

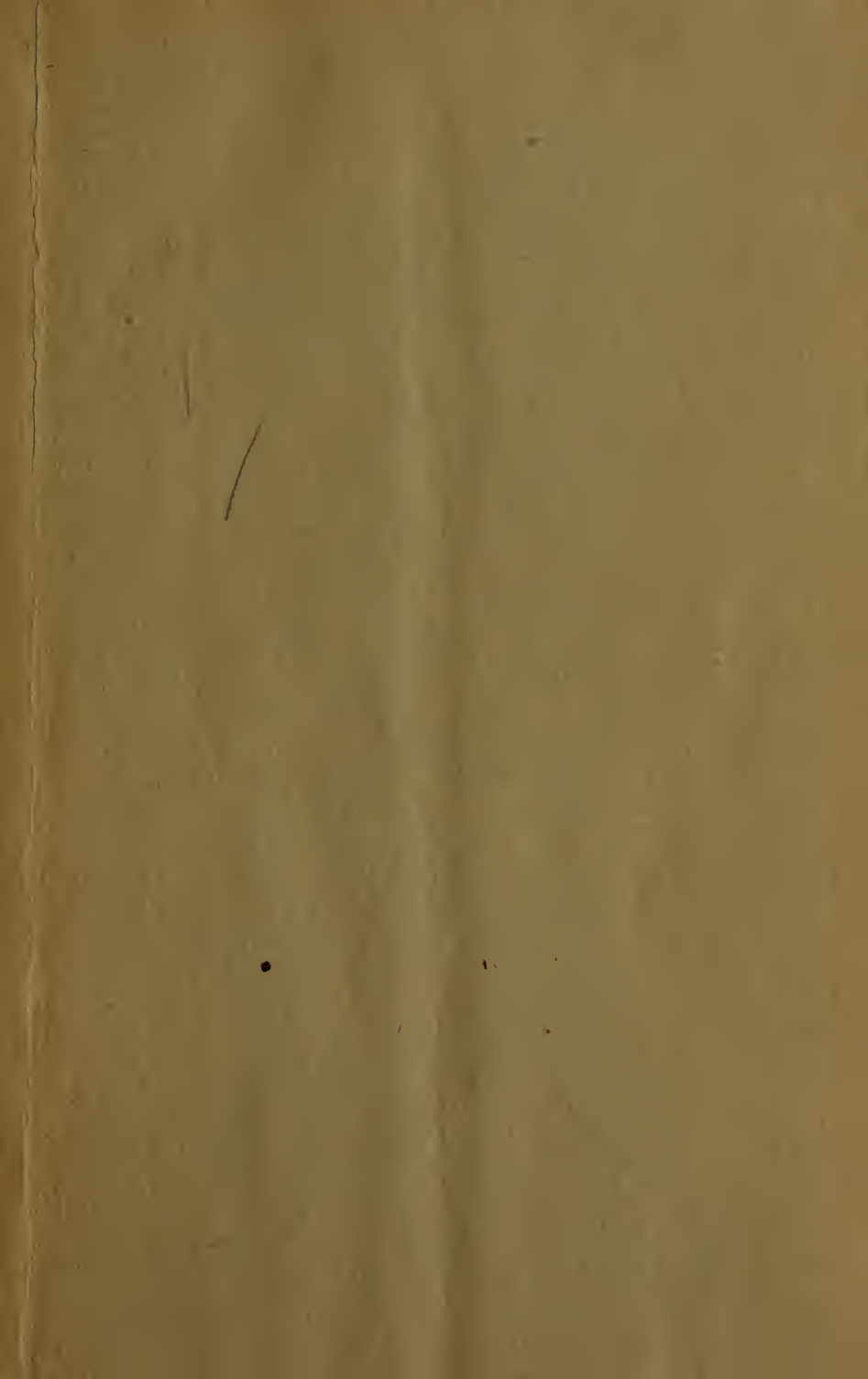


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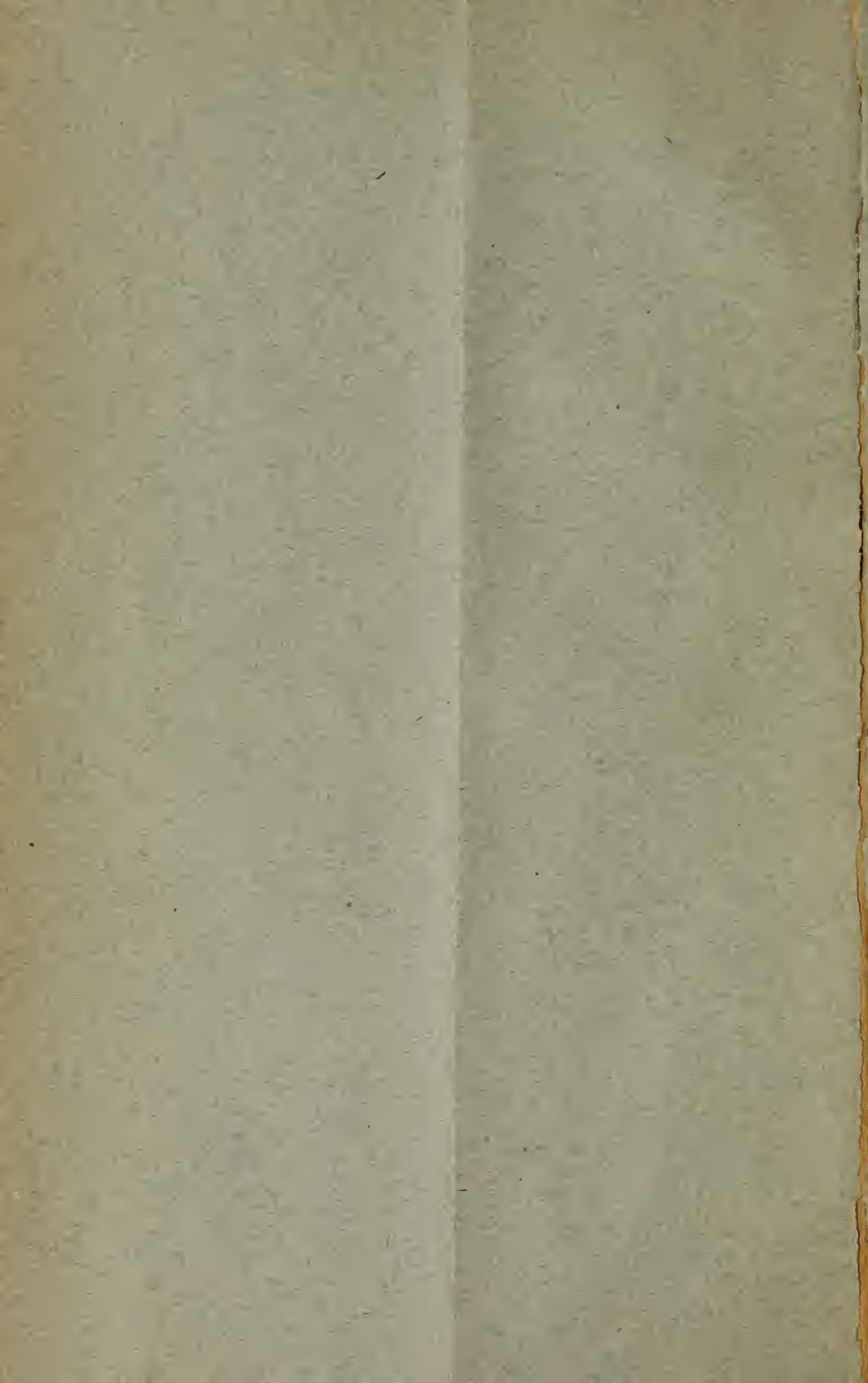




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## P R E F A C E .

