 25, 1839, in Boston, Jane Eveline Dickinson. Lived in Ohio.

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ICHABOD⁶ (Elisha⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Elisha [E⁵] and Persis (——) Knapp; b. in Petersham, Mass., Dec. 20, 1755; removed to Winchester, N. H., thence to Dummerston, Vt. He m., Dec. 10, 1780, Catherine Miller. Was representative from Dummerston in 1793, 1794, 1807; d. in 1817.

CHILDREN:

G³ I. ALVIN, b. Feb. 21, 1781.

G⁴ II. GARDNER, b. April 23, 1783.

- III. CATHERINE, b. March 18, 1785; m., first, Giles Alexander; second, John F. Stearns.
- IV. LURENA, b. Aug. 3, 1787; m., —, 1808, Luther Miller.

G⁵ v. Isaac N., b. Aug. 7, 1789.

VI. POLLY, b. Feb. 20, 1792; d. in infancy.

VII. LOVICY, b. Feb. 20, 1792; m., July 25, 1813, Ephraim Laughton.

viii. Існавор, b. ——, 1794; d. ——, 1799.

- IX. ROSANNA, b. July 12, 1796; m., Jan. 31, 1819, Thomas Laughton.
- X. GEORGE W., b. Dec. 19, 1799; m. Mrs. Eliza Williams.

G⁶ XI. WILLIAM, b. March 20, 1804.

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JOHN⁶ (Elisha⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Elisha [E⁵] and Persis (——) Knapp; m., July 22, 1792, Susanna Alexander, who was b. June 28, 1771, at Winchester, N. H.

CHILDREN:

I. LAMSON, b. Aug. 13, 1794.

II. ELIJAH ALEXANDER, b. June 19, 1795.

ии. John, b. March 13, 1797.

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JONAH⁶ (Elisha⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Elisha [E⁵] and Persis (——) Knapp; b. 1770; m. Ann ——. He lived in Dummerston, Vt., having come from Orange, Mass.

- JOHN, b. Aug. 1, 1793, in Orange, Mass.; m., Jan. 31, 1822, Hannah Adams.
- II. Lucretia, b. July 31, 1795, in Orange, Mass.; m. Justin Sargent.

- III. Orrin, b. March 18, 1798, in Orange, Mass.
- IV. CALEB L., b. July 15, 1801, in Orange, Mass.; m., Sept. 12, 1831, Linda Sargent.
- v. Sally, b. 1804, in Dummerston, Vt.; d. in 1806.
- VI. HORACE, b. March 12, 1808.

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JESSENIAH (or Jazaniah)⁶ (John⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of John [E⁶] and Anna (Rice) Knapp; b. Oct. 1, 1765, in Petersham, Mass.; m. Elizabeth How, who d. Sept. 17, 1835. He died March 21, 1812, in Petersham.

CHILDREN:

- Lucy, b. June 12, 1801; m., Jan. 6, 1836, Erastus Swan, of Athol, Mass.; d. June 28, 1877.
- G⁷ II. Levi, b. May 13, 1804.
 - III. MARY H., b. Oct. 6, 1807; d. March 8, 1813.
 - IV. MEHITABLE, b. March 31, 1810; m. Seth Cole; d. April 20, 1864, in Geneseo, Ill.

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JAMES⁶ (John⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of John [E⁶] and Anna (Rice) Knapp; b. May 20, 1767, in Petersham, Mass.; m., Nov. 26, 1789, Lois, dau. of Moses Stearns, who was b. Aug. 4, 1766, and d. Feb. 11, 1841; removed to Walpole, N. H., thence in 1807 to Danville, Vt.; thence, in 1817, to Lyndon, Vt., where he died Nov. 6, 1839.

- I. Cephas Willard, b. July 24, 1791, in Walpole, N. H.; studied medicine in Danville; was surgeon in United States army; was killed at the storming of Fort Hat (Sombrero), in Mexico, Aug. 21, 1817.
- II. (MYRA) MASON, b. June 29, 1794, in Walpole, N. H.; d. May 25, 1809, in Danville, Vt.
- III. Paulina, b. March 28, 1796, in Walpole, N. H.; m. Luke Swett; d. in Danville, Vt., Dec. 17, 1847.
- G⁸ IV. JOHN, b. Dec. 5, 1797.
 - G⁹ v. Harris, b. Aug. 5, 1799.
 - G¹⁰ vi. (Elcias) Ward, b. July 3, 1801.
 - G11 VII. HIRAM, b. May 16, 1804.
 - VIII. CLARISSA, b. Nov. 1, 1807, in Walpole, N. H.; m., Feb. 1, 1827, Lorin Graves; d. in Lyndon, Vt., Aug. 29, 1888.

IX. MELINDA, b. June 17, 1809, in Danville, Vt.; m. Daniel Hill; d. Feb. 18, 1889, in Lyndon, Vt.

X. Emily, b. Oct. 11, 1811, in Danville, Vt.; m. Joel Hastings; d. Dec. 23, 1886, at Jacksonville, Ill.

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OREN B.⁶ (James⁵, Daniel⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of James [E⁷] and Molly (Redfield) Knapp; b. in Brattleboro, Vt., June 5, 1802; m., Sept. 18, 1828, Sophronia (Brackett?) Smith, of Lexington, who d. Jan 12, 1880. He died in Somerville, Mass., May 4, 1866.

CHILDREN:

G¹² I. Oren S., b. in Boston, July 16, 1829.

II. CHARLES, b. 1831.

 G^{13} III. James J., b. 1834.

 G^{14} IV. Jonas Smith, b. in Malden, 1840.

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RICHARD⁶ (James⁵, Daniel⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of James [E⁷] and Molly (Redfield) Knapp; b. May 4, 1809, in Brattleboro, Vt.; m., April 11, 1837, Rhoda A. Dodge, who was b. in Stoddard, N. H., Aug. 12, 1815. He served in the Civil War, Company I, First New Hampshire Volunteers. Died in Walpole, N. H., June 9, 1887.

CHILDREN:

 James E., b. in Charlestown, N. H., Oct. 23, 1838; m., Oct. 23, 1860, at Westminster, Vt., Emmeline J. Sisko, who d. in 1892. Living (1900) at Walpole, N. H.

II. GEORGE R., b. in Springfield, Vt., June 10, 1842; m., June 13, 1865, in Savannah, Ga., Ellen M. Martin, who d. Oct. 16, 1868; died Oct. 16, 1867, in Savannah.

III. CHARLES H., b. in Charlestown, N. H., Aug. 4, 1844; m., Nov. 14, 1868, in Boston, Mary F. Witherell. Living (1900) in Walpole. A son, Geo. Wallace, b. Nov. 15, 1871, living (1900) in Boston.

IV. HENRY C., b. in Charlestown, N. H., Nov. 10, 1851; m., Dec. 23, 1876, in Boston, *Hattie A. Loheed;* living (1900) in Boston.

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PHILIP COOMBS⁶ (William⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of William [E¹⁰] and Lydia (Coombs) Knapp; b. Aug. 15, 1762, in Newbury, Mass.; m., Jan. 1, 1785, Abigail Remmick, who d. June 8, 1810. He died March 10, 1815.

- G¹⁵ I. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 17, 1785.
 - II. PHILIP, b. Aug. 11, 1787; d. May 16, 1811.
- G¹⁶ ии. Joseph, b. April 14, 1791.
 - IV. ROBERT, b. Aug. 16, 1795; d. Dec. 26, 1829.
 - v. Abigail, b. June 3, 1800; d. Feb. 5, 1872; unmarried.
 - VI. ISAAC, b. Jan. 11, 1804; m., Feb. 20, 1837, Adaline Brewer Treat (or Thayer?); d. Sept. 14, 1843. He was. W. L. Garrison's partner in publishing The Liberator. He also published and edited the Essex Courant, printed in Newburyport in 1825.

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ISAAC⁶ (William⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of William [E¹⁰] and Lydia (Coombs) Knapp; b. June 2, 1766, in Newburyport, Mass.; m., first, Letitia Edgar, of Cape Ann, who d. March 20, 1793; second, June 23, 1795, Mary Dole, who d. May 22, 1845. He died Jan. 2, 1856.

CHILDREN:

- I. HENRY EDGAR, b. March 20, 1793; d. Aug. 21, 1794.
- II. JANE NEWMAN, b. Feb. 12, 1797; d. Oct. 8, 1823.
- III. JONATHAN DOLE, b. July 17, 1799; d. at sea, Nov. 28, 1832.
- IV. ISAAC, b. Jan. 11, 1801; d. Nov. 11, 1801.
- v. Isaac, b. June 5, 1802; d. Nov. 10, 1802.
- VI. Mary, b. March 10, 1806; d. March 17, 1806.

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WILLIAM⁶ (William⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of William [E¹⁰] and Lydia (Coombs) Knapp; b. April 27, 1770, in Newburyport; m., June 11, 1797, Fanny Tucker Crossman, of Salem, who d. Feb. 4, 1855. He died July 6, 1831, in Newburyport.

- WILLIAM, b. May 2, 1798; m. Frances Lane (b. Aug. 12, 1802; d. March 2, 1865). He was for many years clerk of the police court in Boston, where he d. Oct. 14, 1863.
- G¹⁷ II. BENJAMIN REMMICK, b. April 17(?), 1801; d. May 12, 1879.
 - III. FANNY, b. Dec. 17, 1803; d. March 27, 1894, in Dorchester; unmarried.

IV. MARTHA KNIGHT, b. Jan. 4, 1808; m. Benj. Barnes, of Dover, April 3, 1833.

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EBENEZER⁶ (William⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of William [E¹⁶] and Lydia (Coombs) Knapp; b. Jan. 4, 1772, in Newburyport; m., Sept. 28, 1799, Mary Hill, who d. Oct. 3, 1856, aged eighty-seven. He died Dec. 15, 1822.

CHILDREN:

- 1. Mary, b. July 1, 1800; d. July 24, 1800.
- II. HANNAH JACKSON, b. June 29, 1801; d. Aug. 27, 1842; unmarried.
- III. MARY HILL, b. Jan. 9, 1804; d. Feb. 1, 1851; unmarried.
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s, b. Jan. 18, 1805; d. Мау 8, 1805.
- v. Elizabeth (changed to Jane), b. May 3, 1807; d. April 18, 1862; unmarried.

F17

NATHANIEL⁶ (Nathaniel⁵, Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Nathaniel [E¹²] and Mary (Myrick) Knapp; b. Aug. 30, 1764, in Newbury, Mass.; m., May 15, 1791, Sarah Nevins, who d. Oct. 17, 1839. He died Feb. 25, 1833.

CHILDREN:

- I. SARAH, b. April 23, 1792; d. March 22, 1793.
- II. Jacob, b. June 30, 1793; d. June 7, 1821, at St. Francisville, on the Mississippi.
- III. SARAH WYER, b. July 10, 1795; m., Nov. 16, 1823, Enoch Stickney; d. 1892, aged ninety-seven.
- IV. MARY MYRICK, b. Dec. 30, 1796; d. Jan. 17, 1881.
- v. Nathaniel, b. Nov. 5, 1798; d. Sept. 24, 1802.
- vi. Тімотну W., b. May 7, 1801; d. June 17, 1836.
- vii. Мактна, b. Jan. 8, 1804; d. Aug. 8, 1842.
- VIII. NATHANIEL, b. July 10, 1806; d. Feb. 23, 1818.
 - IX. ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 7, 1808; d. May 15, 1881.
 - X. WILLIAM W., b. May 15, 1810; d. Oct. 5, 1830.

F18

ISAAC⁶ (Nathaniel⁵, Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Nathaniel [E¹²] and Mary (Myrick) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Jan. 25, 1774; m., Jan. 16, 1802, Elizabeth Hoyt, who was b. Feb. 14, 1775, and d. Aug. 17, 1828. He died Dec. 22, 1849.

