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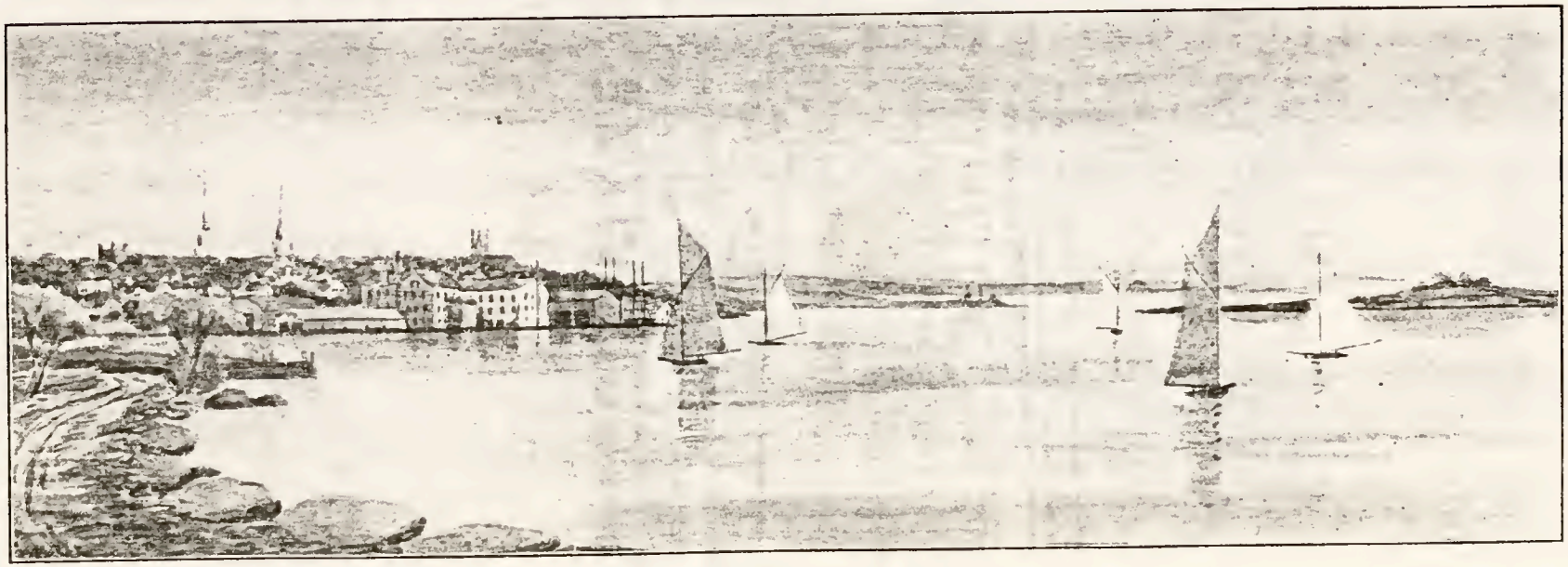

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TO

MY PARENTS

JAMES DE WOLF PERRY

WHO WITH SPOTLESS REPUTATION MAINTAINED THE HONOUR OF HIS NAME;

AND

JULIA SOPHIA JONES PERRY

WHO, BY PRECEPT AND EXAMPLE, WITH UNTIRING AFFECTION, TAUGHT HER CHILDREN TO EMULATE ALL THAT WAS BEST IN THEIR ANCESTORS, THE FOLLOWING PAGES ARE DEDICATED WITH GRATEFUL AFFECTION

J. DE W. A.

"We ought to keep the Dead
before our eyes, and honour them
as if they were still living"

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PREFACE

A VOLUME could easily be written on the history of the several branches of the de Wolf family in Europe; but, according to the plan outlined by the author of the present genealogy, the writer will confine himself, in this preface, to the origin of the name and the relationships in Belgium, Holland, Germany and the Russian Baltic Provinces.

It must certainly be a matter for satisfaction for the numerous representatives of the de Wolf name and blood in America, to know that there are few families in the United States, and indeed in Europe, which hold such a distinguished position, in so many different countries as the de Wolfs. This statement may, at first sight, seem exaggerated, until it has been explained that not only do the de Wolfs belong to the oldest aristocracy of Flanders, Saxony and Livonia, but that in the present generation, as in the past, the representatives of the family in these countries have now an enviable name for themselves in public life, in the domain of literature and science.

During the course of my travels, and almost life-long residence on the Continent, more especially in Belgium, it has been my good fortune to become personally acquainted with leading members of the de Wolf family, among them being Baron Ariste de Wolff, of Riga, Livonia, now in the Russian diplomatic service; and Baron Louis de Wolf de Moorsell, of the Château de Trevierès, Braegnies in the Province of Hainaut, a well-known member of the Belgian aristocracy. Baron Louis de Wolf's ancestor, Maximilian de Wolf, son of Frederick de Wolf, a Baron of the Holy Roman Empire, had lands conferred upon him by the Emperor Charles the Fifth, and took up his residence in the neighborhood of Ghent in 1535. He was created a

baron in the following year. Several of Maximilian de Wolf's descendants held appointments in the French army and diplomatic service. Baron Charles de Wolf, Maximilian's eldest son, joined the cause of the Belgian people in their revolt against Spain at the time of the revolution in the Lowlands, in 1579. Baron Joseph Henry de Wolf, a great grandson of Charles de Wolf, after the cession of the seven Belgian provinces to the Empire, took up his residence at Haarlem in Holland; his son, Joseph, Baron de Wolf, became an Admiral in the Dutch service, and Governor-General of the Dutch East Indies from 1751 to 1757.

The Barons de Wolf, of Belgium, are closely related to the best known families of the Kingdom, and have intermarried during the past three centuries with the scions of the oldest aristocracy. Among the more noteworthy of these relationships are those with the Dukes d'Ursel; the present head of this family, the Duc d'Ursel, is President of the Belgian Senate, and a warm personal friend of King Leopold; the Princes de Ligne, whose family seat, the Château de Beloeil, is one of the marvels of Belgium; and the writer's friend, the Vicomte de Spoelberch de Lovenjoul, of the Château de Lovenjoul, one of whose maternal ancestors was the Baroness Theodora de Wolf. The Vicomte de Spoelberch de Lovenjoul is one of the most eminent *littérateurs* of the day in Belgium; as the author of "*A History of the Works of Honoré de Balzac*," "*A History of Theophile Gautier's Works*," "*A Love Romance — the true story of Balzac and Madame Hauska*," and of several other works, crowned by the French Academy. The Vicomte de Lovenjoul's renown is not only not confined to his own country, but has crossed the Atlantic. The Vicomte's palatial residence in Brussels —with its library containing, besides all of the existing manuscripts of Balzac's novels, the unpublished correspondence of the great novelist with Madame Hauska — is perhaps the most unique sight in the Belgian capital.

The legend of the origin of the name of de Wolf is practically the same in every country. According to the family tradition in Belgium, Frederick de Wolf's first

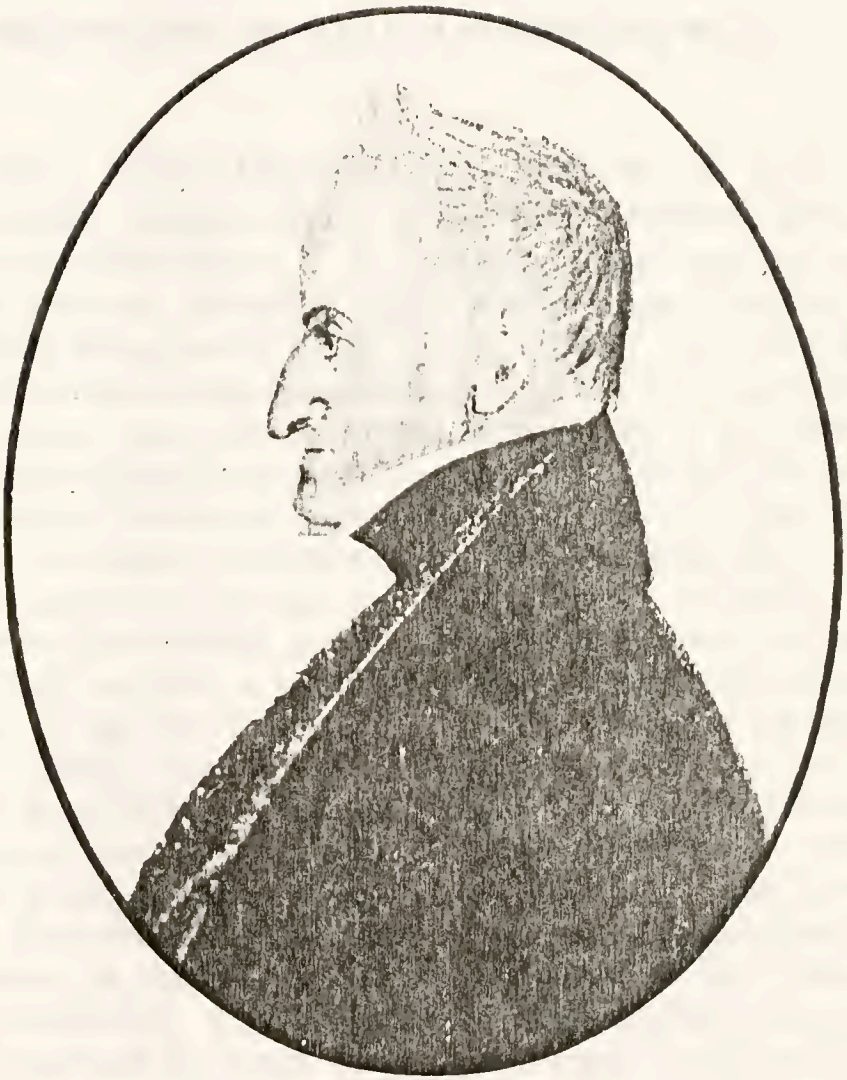
known ancestor, Louis de Saint-Etienne, of the French noble family of that name, was one of King Charles the Fifth's attendants on a hunting expedition. During the chase, a wolf cub crossed the King's path; Charles threw his lance at the cub, mortally wounding it, and breaking the weapon against a tree. An enormous she-wolf, seeing her offspring wounded, rushed from the forest upon the King, who had nothing but his hunting knife to defend himself with. Louis de Saint-Etienne rushed between the wolf and the King and despatched it with his sword, thus saving the King from the danger that threatened him. As a reward the King Knighted Louis, who, from this time, was called de Loup, and was the ancestor of the noble French family of that name. His grandson, Emile de Loup, accompanied the Princess Mathilda to Germany at the time of her marriage to the eldest son of Frederick, Elector and Duke of Saxony in 1423. Emile de Loup became a great favorite at the Saxon Court, and had the title of Baron conferred on him in 1427. He then changed his name from the French to the German, and was known afterwards as de Wolf. It was his direct descendant, Maximilian de Wolf, who founded the Belgian branch of the family. The ancestral seat of the de Wolfs in Saxony is the Castle of Crimmitzshaw. The arms of the family are: — Or, Three Wolves' heads, erased sable borne on the breast of an Imperial double-headed Eagle, sable-beaked, or, a Coronet of Baron of the Empire. Crest: Out of a Ducal Coronet, a Demi-Wolf, gules, holding in the dexter paw a fleur-de-lis, or. The motto: *Vincit qui Patitur.* He conquers who endures.

The title of Baron is borne to-day by the de Wolfs in Belgium, Holland, Saxony, Prussia and Livonia (Baltic Provinces of Russia). This in itself might be of small importance, for the number of *parvenus* with this or other titles of nobility is legion on the Continent. In the case of the de Wolfs the proof of their noble origin lies in the fact that the several branches of the family have borne coat-of arms for centuries. In the official *Archives Nobiliares of Belgium*, it is recorded that the de Wolfs have borne arms

since the beginning of the sixteenth century, in Flanders. It may, perhaps, be hardly necessary to state that it is the right to use armorial bearings which has always been the distinctive test of nobility. Coats-of-arms in the early dawn of feudalism were the mark of the French *gentilhomme* as of the English *gentleman*. Consequently, the de Wolfs have, in the broadest acceptation of the word, the right to "that grand old name of *gentleman*, defamed by every charlatan and soiled with all ignoble use." In this connection it is a most noteworthy fact that the European de Wolfs have always looked upon their long line of ancestry as being in itself far more honorable than a mere title. They have always, let it be noted, retained the distinctive family name of *de Wolf*, and have never, as is so often the case, particularly in Belgium, allowed their original family name to be replaced by that of their estates. This pride taken in their name rather than in the title, recalls the splendid old motto of the Rohans: *Roi ne puis, Monseigneur ne daigne, Monsieur sius.*—A King I cannot be, a nobleman I do not deign to be, a gentleman I am.

Concerning the origin of the de Wolf family in America, there can be but little doubt from the investigations the writer has made, that our first American ancestor was a scion of the Livonian branch, which is, itself, an offshoot of the Saxon branch. There is a well-established tradition in Baron Ariste de Wolff's family, that, in the early part of the seventeenth century, a younger son of the Baron de Wolff of that day, left Livonia to emigrate, presumably to America, and was never again heard from. The crest of the Livonian de Wolffs, it should be observed, in this connection, is the same as that of the American branch—to wit: Out of a Ducal Coronet, a Demi-Wolf, gules, holding in the dexter paw a fleur-de-lis, or.

The writer concludes this preface with a plea in favour of the original spelling of the name *de Wolf*. This is certainly the only logical manner of spelling the name; for those members of the family, at least, who bear the de Wolf coat-of-arms. In France and Belgium, only those families who have the particle "*de*" (in Germany "*von*"),



CAPTAIN MARK ANTHONY DE WOLF.

(1770)

Mark Anth.y DeWolf —

ANCESTOR OF ALL THE "RHODE ISLAND DE WOLFS,"

BORN NOV. 8, 1726; DIED NOV. 9, 1793.

CHAPTER I.

DESCENDANTS OF MARK ANTHONY DE WOLF.

IN Bristol, Rhode Island, at one time an old town of Plymouth Colony, stands a De Wolf Mansion, always spoken of as "The Mount." It fronts upon what is now called De Wolf Avenue. Behind it rises "Mount Hope," the seat of the famous Wampanoag Chief, "King Philip." All this was once part of the extensive possessions of the Hon. James De Wolf, "in his time the dominant personality of the town." The sun as it gilds the roof of the busy city of Fall River, and glances across the intervening waters of Mount Hope Bay illumines the eastern windows of the old home while its declining rays glimmer through the honey locusts, casting their shadows on the western porch. Then it sinks over the hills beyond Poppasquash, a peninsula where stands other stately mansions of the De Wolf family and the shores of which so encircle Bristol Harbor that its resemblance to the Bay of Naples has often been remarked; indeed those Italian waters are scarcely bluer than the beautiful Narragansett Bay. That fine old mansion, "The Mount," was for more than half a century the center of gatherings of successive generations of that branch of the family commonly known as the "Rhode Island De Wolfs." The walls of the long drawing-room are quaintly painted by hand, with scenes from "Paul and Virginia," interspersed with panels on which slaves are seen toiling in rows of coffee plants on Cuba Plantations belonging to members of the family. These latter well typify two chief sources of the princely fortunes of the De Wolfs of that day—the slave trade and the West Indian trade.

This house, colonial in style, is not earlier than the time of James De Wolf. His father Mark Anthony De Wolf, the first to settle in Bristol, the common ancestor of all the De Wolfs

of Rhode Island, lived in humbler homes both in Bristol and the neighboring township of Swansea. There is a much older house at the opposite end of the town, where the Town bridge spans a creek from which the old place takes the name "Silver-creek;" "Just North of the Town Bridge on the East side of the road stands," says Prof. Munroe in his *History of Bristol*, "the first house erected within the limits of Bristol." Built in 1680, the year the town was settled, by Deacon Nathaniel Bosworth, it had within its walls, in the southwest room, the parlor, the first gathering for religious worship held in Bristol. Notwithstanding many exciting scenes and dangers, Indian Wars, the Revolution, the "Dorr Rebellion," the Civil War, the great "September Gales" of 1815 and 1869, it has never failed to shelter descendants of its pious builder. Descending through Ruth Bosworth and her son Judge Benjamin Bourn, it was inherited by his granddaughter Julia Jones, the wife of James De Wolf Perry; their sons, the writer and his brothers, own the place at this day. These old places have so much in common, as will appear later in our narrative, that it seemed fitting that they should be mentioned together.

Charles De Wolf, father of that Mark Anthony who was first of the family to come to Bristol, was not, as has been frequently said, a Frenchman, but a good Connecticut Yankee. Born at Lyme, Conn., 1695, the starting point of many New England families of note, with the spirit of enterprise characteristic of the family he emigrated to Guadaloupe, an island of the French West Indies, as a young man, establishing himself as a millwright, one of many of his race to be connected with the building and ownership of mills. The interesting essay of Mr. John M. Dolph, read at the Dolph Reunion, Aug. 21, 1901, at Kinsman, O., says that Charles before leaving Connecticut, "carried on a business, trading with the West Indies and went to Guadaloupe to facilitate this trade." Whether he married before or after leaving the country, the writer has not been able to absolutely ascertain, but one of the oldest of his Rhode Island descendants is authority for the statement that his wife Margaret Potter was an English woman and a member of the Church of England, in which faith she brought up her children, two sons and two daughters. The oldest, Simon, returned to the home of his grandfather Charles in Middletown, Conn., as a boy. As he was born in 1718, he was only thirteen when

his grandfather died in 1731, his youngest uncle Joseph and himself were lads of about the same age.

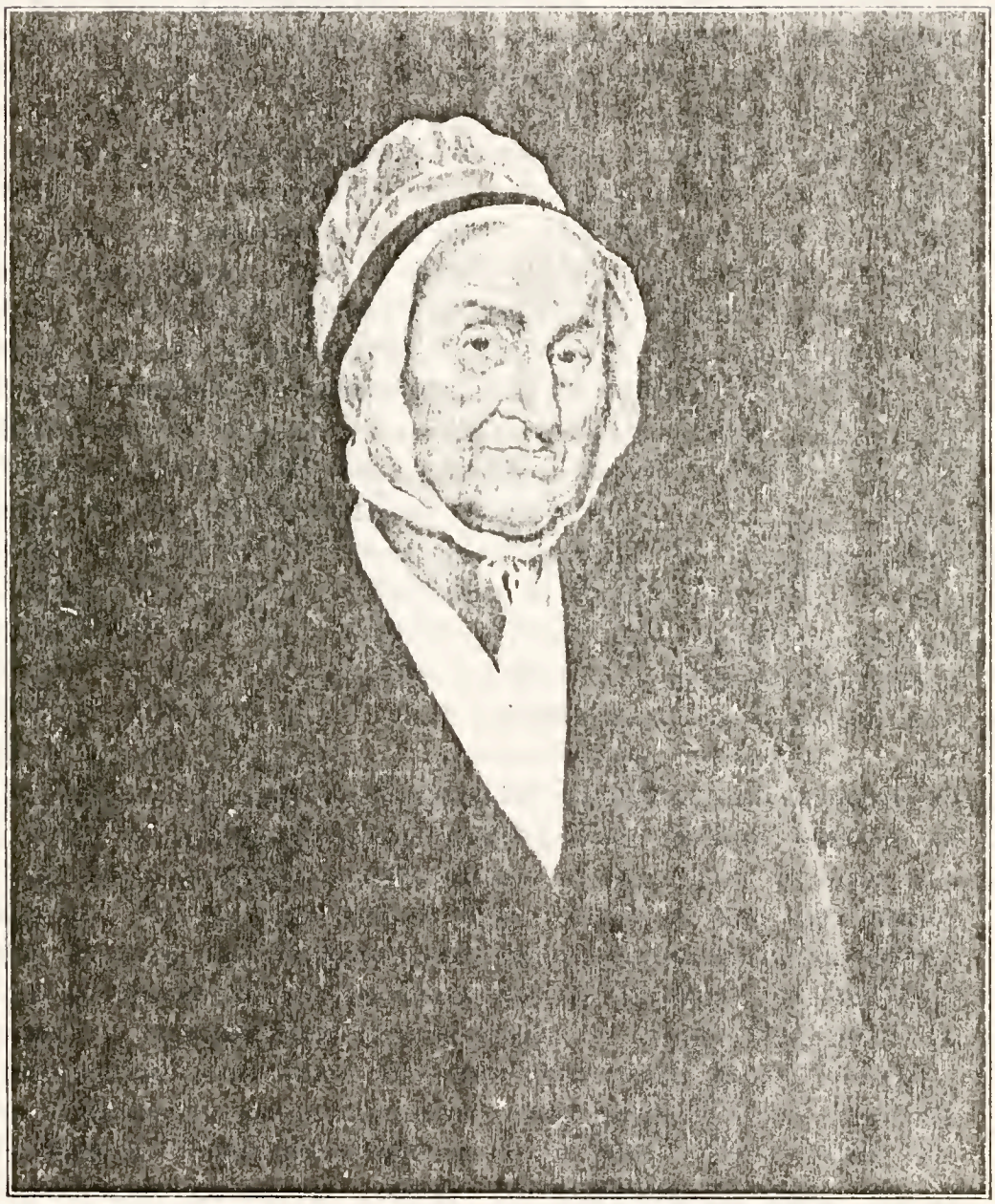
"April 3, 1731, Charles De Wolf (this was the father of Charles of Guadaloupe), of Lebanon, Conn., bought of Thomas White of Middletown, Conn., his dwelling house and about 19 acres of land on the east side of the Connecticut River in Middletown, now a part of the town of Portland. The town records give the death of Charles De Wolf as Dec. 5, 1731, at the age of 58. His will, dated Nov. 4, 1731, was presented to the Hartford Probate Court, Jan. 4, 1731–2. In the will he gave one-fourth of his personal estate absolutely, and the whole of his real estate to his wife Prudence during her widowhood; to his sons John and Stephen he gave 32 acres of land in Glastonbury, that which he purchased of Thomas and Sarah White; to his sons Simon and Joseph he gave after their mother's death or marriage, his house and lands in Middletown which he purchased of Thomas White; to his daughters Prudence and Elizabeth, Sarah and Rebekah, three-fourths of the movable estate after their mother's death or marriage; to his sons and daughters in equal share he gave the land given to him by his father in the town of Lyme, "that is if it should ever be recovered."

From the home of his father in Guadaloupe, the second son Mark Anthony was brought to Bristol, R. I., by Capt. Simeon Potter of that town. His visit to that island may have been merely in pursuit of trade. Possibly some tie of kindred may have existed between Margaret Potter, Mark Anthony De Wolf's mother, and the Potters of Bristol. Mark Anthony who had received his education in a French school and spoke several languages, became Capt. Potter's Secretary, in which capacity he sailed with him on a number of voyages.

Arriving in Bristol, Capt. Potter seems to have had some presentiment or design, in introducing his companion to his family. Mr. Charles De Wolf Brownell, himself now one of the oldest living De Wolfs, remembers hearing in early days from an aged member of the family, that "when 'Sim' Potter brought home his man Mark, as they entered the door his sister Abby put her arms across the passage, playfully blocking their entrance. 'Let us in,' cried her brother 'or you shan't have Mark.'" Whether as a part of a preconcerted, possibly cousinly, plan or not, Abigail Potter soon became the wife of Mark

Anthony De Wolf. The scene of this coquettish reception and subsequent courtship was the home of Hopestill Potter on the southeast corner of Hope and Church Streets where in 1720, his son Simeon was born and which was burned by the British in 1775.

How soon after his arrival in Bristol the nuptials took place it is impossible to say, for the date of the former does not seem known. As young De Wolf was only eighteen years old when, on the 25th of August, 1744, he became his friend's brother-in-law, the courtship was probably brief. Certainly brief was the honeymoon. In less than four months from his wedding day he was sailing out of Bristol Harbor with far other purposes than love making. Those were stiring times. War had been declared between Great Britain and France. Four months, less three days, from his marriage, Mark Antony, on the Privateer *Prince Charles* of Lorraine, commanded by his friend and brother-in-law Captain Sim Potter, was surprising the settlement of Oyapoc in French Guiana. The account of this remarkable naval engagement is preserved in a spirited letter of the Jesuit Father Fauque, translated and published by Bishop Kip. Invaluable to the Rhode Island De Wolf's would have been a description by this sprightly writer of their ancestor, Mark Anthony De Wolf. Bishop Kip simply tells us he was first officer of the vessel. William P. Sheffield of Newport, an acknowledged authority on the subject of Privateers, describes him more accurately as Capt. Potter's clerk. He may however, have been acting as second officer on this occasion. Of Captain Potter, Father Fauque tells more. As through his sister Abigail Potter, as much Potter as De Wolf blood flows through the veins of the Rhode Island De Wolfs, everything that throws light upon the Potter character, is interesting. Still more so, if, as we have suggested as possible, they have received a double portion of the same family traits through Margaret Potter, Mark Anthony's mother. And fiery, impetuous, adventurous, thrifty, often overbearing and impatient under contradiction, yet withal frank and in a way, generous that Potter character was. As revealed even by this writer smarting under defeat, and personal loss, "if the daring little captain," as Prof. Munro says: "does not present a very pleasing picture," yet neither does he appear without redeeming traits. Allowance must be made for a writer who speaks of "Rhodelan" (*i. e.* Rhode Island) as "a little Republic



ABIGAIL POTTER,

WIFE OF MARK ANTHONY DE WOLF (5). ANCESTOR OF ALL THE "RHODE ISLAND DE WOLFS."

BORN FEB. 2, 1726; DIED FEB. 7, 1809.

which had scarcely any intercourse with Europe, which did not pay any tribute to the King of England and had not even any silver money, but only notes for daily commerce" and who by these facts accounts for the crew in their pillage being "like a band of monkeys or of savages who had never been away from the depths of the forest." Yet his description of Capt. Potter the "Chief of the Corsairs," with "commission from William Gueene of Rhodelan" is not altogether to that officer's discredit. "He was a man small in stature, and not in any respect differing from the others in dress," writes the Priest. "He had his left arm in a sling, a sabre in his right hand and two pistols in his belt." He thought him "a young man about thirty years of age"—he was in fact only twenty-four. If the Sacred Vessels of the Church formed part of the booty yet "the Captain told me he would willingly give to me what he was able to return but that he had no control over the others; that all the crew having part of the booty, he was not able as Captain to dispose of any but his own share." In this Capt. Potter appears neither ungenerous nor unjust. If the roistering crew were "constantly drinking" the narrative adds, "I ought to say in commendation of the Captain that he was entirely sober." If "on Sunday morning" the Priest waited in vain "to see some religious service" the Captain took out a book of devotions (his Prayer Book), "and I noticed this day and the following Sunday he occasionally looked at it" and "he frequently expressed the pain he felt at the excesses of his crew to whom, according to the custom of these pirates, he was obliged to allow an abundance of liberty." He was the only one wounded on either side. Thus we see him democratic in dress and in relation to his subordinates, not shrinking from personal danger but foremost in the fight, not without generous impulses, and in the midst of rough life and rude companions, preserving religious habits and moral conduct, and withal giving the impression as he presided over his ship of a man six years older than he really was. Hot blooded, imperious and "proud as Lucifer" he undoubtedly was. When later galled by the condescending encomiums of officers of His Majesty's Navy, visiting the *Prince Charles*, he replied to their suggestion of applying for a commission and obtaining a larger and better ship—"When I wish for a better ship I will not ask His Majesty for one; I will build one myself."

At times Capt. Potter was as fierce as he was intrepid and always impatient of contradiction even to knocking down his Rector, apparently as imperious as himself. For this "knock-down argument" he was fined £500. Neither of the hot blooded antagonists seemed to have harbored resentment. Capt. Potter continued to be a Vestryman of St. Michael's Church, and under Puritan oppression a valient defender of the English Church to which he was devotedly attached, enriching the Parish with many valuable gifts. He was also to the end of his life, a warm friend of his old antagonist's son and successor, Rev. John Usher, Jr. The hot blood did not cool with age. When about the time Bristol became part of Rhode Island (1646–47) he retired from active business to the enjoyment of no inconsiderable fortune for those days, he abandoned battling with armed foe and stormy winds only to continue to the end of his long life of 86 years, closing Feb. 20, 1806, "rarely without some law suit or personal quarrel on hands." Hot tempered and easily offended yet he was certainly enterprising and most successful in money making. "Make money! Make money!" he replied to a less successful nephew inquiring for advice, "I would plough the ocean into oat porridge to make money." His sword did not rust after his retirement, nor his adventuresome spirit forsake him. In 1773 we find him commanding the Bristol contingent to the "fleet" of nine long boats commanded and in great measure provided by Capt. John Brown of Providence, engaged in capture and burning of the *Gaspée*. The testimony of one of the crew of that ill-fated ship as to Capt. Potter's stature differs from that of the Jesuit. "Tall and slim" the sailor describes him, "with a long nose, in light colored long clothes, his hair tied behind, looking more like a shore-man than a sea-man." Shore-men or seamen, the plucky party of Yankees under leaders like Brown and Potter, in the words of the popular ballad attributed to Capt. Swan of Bristol.

> "Set the men upon the land
> And burnt her up we understand."

Thus shedding the first British Blood in the American Revolution. A year later, having been for several years a member of the Assembly, he was chosen to fill the newly created office of Major General of the Rhode Island forces, and the following

year, 1775, during the Bombardment of Bristol by Capt. Sir James Wallace, he went in the hottest fire to the head of the wharf, hailed the British ship *Rose* and arranged to treat with the enemy. Thus could he face an enemy as bravely at fifty as he had at twenty-four, throwing himself with enthusiasm into his country's struggle and so justifying his quaint doggerel still preserved in his handwriting by his descendants:

"I love with all my heart
The independent part
To obey the parliament
My conscience won't consent.
I never can abide
To fight on England's side.
I pray that God may bless
That great and grand Congress."

Although young De Wolf became thus bound by double bands of kinship and comradeship to the wealthy ship owner of Bristol, he never seems himself to have attained any considerable fortune. Mrs. Middleton, a great-grand-daughter of his still living in one of the fine old De Wolf mansions, that of his son William, preserves the tradition however, that he was at least in more than comfortable circumstances when in 1778 his was among the nineteen dwelling houses burned by the British. It was situated on the South corner of Burton Street and Main Street, having been built by Stephen Burton, one of the four proprietors. Impoverished by his loss, Mr. De Wolf moved his family to a safer distance from the defenceless coast, and on a farm in Swanzea, with the courage under reverses that has characterized many of the family began industriously to repair his losses. It was of this time of struggle that in after days, when the great fortunes of his sons had rendered them famous, Mrs. Peck, mother of Mr. Viets Peck, used to tell of the stitches her mother would take in the gaping brim of his straw hat when he came down to Bristol to sell the berries gathered on his farm. Less kindly did his boys seem to take to farming. Several of them who had been sweating in the corn rows one summer day flung down their hoes declaring they would no longer hoe corn when they knew they could get places on their Uncle Sim Potter's privateer about to sail from Providence. So off they trudged upon the road to that city. As after their long dusty walk they emerged from

Seekonk Woods near the "old Red Bridge," James, the youngest but one of the party, becoming conscious of the dilapidated condition of his hat, and with the vanity of a handsome lad less resigned than his father to his appearance, cried out, "Boys, I'm not going through Providence like this," and flung the brimless crown—or was it a crownless brim?—into the wayside bushes. Bareheaded he presented himself with his brothers to his no doubt astonished yet sympathetic, bluff old Uncle Sim Potter. They secured the coveted places in the ship and thus began that life of devotion to the sea, which the sea was soon so richly to repay. After their return from this voyage, the boys' wardrobe, scant enough no doubt on the start, had not been improved. In reply to a remark of some one that William had barely enough clothes to decently cover him, "Never mind," said the stout old Captain, "the boy has come home covered with glory."

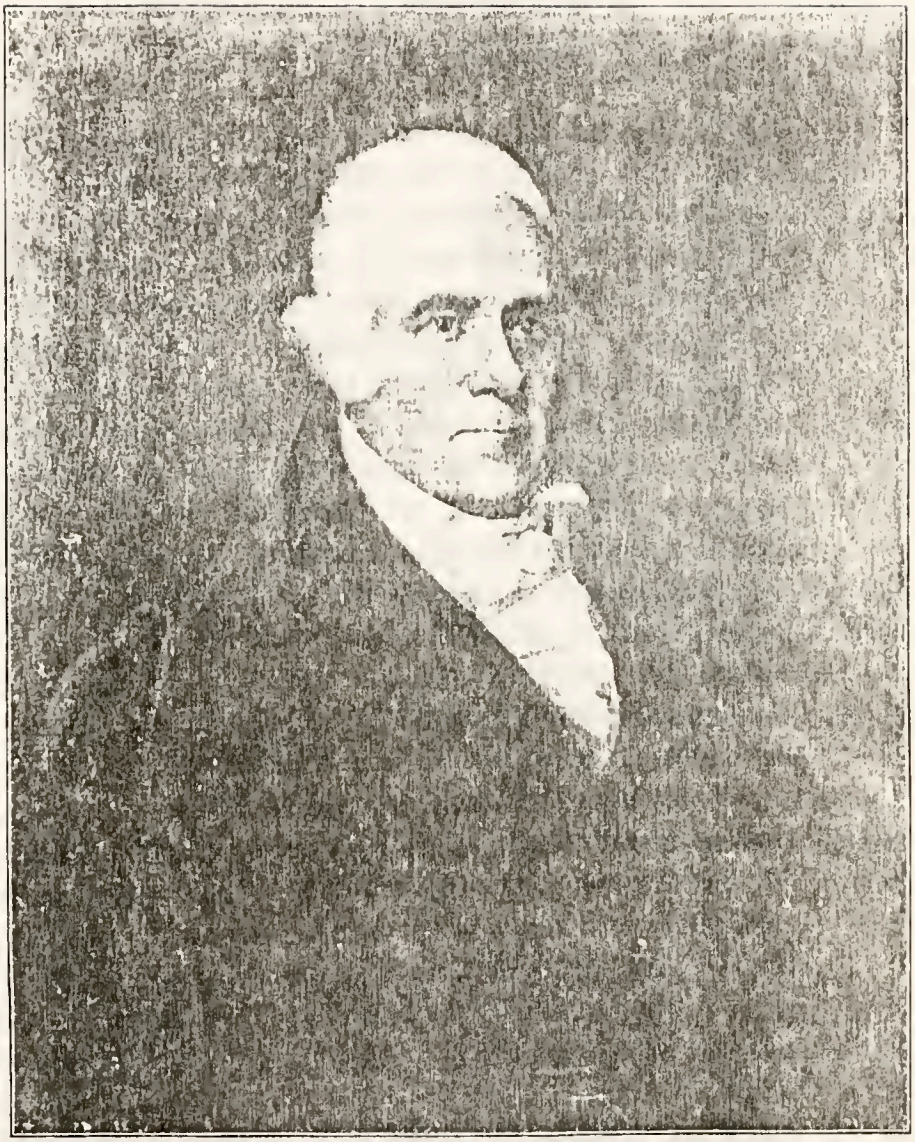
Years afterwards, when the boys had grown into famous men, as William and James De Wolf rode in their stately coaches respectively of blue and yellow, into Providence, James ordered his to a sudden halt. Putting his head out of the window and pointing to a dilapidated hat which by some strange accident had lodged just where he had thrown his own, many years before, he cried gaily, "Brother William, there's my old hat."

In later years Mark Anthony De Wolf lived again in Bristol. The following letter was written from that town but five years before his death. It is not the letter of a "rude or illiterate man," as he has by some been represented. If his early service on privateers caused some of the earlier biographical sketches of the De Wolfs to describe them as a "race of pirates," this letter of his old age is that of a serious, God-fearing man, whose counsels may well be commended to his many descendants:

BRISTOL, March 24th, 1788.

"SON LEVI:

These will be handed you by your brother William, which I hope will find you in good health as they leave us at present, through the blessing of God. Yr brother James has purchased a schooner about 40 tons, and is gone upon the ways, the old shop is sold to your uncle Potter for 600 dollars. I likewise inform you of the death of Mrs. Potter, who left this world the 14th of this month. I hope you are not forgetfull of your own latter end, as Death pays no regard to age nor sex, therefore our great concern is to get



HON. JAMES DE WOLF (25),

BRISTOL, R. I.

BORN MARCH 18, 1764; DIED DEC. 21, 1837.

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ready against that hour, and place our trust and reliance on Christ, the Saviour of man. I should be glad to hear from you, times here are just as they were when you left us. I hope your dear brother John has enjoyed his health in the voyage, to whom send my kind love. Remember my respects to Mr. Gorham. Yr mother sends you a small Chief, and remembers her love to both of you.

I remain your father and well wisher,

MARK ANTHONY D'WOLF."

The romantic incidents of the youth of James De Wolf were well worth a complete record did the limit of this work permit. He was twice captured by the British, many weeks a prisoner in the Bermudas. He could have been a lad of not more than fourteen or fifteen when he trudged hatless through Providence. In ten years he had amassed a fortune sufficient to retire upon, and live at ease. But to the day of his death, at the age of seventy-three, Capt. De Wolf was never inactive. When the war clouds of 1812 gathered, in opposition to the general sentiment of New England, he was a vigorous supporter of the war-measures. Undoubtedly the shipping interests in Bristol had its influence in directing his sympathies, as it did with the merchants of Salem and Boston, of Baltimore, Norfolk and Charleston. Yet we cannot believe the bitter taunt of John Randolph of Roanoke, that the resentment of that period against Great Britain was the "mere effusion of mercantile cupidity." Unlike their brother William, who was a staunch Federalist, Charles and James De Wolf were of the Jeffersonian party, then called Republican, the sympathies of which were with the French rather than with the English. Some French influences and traditional sympathy from residence in Guadaloupe may have made this leaning to the French side of the disputes more natural, although their father on arrival from his French home had quickly espoused England's quarrel against France. But what was likely to have had a stronger influence in his enthusiastic support of the anti-British party, is the fact that Capt. De Wolf's boyhood had been spent in the stirring times of the Revolution, and all his life had been passed in intimate companionship with the "old survivors" of that birth struggle of the nation. Gov. Bradford, his father-in-law, had been dead but four years, his uncle "Sim Potter" but six. Lafayette, while intrusted with the "defence of Warren, Bristol and the Eastern shore," and having head-

quarters at the house of Mr. Joseph Reynolds, now the home of his great-grandson, Judge John Reynolds, may have been a figure familiar to him in the streets of Bristol; indeed he may have seen Washington himself on the 13th of March, 1781, addressing the people of Bristol at the "Town bridge." Gen. Varnum, at "Silver Creek," (the home of the General's brother-in-law, Judge Bourn), may have told him anecdotes of Washington's camp; or Capt. Perry may heve entertained him with tales of sea fights of that infant navy to the fame of which his son Oliver was soon to add on Lake Erie. Indeed, the memory of days in gloomy British prison-ships must have deepened his resentment aroused by the recent losses of merchantmen from British warships. Mr. De Wolf therefore became not only an ardent advocate of his country's cause, but confident of her final success, not only influenced the banks in which he had controlling voice, to lend their funds, but advanced liberally from his private purse. He sent forth privateer after privateer to avenge alike his country's wrongs and his own losses. He accomplished both ends so effectually as to supply the strongest answer to John Randolph's scornful prophecy that England's merchantmen would not, as in the Revolution, "become the prey of paltry privateers." He soon had so far recouped himself, that he could with grim humor re-name the British ship *Shannon*, the *Balance*, and another privateer which soon followed her, the *Remittance*. Though none could surpass in speed the *McDonough*, none brought such rich returns as the *Yankee*. She netted a round million of dollars in prize money, a large part of which went to increase Capt. De Wolf's now rapidly accumulating wealth.

Only upon such services to his country, and such as we have seen his father rendered as a British subject against the French, could the accusation be founded that the "De Wolf's were pirates." It is hardly the part of patriotism to so name the owners and commanders of privateers when the great Senator from Massachusetts, Judge Hoar, has not hesitated to maintain on the floor of the United States Senate that "Our independence in the War of the Revolution had been won at sea. England could have continued for a hundred years if necessary the land-war of the Revolution, because she was able to pay the cost. It was not a French alliance, but the rate of maritime insurance which compelled the unwilling monarch to

come to peace. It was New England sailors and other sailors of the maritime states who won the battle. The rate of insurance on English commercial ships then was 28 per cent. in the Mediterranean. It was the ship owners of Bristol who won the battle by privateers, and not the navy."

Playing so prominent a part in the War of 1812 himself, it is not surprising that Capt. De Wolf conceived not only a great admiration but a warm affection for the "Hero of Lake Erie." He entertained him with lavish hospitality at The Mount, had a portrait of him painted and hung by the side of those of his own family and that of Bishop Griswold in the great hall of his home; advanced from his private purse the money to build and equip the sloop of war *Chippewa*, which Commodore Perry had been commissioned by the United States Government to have built at Warren; and when Raymond, the handsome younger brother of the Commodore, became a suitor for the hand of Marianne, the beautiful daughter of Captain De Wolf, consent to their marriage was readily given.

A letter of Raymond to his mother—that sprightly little Scotch-Irish mother of heroes, Sarah Wallace Alexander—the direct descendant of an uncle of the famous Scottish chieftain, Sir William Wallace—is worthy of a place as a sketch of life in Bristol and of De Wolf hospitality of that day. The letter is dated "Off Bristol Harbor 28th Nov."—no year being given. After speaking of a visit to Providence with his brother Alexander—James Alexander, whose figure is familiar to those who have seen the painting of the Battle of Lake Erie, in the Capitol at Washington—he attributes the attention he received to the gallantry of this younger brother, "everyone anxious to be introduced to the young hero of Erie." He then continues: "My father was on board this evening on his way to Newport, where he says it will be necessary to visit often. I cannot express how much my satisfaction is to see him so much pleased with his appointment" (Collector of Newport). "He is in excellent spirits; every one in Bristol seems anxious to serve him. The De Wolf's are wrapped up in his interests. The female part of the family talk much of the pleasure of your society as soon as you can join them. The house is a very good one and stands in the best part of the town." (a house on Church Street near High Street, into which Capt. C. R. Perry and his family moved about this time). "Mary Ann De Wolf is a

charming girl and I have reason to believe *very much my friend.*" (The italics his own). "We were to a pleasant ball two evenings since in honor of Oliver. The house was brilliantly illuminated and over the entrance was the appropriate motto 'Don't give up the ship.' I was received with more politeness than all my vanity could flatter me I deserved, but I was next brother to the greatest man in our country. . . . . I will write the girls if we do not get out [of the harbor] but this letter is for them too.

Your affect. son

Raymond,"

We have quoted this letter so literally as it not only foreshadows the marriage that united the Perrys and De Wolfs but betrays the charming pride of Lieut. Perry in his two brave brothers, the heroes of Lake Erie. "The girls" to whom he refers were of course his sisters: one of whom was afterwards Mrs. Commodore Rodgers of New London, the mother of Admiral C. R. P. Rodgers and other distinguished officers of the United States Navy; the other, Mrs. Jane Butler, the mother of General M. C. Butler, United States Senator, brave handsome O. N. Butler, and other brave soldiers of the Confederacy.

For almost thirty years Capt. De Wolf represented Bristol in the State Legislature: for two years he presided over the Lower House, then was elected to the United States Senate. Mr. De Wolf was an ardent protectionist and while in the Senate took, with Henry Clay and others, a prominent part in supporting the Tariff Bill of April, 1824, as appears from the speech of Senator Hayne in that famous debate. Although his business experience made him at once a recognized authority in commercial matters, the pressure of business at home and his dislike of Washington life caused him to resign before his term expired and he returned to his beloved "Mount," to his counting house on the wharf and to the increase of his fortune, although he remained in the Rhode Island Legislature until his death. That his wealth was largely made from trading in slaves cannot be denied, although he had built the Arkwright Mills, was enthusiastic in agriculture, and owned several plantations in Cuba. It must be remembered that the slave trade had only begun at that time to be condemned, and few took exception to it. Much of the wealth of Bristol was due to this

MARIANNE DE WOLF (82),
WIFE OF CAPT. RAYMOND H. J. PERRY, U. S. N.
BORN APRIL 14, 1795; DIED 1834.

traffic, and many of the people owed their employment to it. When laws were first enacted against it, they were regarded as acts of oppression, much as the repression of smuggling was viewed by the dwellers on the Cornish coast or the enforcement of the excise laws by the illicit distillers of the Tennessee Mountains. That this was the case is evident from an old yellowed document which now lies before the writer, casting such a weird, yet humorous side-light on the history of the day that it seems justifiable to give some of the details of the affair.

In July of the year 1799, the schooner *Lucy* lay in Bristol Harbor and the brig *Eliza* at one of the wharves of Warren, then no mean rival of her sister town as a seaport. The United States Government had seized these vessels, and condemned them for "a breach in the law prohibiting traffic in slaves." Mr. Ellery, Collector of the District of Newport, had written Mr. Samuel Bosworth, surveyor of the port of Bristol, to learn the value of the vessels and attend the sale in order to bid for the government. This, Mr. Bosworth "fearing" as he declares in a letter some years later "for his life," had no great desire to do. He wrote Mr. Ellery, giving him all needed information, but suggesting that "some more competent person be employed." The collector was inexorable, though later he did consent that Mr. Phillips, surveyor at Warren, should attend to the *Eliza*, and granted Mr. Bosworth's further request that if he must perform so unpopular a duty he might at least make known the authority under which he acted.

The Bosworths were not a race to flinch from duty. Seeking counsel of his nephew Judge Bourn, (his sister Ruth's son), he prepared in concert with Mr. Phillips for his ungrateful task.

A few days later Mr. Bosworth learned through Judge Bourn that his purpose had been betrayed by some unknown persons and was "mentioned in public company." He was hastily summoned to the office of Mr. John Brown in Providence. Mr. Brown was one of the princely merchants of that city, in whose service Capt. James De Wolf had first commanded a ship. Brown himself had but recently been acquitted of a violation of the same law, not for lack of fullest evidence to convict, Mr. Bosworth asserts, but on account of the widespread prejudice against the law.

Mr. Brown with James De Wolf and the latter's brother Charles, owner of the *Lucy* "opportuned and severally urged Mr. Bosworth to decline the appointment to attend to the sale, alleging that it was not in the line of his duty and that he would be considered a volunteer in a business which he knew to be very obnoxious to his fellow citizens." But the old Puritan conviction of duty in the 18th century had not become invertibrate in the presence of the money power. Though the De Wolf brothers returned to the attack the next morning in Bristol, the surveyor continued to declare that he must and should execute his orders. On the morning appointed for the sale, July 25, we find him setting out from home, a little before ten o'clock, the hour fixed for the auction. He is walking along Thames Street, which follows the shore of Bristol Harbor, and is only one hundred rods from the Charles De Wharf, less than a rod from the water's edge—suddenly he is seized by eight men, fantastically dressed, their faces painted with lamp-black, and quickly bundled into a small sail boat, his captors maintaining absolute silence. He "struggled, resisted, exclaimed for help," but all in vain. "There were several men in sight." He calls a "Mr. Warren, master of a carpenter shop hard by." A captain Aaron Usher started to assist him, but "too late." Capt. Charles Collins, who like Capt. James De Wolf, had married a daughter of Governor Bradford, had given the signal to the supposed Indians by waving his hat. Many were gathering at the wharf as well as on the deck of the *Lucy*, who later assure Mr. Bosworth "they heard a voice of a person in distress" but saw neither him nor the boat. A strange blindness at ten o'clock in the morning on Thames Street at a public auction. Was the whole community quietly enjoying the scene and in sympathy with the genial slavers who had made their town prosperous, attractive and popular? Evidently the business of enforcing the law *was* "very obnoxious to Mr. Bosworth's fellow-citizens," as laws that stand in the way of ease and wealth, no matter how ill-gotten and at what cost to others, often are in other times and later generations. Now the boat with its prisoner glides through the Bristol Ferry into the beautiful waters that lie between Fall River and Mount Hope. On the shore of the latter they land their captive. No word has been spoken during the whole "nefarious affair," except

some "unintelligible jargon" "which concealed the indentity of the captors" and probably amused them as much as it tantalized Mr. Bosworth. Evidently no personal injury was intended to the government agent, but in landing him more than two miles distant from the scene of the place where he was seized, it was purposed to give the De Wolfs or their friends time to "bid in" the ship. In this they were disappointed. The United States Marshal on account of Mr. Bosworth's absence, had adjourned the sale to the following Monday. What the final result was regarding the vessel, Mr. Bosworth does not say. "Everyone was very indignant, full of sympathy for Mr. Bosworth, including "Mr. Brown of Providence."

"There is such general indignation that the District Attorney will soon obtain evidence to convict perpetrators of the the deed." Alas! Vain hope! In 1804, he is writing the new Secretary of the Treasury in Jefferson's administration, not only of the failure to obtain redress, but bitterly complaining (and certainly it would seem with good reason), that he has been unceremoniously turned out of office to be succeeded by this same Capt. Collins, quondam captain of the *Lucy*, but now Collector of the Port, though still, as Mr. Bosworth avers, part owner of a slave ship *Armstadt* which he had the previous summer himself sailed in the interest of "his near relatives, the Messrs. De Wolf," from Congo to Georgia with its human cargo. He was also owner of another slaver nominally the property of Capt. Manchester, and on the same day that he received his commission as Collector, had been assured by a letter from Havana of a brother's safe arrival "in the brigantine *Minerva* from Africa with a cargo of some 150 slaves," of which he was also believed to own a quarter interest. Is it strange that the righteous soul of the brave defender of the law, who declares his only offense to be that he has refused his political support to the De Wolfs, waxes wrathful?

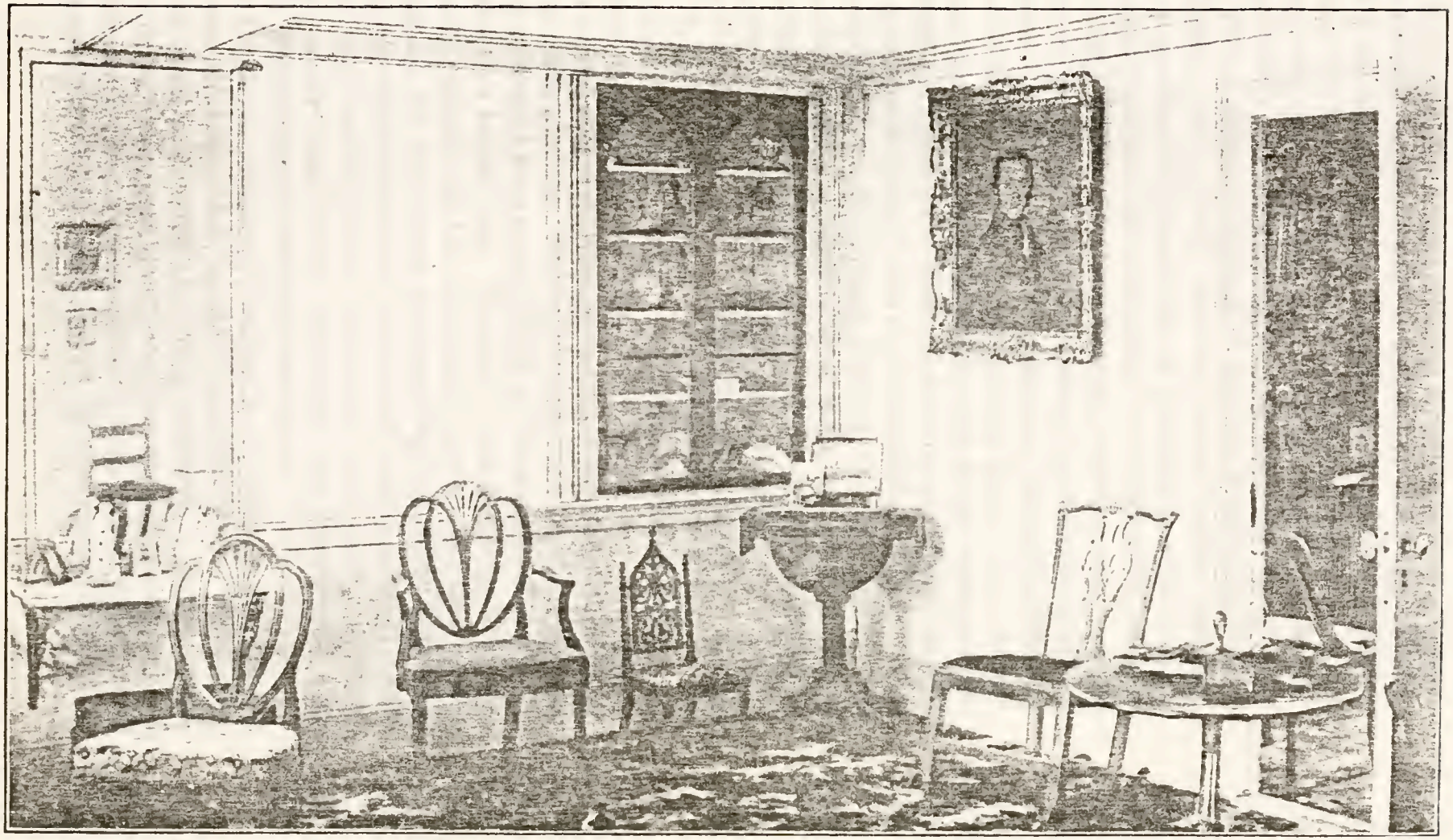
Prof. W. H. Munro says in his history of Bristol: "The higher moral tone which now prevails throughout the world has induced their descendants (*i. e.* of those who engaged in the slave trade) to suppress all the evidences which proved the participation of their ancestors in it." He adds with great truth: "This sensitiveness is natural but unnecessary. Let us not hold our ancestors responsible for deeds which in their day were not regarded as sinful." Their best defence is the

free publication of such documents as the above, showing on the one hand how generally public sentiment was with them, how honorable were the names associated with this now justly discredited pursuit, yet no less how worthy of honor were the pioneers of freedom who risked not only popularity and loss of office, but even their lives for conviction and duty. "No scruples," as writes Prof. Munro, "respecting the nature of their business appear to have troubled the importers of slaves," one captain piously writing: "we have now been twenty days upon the coast, and by the blessing of God shall soon have a good cargo!"

Many of the old Bristol families related to the De Wolfs by marriage, whose names will appear in the tabulated pages of this work, as Diman, Liscolm, Collins, Manchester, sailed their ships and had a liberal share in their profits. We, their descendants, need not fear to honor their hardy virtues though we condemn the traffic in which they were engaged; for since the final struggle for freedom, we have learned to hold it no inconsistency with our veneration for Sumner, Seward and Lincoln, that we have welcomed back into the Senate such brave men as Wade Hampton, M. C. Butler, Morgan, or Joe Wheeler, in spite of their contention for what we believed a mistaken as well as a "lost cause."

Even in those earlier days differences of opinion as to slavery did not break personal friendships. We have already had occasion to contrast Judge Bourn and Captain James De Wolf. They differed upon the question of slavery as indeed upon most political questions. Yet the older man, older by ten years, ever had a regard, indeed a fondness for Capt. De Wolf. In the most serious charge ever made against Capt. De Wolf in connection with this traffic, Judge Bourn shielded him. Bourn was known throughout New England as the "Just Judge." We may believe, therefore, that the Judge, as did many others, held him innocent.

When Judge Bourn died in 1808, at the age of fifty-three, in the fulness of his power, Capt. De Wolf was a young man with his highest honors before him. He was not U. S. Senator till 1821; Judge Bourn had sat in the First Congress in 1789. Some further comparison of the two men may illustrate the difference between a leading citizen in two different periods of Bristol's social life.



PARLOR AT "SILVER CREEK."