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THE following brief and defective memoranda are published mainly to invite attention and criticism, and as a nucleus around which others may build a more substantial and pretentious edifice.

The facts here given have been mainly derived from church and town records, though the earlier generations are taken from Savage's Genealogical Dictionary and Bond's Watertown; the later generations have been gathered from a somewhat extensive correspondence with those of the name wherever found.

A curious if not suggestive circumstance, is the fact that in a large proportion of the letters received, reference was made to a tradition, supposed by the writer to be universal in the family, to the effect that the spelling of the name Bloss was a corruption of Blois, and that the family was of French extraction.

In Burke's Peerage, under the name Blois is a note as follows: "Blois, Sir John-Ralph, Bart., of Grundisburg and Cockfield Hall, Suffolk. Tradition founds this family in England at the Conquest, and states that the surname was adopted from the City of Blois in France."

Burke also records a Lynch-Blosse family, explaining the surname Blosse as follows: "VI. Sir Robert. This gentleman having married in 1749 Elizabeth, only daughter of Francis Barker of Sibton, Suffolk, and heiress of Tobias Blosse of Little Bolstead in the same county, assumed the surname of Blosse in addition to and after that of Lynch."

I mention the foregoing as a possible explanation of the tradition that all branches of the family seem to hold.

MAY, 1887.

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## BLOSS GENEALOGY.

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### DESCENDANTS OF EDMUND AND MARY BLOSS.

ON the Cambridge (Mass.) records, and in the passenger list of the "Francis," April, 1634, the name is spelled Blossé, and in those of the colony, Bloyce. Savage, in his Genealogical Dictionary, has it Bloys, while the Connecticut records have it variously—Bloys, Bloyce, Bloice, Bloise, Blois, Bloiss, Blossé and Bloss.

There seems to be no account of when Edmund came from England, the earliest record of him being when he was admitted freeman, May 22, 1639, at Watertown, although it is presumed, Bond says, "he had been here several years. as his wife Mary aged 40, and his son Richard aged 11, came to join him by the ship Francis from Ipswich, in April, 1634."

From this it is probable that he was of a Suffolk family, and this supposition rather finds confirmation in the fact that in Fuller's "Worthies of England" (first printed in 1662), under the chapter Suffolk, there appears the name of Thomas Blossé as sheriff in the twenty-second year of the reign of Charles I. Edmund's wife Mary died May 29th, 1675, and he, September 27, 1675, married Ruth, daughter of Hugh Parsons; she died December, 1711, and at a meeting of the selectmen of Watertown, December 21, 1711, it was "ordered four gallons of wine also sugar and spice that Ruth Bloss (who lies dead) may have a decent funeral."

It is said that Edmund was born in 1587, and died at great age, believed to have been April, 1681. He was a grantee of five lots in Watertown. Early records also mention Francis Bloyce being admitted freeman, June 2, 1641. It is not improbable that he was a brother of Edmund. Boston records of Cambridge state that he was buried 29. 7. 1646. He was evidently married, as an appraisement is on record in the probate office in Boston, as follows: "Francis Blossé, widow. Inventory £14. 10. 8. 7. 10. 1647." No mention, however, is made of who his widow was, nor of any children. Edmund and Mary had:

- i. RICHARD,<sup>2</sup> b. 1623, in England.
2. RICHARD<sup>2</sup> BLOSS (*Edmund*<sup>1</sup>) born 1623. He came from England with his mother at the age of 11, took the oath at Watertown 1652, married February 10, 1658, Micael, daughter of Robert Jennison, and died August 7, 1665. Inventory, Aug. 17, 1665, £123. 3. 10. His widow married July 11, 1667, John Warren, and died July 14, 1713. They had:
  3. i. RICHARD,<sup>3</sup> b. Dec. 7, 1659.
  - ii. MARY, b. Dec. 11, 1661.
  - iii. MICAEL, b. April 3, 1664.

3. RICHARD<sup>3</sup> BLOSS (*Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born Dec. 7, 1659; married Sept. 26, 1688, Ann, daughter of James and Lydia (Wright) Cutler, of Cambridge Farms, now Lexington. Admitted freeman, April 12, 1690, and owned land which is now the old or lower graveyard at Waltham. Killingly (Conn.) Church records state that this Richard was one of the original members of the church of Killingly, and was admitted by letter from the church at Watertown, May 21, 1716. They had:

4. i. RICHARD,<sup>4</sup> b. Jan. 25, 1700-1.
5. ii. JAMES, b. Nov. 3, 1702.
6. iii. SAMUEL, b. Jan. 26, 1704-5.
- iv. ANN, b. Aug. 10, 1707; m. Jan. 9, 1723, Isaac Jewett.

4. RICHARD<sup>4</sup> BLOSS (*Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born January 25, 1700-1; married Nov. 10, 1725, Ruth Mackintyre. No record of children, or of death of either of these, though in the Killingly church record appears the following: "March 11, 1761. Departed this life, the wife of Serj. Bloss aged about 52." This would have made her birth in 1709, and doubtless refers to the wife of this Richard.

The church book also records in 1738, "Brother Blois (with\*) freed from payment of anything for the support of the Lord's table." Miss Larned says: "The star was probably affixed later, but I am inclined to think he became a Baptist." The same record mentions the marriage, June 29, 1758, of Richard Bloss to Sarah Barrit. It seems highly probable that this was a son of Richard,<sup>4</sup> though no record of his birth is found. It is therefore assumed that Richard<sup>4</sup> and Ruth Mackintyre had:

7. i. RICHARD.<sup>5</sup>

5. JAMES<sup>4</sup> BLOSS (*Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born Nov. 3, 1702; d. June 3, 1790. By his will recorded in Chepachet, R. I., probated Feb. 7, 1801, it appears that he was twice married, no mention being made of his first wife's name, and only the christian name of his second wife being given, viz., Sarah. By his first wife he had:

- i. ABIGAIL,<sup>5</sup> m. Sept. 30, 1749, John Younglove; afterwards, Sept. 13, 1770, m. Ebenezer Atwood.
8. ii. JAMES.
- iii. ANNE, m. 1759, Ephraim Ellingwood, of Woodstock.
- iv. JOHN, m. March 9, 1758, Hannah Allen, of Pomfret.