- ı. —— , b. July 30, 1803.
- II. ELIZABETH HOYT, b. July 31, 1805; m., Oct. 25, 1832, William Pritchard; d. Jan. 1, 1887.
- III. MARY, b. Dec. 14, 1806; d. Sept. 25, 1825.
- IV. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. Dec. 12, 1808; d. Sept. 11, 1836, at sea.
- v. Charles Hart, b. April 15, 1810; d. Feb. 12, 1821.
- G¹⁸ VI. JAMES NELSON, b. Jan. 13, 1814.
 - VII. JACKSON, b. Sept. 24, 1815; d. Sept. 25, 1815.
 - VIII. SARAH, b. March 12, 1818; m. George W. Adams, of Barnstead and Portsmouth; d. in Oakland(?), Cal., March 31, 1873.

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ANTHONY⁶ (Nathaniel⁵, Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Nathaniel [E¹²] and Mary (Myrick) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Mass., March 4, 1778; m., Jan. 14, 1803, in Salisbury, Dolly [Dorothy] Morrill.

CHILDREN:

- 1. NATHANIEL, b. July 7, 1805; d. Oct. 29, 1837.
- II. HANNAH MORRILL, b. Dec. 22, 1809; m., Nov. 19, 1828, Charles Thomas, of Portland, Me.; d. April 22, 1832.
- G¹⁹ III. JONATHAN MORRILL, b. Jan. 22, 1812.
 - IV. SARAH DAVENPORT, b. June 29, 1814; d. Feb. 14, 1824.
 - v. Anthony Emery, b. Sept. 10, 1816; m. Margaret Miller.
 - VI. CHARLES PERKINS, b. Feb. 15, 1820; m. Mary Waterhouse.
- G²⁰ vH. EDMUND BAKER, b. April 5, 1822.

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ROBERT HEATH⁶, CAPT. (Anthony⁵, Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Anthony [E¹³] and Hannah (——) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, April 6, 1779; m., July 22, 1804, Dorothy, dau. of Charles and Elizabeth Cook, who d. June 25, 1808. He was lost at sea, August, 1806.

CHILD:

G²¹ I. ROBERT HEATH, b. Oct. 25, 1805.

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JOHN⁶ (John⁵, Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of John [E¹⁴] and Anna (Adams) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, June 9, 1769;

m., Oct. 11, 1794, Mary Davis who d. Oct 11, 1814. He died March 10, 1814.

CHILDREN:

- MARY, b. March 1, 1795., m., April 13, 1815, Zebedee Cook.
- II. Susanna, b. Jan. 3, 1797; d. March 3, 1804.

G²² III. JOHN, b. Oct. 29, 1798.

- IV. REBECCA, b. Sept. 12, 1800; d. March 9, 1801.
- v. Benjamin Davis, b. Dec. 18, 1802; d. Oct. 28, 1810.
- VI. SUKEY, b. Jan. 13, 1805; m., July 23, 1824, Nathaniel Merrill, of Rowley.

VII. REBECCA, b. March 8, 1807.

- VIII. MARGARET, b. Jan. 25, 1809; d. Feb. 1, 1813.
 - IX. BENJAMIN, b. ——; d. Jan. 17, 1812.
 - x. Samuel, b. Jan. 5, 1813.

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CHILDREN:

- I. MARY LARELLE; m., 1812, John O. Dilston, of Salem.
- II. REBECCA, b. 1786; m., March 12, 1809, Samuel Larrabee, of Lynn.
- III. SALLY, m., April 18, 1809, William Moulton, Jr., of Newburyport.
- IV. JOSEPH, b. 1799; d. Dec. 7, 1834, in Salem.

\mathbf{F}^{23}

ANTHONY⁶, CAPT. (Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Samuel [E¹⁶] and Mary (Jenkins) Knapp; b. in Salem, Nov. 12, 1770; was adopted in early life by Capt. Anthony Knapp [E¹³], of Newburyport, with whom he went to sea until twenty-one years old; m., June 4, 1796, Betsy Cook, who d. June 27, 1854. He died May 20, 1832.

CHILDREN:

I. Samuel, b. Aug. 15, 1797; d. same day.

G²³ II. ANTHONY, b. Sept. 27, 1798.

- III. ELIZA ANN, b. Dec. 14, 1799; m., April 27, 1840, David Hart; d. March 4, 1892.
- G²⁴ IV. CHARLES, b. March 9, 1801.
 - v. Caroline, b. Aug. 2, 1802; d. Sept. 18, 1803.
- G²⁵ vi. Samuel, b. March 30, 1804.
- G²⁶ VII. JOSEPH JENKINS, b. May 13, 1805.
- G²⁷ VIII. Alfred, b. March 18, 1808.
 - IX. Dolly Cook, b. March 18, 1808; m., July 12, 1832, John Remick; d. July 16, 1892.
- G^{28} x. George, b. Jan. 7, 1810.
- G²⁹ XI. HUMPHREY COOK, b. June 9, 1812.
- G³⁰ XII. ISAAC NEWTON, b. Jan. 1, 1814.
 - XIII. CAROLINE, b. March 23, 1816; d. Nov. 5, 1845.
 - xiv. Thomas (Capt.), b. May 19, 1817; d. Nov. 28, 1866; unmarried.
 - xv. Harriet, b. Sept. 30, 1820; d. same day.

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JOSEPH JENKINS⁶, CAPT. (Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Samuel [E¹⁶] and Mary (Jenkins) Knapp; b. Sept. 18, 1773; m., first, June 10, 1798, Abigail, dau. of Nathaniel Phippen, of Salem, who d. July 21, 1827, aged forty-five; m., second, June 27, 1839, Lydia Fisk, dau. of William and Rebecca King, who d. April 3, 1870, aged eighty. He died July 21, 1847.

- I. ABIGAIL, bapt. Nov. 11, 1800; m., first, Aug. 7, 1823, William H. Lowe; m., second, —— Carter, of Brooklyn, N. Y.
- II. Joseph Jenkins, b. 1802; d. Oct. 1, 1803, aged ten months.
- III. JOSEPH JENKINS, m. Nov. 6, 1827, Mary W. Beckford; d. Dec. 31, 1830.
- IV. Nathaniel Phippen, b. 1808; was graduated at Harvard College in 1826; studied law, practiced in Marblehead; was ordained minister of the Episcopal Church in 1833; rector of Christ Church, Montgomery, Ala., after 1838; d. Feb. 17, 1854; m., in Marblehead, Sept. 20, 1836, Margaret Bond, who d. in Brooklyn, N. Y., July 18, 1837, aged thirty-one; m., second, September, 1839, Clarissa C. Hoyt, of Brooklyn.
 - v. John Francis, d. Sept. 28, 1830.

VI. SARAH ANN, b. 1815; m. William Fuller, of Salem.

VII. WILLIAM HENRY, b. 1818; d. in Somerville Insane Asylum.

VIII. ELLEN MARIA, b. 1820; m. —— Carter, of Brooklyn.

IX. SAMUEL, d. unmarried.

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ISAAC⁶, Capt. (Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Samuel [E¹⁶] and Mary (Jenkins) Knapp; b. in 1778; m., Nov. 3, 1797, Elizabeth Bickford, of Salem; d. Oct. 18, 1859.

CHILDREN:

- ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 4, 1800; m. John Hill, of Byfield;
 d. March, 1888.
- II. ISABELLA, b. 1802; m. Niles Hardy.
- III. URSULA, b. 1804; m. Bailey Hardy; lived in Indiana.
- IV. MARIA B., b. 1812; m. David Pickard; d. Nov. 8, 1889.
- v. Mary Ann, b. March 27, 1813; m., first, August, 1830, Gilbert P. Hardy; m., second, —— Greenman.
- VI. ISAAC NEWTON, b. Dec. 21, 1815; d. March 27, 1889.
- VII. WILLIAM H., b. 1818; m., Feb. 21, 1842, Mary E. Kimball; d. March 6, 1887, at Cliftondale, Mass.
- VIII. HARRIET, b. 1820 (1810?); m., Dec. 3, 1838, James Morse, of Manchester-by-the-Sea.

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SAMUEL⁶ (John⁵, Isaac⁴ [see D⁹]), son of John [E¹⁸] and Sarah (Brown) Knapp; b. in Salisbury, Mass., July 9, 1770; removed to Parsonsfield, Me., about 1792 as a carpenter; m., April 30, 1795, Polly Mead, of Newmarket, N..H.; d. Sept. 3, 1837.

CHILDREN:

 SALLY, b. March 20, 1797; m., 1822, Stephen Shores; d. in Suffolk, Conn., March 6, 1879, leaving one son.

II. Mary, b. Sept. 12, 1799; m., first, Isaac Moore; second, Joseph Hobbs; d. in Parsonsfield, Sept. 8, 1884. No children.

G³¹ III. John, b. Nov. 25, 1801.

IV. CLARISSA, b. Dec. 28, 1803; m., October, 1826, Harvey M. Towle; d. in Parsonsfield, Aug. 26, 1829. One son and one daughter.

 G^{32} v. Samuel, b. 1809.

\mathbb{F}^{27}

DANIEL⁶ (John⁵, Isaac⁴ [see D⁹]), son of John [E¹⁸] and Sarah (Brown) Knapp; b. in Salisbury, Mass., Aug. 28, 1785; m., first, Jan. 8, 1816, Betsy Neal, who d. Jan. 22, 1842; m., second, Dec. 28, 1842, Mehitable Tucke, who d. May 10, 1860. Lived in Conway, N. H., and in Parsonsfield, Me., where he died Feb. 9, 1859.

CHILDREN:

- SARAH ANN, b. June 22, 1818; m., Oct. 18, 1849, Jesse Adams; d. in Newbury, Mass., June 15, 1859. One dau.
- II. ELIZABETH RHODA, b. May 13, 1824; m., June 21, 1842, Samuel Merrill; d. Jan. 21, 1868. One son, three dau.
- III. WILLIAM DANIEL (Hon.), b. in Parsonsfield, Me., Oct. 17, 1830; m., Nov. 29, 1866, Susan Hale Hussey, of Barrington, N. H., who d. Jan. 5, 1905; died Nov. 23, 1899. He was graduated with honors at Dartmouth College in 1855; admitted to the bar of York County in 1858; practiced his profession in Somersworth; was appointed judge of the police court in 1867; held many town and state offices of trust and honor. A memorial adopted by the Strafford County Bar Association closes with this paragraph: "It is not easy to express our appreciation of this good lawyer's life-work in a sentence. But to say that Judge Knapp was a good man, a most worthy citizen, and as a lawyer was always honest, always sound in judgment, always painstaking, and of unswerving faithfulness to his client, is to express something less than the full truth."

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JACOB NEWMAN⁶ (Isaac⁵ [see D⁹]), son of Isaac [E¹⁹] and Susanna (Newman) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Nov. 7, 1772; m., in Boston, June 3, 1819, Louisa Bellows, of Walpole, N. H., who was b. May 9, 1786, and d. March 16, 1872; died at Walpole, July 27, 1868.

He was fitted for college at Phillips (Andover) Academy; was graduated at Harvard College in 1802; studied divinity; taught school many years; retired in 1822 to Walpole, where he passed the remainder of his life, retaining to the last the intellectual vigor, the social graces, and the spiritual aspirations that characterized his long and beautiful life of ninety-five years.

[See "The Testimony of Ninety Years," a sermon preached by Henry W. Bellows in memory of Jacob Newman Knapp, with an appendix by Rev. Thomas Hill, D.D. Also a sermon by the same author on "Preparing for Old Age," preached at All Souls' Church, New York, on returning from the funeral of Mrs. Louisa Bellows Knapp.]

CHILDREN:

- Francis Bellows, b. in Jamaica Plain, Mass., May 29, 1820; Harvard College, 1843; Harvard Divinity School, 1847; d. in Plymouth, Mass., May 6, 1896; unmarried.
- G³³ II. Frederick Newman, b. Nov. 19, 1821.