BUILT BY DEACON NATHANIEL BOSWORTH, 1680

When Capt. De Wolf passed Silver Creek windows, driving "over the Bridge" in his "coach and four," on his way to Washington to take his seat in the Senate, the daughters of Judge Bourn would gather to look at him—so these great aunts of the writer have told him—shaking their heads solemnly at the unrepublican pomp and contrasting it with the journey of their father to Philadelphia to Congress as first Representative of Rhode Island, clad in a long drab coat, knee buckles and shoe buckles of steel—still preserved by his family—his woolen stockings knit by the nimble fingers of his beautiful wife or her sister, the widow of Gen. Varnun (known once as the "beautiful child girls of Warren") leaning on his ivory knobbed cane, content to step unostentatiously into the old lumbering stage coach as it drew up at his arched gate. Yet, though only thirty-four, the stern Ciceronian face, large Roman nose, bushy black eyebrows over flashing dark eyes, closely cut hair and tall form made Judge Bourn a commanding figure. Says his biographer, Hon. Nathaniel Bullock, his law pupil: "Of dress he was negligent almost to a fault, but all thought of such negligence or of the sternesss of his features in repose was forgotten when his face lighted up with affection or blazed with the fire of eloquence." When the writer's father, having married the granddaughter of Judge Bourn, was living in the "old Charles De Wolf Home" on Thames Street with their baby boys Raymond and James De Wolf, old Mr. James De Wolf would stop every morning on his way from the Mount to the "Counting-house" and call the young wife of his favorite grandson to hand him a goblet filled at the well he had known in his brother Charles' day. He still wore the exquisite costume more common in his early days—costly buckles at the knee and on his low shoes, his stockings of finely knit silk, delicate lace filling the shirt bosom and falling over the silk waistcoat with its long lapels, while the snowy hair, no longer needing powder, was drawn back from his firm, gentle face and tied with ribbon in the old time queue.

Mrs. De Wolf, who had inherited the jealous and irritable temperament with other nobler qualities of the Bradfords, would perhaps have made the old gentleman a little uncomfortable at such frequent chats with the pretty young wife of his grandson had she witnessed them, for she had never quite contentedly listened to his praise of Mrs. Perry's mother "the

fair widow Jones." But if Mrs. De Wolf was plainer of feature, she was devotedly loved by her husband who took with his usual good nature this implied sign of her devotion to him. The writer recalls an amusing example of this difference of natural temperament: As the writer's aunt, who inherited more of her grandmother's disposition than her grandfather's, sat fuming one day after her grandmother and herself had been exchanging electric sparks with great rapidity until the former, no longer able to contain herself, went out, slamming the door. "Grandfather De Wolf," who had gazed at the fire place during the conflict, too wise to interfere, quietly turned to his grandchild with his sweet smile and said: "Nancy child, Nancy child, a shut mouth catches no flies."

The old Mount House still stands far back from the road, picturesque among its gnarled and twisted trees, and the writer can remember the little dwellings nearby, where were quartered the last survivors of the old slaves of the estate, Polydore and Agiway.

Poor old Polydore and "Agie"! How we children used to tease them, shouting in front of their little hut:

"Polydore and Agiway
Sitting in the cellar way!
Agiway and Polydore
Sitting on the cellar door!"

But when at the end of her century of life, Agie, too infirm and dropsical to rise from her chair, held out her old arms and bid her "chile cum' gib ole Agie a las' kiss," although the "chile" was a man in Holy Orders, he reverently, if not rapturously, planted on her protruding lips the requested boon.

And Polydore, oh, with what an aroma of delicious "chowder" is his memory fragrant! Long after the old man's death others mixed the mighty broth at the "Family Clam-bake," some of them deservedly famous, but even when the mixture was at its best, the white haired members of the family would occasionally comment, as from their lips escaped something half way between a smack and a sigh, "yes, but if you'd tasted Polydore's!"

Are any of the younger descendants of the family so unfortunate as not to have happy reminiscences recalled by that endearing term, "family clam-bake?" Is their knowledge of a feast of clams limited to the modern yet not altogether unac-

ceptable form of it? What a degenerate evolution they witness. The bivalve is now served in long hot wooden sheds, and on tables crowded with many a stranger to customs of "the shore" whose habits are not appetizing, while the growing scarcity of that immortal yet vanishing shell fish causes the few half-filled pans of clams to be eked out with strange courses!

"*O tempora, O mores!*" Vastly different was the family clam-bake of the De Wolfs on the shore of Mount Hope, or on "Jones' Rocks." The appropriately dressed company of handsome men and beautiful women picturesquely grouped upon the grey rocks and beneath the dark and blue-green cedar trees; the curving shores of the harbor, the sandy beach, pitted and hollowed here and there, where the clams had been dug,—all added to the beauty of the scene.

At early dawn "the man with the hoe" had struck the silent sand until the tiny tell-tale stream of water spurted forth, then quickly digging to secure the toothsome prize, had drawn forth clams; yes, genuine clams with their oblong brittle shells, with the black projection, called by the uninitiate the "head," but which really is the foot—not the only creature which, as in Mother Goose lore, has "its head where its tail ought to be." Real New England clams they were; not the tough, leathery creature called by the natives "Quahaug," but by New Yorkers "Little Necks." Then from a more distant corner of the field comes borne on the steam-laden air the delicate perfume which might have been the clouds of of incense at Bacchanlion feast—odors from the great outdoor oven "the Bake." There at early morn the great pit was dug, the circle of rocks placed in Druid-like order, the wood piled high as for a funeral pyre; then, when the rocks glowed with their store of heat and the smouldering embers were raked off, the "rock weed," that pungent odorous kelp, was piled on and between its folds, great baskets of clams poured, the fine tautog, each served in its own shroud: the ears of corn, the sweet potatoes and the loaves of bread, all cunningly disembowled that they might be stuffed with savory "fillings," the great black lobsters snapping their savage jaws in death-agony and turning red with wrath as they succumb in the thrice-heated furnace, then over the hissing bivalves and the squirming crustaceans, again the great black pall of rock-weed

is cast, and to keep the steam and preserve the luscious juices, a great sail is spread over all and pegged securely to the ground. No trifle is the preparation for this king of feats. Meantime in the great iron pot suspended over a wood fire has been flung by Polydore and his assistants ingredients as varied though far more appetizing than those employed by the witches in "Macbeth" to make the gruel thick and slab." While round and round the dusky figures go, piling on wood, stirring the savory mixture and making "fire burn and cauldron bubble," and when the guests who have been stimulating their appetites in the bracing sea breezes with "Prisoners Base" or "Drop the Handerchief" are all seated like bright flowers springing from the grey rocks, the plates of chowder, the tin pans heaped high with clams, and all the luscious morsels that have "been raked from the opened bake," are passed to the hungry company, while the merry laughter and happy play of wit is only interrupted by the "pop" "pop" of bottles taken from the ice and the pleasing gurgle that follows. We fear to displease "teetotalers" by naming the beverage. It was *not* ginger ale. One generous hamper after another is opened and guava jellies and other Spanish dainties from the family plantations in Cuba are added to the feast.

Some visitors from the unfortunate "interior," joining in the feast with gloved hands, might smile derisively at the rude methods of the natives. But sure disaster would speedily bring her to an humble imitation. It is not so easily an acquired art as it may be thought by the uninitiated to deftly cleave the double hinged doors of the delicious tid-bit, seize the indweller by its ebony handle, dip it into a dish of melted butter hard by, and give the globular stomach, suspended on its shoulder straps, the exact swing to safely land it between the open and expectant lips. Talk of Neopolitan macaroni eaters, of the manipulation of Chinese chop-sticks, or even the landing on the river's bank of the silvery gamey trout,—these are child's play to the proper handling and safe delivery into the mouth of a full-sized Rhode Island clam!

O yes, Polydore and Agiway were famous cooks. For at this point we digressed, and if the fragrant memories of clam bakes led us too much astray, it will be forgiven by those who recall their delights and may not be amiss to those unfortunate descendants born far from the salt breezes and hiding places of the clam on the native shore of their ancestors.

One form of the New England Clam Bake still survives in a few secluded spots called "The Church Bake," a means of adding to church revenues far more enjoyable, hence possibly more justifiable than the mercenary "Fair." "The St. Michael's Clam Bake," started at a later period than the "reign" of the older De Wolf's, is not inappropriately mentioned since it was connected with the old church in which so many of the family had worshipped, and because so many grandchildren of the older De Wolfs were among the masters of the ceremonies at this annual feast which was attended by hundreds of people from all Rhode Island, who crowded the summit of "Fox Hill," part of the Mount estate. [redacted]

Many beautiful poems of classic purity and dignity could be gathered from the pen of Bishop M. A. De Wolf Howe, but the following verses written by him for the "Mail Box" at St. Michael's Bake give an example of the versatility of one of the wittiest as well as one of the wisest of the family.

Our St. Michael's bake, like a wild Irish wake,
  Brings all the old neighbors together.
Here the sacred and funny—devotion and money
  Are linked by a curious tether.

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Our matronly church is much in the lurch
  For a place to encradle her lambs;
So we play the old trick—a jolly pic-nic—
  And a love feast of chowder and clams.

Our brothers in Warren, and the town surnamed Barren,
  We ask to come over and cheer us;
And e'en Providence, though ten miles from thence
  We invoke as if it were near us.

Here's bright Mrs. Perry, and Chevalier Sherry—
  In energy who can come nigh them?
Yet good Mr. Bogert, though not quite so alert
  In giving perhaps may go by them.

Here comes Mr. Waldron bringing fish from the cauldron
  And clams reeking hot from the sea-weed;
While Carpenter Lawless, axe, gimlet and saw-less,
  Offers chowder as fast as we need.

Then kind Miss Ruth Soley to quell melancholy
  Dispenses hot coffee and buns;
While Lavinie so rosy, and Adie and Posey
  Pour the cream, make change and the Puns.

Cold meats and ragouts, if such dainties you choose
  Abound at the board of the Dabney;
Where a pig most uncommon, devouring a lemon
  Seems defying the butcher—"Come stab me."

In this lair of the fox you may find a mail-box
  With post-routes in every direction;
Miss Willard you know, helps Postmaster Howe,
  Man of Letters, Fine Art and Dissection.

But hold! 'tis enough—though Miss Herreshoff,
  The Faleses, De Wolfs and the Gardners,
Briggs, Wright, West and Munros, as everyone knows
  Are entitled to rank as our partners.

And good Parson Stow—his face all aglow
  With the light of two festals together
Goes before—while his flock,—Hogg, Bullock and Ox
  Sheep and Lambs follow up their Bell-wether.

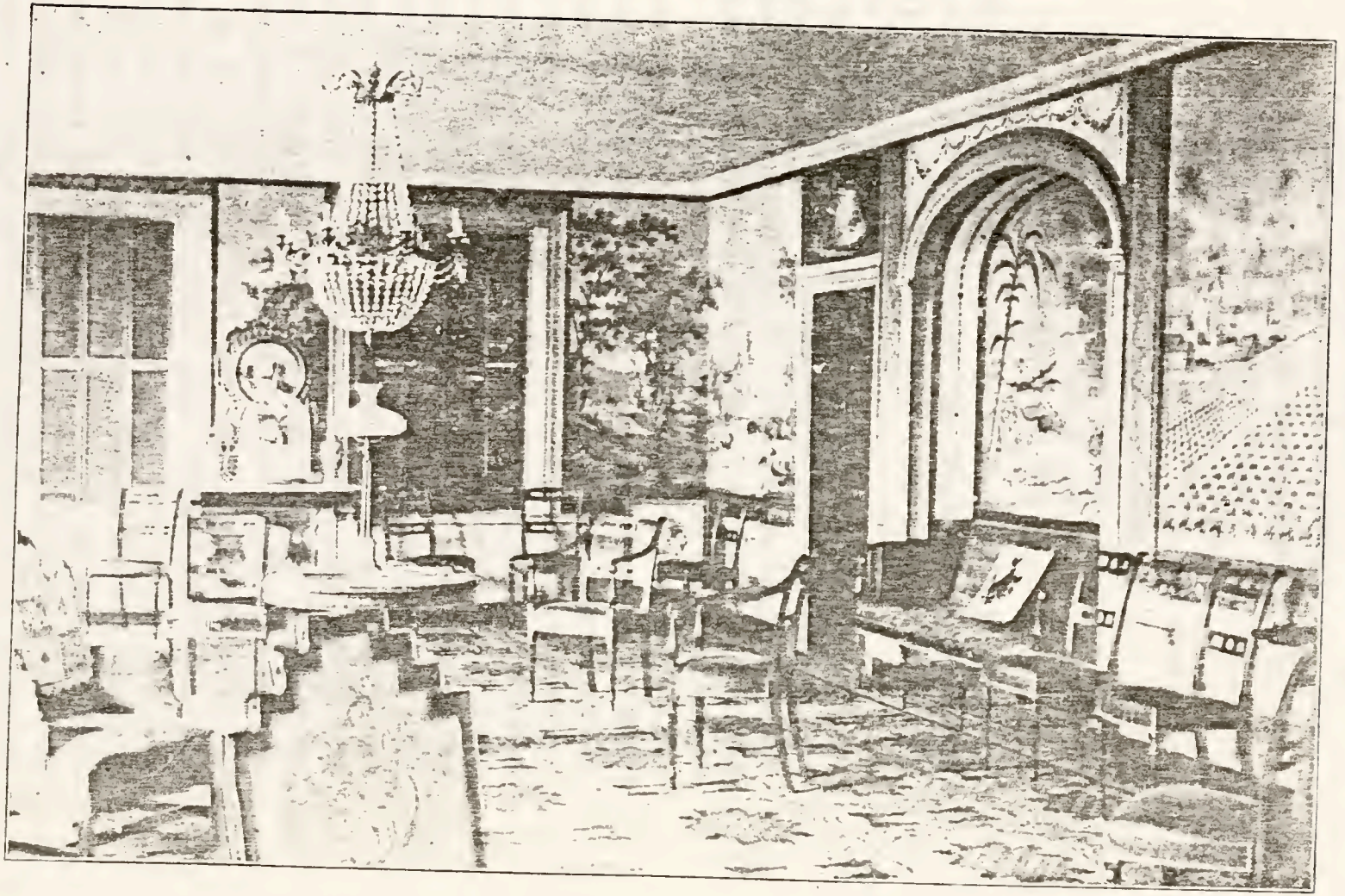
God's Grace, let it fall in rich blessings on all
  Who help Mother to shelter her Lambs!
Alive through Christ's death, may they rest in His faith
  And at length share the Crown and the Palms.

BRISTOL, July 20, 1864. UNUSQUISQUE.

It may illustrate what we have said of the activity of the De Wolfs in all the above industries (!) of the town that not less than ten of the names that the Bishop has so wittily introduced in his lines appear in the genealogical tables of this volume; this in addition to the author who might have signed the verses by his better known Latin name in college, Marcus Antonius de Lupus Quam.

This poem was written to be sold at the "Post Office" of one of the last of these Church Bakes, when money was being raised to build St. Michael's Chapel. The following verses are from a poem written by the author's mother in 1857, when another clam festival was held to get funds to pay off the debt for alterations on the "Old Church," which was burned the following year.

The Church of God, the Bride of Christ,
  Defend her holy purity;
From age to age she firm hath stood,
  And shall to all futurity.



DRAWING ROOM AT "THE MOUNT,"
AS IN THE TIME OF THE HON. JAMES DE WOLF.

Although her lustre has been dimmed,
  Her holy light been feebly poured;
Her sacred aisles polluted by
  Oppression, warfare, and the sword.

Still she doth stand, her pure light given
  To every nation, every tongue;
On every shore her spires have risen,
  Within her courts God's praise is sung.

Cast forth, a callow, unfledged thing,
  From her parent nest on high;
To-day she soars on eagle's wing
  Through every clime and sky.

But these last named events were in the days when the history of the De Wolfs had passed the zenith of its glory, and our story must return to the olden days when the family gatherings were more resplendent.

The writer well remembers his mother's description of her first impression of these "family gatherings" when she was welcomed to the home of her husband, James De Wolf Perry —who had, since his mother's second marriage, lived at the "Mount." From his home in New York City came the oldest son James and his beautiful wife, Julia Post, whose sister Ellen was the wife of the dashing younger brother, Francis De Wolf. James was the most accomplished of the family, popular in the Court circles of Europe, as was later his beautiful daughter Julianna—Mrs. Robert Cutting, of New York. Prescott Hall, of Newport, and his stately wife, the oldest surviving daughter of the house, was there. The oldest daughter and perhaps the most beautiful of all, Mrs. Perry, had died before her son's marriage. The other daughters were present; Nancy and her husband, Fritz Henry Homer, from Boston—she whose hand was so beautiful that a famous sculptor begged the favour of copying it as a model. Kate De Wolf, too, then radiant in her brilliant but too fatal charms; while the youngest daughter, Josephine must then have been just blooming into the glorious beauty which it was said at a later day so affected a sensitive young Cuban student, that on seeing her enter old St. Michael's Church, he fainted. Such was the family tradition though many a time has the writer heard this aunt laughingly protest against it as an unfounded myth—this great-aunt, who as Mrs. Charles Lovett, of Boston,

the last of Mark Anthony De Wolf's grandchildren, has died in extreme but lovely old age since these pages have been in preparation.

The sons had contributed to the exceptional beauty of the assembly not only by their own presence, but that of wives noted for their personal charms. The two beautiful Miss Posts who had entered the family have been already mentioned. The proud Mark Anthony had married Sophia Chappotin of a French refugee family from Martinique; and the writer can remember how on the streets of Baltimore, where in old age she lived with her granddaughter, Mrs. Theobold, men would stop and admire her stately carriage and her graceful French manners, which she retained as an octogenarian. Mark Anthony himself was of most lordly mein. He could at times be as terrible and imperious as at others winning and gracious, as when he used to summon us children from the nursery at dessert, and placing his dainty little granddaughter Caroline in the centre of the dining table, feed her with dainties.

There, too, was William Henry, perhaps the most renowned for personal beauty of them all. How handsome the writer in his boyhood used to think him as he used to walk down the marble walk of his beautiful home, crying to him, "Good morning, Commodore!" And his sweet-faced wife, Sarah Rogers, to whom the writer's father at the age of fourteen wrote this tribute to her beauty at the time of the birth of her daughter Rosalie (Mrs. John Hopper): "Dear Aunt: I have heard a great deal of babe. I have forgotten its (!) name, but if it is as handsome as you it must be handsome." Their grandson, De Wolf Hopper, comes well by his fine physique and grace upon the stage.

Lastly, there was the youngest son, bearing the name of his Puritan ancestor, William Bradford, and his beautiful young bride, Mary Soley,—dear "Aunt Mary," with such calm, placid beauty, even in her last years. As it was this gathering to welcome his mother which furnished the writer his earliest knowledge of the social life of the "Mount;" so it was the marriage of the oldest daughter of William Bradford, Harriett to General Loyd Aspinwall of New York, that in his boyhood caused the glory of the old "Mount" to leap up with what might be termed an almost expiring flash of brilliancy. It was the coming in of the new,—the passing of the old. The family

plate piled with new luxuries, the ancient mahogany groaning with the showy though less satisfying modern morsels, fitly accompanied by the supercilious tones of New York caterers as they banished to the sideboard the rich "whips" in long cut glasses, the delicate custards in antique cups, the trembling jellies of varied hues prepared by that fine old lady, the bride's "Aunt Ruth Soley."

And the glories of the De Wolfs of Bristol were waning with the old past. They were in their zenith in the times of Charles, James and William De Wolf and their brothers. Prof. Munroe says of Mr. James De Wolf: "When he died there was no one to take his place, and the news of his death seemed for a while to crush the life out of the town. With its every industry he had been more or less intimately connected; hardly a project had been set on foot where his aid had not been invoked; never a subscription for a worthy object had been started which his name had not generously led."

His wife never left her room after his death, and died the following week. In "A Discourse delivered in Bristol, R. I., Feb. 11, 1838, occasioned by the death of the Hon. James De Wolf and Mrs. Ann B. De Wolf, his wife," by Bishop Alexander V. Griswold, one of the most frequent and honored guests at the "Mount," he says:

"But a few weeks have passed away since it pleased our Heavenly Father to remove from this life in quick succession both the heads—the father and the mother of a numerous family who have long walked before you in the first ranks of society, and have borne an important and conspicuous part in the business and affairs of this town, and of the State, and indeed of the United States. * * The deceased had long been among the number of my best friends and kindest benefactors. Considering the rank which the head of the family had long sustained among you, his influence in society, the deep and active interest he has taken in whatever concerned the public good, of which he has been the instrument, together with the extensive family connexions who yet survive to mourn his loss—when all these and like considerations are brought into view, I may well address this congregation generally in the language of sympathy, as having lost a father,—a public benefactor. He was possessed of a strong mind and ardent feelings; his life was unusually active in profitable

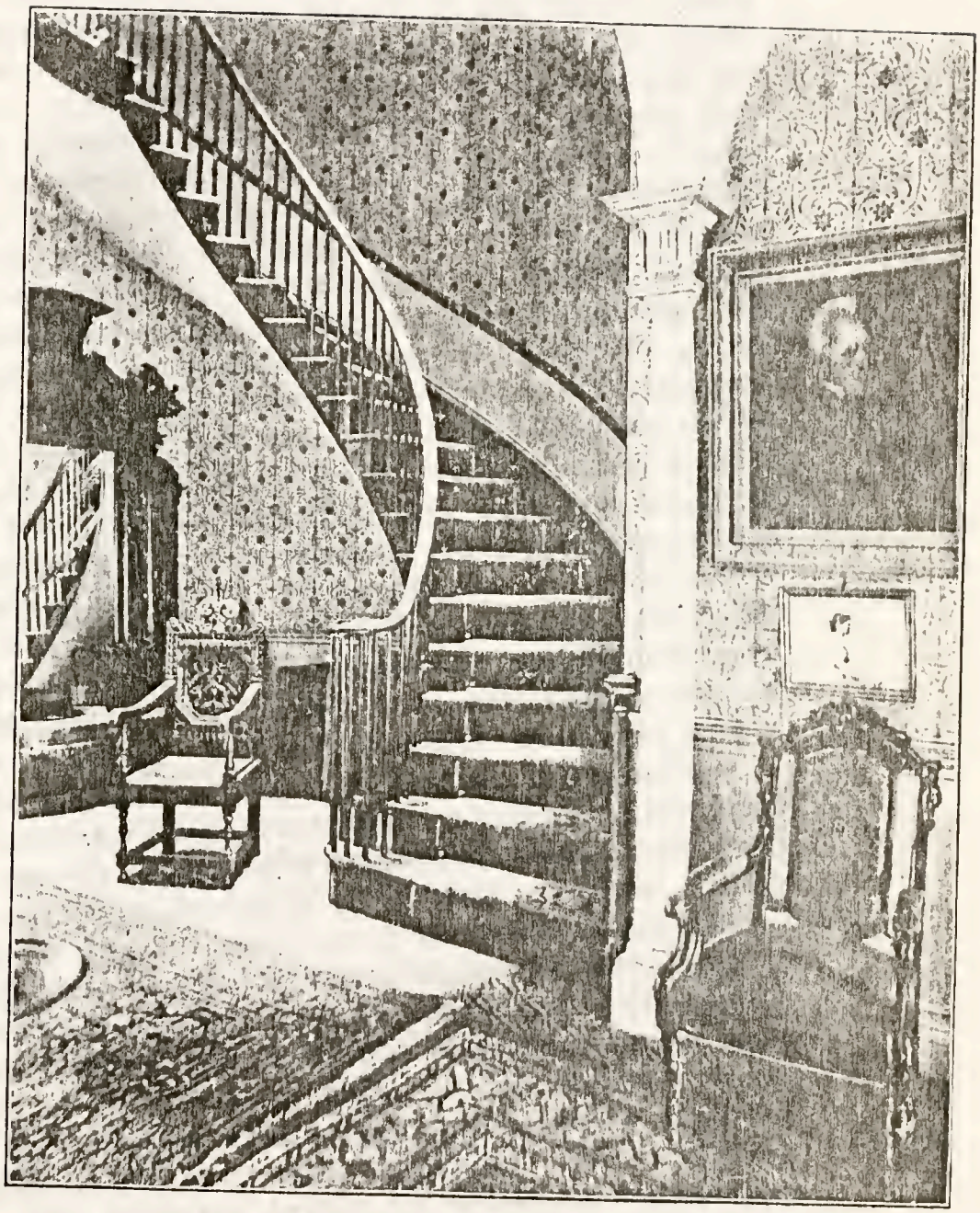
business, and both he and his companion had noble, bright and amiable virtues, on which a eulogist would delight to dwell. * * He may be said to have been a father to the poor, whom he employed in various branches of business. His industry was blessed in the accumulation of an ample fortune, which has benefited not his family only, but many others, who without his aid might have been destitute. A rich man who makes good use of his wealth is a great blessing to society, and his death is a public loss."

In loneliness to-day many of these old De Wolf homes seem mourning over the momory of bygone days. They stand not without a certain solitary grandeur among the new summer residences rapidly lining the shores of the bay, in the life of which they have little part. Like those few fine "old-school" gentlemen who remain of a former generation, gazing benignantly, but with rather perplexed countenances, upon forms that lack somewhat of the stateliness and repose of former days. They seem to have some sense of superiority, with their great beams of blackened oak and stately columns, over the attenuated frames and slenderly laced figures of modern household architecture. Lost through many reverses, in some cases squandered or invested without the sagacity of the fathers—are many of the princely fortunes—princely at least for their time. Some of the descendants rank among the wealthy men of the day, and are conspicuous in public life. A greater number are earning modest incomes by honest toil; some, the truthful historian must record, either by undeserved misfortunes or by their own folly and incompetence, have experienced more bitter struggles.

When Capt. James De Wolf gave to the town of Bristol its "poor house," with its extensive surrounding farm, one of his fellow citizens protested: "Why Capt. De Wolf, there'll never be need of so large a poor farm in this small place!" The old gentleman, who had already begun to be troubled at the tendency to increasing extravagance on the part of his sons, replied with one of his quizzical smiles, "O, my grandchildren will be coming to live on that farm yet, and they are accustomed to plenty of room." We know of none who have sought shelter within its walls, but we know of some mighty efforts lest they should!

"Linden Place," the beautiful home of Col. Samuel Pome-

"LINDEN PLACE," THE RESIDENCE OF COL. S. P. COLT,
BRISTOL, R. I.
BUILT BY GENERAL GEORGE DE WOLF IN 1810.



"LINDEN PLACE," BRISTOL, R. I.
INTERIOR.

roy Colt stands to-day pre-eminently the finest residence in the central portion of the town. Col. Colt and his brother Judge Le Baron Colt, being grandsons of Gen. George De Wolf, the son of Charles, who was the eldest son of Mark Anthony, represent the oldest branch of the Rhode Island De Wolfs, as do their cousin and brother-in-law, Mr. Frank De Wolf and his children, Mr. Bradford Colt de Wolf and the Baroness de Kestelek. This beautiful house, with its long approach by pavement of marble, with its fine portico of lofty Corinthian columns, its old-fashioned balustrade of intricate pattern around the roof, was built in 1811 at a cost of $65.000 by Gen. George De Wolf. The architect was Russell Warren, who designed many of the fine Bristol houses of that day. To this home of their girlhood two of Gen. De Wolf's daughters returned in 1866, after an absence from Bristol of thirty years. Mrs. Goode, an invalid, was little seen except by a few of the old friends of her youth, for whom she retained a warm affection. But Mrs. Theodore De Wolf Colt, with her family of talented attractive sons, soon made the old house again famous for its old-timed hospitality. Of fine literary tastes, the author of a volume of published poems, fond of gathering about her the picturesque and the beautiful, she ever cordially welcomed alike highest officers of State and the humblest acquaintances. Two of her sons died. Her only daughter became the wife of Mr. Francis Eugene De Wolf, the son of her oldest brother.

Mr. Frank E. De Wolf's beautiful home in Bristol, "Mirimar," although recently built is of the stateliest colonial style, quite worthy to enter into the family of De Wolf mansions. Of her two surviving sons, Le Baron rose to be United States District Judge, and after his marriage established his own home in Bristol, and later a winter home in Providence. The youngest, Samuel Pomeroy, remained in his mother's home, the beautiful home of his ancestors, where he still resides. Deeply attached to each other, mother and son united to make the fine old place noted for its open hospitality. Here was entertained in 1883, President Arthur; as earlier, another member of the family, William Henry De Wolf entertained President Jackson, whose portrait hangs in the spacious hall as a memorial of his visit; and as in 1817 Gen. George De Wolf, Mrs. Colt's father, celebrated the "Era of Good-feeling" by entertaining President Monroe.

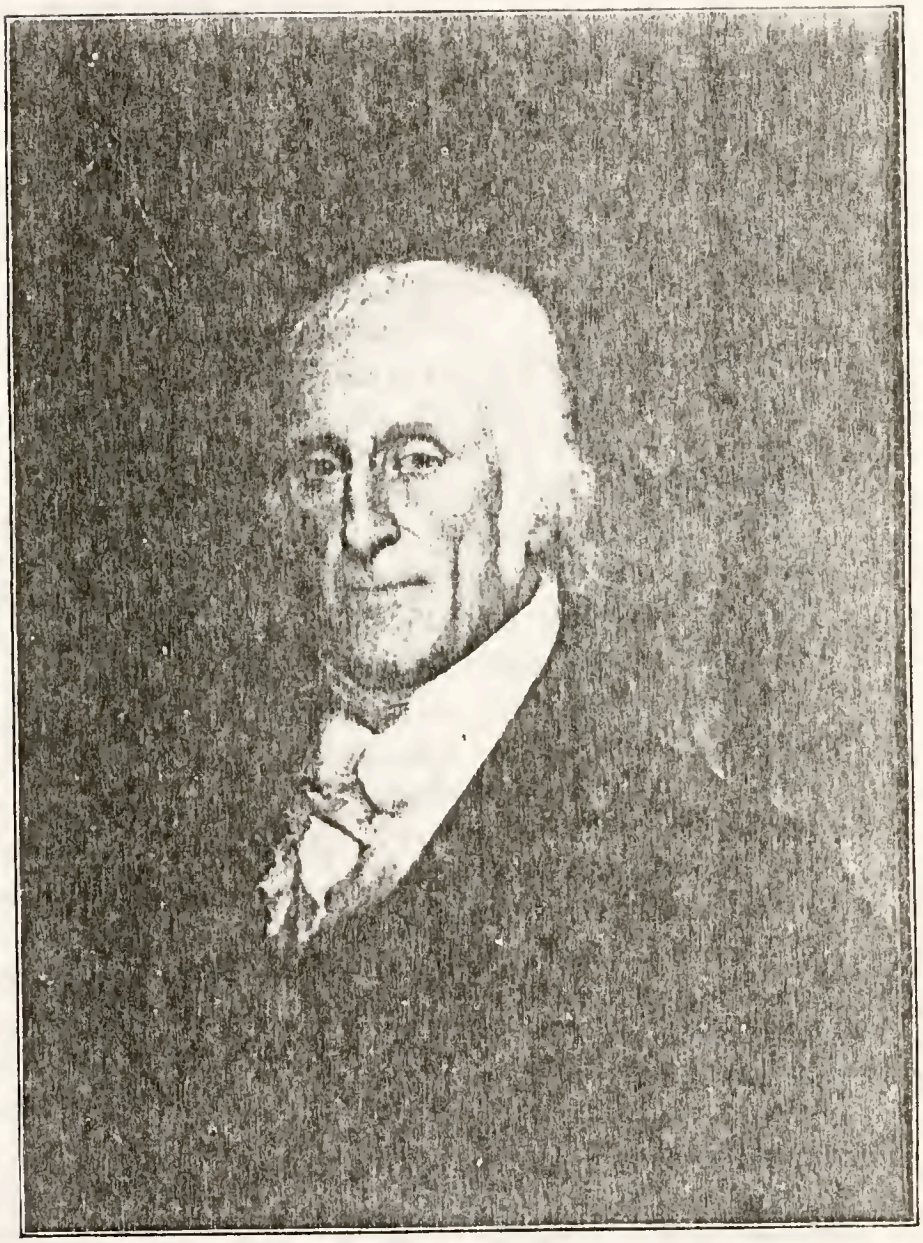
A printed account of these Presidential visits says: "A solid silver pitcher and basin brought from England by Gen. De Wolf were used by the three distinguished guests, and waits the appearance of the next man worthy to follow."

Col. Colt rapidly rose to a distinguished position as a member of the Rhode Island Bar, as a member of the State Legislature, and in the great financial enterprises of the State, being now President of the Rubber Trust Co. and of the Rhode Island Industrial Trust Co. During all these years mother and son were inseparable, and no one gave the writer more extensive and sympathetic aid than Mrs. Colt in the preparation of this work. It was only after this volume was nearly ready for publication that at the advanced age of eighty-one, she was stricken with her last illness.

To her and to her son, Col. S. Pomeroy Colt, are largely due the possibility of preparing and publishing this work. Among the most recent and brilliant of the "festas" at "Linden Place," was the marriage of Mrs. Colt's granddaughter to Baron Louis de Kestelek of Hungary. Mrs. Colt also lived to witness, at her son Judge Colt's residence in Providence, the brilliant marriage of her granddaughter and namesake, Theodora, to Edwin Armington Barrows.

The home of Gen. George De Wolf's father, Charles, the eldest of the sons of Mark Anthony, was a house that stood upon Thames street, at the foot of Constitution street. This too, was a fine mansion in its day. Its terraced garden led down to the water which lapped a shore which had not then been curtailed of much of its extent and more of its beauty by devastating gales. Its summer house still ornaments one of the gardens of Bristol. But fire has dealt mercifully with the old place itself. When it was moved on to another part of the lot to make room for "Gardiner's Sawmill," it was converted into tenements for the mill hands. Its great rooms were still hung with imported paper of birds with "painted plumages gay," making a mute protest against altered circumstances until the pitying flames devoured the desecrated walls.

Here it was that Mr. Charles De Wolf entertained in the lavish style of the family, as the oldest son of the house, and years in advance of the first great feasts at "The Mount," for he was nearly twenty years older than his brother James. It was here that he learned that one of his ships could not pass



HON. CHARLES DE WOLF (14),

BRISTOL, R. I.

BORN FEB. 25, 1745; DIED AUG. 20, 1820.

From the original painting by Jarvis, in the possession of Col. S. P. Colt.

beyond the Ferry, for it was a severe winter when even that strong current had yielded to the death grip of the cold, and all the harbor was solid ice. But if his uncle Sim Potter "would plow the sea into porridge but he'd make money,"—the same dauntless spirit in his nephew made even such a field of ice no insuperable barrier between him and his gold. Down he tramped to his ice-bound ship, and back over the frozen harbor with bags of gold in his hands which he landed safely in the bank vaults in Bristol. It was of the gold brought in one of his ships from Guinea that a beautiful goblet was hammered out by hand, which later was given by his son George to Bishop Griswold, and is now in the possession of Mrs. Sydney De Wolf, widow of the Bishop's grandson.

After Mr. Charles De Wolf's death, the place was purchased by his brother James, and as we have already recorded became the home of his grandson, James De Wolf Perry, upon his marriage, and the birthplace of the writer and his two older brothers. When the writer's mother became heir to "Silver Creek," the family moved "over the bridge." The latter place was therefore the birth-place of all the writer's brothers younger than himself, of his beautiful little sister Julia, and also some of the grandchildren. Mrs. Julia Jones and Mrs. George De Wolf had always maintained the closest friendship, the latter having named a little daughter who died in childhood Julia Bourn for her friend. On the reverses of fortune which caused Gen. George De Wolf to take his family to his estates in Cuba, "Linden Place" also passed into the hands of James De Wolf, and was given by him to his son William Henry as the latter's home. For a space of years the house again became renowned for beauty and accomplishment as well as lavish hospitality. Of the beauty of Mr. De Wolf himself and of his wife we have already spoken, several of his children inherited it to a marked degree. One of the dearest and sweetest of the cousins of the writer, "sweet Kate Budd" as those who knew her loved to call her, "falling asleep" while aiding in the preparation of these chapters. Of them all only three sisters remain, all widowed, two living in New York City, and the youngest of the family residing in Paris with her daughter Lady Lee.

It does not seem necessary to follow the later history, when though still owned by the family, it was the famous hotel, the

De Wolf House, of Bristol It is enough to rejoice that it is again a De Wolf *home*.

Another old De Wolf home has disappeared, the earlier home of William De Wolf, upon the "Neck"—"The old Farm," as it was known in the family, originally bought from the Indians. It was purchased by William De Wolf, who built an ell to the old farmhouse and otherwise enlarged and beautified it. His son Henry began the erection of the beautiful mansion upon Poppasquash* Point, but being unable from business embarrassment to complete it, the father exchanged houses with his son, and finished the new residence in the very beautiful proportions it now bears. This latter house after being for many years the home of William De Wolf's two daughters, Mrs. Roberts Rogers and Miss Charlotte De Wolf, both dying at a great age and most truly "in the odor of sanctity," it is now the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. Russell Middleton, formerly of Charleston, S. C. Mr. William De Wolf, as we have already seen, became, like his brothers, one of the princely merchants of Bristol, and owner of plantations in the West Indies. He too entertained many distinguished people of the day, among them, as we shall see later, Judge Benjamin De Wolf of Nova Scotia, and several of the Connecticut De Wolfs.

Next to the William De Wolf house, and so that the contiguous lawns slope gracefully to the sea, and form one of the finest spots the eye can rest upon from the opposite shore of the town, is the beautiful home built by Mark Anthony De Wolf. It is an exact model in wood of the Temple of Minerva. "The Venus room," with its fine Italian mantel, supported by exquisite marble statues of the goddess from which the room is called, the long drawing room finished in mahogany, and the great hall, running the entire length of the house, makes it a mansion of fine proportions, a fit companion of the noble old house by its side. This too, is occupied by the granddaughter of its builder, Mrs. Margaret De Wolf Mudge.

The "old Farmhouse" on the "Neck" no longer stands,

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* Prof. Munro's spelling of this word is adopted as, according to such authorities on Indian names as Dr. Usher Parsons, more likely to conform to the original Pokanoket word than Pappoose-squaw with its poetic but probably fanciful derivation from the use of this peninsula as a refuge for the wives and children of the Indian braves when at war.

RESIDENCE OF HON. WILLIAM DE WOLF,
NOW THAT OF HIS GRANDDAUGHTER, MRS. N. RUSSEL MIDDLETON,
BRISTOL, R. I.

though opposite it resides another of William De Wolf's granddaughters, Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson.*

Gone too is the noble elm at the gate, under whose shade Mr. Henry De Wolf used to sit, with his hair tied up in a queue, accompanied by his sweet old wife Nancy, and her saintly sister Miss Marsten, all still bearing the marks of the beauty for which they had been noted; while groups of children and grandchildren, who had inherited their full share of personal charm, sported under the wide spreading boughs. Of this old tree Mr. Henry De Wolf's granddaughter Mrs. Pratt writes, "Do you remember the old elm? A wondrously symmetrical tree. The night before the September gale, Grandma gave a reception for Mr. and Mrs. Erskine and as the guests were leaving, some one called attention to the beauty of the tree by lamplight. The family gathered under its spreading branches on that very warm September night and admired its wonderful beauty. The next day the greater part went over in that dreadful gale. It seemed as though the night before was a sort of farewell tribute to the old elm—the 23d of October—dear Grandma died about six weeks later." It might seem that the Rhode Island De Wolfs had shared the fate of the old elm. The loss of many of the branches of the family tree, lopped off by winds of adversity and, it is feared one must add, often falling by inner decay, have sadly shorn it of its symmetry. Comparatively few of its branches bear the surname De Wolf, it having largely been continued in female lines. Yet now and again vigorous new growth appears, sometimes conspiciously in the talent of an artist like Dana Gibson, a De Wolf by double descent, in the adventurous arctic exploration of his brother Langdon, in eloquence at the bar, in pulpit, in the pen of the ready writer, in the brilliant leadership in

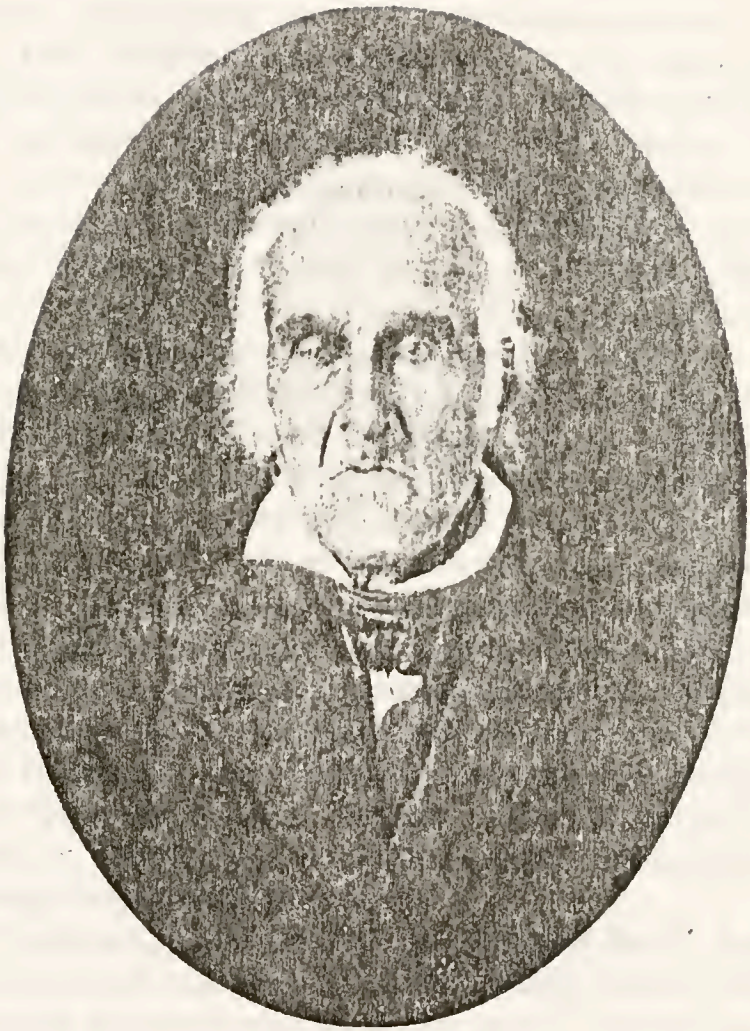
* Since these lines were written this member of the De Wolf family, Mrs. Gibson has been called to her rest. My mother's friend, my boyhood's second mother, the mother of Charles De Wolf Gibson, companion of my school days, a dear handsome fellow of the noblest character. It was on her porch the writing of this book was planned and begun, as she held the great family Bible on her knees from which her daughter, Mrs. Pratt, her neice, Mrs. Erskine, and my wife, copied the records. O, the rare old days of us boys! Charlie and Matie Gibson, the proud stepping Henry De Wolf and dear Carlos De Wolf, with his refined delicate beauty. May our children know such friends. Of these playmates, H. M. Gibson and the writer alone survive!

society whether in America or as the brides of titled favorites at European Courts, while many another of the family, less conspicious are yet forcefully fighting life's battle.

The home of the youngest brother of the family, Levi, a little north of the Poppasquash corner, upon the main road to Warren, still stands and was until quite recent years the home of his only surviving child Abby, generally spoken of as "Miss Abby Levi De Wolfe," to distinguish her from other Abbys of the family. Mr. Levi De Wolf did not amass a fortune as did several of his brothers. When early reverses of fortune fell to him, they united in sharing their profits with him.

But his lack of wealth was not always from involuntary causes. He made a number of trips as captain for his brother James, going to Africa three times. After a profitable voyage his brother James offered to fit out a ship for him, as a slaver adding, "the profits of this trip shall be yours." The offer was refused, "his conscience would no longer allow him to deal in trading of slaves, and he then made this remark, 'I will never die a rich man but I will never come to want.'" So writes his great-granddaughter from her father's boyish memories of his grandfather, "a lovable old man." This grandson, Mr. Charles Wesley Allen, still possesses the scales used in slave-trading for weighing gold dust, and a pair of cuff buttons with L. De W. engraved upon them, made of gold dust. In the old homestead on the "Neck" built from the plan of the home of his brother John on the Ferry road, Levi De Wolf lived a quiet religious life. Writing from Paris a few days after the battle of Waterloo, when he saw the Duke of Wellington and the British troops, he says, "all nations and kindreds and tongues are assembled here—but they are not all clothed with white robes."

Severer than any financial loss was the death of his son Levi, a most promising young man. It bowed his head and saddened his countenance, but only served to deepen his religious life. His mother had on one occasion come to his home from that of her son James, telling the latter that in the confusion of his luxurious hospitality, she found no time for her prayers—and Levi told his brothers that he spent in prayer for them the time for which their busy pursuit of wealth seemed to make no room. The venerable Dr. Taft of Pawtucket spoke of him "as a holy man." On the beautiful hill-side of a portion



LEVI DE WOLF (26),
BRISTOL, R. I.
BORN APRIL 8, 1766; DIED JULY 18, 1848.

of his estate known as the "Junipers," he was buried by his daughter Abby. An inscription records that at that very spot he was accustomed to spend hours in communion with God. In part her gift, the place has become the beautiful Juniper Hill Cemetery.

The home of Mr. Levi De Wolf was built from the same plans as that from which Capt. John De Wolf, his older brother, had built in 1798, his home which still is occupied by his great-grandchildren and nestles picturesquely among its old trees. Here Capt. John De Wolf, like so many of his family, retired from life upon the sea to the life of a farmer, and became famous as the best farmer of Rhode Island. We shall read in a succeeding chapter of his sheltering in his hospitable home cousins of another branch of the family, and of kindness the memory of which is still treasured in this present generation. He also found time to serve his town as its representative in the Legislature and held other positions of public trust.

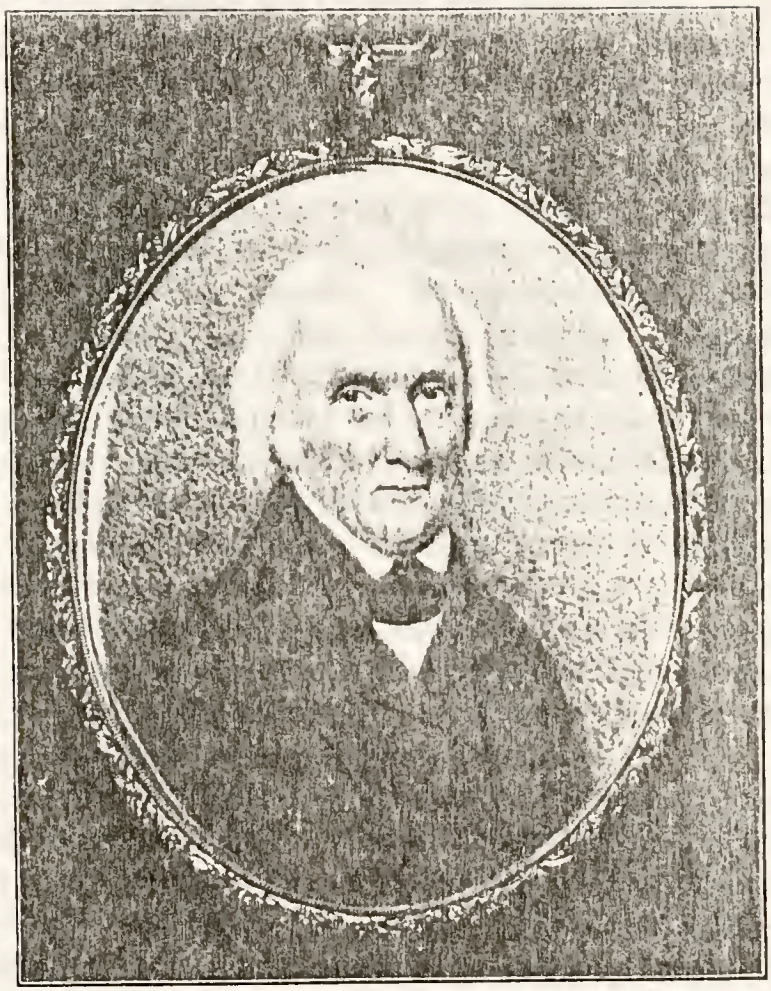
His son and only child Professor John De Wolf, was one of the most distinguished scholars of the State, and for twenty years one of the faculty of Brown University, in the chair of chemistry, though he was equally well known as a scholar in mathematics and languages. He was twice married. By his first wife, Elizabeth James, he had one son a well known physician, the late Dr. John De Wolf of Providence, whose children and grandchildren are prominent in both professional and business life. His second wife was Bishop Griswold's beautiful daughter Sylvia, and the descendants by this marriage, the families of Mr. Sydney De Wolf, of Mrs. Bullock, wife of Judge Russel Bullock, and of Mrs. Robert Andrews, are still among the most representative citizens of Bristol.

Of the remaining three of the eight sons of Mark Anthony De Wolf, the writer can relate little as to their lives. Of Samuel Potter who died unmarried at the age of twenty-one, he has learned nothing but the brief record in the family bible, "Died at sea on the Privateer *Oliver Cromwell.*" Mark Anthony the second son and his brother Simon his next younger brother, also perished at sea at any early age, thirty-two and twenty-six respectively. At least they sailed from Hispaniola homeward bound and were never heard from. They both left families. Neither of the sons of the former, Mark Anthony and Samuel, married. So the male line ended. His daughter

Elizabeth married Barnard Smith of Warren, her son, who continued the family name, Mark Anthony De Wolf Smith, left two sons, but Samuel died unmarried and George, who married Eliza Peck of Warren, died without children. His widow died quite recently in Warren. Mrs. Elizabeth De Wolf Smith had however, two daughters who married in the West, who very probably have descendants; if so they are the only direct descendants of Mark Anthony De Wolf and Abigail Potter, whom the writer has, if he is not mistaken, failed to trace.

Simon De Wolf left but one child to his widow Hannah May, and he was destined to add fame to the name of De Wolf. A reference has been made to the participation in arctic exploits by one of the youngest of the De Wolf family, Mr. Langdon Gibson. The adventures of one three generations earlier in northern latitudes, then equally unknown, may well find a place in this story. Simon's son John made a journey across Siberia, then unprecedented, which gave him ever after the sobriquet "Capt. Nor West John De Wolf."

The writer only remembers the fine old captain when age had whitened his hair. His daughter, the late Mrs. Downing of Dorchester, Mass., is another of the old members of the De Wolf family who gave cordial encouragement to the begining of this genealogy, but has not lived to see it completed. The reader can best learn the achievements of Capt. De Wolf by some brief extracts from his published work, *A voyage to the North Pacific and a journey through Siberia more than half a century ago*, by Capt. John De Wolf, Cambridge. Welsh, Bigelow & Co., 1861. In the preface he modestly says: "Although I am not one who regard everything beyond the smoke of their own chimney as marvelous, I think my expedition to the Northwest coast was made a little remarkable from the circumstances that I met at Norfolk Sound, his Excellency Baron von Resanoff, to whom I sold my vessel and then crossed the South Pacific in a little craft of twenty-five tons burden, and after an overland journey of fifty-five hundred miles, returned home by the way of St. Petersburg. This was a voyage and travels more than half a century ago, and I was probably the first American who passed through Siberia. I know that others have claimed to be the first and have published descriptions of the country; but I had gone over the same route before any of these claimants were born."



HON. JOHN DE WOLF (22),
BRISTOL, R. I.
BORN MAY 17, 1760; DIED OCT. 10, 1841.

Capt. De Wolf, having constantly risen in rank in a seafaring life from the early age of thirteen to twenty-four, returned, after a series of long voyages east of Cape of Good Hope to Bristol for a short respite. His employers, Messrs. Charles, James and George De Wolf purchased the *Juno*, and sent him in command on a voyage to the northwest coast of America to collect furs for the China Market. He put to sea Aug. 13, 1804. On Aug. 14, 1805, when the *Juno* was waiting at Norfolk Sound for the Indians to return with furs from a hunting excursion, there arrived as passengers on a Russian brig, a nobleman, Baron Nicholas von Resanoff, a large proprietor of the Russian-American Co., Lieut. N. Schwortoff, Lieut. Davidoff, and Dr. George von Langsdorff. To this Russian party he sold the *Juno* and the remainder of its cargo for $68,000 and a small Russian vessel, well provisioned, in which he sent the crew of the *Juno* to Canton. Then he went into winter-quarters, sharing the same house with Dr. Langsdorff, a German naturalist and scientist who had volunteered to accompany the Russian party for purposes of scientific research and discovery. During this winter, of which Capt. De Wolf gives an interesting and often amusing account, the two companions conceived for each other a warm friendship, and determined to pursue their journey together. On June 30, they set sail in a small Russian vessel to Irkutsk. An account of the innoculation of a whole settlement at that place, suffering from small-pox, by means of a needle and thread is interesting when compared with modern methods.

By a journey of thirty-five thousand miles from this place, Capt. De Wolf reached St. Petersburgh Oct. 21, 1807. The return to his native land was made more rapidly via Liverpool. He arrived in Bristol April 1, 1808. "Thus terminates," concludes Capt. De Wolf, "an absence of three years and six months from the time of my departure. The owners were in receipt of the proceeds of the voyage, which resulted in a clear profit of one hundred thousand dollars."

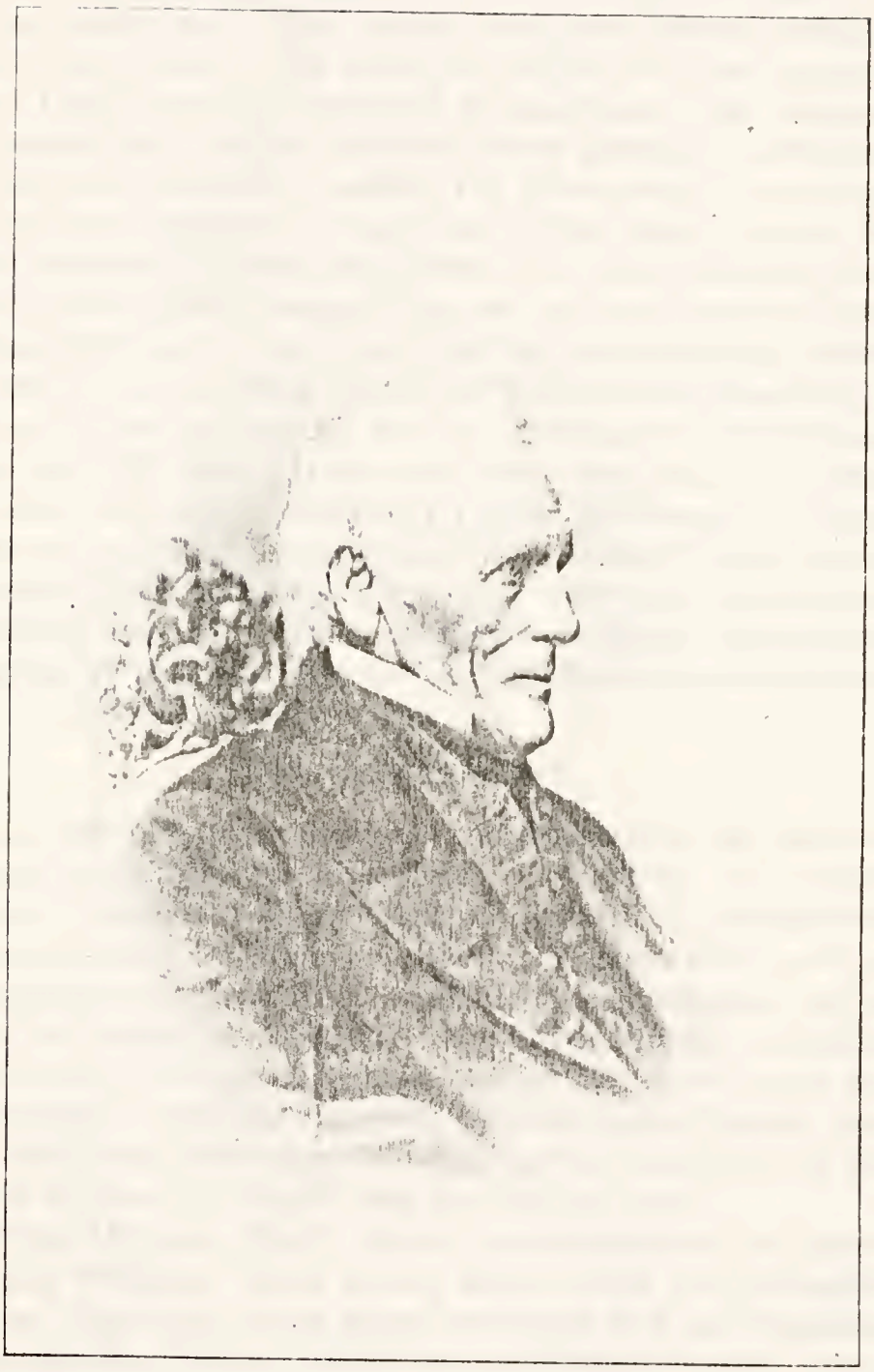
Capt. De Wolf continued in the Russian trade in which he had made so distinguished and remunerative a beginning. In 1809, he again met his friend Dr. Langsdorff. Their former comrades, Lieutenants Schwortoff and Davidhoff were at the time stationed on the opposite bank of the Neva. After one evening's pleasant reunion, they were drowned in the Neva by

the upsetting of their boat. Of their pathetic death, Capt. De Wolf adds: "Though fifty years have gone by since the death of these young men, I cannot forbear to recall their virtues and lament their untimely end."