By his second wife he had:

- v. EBENEZER,
  - vi. JAMES,
  - vii. JOB,
- } All were minors at the time of making his will, 26 July, 1789.

6. SAMUEL<sup>4</sup> BLOSS (*Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born September 26, 1704-5; married Sept. 4, 1727, Martha Barker (widow). They had:

- i. SIMEON,<sup>5</sup> b. Nov. 22, 1728; d. Nov. 11, 1736.
9. ii. SAMUEL, b. April 7, 1731.
- iii. MARTHA, b. March 12, 1733; m. Jan. 21, 1760, Samuel Buck.
- iv. ZERUIAH, b. Feb. 28, 1735.

- v. SIMEON, b. Jan. 8, 1737; d. Nov. 1756.  
vi. RICHARD, b. April 19, 1739.  
vii. HANNAH, b. Feb. 13, 1741-2.  
10. viii. FRANCIS, b. March 6, 1742-3.  
ix. AMASA, b. Feb. 25, 1745.  
x. PRISCILLA, b. Jan. 20, 1746-7.
7. RICHARD<sup>5</sup> BLOSS (*Richard*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>). Date of birth and death unknown; married June 29, 1758, Sarah Barret, probably daughter of Benjamin Barret. He moved from Killingly, Conn., to Royalton, Vt. They had:
- i. JUDE,<sup>6</sup> b. March 15, 1759.  
ii. MARTHA, b. March 24, 1761.  
iii. ZERUIAH, b. May 22, 1763.  
11. iv. REUBEN, b. July 22, 1765.  
v. SIMEON, b. Jan. 11, 1768.  
vi. BENJAMIN, b. July 10, 1770.  
vii. SELAH, b. Nov. 25, 1773.
8. JAMES<sup>5</sup> BLOSS (*James*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), died at New Rochelle, N. Y., 1776; married June 8, 1756, Elizabeth Clough (born 1733, died June 26, 1803), daughter of Jonathan and Mary Clough. After death of her husband she married — Kilbourne. They had:
- i. ELIZABETH,<sup>6</sup> b. Sept. 24, 1757.  
12. ii. JOSEPH, b. Sept. 29, 1759.  
iii. SARAH, b. 1762; d. 1840.  
13. iv. JAMES, b. March 27, 1764.  
v. SALOME, b. 1766.  
vi. ELIZA, b. Nov. 30, 1769; m. first, — Harrison, by whom she had Mortimer A. F. Harrison, b. May 3, 1804, who m. Electa Cheney, and died at Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 9, 1861. No children. After the death of her first husband she m. William Murphy.  
vii. ANNE, b. 1772; m. Ephraim Hubbard, of Egremont, Berkshire Co., Mass.; d. 1802. No children.  
viii. JESSE, b. Nov. 10, 1775, at Hebron, Conn.
9. SAMUEL<sup>5</sup> BLOSS (*Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born April 7, 1731; married April 25, 1758, Mary Winter. By the Killingly town records it would appear that he moved to Plainfield, Cheshire Co., N. H. They had:
14. i. ZADOC,<sup>6</sup> b. Oct. 24, 1758.  
15. ii. WALTER, b. July 20, 1760.  
iii. CLOE, bapt. Aug. 11, 1762.  
iv. SELAH, bapt. Oct. 19, 1768. } Church records.  
16. v. DORMAN, bapt. Jan. 1771.  
17. vi. AARON, b. May 29, 1772.
10. FRANCIS<sup>5</sup> BLOSS (*Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), b. March 6, 1742-3; died Dec. 18, 1824; married July 22, 1769, at Bethlehem (Woodbury), Conn., Esther Thompson, who died Feb. 24, 1827, aged 79. He moved from Killingly, Conn., and settled in Bethlehem society in 1765-6. They had:
18. i. SAMUEL,<sup>6</sup> b. Jan. 30, 1769; d. Dec. 3, 1834.  
ii. SIMEON, b. May 8, 1770; d. Dec. 1, 1773.

- iii. PHILENA, b. Jan. 13, 1773; m. Elnathan Goddard.
  - 19. iv. THOMPSON, b. June 16, 1776; m. Rhoda Howe; d. Dec. 17, 1809.
  - v. LUCY, b. May 28, 1778; m. Oliver Root.
  - vi. MARTIN, b. Aug. 14, 1780; d. March 2, 1793.
  - vii. POLLY, b. Dec. 5, 1782; m. Jeremiah Peck.
  - viii. ELEANOR, b. June 9, 1785; m. Heman Paine.
  - ix. ESTHER, b. Nov. 6, 1787.
  - x. NANCY, b. Aug. 29, 1790; d. March 16, 1793.
11. REUBEN<sup>6</sup> BLOSS (*Richard*,<sup>5</sup> *Richard*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born July 22, 1765, at Killingly, Conn.; married Phœbe Dutton, who died Sept. 6, 1842, aged 73. He died Sept. 3, 1822. They had:
- i. SIMEON,<sup>7</sup> b. 1794; d. March 7, 1821, unmarried.
  - ii. POLLY, b. ———; m. Hatzell Brewer.
20. iii. RICHARD, b. April 13, 1798.
21. iv. REUBEN, b. 1804.
- v. ELIZABETH, m. Joel B. Fox; d. Nov. 3, 1857.
12. JOSEPH<sup>6</sup> BLOSS (*James*,<sup>5</sup> *James*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born Sept. 29, 1759, at Thompson, Conn.; married Oct. 4, 1790, at New Canaan, Columbia Co., N. Y., Amy, daughter of Andrew and Amy (Wentworth) Kennedy. Joseph and his brother James moved from Thompson, Conn., to Berkshire Co., Mass., about 1789, and established themselves there as merchants. Joseph afterward, in 1816, moved to Brighton, Monroe Co., N. Y., when he was one of the founders of the Congregational Church there; at which place he died, Feb. 15, 1838.
- In the summer of 1776, while living at Hebron, Tolland Co., Conn., he was called out to go to the defence of New York City, but his father, who was exempt from military service, arranged to substitute himself with his ox-team, both to be employed in the transportation of baggage. It was while in this service that his father died at New Rochelle, N. Y., in the fall of 1776. In Nov. 1776, Joseph was drafted for 3 months, from Hebron, Conn. In 1780, he was a substitute for a Mr. Post. He was present at the execution of Major André. They had:
- i. HARRIET WENTWORTH,<sup>7</sup> b. Sept. 26, 1792; m. July 7, 1836, Amos Graves; d. March 20, 1865; no children.
22. ii. WILLIAM CLOUGH, b. Jan. 19, 1795.
- iii. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 15, 1797; m. June 16, 1817, Samuel Olmsted Cogswell; d. Jan. 18, 1845, and had: Polly Ann, b. Oct. 18, 1818, d. Oct. 7, 1856; Samuel B., b. Sept. 17, 1820, d. in U. S. Army 1863; Henry M., b. Sept. 2, 1824, d. May 19, 1846; Jeseph Hubert, b. Sept. 2, 1828, was Lieut. Col. of 150th N. Y. Vol. Infantry; Charlotte M., b. April 23, 1833.
  - iv. AMY KENNEDY, b. Feb. 6, 1800; m. April 8, 1823, Isaac Moore; d. April 4, 1866, and had: Jacob, b. May 5, 1825, d. June 6, 1831; Amy, b. Jan. 14, 1827; Francis, b. Oct. 22, 1828, d. April 11, 1845; Isaac, b. Oct. 10, 1831; Mary, b. May 20, 1833; Jacob, b. Dec. 28, 1835; Caleb, b. April 1, 1840. Caleb was Major of 8th N. Y. Vol. Cavalry, and d. Mch. 1869.
23. v. JOSEPH BAYARD, b. Jan. 11, 1802.
- vi. OLIVE GOODWIN, b. Feb. 4, 1804; d. Feb. 5, 1869.
24. vii. JAMES ORVILLE, b. Nov. 14, 1805.