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BENJAMIN N.⁶ (Isaac⁵ [see D⁹]), son of Isaac [E¹⁹] and Susanna (Newman) Knapp; b. April 23, 1776; m. Elizabeth Hancock, of Northfield, who was b. Sept. 26, 1780, and d. June 8, 1859. He went to Ohio about 1812, where he is supposed to have died about 1814.

- i. —, d. young.
- II. Susan Newman, b. July 24, 1799; lived many years with her uncle, Jacob Newman Knapp; d. Oct. 12, 1876, at Franklin Falls, N. H., at the home of her cousin, William Hancock.

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SAMUEL LORENZO⁶, Col. and LL.D. (Isaac⁵ [see D⁹]), son of Isaac [E¹⁹] and Susanna (Newman) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Jan. 19, 1783; m., July 18, 1814, Mary Anna, dau. of Gen. Amasa Davis; d. at Hopkinton, Mass., July 8, 1838.

He was graduated at Dartmouth College in 1804. A lawyer by profession, he was a member of the state legislature and commanded a regiment of state militia in the War of 1812. He delivered the eulogy on Adams and Jefferson in Chauncy Place Church, Boston, J. Q. Adams, President of the United States, being present in his official capacity. He was editor successively of the Boston Gazette, the Boston Monthly Magazine, and the National Republican, and was the author of many books. [See Appendix, Note G.]

- I. Mary A. E. B., b. June 11, 1815; m. Monroe.
- II. Emma Jane, b. Sept. 26, 1817; m., June 15, 1848, Sawyer S. Stone.

F^{31}

JOSEPH⁶ (Isaac⁵ [see D⁶]), son of Isaac [E¹⁹] and Susanna (Newman) Knapp; b. Jan 31, 1788; studied medicine; m., settled, and practiced his profession in South Carolina.

CHILD:

I. Joseph, a physician.

G^1

NATHAN⁷ (Enoch⁶, David⁵, John⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Enoch [F²] and Lydia (Bemis) Knapp; b. in Spencer, Mass., Dec. 2, 1784; removed about 1800 to Rumford, Me., where he m. Phæbe, dau. of David Farnum, in 1809 (intention of marriage, April 6). He was drowned at Rumford Falls, Oct. 4, 1833.

CHILDREN:

- H¹ I. DAVID, b. in Mexico, Me., April 12, 1810.
- H² II. ENOCH, b. Aug. 20, 1811.
- H³ III. ALBION KEITH, b. June 15, 1813.
 - IV. JANE BARNARD, b. May 20, 1815.
 - v. Lydia Bemis, b. June 4, 1817; d. July 25, 1820.
 - VI. DORCAS FARNUM, b. Sept. 21, 1819; m., January, 1841, Judah D. Wheeler, of Peacham, Vt. Living in Chicago in 1901.
 - VII. HIRAM ANDREWS, b. Aug. 26, 1822; d. Sept. 20, 1895.
 - VIII. PHŒBE GLEASON, b. Nov. 15, 1824; d. Aug. 8, 1870.
 - IX. NATHAN HALLOWELL, b. Oct. 25, 1827; d. July 9, 1900.
- H⁴ x. Byron Livermore, b. Jan. 12, 1830.
 - XI. VICTORIA COLUMBIA, b. Sept. 15, 1832; d. June 1, 1834.

G^2

HENRY' (Josiah', Josiah', John', John', John', William'), son of Josiah [F'] and Mary (Fairservice) Knapp; b. Feb. 13, 1792, in Newton, Mass.; m. Esther Eliza Harrison, of New York, who died there in August, 1831. He died of cholera in New Orleans, Sept. 11, 1833.

CHILDREN:

- I. Charles Henry; was in navy during Civil War. Is supposed to have been lost at sea. Unmarried.
- II. Name lost.
- III. LUCRETIA ANN; d. young.
- H⁵ IV. GEORGE EDWARD, b. Feb. 14, 1830.

G^3

ALVIN⁷ (Ichabod⁶, Elisha⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Ichabod [F⁶] and Catherine (Miller) Knapp; b. Feb. 21, 1781; m.,

March 24, 1808, *Rinda Fuller*, who d. Jan. 18, 1873. He lived in Dummerston, Vt.; d. Oct. 25, 1850.

CHILD:

I. ICHABOD MILTON; m., March 20, 1843, Sarah Wheeler.

G^4

GARDNER⁷ (Ichabod⁶, Elisha⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Ichabod [F⁶] and Catherine (Miller) Knapp; b. April 23, 1783; m., Jan. 14, 1801 (?), Fanny Taft. Lived in Dummerston, Vt.

CHILDREN:

- I. HIRAM, b. March 30, 1825; m., first, Lucy ——; second, Sarah Gates.
- II. Addison, b. July 30, 1827.
- III. ICHABOD LEROY.
- IV. JOEL DEXTER.
- v. Emily S.
- VI. MARY E.
- VII. JOHN N.
- VIII. FANNY M., b. Feb. 10, 1830; m., first, Elisha W. Field; m., second, Morris W. Laughton.

G^5

ISAAC N.7 (Ichabod⁶, Elisha⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Ichabod [F⁶] and Catherine (Miller) Knapp; b. Aug. 7, 1789; m., first, Philinda Dutton, who d. Jan. 15, 1835; m., second, Mrs. Maria (Nutting) Benham. He was a physician for many years in Dummerston, Vt.; d. Aug. 23, 1856.

CHILDREN:

- H⁶ I. ISAAC, b. March 22, 1815.
 - II. PHILINDA D., b. Dec. 10, 1817; m. William Wheeler.
 - III. GEORGE H., b. March 21, 1819; d. 1880.
 - IV. SAMUEL D., b. ——, 1822; d. 1846.
 - v. Caroline, b. ——, 1825; d. 1827.
 - VI. Lucy, b. June 27, 1827; m. —— Safford, Windsor, Conn.
 - VII. ELLEN J., b. May 2, 1832.
 - viii, ix, x. No data.

G^6

WILLIAM⁷ (Ichabod⁶, Elisha⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Ichabod [F⁶] and Catherine (Miller) Knapp; b. March 20, 1804, in Dummerston, Vt.; m. Lovinna (or Lavina) Miller; d. 1884.

- I. WILLIAM MORTON.
- II. AMBROSE.
- III. JENEVEVA M.
- IV. ELISHA C.
- v. Rosa J.
- VI. ORA.
- VII. HORATIO.
- VIII. MARTHA E.
 - IX. C-- I---.

G^7

LEVI⁷ (Jesseniah⁶, John⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Jesseniah [F⁹] and Elizabeth (How) Knapp; b. May 13, 1804, in Petersham, Mass.; m., April 10, 1838, Fidelia Ballou, who d. May 13, 1879. He died in Petersham, June 7, 1888.

CHILDREN:

- I. George, b. Sept. 1, 1839; lives (1893) in Athol, Mass.
- H⁷ II. John, b. July 31, 1841.
 - III. CAROLINE ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 18, 1842; m., Sept. 2, 1867, Jerome J. Lord, of Athol.
 - IV. MARY JANE, b. Oct. 19, 1844; m., Sept. 27, 1868, William Henry Damon.
 - v. Charles Henry, b. Aug. 12, 1846; m., first, April 23, 1874, Lizzie S. Miles; m., second, Feb. 3, 1897, Annie E. Houghton; lives in Worcester.
- H⁸ vi. Harry Taft, b. July 7, 1849.

G^8

JOHN⁷ (James⁶, John⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of James [F¹⁰] and Lois (Stearns) Knapp; b. Dec. 5, 1797, in Walpole, N. H.; m., first, Jan. 1, 1823, in Lyndon, Vt., Sally Cushing, who d. Dec. 28, 1823; m., second, Jan. 10, 1825, in Lyndon, Vt., Cynthia W. Hubbard; m., third, Henrietta Martin Herbert, who d. Jan. 11, 1879. He lived in Walpole, N. H., Danville, Lyndon, and in Benson, Vt., where he died March 30, 1865.

CHILDREN:

H⁹ I. George Cushing, b. Oct. 30, 1823.

 H^{10} II. Charles Mason, b. July 14, 1827.

 H^{11} III. Horace Carter, b. May 11, 1829.

- IV. SALLY PAULINA, b. Jan. 24, 1833; m. John C. Hunt; d. May 14, 1874.
- v. Elizabeth F., b. May 4, 1838, in Benson; m. Jesse B. Losey; d. Dec. 28, 1898.
- vi. William D. Chipman, an adopted son, b. Sept. 18, 1840; d. April 16, 1846.

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HARRIS⁷ (James⁶, John⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of James [F¹⁰] and Lois (Stearns) Knapp; b. Aug. 5, 1799, in Walpole, N. H.; m. Mary Butler, who d. Aug. 10, 1854. He lived in Walpole, N. H., Danville, Lyndon, and in St. Johnsbury Center, Vt., where he died Feb. 25, 1861.

CHILDREN:

- H¹² I. CEPHAS WILLARD, b. May 29, 1831.
 - II. MARY JANE, b. Aug. 20, 1839; m. Albert Sanborn, of Hardwick, Vt.
 - III. Martha Maria, b. March 22, 1842; lives in Los Angeles, Cal.

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WARD (ELCIAS)? (James⁶, John⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of James [F¹⁰] and Lois (Stearns) Knapp; b. July 3, 1801, in Walpole, N. H.; m. Emeline Latham, of Lyndon, Vt., who d. March 12, 1895; lived in Danville, Derby Line, and in Lyndon, where he died Sept. 15, 1873.

CHILDREN:

- I. James Seymour, b. June 25, 1837; disappeared in the West.
- II. MARY LOUISA, b. Sept. 25, 1842.
- III. George, b. May 11, 1846; served in the Civil War, Seventh Vermont Regiment, and d. in hospital at Mobile, Ala., June 2, 1865.

G^{11}

HIRAM⁷ (James⁶, John⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of James [F¹⁰] and Lois (Stearns) Knapp; b. in Alstead, N. H., May 16, 1804; lived in Walpole, N. H., Danville, Lyndon, and St. Johnsbury, Vt.; m., July 1, 1835, Sophronia, dau. of Edward B. and Lucy (Risley) Brown, who was b. in Hanover, N. H., Feb. 10, 1815, and d. in Boston Feb. 23, 1904. Removed in 1854 to Boston, Mass., where he died Dec. 7, 1876.

(All born in St. Johnsbury, Vt.)

- I. George Brown, b. April 9, 1836; m., Sept. 2, 1862, Elizabeth, dau. of Alex. H. and Priscilla (Dixon) Strong, who was b. May 22, 1841, in Vicksburg, Miss.
- II. KATHARINE, b. Sept. 23, 1837.

 H^{13} III. ARTHUR MASON, b. Aug. 8, 1839.

G^{12}

OREN S.⁷ (Oren B.⁶, James⁵, Daniel⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Oren B. [F¹¹] and Sophronia (Smith) Knapp; b. in Boston, July 16, 1829; m., Aug. 9, 1859, Lucy M. Clark, of Somerville; d. in Somerville, Mass., Nov. 4, 1890.

He was fitted for college at Worcester Academy, and entered Amherst College, but on account of trouble with his eyes did not complete the course. After teaching two years in Medford and ten years in Somerville, he entered the Harvard Law School, and was admitted to the bar in 1865. He still continued to serve the schools of Somerville for many years, as chairman of the school board and as superintendent of schools, and in recognition of this long and faithful service one of the schools was named for him.

CHILDREN:

(All born in Somerville.)

- I. MARY I., b. Sept. 30, 1862; d. April 3, 1865.
- II. LIZZIE GERRY, b. April 10, 1866.
- III. MARION REBECCA, b. Aug. 18, 1870.
- IV. CHARLES H., b. July 3, 1872; d. July 29, 1872.