Capt. De Wolf continued, some years after his marriage, in the Russian-American trade. His family have a heavy silver tea service presented to him by the Russian-American Company, as well as much Russian cut glass. On retiring from the sea, like so many sea captains, he occupied himself in farming on a small scale on a fine old place near Brighton, and the last twelve years of his life he made his home with his married daughter, Mrs. Downing, at Dorchester, Mass. "I never knew," writes his granddaughter Mrs. Green, "a more beautiful old age. Beloved by those of all ages, he had many friends among the young people and was young with them, and his grandchildren were devoted to him. They always called him 'White Grandpa,' on account of his silvery white hair, to distinguish him from my father. They always knew in just what spot in his room to look for candy and fruits which he always had for them, and if there was anything they particularly wanted, they were always sure that 'White Grandpa' would give it to them. Like so many old people it was hard to adapt himself to modern improvements, and especially the new ideas in ship-building were not always to his liking. At a window of his room at our summer home, commanding a fine view of Boston Harbor, we would often find him holding his spy-glass at arms length, and if sometimes we would ask: 'What do you see, Grandpa?' he would invariably reply: 'I am looking at those blasted three-masted schooners.' We often wonder what he would have thought of the five and six masted ones so common in the harbor now. My grandmother was very fond of us, but we stood in much awe of her—she was so very dignified and strictly a lady of the old school. Grandpa was always a dear companion to us."

The reader cannot fail to recognize in this story of this fine old captain of former days—family characteristics—the enterprize, "indomitable will, somewhat impatient of contradiction, or of new-fangled ideas," combined with that intense passionate love for his family, his tenderness and sweetness toward the little ones.

Of the seven daughters of Mark Anthony and Abigail Pot-



CAPTAIN JOHN DE WOLF (55),
DORCHESTER, MASS.
BORN SEPT 6, 1779; DIED MARCH 6, 1872.

ter De Wolf, only four lived long enough to have histories to record. The last children born to them were girl twins, who died the same year. The second daughter, named Abigail, also died in infancy. The youngest daughter to grow up and marry, Lydia, has no surviving descendants. She married first Samuel Lee, and her two boys, Mark Anthony and Samuel were drowned with their cousins, the Howe boys, in an accident that cast a gloom over the town of that day. True to the marine traditions of her family, Mrs. Lee then married Capt. Attwood—the writer always heard her spoken of by his father as "Aunt Attwood." Her one child by that marriage, Abby, married a brother of Mrs. James De Wolf, Hersey Bradford,—so a cousin thus became an aunt by marriage to all of Capt. James De Wolf's family, and a very dear aunt and uncle they were, and very merry were the family gatherings at Uncle Hersey's home, now the residence of Col. Samuel Norris, corner of Bradford and Main streets, Bristol. Very dear and delightful cousins, too, were Uncle Hersey's children, Hersey and Seraphina, of the next generation, but both died unmarried, and so as to Aunt Attwood's line:

"Now my story is done."

The remaining three sisters certainly made up for the lack of descendants, from the four already considered. The eldest, Margaret, married Joseph Diman, of Bristol. At the time of the birth of their children they lived in a house that stood on the northeast corner of Hope and Constitution streets. At the time of her death, however, Mrs. Diman was living in a house which is still standing on the southwest corner of Hope and Court streets. The fine residence, known as the Diman mansion, which once stood upon Thames street, just north of the store of William R. Taylor, was built by her son.

Of the "Diman wharf," which extended from this place, little now remains. Both of her sons, Royal and Jeremiah, were sea captains. From these two sons and her daughter Margaret—Mrs. Liscolm, have descended the numerous Bristol families of that name.

The most prominent of them in the State in former days was Gov. Francis Moore Dimon. Though born in Bristol he went to Cuba in early life and later became Consul at Port Au Prince, Haiti, and afterwards for many years, held the same

position at Vera Cruz, Mexico. His thorough knowledge of the place and language made him of great service to President Polk and General Scott in planning the bombardment of that city during the Mexican War. For this and because of his being so beloved and respected by the inhabitants he was assigned the honor of entering the city at the head of the victorious army. At the termination of the war he was made Collector of the Port of Vera Cruz, and the United States awarded him a large tract of land for his great services and kindness to the Texas prisoners. On his return to Rhode Island he was elected Lieut.-Governor, and as the Governor, Hon. Philip Allen, became almost immediately after his election U. S. Senator, Lieut.-Governor Dimond served as Governor nearly the entire term. He spent his declining years in his beautiful home, already spoken of as once the home of others of the De Wolf family, Capt. and Mrs. Hersey Bradford, and which is still the home of Gov. Dimond's daughter, the wife of Col. Samuel Norris and their children Samuel Norris, Jr., a successful member of the Rhode-Island Bar and his sister to whom the writer is indebted for the above facts concerning her distinguished grandfather. To-day, Margaret De Wolf's branch of the family is distinguished by Miss Emma Bradford Stanton, the Associate Registrar for the Women's College of Brown University.

The fourth daughter, if we count *both* the Abigails, was named Nancy Potter. The writer's search for her descendants furnishes a good example of the genealogist's difficulties and fascinating surprises. As his father had often spoken of his "Aunt Nancy Kinnicutt," and as her niece, the last of the grandchildren of Mark Anthony De Wolf, Mrs. Charles Lovett was still living when he began his search, he naturally believed it an easy task. It was known that, with a young family of children, Mrs. Kinnicutt had moved from Warren, R. I., to Schoharie Co., N. Y. Beyond this all search seemed vain—she had begun to be referred to by the cousins joining in the quest as our "elusive Aunt Kinnicutt," and her biography consisted of the quotation from a letter of Mrs. Lovett's granddaughter and namesake, Miss Josephine Brooks (daughter of Rev. John Brooks, and niece of the great Bishop of Massachusetts): "All that any of us have known about her is that the bears used to come out of the mountains on moonlight nights and prowl

about the piazza in Schoharie, N. Y., which used greatly to impress my childish imagination." The conclusion seemed irresistable that "Aunt Kinnicutt" and her nine children had been brought to an untimely end by the bears—when a happy accident discovered a great-grandchild in Mrs. Hall, wife of Prof. Edward Winslow Hall, Librarian of Colby College, Waterville, Me. She kindly furnished the first information obtained in regard to Nancy De Wolf, and put the writer in communication with other members of the family. To one of these, Mr. George A. Perry of New York City, the writer is under great obligation, not only for his labor of love in tracing out all the ramifications of this line of De Wolfs, but also for invaluable aid in arranging the tables of Perry descent and for many other services.

Nancy Potter De Wolf was married June 16, 1782, in Bristol, R. I., by the Rev. Solomon Townsend to Edward Kinnicutt. Their home was in Warren, R. I., the home of her husband's family, the last of whom has recently died there. They lived in Warren until the birth of their third child, when they moved to Schoharie Co., N. Y. Here, as has been seen above, they battled with the conditions of a new settlement; but the traditions preserved by her descendants of Mrs. Kinnicutt's character, person and bearing, show that the strong will and sense of family dignity so characteristic of her race were not broken by uncongenial environment. Her granddaughter, Mrs. Celia Smith, (daughter of her son Edward), is the chief living authority for these traditions, as she was sixteen years of age at the time of her father's death, and remembers much that her father related of his mother. According to Mrs. Smith, so Mr. Perry writes, "Nancy was regarded as 'aristocratic,' but very generous and kind. There was no doubt that she was really a beautiful woman with a light complexion, but dark hair and eyes—a type that descended to her eldest child, Samuel De Wolf, his daughter Marietta and others. The same petite figure and quick, impulsive vivacious manner appeared in many of her descendants. Nancy De Wolf had the poetic temperament in full measure."

"It is said she would never turn anyone in want from her door. Every tramp was fed, but she would stand over him while eating and lecture him soundly for his shiftlessness. She was devoted to the Church, but as there was no Episcopal

Church near them, some of the Kinnicutt family became attendants at the Baptist." Mr. Perry thus sums up her character: "She was quick, vivacious and impulsive, and withal a strong, generous and noble woman, devoted to the duties of her home and of her Church." Edward Kinnicutt, her husband was of good old New England stock. His paternal descent was John, son of John, son of Roger Kinnicutt. On the maternal side his mother, Hannah Gorham, was daughter of Jabez, son of Jabez, son of Capt. John Gorham, whose wife was Desire Howland, daughter of John and Elizabeth [Tilley] Howland; both of the *Mayflower*, and the latter probably the granddaughter of Gov. Carver. Moving to Schoharie County, they purchased a large estate, and built one of the first homesteads in that part of the State. Here until their death they maintained a home of refinement and culture, and were widely known and highly esteemed. They kept in touch with their kindred and friends in Rhode Island. Mrs. Kinnicutt was a favorite sister of her brother James, only four years his senior, and one of the memories of her children was his visit to Schoharie, driving all the way from his home in Bristol in a "Coach and Four." "My mother remembered," writes Mrs. Hall, "boxes of goodies that used to arrive in Cobbleskill from James De Wolf. The coffee, tea, spices, raisins, etc., were superior to anything ever seen there."

Edward Kinnicutt fell dead April 27th, 1820. Five years later Nancy executed a will, witnessed by James and William De Wolf and Hersey Bradford. It is a quaint document, preserved by Mr. G. A. Perry. Full of the complex legal phrases of the day, space does not permit its full reproduction here. After a Christian commendation of soul and body to her Maker, in full assurance of the Resurrection "when the trumpet shall summon it (*i. e.* her body) to a glorious and interminable association with its immortal companion in the skies," she divides her estate among her children and grandchildren, making many of those old-time bequests which throw light upon the value of such possessions in the time of our great grandmothers. Thus she leaves to each of her children "one silver tablespoon, having the initials 'N. D.'W.' engraved thereon." In the case of her son Samuel, "said spoon after his death to his daughter Marietta." The treasured possession of one of these spoons by Mrs. Hall was almost all she knew of her

great grandmother, as her mother, Mrs. Hascall, had been sent to her paternal grandfather in West Rutland, Vt., at an early age. The will bequeaths the homestead to Joseph, her oldest son, except the occupancy of her own sleeping room, which is left to her daughter Nancy, and these two remained there unmarried till the time of their death. To her daughter Abigail Vincent she left her "looking-glass, large rocking chair, a bed quilt and a book entitled the 'Life of Sarah Osborn';" to her daughter Mary Ann Harman, "my string of gold beads, a small well finished cherry chest, and the book entitled 'Sherlock on Death';" and to her "granddaughter Julia Vincent, a set of calico bed curtains."

As we have seen, Joseph and Nancy remained unmarried, William died at nineteen, many years before his parents, Charles and James died in infancy. Only four of her children married, yet Nancy De Wolf's descendants number one hundred and seventeen, of whom seventy-nine are (March 15, 1902) still living, but none bear the name of Kinnicutt. Of the oldest married son, Samuel De Wolf Kinnicutt, his grandson, Mr. Perry, writes such a charming sketch that space must be made for a liberal quotation in his own words.

"My grandfather was a most picturesque and interesting character,—a refined gentleman of the old school. I spent my early childhood at the Kinnicutt Homestead, which he built and which to me as I look back was a most delightful spot. He used to tell me the old classical stories of Greece and Rome, and the mysteries of astronomy. The homesteads were well supplied with books, and both Samuel and his brother Edward were fond of reading. I often found my grandfather reading his 'Horace' or 'Locke on the Understanding.' He recited poetry by the page. I cannot remember when I did not know about James De Wolf, and of his ships and losses at the time the embargo, and of his 'grand mansion' in Bristol and the visits he made to his sister Nancy. In fact he made my childhood a delightful dream. His gentleness and beautiful character endeared him to me as a constant inspiration. and when at the age of eighty-seven, in 1865, he died while I was away at school, it seemed as if I had lost my best friend. He is buried on the old estate."

Samuel Kinnicutt had built his own house a half-mile east of the original home, the latter about one hundred years old.

Samuel's house was burned in 1826, but upon the same site he built a second, the house Mr. Perry remembers—the winding staircase down whose rail he took many a ride, the great open fire place around which they gathered and cracked hickory nuts in the long winter nights, when from the neighboring homestead his Uncle Edward often joined them, and the brothers discussed the news of the Crimean War.

In regard to the many fine old pine trees on the estate, their "trunks straight as a mast, three or four feet in diameter, without a limb or a knot for one hundred feet or so," relics of the "forest primeval," Mr. Perry tells a characteristic story of his grandfather. As the estate became divided into small farms, one noble monarch of the forest after another had been sacrificed—cut, drawn and quartered by the new neighboring saw mills. One still stood in solitary grandeur on a hill near by. Often Mr. Kinnicutt would climb the hill to gaze at the noble tree and reflect on the cruel wantonness that had cut down all its companions. One day, taking its owner to the tree, he asked him to put a price upon it. "Well, Mr. Kinnicutt," was the reply, "I will cut it down and saw it into lumber which you shall have at the lowest price." "Cut it down! cut it down!" exclaimed Mr. Kinnicutt with burning indignation, "I do not want it cut; I want it to stand right here!" This was a puzzling and novel business proposition to the unsentimental settler, but the tree was saved.

Mr. S. De W. Kinnicutt's only son, a promising young man, died at nineteen. His two daughters married; the older, Marietta, became the wife of John Henry Coons, well known in the county, and for several years County Clerk; Hester Ann married Henry Nelson Perry, the father of our correspondent, a man described as not only very handsome in person, but "a real gentleman by nature, very bright, quick and generous to a fault." Their son, Mr. George A. Perry, who has been so frequently quoted, a resident of New York City, his summer home on Lake Champlain, has two sons who, with himself, inherit the literary tastes of Samuel Kinnicutt—Mr. Perry enlisting while still a student of Charlotte Seminary, N. Y., in the 91st N. Y. Vol. Reg't., served throughout the war, then returned to school, later took his Master's Degree at Wesleyan University, and has been a classical teacher all his life—his oldest son, Ralph Barton, graduated at Princeton with

high honors, Class of '96, later took three years post graduate course in Philosophy at Harvard, and after having been an instructor in Philosophy in Williams' College and in Smith's College has just received the appointment to the same position in Harvard University. His younger brother, Edward De Wolf, after attending Princeton University has entered on a course of Naval Architecture in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

As we have seen, neither of the two sons of Nancy De Wolf Kinnicutt who married left male issue. Nancy's daughter Mary Ann married in Hardwick, Mass., Henry Harmon. Of their three children, Charles married his cousin Emeline Kinnicutt; James married Lucinda Lear in Bridgeport, Vt., and became the father of several Vermont branches of the family; while their only daughter Celia married Ralph Henry Hascall, a son of Rev. Daniel Hascall, D.D., the founder of Colgate University, N. Y., and a descendant of both William Bradford and Stephen Hopkins of the *Mayflower* company. Thus, again, were branches of the family established in New England and the literary traditions of the Kinnicutt's preserved, for a daughter of this last marriage Mary Sophia Hascall married Professor Edward Winslow Hall, L.L.D., also a descendant of the *Mayflower* company through his ancestor, Francis Cook, and who after serving many years upon the Faculty of Colby College, Waterville, Me., is the Librarian and Register of that institution of learning. This is the Mrs. Hall of whom the writer's indebtedness has been already acknowledged.

The only remaining daughter of Mark Anthony De Wolf to be considered, Abigail—married at about the age of twenty, Capt. Perley Howe who had recently come to Bristol from the home of his father, Rev. Perley Howe, at Killingley, Conn., of which place the latter, a graduate of Harvard, was the congregational minister. The first three sons of this marriage, the eldest only twenty-five at the time, rovers of the sea like their father and their grandfather De Wolf, on returning from a voyage around the world were wrecked and lost with two other grandsons of Capt. Mark Anthony De Wolf on the New England shore. Says the beautiful little sketch of Bishop Howe by his widow from which many of these facts are gathered: "The mother who was anxiously awaiting their

arrival dreamed, on a certain stormy night, that they were in mortal peril. The ship never came to land, but the repentant waves left on the shore some records of their cruel work. What wonder that the dream and its interpretation were thought to be one!" Mr. Charles De Wolf Brownell contributes a family tradition somewhat awesome that might seem to belong to this accident—perhaps another form of the story which Mrs. Howe preserves. Only as Mr. Brownell writes, he does not "know that any of the old family who were lost at sea were married," as the reference of the child to a "father would imply." Thus runs the tale: "In the great storm when they were supposed to be lost, one of the children woke up, in the middle of the night, sat up in bed and called out: 'Mother, there's father,' and the same moment a table with folding leaves, standing in the middle of the floor, turned bottom side up, the leaves falling flat on the floor. On the same night my grandfather, Capt. Charles De Wolf had a dream that he met one of the sailors of the ship and asked him: 'Jack, where's your captain and where's your mate?' The answer came back: 'The captain's gone and the mate's left behind.'" To whomsoever this story may relate, (after many of the De Wolf family must be written: "Lost at sea,") it adds another to a long list of well authenticated dreams and presentiments of coming death. Capt. Perley Howe "was an ardent patriot in the War of the Revolution, and was impoverished by a too confident trust in the value of continental money." He therefore resorted to teaching, in this occupation spending his last years in Hartford, Killingly and Weathersfield, Conn. In Killingly, John Howe was born. After her husband's death, the widow returned with her two boys, John and George, to Bristol. Here she married a second time, Capt. Jeremiah Ingraham. She probably occupied as Mrs. Ingraham the home which, much altered, still stands south of the Post-office. It was in this house her grandson, Bishop Howe, was born. The writer remembers when it was the home of the only child of the second marriage, Mary Ingraham, the wife of Rev. John West. This latter very handsome couple, John and Mary West, in this house brought up a large family who inherited the beauty and vivacity of their parents. The numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren of Mrs. Abigail (De Wolf) Howe have maintained the family name both for fair-

ABIGAIL DE WOLF (19),
WIFE OF (1) CAPTAIN PERLEY HOWE.
(2) CAPTAIN JEREMIAH INGRAHAM.
BORN JULY 1, 1755; DIED FEB. 22, 1833.

ness of face and sweetness of disposition, leaders in the circle of society scattered from Mexico and California to New York; from Charlestown to Newport and Bristol. The inconstant sea continued its cruel bereavements to Abigail De Wolf, depriving her of her second husband, but she herself lived to be nearly eighty years of age. Of her son John, Hon. Nathaniel Bullock, his brother in the profession of the law, and a fellow student under Judge Bourn, writes in an obituary in the Bristol *Phœnix*, March 18, 1864, at the time of Mr. Howe's death:

"He graduated at Rhode Island College, now Brown University, in the year 1805, and was distinguished among the members of a numerous class for diligence in his studies and correct deportment. On leaving college, he devoted himself to the study of law under Judge Bourn, and on admission to the bar commenced the practice of his profession in this town, and continued in it till in 1841 he was appointed Collector of the Customs for the District of Bristol and Warren by President Harrison.

With talents peculiarly adapted to his chosen profession, and a mind already disciplined to study, he soon secured a fair practice and an enviable reputation at the bar, then regularly attended by such lawyers as Burrill, Burgess and Searle of Providence; and Hazard, Robbins and Hunter of Newport. No advocate was ever more faithful, or more closely identified himself with his client. His manner as a speaker was deliberate, forcible and impressive. If the trial involved a mooted question of law for the consideration of the Court, he never failed to come to the discussion well prepared, and opposing counsel was sure to find a hard antagonist to encounter.

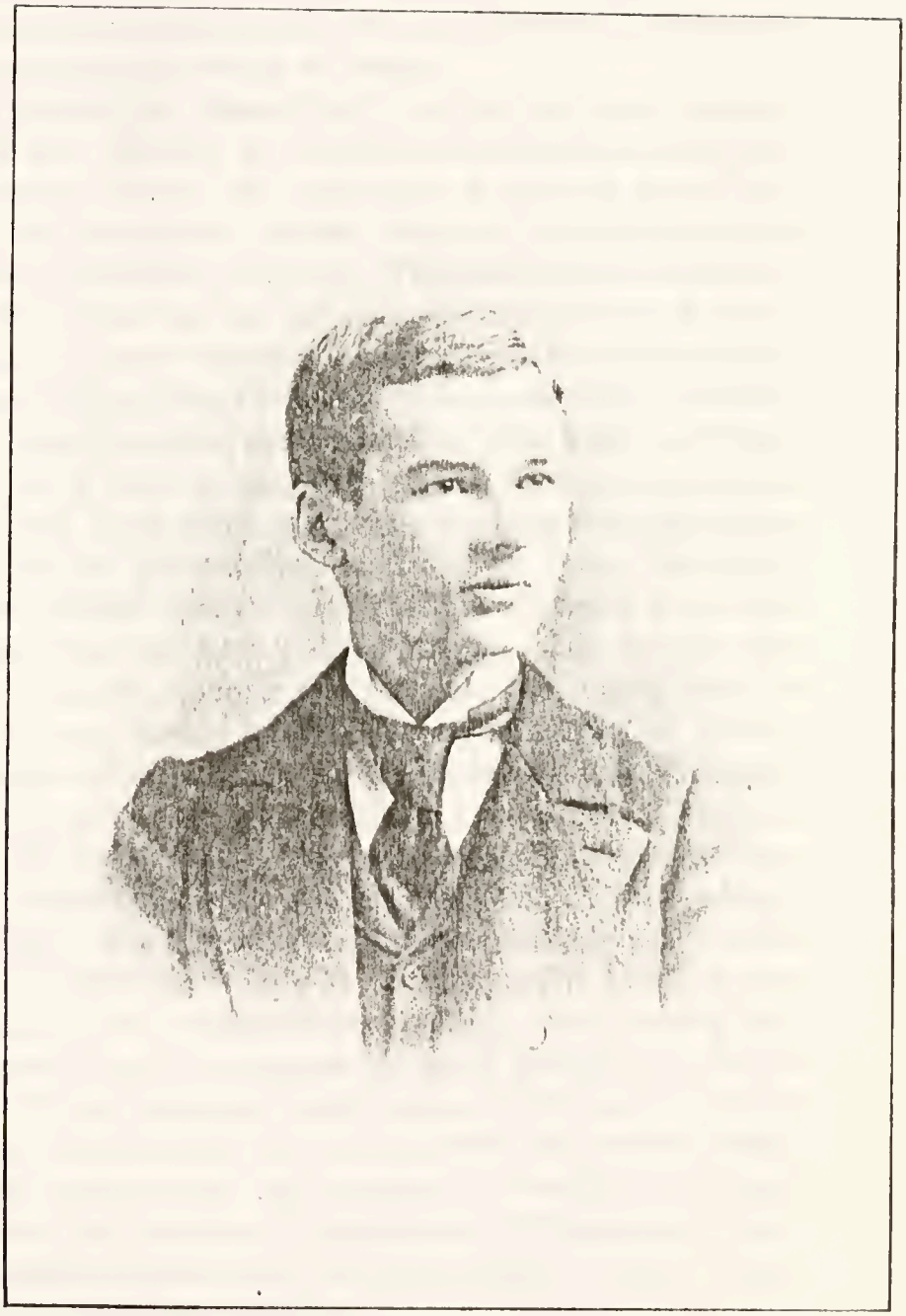
He early took a part in the politics of the day, making his debut as a Federalist in opposition to a large family connexion that had influence enough to control the polls at town elections. He thus cast his lot with a party that was in the minority not only in the town, but also in the State and Country. Had self-interest or ambition for official preferment been his leading object, he would have united with his powerful kindred, and thrown himself into the majority. But he based his political opinions on principles he believed to be right, and was not to be shaken from them.

He contracted good habits in his youth, and sustained an unblemished moral character throughout his life. He was

happy in his domestic ties, and performed all the duties of that relationship with devoted and warm affection. He was a constant worshipper at St. Michael's Church, and one of its Vestry many years; made a public profession of his faith in the Christian religion four years before his death, and died in the hope it inspires."

Mr. Howe was also fond of literary studies, and was the author of many able articles and essays, many in advocacy of the protection policy of the Whigs, to which party he attached himself when the Federal party expired. He represented Bristol in the General Assembly for a number of years. He built the handsome residence on Hope street, later known as the house of Gov. Byron Diman, and to this new home brought his only child, Mark Anthony De Wolf, when nine weeks old. He had married Louise Smith, a sister of Benjamin Bosworth Smith, who lived to be Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church in the United States. Mrs. Howe was a descendant of Richard Smith, one of the founders of Bristol in 1680, and first town clerk. His wife was known for her loveliness of character. She and the writer's grandmother were devoted friends, their husbands, business partners. Mr. Howe was with Abel Jones, viewing land of Mr. Jones where Chicago now stands, when the latter died. It was looking out of her window and seeing Mr. Howe lead back her husband's riderless horse that gave Mrs. Jones the first news of her husband's death, five months before the birth of their daughter Julia.

It was in the beautiful home of Bishop Howe, "Weetamoe," at Bristol, that the writer used to watch the strong fine face of Mr. John Howe, who spent his last days with his son, while the writer's friend, Mr. Howe's grandson Herbert, then showing every indication of becoming a great artist, painted his grandfather's portrait. It was many years later in the old parlor of Silver Creek after bidding adieu to the friend of his youth that the aged Bishop was assisted to his carriage, stricken with the beginning of the illness which a few days later called him to his reward. But, although the writer was privileged with the inspirations of the Bishop in childhood and of his counsels in later years, and was brought up in intimacy with his children, and although he has listened to many an anecdote of Bristol's history from the lips of the Bishop, than whom none knew or loved his native town better, he can do better for his readers



JOHN FELL HOWE (1107),
PHILADELPHIA, PA.
BORN DEC. 3, 1875; DIED DEC. 31, 1895.

than himself, attempting to sketch the Bishop's character. There will be found in later pages of this volume a brief sketch of the first Bishop of Central Pennsylvania, by his own son and namesake, already making himself favorably known in literary circles in connection with the *Youths' Companion* and as editor of some charming volumes.

Of the long line of the Howe family whose portraits through the courtesy of Dr. Herbert M. Howe and other sons of Bishop Howe, adorn these pages, the youngest is that of John Fell Howe, son of Dr. Herbert M. Howe, and the great-great-great grandson of Mark Anthony De Wolf. The only son of his father, beloved and respected by all who knew him, already having shown promise of those splendid talents which have distinguished so many of his family and, as will be seen by his portrait, not lacking in those personal attractions for which the De Wolfs have been noted, a face of singular purity and sweetness, as well as enkindled with lofty purpose—he may appropriately close the line of six generations of De Wolf faces that look forth from these pages—symbolizing all that is most desirable and hoped for from the living descendants. His bright life closed Dec. 31, 1895, in his twenty-first year, his junior year at Yale college, yet not before he had set an example of manliness, of Christian character, of high intellectual attainments that lives after him, so that his teacher and friend, Rev. Charles W. Coit, a master of St. Paul's School, Concord, in his address at his funeral, could say: "My brothers, the life of John Howe is not really over. His fragrant memory will always live with those who knew and loved him. It was impossible to look into his clear, frank, open countenance without recognizing the truth and innocence and reverence for good things that dwelt within. * * While entering with keen enjoyment into all manly pursuits and exercises, both on land and water; while holding a high place in all his studies, for which his clear, strong mind and his powers of application fully qualified him, John Howe possessed that true manliness which comes from strict adherence to high principles."

A life which called forth such high praise from his teacher, while college classmates, united in speaking of him as "one whose Christian character and manly bearing endeared him to all who knew him," does not close, however early, without stamping its indelible mark for good. On his father's side he

inherited the high moral and religious traits and intellectual attainments that has been described in the preceding pages. Indeed, much in the description of his character given in the memorial which is here quoted, reminds the writer of what he had heard from his mother's lips of the seriousness, yet joyousness, the depth of thought and the brilliancy of wit of his grandfather Bishop Howe, when a college tutor. From the side of his mother, Mary W. Fell Howe, he inherited "an unusual degree of practical and business skill, together with a large degree of common sense, that rare gift so desirable yet so hard to define" (In Memoriam, Bristol *Phœnix*, Jan. 7, 1896), as well he might, from the daughter of Gillingham Fell, one of the most prominent, successful and respected of Philadelphia's great business men; the president of the Union League of Philadelphia, during the war. The enduring inspiration which such a life should exert on all the younger generations, for whom these pages are chiefly written, shines forth in these graceful lines of William G. Low, Jr., one of the "ten trusty friends and classmates who bore him to his grave."

"Thou belted knight, sealed with the holy cross;
Thine is immortal gain and ours the loss!
God saw thee early, foremost in the fight,
And took thy soul to join the Hosts of Light!"

The deep, yet triumphant sorrow of his kinsmen and friends, breathes in the lines of his uncle, M. A. De W. Howe, as he paced the ice-bound shore that skirts the ancestral home, "Weetamoe," in Bristol.

"To walk beside this winter shore,
Was not for his young feet;
Of summer learned he all his lore,
Smiling from life's wide opened door
A summer world to greet.
The icy channel's narrowed span
'T was not for him to know;
His current widening as it ran,
Still smoothly spreads as it began;
Free from our frosts and snow."

For such a life one may pray with sure Christian confidence, as does the memorial before us—as does the writer for all those "gone before" whose names are recorded in these pages.

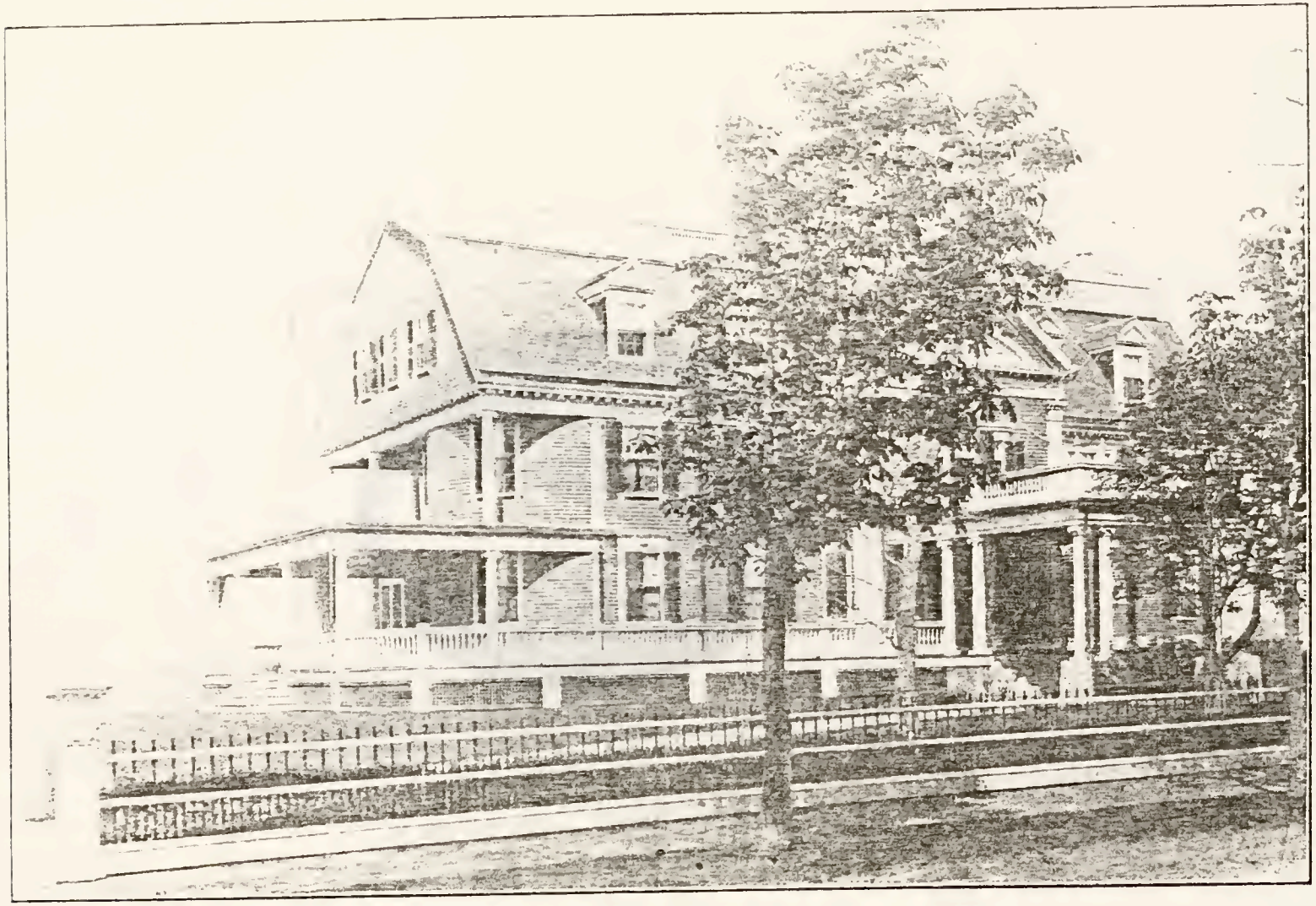
"Grant them, O Lord, eternal rest;
And let perpetual light shine upon them."

The reign of the De Wolfs as the dominant family of the town is ended. Few of the old mansions fling wide their doors as of old to merry throngs. The wharves of the old sea captains are many of them rotting in the harbor. Not by any means that Bristol presents the aspect of a "deserted village." Quite the contrary. Its population has greatly increased, and is certainly much more diversified than in early days. The whistles of the National Rubber Works summon greater streams of humanity than were once employed in the shops and counting houses; at the shore may be seen as great gatherings to witness the launching of the latest wonder that glides from the ways at the Hereshoffs' as were accustomed to collect there to see the great casks of Jamaica rum or Havana molasses rolled on the wharves. With steamers in the harbor and cars taking the place of the stage-coach, strangers have been attracted by the beauties of the town. A beautiful succession of residences crowns the Ferry hill. Among these new homes the De Wolfs do not lack representation. Among them is the beautiful home of Dr. Herbert M. Howe, the oldest son of Bishop Howe, and to whom the writer is indebted for much aid in this work, including the copies of fine portraits in his possession—one by his own brush; for he has combined the unusual gifts of an artist, a physician, and an eminently prosperous and successful business man. Yet with all its more recent prosperity, Bristol seems full of voices of the past—shadows of faded splendors and mysterious whisperings of romances; aye, tragedies too, of bygone days. The sob of sailless waves bewails the once mighty masters of ships as they idly splash against the deserted wharves. The day of the Vikings is past. The graceful pleasure boats, with great white wings over inconspicuous hulls, sent forth by the Hereshoffs to win silver cups of victory are but as the summer water fowl that skim the waves which were once ploughed by mighty Dinosaurs of trade, laden with the riches of the Indies, and the dark monsters of the deep whose capacious maws echoed with the unspeakable captive laments of their human freight.

The great fortunes won from the deep seem to have been called back to it, like the return of the golden ring to the Rhine maidens. Lost by misfortune, sometimes, it must be

confessed, squandered, the wealth of the De Wolfs no longer excites the envy or claims the admiration of former days. "Old Bristol" looks calmly, if somewhat curiously, on the new Bristol rising in its midst.

"The old order changeth, giving place to new."



"MIRAMAR," THE RESIDENCE OF FRANCIS EUGENE DE WOLF,
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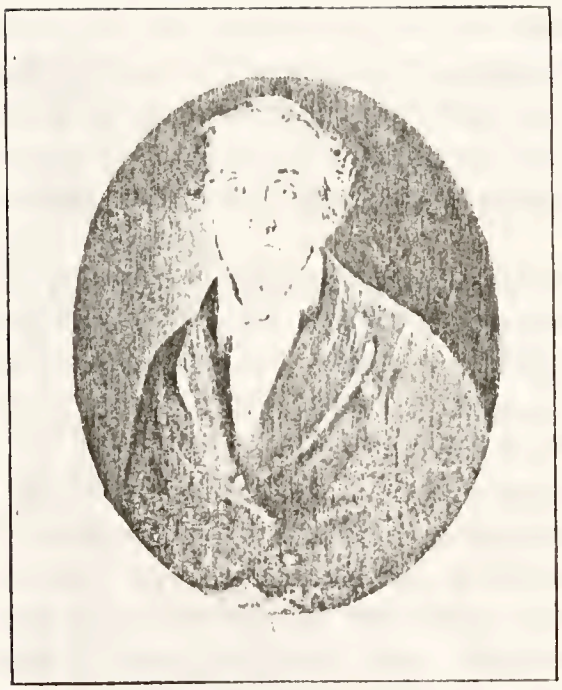


AMASA DE WOLF (29),
OLDEST GREAT-GRANDSON OF CHARLES DE WOLF,
OF GAUDALOUPE.
BORN 1778; DIED 1859.

CHAPTER II.

DESCENDANTS OF SIMON DE WOLF.

IN the inception of his work, the writer knew nothing of Simon the older son of Charles of Guadaloupe, other than the incorrect entry in some of the family bibles: "Simon never returned to America." Another erroneous tradition in the Rhode Island family was that from Simon sprang the Canadian branches of the De Wolfs.

It has been as gratifying as surprising to become acquainted through correspondence with a great number of Simon's widely scattered descendants. This was first accomplished through the Rev. Erastus De Wolf of Boerne, Texas. The writer knew that his father, Rev. Erastus De Wolf, Sr., had visited James De Wolf in Bristol, and was well remembered there. Simon's descendants have been as enterprising in felling primeval forests and subduing the wilderness, becoming founders of new communities in the west as were the sons of Mark Anthony in ploughing the seas. Simon De Wolf was sent home from Guadaloupe, West Indies, to his grandfather Charles at Middletown, Conn. At the time he could have been but a little boy, for he was born 1718 and his grandfather died in 1731 when Simon was but thirteen. His younger uncles, with whom he grew up, were about his own age. The records, carefully searched for the writer by the genealogist, Frank Farnsworth Starr, Esq., of that place, show that Simon, grandson of Charles (of Middletown) was living at Middletown in 1733 and also 1740–1741. He must be carefully distinguished from his uncle Simon who appears as a resident of Reading Parish in the town of Fairfield. Into his grandfather's family Simon seems to have first introduced the French modification of the name, leading to such various spellings that some descendants lost the knowledge of their relationship to their

first ancestors. It may be as well here as anywhere to deal with this question and to offer such apology as may be due for adopting in the tables a uniform spelling. It was impossible to learn in many cases, and would have been perplexing in all, to follow the varieties of spelling among members of the family sometimes related so closely as father and son or first cousins. With very few exceptions (in which the variation was designedly preserved) the spelling most common in the family has been adopted—"De Wolf,"—but not with any purpose of arbitrating in the fierce family dispute as to which is correct. Without going back to the European transitions—de Wolf—possibly Der Wolf, de Loup, etc., which has been so ably treated in the preface, it is sufficient to begin with the first American ancestor. The Salisburys state that the signature of Balthasar to legal papers bearing the date of 1678 sent to Mrs. Salisbury by the late Charles J. Hoadley, the state librarian of Connecticut, is written "Baltasar de wolf" and that of his son, "Edward de wolfe." In the decree of the courts, 1656, to which we shall have occasion to refer later, it is given "Baltazar de Woolfe." There was probably no material change until Charles De Wolf went to the French island of Guadaloupe. His son Simon returned to Connecticut and brought with him the French pronunciation of the name, "D'olf," the French language of course having no "w." It is singular, however, that although both sons returned to America, both espousing the cause against the English, and although the time had not arrived, as in the days of Jefferson when French customs and manners were sedulously imitated—this Frenchified form of the name became immediately popular in the grandfather's family, and soon efforts appear to express the sound in orthography. A complete collection of early autographs would doubtless show the steps of the transition. The writer sought to obtain such without success. The signature of Abda, son of Charles' youngest son Joseph, hence of the same generation as Simon, found upon a paper dated 1782 among the records at Albany, is "Abda Dewolph," according to Mr. John M. Dolph his descendant, showing, as the latter argues, that the name De Wolf was still intended to be preserved. The following extracts from letters to the author from Mr. John M. Dolph of Port Jervis, N. Y., brother of the United States Senator Dolph of Oregon, sheds still further light upon the change:

"Members of nearly all the families of the sons of Charles of Middletown took the name 'Dolph' with various spellings. Matthew's children born in Bolton were some of them residents in Glastonbury—and these spelled the name D'Olph for more than one hundred years. There are Dolphs still living at Deep River, Conn., descended from that Charles Dolph who was killed in 1815 while leading in the capture of the British privateer *Rover*, and whose widow was pensioned by Congress in 1816. The Pennsylvania Dolphs of whom Mrs. Salisbury speaks, were the descendants of Moses Dolph, who was a Revolutionary soldier, and who after the Revolution went to Mountain Meadows, Wayne Co., Pa. In 1795, he was the largest tax-payer in that part of the state. Between 1795 and 1800 he sold his property in Wayne Co. to the father of the historian Goodrich and moved to the site of the present city of Scranton. My grandfather Joseph Dolph, then living at St. Ann, went down there and made the first survey of that part of the valley. I have a letter from Edward Dolph of Scranton in which he says he remembers his grandfather Moses Dolph very well, and that he can remember his saying that the name was originally 'De Wolf' and that some of the family retained the name 'De Wolf.'"

Moses seems to have been married three times, first to a McCarty of Salisbury, so his grandson stated. "Goodrich says that Moses Dolph married the daughter of Jacob Stanton at Mountain Meadow in 1780 and of whom Moses bought his home at that place." "One of the oldest members of grandfather's family has told me that Joseph who was born 1767 and was over twenty years old when his father made the change (*i. e.* 'De Wolf' to 'Dolph') never was reconciled to it. The tradition in the family seems to be, and I find it in all branches, that they considered 'De Wolf' the French name of which 'Dolph' was an English equivalent." How curiously this explanation was the reverse of the facts, the change to "Dolph" being a French influence in a name that had been "De Wolf," or earlier "de Wolf," used in Connecticut for at least eighty years before the corruption to "Dewolph" and "Dolph." The same writer in his essay read at the Dolph Reunion, Kinsman, Trumbull Co., Ohio, accounting for the spread of the abbreviated form by the close companionship of Simon and his family with other children of his grandfather, says:

"One of Edward's sons served in the same regiment as Abda. Moses Dolph, another cousin, ancestor of the Pennsylvania Dolphs, served in another Albany company. John Dolph, another cousin, was in a New York regiment of the line. Abda was associating all the time with his own cousins, who wrote the name 'Dolph,' nevertheless he continued to use his own name up to 1782, only changing the 'f' to 'ph,' making the name 'De Wolph,' as he signed it in 1782. It is probable that the change was finally made when he went to Washington County, about 1790, for Ruth was married in 1791 as Ruth Dolph." That Simon's own family continued this altered form of the name is ascertained from quite independent sources. Simon's great granddaughter, still living at the age of ninety, says: "When I was young my name was Eliza Dolph, some wrote 'Deaolph,' my father did so. He examined, and said the true name was De Wolf." The writer remembers hearing his own father, James De Wolf Perry, say that when the Rev. Erastus De Wolf came to Bristol, he spelled his name "Dolph" until convinced by the former's grandfather, Hon. James De Wolf, of the true spelling. None of the Rhode Island family have ever thus changed the name, but undoubtedly have, from their ancestor Mark Anthony, the second son of Charles of Guadaloupe, through the same French influence, inherited the practice still very usual among them of spelling the name with an apostrophe, "D'Wolf." It is probable from these facts that this latter custom began with their father when living in Guadaloupe: hence this spelling has been adopted in using his name in the title of this book. Hoping that this lengthy orthographical dissertation may be of some aid to future genealogists, and serve as an explanation for the variations of spelling in this present work, let us return to the personal history of these very genuine De Wolfs, even though they "juggled with so honorable a name," as my correspondent, Mr. O. J. De Wolf, complains.

Simon De Wolf had three sons. A diligent search of original records, while revealing the married names of his daughters, discovers no mention of his sons, Amasa and Mark Anthony, beyond the record of their birth. But we learned from Mr. Jonathan Farr, of Black Rock, Pa., that he had heard his grandfather in his old age, sing a song composed by the latter's uncle, Mark Anthony. Mr. Farr's older sister says that Mark

Anthony, son of Simon, was quite a composer of music and poetry. The family believe that he never married. Of Amasa, Simon's second son, nothing is known. Perhaps "he died in childhood." Of Charles, Simon's oldest son, whose numerous descendants are traced in the following pages, his venerable granddaughter writes:

"I think his family were all born in Brooklyn, Conn. Grandfather was a hatter by trade. I do not think they were very rich, but industrious and honest, and had a reasonable share of sense." Later he moved to Mehoopany, Wyoming County, Pennsylvania, where he died in 1814. Here his younger children were brought up, attending the district schools, and were bright scholars, as Mrs. Stone had learned from her elders. In Wyoming and the neighboring counties the family chiefly made their home, where many of the descendants are still farmers. Amasa, the oldest, and Clement, the youngest of his sons, married at Mehoopany. Elisha, the fourth son, married at Braintrim, Luzerne County, where the third son, Giles Meigs, also lived. From these prolific seed beds of the family its representatives have scattered all over the West to the Pacific coast. They are especially numerous in Ohio, Iowa and Illinois. Of these hardy pioneer settlers of Western lands, the venerable Mrs. Stone thus quaintly writes:

"My life has been mostly on the frontiers. The De Wolfs, as far as I am acquainted with them, are honest, industrious, self-reliant people. If one place does not suit them, they try another. They like to paddle their own canoe. We of the new States and Territories have the same Father to rule over us. We have many privations to endure; still there are many pleasures in a new country while we are improving our homes. A contented mind is a continual feast." Many a reader will recognize family traits in these quaint but expressive words.

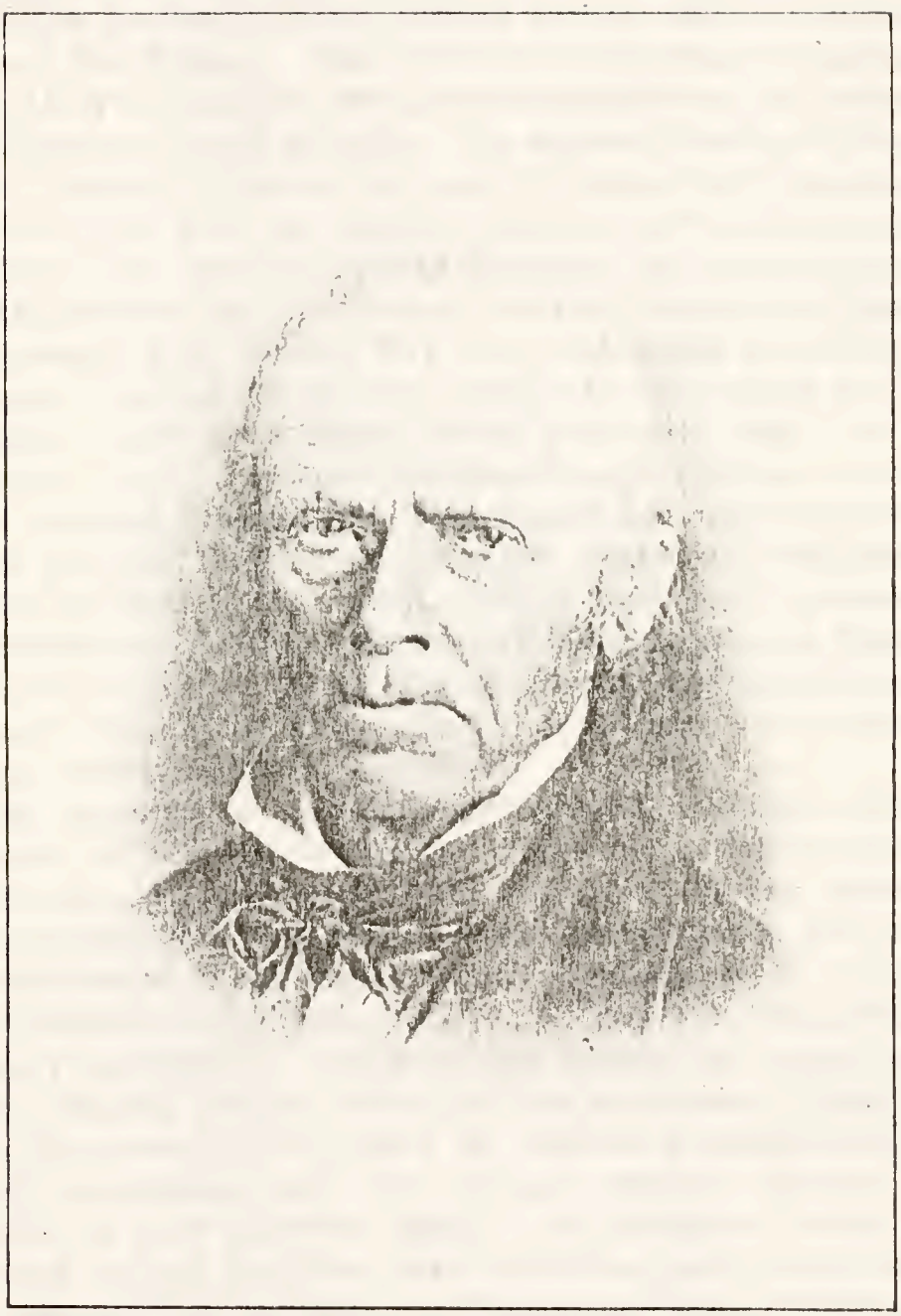
By these migrations the counties of Northwestern Pennsylvania were, however, by no means drained of their hardy stock. Among these thrifty farmers remaining there, descendants of Charles' oldest son are most numerous. Like his father, Amasa was a hatter as well as farmer. He used to tell his grandson, Mr. Jonathan Farr, in whose family he was living when he died, of himself and father making ten hats which they sent to France, and received for them one hundred dollars. So there seems a time when America set the fashion

for hats in Paris! Amasa also was, like so many of his family, a school teacher and a teacher of music, and "almost to the last day of his life sang a song of his uncle Mark Anthony De Wolf's composing." Only one son survives him, Mr. Lafayette Erastus De Wolf, the Postmaster of Nimble, Pennsylvania, but there are many of his descendants on farms in and about Wyoming County; the Farrs, Eastons, Taylors, besides the families of Mark Anthony, Amasa, Charles, and Lafayette De Wolf.

The descendants of Simon De Wolf have not, however, been confined to agriculture. They have made their mark in all the learned professions and in business pursuits. Of the children of Amasa (Charles' oldest son), Mark Anthony had a son, Dr. James De Wolf, assistant Surgeon in the U. S. Army, who bravely fell by the side of General Custer in the battle of Big Horn. The family of Charles' second son, Wyllis, was the branch brought into most intimate relations with the "Rhode Island De Wolfs." Wyllis ran a saw mill in Pennsylvania which was carried away by a freshet. Like others of his family he contended with the rough conditions of early settlements. His son James used to relate that his father, learning at dinner one day that a savage wolf was dangerously near his little daughter, siezed his gun; but on being told his dog "Watch" was with her, replied that she was safe, and coolly resumed his meal.

"The details of the battle between the large dog and the wolf used to be of never failing interest to me in young days," writes his grandson, William Fletcher De Wolf, of Chicago. After the death of Wyllis, his widow and children resided for a while in Bristol, R. I., at the home of Hon. John De Wolf, who aided the boys in making a start in life. His gifts to the family continuing after they had settled in Fall River, Mass., are still remembered and gratefully written of by the younger generation. Wyllis' son Erastus became an Episcopal clergyman, marrying a daughter of William Pearse of Bristol.

The Pearse family was one of the oldest and best known of the town, having been prominent in St. Michael's Church for several generations. Mr. De Wolf spent the earlier years of his ministry in Rhode Island. He died bravely as a Chaplain in the Civil War. Wounded on the battlefield, he continued ministering to those more severely wounded



GILES MEIGS DE WOLF (31),
BRAINTRIM, LUZERNE CO., PA.
BORN 1782; DIED 1865.

than himself, until he was carried exhausted from the field, soon after to die from the effects of his wounds. The Rev. Erastus De Wolf's oldest son, William Wyllis, was admitted to the Bar September, 1859, began practice as one of the firm of De Wolf & Pinckney, Dixon, Illinois, and in 1860 was elected Judge of Lee County. Having served in the office two terms, Judge De Wolf sacrificed his lucrative profession, and offered himself for the sacred ministry. He entered Nashotah Theological Seminary, graduating there in 1872, then becoming assistant to the Rev. Dr. Locke, at Grace Church, Chicago, and Chaplain of St. Luke's hospital. Called to St. John's Church, Decatur, Illinois, he was ordained in that church by Bishop Whitehouse on St. Mark's Day, 1872, and began a successful pastorate, beloved of all, from which he was called to the Presence of the great High Priest, July 20th, 1875. In his short life he had "purchased to himself a good degree" in two of the learned professions. The second and only surviving son of the Rev. Erastus and Hannah Pearse De Wolf, Rev. Erastus De Wolf, Jr., was until recently working in a mission field in Indian Territory. Of his faithfulness there his Bishop wrote the author in terms of high praise. He has recently accepted a call to St. Helena's Church, Boerne, Texas, where he lives with his widowed daughter.