- viii. CHARLOTTE MARIA, b. July 11, 1808; m. Feb. 3, 1836, Ezra Rosebrugh; d. June 20, 1885.
- ix. THEODORE EDWIN, b. Jan. 18, 1811; d. Feb. 4, 1811.
- x. CELESTIA ANGENETTE, b. March 7, 1812; m. March 12, 1849, Isaac Brewster; d. Oct. 13, 1855. She was principal of Clover Street Seminary at Rochester, N. Y., and a woman of considerable literary ability, having written "Bloss's Ancient History," a valuable text-book, also the "Heroines of the Crusades."
13. JAMES<sup>6</sup> BLOSS (*James,<sup>5</sup> James,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Edmund<sup>1</sup>*). born March 27, 1764; died at Alford Mass., March 26, 1812; married, July 27, 1797, Rowena, daughter of Amos Kellogg, who died Sept. 9, 1849, aged 75. She re-married, Sept. 23, 1814, Andrew Patterson. They had:
25. i. JAMES MARCUS,<sup>7</sup> b. May 22, 1798; d. July 29, 1845.
  - ii. GROTIUS, b. April 16, 1800; d. April 5, 1833.
  - iii. ELIZA ROWENA, b. Sept. 3, 1803; m. ——— Kempshall; d. Dec. 21, 1854.
  - iv. ALEXANDER HAMILTON, b. June 18, 1807; d. June 13, 1830.
  - v. TIMOTHY KELLOGG, b. Dec. 17, 1809; d. March 25, 1871.
  - vi. CLARISSA EUPHELIA, b. June 14, 1812; m. at Kelloggsville, Ohio, Nov. 11, 1835, Heman Ticknor, and had: Harriet C., b. Jan. 16, 1837; Sidney, b. Aug. 31, 1838; Marcus H., b. July 19, 1842. She died at Williamsfield, Ohio, July 20, 1842.
14. ZADOC<sup>6</sup> BLOSS (*Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Edmund<sup>1</sup>*), born at Killingly, Conn., Oct. 24, 1758; died at Parishville, St. Lawrence Co., N. Y., March 25, 1844; married in 1782, Mehitable Conant, who was born Oct. 16, 1758, and died March 11, 1850. He lived at Irasburg, Vt., before moving to Parishville, N. Y. They had:
- i. ACHSAH,<sup>7</sup> b. Feb. 1783; m. 1805 Samuel<sup>7</sup> Bloss; d. Aug. 24, 1818.
  26. ii. ORRA CONANT, b. Jan. 15, 1786.
  - iii. MARY, b. Aug. 4, 1789; living 1887, in Canada.
  - iv. SALLY, b. July 1, 1793; d. May 3, 1884.
15. WALTER<sup>6</sup> BLOSS (*Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Edmund<sup>1</sup>*), born at Killingly, Conn., July 20, 1760; married ~~his~~ Wilder; lived at Dalton, N. H., and had:
- i. AARON.<sup>7</sup>
  - ii. CHESTER.
  27. iii. SAMUEL, b. Dec. 30, 1785.
  - iv. JOSIAH.
  - v. HANNAH.
  - vi. POLLY.
16. DORMAN<sup>6</sup> BLOSS (*Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Edmund<sup>1</sup>*), born at Killingly, Conn., January, 1771; married, first, in Oneida Co., N. Y., and had:
- i. PHEBE.<sup>7</sup>
  - ii. CHLOE.
  - iii. SILVARN.
  - iv. ROXEY.
  - v. REUBE.
  - vi. ALFORD, moved to Illinois.

By his second wife, Susanna Scott, widow of ——— Coates, he had:

28. vii. HIRAM, b. 1815.
  29. viii. ISAAC SCOTT, b. 1817.
  - ix. DORMAN, d. young.
  - x. LOUVISA, m. Harrison Kelly, of Owen Co., Ind.; moved to Emporia, Kansas, in 1884.
17. AARON<sup>6</sup> BLOSS (*Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Edmund<sup>1</sup>*), born May 29, 1772, at Killingly, Conn.; married Ruah Lousberry; died March 24, 1843, at Covington, Tioga Co., Pa. He moved from Oneida Co., N. Y., in 1801, to Pennsylvania, and in 1802 went into the wilderness, where he built the first house in what is now Blossburg, Pa. The town was named after him. He was a hardy, courageous and athletic man, composed of the material needed in making a successful pioneer. He turned his house into a hotel, which soon became famous amongst travellers between the north and west branches of the Susquehanna River. Upon his land was found bituminous coal, the first mine of which he opened. In many respects he was a remarkable man; shrewd in business, and possessing a fund of humor and a treasury of anecdotes, spiced with many drawn from his own experiences as a pioneer and hunter.

They had:

30. i. EVERETT W.,<sup>7</sup> b. Sept. 20, 1800; d. Sept. 29, 1882.
- ii. LLOYD; b. 1802; d. 1828; m. Huldah S. Harkness, and had two children, who died young.
- iii. ELIZA, b. 1805; m. Gilbert Grandy; d. 1824.
- iv. CAROLINE, b. July 24, 1818; d. Nov. 24, 1852; m. Oct. 1, 1834, Joseph Bennett, who died April 7, 1835, and had: Jane, b. July 2, 1835, who m. George McNeil. In 1838 she m. a second husband, James B. Husted, by whom she had five children.

Aaron and Ruah Bloss also had five other children that died young.