G^{13}

JAMES J.⁷ (Oren B.⁶, James⁵, Daniel⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Oren B. [F¹¹] and Sophronia (Smith) Knapp; b. in 1834; m., 1860, Frances Cutler, of Cambridge; d. in Gardner, Mass., March 31, 1892.

CHILDREN:

- I. EMMA.
- II. CORA, m. Frank Pierce, of Gardner.
- III. CHARLES.

G^{14}

JONAS SMITH⁷ (Oren B.⁶, James⁵, Daniel⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Oren B. [F¹¹] and Sophronia (Smith) Knapp; b. in Malden, Mass., 1840; m., 1863, Mary Alice Dunbar, of Boston, who d. May 23, 1873. He died in Somerville, Mass., March 30, 1876.

I. HELEN L., b. in Somerville, Nov. 13, 1864.

II. OREN D., b. April 24, 1867.

III. ALICE S., b. July 14, 1872; d. Sept. 14, 1873.

G^{15}

WILLIAM⁷ (Philip Coombs⁶, William⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Philip Coombs [F¹³] and Abigail (Remmick) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Mass., Oct. 17, 1785; m., April 2, 1812, Tabitha Currier, who was b. Dec. 28, 1792, and d. March 2, 1870. He died Sept. 12, 1875.

CHILDREN:

H¹⁴ 1. PHILIP COOMBS, b. Dec. 30, 1814.

II. WILLIAM HENRY, b. June 30, 1816; d. Aug. 29, 1855.

III. EBENEZER, b. Sept. 9, 1819; m., in 1842, Maria Antoinette Harding, and had one child, Mary Coleman, who was b. October, 1844, and d. March 2, 1853; died in Boston, June 12, 1846.

IV. CHARLES LONG, b. May 4, 1822; d. Sept. 17, 1874.

G^{16}

JOSEPH⁷ (Philip Coombs⁶, William⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John,² William¹), son of Philip Coombs [F¹³] and Abigail (Remmick) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, April 17(?), 1791; m., Nov. 5, 1820, Mary Chadbourne, who was b. in Berwick, Me., Jan. 22, 1792. He d. March 17, 1822. His widow m., Oct. 30, 1826, Jonathan Bartlett, of Eastport, Me., and d. February, 1838.

CHILD:

H¹⁵ I. Joseph Greenleaf, b. April 29, 1822.

G17

BENJAMIN REMMICK⁷ (William⁶, William⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of William [F¹⁵] and Fanny Tucker (Crossman) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, April 17, 1801; m., June 29, 1826, Sarah Lewis, who d. Nov. 23, 1872. He died May 12, 1879.

CHILDREN:

I. BENJAMIN REMMICK, b. June 26, 1827; d. July 20, 1880.

H¹⁶ II. WILLIAM, b. July 14, 1828.

H¹⁷ III. HENRY EDGAR, b. Nov. 18, 1829.

IV. NATHANIEL O.

H¹⁸ v. John M., b. Aug. 6, 1837.

VI. FRANK F., d. Nov. 1, 1864.

VII. EDWARD A., b. Dec. 15, 1843; m., Oct. 10, 1867, in Worcester, Abbie Dodge, of Newburyport; d. Jan. 21, 1892, in Dorchester.

VIII. CHARLES EDWARD, b. Dec. 15, 1843.

The record of this family in the Civil War is worthy of note. Benjamin R., Jr., served in the Sixth Illinois Regiment; William in the navy; Nathaniel O. in a California regiment; John M. in the Sixth Massachusetts; Frank F. in the Twenty-fifth Massachusetts; Edward A. in the Fourth Massachusetts. The father was refused on account of his age, but was second lieutenant in the National Guard of Newburyport and did military duty at Fort Warren in Boston Harbor.

G18

JAMES NELSON⁷ (Isaac⁶, Nathaniel⁵, Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Isaac [F¹⁸] and Elizabeth (Hoyt) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Jan. 13, 1814; m., Oct. 22, 1836, Susan Webb, of Newport, Wales, where he was American consul for many years, and mayor of the town.

CHILDREN:

- I. JAMES.
- II. WILLIAM.
- III. John Nelson; m. Charlotte, dau. of Capt. Henry and Elizabeth (Lunt) Cook, of Newburyport, and had one child, Alma Louise, b. Nov. 16, 1885.

G^{19}

JONATHAN MORRILL⁷ (Anthony⁶, Nathaniel⁵, Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Anthony [F¹⁹] and Dolly (Morrill) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Mass., Jan 22, 1812; m., Nov. 19, 1828, Jane Robinson; d. Oct. 6, 1888.

- I. SARAH; m. William Ross, of Portland; d. 1889.
- II. EVELINA; m. Lucius Shattuck.
- III. Freeman; d. under fifteen years of age.
- IV. Anthony; d. aged five years.
- v. —; m. Charles Estes, of Portland.
- VI. Frank; m. Agnes Conant, of Colorado; d. 1891; had daughter, Helen Knapp.
- VII. EMMA, m. George Bates.

G^{20}

EDMUND BAKER⁷ (Anthony⁶, Nathaniel⁵, Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Anthony [F¹⁹] and Dolly (Morrill) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Mass., April 5, 1822; m., June 18, 1848, Almira McKenny. Lived in Portland, Me.

CHILDREN:

- I. MARY, b. April 5, 1849; m., June 10, 1874, Henry Race.
- II. ELLA, b. Feb. 8, 1851; m., Oct. 4, 1871, Henry Perry.
- III. Eddianna, d. in infancy.
- H¹⁹ IV. WALLACE CHASE, b. Nov. 6, 1859.

G^{21}

ROBERT HEATH⁷ (Robert Heath⁶, Anthony⁵, Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Robert Heath [F²⁰] and Dorothy (Cook) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Mass., Oct. 25, 1805; m., May 17, 1831, Emily Brookings, who d. April 27, 1838. He died Feb. 12, 1837.

CHILDREN:

- I. Robert Heath, b. April 14, 1832; d. May 28, 1832.
- H²⁰ п. Robert Heath, b. 1834.
 - III. WILLIAM AUGUSTUS, b. 1836; d. Feb. 1, 1838.

G^{22}

JOHN⁷ (John⁶, John⁵, Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of John [F²¹] and Mary (Davis) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Mass., Oct. 29, 1798; m., first, April, 1825, Delia Bayley, of West Newbury; m., second, 1836, Sarah Ann Plumer. He died Aug. 6, 1895, in Georgetown, Mass.

CHILDREN:

- 1. John (by first wife).
- II. SARAH; lives in Woburn.
- III. MARY.

G^{23}

ANTHONY⁷, Capt. (Anthony⁶, Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Anthony [F²³] and Betsy (Cook) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Mass., Sept. 27, 1798; m., first, May 26, 1824, Harriet Haskell, who d. July 14, 1847; m., second, Jan. 3, 1853, Caroline Swasey, who d. Aug. 22, 1879. He died Sept. 6, 1879.

- I. Harriet, b. Feb. 20, 1825; d. July 21, 1833.
- II. Betsy, b. June 15, 1827; m., April 6, 1851, Benjamin H. Noyes.

III. Anthony, b. March 29, 1829; d. April 1, 1845.

IV. CAROLINE, b. May 16, 1831; m., May 27, 1862, Thomas Stackpole.

v. Joseph, b. April 22, 1833; d. Jan. 28, 1847.

vi. Rufus, b. March 25, 1835; d. March (April?) 9, 1888; unmarried.

G^{24}

CHARLES⁷ (Anthony⁶, Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Anthony [F²³] and Betsy (Cook) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Mass., March 9, 1801; m., March 7, 1824, Ann Choate Huse, who d. Aug. 16, 1882. He died Jan. 27, 1876.

CHILDREN:

I. SARAH SOMERBY, b. Oct. 25, 1824; d. July 20, 1825.

H²¹ II. Thomas, b. Sept. 19, 1826.

H²² III. Anthony, b. April 15, 1828.

IV. Ann Choate, b. Dec. 23, 1829; m., April 7, 1853, Henry P. Toppan.

v. Sarah Elizabeth, b. Jan. 10, 1832; m. John H. Richardson, of Medford; d. Nov. 18, 1866.

VI. Frances Davis, b. Nov. 19, 1833; m. Charles S. Parkhurst, of Portland, Me.

VII. CHARLES, b. Aug. 23, 1835; d. Sept. 12, 1837.

VIII. ALBERT WILLIAM, b. 1837; d. June 15, 1837.

IX. CHARLES, b. 1838; d. April 7, 1839.

H²³ x. Charles, b. July 31, 1839.

XI. MARY PICKETT, b. June S, 1841; m., June S, 1861, Leonard Parkhurst, of Standish, Me.

XII. ALFRED, b. 1843; d. 1843.

XIII. FLORENCE CHOATE, b. Oct. 19, 1844; m., William B. Thayer, of Weymouth Landing.

XIV. ELLA GERTRUDE, b. Dec. 2, 1847; m., June 20, 1875, Samuel Newcomb, of Brookfield; d. Aug. 28, 1876.

G^{25}

SAMUEL⁷, Capt. (Anthony⁶, Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Anthony [F²³] and Betsy (Cook) Knapp, b. in Newburyport, Mass., March 30, 1804; m., first, June 27, 1827, Elizabeth A. Morse, who d. April 7, 1836; m., second, June 24, 1839, Lydia Johnson, who d. March 8, 1883. He died Jan. 21, 1858.

- I. ELIZA ANN, b. Jan. 13, 1829; d. March 17, 1832.
- II. ELIZA ANN.
- III. Julia M., b. May, 1834; m., June, 1859, James M. Chase.
- IV. SAMUEL; d. in infancy, April 5, 1836.
- v. Robert John Park; lives in Chicago.
- VI. JACOB GREENLEAF; d. May 4, 1887.
- VII. SAMUEL; lives in Somerville.

G^{26}

JOSEPH JENKINS⁷ (Anthony⁶, Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Anthony [F²³] and Betsy (Cook) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Mass., May 13, 1805; m., July 24, 1828, Mary Pierce, who was b. July 21, 1806, and d. Dec. 7, 1877. He died April 8, 1883, in Newburyport.

CHILDREN:

- MARY PIERCE, b. June 10, 1829; m., Sept. 22, 1853, Felix Walker, of New Orleans, La.; d. Feb. 2, 1907.
- II. LAURA CORDELIA, b. Feb. 25, 1831; m., Feb. 1, 1866, Theodore Pomeroy, of Pittsfield, Mass.
- III. ELLEN THERESE, b. June 23, 1833; m., July 19, 1855, John T. Brown, of Newburyport.
- IV. ELIZABETH BATTELLE, b. March 13, 1836; m., Dec. 11, 1855, David T. Lanman, of Norwich, Conn.
- H²⁴ v. James Oakes, b. Sept. 25, 1838.
 - VI. GEORGE PIERCE, b. March 9, 1842; d. Dec. 4, 1892.

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ALFRED⁷, CAPT. (Anthony⁶, Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Anthony [F²³] and Betsy (Cook) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Mass., March 18, 1808; m., Oct. 5, 1831, Elizabeth Rappell, who was b. Oct. 14, 1810. He was lost at sea on the brig Nectar, August, 1839.

- ELIZABETH ANN, b. Aug. 4, 1833; m., Aug. 25, 1857, William C. Smith.
- II. CAROLINE AUGUSTA, b. June 30, 1836; d. Dec. 9, 1907; unmarried.
- III. MARY ALFRED, b. Sept. 12, 1838; m., April 10, 1864, Julius Le Leurch.

G^{28}

GEORGE⁷ (Anthony⁸, Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Anthony [F²³] and Betsy (Cook) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Jan. 7, 1810; m. Harriet Wilson, Aug. 9, 1837; d. in Chelsea, Mass., Dec. 30, 1890.