The ministry of the Episcopal Church includes a third grandson of William Wyllis De Wolf, son of his daughter Harriet, Rev. Hobart Cooke of the Diocese of Albany, having been transferred to that diocese from Connecticut in 1882, and now the Rector of All Saints' Church, Hudson, N. Y. There are a number of other grandchildren of Wyllis de Wolf (son of Charles) successful in various walks of life; his second son Wyllis' son, Mr. Joseph Brown De Wolf of Alliance, Ohio, the sons of his youngest son James, Mr. William Fletcher De Wolf already mentioned, and his younger brother Herbert, a jeweller in New Bedford, Mass. His daughter Sarah is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Fullerton, who, when Mrs. Coy, was an active parishioner of the writer's in his frst charge, St. Gabriel's Church, Providence. Giles Meigs De Wolf, the second son of Charles and grandson of Simon, lived at Braintrim, Luzerne Co., Pa., until he moved to Cavendish, Vt., where some years earlier he had married Miss Anna Spalding. In less than five years, however, he returned to Braintrim where

he later removed to the adjoining Bradford Co., and became a prosperous farmer. That he was a man of more than ordinary ability is shown in that he taught his son higher branches of mathematics than were taught in the public schools (*Magazine of Western History*, Vol. XIII, No. 2; Article, "Calvin de Wolf.") Two of his children survive him, the oldest, Mrs. Eliza Stone, at a great age, and his youngest child, Clement, of Springdale, Ark. Calvin, the oldest of his sons to live beyond infancy, was born in Braintrim, Pa., in 1815. Having spent his early days in that and neighboring portions of Pennsylvania, trained, as we have seen by his father in mathematics, and by a friend of his father in Latin, Calvin De Wolf started at the age of twenty-one, in 1836, to win an education by his industry at Grand River Institute, in Ashtabula Co., Ohio. Soon afterwards, finding his way into Illinois, he maintained himself by school teaching, first at Hadley then in Chicago. While teaching and engaging in various other occupations, he began the study of law and was admitted to the Bar in 1843. In 1854, he was elected Justice of the Peace, at that time in the history of Chicago, a a highly important and responsible position, which he held until 1879. He held preliminary examinations on many cases of great importance. In 1858, he was indicted for aiding in the escape of a fugitive slave, but the case after appeal to the United States Court was dismissed in 1861 by the advice of Hon. E. L. Larned, U. S. District Attorney. From his earliest boyhood he had abhorred slavery, and in 1839 was one of the founders of the Anti-slavery Society of Illinois of which he became secretary and also one of the editors of the anti-slavery organ, the *Western Citizen*, in 1842. After retiring from office in 1879, he continued to practice law in partnership with his son Wallace Leroy De Wolf, who is to-day a successful lawyer in Chicago. Judge De Wolf died honored and respected at the age of eighty-four, Nov. 28, 1899.

Singularly enough—a Rhode Island cousin of Judge De Wolf, William Frederick De Wolf, came to Illinois only a few years earlier, 1836, and moved to Chicago six years later than the Judge in 1845. Two young men in a population of four thousand—they lived to be old men in a popoulation of two million. They saw it grow from its infancy, fled from its flames, and beheld it rise Phœnix-like from its ashes. They both took energetic part in its life and progress. During the

Calvin DeWolf

Civil War, William Frederick De Wolf sent forth his oldest son William to die in his country's service. After a career of distinguished bravery, "bearing honorable scars gained in the conflict at Belmont," and "scarcely refreshed from the toils and sufferings of Fort Donelson," the reward for his services was a place in the army of the Potomac.

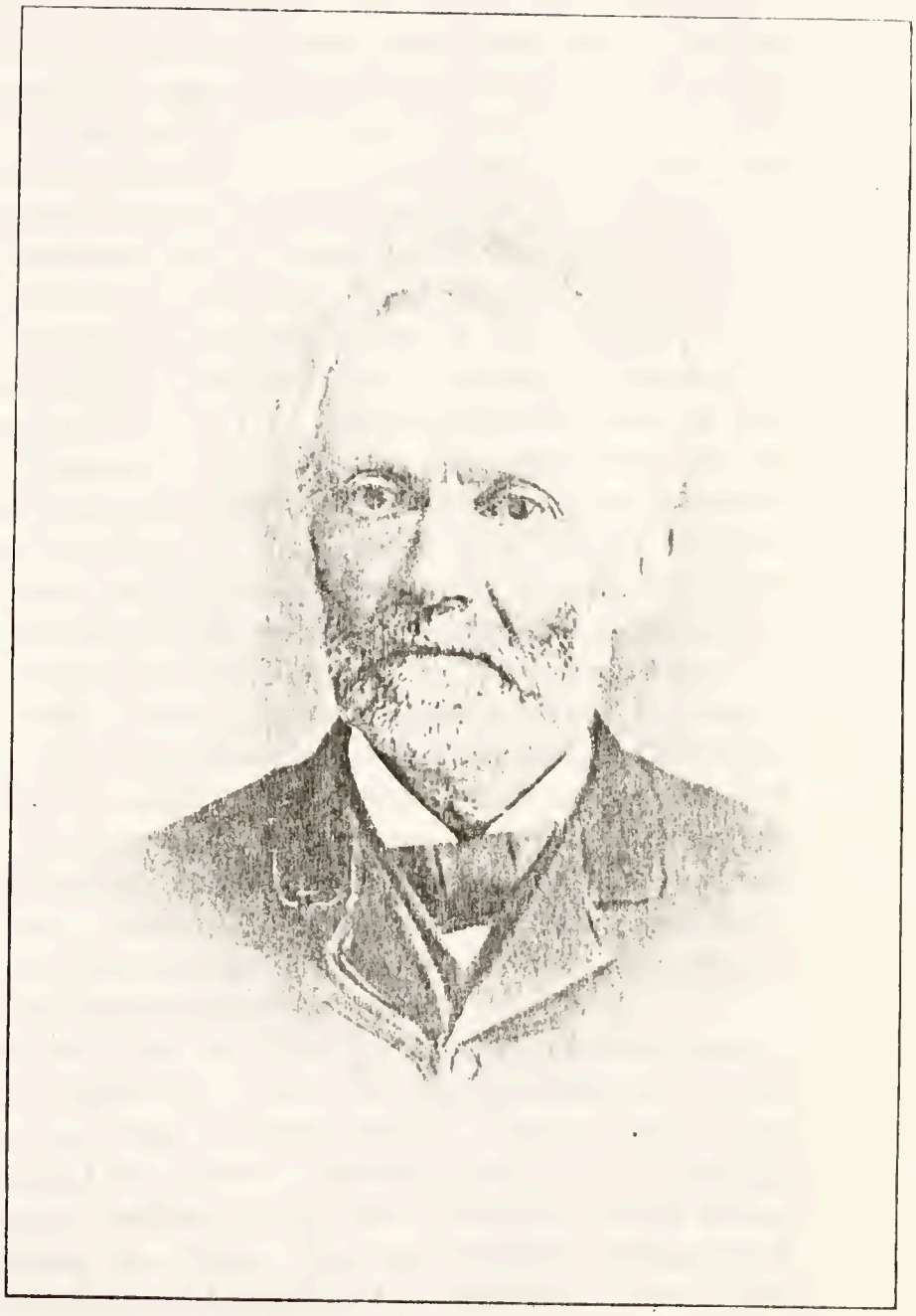
As lieutenant of Gibson's Flying Artillery, U. S. 3d Regiment, he received wounds the day preceding the battle of Williamsburg, from which he died four weeks later in the twenty-first year of his age. "How gallantly he bore himself upon that fatal field," says an obituary notice now before the writer, "his sorrowful comrades will tell. Dismounted by a shot which, tearing one limb at the same time stretched his horse lifeless, he lost no time in seizing another steed which rushed riderless past him, and plunging again into the fight, continued, though badly wounded a second time, to encourage his men and maintained his position until his battery was withdrawn from the field. This was the closing act of one who has been in no ordinary degree beloved and honored among us for his frank, loyal, affectionate temper, noble gallantry of sentiment, his pure and spotless life. His example, alas, is also his legacy."

When Mr. William Frederick De Wolf cast his last vote for President Benjamin Harrison, the young Republicans of Chicago bore him in a chair on their shoulders to the polls. In 1896, he died at the age of eighty-five. Active in religious life as well as civil, he was one of the founders of St. James Episcopal Church, the mother parish of Chicago.

To return to the line of Simon, while the oldest son of Giles Meigs De Wolf was identifying himself with the up-building of the metropolis of the West, in the neighboring state of Iowa, the next brother, James, was taking no less prominent part in the founding of the town of Vail, Iowa. Born during the time his parents resided in Cavendish, Vt., but spending his boyhood in Pennsylvania, in early manhood after supporting himself for two years as his brother had done at Grand River Institute, he pushed West, first into Illinois, then into Iowa, being the first permanent settler in Vail. A member of the State Legislature of Illinois, and holding throughout life other positions of trust, he practiced many years as a beloved and skilled physician, a lover of men and nature, but above all, a lover of the God of both, being a Presbyterian Elder and suc-

cessively the founder and chief supporter of three churches. He and his brother Calvin met as much to their surprise as to their pleasure, as Commissioners to the General Assembly in New York, 1889. It was while engaged in religious work that Dr. De Wolf met with the accident of being thrown from his carriage, which in 1891, caused his death, at the age of seventy-three. "He was not a rugged man, but careful of health, temperate and regular in habits, he was always on duty. Wherever he has lived he has enjoyed the confidence of his fellows in a peculiar degree," reads the obituary notice of his death. His daughter, still making her home with her widowed mother, and his son, Mr. John Horton De Wolf, in business in Chicago, have been among the most zealous to aid in gathering facts in regard to this line of the De Wolf family. Giles Meigs' next son, Charles, has been survived by many descendants, De Wolfs and Fessendens, in Minnesota and Nebraska. Giles Meigs' son Luther had no children; his son Clement married Miss Beecher and lives at Springdale, Ark. Of his daughters besides Mrs. Stone of whom mention has been made, who has no children, his daughter Fanny married David Brink and has many descendants living in Nebraska. Betsey married John Barnes who has left among other descendants a son, Rev. George Wyllis Barnes, an especially zealous and faithful Baptist Minister, and Mary Ellen married Dr. George Northrup, whose son, C. D. Northrup is a prosperous stock raiser at Elkland, Pa., on his "Willow Brook Farm." Elisha De Wolf, the next in order of the sons of Charles (son of Simon), "had a liberal education, was a school teacher for many years and held a number of public offices," writes his grandson Mr. Loren G. De Wolf. One son of Elisha, Giles Newell, is still living at the age of eighty-five, residing with his son just mentioned, he like his father was a school teacher as well as a harness maker. Elisha's oldest son Lyman, was a lawyer of Chicago, while there are grandchildren of Elisha by his daughter, the late Mrs. Elizabeth De Wolf Keeler.

The next two children of Charles De Wolf and Elizabeth Walbridge, Betsey and Charles, died unmarried. Mrs. Stone remembers her Uncle Charles, well. A fall in infancy had injured his brain, yet he had a vivid memory of past events and in old age was a lovable character, fond of his young relatives. His mother entering the gallery of the church which she at-



JAMES DE WOLF, M. D. (120),
VAIL, IOWA.
BORN 1818; DIED 1891

tended, stepped aside to let a stranger pass, and fell from the gallery with her babe in her arms. It was only by a long and persistent search that the family of Clement, youngest son of Charles, was discovered. Even Mrs. Stone, the oldest surviving descendant of Simon, could only write that her Uncle Clement had died about the same time that her youngest brother was born and named after him; that after marrying Nancy Kasson at Mehoopany, Pa., her Uncle Clement moved to Johnstown, O., as a teacher. At length by that casting of nets in all waters known to the genealogist, a grandson of Clement was discovered in Mr. Clark De Wolf of the editorial staff of the *Columbus (O.) Evening Press*, who in turn put the writer in communication with the editor of *The Leader*, Pomeroy, O., and through the patience and industry of these two the writer is enabled not only to add a complete table of the descendants of Clement, but concludes this chapter with the biographical sketches of one of the most picturesque and interesting groups of the family. The sketch of Clement at least deserves to be given in Mr. Smith's own pithy language, though space requires the rest of his notes to be somewhat abbreviated.

"The date of the birth of Clement De Wolf cannot now be exactly ascertained. There is good reason, however, to believe that he was born in 1783. He died at Racine, Meigs, Co., Ohio, from typhoid fever, Sept. 21, 1828. His remains were interred in the village burial ground, but as no enduring monument was ever erected above his precious dust, the oldest inhabitants of the place cannot, at this late day, point out the precise spot. They know it was beneath the spreading branches of a stately sycamore, which has since been removed.

Clement De Wolf first saw the light of day in Pennsylvania. Here he grew to manhood. Here he was educated, and here it was that he met and married Nancy Kasson, one of the noblest women that ever lived. Shortly after their marriage the young couple started west, their objective point being Johnstown, Licking Co., Ohio. Here, in the forest village and in the nearby settlements, the subject of our sketch put to good use the then liberal education he had received in the east.

After a few years devoted to teaching in and around Johnstown, Clement De Wolf and his family made their way through the almost unbroken wilderness to Meigs County, taking up their abode in a log cabin on Shade River in Orange Township.

Here he was again speedily employed at teaching, his greatest and best service being performed at Chester, then the county seat, only three or four miles away.

It was at the county seat that he gained local fame, not only as a teacher of the common and higher branches of learning, but as an expert accountant within the various offices of the courthouse. He was never elected to any of these offices, but he was called upon to straighten out many an intricate mathematical tangle. Not only did he gain distinction here as a well-informed man and scholar, but his reputation as a stump speaker and orator extended into the adjoining counties. Some of his speeches were reported for the public press and are said to have been fine examples of argumentative and rhetorical skill. He was a ready and fluent speaker and bore the reputation of having been one of the best of his day.

From Chester he removed to Racine, a little village on the Ohio River only ten miles away. He taught here for a time, and sustained the enviable record he had made at the places mentioned above. Just when he moved to Racine and how long he taught there, are not known; but he kept steadily at the work till death cut him down in the very prime of life, leaving a heart-broken widow and seven dependent children to engage in what proved to be for each a very arduous struggle of life.

It is said that Clement's thirst for knowledge made him the creature of many embarrassing circumstances. Books were very scarce in those days, newspapers more so, well-read men rare. On one occasion Clement was sent by the good wife of the house in a great hurry to borrow a set of quilting frames. It was in the evening time, and Clement was admonished to make haste, as Mrs. De Wolf was very anxious to get her quilt in that evening so as to be in readiness to begin work early in the morning. Clement promised, went straightway to the house of his well-informed neighbor, with whom he was soon engaged in discussing the current topics of the day. The good wife waited in impatience. Time wore on, midnight came, then two o'clock in the morning, and still no Clement. Finally Mrs. De Wolf, thinking that sickness or accident might have befallen her husband, donned bonnet and shawl and made her way through the woods to the neighbor's habitation. Opening the door she found her husband engaged in a spirited

conversation, his mission forgotten and the advanced hour of the night having never entered his mind. This example serves to illustrate a multitude of similar ones with which he was embarrassed at various times in his life.

As a thinker and a scholar, he was one of the most advanced of his day. He was a good citizen, an honorable upright man. He transmitted to his children the sterling qualities of his manhood, and by them his virtues have been well perpetuated to the present day.

His was a noble strain. May its luster remain undimmed through all the ages yet to come!

Mrs. Nancy Kasson De Wolf, who had at the age of nineteen become the wife of Clement De Wolf, after the death of her husband, consented to become housekeeper for Moses Clark, a most estimable gentleman who had but recently lost his wife by death, near Johnstown, in Licking County.

A little wagon, into which were loaded the mother, the three youngest children—Calvin, Samuel and Betsey, and a few necessary belongings, was soon on its way over the hundred miles through an almost unbroken forest, the wagon being drawn by a poor three-year-old colt, driven by the second son, Daniel.

Mrs. De Wolf and her three children found at Moses Clark's a most comfortable home. Mr. Clark was one of Nature's noblemen. He owned a large and highly productive farm, and was in every way a good provider. Mrs. De Wolf remained with Mr. Clark till his death, for nineteen years having enjoyed his kindly hospitality. Then, with her daughter Betsey, she returned to Meigs County, and became mistress of a home of her own at Syracuse on the Ohio river. Here, within a stone's throw of her two sons, Captains Sam and Dan, she lived in the enjoyment of peace and plenty till she sank into the dreamless sleep of death, April 6, 1870.

'Aunt Nancy' was one of the grandly good pioneer mothers. She was a woman of strong mind, warmly sympathetic heart, the soul of industry, and did her full part in paving the way for a higher civilization. As woman, wife and mother she never fell short of her full measure of duty. She died without guile, and her good works do follow her."

Was there a strain of Corsair blood in the remote ancestry of the De Wolfs, or descent from some famous old Viking of

the North that asserted itself in successive generations? This family, far in the interior, far from the tempestuous seas that their Eastern cousins loved to plough and conquer, sought adventures upon the quieter but no less treacherous waters of the Ohio river, and found their experience hardly less thrilling. Articles of the *Pomeroy Leader* are before the writer; one entitled "Rough and Tumble of River Life," and the other "A Venerable River Captain," sketching respectively the lives of "Captain Dan" and "Captain Sam," as the brothers were familiarly known; the second and youngest sons of Clement De Wolf. Captain Dan made his debut as a steamboat man upon the *Condor No. 3*. Next he became at once captain and pilot of the *Crescent*. This steamer was captured by Grant to tow a gunboat up the Cumberland to Fort Donelson. On his arrival at the fort he was made pilot of the *Ohio*, dispatched on some secret and important mission to Cincinnati. On his release and return to the command of the *Crescent*, he was ordered up the Cumberland with Union forces. After employment on several steamers, he and his brother Sam entered the company which purchased the *Raven*, as ill-fated as the "grim, ungainly, ghastly, gaunt and ominous bird of yore."

Sam De Wolf, in the meantime, after a short experience in running a sawmill in 1846, on Old Tom Creek, in Lebanon Township, with his brother Calvin, had spent five or six years in learning the river in "flat-boating;" then he became a pilot, and entered the "ill-starred Ohio River Transportation Company." He now was placed in command of the *Raven*, his nephew Dor at the wheel. "The last trip of the *Raven* was commenced with ominous forebodings. After picking up her tow she proceeded to Antiquity for coal, partially filled with water, came near sinking, and was only saved by cutting holes through the deck." At the mouth of the Big Kanawha, a big coal lamp exploded, and the vessel narrowly escaped burning. Four miles above Plymouth the boat encountered a terrific wind storm and came near sinking. A little above Cincinnati, April 15, 1870, about midnight Captain Sam was informed the boilers were leaking, and while examining them the boilers exploded. He was blown into the fuel-boat, almost buried beneath the debris, his right arm broken, and was badly burned. Pilot Dan De Wolf and engineer Martin were soon at work to liberate the captain. As the captain came to his

senses and realized the situation, he said: "Do not mind me, take care of yourself." He was saved just in time as the *Raven* sank; but the mate, John Calvin De Wolf, son of Captain Dan, familiarly known as "Tap," was never more heard of.

The *Sam Roberts*, another of the company's boats blew up at Guyon, on Aug. 7, 1874, when Captain Dan who commanded her was badly hurt about the back, three of her crew were killed and seven wounded. Still another of the company's boats, the *Petrel*, Captain Sam in command and Dan De Wolf at the wheel "will long be remembered for its having filled with water and turning over. The boat floated along, drifting as far as Ceredo and continued to roll from side to side, the crew clambering about for the highest part to keep from drowning until they were taken ashore in a skiff. As a climax to all their disasters came the collapse of the company, through the rascality of its smooth-tongued "promoter" and comfortable fortunes which the brothers, starting as poor boys, had by hard toil laid by, were swept away in a day. Captain Dan still retained possession of a comfortable brick residence at the lower end of Syracuse, Ohio; but this home, costing probably ten or twelve thousand dollars, took fire one day and burned to the ground, and not one cent of insurance! This left the old Captain homeless; but his brother Sam surrendered to him his own snug quarters nearby and moved to Racine. In this home, supplied by his brother's generosity, the old Captain passed away at the age of eighty, "an honest, upright citizen," says the notice of his death, "an obliging neighbor, a fast friend, a man of solid and irreproachable character."

"Captain Dan had many thrilling and dangerous experiences due to fog, storm, darkness and wind; but he went through it all without a visible sign of emotion or excitement. His brother Sam says he was the coolest, the most deliberate and the best flat-boat pilot he ever saw. Of Captain Sam, *The Pomery Leader* says: "His has been an honorable upright life. He has pronounced ideas of right and wrong, and what he undertakes he does with his whole soul and will. He has always been liberal to the poor and has gladdened thousands of hearts by word and deed. As a citizen, a neighbor and a friend, he is of the best, and the world has been made happier and better by his having lived in it."

That these sterling qualities were family traits appear from

a notice of the death of the Captain's sister Lydia, Mrs. Smith, who lived to be nearly eighty years of age. "Possessed of a strong physical organism, tireless energy, dauntless courage and indomitable will, she was well equipped by nature to endure the toils, privations and hardships of pioneer life. The mere announcement that a neighbor languished on a bed of pain was to her a signal call. Through blinding storm, withering heat, piercing cold, through the howling wind-storm of night, when falling limbs from swaying forest trees made courageous men hesitate and grow faint at heart, this fearless mother, guided by only the flickering and uncertain rays of a lantern, found her way at all hours of the night to the sick and suffering of many a humble cabin. She thought not of herself: she lived for others. It was her ambition to carry comfort and scatter sunshine wherever she went."

Upon the death of Clement De Wolf the care of the family devolved upon the eldest son, John, then a lad of fifteen. Of him Mr. Smith writes:

"With stout heart and willing hands this faithful son assumed his new-found responsibility. Opportunities were few and wages low, but this noble boy—father at once and son, labored hard wherever employment could be had, all his meagre earnings going to the support of his widowed mother and the family. His self-sacrificing efforts were continued until the mother was persuaded to become housekeeper for Moses Clark, of Licking County, Ohio, whose wife had taken sick and died.

John remained industriously at work in Meigs County, saved his wages, and was soon able to buy a small farm in Lebanon Township. Shortly afterwards he married Harriet Smith, of Athens County, and went to housekeeping. Later he sold his little Meigs County farm, and bought another near Coolville, in Athens County, on which he quietly ended his days

When his brothers, Sam and Dan, bought their first steamboat, the *Hunter*, Sam did not forget his brother John's devoted efforts for their mother and her family; so John was made watchman, a lucrative position which he filled most perfectly on one or the other of the De Wolf steamboats as long as he wanted it.

Of John De Wolf it may truly be said that *never* did he do a dishonorable deed. His word was his bond. His great big

sympathetic heart was as tender as a child's. As a boy, as a man, he was a credit to himself, an unsullied honor to his illustrious line. Forever sweet will be the memory of Uncle John!"

Calvin, the third son, who on the 29th of Nov., 1848, was married to Eliza Jane Seeley by Henry Lawrence, Justice of the Peace, had several children, five of whom are living, the eldest of whom, Clark, has already been mentioned as the first of his family discovered by the writer.

Like most men of his time, Calvin had a limited education. But being possessed of a bright mind, he read law and was elected four terms as Justice of the Peace of Lebanon Township. Though never admitted to the bar, he was a noted pettifogger, and usually put to rout the best attorneys that were ever pitted against him. Lack of opportunity alone prevented him from winning marked distinction in the legal profession. He was five times elected Assessor of his township, and was, in many ways, one of the foremost men of his county.

He was a good neighbor, a true friend, and indulgent father. He died Feb. 26, 1884.

Of the daughters, Betsey, the twin sister of Captain Sam, is the only child still living, unmarried, enjoying "fair health and the exercise of all her faculties, a good woman—at the age of seventy-seven." Polly who became Mrs. George Webster, had several children, two of whom are now living, Don D. of Portland, O., and Mrs. Louise Mooney of Middleport, O.

Of Mrs. Smith, the mother of our correspondent, some account has been already given.

So ends the record of the elder branch of the family of Charles De Wolf of Guadaloupe, the descendants of his son Simon.

If few attained the great wealth that distinguished some of their Rhode Island cousins, their history bears witness to the same industry and determination that has been characteristic of most of the race,—qualities which added to native ability and favorable circumstances in a wider field have conspired to make them leaders of men.

CHAPTER III.

ORIGIN OF THE AMERICAN DE WOLFS, THE NOVA SCOTIA DE WOLFS AND OTHER BRANCHES OF THE FAMILY NOT DESCENDED FROM CHARLES OF GUADALOUPE.

INDUSTRIOUSLY, but thus far unsuccessfully, have the family genealogists sought the link to connect the De Wolfs of America with the noble family of that name, for centuries prominent in many countries of Europe. It will appear from the following tables sufficiently evident that all the lines which form the subject of this book descend from Balthasar and Alice De Wolf, first appearing in authentic records about 1665. To the labors of Mrs. Salisbury the family owes the establishment of the relationship of Charles De Wolf of Guadaloupe to his American ancestors and of the relationship existing between the descendants of Simon and Mark Anthony. But however obscure to recent generations had these facts become, it will be seen from the intercourse and correspondence of the Hon. Benjamin De Wolf of Windsor, Nova Scotia, with the Hon. James De Wolf of Bristol, R. I., from relations of Simon's grandsons and their Rhode Island cousins, and other facts related in these pages, that the relationships of the several lines and their starting point at Lyme, Conn., were well known to our great-grandfathers. "Only three others of the name of De Wolf," says the noble work of Professor and Mrs. Edward Salisbury, "have been discovered as living in America as early or earlier than Balthasar De Wolf—all three living in New Amsterdam: the first, Abel De Wolf, receiving a license for mining in the Catskill Mountains in 1659, Abraham De Wolf of whom nothing is known further than that he was in New Amsterdam in 1661, and thirdly, Dirk De Wolf, who obtained exclusive privilege for making salt in New Netherlands in 1661. Abel De Wolf seems to have been associated with Dirk, but the three seem to have returned to Holland, leaving no descendants in

this country. No relationship or association between them and Balthasar has been discovered." But this Balthasar, this trunk from which the multi-branched family tree has grown, till it penetrates with its vigorous and persistent growth the history of every land—who was he? Whence came he? Who were his ancestors? The answers to these questions have been sought in vain. Curious have been the conjectures. He has been made a French Huguenot fleeing from persecution—a Russian—a Protestant refugee from Holland—even a Jew. It were, perhaps, easiest to pronounce with Mrs. Salisbury (in a recent letter) the pretentions of the Rhode Island De Wolf to noble European lineage as groundless. But this "short and easy method" does not seem altogether scientific. Undoubtedly no positive *proof* of his relationship to the well-known European family has ever been adduced. But strong circumstantial and cumulative evidence is not lacking, and it must be remembered that with all the theories of Balthasar's descent—Russian, French, Dutch and Jewish—no one has ventured to suggest he was of the American Aborigines, so European descent of some kind he must have had. Now the origin of the name de Wolf as given to the nobleman, Louis de Saint Etienne, is a matter of historical record—the noble families of Europe of the name all trace by authentic records descent from this stock. There is no reason to suppose that anyone has ventured to asssume the name without the right to it. The interesting studies of Dr. J. R. De Wolf and others, noting the frequent use of names of many animals, including the wolf, for surnames, as in the Guelphs, ingenious and interesting as they are, seem to have no special bearing upon this particular question. The very definite form De Wolf, certainly in this country is quite distinct from the much more common name, Wolf or Wolff—which, as Dr. De Wolf points out, is frequently Jewish.

In a country whose earlier settlers were many of them sons of titled families in search of adventure, seeking to retrieve ruined fortunes, or fleeing from political or religious persecution, is it not more probable that one of the well-known European family should have found his way to America, than that the name should have been self-assumed or derived from some utterly unknown source and suddenly have "grown" like Topsy? This argument from probability would seem greatly strengthened by the interesting discovery of the writer of our

preface that the Livonian De Wolfs have a traditon of one of their family leaving for America about the same period that Balthasar appears in Connecticut. Even so careful and unprejudiced a witness as Mrs. Salisbury finds something inexplicable in the family which causes it at once to make alliances with the most influential and exclusive families of the new world. The resemblance in feature and character of the De Wolfs of Europe to those in America has been noticed by more than one. Mr. Frank E. De Wolf at a distinguished assembly in Europe, pointed out to his wife among the guests, a gentleman of whom he had absolutely no knowledge, remarking the striking resemblance in feature and bearing to one of his family in Rhode Island. A little later on being presented to him, he learned that he was a Count De Wolf, a prominent courtier. These facts together with the persistent tradition in the De Wolf family of the origin of their name, of their relation to European families of the same name, and of the origin of the crest or coat-of-arms which, with slight variations, appear in connection with all the branches of the family in Europe, certainly make the identity of the American with the European family more than probable. If Balthasar fled to the wilderness of America for any religious, political or family reason, he may have had cause to conceal his national origin or his rank beneath a veil of mystery so dense that his descendants have been unable to lift it, as did, according to his biographers, that Dr. Francis Le Baron, with whose descendants the De Wolfs were in later years to be bound by marriage.

All this is at least of genealogical and antiquarian interest, however much we may feel that it matters little in a Republican land what titles of nobility decorated the names of our ancestors. But to those who accept recent theories advanced by high authorities as to heredity, such questions do not lack interest when ancient titles are founded on deeds of valor. Even a cursory examination of the De Wolf portraits in these pages will reveal a strong family likeness in even quite remote lines. The fact indicates family characteristics which appear in so many records of their lives. To learn that these characteristics may be traced back still further through many centuries cannot be without interest, and should not be without inspiration to live lives worthy of our forebears. The chief gain in tracing our descent from knights of old and heroes of

the past, should be a certain *noblesse oblige*—a determination that our lives shall not lower the standard that our race hath raised. "A people," says Lord Macauley, "which takes no pride in the noble achievements of remote ancestors, will never achieve anything worthy to be remembered with pride by remote descendants."

Of Balthasar the first trace is in the records of "A Perticular Court in Hartford," March 5th, 1656, when among the "names of those p^r^sented for smoaking in the streets contra to the law," appears the name of "Baltazer de Woolfe." For this he was fined. "Tradition has it," says Mr. John M. Dolph, "that he paid his fine, lighted his pipe and went out." This introduction of their first known ancestor on the stage of American life, will be recognized with a smile by many a De Wolf reader as sufficiently characteristic of a race not always submissive to restraints which did not approve themselves to their own convictions, yet bearing the consequences of their own independence or even recklessness with an easy good-natured philosophy. There may be a hint, too, of that lack of sympathy with Puritan restrictions, natural to a foreigner of aristocratic birth, such as the author of the "Nameless Nobleman" so well portrays in Dr. Le Baron's "Treaty Offensive and Defensive," with Major Bradford and his fellow selectmen.

The second mention connects him with the superstitions of the day, for September 5th, 1661, Nicholas and Margaret Jennings of "Sea Brook" are indicted "for not haveing the feare of God before their eyes," "having entertained familiarity with Satan, the great enemy of God and mankind, and by his help done works above the course of nature, ye loss of ye lives of severall p'sons, in p'ticuler ye wife of Reynolds Marvin wi^th^ ye child of Baalshar de Wolf wi^th^ other soceries;" the child is spoken of as "bewitched to death."

Balthasar de Wolf, in Savage's "Genealogical Dictionary," is mentioned (first) in Wethersfield, Conn., 1664. In 1668 he and his three sons; Edward, Simon and Stephen, are mentioned in the records of Lyme as members of the train-band. He probably therefore lived from 1661 (or earlier) in East Saybrooke, which in 1664-5 was set off as the separate town of Lyme. "The fact that Stephen was in the militia," says Mr. J. M. Dolph, "shows that he was at that time at least sixteen

THE GRAVE OF EDWARD DE WOLF,
OLDEST SON OF BALTHASAR DE WOLF,
AT LYME, CONN.

years old." "So we may properly suppose that Balthasar was about forty-eight, and his son, as we know by the dates on his tombstone still existing at Lyme, was twenty-two, and Simon and Stephen between sixteen and twenty." "That he was English," adds the same writer, "appears from his penmanship, which is clearly that used by educated Englishmen, and from the family names which are English." On the other hand, the unusual name "Balthasar" does not sound English even in that day of strange names. The author does not remember meeting it excepting as recently prominent in the Pan American Convention. In that case, it is probably of Spanish origin. The attempts of the court to record his name, perhaps from his own pronunciation of it; "Baltazar de Woolfe" and "Baalshar de Wolf," point to at least broken English.

While the early De Wolfs do not seem to have been large landed proprietors, notices of sales and bequests show they possessed a good landed estate.

Edward, the eldest son of Balthazar, the ancestor of the branches of the family traced in this work, was a man of property, like his father living in Lyme, and highly respected. He was not only a carpenter, but a millwright, the builder and operator of two saw-mills, and a grist-mill. "That his high standing, integrity and good judgment," says Mr. Dolph, were well-known, is proven by the fact that in 1682, after long delays and difficulties between the people of New London and their contractors for building their new church, Edward de Wolf, of Lyme, and John Frinck, of Stonington, were called upon to go to New London and arbitrate between the builders and the people. It is recorded in the Lyme record that in May, 1686, the town of Lyme laid out to Edward De Wolf twenty-two acres of land on account of his work for the town in the matter of the new meeting house. In 1688, Edward settled upon the Eight Mile River, and in the same year liberty was granted to him to build a grist-mill. He subsequently built a second saw-mill near his home on the Eight Mile River. He lived near one of his mill sites, near the village of Laysville." "There was some condition or quality, either in education, character, family, respect, ability, personal attractions or other 'unknown quantity' which enabled them to marry into some of the best families in Lyme and the neighboring towns." (Salisbury work). Such families were

the Lees; Lieutenant Thomas Lee marrying Mary, daughter of Balthazar de Wolf; the Griswolds, Matthew Griswold, who became the second husband of Mary, being "the largest landowner and most leading man in Lyme;" the Douglas family of New London; the Lays, Mathers, Calkins, Watermans, etc.

"As the tree is known by its fruit, we are left to draw our chief inferences in regard to the traits of mind and character of Balthazar De Wolf and his children from what we can learn of their descendants. Never rich, the divisions and subdivisions of their lands among successive generations, would soon have made them poor. But it does not appear that any of them waited for that fate. Very few graves of the earlier generations can be found, and nearly all their descendants, in all the generations, went away from Lyme. There must have been an early energy and ambition in the family which carried them away from their birthplace, in search of adventure or to better their fortunes.

In Lyme, vessels were built which went out to many markets, chiefly to the West Indies, and brought back cargoes to its wharves. Probably by these means Charles De Wolf made his 'venture' to the island of Guadaloupe, where he finally married, and prospering, became the founder of the wealthy and distinquished Rhode Island family of De Wolf." (*Family Histories*, by Prof. and Mrs. Salisbury. Vol. II, p. 135).

The love of the sea and West Indian trade, which made the De Wolfs the great merchants of Bristol, R. I., seem therefore to have been inherited tastes and abilities from earlier ancestors. The same characteristics, whether personal or physical, seem to be strongly marked in all the race.

The late Dr. J. Ratchford De Wolf, of Halifax, in his contribution to the *Salisbury Family Histories*, says: "The American De Wolfs, whether of New England or Canada, are noted for their habits of enterprise and industry, their love of change and adventure, their freedom from ostentation, their domestic virtues and their numerous progeny; as also for their healthiness, and the frequent instances of longevity among them." Of the family of Mark Anthony De Wolf, the common ancestor of the Bristol De Wolfs, the late Dr. John De Wolf, of Providence, R. I., also writes for the above volumes: "His wife is said to have been a woman of noble character. Most of the children, eight sons and five daughters, grew to be men and

women, and as a rule were distinguished for the elegance of their manners and great beauty of person.

"Among the members of the family who were thus," as Mrs. Salisbury writes, "carried away from their birthplace in search of adventure or to better their fortunes," were three cousins, Nathan, Simeon and Jehiel De Wolf, who followed twelve months later, the exodus of about two hundred emigrants who in 1760 went from Connecticut to repeople Acadia; to settle in Nova Scotia, whence the French peasants had gone forth in exile.

In "the old Acadian country
where all were equal and all were brothers and sisters,"
where
"The murmuring pines and the hemlocks,
Bearded with moss, and in garments green, indistinct in
the twilight,
Stand like Druids of eld, with voices sad and prophetic."

Three cousins settled, and became progenitors of a numerous and influential branch of the De Wolf family. Of this filling of the places left vacant by Evangeline and her people by the sturdy New Englanders, the Rev. Arthur H. Wentworth Eaton, a descendant of Jehiel De Wolf, the emigrant to Nova Scotia, has written in touching words in one of the many Acadian ballads and poems of which he is the author.

Five years in desolation the Acadian land had lain,
Five golden harvest moons had wooed the fallow fields in vain.
Five times the winter snows caressed and summer sunsets smiled
On lonely clumps of willows, and fruit trees growing wild.

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But the simple Norman peasant-folk shall till the land no more,
For the vessels from Connecticut have anchored by the shore,
And many a sturdy Puritan, his mind with Scripture stored,
Rejoices he has found at last, "the garden of the Lord."

There are families from Tolland, from Killingworth and Lyme,
Gentle mothers, tender maidens and strong men in their prime.
There are lovers who have plighted their vows in Coventry,
And merry children dancing o'er the vessels' decks in glee.

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They come as Puritans, but who shall say their hearts are blind
To the subtle charms of nature, and the love of human-kind?

The blue laws of Connecticut have shaped their thought, 'tis true,
But human laws can never wholly Heaven's work undo.

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And where the Acadian village stood, its roofs o'ergrown with moss,
And the simple wooden chapel, with its altar and its cross;
And where the forge of Basil sent its sparks toward the sky,
The lonely thistle blossomed, and the fire weed grew high.

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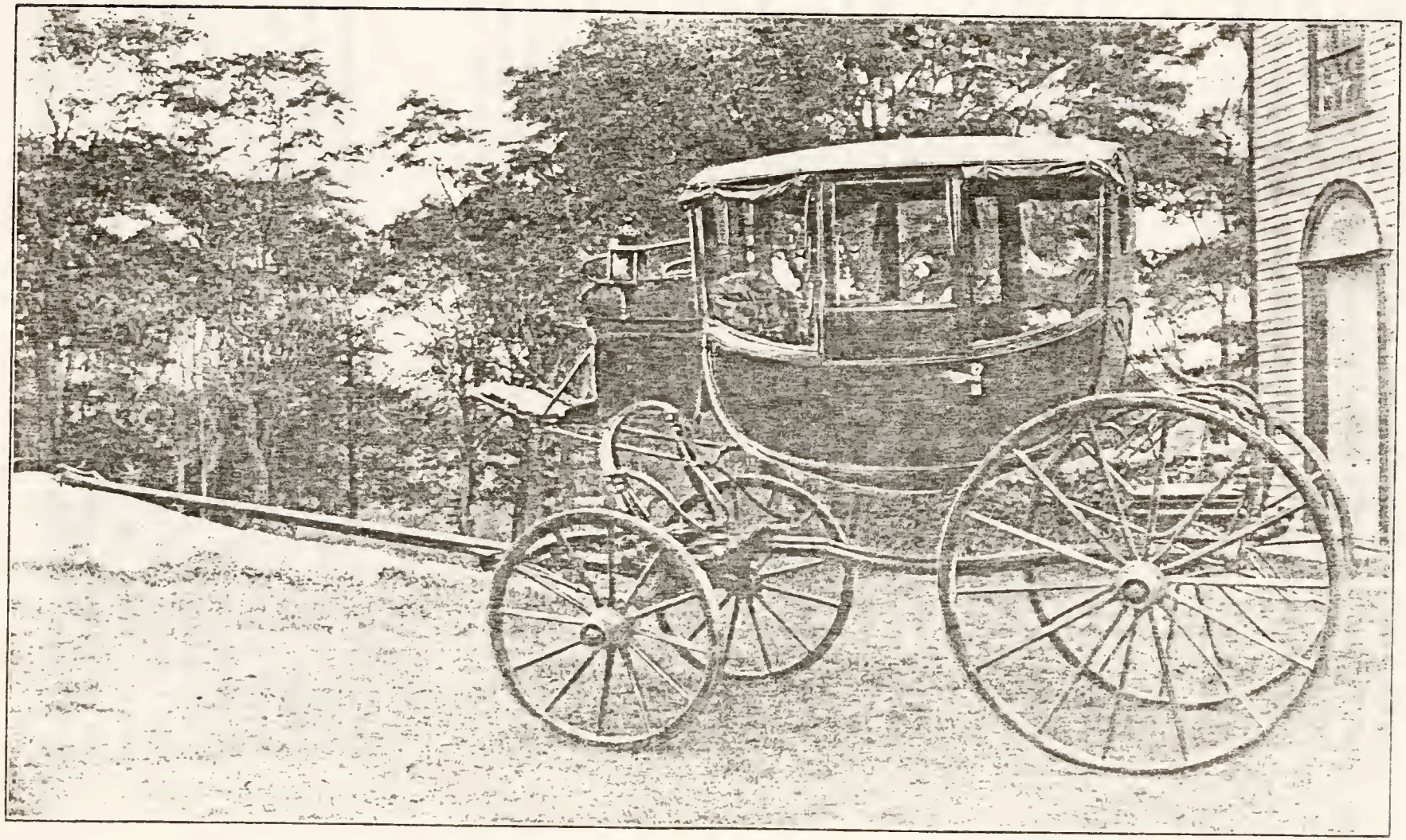
The broken dykes have been rebuilt, a century and more,
The cornfields stretch their furrows from Canard to Beau Sejour;
Five generations have been reared beside the fair Grand Pré,
Since the vessels from Connecticut came sailing up the Bay.

And now across the meadows, while the farmers reap and sow,
The engine shrieks its discord to the hills of Gaspereau;
And ever onward to the sea the restless Fundy tide
Bears playful pleasure yachts and busy trade ships, side by side.

And the Puritan has yielded to the softening touch of time,
Like him who still content remained in Killingworth and Lyme;
And graceful homes of prosperous men make all the landscape fair,
And mellow creeds and ways of life are rooted everywhere.

The writer first knew of the Nova Scotia De Wolfs in early youth, meeting one of them with his own father, James De Wolf Perry, at the Philadelphia Centennial Exposition of 1876. The writer's father remembered his grandfather, Captain James De Wolf, telling him of cousins of the name living in Canada. Seeing the name De Wolf in the Canadian concession at the Exposition in 1876, where was exhibited a very beautiful line of carriages and other vehicles, he proposed introducing himself and the writer to the fine looking gentleman who was in charge. He proved to be Mr. John M. De Wolf, of Halifax, N. S., who is still living, and whose son, Mr. Frederick T. De Wolf, now carries on the business of carriage manufacture. Mr. De Wolf told Mr. Perry that he too had known of relationship with "De Wolf in the States." Neither of them, however, could furnish more definite knowledge of the connection. It was only after his father's death that the writer obtained from an old letter, preserved among the papers of his great-grandfather, James De Wolf, a clue to their relationship. This letter was written to James De Wolf by Mr. Benjamin De Wolf, of Windsor, Nova Scotia, after his return from a visit to Bristol.



THE "STATE COACH" OF HON. JAMES DE WOLF.

STILL PRESERVED AT THE "MOUNT" STABLES.

This visit must have been mutually enjoyable, as both men were influential legislators each in his own country, both men of intelligence, enterprise and wealth. The letter is given here as an agreeable and interesting link between the two branches of the family:

WINDSOR, 30th Nov., 1818.

"COUSIN DE WOLF;

MY DEAR SIR:—

According to my promise I take the liberty to acquaint you with myself and Daughter's safe arrival at Halifax. In Fifty-eight hours from Boston, where I met many of my Particular friends and relations, all of whom were overjoyed to see us safe returned. Be assured, my dear sir, the very Polite attention myself and Daughter received while under your Hospitable Roof at Bristol, and with your good Family at New York, has made a deep and lasting impression of Gratitude in our Hearts. I shall at all times esteem it a great mark of Friendship to hear from you and your good Family, all of whom have my Best wishes for their welfare. Pray offer my kind regards to your Brother Charles and Family. Likewise to your Brother William and family and to all your other brothers and relatives and to say to them I shall ever feel grateful for their kind civility to myself and Daughter while at Bristol. The day I left New York I reached at New Haven where I met with a great number of members of the House of assembly, some of whom I made a very Particular Inquiry for the name of the De Wolfs at Lyme and elsewhere. But could not obtain any useful information that any of the old family of the De Wolfs were alive. Therefore I took a carriage at New Haven and returned by the way of Hartford to Boston where I met with our worthy Friends, George De Wolf, Esq., and Mrs. Charles De Wolf who we were much gratified to see. I hope ere long to have the Pleasure to see you and some of your Connections in Nova Scotia. In the meantime my self & Daughter unite with our affectionate Regards for your self, Mrs. De Wolf, your dear children at Bristol and at New York, all of whom I Pray God to Bless.

Truly Yours,

BENJM. DE WOLF."

Concerning this visit, Dr. James Ratchford De Wolf writes of the daughter of the writer referred to in the above letter: "In all probability it was his youngest daughter Isabelle Amelia, who in 1821 married Capt. McKay, a British officer. When, in 1836–8, I was a student at Windsor, she was a widow. She gave me a gold seal (large and plain) at parting which I still possess. Her nephew, Dr. B. De Wolf Fraser, who was very deaf, was struck by a Railway train and killed several years ago. I knew him intimately." Mrs. Middleton, the granddaughter of Hon. William De Wolf of Bristol, mentioned

in the above letter, remembers many anecdotes told by her grandfather of Jehial De Wolf, Jr. Many incidents of the visit of Hon. Benjamin De Wolf of Connecticut and of cousins, one of whom became later Mrs. Bartlett of New York (Appendix A), are remembered by Mrs. Middleton. Benjamin De Wolf, whose letter has been given, was the founder of the Windsor branch of the family. He was one of the most successful men of Hants Co., Nova Scotia, owned a tract of about eight thousand acres of land, and with one exception, was the highest taxpayer in Windsor. He was for many years High Sheriff of Hants Co., Member of Parliament 1785–9, and in the latter year appointed Justice of the Peace. He married the daughter of Dr. Ephraim Otis. His wife's sister Susannah was the wife of William Haliburton of Windsor, the father of Judge William Hay Otis Haliburton. Benjamin De Wolf, not believing in slavery, emancipated all his slaves who, however, chose to remain in his service.

By the emigration from Connecticut was settled the township of Horton, N. S. "One of the most attractive spots in Horton, near the mouth of the Cornwallis River," says an article in the *Acadian Orchardist*, May 15, 1900, by Dr. James R. De Wolf, "was the home of the most prominent members of the new community and was known as Mud Creek—the centre of the village was 'Mud Bridge.' In 1829, it is learned from the same article, this name having become highly obnoxious to the inhabitants, two young ladies, granddaughters of Judge Elisha De Wolf, with the aid of their uncle, postmaster of the place, succeeded in having the name changed to Wolfville. The name was accepted as appropriate from the former influence of the De Wolfs as well as the number still residing there. Judge De Wolf had entertained in his mansion, "Kent Lodge," celebrated for its unbounded hospitality, His Royal Highness the Duke of Kent, when on his way from Halifax to Annapolis. At the time of its re-christening resided there: Daniel De Wolf, M. P., Andrew Dwight De Wolf, Joseph De Wolf, with his hat factory where St. John's Directory now stands, Hon. Thomas A. S. De Wolf, M. P. and his elder brother William, Elisha De Wolf, Jr., M. P., Charles, Oliver, Robert, John Starr and Thomas L. De Wolf.

To the author of above article, Dr. James Ratchford De Wolf, the writer is indebted for a great portion of valuable

JAMES RATCHFORD DE WOLF, M. D., EDIN.
HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA.
BORN NOV. 19, 1818; DIED 1901.
Appendix A. Branch H, (71).

information and for such an amount of personal sympathy and encouragement in his work, that although the acquaintance was only by letter, it made the news of his recent death at the ripe age of eighty-two, come with a sense of deep personal loss and sorrow. He was the most indefatigable genealogist of the De Wolf family. He also furnished many valuable contributions to the great work of Professor and Mrs. Salisbury. "For the past fifty years," he writes, "I have been a student of our family history, and I yield to no one in the deep interest I take in the name and in all that is connected with its origin and dissemination. I have collected and arranged some five hundred or more names of the De Wolfs of Nova Scotia and as many more of affiliated families connected with ours by marriage. I have it carefully indexed." It should be a matter of deep regret that Dr. De Wolf did not find sufficient encouragement to warrant his publishing this valuable collection during his life time, but it is to be hoped that the work, now possessed by his daughter, Mrs. Harrington, will yet be put in such form as to be a permanent monument to the good doctor's industry and learning.

Dr. James Ratchford De Wolf was the grandson of Judge Elisha and the great-grandson of Nathan De Wolf, one of the three emigrants to Nova Scotia. It was to Mr. Frederick T. De Wolf, son of John M. De Wolf, whom Mr. James De Wolf Perry met at the Philadelphia Centennial, that the writer owed his introduction to Dr. De Wolf.

Dr. De Wolf was the son of Hon. T. A. S. De Wolf of Lord Falkland's administration. He was graduated at Edinburg University, was a member of the Medical Society of Paris, and of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburg. In 1857, Dr. De Wolf became Superintendent of the Halifax Hospital for the Insane. He revolutionized the whole system he found there. "The whole treatment instituted by Dr. De Wolf was embraced in a single idea—humanity, the law of kindness, the desire to relieve from suffering." A notice of his death says of Dr. De Wolf: "His amiability of character, his solicitude for the welfare of those who came within the circle of his acquaintance—in a word, his sterling attributes of heart and hand are known of all men."

The youngest son of Hon. T. A. S. De Wolf was the late Charles Frederic De Wolf, whose portrait appears in our pages.

He was as prominent in business circles as his older brother in the medical profession. Becoming a partner with his father in the well-known commission and shipping firm, T. A. S. De Wolf & Son, Agents for the Anchor Line, he became after his father's death the sole partner. He was prominent, says a notice of his death, in all projects for the prosperity of Halifax. "Charles De Wolf was a frank, manly, upright man, esteemed and respected by all who knew him."

The De Wolfs in Canada, as will be seen in the tables, have become allied with families of greatest prominence in state and church. They are also well represented in England. Referring to a notice sent the writer of the death of James Ratchford De Wolf of Brunswick St., Liverpool—ship-owner, and of Salacres, Upton near Birkenhead (v. Tables, 53), Dr. De Wolf writes: "He was my first cousin and namesake, as well as school-fellow. Another James De Wolf boarded in the same house with us in 1828–30. There are several of our name in Liverpool—two in London and one in Wales—all descendants of our Nova Scotia family. One is a clergyman, Rev. Robert B. De Wolf, a graduate of Oxford, the others are engaged in business. These are all I believe who bear our name in England."

Some of the Nova Scotia family have returned to the United States from which their forefathers emigrated. Among such descendants is found the writer's friend and correspondent, Rev. Arthur Wentworth Hamilton Eaton of New York City—a great-great-grandson of Jehiel De Wolf, the youngest of the three emigrants to Nova Scotia in 1761. To Mr. Eaton we are indebted for much aid and the very great assistance of the loan of the volume of the Salisbury works, containing the notes and tables of the De Wolf family.

Of the Nova Scotia De Wolfs, Mr. John Starr De Wolf went to Liverpool, England; somewhat later, in 1850 was joined by his brother, James Ratchford De Wolf. The son of the latter is the Rev. Robert De Wolf, a church of England clergyman. Of the children of John Starr De Wolf, Mr. George De Wolf has been the first, in 1881, to return to Canada, where at Vancouver, B. C., he is Warden of his Parish Church and a member of the Executive Committee of the Diocese of Westminister. His daughter, Miss Elsie De Wolf bids fair, after completing musical studies in Germany, to become distinguished as a violinist.

The Canadian branch of the family has also, like the Rhode Island branch, a talented representative on the stage—another and well-known Miss Elsie de Wolf, a daughter of the late Dr. Stephen de Wolf, who came from Nova Scotia to New York, where for many years he was a successful and most popular practitioner.

Many have been the inquiries of De Wolfs from all parts of the country as to their early ancestors. Many have been the temptations to stray into interesting and wider fields than the self-imposed limits of this work. To trace all the descendants of Balthasar de Wolf, even were it possible, would require many volumes. Only twice has the author permitted himself in the preparation of the tables of descent of the De Wolf families subsequent to the time of Charles D'Wolf of Guadaloupe to be led away from his purpose—first, in supplementing this chapter on the Canadian De Wolfs with an appendix tracing, though necessarily in a very abbreviated imperfect manner, some of the lines of descent of each of the three emigrants of Nova Scotia, the interesting intercourse with the Rhode Island De Wolfs in the earlier generations, the celebrity of many of the descendants, the author's pleasure in acquaintance and correspondence with Dr. De Wolf, Mr. Fred. De Wolf of Halifax, Rev. Mr. Eaton, Mr. Pingree, Rev. Charles H. De Wolf and others of this branch, and the aid and sympathy they had given him in his work, are sufficient reasons, if any need be urged, for adding so interesting a feature to this volume. The second yielding to temptation resulted from finding among his correspondents, two who were descended respectively from the oldest and the youngest of the brothers of Charles of Guadaloupe—the only two of his brothers who, so far as the writer can learn, are known to have left descendants. To do more than devote a brief appendix to these branches would have been beyond the scope of the present work. Each of the branches, however, claimed special interest. In the first, the writer's faithful co-laborer, Mr. Oratio J. De Wolf of Coraopolis, Pa., has cleverly, and it would seem successfully, refuted a formerly accepted theory of descent. If space has permitted only an abbreviated genealogy in this line, it is the less to be regretted, since Mr. De Wolf has just issued a more extended genealogy of the male descendants of Matthew De Wolf. We add a sketch which he has kindly furnished us of his ancestor,

Joseph De Wolf of Granby, the grandson of Matthew of Bolton.

"Joseph De Wolf, son of Peter and Sarah (Couch) De Wolf, was born in Granby, Conn., Aug. 25, 1761. At fourteen years of age he enlisted in the Revolutionary forces. Tradition has it that his mother followed him to camp with a switch, but, finding herself unequal to the task, secured the services of his uncle to give the young patriot a switching. However this may be, it is certain that the castigation (if he got one) did not cool his patriotic ardor, for he served throughout the struggle, by virtue of which service, in 1832, he was granted a pension of eighty-three dollars per annum during his natural life. 'A Revolutionary Soldier,' is the honorable inscription on his tombstone in the old cemetery at Vernon, Ohio. He was married Oct. 12, 1780, to Sarah Gibbons, daughter of Peter and Sarah (Green) Gibbons of Granville, Mass., born May 5, 1764. In the spring of 1799 he went (in advance of his family) to northeastern Ohio, purchasing a tract of land from the Connecticut Land Co., in what is now Vernon Township, Trumbull Co., his being one of the first three cabins erected within the confines of the township. In the following year his family consisting of wife and ten children (the youngest a babe of one year) joined him, making the trip in company with other emigrants. The route lay through Pittsburgh, down the Ohio River to Beaver, from whence the emigrants were obliged to cut a road through an unbroken forest. The means of transportation afforded the family was an ox wagon; on the way one of the oxen died, and a cow that had been brought along for milk was yoked up to finish the journey. The subject of our sketch was commissioned a Justice of the Peace in 1810, by Gov. Worthington, then Governor of the State, and was Treasurer of the first lodge of Masons instituted in Trumbull County. He died Aug. 15, 1846, and was followed to the 'Great Unknown' two years later by his faithful wife. They are buried side by side in the old cemetery at Vernon, Ohio."

After this volume had gone to press, a sketch was received of another distinguished and interesting character of this same line of Matthew, Dr. Thaddeus Kingsley De Wolf of Chester, Mass. The sketch written by his daughter, Mrs. Sarah De Wolf Garnwell, which (with great regret is slightly abbreviated) follows:

DR. THADDEUS KINGSLEY DE WOLF,

CHESTER, MASS.

BORN 1801; DIED 1890.

Appendix B. (58).

"The life of Dr. Thaddeus Kingsley De Wolf, which extended over all the nineteenth century, 1801–1890, was interrupted by hardly an illness of thirty-six hours duration. On Sunday, Nov. 5, 1890, he fell asleep peacefully in his library chair as, in his own words, he would have wished, "ready and eager to pass on." He was born at Otis, Mass., May 18, 1801, son of Capt. James De Wolt of that town, and was named for his paternal aunt's husband, Thaddeus Kingsley, Esq., of Plattsburgh, N. Y. After having graduated from Castleton, Vt., he practised his profession a short time in Litchfield Co., Conn., then he moved to Chester, Mass., where he remained to the end of his life, though offered many honors in other places, among them a Professorship in the Medical School at Philadelphia.

A man of strong character, he had sincere friends and warm enemies, but was respected of all. As a physician, it is doubtful if he had his superior in Western Massachusetts, and was frequently called into consultations with those "river-gods," Drs. Stone and Flint. He was extremely scrupulous in professional courtesy, but merciless in exposure of quakery. He graduated eleven medical students. He was especially kind and helpful to young men. The gentle vein of his character was also seen in his great love of children and fondness for animal pets.