18. SAMUEL<sup>6</sup> BLOSS (*Francis,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> Richard,<sup>3</sup> Richard,<sup>2</sup> Edmund<sup>1</sup>*), born Jan. 30, 1769; married, Nov. 14, 1793, Deborah Allen; died Dec. 3, 1834. She died Jan. 18, 1856, aged 84. They had:
31. i. CHARLES A.,<sup>7</sup> b. Aug. 19, 1795; d. March 6, 1869.
  32. ii. RUSSEL BUSHROD, b. Sept. 7, 1796; d. Aug. 27, 1862.
  - iii. RUTH M., b. July 15, 1798; m. Reuben Mitchel.
  - iv. POLLY ALTHEA, b. July 8, 1801; m. Gideon Allen; d. Nov. 19, 1879. They had: William H., who m. Lavinia A. Moss; Ruth M., who m. Carr Watson; and Catherine, who m. James Kelly.
  - v. DOTHA DEBORAH, b. Aug. 7, 1803; m. Leman Bishop, and had: William; Edward N., who m. Harriet Minor; and Eliza, who m. Harmon W. Judson.
  - vi. ESTHER CATHERINE, b. Jan. 29, 1806; m. Josiah G. Minor. No children.
  33. vii. GEORGE THOMPSON, b. March 20, 1808; d. Jan. 11, 1849.
  - viii. LUCY LEMIRA, b. May 20, 1810; m. 1st, Samuel F. Peck, and 2d, James B. Shedmore.
  - ix. SUSAN E., b. Nov. 16, 1815; m. Nathan Pierce, and had: Susan; Lucy; George; Francis Fox; Mary.

19. THOMPSON<sup>6</sup> BLOIS (*Francis*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born June 16, 1776; died Dec. 17, 1809; married Feb. 14, 1808, at Plymouth, Conn., Rhoda, daughter of Zacheus Howe. She was born March 1, 1781; died June 12, 1864. He was a lawyer, and lived at New Haven, Conn. His parents spelled their name *Bloss*, but he, satisfied that the correct spelling was "Blois," changed it. They had:
34. i. JOHN THOMPSON,<sup>7</sup> b. Sept. 22, 1809.
20. RICHARD<sup>7</sup> BLOSS (*Reuben*,<sup>6</sup> *Richard*,<sup>5</sup> *Richard*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born April 13, 1789; married at Royalton, Vt., Jan. 23, 1824, Gratia Parkhurst; moved to Troy, N. Y., in 1840, and died Sept. 13, 1863. He was a physician. They had:
35. i. JABEZ PARKHURST,<sup>8</sup> b. Jan. 15, 1827.  
 36. ii. RICHARD DANA, b. March 25, 1832.  
 iii. REUBEN, b. June 4, 1835; d. Aug. 6, 1872.
21. REUBEN<sup>7</sup> BLOSS (*Reuben*,<sup>6</sup> *Richard*,<sup>5</sup> *Richard*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born 1804; married, 1827, Mary A. Billings, and died March, 1873, at Rochester, N. Y. They had:
- i. MARY J.,<sup>9</sup> m. Solomon G. Phillips.
22. WILLIAM CLOUGH<sup>7</sup> BLOSS (*Joseph*,<sup>6</sup> *James*,<sup>5</sup> *James*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born Jan. 19, 1795, at West Stockbridge, Mass.; married June 19, 1823, at Brighton, N. Y., Polly Bangs Blossom; died April 18, 1863, at Rochester, N. Y. He was a man of great strength of character, and for years previous to the civil war was prominent as one of the anti-slavery party, esteeming it no dishonor to be called a "black republican." He was also a person of deep religious convictions, and in his later years devoted himself to preaching to the prisoners in the jail at Rochester. For three terms, 1845, 1846 and 1847, he was a member of the Assembly of New York from Monroe Co. They had:
- i. HARRIET WENTWORTH,<sup>9</sup> b. June 22, 1824; d. Oct. 16, 1825.  
 ii. ELIZABETH HOUSE, b. June 24, 1826, at Brighton, N. Y.; m. Oct. 24, 1850, George C. Buell, and d. March 3, 1863. They had: Edward Norton, b. Sept. 20, 1851, d. May 28, 1870; Mary Blossom, b. June 9, 1853, m. William Holt Averill; Paul Clifford, b. Sept. 1857, d. young; George C., b. July 3, 1859; Elizabeth B., b. Feb. 19, 1863, d. Oct. 9, 1864.  
 iii. CAROLINE AUGUSTA, b. Sept. 6, 1828, at Brighton, N. Y.; m. at Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 20, 1849, Charles H. Webb. They had: William Watson, b. Sept. 16, 1850, m. June 25, 1879, Mary Henrietta Clark, daughter of Freeman Clark, of Rochester; Charles Howard, b. July 2, 1854, d. Oct. 23, 1859; Florence Elizabeth, b. June 3, 1856, d. Oct. 15, 1859; Amy Caroline, b. April 23, 1858, d. Oct. 24, 1859; Caroline Bloss, b. Feb. 1, 1872, d. Sept. 28, 1875.
37. iv. WILLIAM WIRT, b. March 25, 1831, at Rochester, N. Y.  
 38. v. HENRY CULVER, b. July 16, 1833, at Rochester, N. Y.  
 vi. JOSEPH BLOSSOM, b. Nov. 22, 1839, at Rochester, N. Y., where he now (1887) lives, unmarried.