CHILDREN:

I. GEORGE.

 H^{25} II. Alfred E., b. in Boston, 1848.

III. EZRA LUNT.

G²⁹

HUMPHREY COOK⁷ (Anthony⁸, Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Anthony [F²³] and Betsy (Cook) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Mass., June 9, 1812; m., Dec. 7, 1832, Mary Faxon Barbour, who d. Nov. 1, 1872. Lived in South Boston, where he died March 9, 1898.

CHILDREN:

- I. FANNY PARDEE, b. in Newburyport, Nov. 7, 1833; m., Nov. 17, 1853, Thomas Cutting Simonds; d. Sept. 12, 1854, in Boston, leaving son, Alvan Humphrey Simonds, b. Aug. 28, 1854.
- II. Mary Faxon, b. Oct. 12, 1838, in Newburyport.
- III. Almira Smith, b. Dec. 2, 1840, in Newburyport; d. in Newton, March 8, 1908; unmarried.
- IV. Delia Maria, b. Jan. 13, 1844, in Newburyport; d. Feb. 27, 1867.
- v. Humphrey Faxon, b. July —, 1846; d. Jan. 30, 1853, in Boston.
- VI. PHEDORA ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 9, 1849, in Boston; m., Feb. 9, 1870, Edward Stanley Dunham.
- VII. LOUISA, b. Oct. 24, 1851; m., March 10, 1875, Cyrus H. K. Curtis.

Three other children died in infancy.

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ISAAC NEWTON⁷, CAPT. (Anthony⁶, Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William⁴), son of Anthony [F²³] and Betsy (Cook) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Mass., Jan. 1, 1814; m., first, June 22, 1841, Anne A. Woodbury; m., second, May 16, 1854, Mary S. Abrahams, who d. Jan. 14, 1892, aged seventy-three. He died in Winchester, Oct. 25, 1879.

- I. Abby Woodbury, b. July 4, 1843; d. Sept. 23 (28?), 1847.
- II. Anna Lawrence, b. March 23, 1847.
- III. NEWTON A., b. Aug. 22, 1856, on the English Channel.
- IV. WILHELMINA C., b. Oct. 11, 1859, off the coast of Spain.

G³¹

JOHN⁷ (Samuel⁶, John⁵, Isaac⁴ [see D⁹]), son of Samuel [F²⁶] and Polly (Mead) Knapp; b. at Parsonsfield, Me., Nov. 25, 1801; m., 1826, Nancy Dresser; removed to Standish, Me.; d. Jan. 10, 1881.

CHILDREN:

- I. HARRIET MEAD, b. 1828; m. —— Chase; d. 1885.
- II. CLARA, b. 1830; m. Moses; lives in Boston.

G32

SAMUEL⁷ (Samuel⁶, John⁵, Isaac⁴ [see D⁹]), son of Samuel [F²⁶] and Polly (Mead) Knapp; b. 1809; m. Hannah Brown, who d. Oct. 6, 1863; lived at Great Falls, N. H., and at Biddeford, Me., where he died March 5, 1857.

CHILDREN:

- Isaac, b. 1834; m. Angie P. Speed; d. May 22, 1874, at Rollinsford, N. H., s. p.
- II. Susan Jane, b. 1836; m. Samuel Pillsbury, of Biddeford; lived in Kittery, Me. (1892).
- III. CLARA, b. 1849, at Great Falls; m. Whitehouse; lived in Portsmouth.
- IV. CHARLES H., b. 1851, at Great Falls; lived in Paterson, N. J. (1892).

G³³

FREDERICK NEWMAN⁷, Rev. (Jacob N.⁶, Isaac⁵, Isaac⁴ [see D⁹]), son of Jacob Newman [F²⁸] and Louisa (Bellows) Knapp; b. in Jamaica Plain, Mass., Nov. 19, 1821; m., May 9, 1855, Lucia Alden Bradford, who was b. in Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 18, 1834, a direct descendant of Gov. William Bradford and of John Alden. He died Jan. 12, 1889, at Plymouth, Mass.

His family removed in his infancy to Walpole, N. H., the home of his maternal ancestors. He was fitted for college at Phillips (Andover) Academy, and was graduated with honor at Harvard College in 1843, and at Harvard Divinity School in 1847. He was settled as a Unitarian minister in Brookline, Mass., from 1847 to 1855, and

in Plymouth, Mass., from 1869 to 1874. During the Civil War he was actively engaged in the work of the Sanitary Commission, being at the head of its special relief work, which he "organized and controlled with masterly zeal, humanity, and success," and in recognition of his service in this office he was made honorary member of the Grand Army.

Always interested in educational work, and perhaps inheriting from his father and other ancestors (among whom was Mark Newman, a preceptor of Phillips Andover Academy) the characteristics of a successful teacher, he established, in 1867, at Sutton, Mass., a Home School for Boys, which he removed in 1869 to Plymouth, resigning his pastorate there in 1874, in order to devote himself wholly to this work, in which he was engaged until his death, which occurred suddenly, Jan. 12, 1889.

The rare beauty of his moral and spiritual nature, added to his intellectual gifts and social graces, greatly endeared him to a large circle of friends and kindred, and a fellow-townsman said of him that "there was no public occasion to which he was not ready to contribute; nothing for the good of the community or his fellows from which he withheld his best efforts."

[See pamphlet, "In Memoriam Frederick Newman Knapp," Boston, 1889.]

CHILDREN:

- I. Louisa Bellows, b. in Walpole, N. H., March 22, 1856.
- H²⁶ II. Frederick Bradford, b. in Walpole, N. H., Oct. 13, 1857.
 - III. SARAH PERKINS, b. in Walpole, N. H., March 31, 1860.
 - IV. Maria Bradford, b. in Yonkers, N. Y., Feb. 6, 1866; m., in Plymouth, Dec. 22, 1894, Henry Wasson Royal.

H^1

DAVID⁸ (Nathan⁷, Enoch⁶, David⁵, John⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Nathan [G¹] and Phœbe (Farnum) Knapp; b. in Mexico, Me., April 12, 1810; m., 1833, Clarissa, dau. of Chandler Glines, who was b. Jan. 18, 1813. He lived at Rumford Falls, Paris, and Norway, Me., and died at Norway, Sept. 11, 1886.

- I. NATHAN CLIFFORD, b. Sept. 25, 1834; d. Aug. 1, 1835.
- II. MARION CAROLINE LOUISA, b. March 1, 1836; d. June 16, 1838.
- III. DAVID SCOTT, b. June 28, 1839.
- IV. MARY ADELAIDE, b. Aug. 27, 1841.

v. James Harvey Farnum, b. Aug. 8, 1843.

VI. LAURA FRANCES, b. Oct. 22, 1845.

VII. CLARA E., b. Dec. 1, 1855; d. May 24, 1876.

H^2

ENOCH⁸ (Nathan⁷, Enoch⁶, David⁵, John⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Nathan [G¹] and Phœbe (Farnum) Knapp; b. Aug. 20, 1811, at Rumford, Me.; m., 1835, Eliza, dau. of Elias and Eliza (Adams) Bartlett, of Bethel, Me. Lived at Rumford Falls; d. Jan. 15, 1900.

CHILDREN:

I. HELEN ELIZA, b. March 6, 1837.

- II. CAROLINE MARIA, b. June 24, 1840; m. Lyman R. Martin; d. March 23, 1865. Infant dau., Carrie Florence.
- III. CHARLES ADAMS, b. Jan. 31, 1842; d. May 28, 1864.
- IV. ORISSA P., b. Sept. 2, 1848; m., 1874, Sewell Reed, of Bradley.
- v. Preston A.

H^3

ALBION KEITH⁸ (Nathan⁷, Enoch⁶, David⁵, John⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Nathan [G¹] and Phœbe (Farnum) Knapp; b. June 15, 1813, at Rumford, Me.; m., Oct. 16, 1838, Phæbe Morse Graham, who was b. June 19, 1820, and d. Nov. 22, 1880. He removed in 1848 to Hanover, Me., where he was long in trade and where he died Dec. 10, 1887.

CHILDREN:

- NATHAN CLIFFORD, b. Feb. 11, 1840; m. Jane M. Hutchins; d. Nov. 7, 1863; one dau., Mary Lincoln. Was in Civil War, First Maine Regiment.
- II. CLARISSA MORSE, b. Nov. 25, 1842; m. Winfield S. Howe; had a son, Hanover.
- III. PHŒBE LUCINDA, b. Sept. 27, 1845; d. following day.
- IV. LYMAN RAWSON, b. Aug. 7, 1846; d. at Hanover, May 12, 1867.
- v. William Kimball, b. Sept. 26, 1848; d. following day.

H^4

BYRON LIVERMORE⁸ (Nathan⁷, Enoch⁶, David⁵, John⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Nathan [G¹] and Phœbe (Farnum) Knapp; b. Jan. 12, 1830, at Rumford, Me.; m. Maggie ——; removed to Pennsylvania.

I. IVANORA E., b. Feb. 6, 1861, at Rumford, Me.

II. NATHAN H., b. Feb. 21, 1863, at Rumford, Me.
Three other children — names and dates uncertain.

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GEORGE EDWARD⁸ (Henry⁷, Josiah⁶, Josiah⁵, John⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Henry [G²] and Esther Eliza (Harrison) Knapp; b. Feb. 14, 1830, in New York City; m. Rosina Frances Taylor, of Rock Island, Ill. Was living in 1900, at Kearney, Neb.

CHILDREN:

- I. ELLA FRANCES, b. Sept. 29, 1874, in Buffalo County, Neb.; m., first, in 1893, John Barnes (one child, Orton Knapp Barnes); m., second, Nov. 20, 1895, Frederic J. Sizer.
- II. CHARLES TAYLOR, b. Nov. 22, 1877, at Kearney, Neb.

H^6

ISAAC³ (Isaac N.⁷, Ichabod⁶, Elisha⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Isaac N. [G⁵] and Philinda (Dutton) Knapp; b. March 22, 1815, at Dummerston, Vt.; m. Rowena L——; d. at Fort Wayne, Ind., May 9, 1883.

He went West when about twenty years old, and after graduating at Marietta College, Ohio, studied for the ministry, afterwards studied medicine, and finally became a dentist. Was prominent in Indiana as a writer and speaker in his professions.

CHILD:

I. WILLIAM B.

H^7

JOHN⁸ (Levi⁷, Jesseniah⁶, John⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Levi [G⁷] and Fidelia (Ballou) Knapp; b. in Petersham, Mass., July 31, 1841; m., Nov. 24, 1874, Mrs. Frances O. H. Morgan, of Dana, Mass. Resides (1893) in Petersham. He served in Company H, Fourth Regiment of Heavy Artillery, in Civil War.

- I. HARRY LEVI, b. April 2, 1876, in Petersham.
- II. ARCHIE FREDERICK, b. at Dana, Mass., Nov. 2, 1879; d. Oct. 13, 1900.

H^8

HARRY TAFT⁸ (Levi⁷, Jesseniah⁶, John⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Levi [G⁷] and Fidelia (Ballou) Knapp; b. in Petersham, Mass., July 7, 1849; m., Dec. 31, 1884, Carrie Adèle Craft Jackson. Resides (1900) in Worcester, Mass.

CHILDREN:

- I. GRACE ADELE, b. Nov. 25, 1885, at Lawrence, L. I.
- II. FLORENCE LILLIAN, b. Sept. 26, 1887.
- III. EDWIN LEVI, b. July 14, 1889.
- IV. Infant son, b. Aug. 10, 1892; d. Aug. 22, 1892.
- v. Elsie Mildred, b. Dec. 28, 1893.
- VI. Annie Laura, b. Sept. 2, 1897, in Worcester.