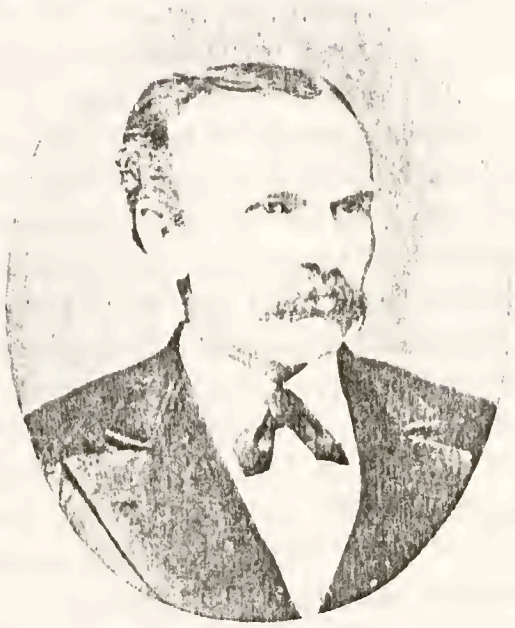
Devoted to his profession, he could yet excel in a political speech or Fourth of July Oration. His speech on receiving the banner for his town at the Whig Convention of 1844, was praised by both Choate and Webster. In 1836, he was appointed Justice of the Peace by Gov. Everett, which office he held till his death. He represented his town in the General Court, 1868, and was for thirty years postmaster. He excelled in anecdotes, and was never happier than entertaining guests at his own table.

Dr. De Wolf was, at sixty, a man of remarkable personal presence with the air and style of an old French Seigneur As will be seen by the tables of the appendix, he has left descendants who have won distinction in both professional and business pursuits.

The second line in Appendix B presents, conspiciously, the transition of the name from De Wolf to Dolph. In a recent letter to the writer (May 16, 1902), Mrs. Salisbury makes the interesting statement: "At one time the brother of Senator

Dolph refused to accept my assertion that he was a De Wolf and forbade me to say so in my book. . . . . I was able to fully prove the connection." Since that time, great advance has been made in the study of this branch of the family, and the gradual modifications of the name, as may be seen from the interesting facts brought together at the Dolph Reunion at Kinsman, Ohio, especially in the essay of Prof. J. M. Dolph, the Senator's brother, freely quoted earlier in this chapter. The proceedings of this reunion should be put in permanent form.

The writer's indebtedness to many members of the family for patience, forbearance and industry in furnishing the necessary information for these pages, has been frequently recognized in the course of this narrative. To mention all would add many pages. Mr. John Horton De Wolf, of Chicago, son of Dr. James De Wolf, of Vail, Iowa, has given inestimable aid in taking upon himself much of the labor of tracing out the members of the line of Simon, son of Charles, of Guadaloupe. Mr. Lafayette Erastus De Wolf, of Nimble, Pa.; the Rev. Erastus De Wolf, and his sister-in-law; Mr. Clark De Wolf, and many others of the Simon De Wolf branch, have lightened the writer's labors in a portion of the work which presented the greatest difficulties. Almost every family of his nearer relatives in Rhode Island branches, has furnished a willing and enthusiastic cousin to aid him. To the State Historian of New York the writer owes his knowledge of the system adopted in tabulating this work, while even so busy and distinguished men as the Secretary of State, his Theta Delta Chi brother, Hon. John Hay; Senator Hoar, of Massachusetts; the Secretary of War, the Rt. Rev. the Bishop of Nova Scotia; and others, have not withheld aid in his search. To such invaluable works as the *Salisbury's Family Histories*, and Prof. Munroe's *History of Bristol*, obligations may have been sufficiently acknowledged where quoted, but not to my old school friend, Prof. Munroe himself for further help, nor to his wife, herself of the Le Baron line. To Mr. Le Baron Willard, Mr. Le Baron Bradford, and many others, in the matter of the appendices. His own cousin, Mrs. Josephine De Wolf Gardiner, has been the writer's constant co-laborer. While as he closed his task, he has not only the cheer of the presence, but much valuable assistance in the work of final revision, cor-



HENRY DE WOLF,
SERGT. 134TH ILL. U. S. V.

WILLIAM DE WOLF,
LIEUT. 3D U. S. ARTILLERY.
Mortally wounded at Williamsburg.

SURGEON JAMES DE WOLF, U. S. A.
Killed at the Battle of Big Horn.

CHARLES DE WOLF GIBSON.
2D LIEUT. 14TH R. I. HEAVY
ARTILLERY U. S. V.

CHARLES HENRY DE WOLF,
10TH RHODE ISLAND U. S. V.
Died of fever in the Civil War.

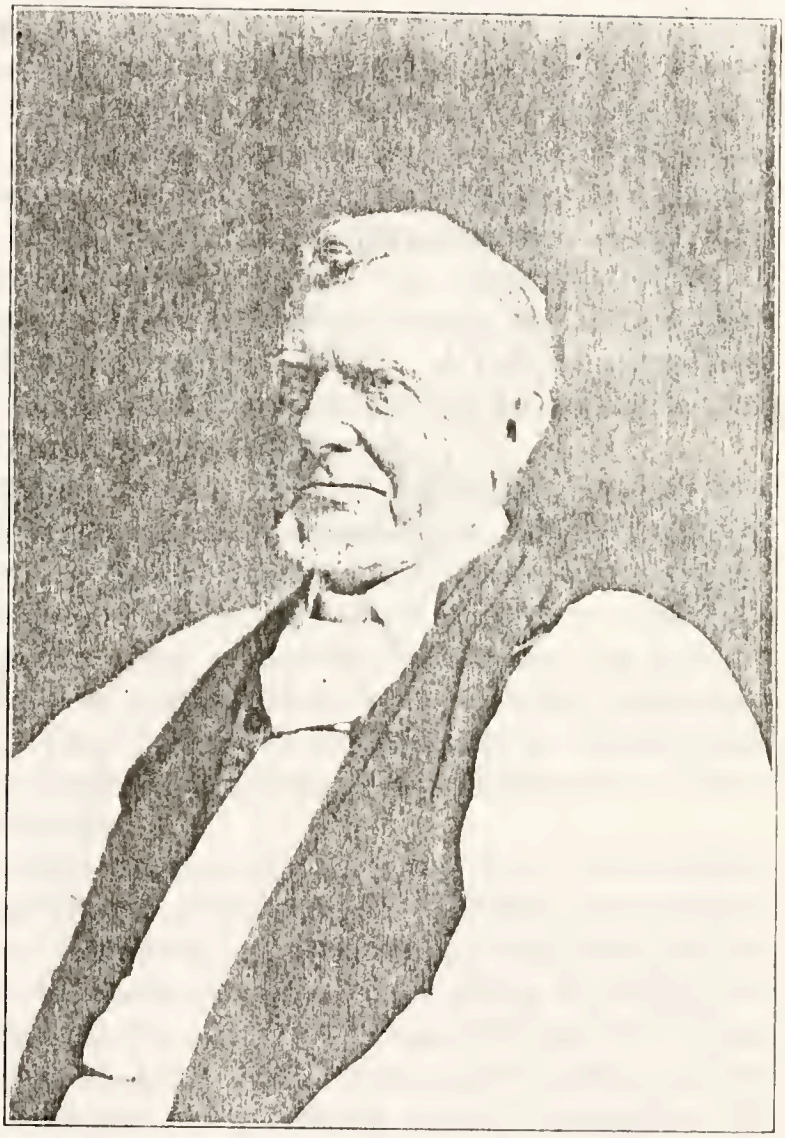
recting, indexing and copying, from his friend of many years, Mr. L. F. Sennett.

Notwithstanding all these advantages, the writer is not so presumptious as to hope that the work will be found without errors or serious omissions. Others would undoubtedly have made more of the material, none could more earnestly have desired to give a truthful and impartial sketch of the family whose blood flows in his own veins. He has not recorded all the scandals, the failures, the shortcomings, that might be gathered in the annals of this as in every family. Yet he believes he has not so far concealed the faults as to give only a distorted view of the virtues of his kinsmen.

It was the writer's purpose to introduce a special appendix on military service of the De Wolf family, and consequent eligibility of living descendants to the various Patriotic Societies. The result of attempts to get exact information upon the subject, makes it doubtful if the treatment could be sufficiently accurate and comprehensive, while the work has been so extended in other directions, that neither time nor space permits. He has contented himself with occasionally noting military service reported to him under names as they occur, and must leave the rest to his readers. The descendants of Simon De Wolf and those of his uncles as well, (Ll.) would be eligible to the Society of Colonial Wars; the descendants of Mark Anthony, through his active service on the *Prince Charles of Lorraine*. So too, of Mark Anthony's descendants, those who descend from the Bradfords and Le Barons; *i. e.*, the descendants of his son James, and his two grandsons, George and Charles, would be entitled to membership in the Colonial Wars, the Colonial Governors, and The Mayflower Society; the last both through Governor William Bradford, of Plymouth, and through Richard Warren. A much greater number than can be indicated, would be eligible as sons or daughters of the American Revolution. Such are the Perrys of both the James De Wolf descent and the Nancy Kinnicutt descent. The former branches of the Perrys could claim membership in the S. A. R. through Capt. C. R. Perry; and the Society of War, 1812, through Capt. R. H. Perry. The services of members of the family in our country's more recent wars, have had frequent mention in the course of the narrative.

Many De Wolf veterans of the Civil War are still living. Younger men served in the Spanish War. Sometimes whole families consist of veterans of the Civil War, as in the case of Dr. John De Wolf, of Providence, all of whose sons were in the Union Army. An interesting volume could be written of thrilling adventure, of warlike deeds, and bravery of many who yet live "to tell the tale." The writer in boyhood had heard from his mother's lips tales of the Revolution, as related by her aunt, Mrs. Gen. James M. Varnum, who lived to mend the baby socks of her oldest boy. From the lips of that same baby grown to mature manhood, the oldest brother of the writer, Major R. H. Perry, he has heard frequently in later years no less thrilling tales of service on the staff of General "Phil Sheridan," of the Reconstruction Period, when Military Chief of Police at Galveston, Texas, of watching the movements of Maximilian in Mexico, or of strange State secrets that read like chapters of Venetian history, with which he was connected as Consul at Santo Domingo during the administration of President Grant. But these chapters hardly find a legitimate place in a genealogy. Future annalists of the family must record the brave deeds of those now living, and adorn their pages with their portraits. In order not to become a veritable photographic album, the illustrations of this volume have been chiefly confined to the older generations. We make an exception to give a group of young soldier boys—none of them now living—that they may bear witness that not alone the older generations bear the palm for beauty or for bravery. The writer knows many a brave living veteran deserving a place by their side, but he has followed the wise counsel of one of his distinguished young cousins, Mr. Dana Gibson, himself a son of one of the soldier group, to devote this volume to the record of the deeds, and the presentation of the portraits of our ancestors, leaving to those who come after the work of doing justice to the living. If the writer's labor of several years shall cause the sons and daughters of to-day in any degree to emulate the virtues, while shunning the shortcomings of their forefathers, he may gratefully close his task with

Laus Deo.



THE RIGHT REV. MARK ANTHONY DE WOLF HOWE, D.D. (180)

FIRST BISHOP OF CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA.

Consecrated Dec. 28, 1871.

BORN APRIL 5, 1808; DIED JULY 31, 1895.

THE RIGHT REV. MARK ANTHONY DE WOLF HOWE, D. D. FIRST BISHOP OF CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA.

A Biographical Sketch by his son M. A. DeW. Howe.

Mark Anthony De Wolfe Howe was born in Bristol, R. I., April 5, 1808, the only son of John and Louisa (Smith) Howe. Through his father he traced direct descent to James Howe, who came from England to Roxbury in 1637, and settled the next year in Ipswich. When Bristol was settled in 1680, the first town clerk was Richard Smith, the ancestor of Mrs. John Howe. The mother of John Howe was Abigail D'Wolf, a daughter of Mark Anthony D'Wolf and sister of Captain (and United States Senator) James D'Wolf. A full inheritance of Massachusett's blood and Rhode Island traditions was thus transmitted to the subject of this sketch.

Of his schooling in the Bristol Academy, at Phillips-Andover, South Kingston and Taunton, it is not necessary to speak in detail. It prepared him to enter Middlebury College, Vermont, which at the end of two years he left to become a member of the junior class at Brown University, his father's *alma mater*. Here he graduated in 1828, with the honor that belongs to a class poet, and the sense, destined to live through all his years, of a large personal debt to the influence of President Francis Wayland.

Before he decided to enter the ministry there were several years of teaching—in the public schools of Boston and as tutor in Latin at Brown University—preceded by a beginning at the study of law in his father's office. But while he taught at Brown, his studies for the ministry, directed by the Rev. John Bristed, son-in-law of John Jacob Astor, and father of the graceful writer, Charles Astor Bristed, were in progress. In January of 1832 he was ready to receive deacon's orders, administered in St. Michael's by Bishop Griswold of the Eastern Diocese, his spiritual father in an intimate sense peculiar to the time and place.

After a brief term of service at St. Matthew's Church, South Boston, Mr. Howe, before the end of 1832, became rector of the new parish of St. James, Roxbury. Except for a period of nine months, spent in charge of the historic Christ Church,

Cambridge—the "nun" of Dr. Holmes' familiar poem—he retained the rectorship of the Roxbury parish until 1846. The dignified stone building still used for its worship, after nearly seventy years, is one of the monuments of his ministry there. In his own later life the ties of early work, friendship and affection served to fix permanently for him the New England standards which he carried in 1846 to the rectorship of St. Luke's Church, Philadelphia.

To the conduct of this young parish, soon to become a vital power in the life of Philadelphia, he brought also the ripened energies of manhood. For twenty-six years he guided the many activities of his people with signal effect. Of his personal influence it is best to let one of his parishoners speak: "Strong in his convictions, but never arbitrary; deep in his realization of things divine and eternal, yet genial and humorous, never sad, but always sympathetic, dignified; but coming close to the hearts of his people—surely his was a rare nature, and one to leave its impress, as it did, upon high and low, rich and poor, in that large congregation."

Of the power of any man's preaching the best proof lies in the results. Another quotation, then—from the sermon of the Rt. Rev. Henry C. Potter, of New York, to commemorate the life and services of Bishop Howe—may be permitted: "One there is—may he venture to repeat here what he said in his own Diocese?—who will most surely never forget him. A wayward youth, sitting once in St. Luke's Church in Philadelphia, hears the man who was your first Bishop preach a sermon from the text, 'Young man, I say unto thee arise!' Its impression never left him—the clear, close, faithful message, searching, personal, awakening, starting in him a train of thought and emotion that, touched a little later by another hand, changed the whole current of his life. Is it violating the most delicate reserve if he recalls that debt to-day, and owns that he has been glad and thankful for the privilege of coming here and laying thus the tribute of his love and gratitude upon your Bishop's grave."

But preaching and parish work were by no means the limit of his activities. In the counsels of the church at large, he played an important part. Sent first, in 1850, as a delegate to the General Convention, he held, for the twelve following years, the post of Secretary of the House of Deputies. In

committee work outside the convention, he was one of those who, meeting under his roof at Bristol in 1859 and again in 1865, laid the foundation for the present Hymnal of the church. In other years he was delegated to travel through the north and west and speak for the cause of missions. Nor were literary labors wanting. In the summer of 1870, at the instance of the family of his beloved bishop and friend who had died five years before, he completed the *Memoirs of the Life and Services of the Rt. Rev. Alonzo Potter, D.D., LL.D.* (Philadelphia, 1871. J. B. Lippincott & Co.)

In 1871, Dr. Howe was elected bishop of the new diocese of Central Pennsylvania. The acceptance of this charge moved his residence from Philadelphia to Reading, where it remained till the last summer of his life. The work of organizing a diocese of magnificent distances and, in many parts, of sparse settlement, might have overtaxed the strength of a younger man. Beginning it at the age of sixty-four, he spared himself through none but the last few of his twenty-three remaining years. The fruits of his labors were an effective and harmonious organization, and the strength which any such body derives from the loyal following of a leader who is also a personal friend.

In the spring of 1895, Bishop Howe felt that the time had come for committing all this leadership to his successor. Accordingly he removed to his well-beloved home, Weetamoe Farm at Bristol, Rhode Island, where on the 31st of July, 1895, he died.

It is in this home that his immediate family and his kinsmen —for whom especially these words are written—love best to remember him. Here, perhaps more than anywhere else, he gave and enjoyed the pleasures of hospitality in fullest measure. His love for the place of his birth, and for all those to whom the tie of common blood bound him closely or remotely, was an essential element of his nature. A wonderfully retentive memory made his mind a store-house of local and family tradition. Travel and wide acquaintance never moved from the first place in his heart the scenes of Bristol and his interest in her sons and daughters. This brief outline of his life, therefore, recording the chief events of eighty-seven years truly devoted to the service of his fellowmen in many places, should rightly end where it began—at Bristol.

M. A. De W. H. 1901.

PART II.

GENEALOGICAL TABLES.

For some we loved, the lovliest and the best
  That from his Vintage, rolling Time hath prest,
Have drunk their Cup a Round or two before,
  And one by one crept silently to rest.

And we that now make merry in the Room
  They left, and Summer dresses in new bloom,
Ourselves must we beneath the Couch of Earth
  Descend—ourselves to make a Couch—for whom?

OMAR KHAYÁM.

SECTION I.

Balthasar de Wolf to Charles D'Wolf of Guadaloupe. Being Four Generations, in great part copied by permission from "Family Histories and Genealogies," (*Supplement Vol. III., De Wolf Chart*), by Prof. Edward Elbridge Salisbury and Evelyn McCurdy Salisbury.

GENERATION I.

Balthasar de Wolf, the first known American Ancestor mentioned in Court Records of Hartford, Conn., March 5, 1656; mentioned in Weathersfield, Conn., 1664; first named in Lyme records, 1668; living in 1695. In 1677, he was chosen "Committee of the town."

GENERATION II.

I.

Balthasar[1] de Wolf, m. Alice ——; living in 1687.

II. Edward, b. 1646; d. 1712.
III. Simon, b. (circ.) 1648; d. 1695.
IV. Stephen, b. (circ.) 1650; d. Oct. 17, 1702.
V. Mary, b. (circ.) 1656.
VI. Susannah.
VII. Joseph (?).

Thomas Lee of Saybrook, m. (1) Sarah Kirtland of Saybrook; she d. May 21, 1676. The following July he m. (2) the above Mary De Wolf, daughter of Balthasar, whom tradition reports to have been a very attractive woman. He d. Jan. 5, 1677. After the death of Thomas Lee, his widow Mary De Wolf, married May 30, 1705, the second Matthew Griswold, as a second wife. Her daughter, Hannah Lee, she took with her to Matthew Griswold's house, who in due time married Matthew's son, Judge John Griswold, and became the mother of Gov. Matthew Griswold, and of Phoebe Griswold who mar-

Rev. Jonathan Parsons and was ancestor of all the Blackhall line of the Griswold family. (*Hall Ancestry.*)

GENERATION III.

II.

EDWARD[2] DE WOLF, m. REBECCA ——

Edward and his brother Stephen were of the Connecticut Volunteers of "King Philip's War," who, Dec., 1675, surrounded the Indians in the "Swamp Fort" and to whom Connecticut granted as reward for their services, a township of Narragansett, now Voluntown, Conn. (Bodges' *Soldiers in King Philip's War*, p. 440–44.)

VIII. Simon, b. Nov. 28, 1671; d. 1704.
IX. Charles, b. Sept. 18, 1673; d. Dec. 5, 1731.
X. Benjamin, b. Dec. 3, 1675.
XI. Edward.
XII. Stephen, d. 1711.

III.

SIMON[2] DE WOLF, m. Nov. 12, 1682, SARAH LAY, dau. of John Lay, "a great landowner."

XIII. Simon, b. 1682–3; d. 1707.
XIV. Sarah, b. 1685.
XV. John, b. 1687.
XVI. Josiah, b. 1689; d. 1767.
XVII. Phoebe, b. 1691–2; m. Joseph Mather, great-grandson of the distinguished Rev. Richard Mather.
XVIII. Daniel, b. 1693; d. (circ.) 1715; m. Phoebe Marvin.
XIX. Jabez.

IV.

STEPHEN[2] DE WOLF, m. (1) ——

XX. Edward, b. 1686.

m. (2) HANNAH ——

XXI. Deborah, b. 1690; m. Aaron Huntley.
XXII. Hannah, b. 1693.

XXIII. Stephen, b. 1694; d. 1723.
XXIV. Benjamin, b. 1695.
XXV. Lewis, b. 1698.
XXVI. Phoebe.
XXVII. Josiah.

V.

MARY[2] DE WOLF, m. (1) THOMAS LEE.
XXVIII. Hannah.

m. (2) MATTHEW GRISWOLD.
(See note above.)

VI.

SUSANNAH[2] DE WOLF, m. (1) 1684, HENRY CHAMPION.
XXIX. Joshua.
XXX. Henry.
XXXI. Samuel.
XXXII. Alice.

m. (2) JOHN HUNTLEY.

VII.

JOSEPH[2] DE WOLF,* m. March 11, 1713–4, ELIZABETH HUBBARD, dau. of Richard Hubbard.

The records of Middletown, Conn., say of Joseph De Wolf, "late of Lyme, now of Middletown, bought land in Middletown, Sept. 29, 1714."

Their first child was a son, living but fourteen days, b. Oct. 10, 1714.

XXXIII. Elizabeth, b. Feb. 4, 1715.
XXXIV. Azubah, b. June 11, 1718.

GENERATION IV.

VIII.

SIMON[3] DE WOLF, m. MARTHA ——

XXXV. John, living in 1716, "probably" say the *Salis-*

* From the records in Middletown, Conn., there seems no doubt that this is the same Joseph De Wolf of whom the same records say, "He departed this life by drowning in a voyage to Antigo, Oct. 4, 1719, as by credible information by a letter from Capt. Saml. Moale." In Dec., 1742, his widow appears as the wife of Daniel Merwin of Wallingford, Conn. His daughter Elizabeth was wife of Ephraim Tyler of Woodbery, Conn., and his daughter Azubah, wife of Theophilus Yale of Wallingford, Conn.

bury Charts "the father of Nathan De Wolf of Saybrook," one of the three emigrants to Nova Scotia (see Appendix A).

XXXVI. Josiah.

IX.

CHARLES[3] DE WOLF, m. PRUDENCE WHITE.

He lived in Glastonbury, Conn., and Middletown, Conn., "kept a general store" and amassed a considerable property.

XXXVII. Charles, b. 1695 (whose descendants form subject of this book).

XXXVIII. Matthew of Bolton, Conn., (see Appendix B).

XXXIX. John, b. 1704.

XL. Stephen.

XLI. Simon. (The name is Simon in original records at Middletown, not as in the *Salisbury Tables*, Lyman.)

XLII. Prudence.

XLIII. Mary, m. Dr. John Arnold of Middletown, Conn.

XLIV. Elizabeth, m. Ebenezer Brewster.

XLV. Rebekah.

XLVI. Joseph, b. 1717, of Glastonbury, whose son Abda m. Mary Coleman (see Appendix B.)

X.

BENJAMIN[3] DE WOLF, m. 1708, SUSANNAH DOUGLAS.

XLVII. Simeon,* b. 1713; d. 1780; m. 1741, Parnell Kirtland; d. 1807. Emigrated to Nova Scotia (see Appendix A).

XII.

STEPHEN[3] DE WOLF, m. ELIZABETH (probably) DOUGLAS.

XLVIII. Gideon.

XLIX. Stephen.

L. Charles.

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* For Simeon's son, Hon. Benjamin De Wolf (see Introduction page 90, and Appendix A, Branch I. [2]).

XVI.

JOSIAH[3] DE WOLF, m. (1) ANNA WATERMAN, b. 1689, d. Dec. 21, 1752.

Anna Waterman, was the dau. of Sergt. Thomas Waterman of Norwich, Conn., and Miriam Tracy, b. 1648. Through her mother who was dau. of Lieut. Thomas Tracy of Norwich, b. Nov. 7, 1610, in Tewksbury, England, she was the direct descendant of Sir William Tracy of Toddington, one of the Knights of Edward I., 1288, and his ancestor, the Sire De Tracy, a Norman Baron of William the Conqueror, and through the Princess Gode of her father Aethelred II., of England; she was also a great-aunt of Gen. Benedict Arnold.

LI. Josiah, b. 1716.
LII. Simon, b. 1718; d. 1755–6.
LIII. Jabez, b. 1721; m. 1753, Eunice Calkins.
LIV. Judith, b. 1724; m. —— Carter.
LV. Daniel, b. 1726.
LVI. Elizabeth, b. 1730; m. —— Tucker.

m. (2) ABIGAIL (COMSTOCK) LORD, b. 1770; d. 1773.

XXIII.

STEPHEN[3] DE WOLF, m. HANNAH ——

LVII. Lewis, (probably) the one who lived at Lyme, blind, and left one daughter who m. —— Hackett.
LVIII. Benjamin, b. (circ.) 1716; m. Lucy Champion.
LIX. Edward.
LX. Josiah, b. 1723.

XXIV.

BENJAMIN[3] DE WOLF, m. MARGARET ——; d. 1742.

He bought land in Killingworth, Conn., and removed there about 1746.

LXI. Jehiel, b. 1725; d. 1727.
LXII. Hester, b. 1726; d. 1736.
LXIII. Jehiel, b. 1724–31; d. 1798. Emigrated to Nova Scotia (see Appendix A).
LXIV. Stephen, } b. 1731. Phoebe, d. 1736.
LXV. Phoebe, } twins.

LXVI. Elijah b. 1735, of Killingworth, Conn.; m. Submit Wilcox.
LXVII. Esther, b. 1736; d. 1818; m. —— Wheeler.
LXVIII. Phoebe, b. 1741; d. 1742.

XXV.

LEWIS[3] DE WOLF, m. ——

LXIX. Edward, bap. 1736.
He m. Hannah Ely. Their eldest children were twins, Ephraim and Manassah. The former m. Elizabeth Wood. (For their descendants to the 7th generation see *Salisbury Charts*).

NOTE.—The following lines, though not legitimately included in the scope of this work, are continued for the pleasure of tracing the descent of a number of De Wolfs of some prominence in professional life, and several of whom have aided in this work.

GENERATION V.

LI.

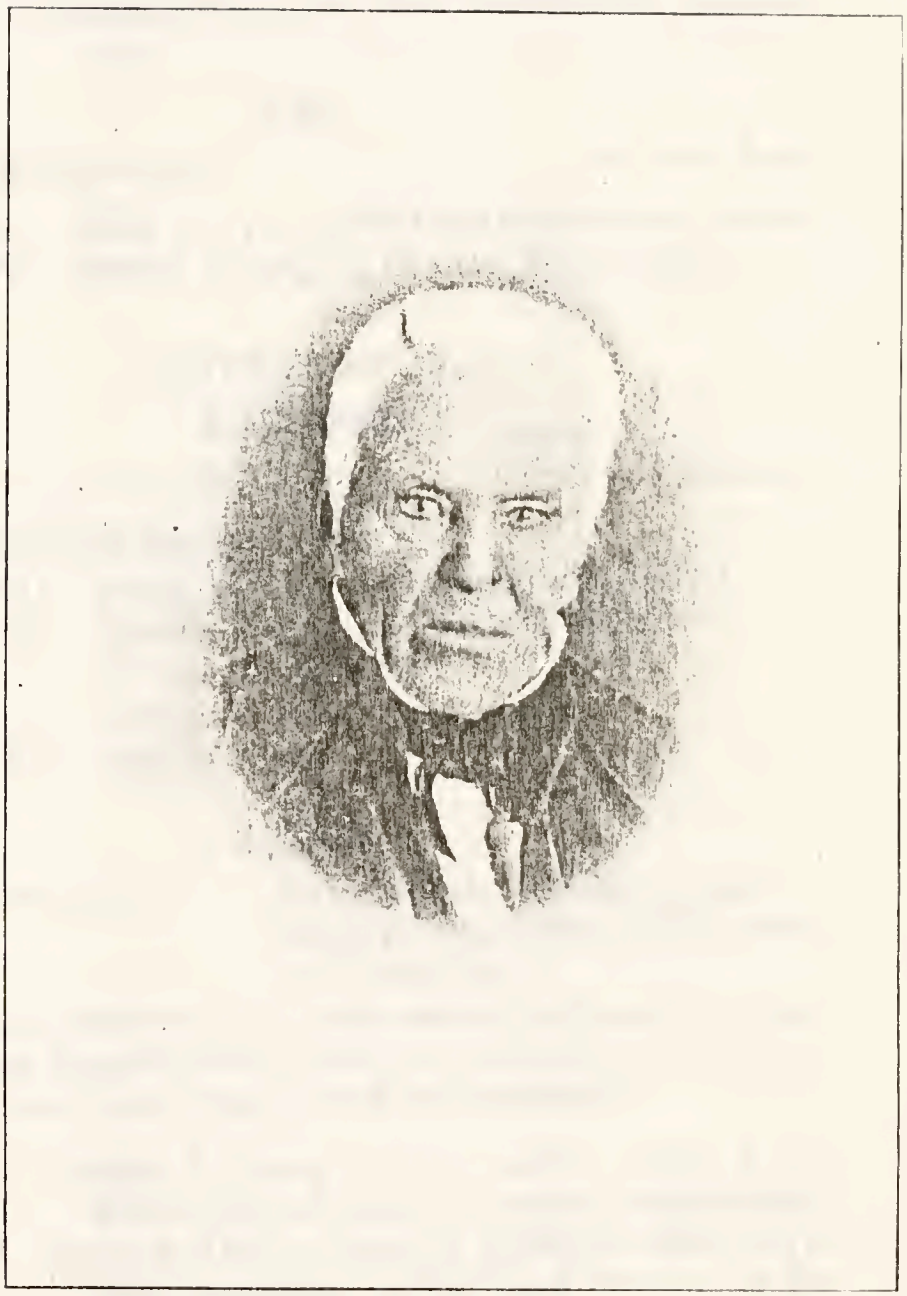
JOSIAH[4] DE WOLF, m. 1736, MARTHA ELY.

LXX. William, b. 1740.
LXXI. Anna, b. 1742.
LXXII. Daniel, b. 1743.
LXXIII. Azubah, b. 1745.
LXXIV. Martha, b. 1746–7.
LXXV. Hannah, b. 1748; d. in childhood.
LXXVI. Samuel, b. 1749; d. in infancy.
LXXVII. Samuel, b. 1750.
LXXVIII. Esther, b. 1753.

LII.

SIMON[4] DE WOLF, m. Jan. 31, 1745, LUCY CALKINS, b. Aug. 6, 1723; d. 1798.

He served in old French War. Lucy and Eunice (LIII) Calkins were daughters of Stephen Calkins, the great-grandson of Dea. Hugh Calkins, of Chepstow, England; b. 1600 (one of the "Welsh Company" who came to America in 1640); and of his wife, Sarah Calkins, also a great-granddaughter of Dea.



ELISHA DE WOLF (XCIII.)

DEERFIELD, MASS.

BORN (LYME, CONN.) MARCH 11, 1772; DIED NOV. 28, 1855.

Hugh Calkins; and through her mother, Sarah Turner, a direct descendant of Elder William Brewster, of the *Mayflower*.

LXXIX. Sarah, b. 1746; m. George Augur.
LXXX. Elisha, b. 1748; d. March 7, 1838.
LXXXI. Phoebe, b. 1750; m. John Cadman.
LXXXII. Simon, served in Revolutionary Army; unmarried.

LV.

DANIEL[4] DE WOLF, m. 1751, AZUBAH LEE.

LXXXIII. Elias, b. 1752; enlisted in Revolutionary Army.
LXXXIV. Daniel, b. 1763; d. (Lenox, N. Y.) 1833.

GENERATION VI.

LXXVII.

SAMUEL[5] DE WOLF, m. 1782, SUSANNAH KEENEY.

LXXXV. William, b. 1782.
LXXXVI. Jabez, b. 1784; d. (Bridgewater, N. Y.)
LXXXVII. Joseph, b. 1785: m. Mary H. Berry.
LXXXVIII. Samuel, b. 1798.
LXXXIX. Daniel, b. 1800.
XC. Josiah, b. 1812.

LXXX.

ELISHA[5] DE WOLF, m. LYDIA MORE, b. Feb. 24, 1748; d. Sept. 21, 1827; dau. of Abel More of Lyme, Conn.

He resided in Marlow, N. H., later moved to Deerfield, Mass. He enlisted in Revolutionary Army, and served in the army in Boston and New York. Buried in West Deerfield.

XCI. Esther, b. Jan. 4, ——; d. April 1, 1855; m. (1) Moses Rice; m. (2) 1821, Abner Goodenough.
XCII. John, b. Dec. 24, 1769; d. April 16, 1864; m. (1) Mary Amsden; m. (2) Mary Purcel; m. (3) Mrs. Mercy Graves.
XCIII. Elisha, b. March 11, 1772; d. Nov. 28, 1855.
XCIV. Lucy, b. March 30, 1774; d. Feb. 5, 1849; m. Jan. 1, 1800, John Belden Allis.

XCV. Simon, b. May 30, 1776; d. March 11, 1863.
XCVI. Abel, b. July 17, 1778; d. March 26, 1825; m. (1) Polly Whitney; (2) Martha ———.
XCVII. Polly, b. March 17, 1781; d. July 3, 1808; m. 1803, Abijah Stearns.
XCVIII. Daniel, b. Aug. 23, 1783; d. June 12, 1785.
XCIX. Martha, b. May 10, 1786; d. June 15, 1788.
C. Joel, b. Aug. 23, 1788; d. July 12, 1875; m. Polly Batcheller.

LXXXIV.

CAPT. DANIEL[6] DE WOLF, m. POLLY FOWLER, b. 1768; d. 1823; probably of Lyme, Conn.

CI. Chauncey.
CII. Daniel, b. (Ballston Spa, N. Y.) 1790; d. Sackett's Harbor, 1829.
CIII. Ann, d. unmarried.
CIV. Harry.
CV. Jason.

GENERATION VII.

LXXXVI.

JABEZ[6] DE WOLF, m. March 9, 1807, (1) ELLIS ADAMS, d. Cleveland, O., Oct. 6, 1808.

CVI. Barney Adams, b. Sept. 28, 1808.
m. (2) THANKFUL (FAIRCHILD) STOKER.
CVII. Delos, b. 1811; d. 1882.
CVIII. Alice A., d. ——.
CIX. Edwin, d. ——, Clinton, Mo.
CX. Maria, d. ——.
CXI. William, b. 1821.
CXII. Samuel, lives at Rochester, Minn.
CXIII. Sarah, m. Thomas S. Mott.

XCIII.

ELISHA[6] DE WOLF, m. EUNICE ALLIS, b. April 3, 1778; d. Nov. 28, 1864; dau. of Abel of Somers, Conn., and grand-daugh-

In 1827 he moved from Ashfield, Mass.,

to a farm at Deerfield, Mass; buried at Greenfield, Mass.

ter of Rev. Samuel Allis, a graduate of Harvard University, 1724; and Pastor of Somers, 1727–47. The last named was great-grandson of Lieut. William Allis, Boston, 1639.

Eunice Allis was also a descendant of Ensign John Sheldon, of the French and Indian War.

CXIV. Hannah, b. Nov. 2, 1799; d. Aug. 12, 1819.

CXV. Charles, b. Oct. 6, 1801; d. Dec. 17, 1874; m. Abigail Blinn.

CXVI. Seth, b. Jan. 9, 1804; m. Lucy Richardson.

CXVII. William, b. March 22, 1807; d. Aug. 26, 1819.

CXVIII. Eunice, b. May 29, 1811; d. Dec. 1, 1857; m. Dec. 2, 1830, Henry Cantrell; with her husband joined Shakers at Lebanon.

CXIX. Minerva, b. Aug. 7, 1813; d. Nov. 30, 1893; m. 1829, Azor Hoyt.

CXX. Elisha, b. March 12, 1816.

CXXI. Sophia, b. July 27, 1818; m. Benj. Cantrell.

CXXII. George, b. June 10, 1821; d. Dec. 4, 1875.

XCV.

SIMON[6] DE WOLF, m. (1) Dec., 1803, LYDIA BALCHELDER; d. July 22, 1847.

CXXIII. Lyntha, b. Nov. 13, 1804; d. Nov. 22, 1816.

CXXIV. Almon, b. June 16, 1806; d. Nov. 5, 1886.

m. (2) ABIGAIL (JOHNSON) JENKS.

CII.

CAPT. DANIEL[6] DE WOLF, m. (Rome, N. Y., 1814), RACHEL HILLS, b. (Hartford, Conn.), 1793; d. 1850.

CXXV. Orpha Maria, b. 1815; d. 1857; m. 1832, Saml. S. White.

CXXVI. Capt. David Osborn, Chief of Commissary on the staff of Gen. U. S. Grant, which office he "held with distinguished honesty and

ability;" m. (1) Mary Farwell, had two sons, d. young; m. (2) Mary Wright—several children.

CXXVII. Mary Ann, b. 1819; d. 1878; m. Charles B. Wright; two sons were born to Mr. and Mrs. Wright; Newton, who died 1890 of sickness contracted in Civil War, and Rev. Newel D.

CXXVIII. Harvey Philander, b. 1820; d. 1854; m. Susan ——.

CXXIX. Daniel Fowler, b. 1823.

CXXX. Harriet Matilda, b. 1824; d. 1878; m. A. Bartlett.

CXXXI. Henry Huntington, b. 1826; m. Mary Malissa French.

(Their children are Charles, Mary and Daniel French.)

CXXXII. James Boyd, b. 1828.

GENERATION VIII.

CVI.

BARNEY ADAMS[7] DE WOLF, m. March 3, 1832, MINERVA ATHERTON.

CXXXIII. Simon Eugene.

CXXXIV. Alice, m. J. P. Scott, of Dubuque, Iowa.

CXXXV. Cicely, m. Harris Jaynes, of Cleveland, Ohio.

CXXXVI. Belle, m. R. J. Fuller, of Cleveland, Ohio.

CXXXVII. James, Columbus, Ohio.

CXXXVIII. Sarah, Oswego, N. Y.

CXXXIX. Clara, Dubuque, Iowa.

CVII.

HON. DELOS[7] DE WOLF, m. EMILY MOTT.

Member of N. Y. State Capitol Commission and N. Y. State Dem. Committee.

CXL. Alice, b. 1840.

CXLI. Elisha Mott, b. 1842; d. 1879.

CXI.

WILLIAM[7] DE WOLF, m. 1845, EUNICE L. HAWES, b. 1824. of Whitewater, Wis.

CXLII. Delos, b. 1847, d. 1876.

CXLIII. Sarah, b. 1848; m. —— McGraw.
CXLIV. Mannering, b. 1849.
CXLV. William, b. 1851; d. 1884.
CXLVI. Gertie, b. 1860; m. —— Roberts.
CXLVII. Lizzie W., b. 1861; d. 1887; m. —— Prince.

CXX.

ELISHA[7] DE WOLF, m. Nov. 3, 1840, SABRA SHERMAN, b. July 1, 1821, dau. of Asa Sherman and Margaret Van Etten.

He was a proprietor of various prominent hotels at Winchester, N. H., Walpole, N. Y., Bellows Falls, Vt., "old Norton House, Westminster, N. H.," Capitol Hotel, Madison, Wis., Cedar Rapids, Ia., and Fitchburg, Mass.; in 1879, moved to Blue Earth, Minn.

CXLVII. James Nash, b. Aug. 21, 1841; d. May 25, 1892; m. April, 1879, Jessie F. Hoyt.
CXLIX. Sarah Elizabeth, b. Dec. 14, 1842; d. Nov. 26, 1877; m. John F. Degnon.
CL. Edwin Allis, b. Sept. 19, 1844.
CLI. Frank Porter, b. May 9, 1847.
CLII. Grace Lincoln, b. Feb. 4, 1850.

CXXIV.

ALMON[7] DE WOLF, m. Jan. 4, 1832, ELVIRA NEWTON.

Resided in Deerfield, Mass.

CLIII. Willard, b. Sept. 27, 1832; m. Cynthia Waters.
CLIV. Louis, b. March 24, 1835.
CLV. Austin, b. April 29, 1838.
CLVI. Lynthia Elvira, b. Jan. 15, 1846; m. Asahal W. Root.

CXXIX.

COLONEL PROFESSOR DANIEL FOWLER[7] DE WOLF, A. M., Ph. D., m. 1845, ANGELINE CHAMBERLAIN, b. 1823; dau. Richard and Roxane (Parmely) Chamberlain.

Professor of West. Reserve University State Com. of Education of Ohio, etc. Author

of several works on educational, religious, and other topics. Major in Civil War.

CLVII. Lucian Clarence, b. 1846; d. 1888.
CLVIII. Emma Maria, b. 1851; m. 1875, Harry Walker of Bolling Hall, Bradford, Eng.; d. 1884.

GENERATION IX.

L.

ALICE[8] DE WOLF, m. 1861, CHARLES HENRY SMYTH.

CLIX. Frederick De Wolf, b. 1862.
CLX. Charles Henry, b. 1866.
CLXI. Delos De Wolf, b. 1869.

CXLIV.

MANNERING[8] DE WOLF, m. 1872, EFFIE B. SALISBURY, b. 1854.
Living at Rockford, Ill.

CLXII. Stella Mae, b. June 21, 1878.

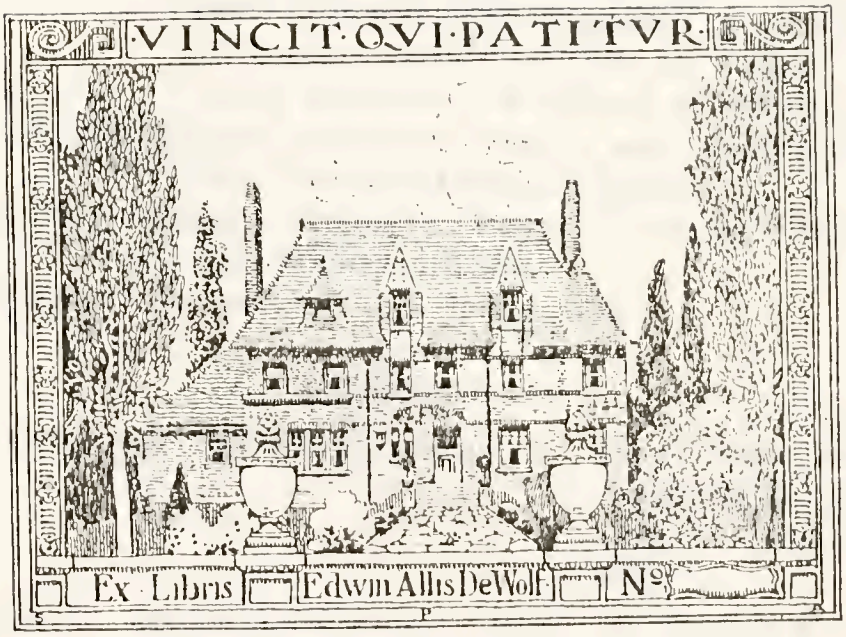
CL.

EDWIN ALLIS[8] DE WOLF, m. Oct. 17, 1877, MARGARET HARDING KRUM, b. Jan. 1, 1851; dau. of Judge John M. Krum, Mayor of Alton, Ill., 1837 (time of Anti-slavery agitation); Mayor of St. Louis, 1848; Judge of Circuit Court; granddaughter of Chester Harding, the celebrated portrait painter.

CLXIII. Ophelia, b. May 21, 1881; d. May 8, 1888.
CLXIV. Herbert, b. Nov. 14, 1883.

CLII.

GRACE LINCOLN[8] DE WOLF, m. Dec. 20, 1870, GEORGE W. SEAMAN; d. Dec. 10, 1901, of Milan, O., later, New Rochelle, N. Y.,



BOOK-PLATE AND RESIDENCE OF EDWIN A. DE WOLF,

SAINT LOUIS, MO.

CLXV. George Edwin, b. Sept. 19, 1871; d. March 31, 1872.
CLXVI. Louis De Wolf, b. Feb. 13, 1873.
CLXVII. Stanley Meyer, b. March 29, 1876.
CLXVIII. Elliott Brewster, b. March 4, 1882.

CLV.

AUSTIN[8] DE WOLF, m. Oct. 17, 1866, FRANCES OVIATT.
A lawyer, late of Greenfield, Mass., an M.A. of Trinity College, author of *Town Meeting*, a book of municipal law, etc. In 1890, he removed to Marion, Ind., where he now resides.

CLXIX. John Oviatt, b. May 10, 1870; m. Oct. 17, 1901, Anne Sprague Frothingham. A graduate of Massachusetts Institute of Tech., 1890, now a Mechanical Engineer of Boston.
CLXXI. Edward Austin, b. Aug. 4, 1874; m. April 12, 1898, Florence Mabel Horning.
CLXXII. George Almon, b. May 15, 1878; m. June 16, 1901, Maude E. Cady.
CLXXIII. Lewis Francis, b. Jan. 2, 1882.

CLVII.

LUCIEN CLARENCE[8] DE WOLF, m. 1876, MARY DENNISON of Brooklyn, N. Y., b. 1849; d. Toledo, O., 1879.
CLXXIV. Roger Dennison, b. 1879. E. E. and M. E., Ohio State University.

GENERATION X.

CLIX.

FREDERICK DE WOLF[9] SMYTH, m. 1887, GERTRUDE EARL HASTINGS.
CLXXVI. Frederick Hastings, b. 1888.

CLX.

PROFESSOR CHARLES HENRY[9] SMYTH, m. 1891, RUTH ANNE PHELPS.
Member of Faculty of Hamilton College.

CLXXVII. Charles Phelps, b. 1895.
CLXXVIII. Henry De Wolf, b. 1898.

CLXI.

PROFESSOR DELOS DE WOLF[8] SMYTH, m. 1896, HELEN LOUISE TOWNLEY.
Member of Faculty of Hamilton College.

CLXXIX. Alice Townley, b. 1897.
CLXXX. Helen De Wolf, b. 1901.

LXXXVII. (see p. 113).

JOSEPH[6] DE WOLF, m. Dec. 9, 1812, MARY H. BERRY. Their children were: Susan B., b. Sept. 4, 1817, and William Sidney, b. Dec. 29, 1821; d. Oct. 6, 1878.

SUSAN B.[7] DE WOLF, m. WILLIAM H. PARDEE and had: Walter Clifton, b. March 12, 1838; d. Aug. 23, 1845; Mary Charlotte, b. April 6, 1841, and Joseph De Wolf, b. Aug. 23, 1843; d. Sept. 21, 1878.

WILLIAM SIDNEY[7] DE WOLF, m. Sept. 11, 1850, MARY J. MARTIN and had: Kate Finch, b. Oct. 19, 1853; Anna Mary, b. June 21, 1856; m. Charles D. Brewer, Marshall, Mich., and Wilfred J. of the firm of Carter De Wolf and Keyes, Granville, N. Y., who is the author's near neighbor, and of whom he learned the above too late for insertion in its proper order.

SECTION II.

Descendants of Charles D'Wolf of Guadaloupe, French West Indies, being of the Fourth Generation from Balthasar de Wolf of Lyme, Conn.

GENERATION V.

1

Charles[4] De Wolf, m. (in Guadaloupe) March 31, 1717, Margaret Potter.

Charles was b. at Lyme, Conn., 1695. He emigrated to Guadaloupe as a millwright and probably trader, in early manhood, where he married and probably remained till his death.

2 Simon, b. March 8, 1719; d. Jan. 17, 1762.
3 Prudence, b. April 26, 1721.
4 Sarah, b. Sept. 27, 1724.
5 Mark Anthony, b. Nov. 8, 1726; d. Nov. 9, 1793.

Of the two daughters nothing is known. Simon returned, a lad, to his grandfather Charles (IX), who resided at Glastonbury, Conn., later at Middletown, bringing the foreign pronunciation of the name D'Olf; hence many of his descendants have adopted the spelling Dolph. Mark Anthony, the younger son, educated in a French school at Guadaloupe, was brought some time previous to 1744, as a young man of about 17, by Capt. Simeon Potter in one of his ships to Bristol, R. I., where he settled, marrying Capt. Potter's sister Abigail. "Speaking several languages he became Capt. Potter's clerk, in which capacity he sailed several voyages." He wrote the name with the French contraction, D'Wolf, as the writer has assumed his father had done in Guadaloupe.

GENERATION VI.

2

Simon[5] De Wolf, m. Aug. 27, 1741, Esther Strickland, d. May 21, 1761.

6 Margaret, b. Aug. 17, 1742; m. Jan. 26, 1764, Ezekiel Cogswell.
7 Lucretia, b. May 12, 1745.
8 Charles, b. April 19, 1747; d. 1814.
9 Amasa, b. Dec. 26, 1748.
10 Mark Anthony, b. March 9, 1752.
11 Esther Prudence, b. Aug. 31, 1754; probably d. unmarried.
12 Sarah, b. June 29, 1757.
13 Mary, b. Jan. 6, 1760; m. (1) Daniel Sizar.

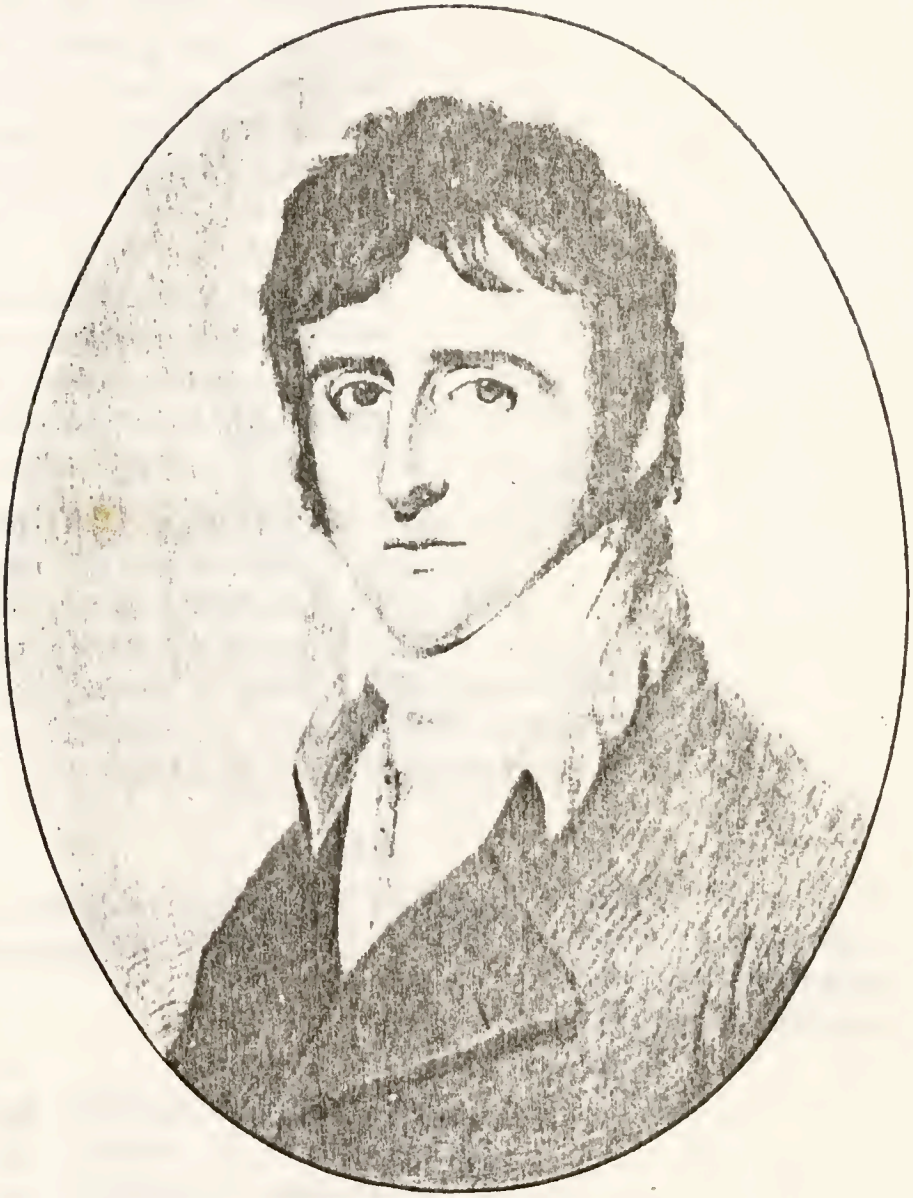
m. (2) Aug. 18, 1761, Mrs. Tabitha Booth; d. March 14, 1801, age 84.

5

Mark Anthony[6] De Wolf, m. Aug. 25, 1744, Abigail Potter, b. Feb. 2, 1726; d. Feb. 7, 1809, dau. of Hopestill Potter and Lydia ——; d. 1770.

He served in King George's War, 1774, under command of his brother-in-law Capt. Simeon Potter on privateer *Prince Charles of Lorraine* (see Introduction page 18).

14 Charles, b. Feb. 25, 1745; d. Aug. 20, 1820.
15 Mark Anthony, b. Jan. 9, 1747; d. 1779.
16 Margaret, b. Sept. 9, 1748; d. Jan. 11, 1810.
17 Abigail, b. Oct. 1, 1750; d. 1752.
18 Simon, b. Nov. 12, 1753; d. 1779.
19 Abigail, b. July 1, 1755; d. Feb. 22, 1833.
20 Samuel Potter, bap. June 19, 1757; d. Oct. 1, 1778, "died at sea on privateer *Oliver Cromwell*," unmarried.
21 Nancy Potter, b. March 3, 1750(?).
22 John, b. May 17, 1760; d. Oct. 10, 1841.
23 Lydia, b. May 29, 1761; d. Jan. 20, 1846,
24 William, b. Dec. 19, 1762; d. April 19, 1829.
25 James, b. March 18, 1764; d. Dec. 21, 1837.
26 Levi, b. April 8, 1766; d. July 18, 1848.
27 Mary, } b. 1768; d. the same year.
28 Elizabeth, }



GENERAL GEORGE DE WOLF (30).
BRISTOL, R. I.
DIED JUNE 7, 1844.

GENERATION VII.

8

CHARLES[6] DE WOLF, m. ELIZABETH WALBRIDGE.

He is the only one of the children of Simon whose descendants it has been found possible to trace. He was a hatter by trade, living in Brooklyn, Conn.; later moved to Mehoopany, Wyoming Co., Penn., where he died 1814. Most of his sons married in Mehoopany, and many of his descendants live in that and neighboring towns. "His wife is said to be of the family of Gen. Walbridge."

29 Amasa, b. 1778; d. 1859.
30 Wyllis, b. 1780.
31 Giles Meigs, b. 1782; d. 1865.
32 Elisha, b. 1784; d. 1869.
33 Betsey, b. 1786; d. 1825; unmarried.
34 Charles, b. 1787; d. 1825; unmarried.
35 Clement, b. 17—; d. Sept. 21, 1828.

14

CHARLES[6] DE WOLF, m. (1) April 28, 1771, (Sea captain and merchant.) MARY TAYLOR, d. June 19, 1786, dau. of Rev. Barnabas Taylor of Bristol, R. I.

36 George, d. June 7, 1844.
37 Charles, d. (in Cuba) 1834.
38 William, d. unmarried.
39 Martha.
40 Abby, b. 1777; d. May 6, 1803; m. Nov. 16, 1800, Hersey Bradford; d. without issue.
41 Mary, d. unmarried.
42 Sophia, d. unmarried.

m. (2) June 3, 1789, ELIZABETH ROGERSON.

43 Lucia.

44 Eliza.
45 Sophia.

m. (3) ABIGAIL GREEN. No issue.