23. JOSEPH BAYARD<sup>7</sup> BLOSS (*Joseph*,<sup>6</sup> *James*,<sup>5</sup> *James*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born at West Stockbridge, Mass., Jan. 11, 1802; married, April 2, 1828, Caroline A. Bush; died March 24, 1883, at Detroit, Mich. He was a strong temperance man. They had:
- i. CAROLINE LOUISE,<sup>8</sup> b. June 15, 1829.
  39. ii. JOHN BROWN, b. Dec. 1, 1830, at Rochester, N. Y.
  - iii. THEODORE EDWIN, b. March 3, 1833, at Rochester, N. Y.
  - iv. EDWIN CHARLES, b. Oct. 22, 1834, at York, Livingston Co., N. Y.
  - v. HARRIET, b. 1837; d. 1839.
  - vi. CAROLINE FRANCIS, b. Aug. 1839; m. at Detroit, Mich., W. H. McCourtie, of Kalamazoo, Mich.
24. JAMES ORVILLE<sup>7</sup> BLOSS (*Joseph*,<sup>6</sup> *James*,<sup>5</sup> *James*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>) born at Alford, Mass., Nov. 14, 1805; married at Brighton, N. Y., Nov. 11, 1834, Eliza Ann, daughter of Roswell Lockwood; d. Dec. 4, 1869. They had:
- i. SARAH LOUISE,<sup>8</sup> b. Aug. 4, 1835, at Brighton, N. Y.; d. Nov. 22, 1853.
  - ii. HENRY LOCKWOOD, b. Nov. 23, 1836, at Brighton, N. Y.; m. 1865, Annie Moore, of Philadelphia, Pa.; moved to Wheatland, Dakota; no children.
  - iii. CHARLOTTE SOPHIA, b. Sept. 16, 1838, at Massilon, Ohio; m. March 25, 1869, at Rochester, N. Y., Rev. James A. Daly, and had: Grace Bloss, b. Oct. 25, 1869; Merwin Taylor, b. Oct. 6, 1871; Warren Cox, b. July 19, 1874.
  - iv. JAMES ORVILLE, b. June 19, 1840; d. Nov. 23, 1847.
  - v. CHARLES FINNEY, b. Jan. 9, 1842; d. young.
  - vi. JOHN JAY, b. Oct. 11, 1843, at Brighton, N. Y. He was a quarter-master serg't in the 8th N. Y. Vol. Cavalry, and was killed at the battle of Winchester, Va., Sept. 19, 1864.
  - vii. CELESTIA ANGENETTE, b. Sept. 1, 1845, at Brighton, N. Y.; m. Feb. 2, 1875, Louis P. Gage, of Painesville, Ohio; no children.
  - viii. JAMES ORVILLE, b. Sept. 30, 1847, at Rochester, N. Y.; now (1887) living in New York city.
  - ix. HARRIET ELIZA, b. Dec. 28, 1849, at Rochester, N. Y.
25. JAMES MARCUS<sup>7</sup> BLOSS (*James*,<sup>6</sup> *James*,<sup>5</sup> *James*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born May 22, 1798; died July 29, 1845; married, June 23, 1832, at Kelloggsville, Ohio, Mrs. Louisa Kellogg McClung, who was born Jan. 22, 1808, and died Oct 26, 1869. They had:
- i. ROWENA,<sup>8</sup> b. June 24, 1833, at Kelloggsville, O.; m. Nov. 7, 1867, Henry W. Hickox, and now (1887) living at Aurora, Hamilton Co., Neb.
  - ii. PAULINA, b. Dec. 17, 1835; m. Nov. 16, 1854, Edward P. Baker, and had: Lucius Kellogg, b. Aug. 16, 1855; Edward Bloss, b. Jan. 22, 1865.
  40. iii. JAMES GROTIUS, b. April 6, 1838.
  - iv. CLARISSA, b. May 17, 1840; d. March 11, 1860.
  - v. HAMILTON, b. May 5, 1843; d. July 7, 1843.
  - vi. MARCUS GREENLEAF, b. Dec. 4, 1845; d. Feb. 22, 1865.
26. ORRA CONANT<sup>7</sup> BLOSS (*Zadoc*,<sup>6</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born at Lebanon, N. H., Jan. 15, 1786; died Sept. 12, 1869, at Branch Hill, O.; married, at Lunenburg, Vt., Dec. 25, 1814, Mary Davis, who was born at Chesterfield, N. H., April 14, 1794; died at Walnut Hill, O., Dec. 9, 1885. They had:
- i. LAURA PLATINA,<sup>8</sup> b. at Irasburg, Vt.; m. at Oswego, N. Y., Bertram Rounds, and had five children; d. 1878.

- ii. LUTHERA THERESA, b. at Brownington, Vt., 1822; m. 1st, at Syracuse, N. Y., Charles J. S. Lawrence, and had: Kate A., who m. James Marshall Lathrop, in Goshen, N. Y., June 22, 1874, d. July 17, 1882; Herbert Eugene, who m. Louise Rounds; m. 2d, Dr. Roswell Roderick Chapin.
41. iii. GEORGE MINOR DAVIS, b. May 2, 1827.
27. SAMUEL<sup>7</sup> BLOSS (*Walter*,<sup>6</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born Dec. 30, 1785; died Jan. 2, 1876; married, 1805, at Plainfield, N. H., his cousin Achsah Bloss, who died Aug. 24, 1818. He moved from New Hampshire to Vermont in 1812, and thence to Canada in 1814 or 1815, and thence to Parishville, St. Lawrence Co., N. Y., where he died. They had:
42. i. ELVIN WINTER,<sup>8</sup> b. Sept. 30, 1806.  
 ii. WALTER WILDER, b. Nov. 29, 1808; d. 1882.  
 iii. ZADOC G., b. Feb. 19, 1810; living (1887) at Oswego, N. Y.  
 iv. HARRIET M., b. Jan. 27, 1812; living (1887) at Irasburg, Vt.  
 v. CLISTA M., b. Oct. 25, 1813; d. March 2, 1819.  
 vi. LEONARD B., b. Nov. 9, 1815; d. Oct. 1885.
- After the death of his first wife, he married, in 1820, Polly Jones, and had:
- vii. ACHSAH, living (1887) at Parishville, N. Y.  
 viii. SAMUEL, d. 1865.  
 ix. CHESTER.  
 x. HANNAH, d. in infancy.  
 xi. GEORGE, living (1887) at Parishville, N. Y.  
 xii. HANNAH, living (1887) in Michigan.  
 xiii. ABBIE, living (1887) at Parishville, N. Y.  
 xiv. HARRISON, living (1887) at Parishville, N. Y.  
 xv. MILO, living (1887) at Parishville, N. Y.  
 xvi. MARTHA, living (1887) at Pierrepont, N. Y.
28. HIRAM<sup>7</sup> BLOSS (*Dorman*,<sup>6</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born 1815; m. 1838, Lucinda Sparks, and had:
- i. AMANDA,<sup>8</sup> m. Thomas Ryan.  
 ii. SUSANNAH, m. John Dixon.  
 iii. MARY, m. John White.  
 iv. SALESTINE.  
 v. NANCY.  
 vi. DORMAN.  
 vii. HIRAM.  
 viii. ISAAC.
29. ISAAC SCOTT<sup>7</sup> BLOSS (*Dorman*,<sup>6</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born 1817; married, March 21, 1838, Agnes McKnight, who died Sept. 22, 1862; and in Sept. 1866, he married Jane McKnight, a relative of his first wife.  
 By his wife Agnes, he had:
43. i. JOHN MCKNIGHT,<sup>8</sup> b. Jan. 21, 1839.  
 ii. ELIZABETH J., b. Jan. 23, 1842; d. April, 1863.  
 iii. MARGARET A., b. Oct. 31, 1844; m. 1870, Willis Tatlock.  
 By his second wife, he had:
- iv. SCHUYLER COLFAX.  
 v. SCOTT.  
 vi. MAY.  
 vii. HIRAM.  
 viii. ALVA.  
 ix. SUSANNA.