H^9

GEORGE CUSHING⁸ (John⁷, James⁶, John⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of John [G⁸] and Sally (Cushing) Knapp; b. in Lyndon, Vt., Oct. 30, 1823; m., Sept. 5, 1855, Alzina Maria Churchill; d. March 12, 1895, at Bitlis, Turkey, where he had been for forty years a missionary of the American Board.

He was graduated at Middlebury College in 1852; at Andover

Theological Seminary in 1855.

CHILDREN:

(All born at Bitlis, Turkey.)

- I. ARTHUR CHURCHILL, b. Nov. 8, 1859; d. Oct. 23, 1862.
- II. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 31, 1862; d. Oct. 9, 1863.
- III. George Perkins, b. June 13, 1863; m., July 2, 1890, at Barre, Mass., Anna Jane Hunt, who was b. in Worcester, Oct. 30, 1862. Harvard University, 1887; Hartford Seminary, 1890. Missionary in Turkey, first at Bitlis, later and now (1909) at Harpoot. Three daughters; one son, Addison.
- IV. JOHN HERBERT, b. Oct. 24, 1865; m., first, Jan. 12, 1892, Helen Hastings, of Worcester; m., second, Mary Specht, of Colorado Springs. Four daughters; two sons, Arthur and Robert Kenneth. Lives (1909) in

California.

- v. Grace Higley, b. Nov. 21, 1870.
- VI. EDITH ALZINA, b. Nov. 4, 1874; m., 1905, Eugene W. Melvin, of San José, Cal. One son.

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CHARLES MASON⁸ (John⁷, James⁶, John⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of John [G⁸] and Cynthia W. (Hubbard) Knapp; b. July 14, 1827, at Lyndon, Vt.; m., Dec. 2, 1851, Mary M. Olmstead, of Benson, Vt.; d. at St. Johnsbury, Vt., Dec. 15, 1862.

CHILDREN:

- I. CYNTHIA CORA, b. April 27, 1854; d. March 29, 1856.
- II. CHARLES HUBBARD, b. Jan. 22, 1860.

H^{11}

HORACE CARTER⁸ (John⁷, James⁶, John⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of John [G⁸] and Cynthia W. (Hubbard) Knapp; b. in Lyndon, Vt., May 11, 1829; m., May 11, 1853, Emily Louisa Crofoot, of Benson, Vt.; d. in Rutland, Vt., May 27, 1899.

CHILDREN:

- Ella Louisa, b. at St. Johnsbury, Vt., Aug. 3, 1857; d. at Rutland, April 7, 1899.
- II. FRANK WILLEY, b. at Charlestown, N. H., Sept. 7, 1859; m., Nov. 3, 1886, Anna Thomas, of Troy, N. Y. Lives (1900) at Rutland, Vt.

H^{12}

CEPHAS WILLARD⁸ (Harris⁷, James⁶, John⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Harris [G⁹] and Mary (Butler) Knapp; b. in St. Johnsbury, Vt., May 29, 1831; m., March 4, 1857, Paulina Paul Seavey, of Pomfret, Vt.; lived in St. Johnsbury and Benson, and in Woodstock, Vt., where he died Feb. 2, 1874.

CHILDREN:

- I. BERTHA SEAVEY, b. Oct. 7, 1859, at St. Johnsbury, Vt.
- II. Francis Harris, b. Nov. 15, 1867, at Benson, Vt.

H^{13}

ARTHUR MASON⁸ (Hiram⁷, James⁶, John⁵, James⁴, John³, John², William¹), son of Hiram [G¹¹] and Sophronia (Brown) Knapp; b. Aug. 8, 1839, at St. Johnsbury, Vt.; m., July 2, 1873, Abbie, dau. of James and Sally Wingate (Bradley) Bartlett, of Brookline, Mass., who d. Jan. 26, 1876. He died in Boston, Dec. 27, 1898.

He removed with his parents to Boston in 1854; was fitted for college at the Boston Latin School; was graduated at Harvard College in 1863; taught in Phillips Andover Academy, 1863–4; in the high school at Brookline, Mass., 1865–74; entered the service of

the Boston Public Library, Jan. 23, 1875, where for the last twenty years of his life he was curator of Bates Hall. [See Appendix A.]

CHILD

A son, b. and d. Jan. 11, 1876.

H^{14}

PHILIP COOMBS⁸ (William⁷, Philip C.⁶, William⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of William [G¹⁵] and Tabitha (Currier) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Dec. 30, 1814; was graduated at Dartmouth College in 1841; m., Feb. 4, 1847, Sally Harriette Moore, of Lynn, who d. Feb. 7, 1899. He died in Lynn, Sept. 12, 1900.

CHILDREN:

(All born in Lynn.)

- I. HARRIETTE ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 27, 1847; d. Nov. 28, 1847.
- II. LUCILLA BREED, b. Dec. 7, 1848; d. Feb. 19, 1873.
- III. CHARLES WILLIAM, b. Dec. 18, 1850.
- IV. PHILIP COOMBS, b. June 3, 1858.

H^{15}

JOSEPH GREENLEAF⁸ (Joseph⁷, Philip C.⁶, William⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Joseph [G¹⁶] and Mary (Chadbourne) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, April 29, 1822; m., Oct. 9, 1853, Sarah H. Collins, who was b. in Seabrook, N. H., Aug. 27, 1815, and d. Jan. 9, 1881.

CHILD:

I. Joseph Herbert, b. Aug. 29, 1854.

H^{16}

WILLIAM⁸ (Benj. Remmick⁷, William⁶, William⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Benjamin R. [G¹⁷] and Sarah (Lewis) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, July 14, 1828; m., March 29, 1866, Lydia Maria Smith; d. in California.

He served in the navy during the Civil War.

CHILDREN:

- I. WILLIAM B., b. Dec. 2, 1867; m., Dec. 28, 1888, Ellen E., dau. of Charles M. and Helen (Coleman) Lunt.
- II. PHILIP.

H^{17}

HENRY EDGAR⁸ (Benj. Remmick⁷, William⁶, William⁵, Ebenezer⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Benjamin R. [G¹⁷] and Sarah (Lewis)

Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Nov. 18, 1829; m., Dec. 14, 1854, Mary Ann H. Whiton; d. in Somerville, Mass., March 12, 1895.

CHILD:

I. Edgar Lewis, b. Feb. 28, 1858, in Worcester, Mass.

H^{18}

JOHN M.⁸ (Benj. Remmick⁷, William⁶, William⁵, Ebenezer, ⁴ Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Benjamin R. [G¹⁷] and Sarah (Lewis) Knapp; b. Aug. 6, 1837, in Newburyport; m., Sept. 16, 1861, Elvira W. Childs, of Rutland and Shrewsbury, Mass.; lived in Worcester, where he died Sept. 21, 1877.

He served in the Civil War, in the Sixth Massachusetts Regiment.

CHILDREN:

- MARY L., b. 1864(?); m., June 23, 1887, Roscoe H. Aldrich.
- II. FRANK CHILDS, b. Feb. 13, 1869, in Worcester; d. March 25, 1869.
- III. CHARLES E., b. March 12, 1870, in Worcester; d. May 3, 1883.

H^{19}

WALLACE CHASE⁸ (Edmund Baker⁷, Anthony⁶, Nathaniel⁵, Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Edmund Baker [G²⁰] and Almira (McKenny) Knapp; b. Nov. 6, 1859, in Portland, Me.; m., November, 1883, Louisa Rumney.

CHILD:

I. Ella May, b. May 14, 1884.

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ROBERT HEATH⁸ (Robert H.⁷, Robert H.⁶, Anthony⁵, Nathaniel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Robert Heath [G²¹] and Emily (Brookings) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, in 1834; m., March 25, 1856, Ann M. Chase.

CHILDREN:

- I. EMILY SPRAGUE, b. April 8, 1859.
- II. Robert E., b. Aug. 4, 1864; m. Mary Fegan.

H^{21}

THOMAS⁸ (Charles⁷, Anthony⁶, Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William⁴), son of Charles [G²⁴] and Anna Choate (Huse) Knapp; b.

in Newburyport, Sept. 19, 1826; m., Nov. 29, 1849, Hannah P. Holmes, of Dorchester, where he lived.

CHILDREN:

- EMMA FRANCES, b. in Dorchester, May 6, 1852; d. Sept. 14, 1877.
- II. MARY AUGUSTA, b. April 20, 1855; m. G. L. Smith.
- III. EDWARD LAWRENCE, b. April 13, 1858; m., April 13, 1887, Addie Farrington Holmes.

H^{22}

ANTHONY⁸ (Charles⁷, Anthony⁶, Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Charles [G²⁴] and Ann Choate (Huse) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, April 15, 1828; m., first, July 31, 1851, Jane Elizabeth Woodman, who d. Dec. 8, 1859; m., second, Sept. 16, 1860, Elizabeth Noyes Adams. He died in Newburyport, Aug. 9, 1875.

CHILDREN:

- I. ALICE MAY, b. Feb. 20, 1852.
- II. Frederick William, b. May 1, 1854; m. Eva A. Black.
- III. LIZZIE LINWOOD, b. July 8, 1856.
- IV. ANNIE FLORENCE, b. July 27, 1861.
- v. Henry Anthony, b. July 4, 1863.
- VI. SARAH RICHARDSON, b. June 24, 1867.
- VII. MARGARET GERTRUDE, b. July 13, 1872.

H^{23}

CHARLES⁸ (Charles⁷, Anthony⁶, Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Charles [G²⁴] and Ann Choate (Huse) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, July 31, 1839; m., Oct. 4, 1866, Lydia Ann Dixey, of Chelsea.

CHILDREN:

- I. CHARLES HENRY, b. August —, 1867.
- II. MABEL S., b. January —, 1869.
- ш. Ernest C., b. February —, 1872.

H^{24}

JAMES OAKES⁸, Capt. (Joseph Jenkins⁷, Anthony⁶, Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of Joseph Jenkins [G²⁶] and Mary (Pierce) Knapp; b. in Newburyport, Sept. 25, 1838; m., first, June 12, 1866, Orythia Wales Rogers, who d. Jan. 3, 1881; m., second, June 8, 1881, Emily Louisa Whitmore.

- I. PIERCE WALES, b. June 23, 1870; d. Sept. 23, 1870.
- II. ORYTHIA WALES, b. Aug. 18, 1882.
- III. Joseph Whitmore, b. March 21, 1887.

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ALFRED E.⁸ (George⁷, Anthony⁶, Samuel⁵, Samuel⁴, Isaac³, John², William¹), son of George [G²⁸] and Harriet (Wilson) Knapp; b. in Boston in 1848; m. Georgiana Blackman, who d. Aug. 30, 1881. He died in Boston, Feb. 7, 1895.

CHILDREN:

- I. Albert Henry, d. Jan. 17, 1888.
- II. GEORGIANA BLACKMAN, d. Aug. 30, 1881.
- III. HARRIET MARIA, d. Jan. 27, 1878.
- IV. GEORGE ALFRED, d. Sept. 29, 1879.

H^{26}

FREDERICK BRADFORD⁸ (Frederick N.⁷, Jacob N.⁶, Isaac⁵, Isaac⁴ [see D⁹]), son of Frederick Newman [G³³] and Lucia Alden (Bradford) Knapp; b. in Walpole, N. H., Oet. 13, 1857; m., Aug. 28, 1884, in Plymouth, Mass., Frances Maria Powers, dau. of P. C. Hall, of Medford, Mass.

He was graduated from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1879; taught in the Lawrence Scientific School of Harvard University, and in 1886 established a Preparatory School for Boys at Powder Point, Duxbury, which he still conducts.

- I. Frederick Hall, b. June 1, 1888.
- II. LUCIA BRADFORD, b. Oct. 13, 1889.
- III. ELIZABETH PARKMAN, b. June 14, 1894.
- IV. Frances, b. Dec. 8, 1895.