15

MARK ANTONY[5] DE WOLF, m. Aug. 11, 1768, ELIZABETH MARTIN, b. Oct. 10, 1747, dau. of Capt. William Martin of Bristol. In 1785 she m. John Howland and had two children: William and Elizabeth; she d. Jan. 26, 1801.

"Sailed for Hispaniola Oct. 25, 1779, and the following Dec. sailed for home, but was never more heard from." (Record Family Bible).

46 Elizabeth, b. 1775.
47 Mark Antony, b. 1777; d. unmarried.
48 Samuel, b. 1779; d. unmarried.

16

MARGARET[6] DE WOLF, m. Nov. 26, 1767, JOSEPH DIMAN, b. 1748; d. Oct. 19, 1821, son of Deacon Jeremiah Diman and Sarah Giddings.

49 Royal, b. May 26, 1768; d. 1820.
50 Jeremiah, b. March 26, 1770.
51 Margaret De Wolf, b. Dec. 27, 1773; d. 1832.
52 Joseph, b. 1780; d. July, 1784.
53 Joseph, b. 1785; d. June, 1804.
54 Marian, b. Oct. 19, 1789; d. 1799.

18

SIMON[6] DE WOLF, m. HANNAH MAY.

Lost at sea with his brother Mark Antony (see 15).

55 John, b. Sept. 6, 1779; d. March 6, 1872.

19

ABIGAIL[6] DE WOLF, m. (1) CAPT. PERLEY HOWE, son of Rev. Perley

MARGARET DE WOLF (16),
WIFE OF JOSEPH DIMAN,
BORN SEPT. 9, 1748; DIED JAN. 11, 1810.

Howe, a descendant of James Howe of Roxbury, Mass., 1637, Ipswich, 1638.

56 Mark Antony De Wolf, b. April 29, 1777.
57 William, b. Nov. 4, 1778.
58 James, b. May 2, 1781.

These three sons with their cousins Mark and Samuel Lee (72, 73) were drowned, wrecked on the New England coast, 1802.

59 John, b. (Killingly, Conn.) July 5, 1783; d. (Philadelphia) March 14, 1864.
60 George.

m. (2) Capt. Jeremiah Ingraham, lost at sea.

61 Mary.

21

Nancy[6] De Wolf, m. June 16, 1782, Edward Kinnicutt, b. 1759; d. 1820.

Married in Bristol by Rev. Solomon Townsend, they lived in Warren, R. I., till the birth of their third child, when they moved to Cobleskill, N. Y.

62 Joseph Adams, b. June 20, 1783; d. June 4, 1844; unmarried.
63 William, b. Nov. 11, 1784; d. Nov. 11, 1803; unmarried.
64 Samuel De Wolf, b. March 8, 1787; d. Charlotteville, N. Y., Sept. 28, 1865.
65 Nancy, b. June 2, 1789; d. Jan. 17, 1832; unmarried.
66 Edward, b. July 30, 1792; d. Aug. 10, 1858.
67 Abigail, b. Sept. 17, 1794; d. June 26. 1874.
68 Charles, b. Jan. 27, 1797; d. Nov. 8, 1798.
69 Mary Ann, b. Feb. 11, 1799; d. Aug. 21, 1838.
70 James, b. Feb. 2, 1801; d. Sept. 5, 1804.

22

Hon. John[6] De Wolf, m. 1784, Susan Reynolds, b. Nov. 24, 1759; d. Dec. 29, 1838.

"A merchant and ship owner," and later considered "one of the best farmers of New England." He was for many years

a member of the State Legislature and was a Presidential Elector.

71 John, b. Feb. 23, 1786; d. March 2, 1862.

23

LYDIA[6] DE WOLF, m. (1) April 18, 1778, SAMUEL LEE.

72 Mark Antony, } Drowned on the New England
73 Samuel, } coast, 1802 (see note under 58).

m. (2) June 9, 1796, CAPT. SHEFFIELD ATTWOOD, d. Oct. 31, 1829, aged 74, son of Thomas and Ruth Attwood.

74 Abby, b. Nov., 1801;, d. April 11, 1822.

24

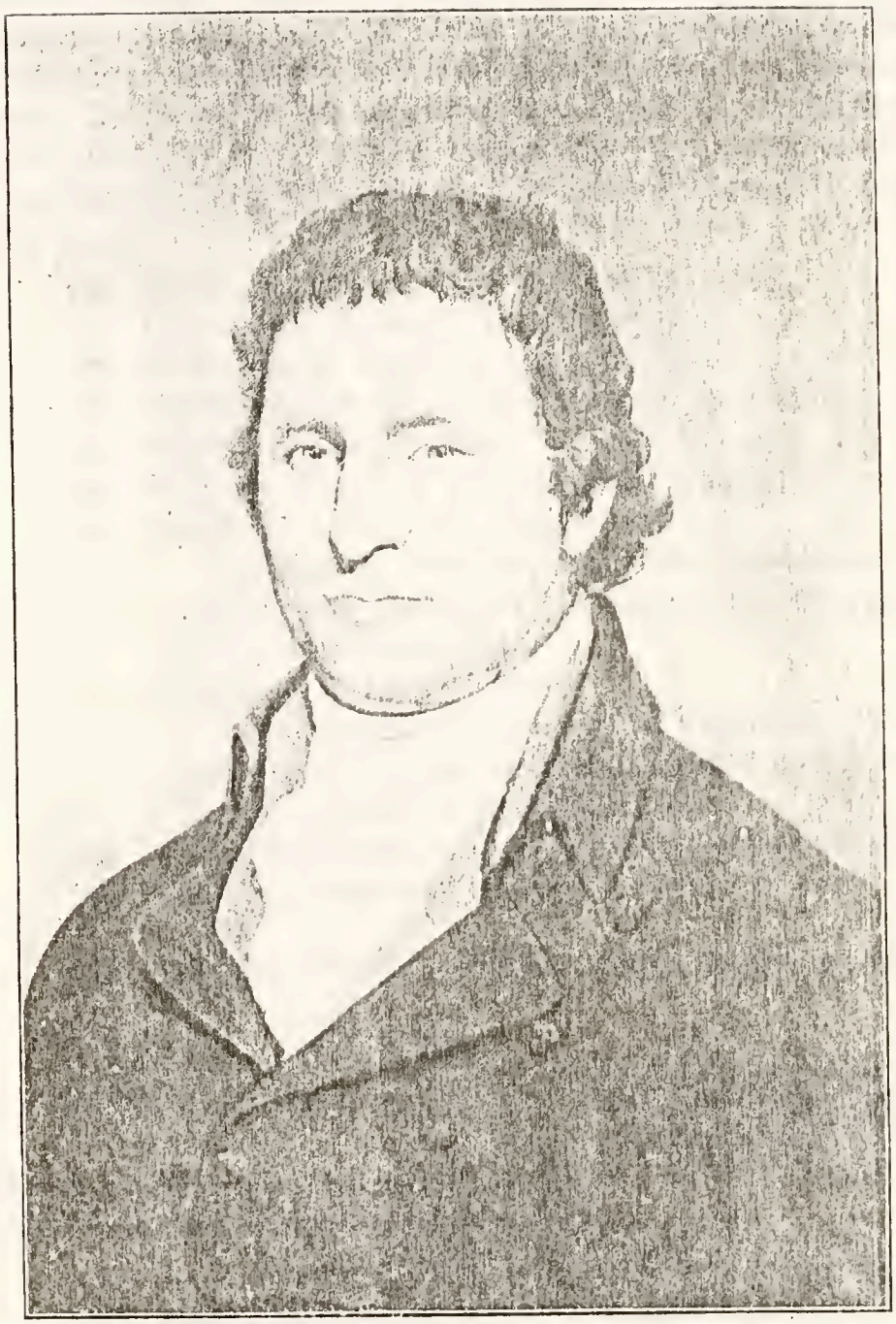
HON. WILLIAM[6] DE WOLF, m. June 1, 1784, CHARLOTTE FINNEY, b. Feb. 10, 1764; d. April 15, 1829; dau. of Josiah Finney of Bristol.

75 Henry, b. March 21, 1785; d. Oct. 17, 1857.
76 William, b. Dec. 8, 1789; d. Oct. 12, 1830.
77 Charlotte, b. June 17, 1793; d. April 22, 1885; unmarried. A very accomplished and saintly woman.
78 Maria, b. Oct. 26, 1795; d. Dec. 14, 1890; m. 1814 Robert Rogers, (b. Dec. 23, 1772; d. April 29, 1870). A wealthy and prominent banker of Bristol, R. I. After his death his widow built and endowed the "Rogers Free Library" in Bristol. They had one child, William De Wolf, b. Nov. 6, 1815, d. March 18, 1816.
79 Abigail, b. April 18, 1798; d. April 22, 1817; m. Nov. 20, 1816, Robert Davis. Without issue.

25

HON. JAMES[6] DE WOLF, m. Jan. 7, 1790, NANCY BRADFORD, d. Jan. 2, 1838.

Wealthy merchant, shipowner and manufacturer; had served



HON. WILLIAM DE WOLF (24),
BRISTOL, R. I.
BORN DEC. 19, 1762; DIED APRIL 19, 1829.

From a portrait in possession of
Mrs. L. Gibson Pratt.

as a mere boy in Revolutionary War, and was twice taken prisoner, and while "still in his teens," was captain of a vessel. For thirty years, member of State Legislature, and in 1821, U. S. Senator. Nancy (or Ann) Bradford was a daughter of Lieut.-Gov. William Bradford of Bristol and direct descendant of William Bradford of the *Mayflower*, as well as of Richard Warren who also came in the *Mayflower* (see Appendix C). She had always been known as Nancy until in later life, baptized "Ann."

80 James, b. Oct. 10, 1790; d. Feb. 27, 1845.
81 Francis Le Baron, b. 1793; d. 1794.
82 Marianne, b. April 14, 1795; d. 1834.
83 Francis Le Baron, b. Dec. 2, 1797; d. 1824.
84 Mark Anthony, b. Sept. 28, 1797; d. ——.
85 William Henry, b. Aug. 5, 1802; d. 1853.
86 Harriett, b. Aug. 28, 1804; d. ——.
Married J. Prescott Hall, the distinguished lawyer who resided at Malbone Place, Newport, R. I.; d. without issue.
87 Catherine, b. July 16, 1806.
m. (1) Joshua Dodge, U. S. Consul at Paris, and m. (2) the notorious and eccentric Andrew Jackson Davis; d. without issue.
88 Nancy Bradford, b. July 3, 1808; d. Nov. 16, 1856.
89 William Bradford, b. Oct. 30, 1810; d. June, 18, 1862.
90 Josephine Maria, b. Sept. 4, 1812; d. Oct. 30, 1901.

26

LEVI[6] DE WOLF, m. Aug. 19, 1792, LYDIA SMITH, b. March 27, 1770; d. July 8, 1855.

(Lydia Smith was half-sister of the Rt. Rev. B. B. Smith, Bishop of Kentucky, and presiding Bishop.)

91 Lydia Potter, b. Nov. 6, 1794; d. May 16, 1825.
92 Mark Anthony, d. Nov., 1798, aged 1 year and 11 months.
93 Mary, b. Feb. 17, 1799; d. Jan. 20, 1855.
94 Levi, b. Nov. 24, 1801; d. March 30, 1825.
95 Abigail, b. Sept. 22, 1804; d. April 30. 1888, unmarried.
96 Sarah, b. May, 6, 1808; d. Nov. 3, 1853.

GENERATION VIII.

29

AMASA[7] DE WOLF, m. DIANTHA ROBINSON.

97 Mark Anthony, b. 1813.
98 Betsey, b. 1814.
99 Prudence, b. 1816.
100 Diantha, b. 1819; d. 1834.
101 Fanny, b. 1821.
102 Mary, b. 1823; d. 1838, unmarried.
103 Sylvina, b. 1827.
104 Philo, b. 1828.
105 Amasa Robinson, b. 1830.
106 Charles, b. 1833.
107 Layfayette Erastus, b. 1834; still living in 1901.

30

WYLYS[7] DE WOLF, m. WAITY BROWN.

108 Erastus, b. (circ.) 1808.
109 Wylys, b. 1809.
110 Mary Esther, b. May 25, 1812; d. March 5, 1880.
111 Sarah, b. 1817; d. 1890.
112 Harriet Newell, b. Feb. 22, 1820; d. July 1, 1891.
113 James, b. 1825; d. 1887.

31

GILES MEIGS[7] DE WOLF, m. ANNA SPALDING, b. 1784.

Anna Spalding De Wolf was a daughter of Willard Spalding, a direct descendant of Edward Spalding, who came from England, and was living in Chelmsford, Mass., in 1633.

114 Eliza Ann, b. Feb. 27, 1810; still living in 1901; m. (1) March 23, 1828, William Stone, d. April 23, 1877, no issue; m. (2) July 7, 1881, Ingham Stone, d. Jan. 4, 1897. No issue.
115 Benoni, b. 1811; d. in infancy.
116 Benjamin, b. 1812; d. in infancy.
117 Giles, b. 1813; d. 1824.
118 Calvin, b. 1815; d. 1899.
119 Fanny Woodbury, b. 1816.

120 James, b. Feb. 23, 1819; d. Sept. 5, 1891.
121 Charles, b. March 3, 1821; d. May 22, 1852.
122 Luther, b. 1823; d. 1898; m. 1849 Julia Dewey, no issue.
123 Betsey Northrop, b. 1825.
124 Leonora, b. 1826; d. in infancy.
125 Mary Ellen, b. 1828; d. Aug. 8, 1856.
126 Clement H., b. 1830; living in 1901.

32

ELISHA[7] DE WOLF, m. LUCY ALLEN, b. Nov. 8, 1797; d. March 8, 1880.

127 Lyman Edwin, b. 1815; d. 1887.
128 Giles Newell, b. June 24, 1817; still living in 1902.
129 Elizabeth Walbridge, b. 1825–6; d. Oct. 31, 1864.

35

CLEMENT[7] DE WOLF, m. NANCY KASSON, b. May 6, 1793; d. April 6, 1870.

130 John, b. April 4, 1813; d. 1894; m. ——; no issue.
131 Polly, b. Oct. 9, 1815; d. May 6, 1861; m. ——— Webster.
132 Daniel, b. July 31, 1816; d. March 9, 1897.
133 Lydia Bigelow, b. June 9, 1820; d. Jan. 29, 1899.
134 Calvin, b. Sept. 30, 1822; d. Feb. 26, 1884.
135 Samuel, b. Sept. 11, 1825; m. Sarah Crooks, b. April 22, 1828; d. Jan. 6, 1896.
136 Betsey, b. Sept. 11, 1825. (Twin of above).

36

GEN. GEORGE[7] DE WOLF, m. Oct. 17, 1804, CHARLOTTE PATTEN GOODWIN, d. June 5, 1857.

Charlotte and Mary Goodwin (see below under 37), were daughters of Attorney-Gen. Goodwin, of Newport; and his wife, Mary Bradford, daughter of Gov. William Bradford, of Bristol, and Mary Le Baron. (See Appendix C. II).

137 George Buckmaster, b. Oct. 25, 1805; d. Nov. 15, 1845.

138 Henry Goodwin, b. Dec. 26, 1808; d. unmarried, Oct. 7, 1855.
139 Mariana, b. July 5, 1811; d. Oct. 10, 1859; m. (1) Chas. H. De Wolf (147); m. (2) ——— Benton; no children.
140 Walter, b. July 13, 1813; d. Aug. 6, 1813.
141 Charlotte Goodwin, b. April 3, 1818; d. 18—; m. Edward Good; no children.
142 Theodora Goujaud, b. Oct. 12, 1820; d. Dec. 15, 1901.
143 Isabella, b. Sept. 3, 1822; d. Sept. 7, 1856.
144 Julia Bourn, b. Oct. 17, 1824; d. Nov. 28, 1825.
145 Sutherland Douglas, b. Aug. 4, 1826; d. without issue.

37

CHARLES' DE WOLF, m. MARY GOODWIN.
Of Vaucluse, Newport,
R. I.

146 Mary Taylor, d unmarried.
147 Charles Henry, b. 1806; d. 1846.
149 Abby Bradford, b. Feb. 6, 1810; d. Sept, 7, 1888.
150 Martha Green, b. Sept. 6, 1811; d. Dec. 23, 1895.

39

MARTHA' DE WOLF, m. DR. THOMAS WARREN.

151 Mary Abby, d. without issue.
152 George, d. without issue.
153 Charles, d. without issue.

43

LUCIA' DE WOLF, m. 1815, DR. PARDON BROWNELL.

"Mrs. Brownell was a woman of marked literary tastes and accomplishments, wrote verses of much merit, and as an artist in India-ink had few superiors."

154 Francis De Wolf, b. 1817; d. 1833.
155 Henry Howard, A. M., U. S. N., b. 1820; d. 1872; a well-known author of popular war lyrics.
156 Charles De Wolf, b. 1822.

157 Emelia De Wolf, b. 1823; d. 1838.
158 Edward Rogerson, M. D., b. 1825; d. 1889.
159 Clarence Melville, M. D., b. 1828; d. 1862.

44

ELIZA[7] DE WOLF, m. WILLIAM VERNON.

160 Eliza, m. Rev. Thatcher Thayer, D. D., a distinguished Congregational Minister, of Newport, R. I. No issue.

46

ELIZABETH[7] DE WOLF, m. BARNARD SMITH.

161 Mark Anthony De Wolf.

There were also two daughters who married in the West, of whom the writer has learned nothing, not even their names.

49

ROYAL[7] DIMAN, m. MRS. ELIZABETH (MARTIN) MOORE, bap. Sept. 3, 1758; d. May 21, 1855; aged 97.

Mr. Diman was a cooper by trade, later kept a grocery store; also followed the seas and at the time of his death was extensively engaged in navigation and commerce. His wife survived him thirty-five years. Her mother was a sister of Capt. Simeon Potter (see Introduction, p. 17).

162 Hopestill Potter, b. Nov. 16, 1790; d. Oct. 15, 1857.
163 Francis Moore, b. 1796.
164 Royal, b. April 4, 1798; d. Sept. 22, 1819; unmarried.
165 Henry Wight, b. Oct. 1, 1801; d. June 23, 1838.
166 Margaret De Wolf, b. 1793; d. June 8, 1856.
167 Fanny Moore, b. Oct. 2, 1803; d. Dec. 1, 1892.

50

JEREMIAH[7] DIMAN, m. 1794, ABIGAIL MUNRO.

168 James, b. March 15, 1795; d. June 8, 1877.
169 Harry, b. March 24, 1798; d. Aug. 4, 1856.
170 Mary, b. April 17, 1800; d. Aug. 21, 1876.
171 Abigail, b. Sept. 3, 1802; d. Jan. 30, 1876.

172 Margaret, b. April 1, 1809; d. April 30, 1894.
173 Sarah, b. Sept. 15, 1811; d. Dec. 17, 1899; m. Oct. 17, 1830, Capt. Bliffen, b. Sept. 15, 1811; d. Dec. 17, 1899; no issue.

51

MARGARET DEWOLF[7] DIMAN, m. 1791, CAPT. ISAAC LISCOMB, b. 1776; d. 1837.

174 Samuel, b. Aug., 1792; d. 1828.
175 Amanda, b. 1794; d. 1845.
176 Harriet, b. April 27, 1796; d. March 25, 1880.
177 Simon De Wolf, b. 1798; d. 1844.
178 Abigail Howe, b. 1801; d. 1819.
179 Isaac, b. 1803; d. 1886.
180 Joseph, b. 1805; d. 1863.
181 Jeremiah Diman, b. 1808; d. 1851.
182 Benjamin Freeborn, b. 1812; d. 1813.
183 William Cornett, b. 1816; d. Feb. 24, 1874.

55

CAPT. JOHN[7] DE WOLF, m. MARY MELVILLE, b. June, 1778; d. July 3, 1858.

Celebrated Navigator and explorer (see Introduction, p. 48).

184 Nancy Melville, b. Oct. 23, 1814; d. June 28, 1901.
185 John Lansdorff, b. May 24, 1817; d. Dec. 31, 1886; m. Mary White Davis, d. 1857; dau. of Isaac and Salome (White) Davis.

59

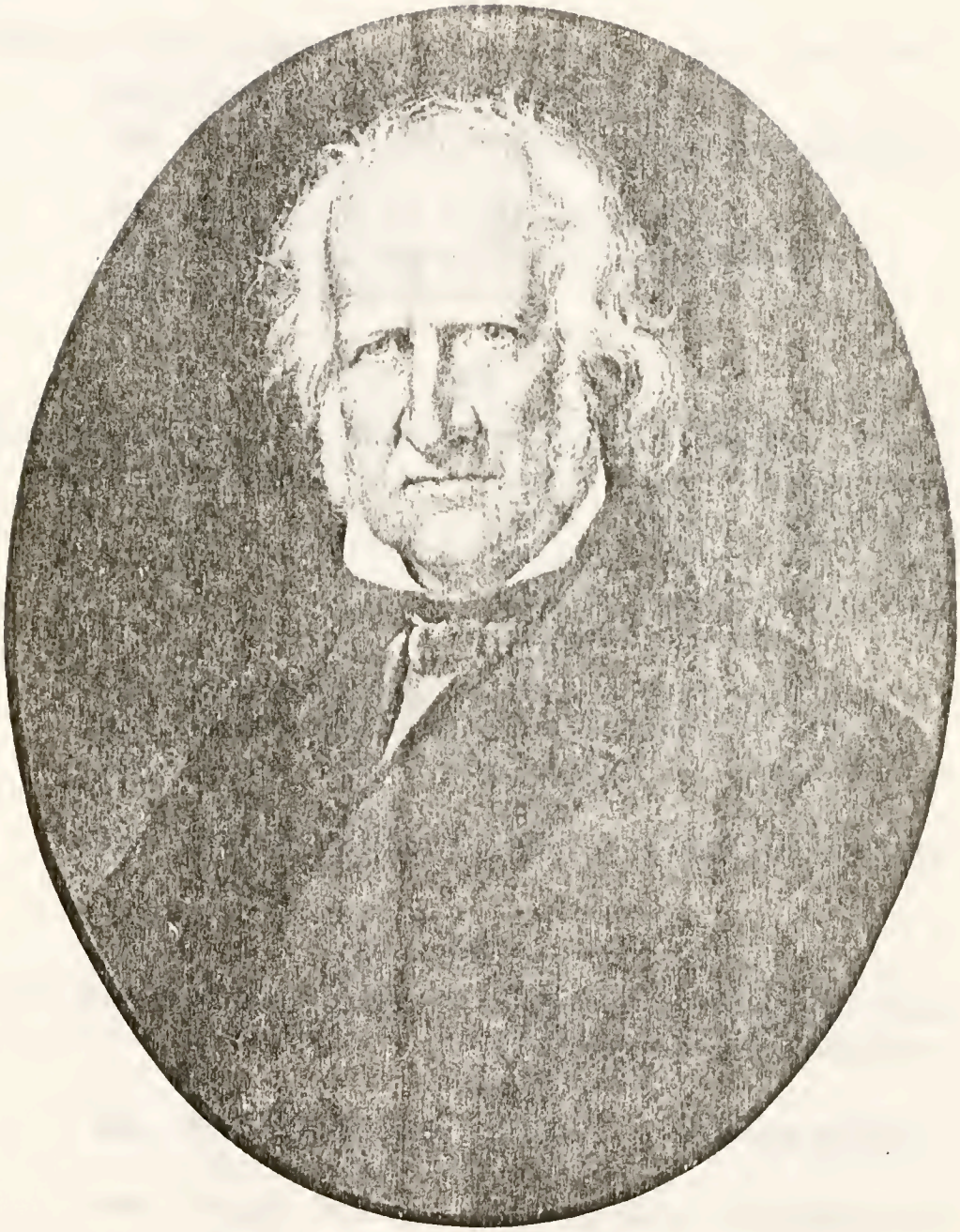
JOHN[7] HOWE, m. 1807, LOUISA SMITH, a sister of Rt. Rev. B. B. Smith.

186 Mark Anthony De Wolf, b. April 5, 1808; d. July 31, 1895.

60

GEORGE[7] HOWE, m. ABBY TURNER.

187 Abby Turner, b. July 16, 1824.
188 Eliza Turner, b. March 4, 1826; d. July 1, 1891.
189 Harrietta, b. Jan. 27, 1828; d. unmarried.



JOHN HOWE, Esq., (59),

Bristol, R. I.

Born July 5, 1783; Died March 14, 1864

From the original portrait by J. R. Lambdin (1861),
in possession of Dr. H. M. Howe.

190 Lavinia, Cady, b. Jan. 2, 1831; d. Jan., 1902; m. Alexander Perry (see 234).

191 Julia DeWolf, b. March 6, 1834; d. Nov. 19, 1899.

61

MARY[7] INGRAHAM, m. REV. JOHN WEST.

192 James.

193 Abby, b. March 8, 1820; d. (Minturn, Cal.,) May 18, 1899.

194 Eliza, m. F. Le B. De Wolf (see 238).

195 Louise, m. Samuel Noyes. No children.

196 Harriet Van Cortlandt.

64

SAMUEL DE WOLF[7] KINNICUTT, m. (in E. Worcester, N. Y.), March 20, 1812, CHARITY BARNETT, b. June 7, 1792; d. (Cobleskill,) Nov. 18, 1850; dau. of Joshua Barnett and Hannah Ingraham.
(See Introduction, p. 55.)

197 William, b. Aug. 25, 1813; d. Sept. 15, 1814.

198 Marietta, b. Sept. 15, 1819; d. Sept. 18, 1880.

199 Hester Ann, b. Aug. 22, 1822; d. (Rome, N. Y.,) Feb. 23, 1896.

200 Edward, b. March 1, 1826; d. (Cobleskill,) Feb. 28, 1845.

66

COL. EDWARD[7] KINNICUTT, m. (Cobleskill,) June 28, 1818, SUSAN FULLER, b. June 29, 1801; d. April 5, 1845.

201 Emiline, b. June 14, 1819; d. (Richmondville,) Dec. 22, 1893.

202 Abigail Nancy, b. Sept. 25, 1822; d. (Richmond-Nov. 7, 1894.

203 Polly Maria Fuller, b. May 29, 1825; d. Aug. 31, 1828.

204 Benjamin Franklin, b. Sept. 27, 1827; d. June 28, 1894.

205 Josephine, b. March 10, 1830; d. Feb. 3, 1887.
206 James Harvey, b. Feb. 10, 1833; d. Oct. 22, 1898.
207 Mary Ann, b. March 30, 1836.
208 Celia, b. March 8, 1842.

67

ABIGAIL[7] KINNICUTT, m. (Cobleskill, N. Y.,) SILAS VINCENT.

209 Julia Ann, b. Feb. 28, 1813; d. (Vestal, N. Y.,) Dec. 27, 1887.
210 William Henry, b. Aug. 17, 1814; d. in infancy.

69

MARY ANN[7] KINNICUTT, m. (Cobleskill,) Sept. 17, 1818, HENRY HARMON, b. Hardwick, Mass., May, 1791; d. Aug. 13, 1835; son of Elijah Barber Harmon and Nancy Hitchcock.

211 Charles Hervey, b. June 9, 1818; d. (Richmondville, N. Y.,) March 17, 1898.
212 James Edward, b. July 15, 1821; d. (W. Rutland, Vt.,) May 9, 1883.
213 Celia, b. July 8, 1823; d. (Durham, Me.,) Nov. 7, 1891.

71

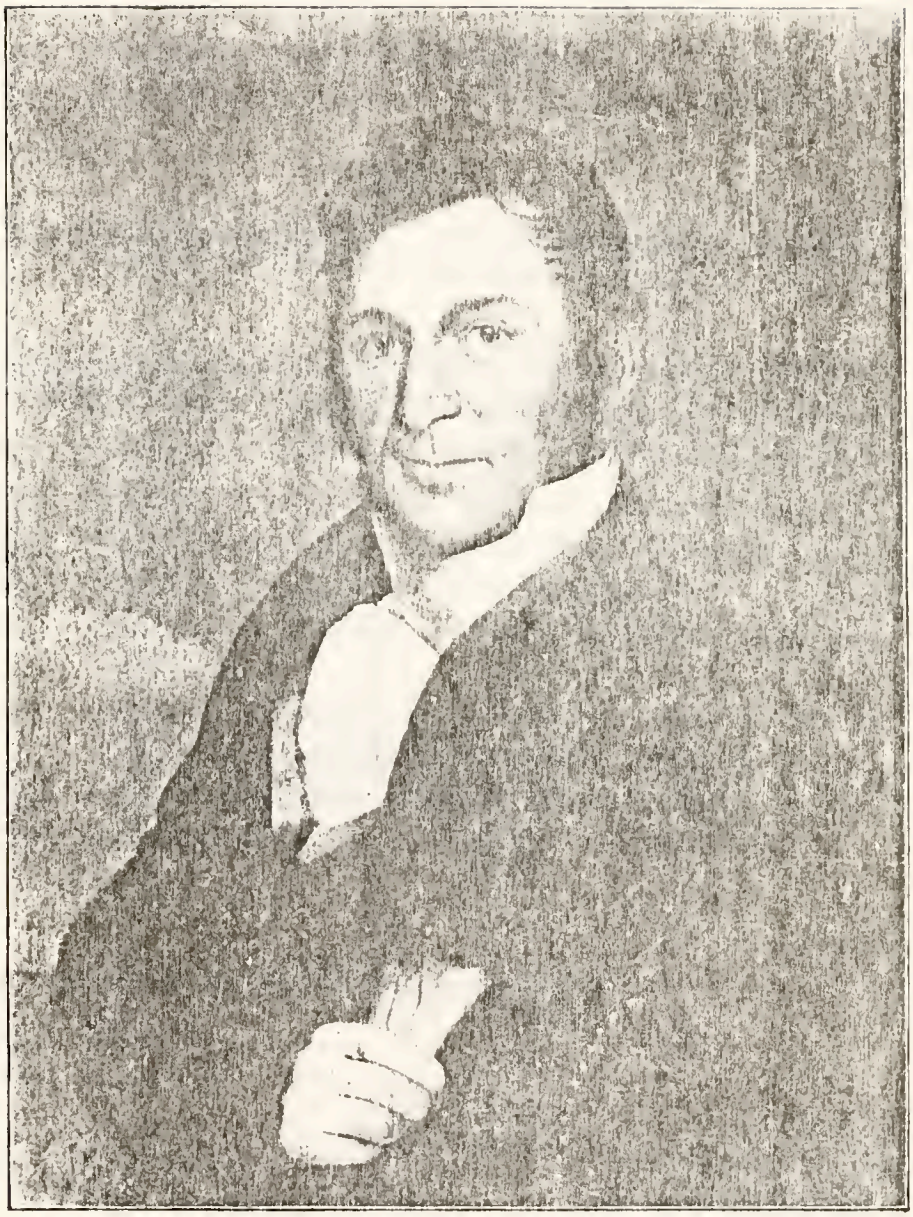
PROF. JOHN[7] DE WOLF, m. (1) Dec. 10, 1806, ELIZABETH JAMES, b. Jan. 7, 1818.

A distinguished scholar in English, Latin, Greek and Hebrew, also in Ethics, Mathematics, Chemistry and Astronomy; author of many poems popular in their day. He was Professor of Chemistry in Brown University from 1817 till about 1837.

214 John James, b. Sept. 11, 1807.

m. (2) May 13, 1819, SYLVIA GRISWOLD, b. June, 1800; d. April, 1834, a dau. of the Rt. Rev. Alex. Viets Griswold.

215 Algernon Sydney, b. Oct., 1822; d. Oct. 25, 1879.
216 Susan Amelia, b. March 20, 1820; d. Oct. 7, 1866.
217 Eliza Viets, b. Sept. 6, 1824.
218 Marie Griswold, b. Dec. 10, 1826; d. Feb. 12, 1899.



HENRY DE WOLF (75),

BRISTOL, R. I.

BORN MARCH 21, 1785; DIED OCT. 17, 1857.

From a portrait by Thompson, in possession of H. M. Gibson.

74

ABBY[7] ATTWOOD, m. EZEKIEL HERSEY BRADFORD, d. Sept. 1, 1849.

He was a brother of Mrs. Nancy Bradford De Wolf, being a son of Gov. William Bradford (see Appendix C., [15]). His first wife had been Abby De Wolf (40). One child was born 1803; d. 1803.

219 Hersey, b. 1817; d. unmarried.
220 Seraphine, b. 1818; d. July 12, 1847, unmarried.

75

HENRY[7] DE WOLF, m. 1808, ANNIE ELIZABETH MARSTEN, b. Dec. 8, 1785; d. Oct. 23, 1869.

Miss Marsten was a sister of Rear Admiral John Marsten, U. S. N. Their father fought at Bunker Hill, his father at Loisbury. (Account of Homestead, see Introduction, p. 44.)

221 William Frederick, b. April 21, 1811; d. 1896.
222 Annie Elizabeth, b. Feb. 5, 1815; living in 1902.
223 Fitz Henry, b. 1814; d. in infancy.
224 Fitz Henry, b. Feb. 28, 1817; d. July 2, 1890; unmarried.
225 Alexand V. Griswold, b. Dec. 31, 1819; d. Oct. 30, 1857; m. Mary Childs Bowers; no issue.
226 Abby, b. April 26, 1822: d. May 20, 1901.
227 Annie Cecilia, b. Jan. 7, 1825: d. Jan. 8, 1891.

76

WILLIAM[7] DE WOLF, m. (in Cuba,) ———.

228 Carlotta.
229 Henrique.

80

JAMES[7] DE WOLF, m. May 15, 1815, JULIA LYNCH POST. b. 1797; d. 1878.

230 Juliana, b. 1816; d. 1891.

82

MARIANNE[7] DE WOLF, m. LIEUT. COM. RAYMOND HENRY JONES PERRY, U. S. N., b. 1789;

d. March 12, 1826. (See Introduction, p. 25, and Appendix E.)

231 James De Wolf, b. Sept. 12, 1815; d. Sept. 9, 1876.
232 Raymond, H. J., d. 1817, in infancy.
233 Nancy Bradford, b. 1819; m. 1847, Robt. Lay, b. Sept. 14, 1822; d. May 1, 1862; no issue,
234 Alexander, b. May 4, 1822; d. Nov. 9, 1888.

83

FRANCIS LE BARON[7] DE WOLF, m. ELLEN POST, d. Feb., 1870.

235 Julian, d. in infancy.
236 James, d. Feb. 15, 1870.

84

MARK ANTONY[7] DE WOLF, m. Oct. 10, 1821, SOPHIE C. D. CHAPPOTIN, daughter of Leon di Chappotin and Bridget Colman; b. July 8, 1802; d. Jan. 10, 1879.

237 Mark Antony, b. Nov. 5, 1822; d. Aug. 27, 1844; unmarried.
238 Francis Le Baron, b. Oct. 12, 1826; d. June 4, 1861.
[Julian, b. May 18, 1824; d. Oct. 2, 1824.]

85

WILLIAM HENRY[7] DE WOLF, m. 1823, SARAH ANN ROGERS.

239 Rosalie, b. 1826; living in 1902.
240 William Henry, b. 1828; d. 1894.
241 Sarah Ann, b. 1833; d. 1899.
242 William Rogers, b. 1833; d. 1870; unmarried.
243 Mary, b. 1835; m. John H. Wheeler, M. D. No issue.
244 Katherine, b. Dec. 24, 1836; d. Feb. 23, 1901.
245 Madeline, b. 1838; living in 1902.

88

NANCY BRADFORD[7] DE WOLF, m. Aug. 29, 1828, FITZ HENRY HOMER, b. May 9, 1799; d. June 1, 1856.

MARK ANTHONY DE WOLF (84),
BRISTOL, R. I.
BORN SEPT. 28, 1797.

From a miniature in possession of
Mrs. Caroline De Wolf Theobald.

246 Josephine M. De W. A., b. March 12, 1831; d. March 5, 1896.
247 Isabella, b. Nov. 6, 1843; d. Oct. 10, 1892.

89

WILLIAM BRADFORD[7] DE WOLF, m. Oct. 22, 1835, MARY RUSSELL SOLEY, dau. of Hon. John Soley of Charlestown, Mass.

248 Harriett, b. Sept. 27, 1835; d. Aug. 13, 1888.
249 William, b. Dec. 8, 1840; d. March 11, 1902.
250 Mary, unmarried.
251 Mark Antony.

90

JOSEPHINE MARIA[7] DE WOLF, m. 1836, CHARLES W. LOVETT, d. 1874.

252 Charles, d. 1890; m. Alice Beck. No issue.
253 Ann De Wolf, b. Dec. 6, 1839; living in 1902.
254 Josephine Elizabeth (see 610).
255 James, living in 1902.
256 Harriet, living in 1902.

91

LYDIA POTTER[7] DE WOLF, m. HON. LUKE DRURY, son of Dr. John and grandson of Col. Luke Drury of Marlboro, Mass. (Luke Drury married again and had three daughters, of whom Hannah Smith Drury is living).

257 William Cowper.
258 John Temple, died in infancy.

93

MARY[7] DE WOLF, m. 1817, SAMUEL STERLING ALLEN, b. Jan. 19, 1796; d. Feb. 21, 1843.

259 Harriet Sterling, b. March 6, 1820; d. May 20, 1898.
260 Mark Antony De Wolf, b. May 15, 1825; d. Jan. 1, 1899.

261 Mary De Wolf.
262 Samuel Sterling.
263 Charles Wesley, b. Feb. 27, 1833.
264 Edmund Sterling.
265 John Fletcher.

96

SARAH[7] DE WOLF, m. Jan. 1, 1830, GEORGE WILKINSON, b. April 23, 1798; d. Aug. 20, 1855.

266 Sarah De Wolf, b. March 31, 1831; d. July 24, 1836
267 Frank, b. May 5, 1833; d. July 11, 1895.

GENERATION IX.

97

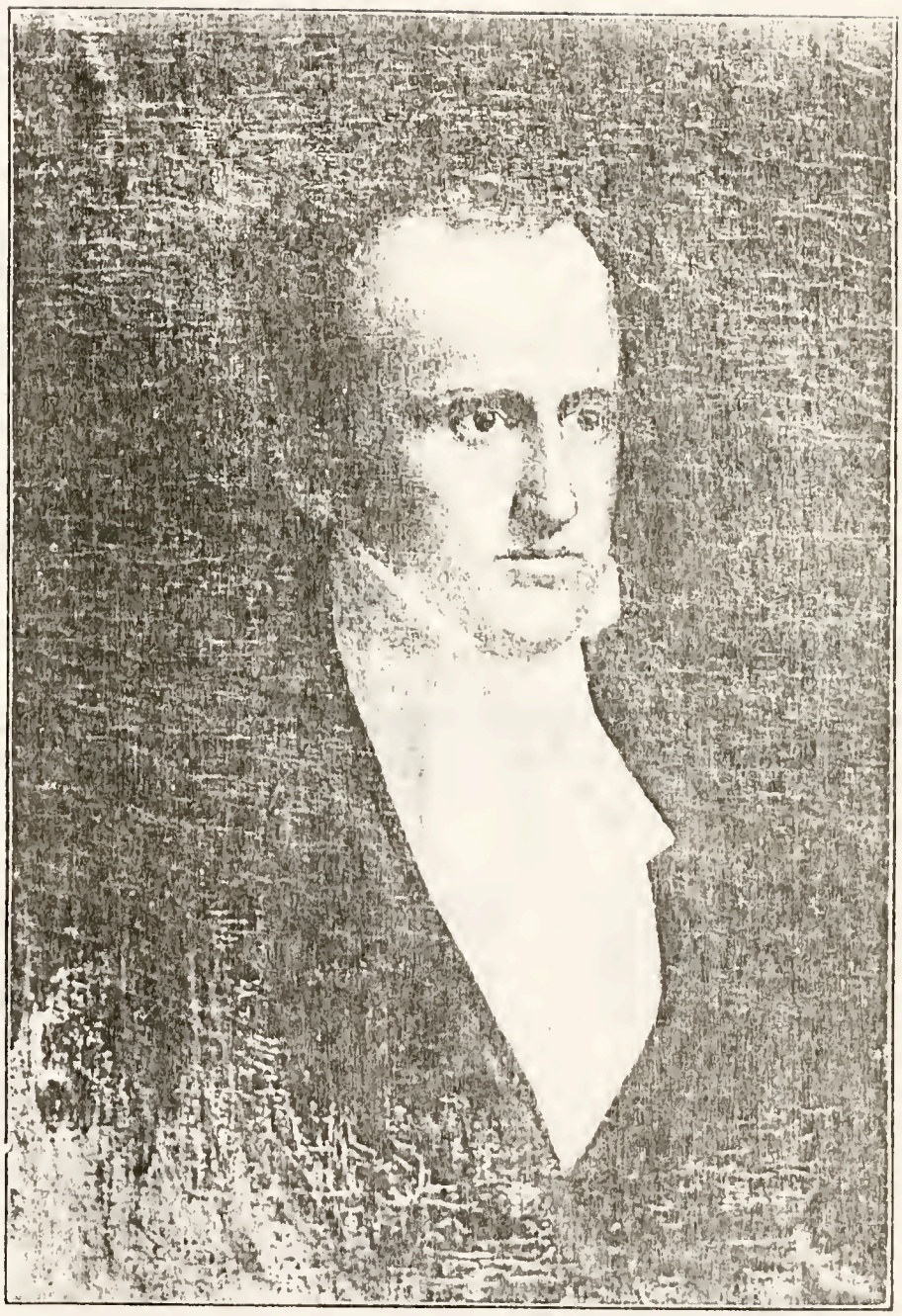
MARK ANTONY[8] DE WOLF, m. ACHSA CLAPP.

268 Amanda, b. 1837; d. 1837.
269 Edward P., b. 1838; d. 1839.
270 Ormin A., b. 1840; d. 1843.
271 Edwin A., b. 1840; living in 1902.
272 James M., b. 1843; m. Fannie Downing. No issue. Assistant Surgeon, U. S. A., fell with Custer in battle of "Big Horn."
273 William R., b. 1844; d. 1846.
274 Mary D., b. 1845.
275 Erastus I., b. 1851.
276 Archie A. M.

98

BETSEY[8] DE WOLF, m. A. K. FARR.

277 Diantha, M.
278 Oscar F.
279 Oscelia E.
280 Sylvia M.
281 George B.
282 Jonathan.
283 Trueman K.
284 Helen F.



REV. ERASTUS DE WOLF, SR. (108),
BORN (CIRC.) 1868.

From an old portrait from life, in possession
of Mrs. Fullerton, Providence, R. I.

99

PRUDENCE[8] DE WOLF, m. RUFUS EASTON.

285 OLIVER.
286 Ann Eliza, unmarried.
288 Anniset.

101

FANNY[8] DE WOLF, m. WILLIAM TAYLOR.

288 Mary E.
289 Anna A.
290 Henrietta.
291 Gardner.

105

AMASA ROBINSON[8] DE WOLF, m. July 1, 1852, ELLEN JOHNSON.

292 Charles H., b. 1853.

106

CHARLES[8] DE WOLF, m. KATURAH NEWMAN.

293 Hattie, b. 1861; m. John Van Allen.
294 Minnie, b. 1868; m. 1898, Elmer L. Sweatland, b. 1862.

107

LAYFAYETTE ERASTUS[8] DE WOLF, m. 1856, CAROLINE GROW, d. 1893.

295 George W., b. ——.
296 Aaron.
297 Wilmot.
298 Amasa.
299 Betsey.
300 Estella.

108

REV. ERASTUS[8] DE WOLF, m. (1) (circ.) 1830, HANNAH PEARSE, b. (Bristol, R. I.), 1800.

Chaplain in the Union Army, wounded in the battle of the Wilderness but continued to attend to the dying and wounded, he himself finally dying of fatigue and his wound. His wife was daughter of William Pearse of Bristol, R. I.

301 William Willis, b. July 10, 1832; d. July 20, 1875.
302 Erastus, b. Nov. 11, 1834; living in 1902.
303 Elizabeth Pearse; unmarried.
304 Marianne, m. R. W. Smith; no issue.

m. (2) Mrs. —— Innes.

305 James.

109

Wylys[8] De Wolf, m. Aug. 23, 1835, Ellen Mariah Wetherby, b. Dec. 3, 1811; d. Sept. 1, 1868.

306 Joseph Brown, b. March 28, 1836; living in 1902.
307 Ellen Frances, b. Dec. 12, 1843; d. July 23, 1844.

110

May Esther[8] De Wolf, m. Aug. 16, 1832, Theodore Francis Clarke, b. June 25, 1808; d. May 10, 1873.

308 Mary Elizabeth, b. Jan. 20, 1835; m. April 27, 1867, Ensign R. Smith.
309 Harriet Maria, b. Sept. 23, 1836; m. July 3, 1856, Alfred Cunningham.
310 Sarah De Wolf, b. June 23, 1838; d. June 24, 1833; m. Enos Belden.
311 Theodore Franklin, b. April 21, 1841; d. Aug. 9, 1901; m. Anna Hart.
312 William Hobart, b. Aug. 31, 1843; d. 1894; m. Mary Conners.
313 Oscar, b. Nov. 5, 1845.
314 George Washington, b. Nov. 10, 1847; d. 1897; m. Barbara ——.
315 Ella, b. 1851; m. 1871, Jacob Simonds.

111

Sarah[8] De Wolf, m. (1) 1843, Perry Pierce, d. 1845.

316 Sarah Frances Perry, b. 1844; m. (1) Geo. Woodbury Coy; m. (2) Robt. J. Fullerton.

m. (2) CALEB CHASE, d. 1891.

317 Huldah Pearse, b. 1844; d. 1881.

112

HARRIET NEWELL[8] DE WOLF, m. 1840, JOHN LOVEJOY COOKE, b. Jan. 7, 1819; d, May 20, 1878.

318 Hobart, b. April 2, 1841.

113

JAMES[8] DE WOLF, m. March 20, 1850, HELEN L. BROWN, b. 1833; d. 1901.

Helen (Brown) De Wolf was descended from "Walter Cook, brother of Sir Francis and Sir Peter Cooke. Walter Cooke is thought to have been a 'Sir.' He came over in the *Success* two years after the *Mayflower*, but of the same party. We find two relatives on the pay roll of the Continental Army." Letter of Wm. Fletcher De Wolf.

319 Levi, b. 1852; d. the same day.
320 William Fletcher, b. 1853.
321 Charles Bolivar L., b. 1855; d. in childhood.
322 Bertha Frances, b. 1858; d. 1861.
323 Herbert B., b. 1861.
324 Edward Clinton, b. 1868; d. in childhood.

118

JUDGE CALVIN[8] DE WOLF, m. 1846, FRANCES KIMBALL. b. June 27, 1819.

A prominent lawyer and early abolitionist of Chicago (for biographical sketch, see Introduction, p. 72).

325 Lucy Ellen, b. May 7, 1843; m. Nov. 27, 1877. Robert B. Bell. No issue.
326 Anna Spalding, b. July 17, 1846; d. Sept. 27, 1878; unmarried.
327 Mary Frances, b. Aug. 24, 1848.
328 Wallace Leroy, b. Feb. 24, 1854; m. Oct. 20, 1890, Mary R. Rea. No issue.
328A Alice, b. July 17, 1857; d. March 7, 1882; m. Sept. 26, 1877, L. D. Kneeland.

119

FANNY WOODBURY[8] DE WOLF, m. (Le Raysville, Pa.), April 26, 1835, DAVID BRINK.

329 Eliza Ann, b. Nov. 18, 1836.
329A Sarah Sophia.
329B Betsey Ellen.
329C Sylvia Elizabeth, b. 1841; d. 1860.
330 Giles Albert, b. April 7, 1846.
331 Elmer James, b. 1849.
332 Lois Snow, b. Dec. 17, 1850; d. June 28, 1901.
332A Charles Henry.
333 Ella Frances, b. 1859.
333A Bertie May, b. April 4, 1865; m. Feb. 22, 1886, (Shilo, Ia.), Rufus Seaman.

120

DR. JAMES[8] DE WOLF, m. (Tarrytown, Pa.), May 5, 1846, ANNA HORTON, b. March 23, 1793, dau. of Major Jno. Horton and Nancy Gilbert Miller.

Born Cavendish, Vt., a highly esteemed physician and prominent citizen of Vail, Ia. He was the first Mayor of Clarence, Ia., later Mayor of Vail, Justice of the Peace, Postmaster and Member of Illinois Legislature (see Introduction, p. 73).

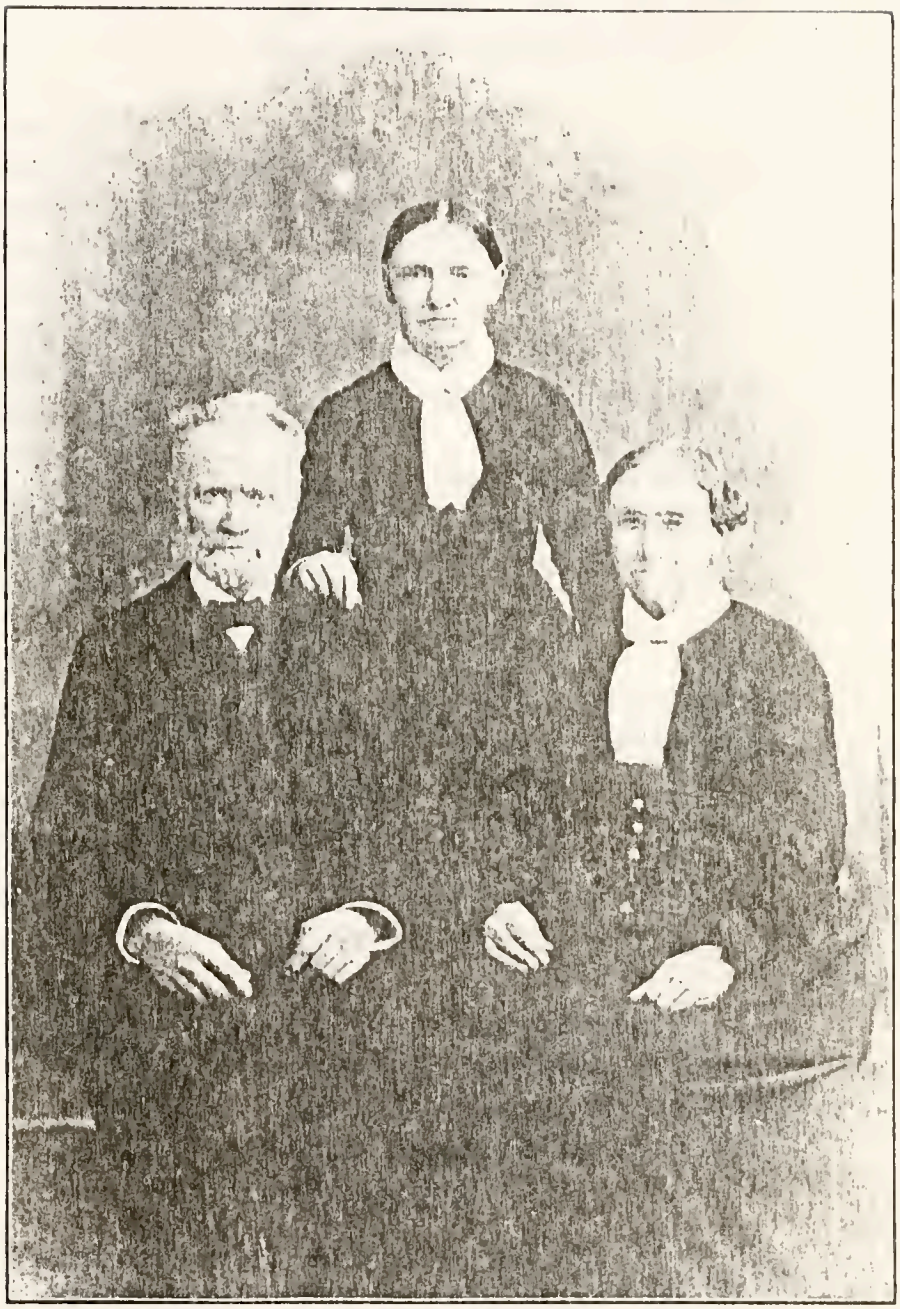
334 Mary Ellen, b. May 17, 1850.
335 John Horton, b. July 21, 1852.
336 George Walbridge, b. June 1, 1855.
337 Emma Elisa, b. July 8, 1857; d. May 13, 1861.
338 Anna Spalding, b. July 4, 1863.
338A James, b. March 16, 1868; d. Dec. 11, 1876.
338B Nellie May, b. May 9, 1872; d. Sept. 12, 1872.

121

CHARLES[8] DE WOLF, m. March 4, 1842, CLARINDA TAYLOR, b. Oct. 25, 1818.

Drowned in the Mississippi River, near the mouth of Rock River.

339 Betsey Belinda, b. Jan. 27, 1843.
340 Hannah Pearse, b. Nov. 25, 1844.
341 Giles Meigs, b. March 19, 1847.
342 Ann, b. Feb. 27, 1849; d. March 19, 1851.
343 Frank Charles, b. Nov. 19, 1851.
344 Charles Nathan, b. April 22, 1852; d. April 22, 1891.



CHILDREN OF GILES MEIGS DE WOLF (31).

MRS. BETSEY BARNES.

LUTHER DE WOLF.

MRS. ELIZA A. STONE,
Still living at the age of 92.

123

BETSEY NORTHROP[5] DE WOLF, m. (Lee Co., Ill.) Sept. 23, 1846, JOHN BARNES, son of John Barnes and Catharine Eaton.

344A Anna Catherine, b. Aug. 15, 1849.
345 Mary Ellen, b. July 2, 1851.
346 Harriet Elizabeth, b. Dec. 12, 1853; d. Nov. 6, 1883.
346A William Luther, b. Sept. 4, 1855.
346B Fanny Eliza, b. Sept. 2, 1858.
347 George Willis, b. Nov. 4, 1860.
347A Alice Munro, b. Nov. 21, 1862.
347B John Morris, b. July 20, 1865. Served in the Phillipines.
347C Samuel Howard, b. May 2, 1868. Served in Spanish War in Cuba, 30th U. S. Vol.; on his return entered U. S. A.

125

MARY ELLEN[5] DE WOLF, m. Sept. 13, 1849, DR. GEO. W. NORTHRUP.

348 Abi May, b. April 1, 1853.
349 Clement Dessault, b. Sept. 30, 1854.
350 Anna Ellen, b. July 29, 1856.

126

CLEMENT H[5] DE WOLF, m. Dec. 13, 1854, (Deerfield, Ill.), FRANCES C. BEECHER, b. Dec. 24, 1808, dau. of Lewis Beecher, New Haven, Conn., and Betsy C. Steele, of Waterbury, Conn.

351 Clement, b. May 16, 1856; d. May 18, 1866.
352 Louis Watson, b. Aug. 8, 1860; m. Sept. 27, 1890, Olive Hanchard Patten; b. April 19, 1864.
353 Emma Frances, b. Dec. 22, 1862.
354 Sylvia Adelaide, b. Sept. 16, 1864.
355 George Steele, b. Aug. 23, 1866.
356 Calvin James, b. Sept. 11, 1868; d. April 12, 1875.
357 Ellen Abi, b. Dec. 22, 1870; d. April 17, 1875.
358 Bessie, b. Aug. 6, 1873; d. April 28, 1874.

359 Willis Homer, b. Aug. 27, 1875; m. Nov. 28, 1899, Jessie M. Carman.
360 Alonzo Meigs, b. April 25, 1878.
361 Lucy Caroline. b. May 5, 1880.

127

LYMAN E.[8] DE WOLF, m. MATILDA PRATT, b. 1837; d. 1890.
A lawyer of Chicago.