30. EVERETT WINTER<sup>7</sup> BLOSS (*Aaron*,<sup>6</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born Sept. 20, 1800; died Sept. 29, 1882; married, Jan. 20, 1825, at Covington, Pa., Lydia Walker, and had:
- i. JULIET E.,<sup>8</sup> b. May 24, 1826; m. Aug. 24, 1843, Joseph Husted, and had: Cornelia L., b. July 2, 1846; Wilmot D., b. April 15, 1856; Lyman S., b. July 7, 1858; Leila I., b. April 3, 1870.
  - ii. JOSEPHINE M., b. Jan. 27, 1828; m. Jan. 1854, William Slingerland.
  44. iii. RANDOLPH F., b. Sept. 6, 1830.
  45. iv. WARREN W., b. March 10, 1835.
  - v. CLARA A., b. April 8, 1844.
31. CHARLES A.<sup>7</sup> BLOSS (*Samuel*,<sup>6</sup> *Francis*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born Aug. 19, 1795; died March 6, 1869; m. Nancy Lambert, who was born July 29, 1799. In 1841, he was a member of the Conn. Legislature. They had:
46. i. SAMUEL LAMBERT,<sup>8</sup> b. July 1, 1820.
  - ii. NEHEMIAH L., b. Feb. 20, 1828. In 1881 he was a member of the Connecticut Legislature.
  47. iii. CHARLES, b. Dec. 27, 1829.
32. RUSSELL BUSHROD<sup>7</sup> BLOSS (*Samuel*,<sup>6</sup> *Francis*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born Sept. 7, 1796; died Aug. 27, 1862; m. Almira Morris, and had:
- i. JOSEPH S.,<sup>8</sup> d. Oct. 16, 1849.
33. GEORGE THOMPSON<sup>7</sup> BLOSS (*Samuel*,<sup>6</sup> *Francis*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>) born March 20, 1808; died Jan. 11, 1849; married, 1836, Emily Brown. In 1845, he was a member of the Connecticut Legislature. They had:
- i. SARAH JANE,<sup>8</sup> b. May 20, 1837; m. Henry Kelly.
  - ii. MARY, m. Charles M. Daniels.
  - iii. GEORGE, b. Nov. 1847; m. Ella Stone.
34. JOHN THOMPSON<sup>7</sup> BLOIS (*Thompson*,<sup>6</sup> *Francis*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born Sept. 22, 1809, at New Haven, Conn.; d. June 9, 1886, at Jonesville, Mich., where he married, May 4, 1845, Ormina M. Warriner, who died Dec. 1, 1872, aged 51.
- He lived in Connecticut, until 1833, and after residing for a short time in So. Carolina, Tennessee and Ohio, in 1836 moved to Michigan. He first located in Detroit, where for 3 years he taught in the Detroit Academy, moving in 1839 to Jonesville. In 1840, he was elected register of deeds, serving 2 years, and was circuit court commissioner for eight years, and was a justice of the peace for Fayette township for 21 years. In 1832, he entered the law office of George N. Briggs, of Lanesborough, Mass. From there he went to Lenox, Mass., continuing his law studies, and having as a fellow student the Hon. David Davis, of Illinois. In 1875, he was elected a member of the American Association of Science at Detroit.
- He was a man of great intelligence, unquestioned integrity, public spirited, and to an unusual degree enjoyed the confidence of the community. They had:

- i. ALMA M.,<sup>8</sup> b. July 26, 1847; d. April 2, 1850.
- ii. EDWIN THOMPSON, b. Feb. 12, 1851; m. Oct. 25, 1882, at Chillicothe, Mo., Florence V. Patterson. In 1872, moved to Chicago, where he now (1887) resides.
- iii. IDA HORTENSE, b. March 14, 1854.
- iv. WARREN S., b. July 30, 1862.
35. JABEZ PARKHURST<sup>8</sup> BLOSS (*Richard*,<sup>7</sup> *Reuben*,<sup>6</sup> *Richard*,<sup>5</sup> *Richard*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born at Royalton, Vt., Jan. 15, 1827; m. Jan. 6, 1856, at Troy, N. Y., Catherine Van Schaack. He is (1887) a physician, practising in Troy. They had:
- i. FREDERICK SELDEN,<sup>9</sup> b. Nov. 17, 1857.
- 48 ii. RICHARD PARKHURST, b. Oct. 11, 1859.
- iii. GRATIA LUCY, b. June 17, 1870.
36. RICHARD DANA<sup>8</sup> BLOSS (*Richard*,<sup>7</sup> *Reuben*,<sup>6</sup> *Richard*,<sup>5</sup> *Richard*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born at Royalton, Vt., March 25, 1832; married at Troy, N. Y., April 20, 1881, Ida Wylie. He was a Major in the 2nd N. Y. Vol. Infantry, in the War of the Rebellion; and is now (1887) a practising physician in Troy. They had:
- i. RICHARD H.,<sup>9</sup> b. Dec. 8, 1884.
37. WILLIAM WIRT<sup>8</sup> BLOSS (*William C.*,<sup>7</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>6</sup> *James*,<sup>5</sup> *James*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born at Rochester, N. Y., March 25, 1831; married, June 2, 1855, at Cincinnati, O., Louise Kate Skinner, of Marietta, Ohio. He was an anti-slavery newspaper editor, at Leavenworth, Kansas, at the time of the great conflict as to whether Kansas should be a free or a slave state; was, by reason of his position on this question, assaulted at his office at midnight, and for years was a sufferer from the wound he received. He was a Lieutenant in the 108th N. Y. Vol. Infantry, and was wounded at the battle of Antietam; resigned; went to Kansas; served as aid on Gen. Deitzler's staff, with the rank of Captain; and was brevetted Major of N. Y. Vols., at the close of the war, by Gov. Fenton. He now, 1887, resides in Chicago, Ill. They had:
- i. WILLIAM WIRT,<sup>9</sup> b. Oct. 7, 1856, at St. Louis, Mo.
- ii. HARRY HUBBLE, b. Jan. 10, 1860, at Rochester, N. Y.
- iii. VIOLET, b. June 11, 1869, at Marietta, O.
38. HENRY CULVER<sup>8</sup> BLOSS (*William C.*,<sup>7</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>6</sup> *James*,<sup>5</sup> *James*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born at Rochester, N. Y., July 16, 1833; m. Oct. 24, 1867, Sarah A. Mackie, of Wareham, Mass.; and now, 1887, residing in Titusville, Pa. They had:
- i. JOSEPH MACKIE,<sup>9</sup> b. Sept. 24, 1868, at Titusville, Pa.
- ii. EDWARD BUELL, b. Oct. 21, 1870, at Titusville, Pa.
- iii. ELINOR ELIZABETH, b. July 19, 1873; d. Feb. 12, 1877.
- iv. MARY FRANCES WENTWORTH, b. March 2, 1878.
39. JOHN BROWN<sup>8</sup> BLOSS (*Joseph B.*,<sup>7</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>6</sup> *James*,<sup>5</sup> *James*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born at Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 1, 1830; married, at Washington, D. C., Oct. 12, 1858, Sarah R., daughter of

John M. and Amanda E. (Betts) Gilbert; now, 1887, living in Washington. They had:

- i. CAROLINE AMANDA,<sup>9</sup> b. June 29, 1860; m. ——— Fristoe.
- ii. AMY, b. Oct. 3, 1863; d. April 7, 1864.
- iii. JOHN GILBERT, b. Aug. 9, 1865; d. Aug. 15, 1866.
- iv. JOSEPH BAYARD, b. Oct. 3, 1867.
- v. MARY, b. March 31, 1872; d. Jan. 3, 1875.
- vi. GILBERT, b. Dec. 18, 1873.