NOTE A

ARTHUR MASON KNAPP was born Aug. 8, 1839, at St. Johnsbury, Vt., a place then, as now, remarkable among New England villages for the high moral and intellectual tone of its inhabitants, and as the seat not only of an important business enterprise, but of an excellent institution of learning. It was in an ideal and an idyllic environment that the active mind and sensitive nature of the boy found happy and normal development. Though he removed with his parents to Boston when he was fifteen years old, he cherished a very warm affection for his native place and a just pride in it as long as he lived. No vacation was complete that was not prefaced or supplemented by a visit to the haunts of his boyhood.

Of his ancestry much might be said, for one of the recreations of his later years was an exhaustive study of the genealogy of his family, the result of which is a monument of the patience and thoroughness which marked all his investigations, whether for himself or for others. It is enough here to say that he was of the seventh generation in descent from William Knapp, who came from England to this country with Sir Richard Saltonstall in 1630, and became one of the first settlers of Watertown, Mass.; and that his parents were Hiram and Sophronia (Brown) Knapp.

A thoughtful, studious boy, it was a matter of course that, on removing to Boston, Arthur should continue the line of study begun in the St. Johnsbury Academy, and he was at once placed in the Boston Latin School, then under the headmastership of Francis Gardner, to whom he doubtless owed, in some measure, the habit of accuracy, the love of research, and the enthusiasm for knowledge which were of such service to him and to the public in later years. Here he was graduated in 1859, at the head of a class in which there was a large number of good scholars, having borne off year after year prizes for "exemplary conduct and punctuality," for "excellence in the classical department," for "translations into Latin verse," and a Franklin medal. One of his classmates, long a resident of China, writes:

"I well recall the Latin School — the room just as it looked in my boyhood, and the faces of the boys — Arthur usually at the head of the class. Arthur was the boy who could not be floored anywhere in that Latin grammar. Several of us knew it well, but he knew every word of it."

And another, who was his chief competitor, adds to similar testimony that Arthur held his leadership with such unassuming modesty as never to excite a feeling of jealousy among his classmates.

He entered Harvard College without conditions — a record which was at that time a mark of distinction — and was graduated with honor in 1863. His preference was for the classical and the scientific studies, but with characteristic fidelity he neglected none, and this was before the day of *electives*.

Though he missed somewhat of the social life of college by residing in Boston during his entire course, walking to and from Cambridge every day, he made some warm and lasting friendships, and maintained through life a loyal interest in his alma mater, from which he held the degree of A.M. as well as that of A.B. He often spoke with pride of the record made by his class since graduation, referring not only to those who, like John Fiske, Governor Greenhalge, Secretary Fairchild, Frederick Brooks, and others, have been leaders of thought and action, but to the entire membership, which, almost without exception, is composed of men of high principles and useful lives.

In September following his graduation, Mr. Knapp began teaching in the classical department of Phillips Academy, Andover, under Dr. Samuel H. Taylor; but in May he was obliged to relinquish his position on account of a sudden and painful lameness, to which he was henceforth subject, at longer or shorter intervals, for the rest of his life. While still on crutches he went as private tutor to one of his Andover boys, to Irvington-on-the-Hudson, where he remained nearly a year. In June, 1865, he was appointed submaster of the Brookline High School, a position which, with the exception of a few months in 1865–6, during which he served as usher in the Boston Latin School, he held for ten years.

Mr. Knapp had in a marked degree many of the qualities essential to a successful teacher. A genuine sympathy with his pupils, not only in their work, but in their pleasures, won their affection, while the extent and accuracy of his knowledge commanded their respect. He was companion and friend as well as teacher, and many of his former pupils, whom he always spoke of as his "boys" and "girls," could testify to his lifelong interest in them. Those were happy years which he spent in teaching — years of growth, too, for he was ever a pupil with his pupils, learning while he taught.

But Mr. Knapp was to find a larger field for the exercise of his powers. From earliest boyhood he had evinced an extraordinary love of books, delighting not only in their contents, but in their covers and title-pages. A remarkable memory, too, he had for what he read, and he very early formed the habit of associating ideas and

classifying facts, filling his books with clippings and marginal notes, to which he turned with readiness and satisfaction for information or confirmation upon any subject under discussion in the family circle. His school and college work, as well as his teaching, had been characterized by love of research, accuracy of scholarship, and great painstaking in the search for truth, while his retentive memory had made of his mind a well-ordered storehouse of knowledge. These and other tastes and habits of mind, developed by education and strengthened by experience; rendered his appointment to the service of the Boston Public Library particularly fortunate both for himself and the public.

It was on January 23, 1875, that Mr. Knapp entered upon the work which was to occupy him for the remainder of his life. For twenty-four years he gave heart and soul to the interests of the library and the public, to which he sought to make its treasures in the largest sense available.

His first appointment was as curator of periodicals and pamphlets and of the Prince and Barton libraries, which latter he, in collaboration with another library officer, catalogued; but for the last twenty years he held the more responsible position of custodian of Bates Hall. To the fidelity with which he discharged the duties of this office there was abundant testimony on the occasion of his death, in notices of the press, not only of Boston, but of other cities; in official library notices, and the funeral address of one of the trustees; and in innumerable expressions of a sense of loss on the part of the patrons of the library, who make grateful reference to his "ready helpfulness," his "perfect courtesy," his "unvarying kindness," his "extraordinary intelligence."

An article on the Boston Public Library by Edmund J. Carpenter, in the *New England Magazine* of August, 1895, contains the following reference to him:

"Mr. Arthur Mason Knapp is the librarian in charge of Bates Hall, which position he has occupied since 1878. His service with the library, however, dates from 1875; the removal of the library to the new building, in January of the present year, marked the exact completion of his twentieth year of service. With Mr. Knapp in the library there is little need of a catalogue. The searcher for information concerning any subject which he desires to study has but to apply to him and the material wished is immediately set before him. To the student whose time is precious, or who is but slightly acquainted with the system of the library, Mr. Knapp's aid is invaluable. To procure a new librarian would be an easy task compared with that of endeavoring to supply the place of such public servants as Mr. ——and Mr. Knapp."

To those who knew Mr. Knapp thus professionally, as well as to all who knew him personally, it was obvious that there was nothing perfunctory in his service. He loved his work. It was a personal pleasure to him to direct students and readers to the sources of knowledge, and to place before them the treasures in his keeping. He especially enjoyed solving the literary problems which were continually submitted to him, and the zest with which he followed, sometimes for weeks, a difficult quest, and his exultation when at last he "struck" some elusive fact, often reminded one of the huntsman's delight in the chase. Nothing could have been more congenial than the atmosphere of books and study in which he lived, or more agreeable than his relations with the immense constituency of readers whom he served, and with his associates in the work.

On July 2, 1873, Mr. Knapp married Miss Abbie Bartlett, daughter of James Bartlett, of Brookline, Mass. Intimately associated as fellow-teachers as they had been, and endowed with similar tastes, while yet admirably supplementing each other, their mutual attraction was most natural; and the strength and sweetness of her character, the brightness and quickness of her mind, together with her charming personality, rendered their union one of exceptional promise. It was indeed a happy one, but, alas! of short duration, for she died January 26, 1876. The death of his infant son at the same time was not only a severe blow to his affections, but a bitter disappointment to his hope of perpetuating the family name and traditions. In the shadow of this double sorrow he walked to the end of his days, and yet not morosely or selfishly. He even found genuine happiness in serving others, and especially in the home which he shared with his mother and sister, and from which he had been absent only during his brief married life — for while in Brookline as well as in college, he had resided with his parents in Boston.

What he was to that home as son and brother may not here be told, but only those who knew him there knew him at his best. One who often sat at his table and by his fireside writes:

"No one could see him in the freedom and genial fellowship of his home life without being impressed with his gentle, affectionate manner, his generous consideration of others, his sincerity and warmth of heart; which, added to a wealth of information and a readiness to add his word of knowledge on almost any subject, together with a delicate humor that often irradiated his conversation, made him a most enjoyable companion. His knowledge never made him condescending, nor did his own literary tastes cause him to despise or disregard the tastes of others. He was the most companionable of men.

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"These qualities, which characterized him always and everywhere, were most conspicuous in his own home, among his own books, in the society of his friends and his family."

Another writes:

"I have never known a more devoted son, a more affectionate brother, or a kinder friend."

An old family servant writes:

"I shall always thank God that I had the privilege of being Mr. Knapp's humble servant for eleven years. In all those years I never saw a frown on his face. He was always pleasant and good and kind, and I have felt ever since I left him that I had a friend to go to if I was in need."

Though he greatly valued his friends, Mr. Knapp shrank from general society, and a natural reserve veiled from strangers his peculiarly frank and sunny nature. Unconventional in his tastes and with the heart of a boy, he was content with simple pleasures and was happiest in the quiet joys of home. Vacation letters telling of keen enjoyment contain such expressions as these:

"And yet, as always when away from you, I am eager to have my vacation over, that I may return to my loved ones."

Again:

"My vacation has been a very pleasant one, but I am willing to go back to my work and to my own folks. People here are very kind and courteous, but none of them belong to me."

But Mr. Knapp had many resources of diversion in his quiet home life. Reading was, of course, the principal one. This was both a pastime and a business, for he sought not only to keep abreast, as far as possible, with the reading public, but to know what was going on in the world at large, as well as in the literary world. He had the art of reading rapidly without reading superficially, and in addition to weightier matters found time for a good deal of biography, travel, and fiction. He never lost his enjoyment of the Greek and Latin classics, and in his last years many times read through his Anabasis and Cæsar as a morning recreation, without once having occasion to consult the dictionary. Of modern languages, he read easily German and French, and had some knowledge of Spanish.

He always had at hand for his spare hours some special study, as that of genealogy, or of coins, in which he found relaxation and pleasure. He was skillful in the use of carpenters' tools and enjoyed contributing thereby to the comfort and convenience of the household. He loved the bookstores, and often for his afternoon outing simply exchanged the library for the bookstall. Among these and the curio-shops he spent the most of what he called his "cigar money."

He kept pace with the growth of the Art Museum, to which he was for many years a subscriber, and no one rejoiced more than he at every generous gift made to that institution.

His love of nature, of which he was keenly observant, contributed much to his enjoyment of life. He was in the habit of taking long walks in the suburbs and parks of Boston, where he was quick to note the varying aspects of tree and shrub, while he appreciated with an artist's eye the beauties of the landscape.

His vacations were passed mostly among the mountains of New Hampshire, to which he returned year after year with ever fresh delight, greeting familiar scenes like old friends, and repeating favorite walks and drives with all the enthusiasm of a first visit. Many will long remember him as a delightful companion and guide over the hills and by the river, in West Campton and, earlier, in Gorham, N. H., where he spent many happy summers.

Mr. Knapp made two visits to Europe, the first in 1874, when, accompanied by his wife and his sister, he followed in general the route of the summer tourist in England and on the continent, having first enjoyed some glimpses of Ireland and Wales and more than a glimpse of Scotland. This was an experience of almost unalloyed pleasure, for which his reading and study had amply prepared him. Familiar with the historical and legendary and the literary associations of places visited, and with an appreciative eye for the beauty and grandeur of scenery, he looked at things also practically and could always give facts and figures, as well as impressions, regarding them. In view of the fact that he had as yet no thought of engaging in library work, it is interesting to note, in the home letters which form a complete diary of his travels, his interest in the manuscripts and rare editions of the British Museum, the Bodleian and other libraries, and his persistent efforts on several occasions to see some treasure of this sort not accessible to the general public. He studied people as well as things, and noted national and individual characteristics. Nothing escaped his keen and quick observation.

In 1880 Mr. Knapp made a second visit to England, and though he sadly missed the companionship which had enhanced every enjoyment of the former visit, he was more than ever impressed with the natural beauty of the "snug little island"; with the magnificence of its cathedrals, of which he made a thorough study; and with the vast resources of its libraries, where he now received courtesies and privileges due a professional librarian.