362 William Wirt, b. 1840.
363 Leonard Euler, b. March 18, 1841.
364 Lyman Edwin, b. 1843; d. ——.
365 Olive Matilda, b. Sept. 29, 1845.
366 Francis Lewellyn, b. 1847; m. Mrs. Mary Annis. No issue.
367 Ida Gertrude, b. 1849; d. 1850.
368 Henry Selwin, b. 1852; d. 1854.
369 Julia Elizabeth, b. 1855.

128

GILES NEWELL[8] DE WOLF, m. (1) Jan. 1, 1840, EMELINE BUFFINGTON, b. Nov. 11, 1818; d. Oct., 1870.

370 Lucy Mariah, b. March 17, 1841.
371 Martha Elizabeth, b. Dec. 25, 1842; m. Dec. 25, 1877, Byron D. Bolles, b. Feb. 14, 1837; d. Oct. 12, 1889.
372 Matilda Adelaide, b. Sept., 1844.

m. (2) ELIZA C. (BURGESS) LOTT, b. Dec. 22, 1835.

373 Loren Giles, b. Sept. 30, 1873.

129

ELIZABETH WALBRIDGE[8] DE WOLF, m. EUGENE KEELER, d. March 6, 1885. "A popular Justice of the Peace for eighteen years."

374 Orlando J., b. 1847; d. Oct. 7, 1854.
375 Thaddeus S., b. Sept. 3, 1848.

ELISHA DE WOLF (32),
A GRANDSON OF SIMON, WHO WAS OLDEST SON OF CHARLES DE WOLF,
OF GUADALOUPE.
BORN 1784; DIED 1869

376 Lucy A., b. June, 1850; d. Jan. 20, 1857.
377 Ida M., b. April 14, 1852; m. March 25, 1872, Chas. W. Slocum. No children.
378 Little Lucy.

130

JOHN[8] DE WOLF, m. HARRIET SMITH, b. Oct. 6, 1809; d. April 28, 1888.

378A Amanda, b. July 11, 1842.
378B John, b. Sept. 14, 1852.

131

POLLY[8] DE WOLF, m. GEORGE WEBSTER.

378C Don D.
378D Louise; m. ——— Moorey.

132

CAPT. DANIEL[8] DE WOLF, m. April 30, 1842, ELIZA ROYS, b. March 24, 1822.

379 Clement E., b. 1843; d. Sept. 28, 1863.
380 Hannah L., b. 1845; d. April 28, 1852.
381 John Calvin, b. 1846; d. April 15, 1870. Blown up on the *Raven* in the Mississippi.
382 William Healey, b. 1855; d. Oct., 1875.
383 Vienna, b. 1853; d. Oct. 17, 1878.
384 Daniel Dow, b. 1857; d. 1883.
385 Ida, b. 1861.
386 Ethan Allen, b. 1851.
387 Dor, b. March 31, 1846.
388 Viola, b. 1859.

133

LYDIA BIGELOW[8] DE WOLF, m. JOHN SMITH, b. May 5, 1818; d. Jan. 29, 1880.

389 Nancy, b. March, 1842; d. Aug., 1843.
390 Hiram Hamilton, b. March 18, 1843; d. (Eureka Springs, Ark.), July 25, 1885.

391 Marcellus Clement, b. June 26, 1845.
392 Samuel Finley, b. Nov. 13, 1855.

134

CALVIN[8] DE WOLF, m. 1849, ELIZA JANE LOSLEY.

393 Clark.
394 Don Samuel, b. Sept. 11, 1851.
395 Marcellus, drowned in steamer collision at Racine, O., in summer of 1886.
396 Clement, d. in infancy.
397 Flora Eva, b. Sept. 22, 1861.
398 Martin Caudery, b. Aug. 9, 1863.
399 Nancy Jane.
400 Lydia Betsey.

137

GEORGE BUCKMASTER[8] DE WOLF, m. MARY SMITH.

401 Isadora Louise, d. ——.
402 Julia, d. in infancy.
403 Gertrude.
404 Georgiana Felicita.
405 Francis Eugene.

142

THRODORA GOUJAUD[8] DE WOLF, m. Nov. 14, 1837, CHRISTOPHER COLT, d. 1855.

406 George De Wolf, b. Sept. 18, 1838.
407 Isabella De Wolf, b. June 23, 1840; m. Francis Eugene De Wolf (see 405).
408 Christopher, b. June 29, 1842; d. May 29, 1855.
409 Edward Douglas, b. May 28, 1844; d. Oct. 10, 1868; m. Alice Brainard. No issue.
410 Le Baron Bradford, b. June 25, 1846.
411 Samuel Pomeroy, b. Jan. 10, 1852.

143

ISABELLA[8] DE WOLF, m. ABSOLAM B. WOODRUFF.

412 Howard De Wolf, d. unmarried.
413 Theodora De Wolf.
414 Bouton De Wolf, d. unmarried.

THEODORA GOUJAUD DE WOLF (142),
WIFE OF CHRISTOPHER COLT.
BORN OCT. 12, 1820; DIED DEC. 15, 1901.

147

CHARLES HENRY[8] DE WOLF, m. (1) MARIANNA DE WOLF (116). No issue.
The children were born on the Arca de Nol Plantation, Cuba.

m. (2) SARAH FALES HAZARD, b. 1814; d. 1893.

415 Charles Henry ("Carlos"), b. 1845; d. 1862.
416 Mary Hazard, b. 1846.

149

ABBY BRADFORD[8] DE WOLF, m. (1) 1828, NICHOLAS BOSS. No issue.

m. (2) Aug. 4, 1845, REV. WILLIAM GUILD.

416A Mary, b. 1848; d. in infancy.
416B Henry Goodwin, b. 1850; d. in infancy.
417 Mary De Wolf, b. Oct. 13, 1852; m. April 16, 1895, William Storrs Cooper, of Cooperstown, N. Y.

150

MARTHA GREEN[8] DE WOLF, m. Aug. 10, 1841, CAPT. SAM. FALES HAZARD, U. S. N.

417A Virginia, b. May 27, 1842; d. July 2, 1847.
418 Martha De Wolf, b. March 20, 1846; m. April 6, 1870, Dr. Fred. Russel Sturgis; b. (Manilla), July 7, 1844.

156

CHARLES DE WOLF[8] BROWNELL, m. MRS. HENRIETTA KNOWLTON (ANGELL) PIERCE; b. 1837; d. 1897.

419 Carl De Wolf, b. 1866.
420 Ernest Henry, b. 1867.
421 G. Edward Don Manuel Ibarra Dudagoitia, b. 1870.
422 Roger Williams, b. 1876; d. 1899.

158

EDWARD ROGERSON[8] BROWNELL, M. D., m. 1853, PAMELA LAYSARD.

423 Francis E., b. May 20, 1854; m. June 3, 1897, Florence H. Bowen.

424 Clara Ann, b. May 6, 1856; d. July 4, 1857.
425 Lucia Amelia, b. Oct. 18, 1857.
426 Arthur, b. Feb. 17, 1859; d. Aug. 24, 1867.
427 Clarence De Wolf, b. Oct. 3, 1860.
428 Charles Henry, b. Sept. 16, 1862.

161

MARK ANTHONY[8] DE WOLF SMITH, m. 1821, SUSAN PECK.

429 Samuel De Wolf, b. 1824; d. unmarried.
430 George, b. 1826; m. Eliza E. Peck; d. without issue.

162

HOPESTILL POTTER[8] DIMOND, m. April 17, 1815, ELIZA NICHOLS ATTWOOD, b. April 15, 1797; d. Feb. 14, 1888.

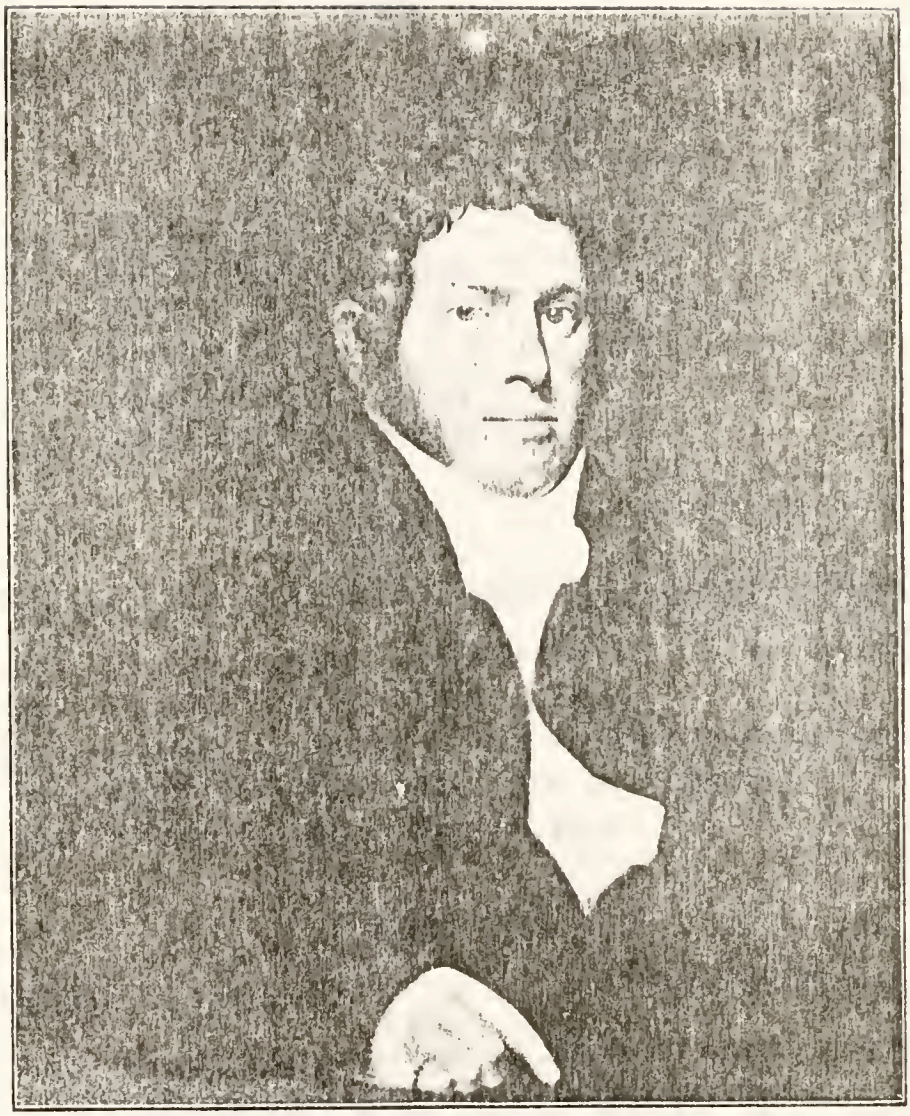
The above marriage was solemnized in the old Dyer homestead, (now owned by Gov. A. O. Bourne, of Rhode Island), in North Canton, now called Elmwood, by Rev. "Paddy Wilson," the celebrated Pastor of the "Round Top Church," Providence, who pronounced them the handsomest couple he had united during the forty years of his ministry.

431 Montgomery Pike, b. March 14, 1816; d. 1863; unmarried.
432 William Frazier, b. April 6, 1818; d. Feb. 16, 1893.
433 Mary N., b. Oct. 31, 1820; d. Oct. 1, 1822.
434 Hopestill Potter, b. Sept. 10, 1823; d. June 16, 1853; unmarried.
435 Charles Wesley, b. May 6, 1829; d. April 21, 1880.
436 Francis M., b. 1833; m. June 25, 1875, Ann Scott. No issue.
437 John Nichols, b. Jan. 16, 1836; d. Dec. 10, 1880.
438 Elizabeth, b. 1839; d. 1899.

163

GOV. FRANCIS MOORE[8] DIMOND, m. 1820, MRS. MARIA EUSTIS (PARKER) GREENE.

U. S. Consul at Port au Prince and at Vera Cruz; Lieut.-Governor of Rhode Island and during most of the term acting Governor (see Introduction p. 51).



HOPESTILL POTTER DIMOND (162),
BRISTOL, R. I.
BORN NOV. 16, 1790; DIED OCT. 15, 1857.

439 Cornelius Royal, b. 1821; d. 1901.
440 Isabelle Eustis, b. (circ.) 1827.
441 Virginia, bap. 1830; d. 1837.
442 Rosa, b. 1832; d. 1892.
443 Frances Maria, b. (circ.) 1834; d. 1837.

165

HENRY WIGHT[8] DIMOND,* m. MARTHA LINDSAY, who m. for her second husband John Henry Shoemaker.

445 William Henry, b. Dec. 26, 1823; d. Dec. 12, 1842.
446 Martha Munro, b. Aug. 28, 1826.
447 Royal, b. June 18, 1830; d. May 21, 1838.
448 Charles Carrol, b. Aug. 19; d. Oct. 10, 1896; m. Mary Payson. No issue.
449 John Dearth, b. May 27, 1836.

167

FANNY MARTIN[8] DIMAN, m. June 26, 1821, CAPT. PELEG G. JONES.

450 Francis Le Roy, b. March 28, 1822; d. unmarried.
451 Charles Henry, b. June 30, 1823.
452 William Augustus, b. Feb. 21, 1826; d. unmarried.
453 Fanny Moore, b. Sept., 1827; d. in infancy.
454 Peleg Gardner, b. Feb. 22, 1829.

168

JAMES[8] DIMAN, m. Jan. 2, 1816 MARTHA MUNRO.

455 Martha James, b. Oct. 20, 1816; d. April 5, 1894; m. Nov. 6, 1848, John Gardner. No issue.
456 Lydia, b. Oct., 1818; d. Nov. 6, 1821.
457 Mary Abby, b. March 3, 1821; d. March 20, 1822.

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* "In this Generation a number of the family (Henry Wight D. by act of Legislature) changed the spelling to Dimond. The Records of Farmington, Conn., in land transactions have signatures spelled Demon; moving from Farmington about 1660 to East Hempstead, L. I., the spelling became Diamont."

Letter to Author from JOHN DEARTH DIMOND of Bristol, R. I.

169

HARRY[8] DIMAN, m. March 27, 1817, ELIZABETH GRAY.

458 Henry, b. Aug. 3, 1817; d. Feb. 23, 1902.
459 Francis Le Baron, b. Sept. 7, 1819; d. 1900.
460 Elizabeth, b. June 26, 1822.
461 Marion, b. Jan. 8, 1824; d. Nov. 13, 1844.

170

MARY[8] DIMAN, m. Aug. 6, 1822, CAPT. JOHN SMITH.

462 John Taylor, b. Oct. 5, 1824; d. April 19, 1886.
463 George James, b. Dec. 6, 1828; d. Feb. 27, 1899.
464 Mary Eliza, b. Oct. 28, 1832.
465 Anne Felix, b. July 28, 1839.

171

ABIGAIL[8] DIMAN, m. (1) Jan. 26, 1822, HENRY FALES.

466 Joseph Henry, b. 1824; d. Aug. 2, 1834.
467 Edward Taylor, b. 1826; d. Dec. 30, 1829.
468 Mary Abby, d. in infancy, Oct. 17, 1830.

m. (2) Sept. 14, 1843, THOMAS WALDRON.
No issue.

172

MARGARET[8] DIMAN, m. 1833, ALLEN TAYLOR BRADFORD.

469 Mary Abby, b. July 7, 1835; d. March, 1891.
470 Sarah, b. Aug. 25, 1837; unmarried.
471 Allen Taylor, b. Aug. 5, 1840; d. 1857.
472 Margaret Diman, b. May 13, 1843.

174

SAMUEL[8] LISCOMB, m. MRS. LYDIA (GRAY) WALDRON.

473 Richard.
474 Samuel.
475 Byron, b. 1827; d. 1863.

175

AMANDA[8] LISCOMB, m. THEOPHILUS FREEBORN.

476 Henry, b. ——; d. unmarried.

176

HARRIET[6] LISCOMB, m. Dec., 1818, JOHN WALDRON.

477 John, b. March 20, 1820; d. Jan. 10, 1900; unmarried.
478 Abigail Howe, b. 1823; d. 1900; m. Ambrose Waldron. No issue.
479 Francis, b. 1825; d. 1867.
480 Margaret De Wolf, b. Jan. 10, 1828.
481 Harriet Liscomb, b. May 26, 1830.
482 Isaac Liscomb, b. 1832; d. June 30, 1836.
483 Mary Freeborn, b. March 8, 1835; d. July 3, 1836

177

SIMON DE WOLF[6] LISCOMB, m. (1) SARAH GREY, b. 1794; d. Dec. 10, 1820.

484 Simon, m. (1) ———.

m. (2) May 9, 1821, CATHERINE MCGONNIGLE.

485 Alexander, b. 1822; m. 1854, Kathrine Pearse. No issue.

179

ISAAC[6] LISCOMB, m. Oct. 16, 1824, MARY DARLING.

486 Mary Ann, b. 1825; d. 1899; m. Sept. 2, 1844, Sam. Taylor. No issue.
487 Harriet, b. 1828; m. Sept. 10, 1849, Benj. Lincoln. No issue.
488 Ellen, b. 1834; unmarried.
489 Sarah B., b. 1837; d. 1868; unmarried.
490 Isaac, b. 1839.
491 Josephine, b. 1845; d. 1901.

180

JOSEPH[6] LISCOMB, m. Sept. 14, 1826, ABBY WALDRON.

492 Cathrine, b. July 26, 1827.
493 Mary, b. Feb. 24, 1829.
494 Margaret Diman, b. Jan. 2, 1839.

181

JEREMIAH D.[8] LISCOMB, m. May 16, 1831, ELLEN PITMAN.

494A Raymond, b. 1832; d. 1836.

495 Ellen, b. 1837; m. (1) Capt. Chas. Hosmer. No issue.

m. (2) Nov. 10, 1839, ELIZABETH WOOD, who for second husband m. Gov. Byron Diman.

183

WILLIAM C.[8] LISCOMB, m. March 7, 1836, ANN LAKE.

496 Annie W., b. June 12, 1840.
497 Rosalie, b. Jan. 1, 1849; d. in infancy.
498 William Cornett, b. July 6, 1855.

184

NANCY MELVILLE[8] DE WOLF, m. Oct. 13, 1836, SAMUEL DOWNER, b. March 8, 1807; d. Sept. 20, 1881.

499 Samuel, b. Oct. 28, 1837; d. Sept. 17, 1838.
500 Mary Catherine, b. May 24, 1839.
501 Annie Cecilia, b, Sept. 6, 1841; d. Sept. 9, 1896.
502 Gertrude Melville, b. May 26, 1844.
503 Marion Gardner, b. March 27, 1848.
504 Horace Mann, b. May 28, 1850; d. in infancy.
505 Alice De Wolf, b. Aug. 14, 1852.
506 Mabel Richmond, b. May 21, 1856.

186

RT. REV. MARK ANTONY DE WOLF[8] HOWE, D. D.

First Bishop of Central Pennsylvania, a distinguished Divine, scholar and poet—for Biographical account (see p. 101).

m. (1) Oct. 16, 1833, JULIA BOWEN AMORY, b. Feb. 16, 1805; d. Feb. 5, 1841.

507 Mary Amory, b. May 4, 1837; d. Jan. 4, 1867.

(There were also born to this marriage, the following who died young: Louise Smith, b. Oct. 3, 1834; d. March 18, 1845; Thomas Amory, b. March 24, 1836; d. Feb. 7, 1840; Helen

GEORGE HOWE (00),
BRISTOL, R. I.

Maria, b. July 19, 1838; d. April 4, 1839; Julia Amory, b. April 30, 1840; d. May 9, 1841).

m. (2) Jan. 17, 1843, ELIZABETH SMITH MARSHALL, b. Dec. 25, 1820; d. Oct. 5, 1855.

508 Herbert Marshall, b. July 16, 1844.
509 Reginald Heber, b. April 9, 1846.
510 Elizabeth Marshall, b. May 12, 1851.
511 Frank Perley, b. Sept. 19, 1852.
512 Alfred Leighton, b. April 4, 1854.

(There were also born to this marriage: Mark A. De Wolf, b. March, 1848; d. June 2, 1850; Julia Amory, b. Jan. 31, 1850; d. June 22, 1850; John Ernest, b. Sept. 22, 1855; d. May 1, 1857).

m. (3) June 19, 1857, ELIZA WHITNEY, b. Jan. 25, 18—.

513 Arthur Whitney, b. May 15, 1859.
514 Mark Antony De Wolf, b. Aug. 28, 1864.
515 Wallis Eastburn, b. Sept. 12, 1868.

(There were also born to this marriage: Anna Barnard, b. May 8, 1858; d. May 28, 1858; Antoinette De Wolf, b. Jan. 13, 1861; d. April 3, 1862).

187

ABBY TURNER[8] HOWE, m. 1846, REV. EDWARD THEODORE WINKLER, D. D., LL. D.

516 George Howe, b. Sept. 29, 1847.
517 Hermeone Evora, b. Oct. 29, 1849–50.
518 Jessie McFarland.

188

ELIZA TURNER[8] HOWE, m. THEODORE PEACOCK BOGERT.

519 Edward Langdon.
520 Edith.
521 George Howe.
522 Alice, b. Nov. 15, 1857.
523 William Russell, b. Nov. 11, 1859.
524 Adeline.

525 Isabel.
526 Harry Howe.
527 Julia.

191

JULIA DE WOLF[5] HOWE, m. ROBERT QUASH PINCKNEY, Charleston, S. C., b. May 29, 1828; d. Feb. 27, 1902.

528 Robert Howe, b. Sept. 17, 1856.
529 Alfred Gaillard, b. March 22, 1866.
530 Arthur, b. Aug. 20, 1870; m. Dec. 4, 1900, Claudia A. Tucker.

192

JAMES[8] WEST, m. DEADAMIA PHINNEY.

532 Mary Ingraham, d. in infancy.
533 Theodore Phinney; unmarried.
434 George, m. Julia Kemp.
535 John, unmarried.
536 Susan Elizabeth.
537 Mary Deadamia.

193

ABBEY[8] WEST, m. Aug. 3, 1843, JONAS MINTURN, b April 18, 1819; d. Aug. 2, 1894, at Minturn, Cal.

538 Rowland Robinson, b. Feb. 1, 1845; d. June, 1894; unmarried.
539 Mary Ingraham, b. April 16, 1847.
540 Thomas Robinson, b. April 13, 1849.
541 Gertrude, b. March 20, 1851.
542 Madeline, b. Oct. 20, 1855; m. Alexander Byrdie Dyer, U. S. Artillary Corps, b. March 28, 1852.
543 James West, b. Dec. 3, 1857.

196

HARRIET VAN C.[8] WEST, m. Sept. 19, 1860, EDWARD MONTAGU TRAVERS.

544 Edith Montagu. b. Aug. 4, 1861.

545 Reginald, b. March 10, 1863.
546 Arthur Morgan, b. Oct. 3, 1865.
547 Gertrude, b. Jan. 30, 1870.
548 Mary, b. March 16, 1874.

198

MARIETTA[8] KINNICUTT, m. (Cobleskill), Nov. 12, 1836, JOHN HENRY COONS, b. March 6, 1814.

549 William Henry, b. May 26, 1838.
550 Rosalthe, b. Jan. 19, 1840.
551 Lucy Amelia, b. March 17, 1842.
552 Mary, b. Oct. 5, 1884; d. May 16, 1846.
553 Samuel Kinnicutt, b. March 17, 1847.
554 Hester Ann, b. Aug. 20, 1849.
555 Charles, b. March 2, 1856.
556 Marietta, b. June 17, 1858.

199

HESTER ANN[8] KINNICUTT, m. (Cobleskill), June 22, 1843, HENRY NELSON PERRY, descended from Ezra Perry of Sandwich, Mass., 1625 (see Appendix E); d. Oct. 26, 1893.

557 George Adelbert, b. June 2, 1845.
558 Edward Samuel, b. Jan. 19, 1847.
559 Helen Elizabeth, b. April 23, 1850.
560 William Henry, b. June 16, 1853.
561 Charles Eugene, b. July 27, 1855.
562 Rosalthe } b. March 20, 1858; d. Nov. 27, 1864.
563 Rosalia } b. March 20, 1858; d. May 10, 1858.

202

ABIGAIL NANCY[8] KINNICUTT, m. (Cobleskill), Nov. 29, 1842, DANIEL RICHARD JOSLYN.

564 Edward Kinnicutt, b. March 16, 1845.
565 Charles Hervey, b. Sept. 29, 1847.
566 Josephine Estella, b. July 27, 1851; d. Dec. 12, 1852.

567 James William, b. May 23, 1855.
568 John Stanton, b. Aug. 13, 1857.
569 Sandford Daniel, b. Dec. 30, 1862.
570 Benjamin Franklin, b. July 1, 1865; d. Feb. 25, 1883.

209

JULIA ANN[6] VINCENT, m. (Binghampton, N. Y.), March 15, 1842, CHARLES FOX.

571 Oscar, b. May 22, 1843; d. March 22, 1844.
572 Orsen Silas, b. July 4, 1844.
573 Oppen Vincent, b. Dec. 28, 1845.
574 Marietta, b. Jan. 10, 1848.

211

CHARLES HARVEY[6] HARMON, m. (Cobleskill), March 19, 1840, EMILINE KINNICUTT (201).

575 Nancy, b. Aug. 31, 1841; d. unmarried, March 4, 1874.
576 Susan Adelaide, b. May 17, 1846; d. July 27, 1846.
577 Elijah Barber, b. May 28, 1847.
578 Ellen Isabel, b. March 9, 1852.
579 James, b. Oct. 6, 1856; d. in infancy.
580 Josephine, b. Nov. 5, 1859; d. in infancy.
581 Brinton McClellan, b. Nov. 18, 1864.

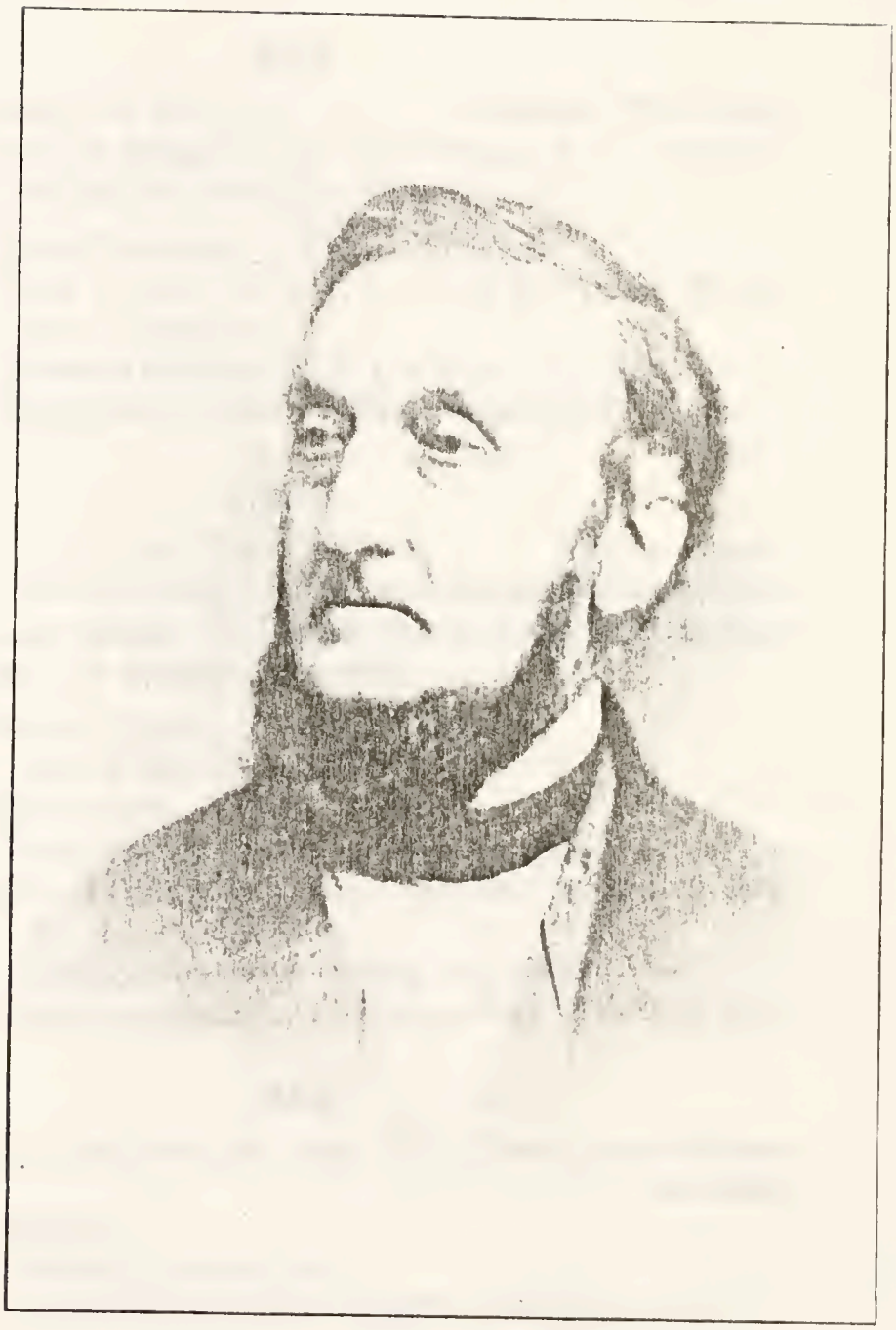
212

JAMES EDWARD[6] HARMON, m. (Bridgeport, Vt.), LUCINDA LEAR, b. March 2, 1821; d. Dec. 7, 1895.

582 James Henry, b. April 13, 1843.
583 Eliza Ann, b. Jan. 23, 1845.
584 Martha Alice, b. Dec. 21, 1850; d. March 21, 1855.

213

CELIA[6] HARMON, m. (W. Rutland, Vt.), Sept. 10, 1844, RALPH HENRY HASCALL, b. June 25, 1821, (see Introduction, p. 57).



DR. JOHN JAMES DE WOLF (214),
PROVIDENCE, R. I.
BORN SEPT. 11, 1807; DIED JULY 25, 1894.

585 Mary Sophia, b. May 24, 1846.
586 Franklin Henry, b. April 5, 1842.
587 Charles William, b. Oct. 28, 1856; d. Aug. 27, 1869.

214

DR. JOHN JAMES[8] DE WOLF, m. ANNETTE WINTHROP.

A highly honored physician of Providence, R. I. His wife was of the old Winthrop family of Boston.

588 John Winthrop, b. March 14, 1830.
589 John Halsey, b. Nov. 23, 1836; m. Annie Waterman. No issue.
590 James Andrews (M. D.), b. Oct. 11, 1839.
591 Elizabeth, b. Dec. 15, 1833; unmarried

215

ALGERNON SYDNEY[8] DE WOLF, m. CLARA DIMAN.

Miss Diman was the daughter of Gov. Byron Diman of Bristol, of the same family as Joseph Diman (16). Her brother was Prof. Diman of Brown University.

592 Byron Diman, b. July 7, 1848.
593 John, b. March 26, 1850.
594 Clara Anna, b. Sept. 5, 1853.
595 Lewis Henry, b. Oct. 4, 1855; d. 1900.
596 Grace Giddings, b. Sept. 29, 1860; m. Jan. 6, 1883, Dr. Jose Lugo Vina.
597 Florence Griswold, b. Aug. 24, 1863.
598 Algernon Sydney, b. May 29, 1865; d. Feb. 25, 1878.

216

SUSAN AMELIA[8] DE WOLF, m. 1840, U. S. Dist. Judge RUSSEL BULLOCK.

599 Sylvia.
600 Annie, d. unmarried.
601 Elizabeth, m. Saml. Pomeroy Colt (see 411).

217

ELIZA VIETS[8] DE WOLF, m. June 30, 1847, ROBERT SHAW ANDREWS.

602 Anna Gardiner, b. May 29, 1848; d. June 4, 1891.

603 Maria Griswold, b. March 30, 1850; m. Dec., 1882, H. M. Gibson.
604 Sylvia De Wolf, b. Sept. 13, 1852; d. March 13, 1879.
605 James Winthrop, b. Dec. 10, 1853; d. Oct., 1854.
606 Elizabeth De Wolf, m. Nov. 8, 1855, George Adams.
607 Robert Dudley, b. April 23, 1858; m. Oct. 16, 1901, Maud Ferrill d'Antignue.

221

WILLIAM FREDERICK[8] DE WOLF, m. June 10, 1835, MARGARET PADELFORD ARNOLD, b. 1842; d. 1877.

(Saw Chicago grow from the time it was Ft. Dearborn, when at the advanced age of 85 he died an honored citizen [see Introduction p. 72]).

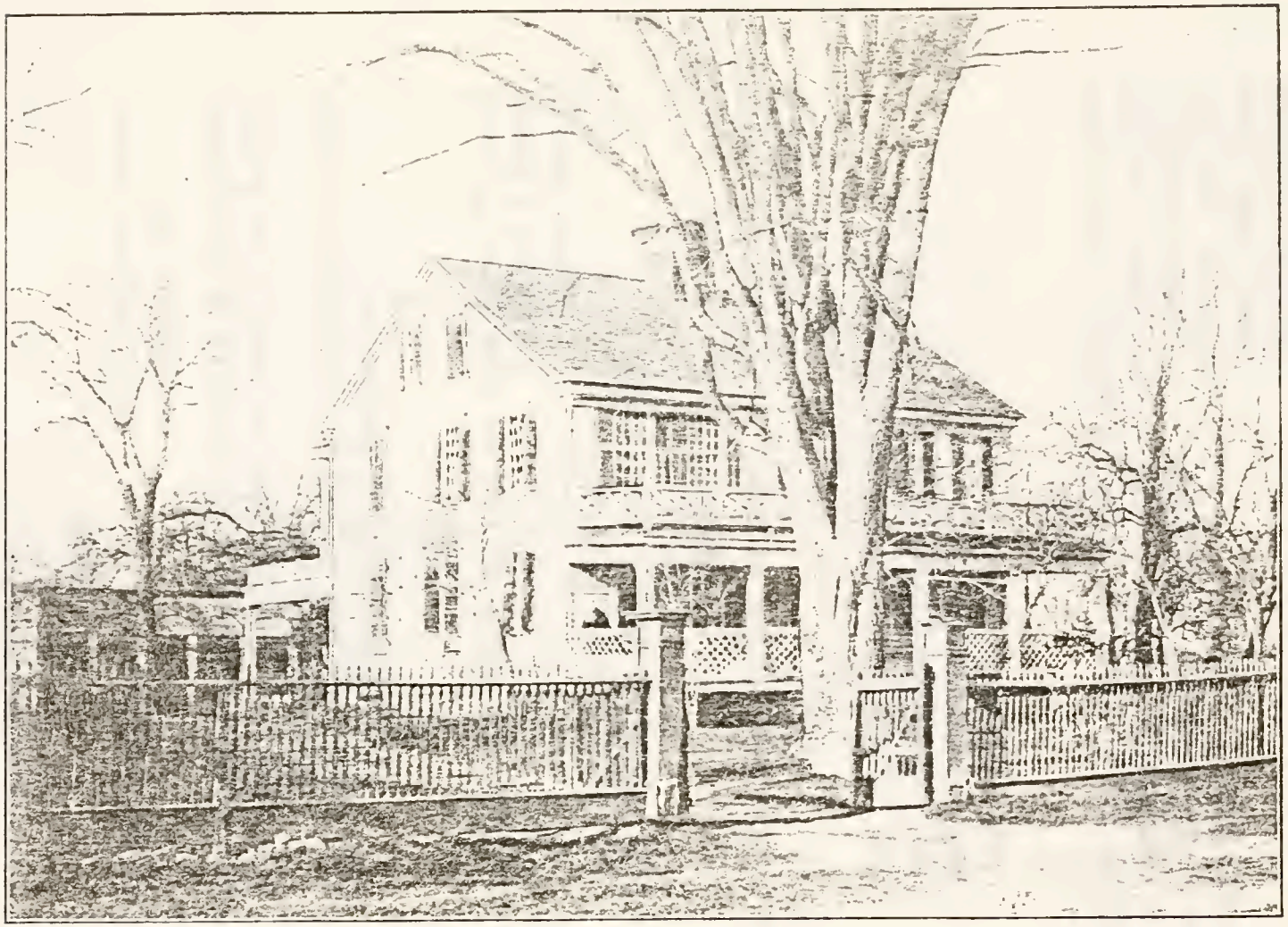
608 Annie Eliza, b. Jan. 3, 1837; d. Sept., 1853.
609 Charlotte, b. July 1, 1839; d. Sept., 1853.
610 William, b. June 27, 1841; d. June 3, 1862.
611 Mary Arnold, b. March 26, 1843; d. Sept., 1853.
612 Henry, b. Oct. 3, 1844; d. Oct. 10, 1893.
613 Maria Rogers, b. April 12, 1846; d. Sept., 1853.
614 Cecilia, b. Aug. 18, 1849.
615 Edward Padelford, b. Jan. 12, 1848; m. Oct. 23, 1878, C. W. Middleton (620).

The four beautiful older daughters died a tragic death by an explosion on a Sound steamer.

222

ANNIE ELIZABETH[8] DE WOLF, m. Sept. 20 1842, PROF. NATH. RUSSELL MIDDLETON, b. April 1, 1810; d. Sept. 6, 1890. President of Charleston College for twenty-five years; member of South Carolina Legislature; President of Bible Society and Art Association, and filled many other positions of public trust.

616 Maria De Wolf, b. July 23, 1844.



"THE FARM ON THE NECK,"

THE HOME OF HON. WILLIAM DE WOLF AND HIS SON HENRY DE WOLF,

BRISTOL, R. I.

617 Annie E., b. Jan. 2, 1847.
618 Alice Hopkins, b. Sept. 23, 1849.
619 Nathaniel Russell, b. Jan. 26, 1851.
620 Charlotte Helen, b. Aug. 23, 1859; m. Ed. Padleford De Wolf (615).

226

ABBY[8] DE WOLF, m. Jan. 10, 1844, CHARLES DANA GIBSON, d. Aug. 19, 1867.

621 Charles De Wolf, b. Nov. 30, 1844; d. Feb. 19, 1890.
622 Henry Maitland, b. Sept. 24, 1846; m. Dec. 8, 1882, Maria G. Andrews.
623 Louisa Marsten, b. May 9, 1858; m. Jan. 15, 1889, Frank Stowe Pratt, b. March 7, 1854.

227

ANNIE CECILIA[8] DE WOLF, m. Jan. 10, 1849, JOHN BARNARD SWETT, d. March 25, 1867, aged 45.

624 John, b. 1856; d. in infancy.
625 Elizabeth Gray, b. Oct. 17, 1853.

230

JULIANA[8] DE WOLF, m. Oct. 25, 1836, ROBERT LIVINGSTON CUTTING, b. 1812; d. 1887.

626 Robert Livingston, b. 1837; d. 1894.
627 James De Wolf, b. 1839; d. 1885.
628 Walter, b. 1841.
629 Juliana, b. 1843; d. 1885.

231

JAMES DE WOLF[8] PERRY, m. March, 1836, JULIA SOPHIA JONES, b. March 22, 1816; d. June 23, 1898; dau. of Abel and Julia Jones, and granddaughter of Hon. Benj. Bourn (see Appendix F).

He represented Bristol in the State Legislature and held many offices of trust.

630 Raymond Henry Jones, b. Oct. 2, 1836.
631 James De Wolf, b. Dec. 22, 1838.
632 Calbraith Bourn, b. Sept. 23, 1846.
633 Julia Bourn, b. July 6, 1850; d. June 19, 1857.
634 Charles Varnum, b. July 18, 1853.
635 Oliver Hazard, b. Oct. 22, 1859; d. Dec. 2, 1867.
636 William Wallace, b. Nov. 7, 1862.

234

ALEXANDER[8] PERRY, m. May 6, 1847, LAVINIA CADY HOWE (190).

637 William Sumner, b. March 26, 1848.
638 Marianne De Wolf, b. Aug. 2, 1850.
639 Josephine De Wolf, b. June 14, 1852.
640 Elizabeth Marshall, b. Aug. 30, 1855; d. Dec. 29, 1886.

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CAPT. JAMES[8] DE WOLF, m. Sept. 28, 1847, ELLEN DABNEY, b. March 2, 1831; d. May 28, 1899. Her second husband was Mayor R. H. Perry, U. S. V. (630).

641 Francis Le Baron, b. 1848; d. 1879.
642 James Francis, b. Oct. 30, 1852.
643 Ellen Post, b. Aug. 19, 1854.
644 Henry Dabney, b. May 1, 1861; d. 1881.
645 Nelson Sherwood, b. Nov. 16, 1864.

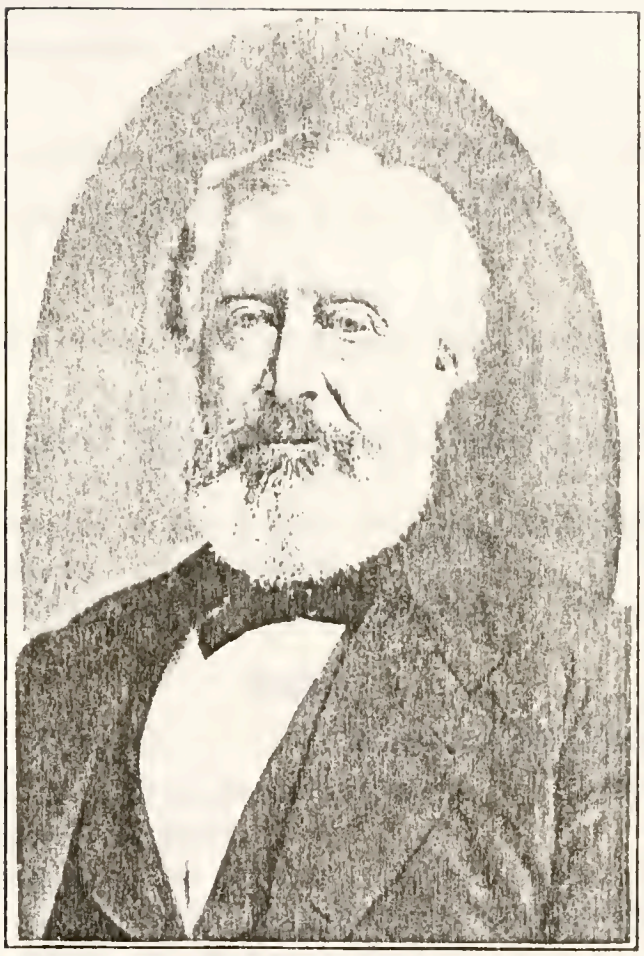
238

FRANCIS LE BARON[8] DE WOLF, m. (1) CAROLINE DEXTER.

646 Caroline.

m. (2) Oct. 17, 1850, ELIZA WEST (194), b. July 10, 1823; d. June 4, 1897.

647 Margarite, b. March 14, 1859.
648 Francis Le Baron Prescott, d. ——.



JAMES DE WOLF PERRY (231),
BRISTOL, R. I.
BORN SEPT. 2, 1815; DIED SEPT. 9, 1876.

239

ROSALIE[5] DE WOLF, m. JOHN HOPPER, b. 1815.

650 William De Wolf.

240

WILLIAM HENRY[5] DE WOLF, m. MARGARET MUNROE.

651 Rosalie.
652 William Rogers.
653 Margarite.

241

SARAH ANN[5] DE WOLF, m. GEORGE N. GARDNER.

654 Nellie De Wolf, m. W. De Wolf Hopper (650).

244

KATHERINE DODGE[5] DE WOLF, m. June 5, 1856, DAVID REYNOLDS BUDD.

655 William Henry De Wolf, b. April 5, 1858; d. Feb 16, 1891.
656 Charles Arnis, b. Dec. 28, 1859; m. Sept. 7, 1889, Mary Jacques Good.
657 Nellie Coward, b. July 19, 1870.

245

MADELINE[5] DE WOLF, m. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN SMITH.

658 Warren Weston, m. Louise ——. No issue.
659 Frank De Wolf, d.——.
660 Madeline De Wolf, m. (1) —— Taylor; m. (2) Sir Austin Lee, Secretary of British Legation at Paris. No issue.

246

JOSEPHINE[5] HOMER, m. MAYOR HENRY BEDLOW, of Newport, R. I.

661 Harriet Hall.
662 Alice Prescott, m. William Henry Mayer.

247

ISABELLA[5] HOMER, m. Nov. 3, 1864, LIEUT. JOHN COMBE PEGRAM, U. S. N., b. Aug. 26, 1842.

662 Isabella Homer, b. Jan. 21, 1867.
663 Virginia, b. April 2, 1868; d. May 3, 1892; m. April 30, 1890, Herbert Austin.
664 John Combe, b. July 25, 1870.
665 Nancy De Wolf, b. May 30, 1872; m. June 6, 1899, Bruce Clark.

248

HARRIET[8] DE WOLF, m. April 16, 1856, GEN. LOYD ASPINWALL.

666 William, b. Oct. 12, 1857.
667 Loyd, b. Sept. 14, 1861; d. July 10, 1899.
667A Russel De Wolf, b. June, 1871; d. May 13, 1874.

249

WILLIAM BRADFORD[8] DE WOLF, m. MARION I. MORA.

668 Gertrude Bradford.
669 Harriet Louisa.
670 Marion Irene.
671 Mark Anthony.
672 Mary Russell.

253

ANN[8] LOVETT, m. Nov. 18, 1863, FRANKLIN GIBBS, b. Aug. 9, 1838; d. June 1, 1877.

673 Julia De Wolf,, b. Feb. 24, 1866.
674 Franklin Bradford, b. (Isle of Wight), Oct. 21, 1873; d. March 12, 1884.

255

JAMES[8] LOVETT, m. (1) JOSEPHINE M. SUMNER. No issue. m. (2) ALMIRA BARROWS.

675 Alice Bradford.

256

HARRIET[8] LOVETT, m. REV. JOHN BROOKS, a younger brother of Bishop Phillips Brooks of Massachusetts. Rector of Christ Church, Springfield, Mass.

676 Josephine De Wolf.
677 Harriett Lovett.

257

WILLIAM COWPER[6] DRURY, m. (1) 1847, MRS. LUCY TENNESEE HANNA; d. 1849.

678 Abby De Wolf, b. Aug. 1, 1849; but on death of mother changed to Lucy Hanna; d. Aug. 1, 1869.

m. (2) May 25, 1852, MRS. ANNA P. (ARMSTRONG) FLEMING.

679 George De Wolf, b. April 30, 1853; d. 1857.
680 Swannie Burrus, b. April 18, 1855.
681 Bessie Burrus, b. March, 1859.
682 Abby De Wolf, b. Sept. 6, 1861; d. Sept. 19, 1878.
683 William Cowper, b. 1863; d. 1863.

m. (3) Dec. 19, 1877, SUSAN E. WEATHERFORD, d. July 4, 1878. No issue.

259

HARRIET STERLING[5] ALLEN, m. Aug. 16, 1837, GEORGE EDWARD WARREN, b. Aug. 16, 1817; d. Dec. 23, 1891.

684 Martha De Wolf, b. Feb. 6, 1839.
685 Mary Allen, b. Nov. 7, 1841.
686 George Edmund, d. in infancy.
687 Harriet Sterling, b. Jan. 1, 1846.
688 Charles De Wolf, b. April 18, 1849.
689 Mark Anthony, b. Dec. 8, 1851.
690 Anna Keating, b. March 4, 1854.
691 George Edmund, b. Sept. 18, 1856.
692 Frank Ward, b. May 2, 1859.

260

MARK ANTHONY DE WOLF[5] ALLEN, m. Sept. 28, 1847, LUCY KNOWLES SOUTHWORTH, b. April 10, 1827.

693 Mark Anthony Knowles, d. in infancy.
694 Henry Southworth, b. March 27, 1849.
695 Levi De Wolf, d. in infancy.
696 Mary Brown, b. July 11, 1851.

697 Sarah, d. in infancy.
698 Lucy Knowles, b. July 6, 1857.
699 William Edward, b. June 19, 1859.
700 Margaret Sterling, b. June 1, 1860.
701 Ada De Wolf, b. Sept. 11, 1862.
702 Harriet Warren, b. Dec. 22, 1864.

261

MARY DE WOLF[8] ALLEN, m. JOHN SCHUBERT.

703 William.
704 Caroline, m. William Beatty. No issue.

263

CHARLES WESLEY[8] ALLEN, m. April 14, 1857, SARAH COLLINS LEWIN, b. Feb. 7, 1834.

705 Harriet De Wolf, b. May 10, 1859.
706 Nathaniel Trafton, b. Aug. 21, 1861.
707 Cordelia Lewin, b. July 23, 1867.
708 Charles Wesley, b. Dec. 17, 1873; d. Aug. 11, 1875.

267

FRANK[8] WILKINSON, m. June 20, 1859, CAROLINE S. DEAN, d. April 26, 1862.

709 Sarah Lillian, b. April 26, 1860; d. Aug. 4, 1901.

GENERATION X.

271

EDWIN A.[9] DE WOLF, m. MRS. AMELIA E. (FARR) LOTT.

711 Odell B.
712 Vern A., m. Irene Ackerson. No issue.

274

MARY D.[9] DE WOLF, m. ELMER HATFIELD.

713 George.
714 Frank; unmarried.
715 Ella, m. Archie Chapman. No issue.

275

Erastus L.[9] De Wolf, m. Ella Snow.

716 Harvey.
717 Alvah.

276

Archie A.[9] De Wolf, m. (1) Emma Hartford. No issue.

m. (2) Sarah Bennett.

718 Ernest.
719 Isabelle, legally adopted after her father's death, under name of Norconk.

277

Diantha M.[9] Farr, m. O. B. Sharpe.

720 Orrin S.
721 Addie M.
722 Arthur; unmarried.
723 Sarah; unmarried.

278

Oscar E.[9] Farr, m. Mary O. Mahanna.

724 John P.
725 Rosco B.
726 Jennie.
727 Nellie.
728 James.
729 Maude.
730 Harry.

279

Orcelia E.[9] Farr, m. Alba Allen.

731 Anna.
732 Omer.
733 Kneeland F.; unmarried.
734 Cecil P.

280

Sylvia M.[9] Farr, m. George W. Snover.

735 Ottie.

736 Vern; unmarried.
737 Burton J.
738 Jennie; unmarried.

281

GEO. B.[9] FARR, m. JENNIE THOMPSON.

740 Frank.
741 Dora.

282

JONATHAN[9] FARR, m. ALICE J. ROBINSON.

742 Minnie A.
743 Edmund B.
744 Ottie J.
745 Betsey A.

283

TRUMAN K.[9] FARR, m. MELISSA BURGESS.

746 Mate.
747 Ernest.
748 Getta.
749 Florence.
750 Burney.

284

HELEN F.[9] FARR, m. CAPT. J. D. GYLE.

751 Robert; m. Sara Dunsmore.
752 Berne.
753 Frank.

285

OLIVER[9] EASTON, m. MARY J. KINTNER.

754 Elizabeth.
755 Rufus; unmarried.
756 Minnie F., m. Frank Ames. No issue.
757 Elijah K.
758 Annie.
759 Bessie.
760 Harry D.
761 Henry O.

288

MARY E.[9] TAYLOR, m. HEZEKIAH R. BALDWIN.

762 William S.
763 Francis E.
764 Charles H.
765 Clayton S.

289

ANNA A.[9] TAYLOR, m. E. CLAYTON SHARPE.

766 Minnie L.
767 Eveline M.
768 F. Ellen.
769 Hester C.
770 Dinah A.
771 Bertha M.

290

HENRIETTA[9] TAYLOR, m. WINIFRED MINTERMUTE.

772 William J.
773 Dessie T.
774 Mabel E.
775 Hazen S.
776 Frederic.
777 Charlotte.

291

J. GARDNER[9] TAYLOR, m. AFFIE VOSE.

778 Ida.
779 Inez.
780 J. Vose.
781 Eleanor

292

CHARLES H.[9] DE WOLF, m. Dec. 25, 1875, EVELINE TAYLOR.

782 Henry C., b. 1876.
783 William R., b. 1879.
784 Selar T., b. 1882.
785 Agnes B., b. 1884.
786 Frank C., b. 1886.

787 Harry Lee, b. 1888.
788 Florence M., b. 1891.
789 Leida A., b. 1893.

295

GEORGE W.[9] DE WOLF, m. MARTHA E. HOWELL.

790 Clarence Luther, b. 1891.
791 Albert Lewis, b. 1894; d. 1895.
792 Arthur Raymond, b. 1895.

301

REV. WILLIAM WYLLIS[9] DE WOLF, m. Nov. 20, 1861, LAVINIA NASH MORTON, b. Sept. 19, 1836, a granddaughter of Rev. Dan. Nash, first Rector of Christ Church, Cooperstown, N. Y.
(See Introduction p. 71.)

793 William Norton, b. Nov. 6, 1862.
794 Eugene Dresser, b. July 22, 1865.
795 Nellie Pearse, b. Nov. 9, 1868; m. Feb. 7, 1899, Charles A. Pratt.
796 Herbert Nash, b. Jan. 16, 1871.

302

REV. ERASTUS[9] DE WOLF, m. CAROLINE A. WASSON, b. 1839; d. 1885.
(See Introduction p. 71.

797 Erastus, b. 1865; d. 1889.
798 Robert W., b. 1866; d. 1884.
799 Hannah Lucy, b, 1869; d. 1897.
800 Grace Caroline, b. 1871.
801 Esther Evangeline, b. 1876.

306

JOSEPH BROWN[9] DE WOLF, m. April 21, 1858, ELLEN BRADLEY, b Aug. 2, 1836.

802 Martha Washington, b. Feb. 22, 1859; d. April 30, 1859.
803 George Erastus, b. Sept. 9, 1860; d. Feb. 4, 1862.
804 Ada, b. Oct. 21, 1862; d. Aug. 9, 1865.

REV. WILLIAM WILLIS DE WOLF (301).
BORN JULY 10, 1832; DIED JULY 20, 1875.

805 Ellen Mariah, b. Jan. 6, 1865; d. Sept. 1, 1868.
806 James Willis, b. Oct. 1, 1867; m. Nov. 28, 1893, Susan Steiner, b. Jan. 26, 1874.
807 Reason Johnson, b. Oct. 5, 1871; d. May 18, 1878.
808 Zephaniah Bell, b. July 8, 1872; d. Aug. 2, 1872.
809 Effie Bell, b. May 7, 1876; d. June 2, 1878.
810 Frank Bell, b. Jan. 24, 1879.

317

HULDAH PEARSE[9] CHASE, m. 1872, HORACE HARVEY HANCOCK.

811 Charles Francis, b. 1873.

318

REV. HOBART[9] COOK, m. June 7, 1866, MADELINE AMELIA HAYDEN, b. June, 7, 1842; d. Nov. 6, 1887.

812 Katherine, b. March 27, 1879.

320

WILLIAM FLETCHER[9] DE WOLF, m. (1) 1879, BERTHA COOK, m. (2) April, 1884, HATTIE ELEIDING, granddaughter of Baron Von Kirköw, of Königsburg and Schönfleiss.

813 Walter James, b. April 29, 1885.
814 Edouarde Von Kirkow, b. Aug. 22, 1886.
815 Elsie Helen, b. March 12, 1888.
816 Susan Brady, b. Feb. 28, 1890.

323

HERBERT B.[9] DE WOLF, m. NELLIE LEARY, b. 1866.

817 Florence Louise, b. 1885.

327

MARY FRANCIS[9] DE WOLF, m. March 11, 1873, MILO KELLOGG.

818 Anna Pearl, b. Aug. 5, 1874.

819 Leroy De Wolf, b. Jan. 30, 1877.
820 James Gifford, b. May 31, 1881.

329

ELIZA ANN[9] BRINK, m. (1) Feb. 20, 1865, LATHROP BOOTH, b. Oct. 5, 1841; d. Nov. 29, 1869.