40. JAMES GROTIUS<sup>8</sup> BLOSS (*James M.*,<sup>7</sup> *James*,<sup>6</sup> *James*,<sup>5</sup> *James*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born at Kelloggsville, O., April 6, 1838; married, Aug. 25, 1864, Catherine Rector; now, 1887, living in Chicago. They had:

- i. SIDNEY McCLUNG,<sup>9</sup> b. April 17, 1866.
- ii. JAMES IMHOFF, b. March 27, 1869.
- iii. ROWENA M., b. Jan. 6, 1871.
- iv. ROY S., b. Jan. 28, 1875.
- v. FRED ADAMS, b. May 28, 1881.

41. GEORGE MINOR DAVIS<sup>8</sup> BLOSS (*Orra C.*,<sup>7</sup> *Zadoc*,<sup>6</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born at Derby, Vt., May 2, 1827; married, at Cincinnati, O., May 2, 1855, Elizabeth McCormick; and died at Branch Hill, O., May 26, 1876. He was for 25 years editor of the Cincinnati Enquirer, and a Democrat of the most ultra type, his sympathies during the War of the Rebellion being with the South. They had:

- 49 i. GEORGE CLIFFORD,<sup>9</sup> b. May 27, 1855.
- ii. ORRA CONANT, b. May 21, 1859.
- iii. BERTRAM ROUNDS, b. Sept. 30, 1866.
- iv. ALICE KEY PENDLETON, b. Sept. 30, 1871; d. Nov. 26, 1879.

42. EVLIN WINTER<sup>8</sup> BLOSS (*Samuel*,<sup>7</sup> *Walter*,<sup>6</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born at Plainfield, N. H., Sept. 30, 1806; married, Jan. 8, 1840, Mercy A. Russell, at Parishville, N. Y., where they now (1887) reside. They had:

- i. ALBRO E.,<sup>9</sup> b. Sept. 17, 1845; m. 1873, Mary Hatch.
- ii. ORRA E., b. March 8, 1852; m. 1876, Mary Johnson.
- iii. IDA A., b. Nov. 1, 1854.

43. JOHN MCKNIGHT<sup>8</sup> BLOSS (*Isaac S.*,<sup>7</sup> *Dorman*,<sup>6</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born Jan. 21, 1839; married, Sept. 7, 1865, Emma L. McPhiters, of Livonia, Ind. He is (1887) living in Munice, Ind., where he is Supt. of Public Schools. He was in the Army of the Potomac until 1863, and was sent with his regiment to New York city during the riots of August, 1863; later was transferred, with Gen. Hooker's Army Corps, to the west, from whence he went with Gen. Sherman on his "march to the sea."

They had:

- i. NANNIE,<sup>9</sup> b. Oct. 15, 1866.
- ii. WILLIAM H., b. April 4, 1869.

44. RANDOLPH F.<sup>8</sup> BLOSS (*Everett W.*,<sup>7</sup> *Aaron*,<sup>6</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born at Blossburg, Pa., Sept. 6, 1830; married, April 19, 1855, Mary Ferriter, and had :
- i. EDIE,<sup>9</sup> b. April 5, 1861; m. July 21, 1879, Judson D. Burr, and had Hermon, b. July 25, 1881.
  - ii. MYRTIE, b. April 5, 1867.
45. WARREN W.<sup>8</sup> BLOSS (*Everett W.*,<sup>7</sup> *Aaron*,<sup>6</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born at Blossburg, Pa., March 10, 1835; married, Jan. 1, 1857, Mary Ett. Doud, and had :
- i. WILLARD W.,<sup>9</sup> b. March 8, 1858; d. June 18, 1864.
  - ii. ALVAH LAFAYETTE, b. July 19, 1859.
46. SAMUEL LAMBERT<sup>8</sup> BLOSS (*Charles A.*,<sup>7</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>6</sup> *Francis*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born July 1, 1820; married, 1843, Mary J. Pierce. He now (1887) occupies the original place where Francis<sup>5</sup> first settled when he moved to Woodbury, Conn., from Killingly. He was a member of the Connecticut House in 1660, and of the Senate in 1875. They had :
- i. SARAH L.,<sup>9</sup> b. Feb. 14, 1844; m. Hiram Atwood.
  - ii. KATE P., b. Oct. 2, 1845; m. Frank P. Hayes.
  - iii. MARY E., b. Jan. 27, 1848; d. June 20, 1849.
  - iv. AMANDA H., b. Dec. 23, 1852; m. Amos C. Lake.
  - v. GEORGE F., b. June 4, 1854.
  - vi. FRANCIS S., b. Jan. 20, 1856; d. Dec. 21, 1856.
  - vii. J. MINNEHAHA, b. Sept. 1, 1857.
- On March 21, 1861, his wife Mary J. died, and in 1863 he married Mary Tyler.
47. CHARLES<sup>8</sup> BLOSS (*Charles A.*,<sup>7</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>6</sup> *Francis*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born Dec. 29, 1829; married, May 19, 1852, Fanny Hurd. They had :
- i. WALTER,<sup>9</sup> b. Dec. 29, 1853; d. Sept. 30, 1883.
  - ii. NATHAN H., b. Feb. 2, 1858.
  - iii. DOR A., b. Feb. 19, 1865.
48. RICHARD PARKHURST<sup>9</sup> BLOSS (*Jabez P.*,<sup>8</sup> *Richard*,<sup>7</sup> *Reuben*,<sup>6</sup> *Richard*,<sup>5</sup> *Richard*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born at Troy, N. Y., Oct. 11, 1859; married, Aug. 30, 1882, Elizabeth Peard, of Troy. They had :
- i. RICHARD PEARD,<sup>10</sup> b. April 19, 1884.
49. GEORGE CLIFFORD<sup>9</sup> BLOSS (*George, M.D.*,<sup>8</sup> *Orra C.*,<sup>7</sup> *Zadoc*,<sup>6</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>5</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>), born at Cincinnati, Ohio, May 27, 1855; married, at Cincinnati, Dec. 21, 1881, Dorothea Agnes Devlin, where he now (1887) resides. They had :
- i. BERTHA AGNES,<sup>10</sup> b. Sept. 26, 1882.
  - ii. CLIFFORD LAWRENCE, b. July 19, 1886.

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ERRATA.—In "7. RICHARD<sup>5</sup> BLOSS," page 6, the name of wife's family is Barrit, not Barret.

In "24. JAMES ORVILLE<sup>7</sup> BLOSS," page 11. iii. CHARLOTTE SOPHIA m. March 25, 1868, instead of 1869.

In "42. EVLIN WINTER<sup>8</sup> BLOSS," page 15, the name is ELVIN.

In "46. SAMUEL LAMBERT<sup>8</sup> BLOSS," page 16, he was member of Connecticut House in 1860, instead 1660









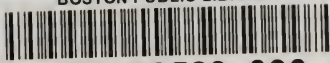








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