Although he had not traveled extensively, Mr. Knapp was so well informed in regard to foreign countries that he sometimes gave the impression of having visited those which he knew only through books.

He was especially interested in Japan, and a visit to that country was among his unfulfilled dreams. For he looked forward to a period, not of idleness nor of selfishness, either of which would have been impossible to him, but of comparative leisure, in which he might more freely indulge various quiet tastes and command more than a summer vacation for travel.

He was in the enjoyment of his usual health, when, on the 9th of December, he felt the first almost imperceptible touch of paralysis. Not recognizing it as such, however, he remained at his post the next day — a busy Saturday — though suffering greatly from the progress of the disease, which in a few days took complete possession of the left side of the body, mercifully leaving untouched the noble mind. The painful, though brief, illness was borne with patience and fortitude, and the gentle spirit was released from the body on the 27th of December, 1898.

It was not an eventful life here briefly sketched, but it embraced the deepest experiences of joy and of sorrow, and covered tranquil years of cheerful service. It made little noise in the world, but like a broad, beneficent stream, it blessed and brightened all it touched.

There was in Mr. Knapp a rare blending of gentleness and strength. He could be stern in his denunciation of wrong, and he hated all sham and cant and insincerity; but he had such mastery of himself that he could suppress the strongest emotions, and his good-nature scemed absolutely imperturbable. His manner was always quiet; his voice, so expressive of himself, was invariably pleasant and kindly.

He was a man whom to know once was to know always, for he was true to himself — to his principles and his sentiments. Nothing could make him swerve from what he believed to be the path of duty. Neither time nor absence had power over his friendships. Friends who met him after years of separation and silence were greeted with as much warmth and familiarity as if there had been no interruption of intercourse. He loved old friends, familiar scenes, the home of his boyhood, the city of his adoption, his country. In everything he was loyal and true.

Of his religious life, as of all deep experiences, he said little; but he was a devout and reverent believer in the simple gospel, and his life was conscientiously ordered by its precepts. Tolerant as he was of all sorts of fads, he had little patience with those which seek to substitute something else for the Christian religion. He was for many years a loyal member of the Shawmut Congregational Church, serving it quietly, but with warm heart and generous hand. He was interested in all organizations and enterprises that have for their object the amelioration of mankind, and, according to his means,

contributed to their support. Many a young man is largely indebted to him for his education.

Much more might be said, but this tribute of a sister's affection is written as under the eye of one whose modesty sought to conceal his virtues.

K. K.

NOTE B. [See B³1]

EXTRACT FROM COTTON MATHER'S "MAGNALIA"

"In the town of Groton one Elizabeth Knap (Oct., 1671) was taken after a strange manner, sometimes weeping, sometimes laughing, sometimes roaring with violent agitation, crying out 'Money! Money!' Her tongue would be for many hours together drawn like a semi-circle up to the roof of her mouth, so that no fingers applied to it could remove it. Six men were scarce able to hold her in some of her fits, but she would skip about the house yelling and howling and looking hideously. On Dec. 17, her tongue being drawn out of her mouth to an extraordinary length, a daemon began manifestly to speak to her; for many words were distinctly uttered, wherein are the labial letters, without any motion of her lips at all; words also were uttered from her throat, sometimes when her mouth was wholly shut, and sometimes when her mouth was wide open, but no organs of speech were used therein. The chief things that the daemon spoke were horrid railings against the godly minister of the town; but sometimes, likewise, she belched out most nefandous blasphemies against the God of heaven. And one thing about this young woman was yet more particularly remarkable: she cry'd out in her fits that a certain woman in the neighborhood appeared unto her, and was the only cause of her affliction. This woman prayed with and for her, and thus brought her to her senses."

NOTE C. [See E¹³]

EXTRACT FROM THE JOURNAL OF SAMUEL CUTLER

"August 5, 1777. Fair weather. The 18th of July we began to make a passage through the wall [of Mill Prison, England], and 16 ft. underground to an adjacent field. Last night appeared dark and favorable to our design. At eleven P.M. opened the end in the field and began to go through. The passage being small, several large persons going through worried the dirt down, so that we could get out but slowly, and only thirty-two persons got out undiscovered

before daylight. Seventeen of the number belonged to the *Dalton's* Company. The First and Second Lieutenants [Anthony Knapp, first lieutenant], master and mate of the *Dalton*, were of the number."

NOTE D. [See E¹⁹]

Frederick Newman Knapp writes of his grandmother, Susanna

Newman Knapp:

"She was married April 24, 1770, at the age of twenty. She was a woman of remarkable beauty of form and feature, slight in figure, graceful and attractive in manner, clear and earnest in thought, sparkling in wit, abounding in kindness of heart, and of a deep religious nature. Her husband, Isaac Knapp, was a sea-captain, and the chief responsibility of bringing up a family of nine children, with limited means, devolved upon her. They were all trained to industry, honesty, self-respect, and a desire for knowledge.

"Of the five sons who lived to manhood, three were professional men — Jacob Newman, Harvard University, 1802; Samuel Lorenzo, Dartmouth College, 1804, a lawyer and writer of note; Joseph, a

physician.

"The family moved from Newburyport, Mass., to Sanbornton, N. H., while most of the children were quite young; and here there were the many trials of what was almost a frontier settlement. I mention this in order to connect it with a reference to a visit I made to the old place at Sanbornton some twenty or twenty-five years ago (say 1860), when I saw five or six of the very aged people who, sixty years or more before, had known both my grandfather and my grandmother well. In every case the mention of her name brought out from the old neighbors the warmest expression of admiration and esteem. It was of the sort (told in tone of voice and manner of speaking full as much as in words) with which one refers to a superior being who is held in reverence. They told of her exceeding grace of manner and her beauty of face; of the delicacy of her feet and hands, and the sweetness of her voice; of her unwearied kindness to the sick and the poor, and her readiness always to go in person to watch and to minister, although her home cares were so many.

"And then these old people told of the great grief which spread over the whole town when she died, and what a concourse of sincere mourners followed in long procession to the grave; and how the little

children all through the town almost worshiped her.

"Altogether the utterance of these old people, as they recalled the picture and feelings of the far by-gone days, as connected with this

'holy saint' (as they called her) was one of the most beautiful tributes I ever listened to — told, as it was, in unstudied language, and, in more than one instance, with tears."

Inscriptions on gravestones in Meeting-House Burying-ground, Sanbornton, N. H.:

"Sacred to the memory of Capt. Isaac Knapp, who departed this life March 22, A.D. 1830. Aet. 82. Intelligent, uncompromising, humane, upright. During the voyage of life Truth was his Compass, the Bible his Chart."

"Sacred to the memory of Susanna Newman Knapp, who departed this life Aug. 12, 1807. Aet. 57. Faithful, affectionate, benevolent, devout, loving and beloved: her death was full of immortality."

NOTE E. [See F³]

EXTRACTS from letter of John Knapp to his maternal uncle, Thomas Fairservice, announcing the death of his father, Josiah Knapp:

"Boston, May 15, 1843.

"My dear Uncle,— I have the melancholy task to acquaint you with the decease of our dear father. He left us on Saturday forenoon, a few minutes before twelve o'clock. He was tranquil and, so far as outward marks could be given of his inward thoughts and feelings, unless by express words, not only unapprehensive, but serenely hopeful touching his approaching destiny. Indeed he seemed, rather, thoughtful for us, whom he was to leave in this troubled world, than of himself, confiding, no doubt, in the judgment, not formed on his death-bed, but long before, that he who has sought to do the best his fallible nature will allow of may feel as fully assured that a God of mercies has prepared for him a lot of spiritual happiness, as he can be of his soul's immortality.

"On Thursday night about half past ten, as my sister, Mrs. Marett, was sitting at his bedside, the rest of us except the nurse having retired to bed, she heard him say, 'I am going'—and then he paused. As she bent over him to see if he was dreaming, he looked at her and said, 'Martha, is that you? God bless you!' and other words, the same or similar to those he directly afterward said to the rest of us, who soon after came in, having been called by his direction, to wit: 'You have been very kind to me. I feel grateful to you all. You are very good children. God bless you all. I thank you all for your

kindness. I did not think I should get well. I have lived to a great age and could not expect to live much longer.' 'I feel grateful that I leave you in prosperous circumstances and all above want.' He then made mention of some of the dispositions of his will, and after added, 'I am glad to see you all around me. God bless you all. I have done what I could for you. I wish I could have done more. I wish a decent coffin, no ways extravagant. Bury me respectably and lay me by the side of your mother. . . . I thank you for your goodness to me. God bless you!'

"We each of us expressed our grateful feelings for his never-failing goodness to us, and assured him we should never forget it, but think of him and of what he had done for us thousands of times, and that we could searcely go anywhere without seeing something to remind us of him; that he had been unusually industrious, through a long life in doing good, not only to us, but to very, very many others. . . .

"Our father appeared to suffer very little pain from the time when his arm was first reset. The fall and putting his arm into the socket gave him exquisite pain. During his last hours he did not even gasp, but went off so that we could not tell exactly when he ceased to breathe, although all were looking earnestly on.

"We all desire that this event may not prevent your paying us a visit next month, as we understood you had proposed. Indeed, we are the more desirous of seeing you here on account of it.

" Your friend and nephew,

"JOHN KNAPP."

EPITAPHS FROM STONES IN MT. AUBURN CEMETERY

On John Knapp [F3111], son of Josiah:

"In him were blended the tenderest affections, learning without ostentation, and worth without pretense."

On Charles Knapp [F³IV], son of Josiah:

"A man of affectionate heart and generous impulses."

On Lucretia Knapp [F³v11], daughter of Josiah:

"Loving and beloved."

On Caroline [F³x], daughter of Josiah Knapp, and wife of Dr. George Hayward:

"In grateful and affectionate remembrance of her devoted love and spotless purity of life and heart, this tablet is placed here by her bereaved husband."

NOTE F. [See F³111]

(From the Boston Daily Advertiser, March 12, 1849)

JOHN KNAPP, Esq.

The funeral rites of John Knapp, Esq., have just been performed, on his seventieth birthday. He was an accomplished scholar and poet, a learned lawyer, a most amiable and finished gentleman, and an exemplary Christian. He enjoyed superior talents and the highest cultivation; was a pupil of Judge Davis and Harrison Gray Otis, and improved by foreign travel. He was a bosom friend of Allston, both agreeing in their taste for literature, poetry, and art.

He has always been a resident of Boston, often one of her representatives in the legislature, and was so universally known and beloved that our eulogy may seem superfluous, especially as a similar one has just been pronounced on him by his classmate, Rev. Dr. Lowell, who, in the presence of his Maker, to whose tender mercies he was committing him, declared he had been acquainted with him from his boyhood, and had never known the slightest ill of him; and all his numerous auditors were prepared to say the same. But John Knapp was one of those finger-posts to heaven that all the world ought to be called upon to notice, and to follow his example.

L.

He delivered the Phi Beta Kappa poem in 1804, having been graduated at Harvard College in 1800.

NOTE G. [See F³⁰]

LIST OF PUBLISHED WORKS OF SAMUEL LORENZO KNAPP

A Biographical Memoir of Archbishop Cheverus.

Lives of Eminent Lawyers, Statesmen, and Men of Letters.

Lectures on American Literature.

The Bachelors, and Other Tales.

Advice in the Pursuit of Literature.

The Life of Aaron Burr.

The Life of Andrew Jackson.

The Life of Lord Timothy Dexter.

The Life of Daniel Webster.

The Life of Thomas Eddy.

Travels of Ali Bey in Boston and Vicinity.

The Genius of Free-Masonry.

Female Biography.

American Biography.

Sketches of Public Characters (under the pseudonym of Ignatius Loyola Robinson).

He also edited Hinton's "United States" and "The Library of Useful Knowledge."



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