821 Lottie.

m. (2) Jan. 23, 1871; ALBERT HEISLER.

822 Albert.

330

GILES ALBERT[9] BRINK, m. (Vail, Iowa), Feb. 12, 1874, ELSIE LORENA DUNHAM.

823 Cora Ellen, b. Sept. 19, 1875; d. Nov. 24, 1882.
824 Hattie Gertrude, b. Aug. 12, 1877; m. Dec. 25, 1900, Frank Zimmerman.
825 Ida Belle, b. July 27, 1880; d. Oct. 4, 1882.
826 Emma Grace, b. May 20, 1885.
827 Howard Lee, b. June 20, 1888.
828 Edith Pear, b. Nov. 29, 1890.
829 Albert, b. March 22, 1894; d. March 23, 1894.

331

ELMER JAMES[9] BRINK, m. (Waterloo, Iowa), ROSE FLOOD, dau. of Nicholas Flood and Margaret McGinniss, b. Sept. 26, 1846.

830 Frances E., b. Oct. 10, 1874; d. Jan. 25, 1879.
831 Willard, N., b. Sept. 1, 1878.
832 Bertha M., b. Nov. 23, 1883; d. Sept. 14, 1901.
833 Charles J., b. Nov. 22, 1887.
834 Mary Ethel, b. March 2, 1889.
835 Elmore James, b. Oct. 30, 1892.
836 Margaret, b. Nov. 23, 1895.

332

LOIS SNOW[9] BRINK, m. Dec. 17, 1868, DAVID E. BRINK, b. Feb. 19, 1845.

837 Myrtle Mabel, b. July 12, 1872.

333

ELLA FRANCES[9] BRINK, m. (Stanwood, Iowa), March 2, 1886, ROBERT SQUIRES, b. 1854, (Nottinghamshire, Eng.)

838 David, b. March 13, 1887.
839 Ruth, b. March 21, 1891.

334

MARY ELLEN[9] DE WOLF, m. (Vail, Iowa), May 2, 1873, ALBERT L. STRONG, b. Feb. 7, 1841, at Canaan, Conn., son of Tillinghast B. Strong and Sarah Ann Potter.

840 Anna May, b. Feb. 28, 1874.
841 Ellen Louise, b. Sept. 3, 1878.
842 Albert Edwin, b. Oct. 17, 1883.

335

JOHN HORTON[9] DE WOLF, m. 1876, CARRIE M. TEMPEST.

843 Frank Walbridge, b. 1881.
844 Eva Clare, b. 1889.

336

GEORGE WALBRIDGE[9] DE WOLF, m. (Vail, Iowa.), Dec. 23, 1884, SARAH EVELYN GILMAN, dau. of Artemas Gilman and Abbie Ames Riggs, Anson, Me.

845 James Gilman, b. Feb. 16, 1886.
846 Grace Evelyn, b. July 6, 1887.
847 George Elwin, b. Nov. 6, 1889.
848 Lillian Horton, b. Nov. 30, 1891.

339

BETSEY BELINDA[9] DE WOLF, m. (Otter Creek, Ill.), March 20, 1866, BRADLEY MERTON FES-

SENDEN, b. Sept. 28, 1844, son of Isaac Backus Fessenden and Lydia Bennett.

849 Charles Clayton, b. April 22, 1867; m. 1900, Effie M. Blair.
850 Henry Edwin, b. May 27, 1868.
851 Mary Ellen, b. March 29, 1870; d. 1891.
852 Clara Estelle, b. May 2, 1872.
853 George Bennett, b. Nov. 22, 1873.
854 John Merton, b. Feb. 6, 1876; d. March 18, 1876.
855 Harvey D., b. July 29, 1877.
856 Isaac Backus, b. June 27, 1879.
857 Frank, b. July 22, 1881.
858 Bessie Rudd, b. July 9, 1883.
859 Lydia Clarinda, b. Aug. 15, 1885.

340

HANNAH PEARSE[9] DE WOLF, m. (1) Oct. 29, 1863, THOMAS FORSYTH, b. June 14, 1840. Killed in Georgia in the Civil War.

860 Minnie E., b. July 22, 1864; d. in infancy.

m. (2) Feb. 1, 1866, JAMES MILLER, b. June 24, 1844; d. Jan. 25, 1887.

860A Fred. Price, b. Oct. 25, 1867.
860B Esther Ann, b. Sept. 25, 1868; m. Sept. 25, 1886, P. H. Troutner.
860C Miriam Alice, b. Sept. 30, 1870; d. Dec. 19, 1893.
860D Edith May, b. July 22, 1872; m. Dec. 7, 1895, G. W. Hoit.
860E James Howard, b. March 4, 1874; m. Dec. 22, 1897, Lilly Dawson.
860F Merton Everett, b. Nov. 2, 1875; m. Dec. 28, 1899, Nellie Davis.
860G Phinis, b. May 25, 1877; d. May 8, 1898.
860H Nathaniel Brown, b. Nov. 14, 1879; m. Dec. 5, 1900, Hattie Leech.
860I Frank, b. Oct. 14, 1881.

m. (3) Feb. 22, 1894, ALEX. ROBERTSON, b. (Scotland) June 21, 1845.

341

GILES MEIGS[9] DE WOLF, m. (Freemont, Ill.), Aug. 31, 1869, ALICE MINERVA MULLER, dau. of Nathaniel Brown Muller and Sally Ann Howard, b. Aug. 26, 1851.

861 Anna Spalding, b. July 19, 1870.
862 Gertrude Alice, b. Jan. 27, 1875; m. Aug. 1, 1901, Willard John Eavey, b. Aug. 25, 1873.
863 Hattie Rosetta, b. Jan. 11, 1882.
864 Arthur Howard, b. Nov. 8, 1890.

343

FRANK CHARLES[9] DE WOLF, m. 1874, FRANCES ROSE, b. March 5, 1854, dau. of Norman Rose and Electra Buck.

865 Charles Rufus, b. March 22, 1875; m. 1898, Anna Graham.
866 Viola Eliza, b. April 5, 1878.
867 Bessie Rose, b. July 3, 1881.
868 William Stone, b. April 16, 1884.
869 Fanny Clarinda, b. Dec. 7, 1887.
870 Giles Norman, b. May 10, 1889.
871 Electra Buck, b. June 26, 1890.
872 Anna Spalding, b. April 19, 1893.
873 James Earnest, b. March 26, 1896.

344

CHARLES NATHAN[9] DE WOLF, m. June 3, 1877, JULIA VICTORIA SMITH.

874 Stella Clarinda, b. March 9, 1878.
875 Robert Taylor, b. July 22, 1881.
876 Paul Leonidas, b. Nov. 11, 1883.
877 Agnes Pierce, b. Sept. 6, 1885.
878 Carl Telford, b. Dec. 2, 1887.
879 Bessie Alice, b. Sept. 20, 1890.

344A

ANNA CATHERINE[9] BARNES, m. Oct. 27, 1874, REV. JAMES S. ZEIGLER of the M. E. Church, b. April 26, 1847.

880 Mystic M., b. April 30, 1877; d. Sept. 23, 1879.
881 Lena May, b. July 1, 1879; m. Oct. 16, 1900, A. E. Cooper.
882 Lulu Pearl, b. Dec. 19, 1880.
883 Dora Blanche, b. Oct. 9, 1882.
884 William, b. April 11, 1884; d. April 20, 1884.
885 Grace Mildred, b. July 3, 1886.

345

MARY ELLEN[9] BARNES, m. (Plover, Iowa.), Jan. 13, 1876, DANIEL P. FROST, b. Nov, 20, 1851; d. July 6, 1881.

886 Frederick F., b. Dec. 12, 1876.
887 Carrie B., b. Oct. 20, 1878; d. Sept. 15, 1881.

346

HARRIETT ELIZABETH[9] BARNES, m. 1879, EDWIN R. SNELL, b. May 20, 1846, son of Benjamin F. and Diana Snell.

888 Bertha May, b. Nov. 2, 1878.
889 Charles Wayne, b. Oct. 8, 1881.

346A

WILLIAM LUTHER[9] BARNES, m. (Cedar Rapids, Iowa), June 10, 1891, CLARA BELLE HAMPTON, b. Jan. 22, 1873, dau. of Eli G. Hampton and Almira Isham.

890 Erroll H., b. April 12, 1894.
891 Letha N., b. April 11, 1897.
892 Virgil, b. Feb. 14, 1901.

347

REV. GEO. WILLIS[9] BARNES, m. 1893, MRS. JANE (HENDERSON) BOWEN, b. 1861.

"An earnest Methodist Episcopal Minister, whose labours seem blessed of God. One of the sort who go steadily forward and inspire confidence."—Letter of his cousin J. Horton De Wolf.

893 Ruth, b. 1894.
894 Joyce, b. 1896.
895 Marion, b. 1898.

347A

ALICE MONRO[9] BARNES, m. (Plover, Iowa), Nov. 1, 1893, JOSEPH R. DAUGHERTY, b. July 28, 1861, son of Jno. Daugherty and Sophia Showalter.

896 Cora A., b. Oct. 18, 1896.

348

ABI MAY[9] NORTHRUP, m. Aug. 30, 1881, PROF. A. EDWARDS, d. Jan., 1902.

897 George Andrew, b. June 22, 1884.
898 Ellen Maria, b. Feb. 24, 1888.

349

CLEMENT D.[9] NORTHRUP, m. April 26, 1876, E. NAOMA WEEKS.

899 Leah Geneva, b. Sept. 8, 1878.
900 Kate Carleton, b. Feb. 28, 1880.
901 Charles Weeks, b. Oct. 28, 1881.
902 John De Wolf, } twins, b. Nov. 5, 1886.
903 George Spencer, }

350

ANNA ELLEN[9] NORTHRUP, m. Aug. 3, 1877, WILBER J. ANKENY.

904 George William, b. June 21, 1878.
905 Hattie May, b. Nov. 11, 1879.
906 Clement, b. Aug. 6, 1882.
907 Kate, b. May 31, 1884.

908 Rose, b. Aug., 1886; d. 1888.
909 Faith, b. March 16, 1890.
910 John, b. Nov. 14, 1893.
911 Miriam, b. Nov. 10, 1895.

354

SYLVA ADELAIDE[9] DE WOLF, m. Aug. 2, 1887, CHARLES KERR DUKE, b. 1857; d. 1899.

912 Frances Cornelia, b. 1889.
913 Edwin De Wolf, b. 1897; d. 1900.

355

GEORGE STEELE[9] DE WOLF, m. Oct. 14, 1890, MARGARET MINERVA GOODRICH.

914 Rachel Margaret, b. 1892.

362

WILLIAM WIRT[9] DE WOLF, m. CHARLOTTE WAITE.

915 Leonard E.
916 Charles S.
917 Worthington W.
918 Martha E.
919 William W.

363

LEONARD EULER[9] DE WOLF, m. Aug. 18, 1862, WEALTHY ANN WAITE, b. Feb. 22, 1845; dau. of Oliver Cromwell Waite and Wealthy Bradford Holbrook.
A Justice of the Peace and Notary, of Wheaton, Ill.

920 Oliver Cromwell, b. Dec. 25, 1863; d. April 1, 1890; m. June 18, 1884, Emma Murray.
921 Willis Rogers, b. Jan. 28, 1868; m. Dorothy Martha McClarotch.
922 Francis Lewellyn, b. June 18, ——; m. Oct. 16, 1899, Susie Ashley Macomber.

923 Joseph Pratt, b. Dec. 19, 1872; m. Nov., 1897, Anna Kasten.
924 Edwin Hartley, b. Sept. 16, 1876; m. Jan. 1, 1899, Mary Jane Hadley.

365

OLIVE M.[9] DE WOLF, m. Jan. 1, 1866, HANSON TIFFANY, JR. b. June 29, 1848; d. Sept. 11, 1876.

925 Lyman Eli, b. Aug. 2, 1867.
926 Lucy Mabel, b. Aug. 2, 1869; m. ——— Grall.
927 Nettie Lelia, b. Oct. 23, 1871; d. Oct., 1872.
928 Francis Lewellyn, b. Nov. 3, 1876; d. (in camp) Nov. 12, 1899.
929 William, b. Dec. 23, 1874.

369

JULIA E.[9] DE WOLF, m. Jan. 1, 1876. MATTHEW JACK.

930 Mabel Clare, b. Oct. 1, 1876.
931 Edwin Matthew, b. Feb. 18, 1877.

370

LUCY MARIAH[9] DE WOLF, m. Jan. 2, 1859, SOPHRONIUS S. PRATT, b. April 4, 1836.

933 Leslie M., b. June 2, 1860; d. June 23, 1863.
934 May S., b. Nov. 27, 1862.
935 Arthur V., b. Nov. 17, 1865.
936 Clara V., b. June 12, 1868; d. Oct. 13, 1879.

372

MATHILDA ADELAIDE[9] DE WOLF, m. Oct. 31, 1865, MORTON STEVENS.

937 Merton G., b. Dec. 1, 1872.

375

THADDEUS S.[9] KEELER, m. (1) BETSEY HILL SLOCUM, d. Dec. 16, 1892.

938 Eugene b. Oct. 3, 1878.

m. (2) Sept. 30, 1893.

381

JOHN CALVIN[9] DE WOLF, m. FANNY DOYLE.

939 Maud, b. 1868.

387

DOR[9] DE WOLF, m. MARY ELLIS.

940 Harry, b. Dec. 27, 1874.
941 May, b. Aug. 15, 1876.
942 Ellis, b. May 2, 1878; d. July 7, 1897.
943 Daniel, b. June 2, 1883.
944 William, b. Dec. 24, 1888.

391

MARCELLUS CLEMENT[9] SMITH, m. (1) LOUISA SHIRKEY.

945 Kate, b. Jan. 14, 1876.

m. (2) JENNIE DARST.

946 Dawn, b. March 11, 1878.
947 Cash H., b. Jan. 5, 1881.

392

SAMUEL FINLEY[9] SMITH, m. (Dexter, O.), Oct. 29, 1856, MAMIE MARTIN, b. May 6, 1868.

948 Chester Pearl, b. Oct. 5, 1887; d. Nov. 15, 1890.
949 Dexter Merle, b. Oct. 5, 1887; d. July 29, 1888.
950 Winifred Racinia, b. Sept. 25, 1889.
951 Sherwood Finley, b. Aug. 7, 1893.

393

CLARK[9] DE WOLF, m. 1880, MINERVA PICKENS, d. 1897.

952 John.
953 Carlo.
954 Benton.
955 Essie.
956 Ella.

394

DON SAMUEL[9] DE WOLF, m. Dec. 12, 1887, FANNY BAKER.

957 Clark Edward, b. Sept. 18, 1878.
958 Calvin Marcellus, b. June 13, 1881.
959 William Mayward, b. March 11, 1884.
960 Homer Dow.
961 (One daughter died in infancy).

397

FLORA EVA[9] DE WOLF, m. Dec. 21, 1880, G. RILEY WOLF, b. April 22, 1852.

962 Ada A., b. Dec. 1, 1881.
963 Bent. R., b. Feb. 10, 1884.
964 Present A., b. Sept. 22, 1886.
965 Dudley R., b. April 12, 1889.

398

MARTIN[9] DE WOLF, m. Dec. 21, 1884, MARY ELLEN MCDANIELS, b. Sept. 13, 1859.

966 Erma Murphy, b. Jan. 23, 1888.
967 Samuel Ernest, b. June 24, 1890.
968 Nellie Calvin May, b. May 24, 1894.
969 Cowden.

399

NANCY[9] DE WOLF, m. 1879, HIRAM ———.

970 ———.

400

LYDIA[9] DE WOLF, m. 1889, JOSEPH BELL.

971 ———.

401

ISADORA LOUISE[9] DE WOLF, m. MAJ. JOSEPH JUDSON DIMOCK, U. S. N., descended from the Dymoke family of England who for generations have been kings' champions at

the coronations. Served in 82d N. Y. Vol. in Civil War.

972 Joseph Judson De Wolf, d. March 10, 1902.
973 Judson De Wolf, d. unmarried, aged 25.

403

GERTRUDE[9] DE WOLF, m. REV. JOHN M. WINDSOR.

974 Gertrude De Wolf.
975 Lillian Le Baron.
976 John McCarty.

404

GEORGIANA FELICITA[9] DE WOLF, m. WILLIAM ALBERT, U. S. Consul Gen. at Constantinople.

977 Catherine, d. 1878.
978 Mary De Wolf.
979 Isadora Louisa.
980 Clara Valentine.
981 Lida Eugenie.
982 Frederick William.
983 Ida Helena.
984 August Ferdinand.

405

FRANCIS EUGENE[9] DE WOLF, m. ISABELLA COLT.

985 Bradford Colt.
986 Blanche.

406

GEORGE[9] DE WOLF, m. ELLEN BREWER.

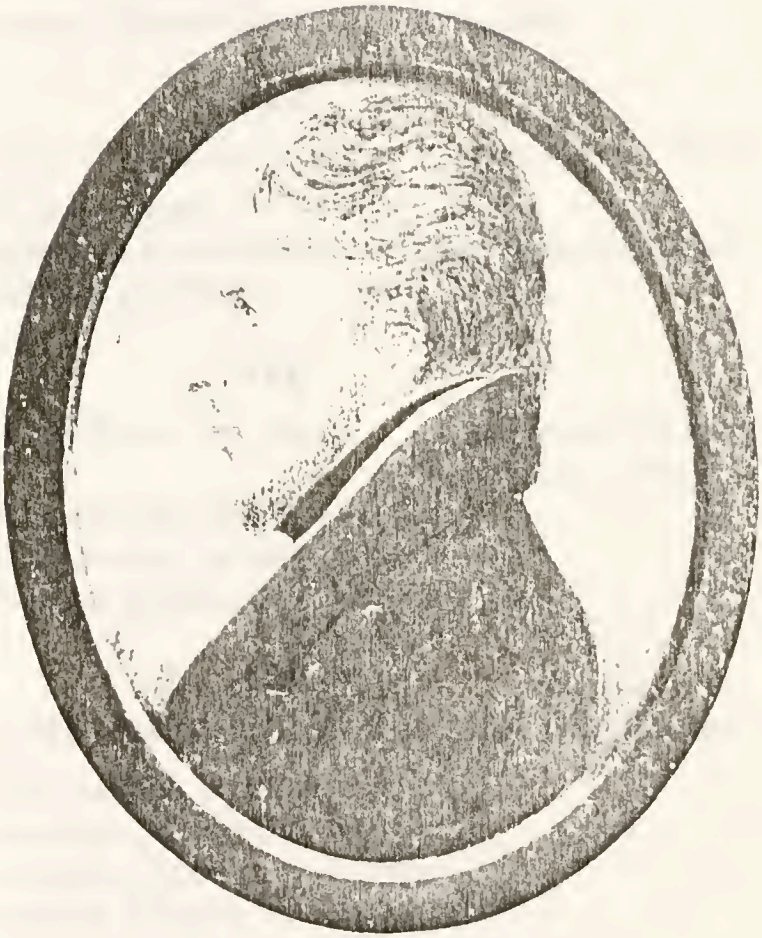
987 Eliza De Wolf.

410

HON. LE BARON BRADFORD[9] COLT, m. Dec. 17, 1873, MARY LOUISE LEDYARD.

Is a U. S. District Judge, residing in Providence, R. I.

988 Theodora Ledyard, b. Jan. 27, 1875.
989 Le Baron Carlton, b. Feb. 26, 1877.
989A Guy Pomeroy, b. Dec. 4, 1878; d. Nov. 17, 1885.
990 Marie Louise, b. July 25, 1880.
991 Elizabeth Linda, b. Oct. 29, 1887.
992 Beatrice, b. June, 1892.



CHARLES HENRY DE WOLF (147).

NEWPORT, R. I.

BORN 1806; DIED 1846

From a miniature in possession of
Mrs. Theodore P. Johnson.

411

SAMUEL POMEROY[9] COLT, m. Jan. 12, 1881, ELIZABETH METCHELSON BULLOCK.

Is a prominent lawyer and Member of Rhode Island General Assembly, residing in Bristol, R. I., one of the finest of the old De Wolf mansions (see Introduction, p. 41).

993 Samuel Pomeroy, b. Oct. 16, 1881; d. Nov. 4, 1890.
994 Russel Griswold, b. Oct. 1, 1882.
995 Roswell Christopher, b. Oct. 10, 1889.

413

THEODORA DE WOLF[9] WOODRUFF, m. THOMAS W. WHITE.

996 Ellen Aylmer.
997 Theodora Granville, m. Arthur Kortright Mack.
998 Isabella De Wolf.

418

MARY HAZARD[9] DE WOLF, m. 1871, THEODORE POLHEMUS JOHNSON, b. 1845.

999 Margaret Hazard, b. 1874.
1000 Mary Foster, b. 1876.
1001 Virginia Roosevelt, b. 1878; d. 1899.

420

ERNEST HENRY[9] BROWNELL, m. 1891, ANNIE MAY ANGELL.

1002 John Angell, b. 1892.
1003 Dorothea De Wolf, b. 1893.
1004 Margaret Knowlton, b. 1895.
1005 Thomas Church, b. 1898.

421

EDWARD IBARRA[9] BROWNELL, m. Dec. 27, 1897, FANNY DRONER GLADDING.

1006 Charles De Wolf, b. Jan. 15, 1899.

427

CLARENCE DE WOLF[9] BROWNELL, m. June 8, 1897, MARY KATHERINE VARTY.

1007 Clarence De Wolf.

428

CHARLES HENRY[9] BROWNELL, m. April 20, 1897, PAULINE EUGENIA LALANE.

1008 Charles Lalane.
1008A Lucia E., d. in infancy.

435

CHARLES WESLEY[9] DIMOND, m. Dec. 5, 1854, MARY C. CHURCH.

1009 Mary Church, b. July 21, 1855.
1010 Samuel C., b. Dec. 13, 1856; m. Feb. 12, 1890, Margaret Spooner. No issue.
1011 Millie, b. 1858; d. Feb. 13, 1880.
1012 Hopestill Potter, b. May 7, 1860.
1013 Lizzie, b. Jan. 20, 1862.
1014 Charles Francis, b. Nov. 30, 1865.
1015 Frank M., b. Oct. 3, 1867.
1016 Kate Church, b. Nov. 24, 1870.

437

JOHN N.[9] DIMOND, m. (1) MARY F. CHURCH.

1017 Elenore Bradford, b. ——; d. in infancy.

m. (2) May 26, 1865, CLARISA R. CLARK, d. April 15, 1871.

1018 Fred. Huntington, b. Nov. 3, 1868.
1019 William Clark, b. Jan. 16, 1870.
1020 Annie Talbot, b. Feb. 18, 1871; d. Aug. 26, 1871.

m. (3) Oct. 29, 1874, MARTHA BLAIR.

1021 Elizabeth F., b. May, 1875.
1022 Harry, b. April 17, 1880.

438

ELIZA[9] DIMOND, m. GEORGE F. FOSTER.

1023 George Frank, b. ——; unmarried.
1024 Ida, b. ——; d. in childhood.

439

CORNELIUS R.[9] DIMOND, m. ADELA CARLER.

1025 Frances.

HENRY WIGHT DIMAN (105),
BRISTOL, R. I.
BORN OCT. 1, 1801; DIED JUNE 23, 1838.

1026 Florence.
1027 Cornelius.

m. (2) CORNELIA SARGENT.

1028 Henry Probasco.

440

ISABELLA EUSTIS[9] DIMOND, m. 1850, SAMUEL NORRIS.

1029 Maria Dimond(?), b. 1852.
1030 Isabella E., b. 1858; d. 1863.
1031 Samuel, b. 1862.

442

ROSA[9] DIMOND, m. Nov. 19, 1856, THEODORE W. PHINNEY.

1032 Rosa Dimond, b. July 30, 1857.
1033 Anita Alice Mathilde, b. Aug. 8, 1860.
1034 Caroline Deadamia, b. Oct. 25, 1868; d. March 23, 1876.

446

MARTHA M.[9] DIMOND, m. (1) WILLIAM H. WARREN.

1035 William Henry, U. S. N., b. 1845; d. 1860; drowned.
1036 Mary Evelyn, b. 1848; d. 1849.
1037 Henry Dimond, U. S. N., b. 1850; d. 1881.

m. (2) SALMAN P. BENDICT.

1038 Salman Dimond, b. 1868; d. 1889; unmarried.

449

JOHN D.[9] DIMOND, m. LYDIA I. EASTERBROOKS.

1039 Harriet Gardner, b. Dec. 15, 1865; unmarried.
1040 Royal, b. March 29, 1875; d. May 10, 1877.
1041 John Dearth, b. May 31, 1876.
1042 Gertrude Lindsay, b. Dec. 23, 1877.

451

CAPT. CHARLES HENRY[9] JONES, m. Dec. 21, 1846, BETSEY MARVEL BOWEN, b. April 13, 1829; d. April 15, 1888.

1043 Henry Francis, b. Nov. 11, 1847; d. April 30, 1893.

1044 Charles Le Roy, b. March 19, 1849.
1045 Emma Augusta, b. April 14, 1851.
1046 Hannah Belle, b. Aug. 24, 1854; d. Jan. 24, 1871.
1047 William Gardner, b. Dec. 5, 1856.
1048 Samuel Bowen, b. July 12, 1859.
1049 Julia Russel, b. July 12, 1862.
1050 Edward Sharpless, b. Nov. 19, 1864.
1051 Frederick Nelson, b. April 27, 1867; m. 1895, Ellen ———.
1052 Harriet Bell, b. June 5, 1870.

454

CAPT. PELEG GARDNER[9] JONES, m. 1851, SARAH TALBEE.

1053 Fanny Diman, b. July 4, 1853.
1054 Clara Elizabeth, b. March 2, 1856.
1055 Sarah Kathryn, b. June 20, 1867.

458

HENRY[9] DIMAN, m. BETSEY TAYLOR.

1056 Abbie F., b. Aug. 14, 1840.
1057 Minerva, b. Feb. 28, 1842; unmarried.
1058 George H., b. Sept. 14, 1845.
1059 Charles C., b. May 27, 1849; d. Nov. 6, 1898; m. 1867, Kate Moran. No issue.
1060 Henry, b. Dec. 11, 1860; d. Feb. 14, 1864.

459

FRANCIS LE BARON[9] DIMAN, m. May 16, 1842, ROSE BARROWS.

1061 Frank M., b. March 13, 1843.
1062 William C., b. June 24, 1846.
1063 Edgar S., b. Feb. 2, 1860; m. (1) Dec. 29, 1892, Ida M. Branin; m. (2) Dec. 14, 1894, Lydia M. Cassidy.

460

ELIZABETH[9] DIMAN, m. July 14, 1841, THOMAS C. GRANT, d. Jan. 21, 1889.

1064 Annie E., b. Jan. 15, 1842.
1065 Mary E., b. May 29, 1844; m. 1863, William Bellamy. No issue.

1066 Henry T., b. Feb. 28, 1852; d. Aug., 1900.
1067 Emily M., b. Oct. 16, 1854; d. Jan., 1856.
1068 Rosa M., b. Nov. 5, 1856.
1069 Frank U., b. Nov. 15, 1859.
1070 Marion D., b. Jan. 23, 1861; d. Sept., 1883; unmarried.
1071 William. b. June 9, 1863; m. Oct. 26, 1881, Clara Kendrick. No issue.

461

MARION[9] DIMAN, m. 1843, JAMES P. PEARSE.

1072 Marion, m. ——— Townsend.

462

JOHN T.[9] SMITH, m. July 2, 1846, MARGARET B. RILEY.

1073 George Taylor, b. May 3, 1848; m. Aug. 30, 1883, Margaret Heffron.
1074 Franklin Ripley, b. June 20, 1852; m. Sept. 19, 1883, Richard Heally. No issue.
1075 Annie Eliza, b. Oct. 12, 1856; d. Dec. 24, 1876.

463

GEORGE J.[9] SMITH, m. (1) April 28, 1851, MARY A. SANDFORD.

1076 James Lansing, b. May 28, 1852; d. Aug. 18, 1898.
1077 William Jincks, b. Dec. 3, 1855; m. Aug. 29, 1889, Elisabeth Reid. No issue.
1078 George McClellan, b. Sept. 21, 1861.
1079 Elizabeth Sandford, b. Aug. 11, 1865.

m. (2) Dec. 4, 1866, SUSIE T. PECKHAM.

1080 Theodosia, b. Oct. 13, 1867.
1081 Mary A., b. Aug. 19, 1869; d. in infancy.
1082 Raymond Peabody, b. June 22, 1872; m. Susan Thackeray. No issue.
1083 Kate Francis, b. Jan. 19, 1877.

464

MARY ELIZA[9] SMITH, m. Jan. 11, 1852 ALLEN EASTERBROOKS.

1084 Frank Allen, b. Jan. 7, 1853; d. July 2, 1889; m. Feb. 12, 1879, Elisabeth Dean. No issue.

1085 Emma Bradford, b. April 5, 1855; d. Jan. 17, 1856.
1086 Edwin Bradford, b. July 6, 1856; d. Feb. 17, 1860.
1087 Nora Williams, b. Sept. 22, 1858; d. Feb. 25, 1860.
1088 Mary Diman, b. Feb. 26, 1862; d. July 29, 1877.
1089 Ellen Russell, b. July 23, 1864.
1090 Annie Bertha, b. July 26, 1869; d. Aug. 28, 1869.
1091 Grace Holden, b. Aug. 21, 1870; d. March 21, 1881.
1092 Harry Lee, b. March 5, 1872; d. July 21, 1872.
1093 Edith May, b. May 30, 1873; d. July 27, 1877.

465

ANNIE FELIX[9] SMITH, m. Feb. 9, 1863, MECENA M. PRATT.

1094 Mary M., b. Jan. 17, 1864.
1095 Emily Gardner, b. Sept. 14, 1867.
1096 Annie Levsey, b. Aug. 30, 1872.
1097 Bertha M., b. Jan. 14, 1877; d. Feb. 9, 1877.
1098 Gertrude Diman, b. Sept. 12, 1878.

469

MARY ABBY[9] BRADFORD, m. 1854, A. WINSOO GOODING.

1099 James Madison, b. March 27, 1857.

472

MARGARET[9] BRADFORD, m. 1871, GEO. FRANKLIN STANTON.

1100 Emma Bradford, b. Nov. 3, 1873.

473

RICHARD[9] LISCOMB, m. ELIZABETH SHIELDS.

1101 Richard.
1102 William, m. Sarah Pearse. No issue.

474

SAMUEL[9] LISCOMB, m. ELIZABETH DORSEY.

1103 Harriet, d. in childhood.
1104 Elizabeth.
1105 Annette, m. Fred. Easterbrooks. No issue.

475

BYRON[9] LISCOMB, m. JOHANNA SISSON.

1106 George; d. unmarried.
1107 Charles; d. unmarried.
1108 Samuel; d. unmarried.

479

FRANCIS[9] WALDRON, m. 1854, SARAH KINDER.

1109 Abbie Francis, b. 1855; d. 1880.
1110 Harriet Davies, b. 1856.
1111 John Bradford, b. 1860; d. 1880.
1112 Francis La Croix, b. 1863; d. 1874.
1113 Mary Freeborn, b. 1865; d. in infancy.
1114 Edward Liscomb, b. 1867; d. in infancy.

480

MARGARET DE WOLF[9] WALDRON, m. April 9, 1850, EDWARD TAYLOR.

1115 George, b. 1851; d. Dec. 14, 1856.
1116 Raymond, b. Feb. 14, 1856.

481

HARRIET LISCOMB[9] WALDRON, m. Sept. 10, 1849, WILLIAM H. WEST.

1117 Julia M., b. 1850.
1118 Harriet W., b. 1854.
1119 William Le Roy, b. 1856.
1120 Minnehaha, b. 1858.

484

SIMON[9] LISCOMB, m. PHOEBE MUNRO.

1121 Kathrine, b. ——; d. ——; m. ——. No issue.

490

ISAAC F.[9] LISCOMB, m. 1859, ABBIE HOXSIE GRIFFIN.

1122 Joseph Hazard Griffin, b. 1860.
1123 Mary Darling, b. 1865: d. in infancy.
1124 Mary Hoxsie, b. 1868.
1125 Harriet Lincoln, b. 1870.
1126 Abbie Griffin, b. 1871.

491

JOSEPHINE[9] LISCOMB, m. Dec. 25, 1865, WILLIAM ABBOT.

1127 Sarah Cathrine, b. Sept. 14, 1864; m. 1902, Clarence M. Allen.
1128 Mary Liscomb, b. Sept. 11, 1872.
1129 Fanny Taylor, b. Aug. 24, 1874.
1130 William James, b. Aug. 9, 1877.

492

CATHERINE[9] LISCOMB, m. (1) Sept. 10, 1845, ROBINSON CHACE.

1131 Mary Louis, b. July 13, 1846; d. Aug. 1, 1846.
1132 Kate Robinson, b. June 19, 1850; d. Nov. 24, 1851.
1133 Maria Howard, b. Nov. 29, 1853; d. Feb. 19, 1854.
1134 Edgar Robinson, b. Feb. 1, 1857; d. April 3, 1880; m. Dec. 25, 1786, Emma Waldron. No issue.
1135 Lenora, b. Jan. 17, 1864; d. Sept. 21, 1864.
1136 Kate Pearse, b. Oct. 12, 1866.
1137 Oscar, b. March 27, 1868; d. Sept. 20, 1874.

m. (2) Dec. 5, 1894; GEORGE WALTUS DIMAN.

493

MARY[9] LISCOMB, m. Dec. 14, 1845, EMANUEL WILCOX, b. March 24, 1823; d. Oct. 25, 1894.

1138 Mary Sandford, b. Oct. 16, 1846; d. Dec. 26, 1890
1139 Charles Humphry, b. May 5, 1851.
1140 Lizzie Liscomb, b. Sept. 25, 1861; m. Sept. 25, 1883, Charles L. Muno. No issue.

494

MARGARET D.[9] LISCOMB, m. Jan. 15, 1757, LEANDER F. WOODMAN.

1141 Frank D., b. March 17, 1858.
1142 Harriet D., b. Feb. 10, 1874.

496

ANNIE W.[9] LISCOMB, m. 1867, STAR L. BOOTH.

1143 Allice, b. Oct. 10, 1867.

498

WILLIAM C.[9] LISCOMB, m. (1) 1874, EMMA E. BRIGGS, d. 1889.

1144 Elizabeth Howe, b. 1875.
1145 Charles Howard, b. 1879.

m. (2) 1890, WILLIMENA L. STOUGHTON, d. 1897.

1146 William Stoughton, b. 1893.
1147 Carlton Francis, b. 1895.
1148 Roswell Bailey, b. 1897.

m. (3) April, 1901, MARRION DUNN.

500

MARY CATHERINE[9] DOWNER, m. July 25, 1861, MALCOLM CUYLER GREEN, b. April 26, 1837.

1149 Samuel Cuyler, b. Sept. 17, 1862.
1150 Malcolm De Wolf, b. Aug. 5, 1864; m. June 24, 1900, Blanche Adelaide Burnell, b. July 2, 1874.
1151 Mary Katherine, b. July 9, 1870.

501

ANNIE CECILIA[9] DOWNER, m. Sept. 4, 1862, DR. GEORGE C. DE MARINI of Paris, b. Nov., 1830.

1152 Mary Melville, b. Jan. 2, 1864; m. 1885, John A. Oldenburg of Wiborg, Finland.
1153 Edward Maynard, b. May 3, 1867.
1154 Alice May, b. Nov. 9, 1869.

502

GERTRUDE MELVILLE[9] DOWNER, m. May 26. 1864, JAMES D. SCUDDER, b. Oct. 18, 1841; d. May 11, 1896.

1155 Gertrude, b. Nov. 6, 1865; d. in infancy.
1156 Mary Pamelia, b. Feb. 6, 1865.

503

MARION GARDNER[9] DOWNER, m. May 25, 1871, DR. JAMES BOND LITTEG, b. May 6, 1840.

1157 Harriet Bond, b. June 5, 1873.
1158 Mary Langsdorf, b. June 18, 1874.
1159 Marion Downer, b. Nov. 28, 1879.

505

ALICE DE WOLF[9] DOWNER, m. Sept. 16, 1873, ALEXANDER POPE, b. March 25, 1849.

1160 Samuel Downer, b. Dec. 10, 1875.
1161 Charlotte De Wolf, b. Nov. 19, 1878.
1162 Benjamin Cushing, b. Feb. 27, 1887; d. in infancy.

506

MABEL RICHMOND[9] DOWNER, m. Nov. 29, 1876, WM. CARROL POPE.

1163 Allen Melville, b. Nov. 24, 1879.
1164 Bayard Foster, b. Oct. 5, 1887.

507

MARY AMORY[9] HOWE, m. Oct. 30, 1861, RT. REV. WILLIAM HOBART HARE, D. D., Bishop of South Dakotah.

1165 Hobart Amory, b. Sept. 20, 1862.

508

HERBERT MARSHALL[9] HOWE, M. D., m. Nov. 28, 1871, MARY WILSON FELL, b. Feb. 20, 1848.

1166 Mary Herbert, b. July 14, 1873.
1167 John Fell, b. Dec. 3, 1875; d. Dec. 31, 1895.
1168 Edith, b. Jan. 19, 1877.
1169 Grace, b. Feb. 8, 1879.
1170 Rhoda, b. Sept. 21, 1880.
1171 Elizabeth Amanda, b. April 25, 1887.

508

Rev. Reginald Heber[9] Howe, m. June 22, 1868, Susan Adams, b, July 13, 1845.

1172 Sarah Bigelow, b. April 20, 1869.
1173 Reginald Heber, b. April 10, 1875.

510

Elizabeth Marshall[9] Howe, m. May 7, 1874, Rev. Geo. Pomeroy Allen.

1174 Elizabeth Marshall, b. Feb. 6, 1875.
1175 Alfred Reginald, b. May 26, 1876.
1176 Anne Carrington, b. July 16, 1879.
1177 John Ernest, b. Dec. 18, 1880.

511

Frank Perley[9] Howe, m. May 12, 1881, Katherine Scott Woodward, b. May 6, 1856, dau. of Hon. Warren J. Woodward, Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

1179 Christine, b. Feb. 27, 1887.

512

Alfred Leighton[9] Howe, m. June 28, 1892, Alice Sellers Moody, b. Feb. 9, 1864, dau. of Robert Moody and Elizabeth Benny Sellers.

1180 Margaret Morris, b. May 1, 1895.
1181 Roberta Moody, b. Feb. 4, 1899.

513

Arthur Whitney[9] Howe, m, April 4, 1888, Mary Williamson Deuckla.

1182 Paul Deuckla, b. Jan. 7, 1889.
1183 Arthur Whitney, b. Oct. 23, 1891.
1183a Mark Anthony De Wolf, b. Aug. 8, 1895; d. April 8, 1897.
1184 Williamson, b. Aug. 21, 1899.

514

MARK ANTONY DE WOLF[9] HOWE, m. Sept. 21, 1899, FANNY HUNTINGDON QUINCY.

1185 Quincy, b. Aug. 17, 1900.

515

WALLIS EASTBURN[9] HOWE, m. June 9, 1897, MARY EMILY LOCKE.

1186 George Locke, b. April 19, 1898.
1187 Eliza Whitney, b. July 26, 1899.
1188 Wallis Eastburn, b. Sept. 7, 1901.

516

GEORGE HOWE[9] WINKLER, M. D., D. D. S., m. (1) Feb. 23, 1870, MARY ELIZABETH PATRICK, of Charleston, S. C.; d. Feb., 1888.

1189 George Howe, b. Nov. 30, 1870.
1190 John Patrick, b. July 15, 1872.
1190A Elizabeth, b. July 17, 1875.

m. (2) April 22, 1891, CLEMENCIA DE REBIS.

1191 Elizabeth De Rebis, b. Oct. 14, 1893.

517

HERMIONE EVORA[9] WINKLER, m. 1884, WILLIAM DUDLEY CARTER, d. 1888.

1192 Jessie Love, b. 1885.
1193 William Theodore, b. 1888.

518

JESSIE MCFARLAND[9] WINKLER, m. (1) 1878, PROF. GEORGE D. BANCROFT, Prof. of Mathematics, Howard College, Ala.; d. 1879.

m. (2) 1881, JAMES M. LOVE, Chicago Chamber of Commerce; d. 1886.

m. (3) 1889, THOMAS B. LYND, New Orleans Cotton Exchange.

1194 Edwina Margarite, b. 1891.

519

EDWARD LANGDON[9] BOGERT, m. (1) MARION LINCOLN.

1195 Edward Langdon.
1196 Pelham Lincoln.

m. (2) JESSIE MCGREGOR.

522

ALICE[9] BOGERT, m. Oct. 4, 1887, EDWARD PERCY GUERARD.

1197 Edward Percy, b. Sept. 7, 1888.
1198 Russel Bogert, b. March 20, 1890.
1199 Harold Godin, b. April 1, 1892.

523

WILLIAM RUSSEL[9] BOGERT, m. Nov. 15, 1893, ANTOINETTE RICHARDS NORTH, b. Feb. 6, 1863.

1200 Helen North, b. June 15, 1895.
1201 William Russel, b. June 4, 1899.

526

REV. HARRY HOWE[9] BOGERT, m. MARIE NELSON.

1202 Marie Nelson, b. Sept. 10, 1889.
1203 Edith, b. May 12, 1891.
1204 Elsie, b. Oct. 9, 1892.
1205 Katherine, Marie, b. May 21, 1896.
1206 Harry Howe, b. Sept. 7, 1898.

528

ROBERT HOWE[9] PINCKNEY, m. June 19, 1883, MAY HALL, dau. of Hon. E. O. Hall of Charlestown, S. C.

1207 May Hall, b. June 14, 1884; d. Sept. 17, 1900.
1208 Robert Howe, b. Sept. 22, 1885.

1209 Edward Hall, b. Feb. 24, 1887.
1210 Julia Howe, b. July 8, 1888.
1211 Richard Shubrick, b. May 4, 1891.
1212 Elric Simmons, b. Oct. 22, 1892.
1213 Ellen Douglas, b. Jan. 28, 1895.
1214 Arthur Templar, b. Nov. 7, 1896.
1215 Alfred Gaillard, b. March 14, 1902.

529

ALFRED GAILLARD[9] PINCKNEY, m. Dec. 9, 1894, ANNIE ROBERTS, b. March 14, 1875, of Greenville, S. C.

1216 Annie Roberts, b. Sept. 9, 1895; d. July 31, 1896.
1217 Julia De Wolf, b. June 15, 1897.

536

SUSAN ELIZABETH[9] WEST, m. LUIS DE BRINGAS of Mexico, grandson of a Count of Spain of the same name.

1218 Miguel, b. 1887.
1219 Pablo, b. 1894.

537

MARY DEDAMIA[9] WEST, m. WILLIAM YOUNG.

1220 William, b. 1894.
1221 Alexander, b. 1900.

539

MARY INGRAHAM[9] MINTURN, m. April 4, 1872, CHARLES POTTER, only son of Charles and Arazelia (Green) Potter. Mrs. Potter m. (2) Gov. C. C. Van Zandt (see Appendix C).

1222 Charles, b. Feb. 12, 1873.
1223 Mary Minturn, b. Feb. 28, 1874.
1224 Arazelia Van Zandt, b. Aug. 22, 1875.

540

THOMAS R.[9] MINTURN, m. Aug. 9, 1879, EDITH BLASKLER, b. May 29, 1852.

1225 Ward Blaskler, b. Aug. 25, 1882.
1226 Thomas Robinson, b. Sept. 20, 1884.
1227 Le Roy, b. July 24, 1887.
1228 Lloyd West, b. Jan. 8, 1890.

541

GERTRUDE[9] MINTURN, m. GEORGE SANFORD.

1229 Margaret, m. Edwin Landon.
1230 Gertrude.

544

EDITH MONTAGUE[9] TRAVERS, m. June 4, 1885, EDWARD HOLLAND NICOLL.

1231 Charlotte Van Courtlandt, b. July 15, 1886.
1232 Annie, b. June 6, 1892.
1233 Edward Holland, b. Oct. 26, 1893.

547

GERTRUDE[9] TRAVERS, m. Jan. 23, 1884, FRANCIS DRAPER BOWNE.

1234 Harriet Van Courtlandt, b. Aug. 9, 1899.

549

WILLIAM HENRY[9] COONS, m. (1) (Charlotteville, N.Y.), ELIZABETH LA MONTE.
No issue.

m. (2) (Albany, N. Y.), ASENATH MACDONALD, b. Oct. 80, 1842.

1235 George Macdonald, b. July 12, 1871.
1236 Florence Kinnicutt, b. July 29, 1874.
1237 William Henry, b. Oct. 29, 1877.

554

HESTER ANN[9] COONS, m. (Worcester, N. Y.), Dec. 27, 1876, HAMILTON ROBINSON WILBER, b. July 12, 1835.

1238 Marietta, b. March 17, 1878.
1239 Ralph Hamilton, b. Aug. 23, 1884.

555

CHARLES[9] COONS, m. (Binghampton, N. Y.), Jan. 16, 1885, GRACE TRICKEY.

1240 Paige Becker, b. Jan. 16, 1886.

557

GEORGE ADELBERT[9] PERRY, m. (Willsborough, N. Y.), July 22, (See Introduction, p. 53). SUSANNA CHASE BARTON, b. Nov. 28, 1848; dau. of Dr. Lyman Barton and Minerva Akin; dau. of Major Akin, who was engaged in Battle of Plattsburgh, 1814.

1241 Ralph Barton, b. July 3, 1876.
1242 Edward De Wolf, b. Oct. 2, 1880.

558

EDWARD SAMUEL[9] PERRY, m. (Rome, N. Y.), FRANCE ELECTA SEXTON, b. April 28, 1868, dau. of Amasa Sexton and Elizabeth Call.

1243 Mary Edna, b. Jan. 5, 1897.
1244 Edward Sexton, b. March 6, 1900.

559

HELEN ELIZABETH[9] PERRY, m. (Verona, N. Y.), Oct. 1, 1884, ALBERT EUGENE PARMELEE, b. Feb. 7, 1843.

1245 William Eugene, b. Dec. 16, 1886.
1246 Charles Edward, b. June 23, 1888.
1247 George Lewis, b. Jan. 14, 1890.

560

WILLIAM HENRY[9] PERRY, m. (Rome, N. Y.), April 14, 1882, JANE ELIZABETH JOHNSON, b. Jan. 31, 1861.

1248 Mabel, b. Jan. 19, 1883; d. Aug. 25, 1883.
1249 Ira Mitchell, b. Sept. 11, 1886.
1250 Charles Adelbert, b. Nov. 16, 1888.
1251 Elma Jane, b. July 4, 1893.

561

CHARLES EUGENE[9] PERRY, m. (Rome, N. Y.), Dec. 28, 1892, KATHERINE ELECTA DALTON, b. Sept. 30, 1865.

1252 Charles Carleton, b. March 23, 1895.

564

EDWARD KINNICUTT[9] JOSLYN, m. (Richmondville, N. Y.), May 15, 1875, LOUISE LANSING, b. May 11, 1854.

1253 Louise, b. April 26, 1875 (?).
1254 Lloyd, b. Oct. 30, 1876.
1255 Lenore, b. Sept. 26, 1880.

565

CHARLES HERVEY[9] JOSLYN, m. (Richmondville), Jan. 25, 1879, AMANDA BROOKER, b. Oct. 27, 1857.

1256 Blanche, b. Dec. 2, 1879, d. Oct. 4, 1899.
1257 Helen, b. March 16, 1889.

567

JAMES WILLIAM[9] JOSLYN, m. (Richmondville), July 15, 1880, ALLIE HILL, b. Feb. 22, 1858, dau. of Dr. Lorenzo Hill of Coxsackie, N. Y.

1258 Raymond Albert, b. Sept. 28, 1881.
1259 Royal Cuthbert, b. Sept. 28, 1881.

569

SANFORD DANIEL[9] JOSLYN, m. (Richmondville), Jan. 28, 1892, ARMEDA MYERS, b. Feb. 3, 1866.

1260 Allie, b. Feb. 26, 1893; d. Jan. 5, 1894.
1261 Leslie, b. May 8, 1895.
1262 Dorathy, b. April 7, 1899; d. May 15, 1899.

574

MARIETTA[9] FOX, m. (Vestal, N. Y.), May 15, 1867, FRANK BROWN.

1263 David, b. March 30, 1868; d. June 22, 1871.
1264 Isaac Fox, b. Sept. 6, 1869.
1265 Charles Fox, b. Feb. 19, 1875.
1266 Grace Alice, b. Sept. 11, 1880.

578

ELLEN ISABEL[9] HARMON, m. (Richmondville), April 11, 1871, ISAAC SMITH.

1267 Susan Jessie, b. Dec., 1876.

582

JAMES HENRY[9] HARMON, m. (West Rutland, Vt.), Oct. 26, 1882, LOUISE ANNIE BURR, b. Oct. 26, 1860.

1268 Richard Charles, b. Oct. 28, 1888.

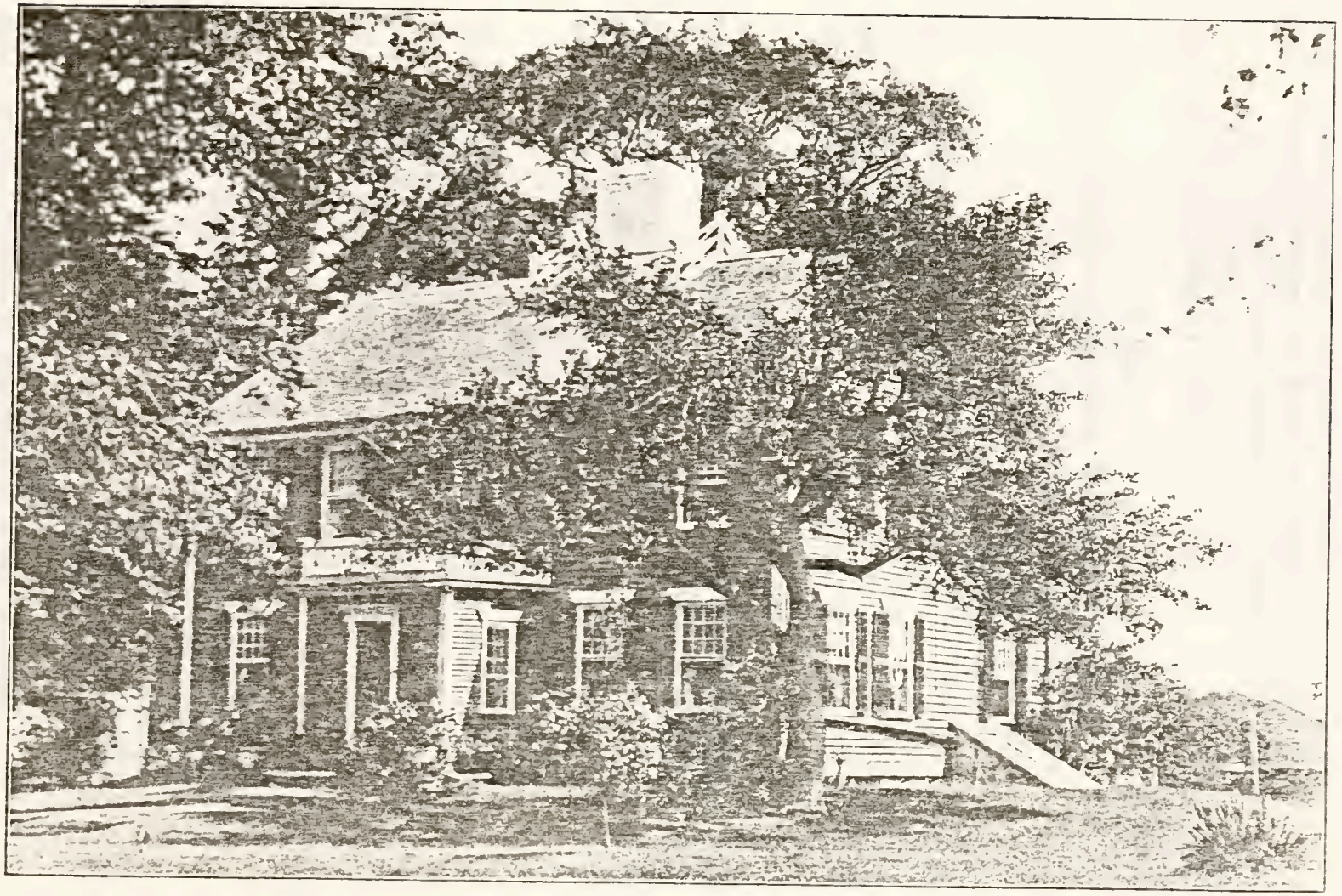
583

ELIZA ANN[9] HARMON, m. (West Rutland, Vt.), Dec. 11, 1866, HARLEY GOODWIN SHELDON, son of Dr. Lorenzo Sheldon and Mahala Smith.

1269 Mary Sophronia, b. Oct. 24, 1867.
1270 Lorenzo Harmon, b. Nov. 5, 1871.

585

MARY SOPHIA[9] HASCALL, m. (West Rutland, Vt.), Jan. 3, 1865, PROF. EDWARD WINSLOW HALL, L.L.D., (see Introduction, p. 57).



RESIDENCE OF MRS. A. SYDNEY DE WOLF,
BRISTOL, R. I.
BUILT BY HON. JOHN DE WOLF (22), MARCH, 1798

From a photograph taken on its One Hundredth Anniversary.

1271 Celia, b. Nov. 2, 1867.
1272 Ralph Winslow, b. Nov. 27, 1870; d. Aug. 10, 1872.
1273 Francis Edward, b. June 13, 1874.
1274 Hascall Shailer, b. April 16, 1876; m. Sept. 20, 1899, Alice Arnold Barrelle, b. Nov. 3, 1874; d. Feb. 19, 1902.
1275 Marion, b. May 24, 1881.

586

FRANKLIN HENRY[9] HASCALL, m. (West Rutland, Vt.), Aug. 10, 1872, MARY EMELINE NEWTON, b. Dec. 4, 1855, dau. of Arnold Newton and Salinda McLure.

1276 Charles Harley, b. April 11, 1873.
1277 Ada Belle, b. April 25, 1877.
1278 Ralph Arnold, b. Jan. 6, 1890.
1279 Edward Hall, b. Jan. 31, 1892.

588

WINTHROP[9] DE WOLF, m. June 10, 1863, EUGENIA TAMMS. b. Oct. 3, 1832.

1280 John Winthrop, b. July 14, 1864.
1281 Agnes, b. Dec. 15, 1867.
1282 Halsey, b. Dec. 31, 1870.

592

BYRON DIMAN[9] DE WOLF, m. Dec. 3, 1878, HARRIET R. TUCKER.

1283 Philip, b. May 29, 1880.
1284 Harold, b. Nov. 16, 1881.
1285 Byron Diman, b. Jan. 18, 1885.

594

CLARA ANNA[9] DE WOLF, m. Dec. 26, 1883, NATHANIEL GREENE HERRESHOFF, b. Sept. 5, 1853, son of Frederick Herreshoff and Julia Lewis.

Mr. Herreshoff is the famous yacht builder of Bristol, R. I., designer of the *Defender* and *Columbia*.

1286 Agnes Müller, b. Oct. 19, 1884.
1287 Algernon Sydney De Wolf, b. Nov. 22, 1886.
1288 Nathaniel Green, b. Feb. 5, 1888.

1289 Alexander Viets Griswold, b. April 16, 1889.
1290 Lewis Francis, b. Nov. 11, 1890.
1291 Clarence De Wolf, b. Feb. 22, 1895.

595

LEWIS HENRY[9] DE WOLF, m. 1896, KATHERINE HERRESHOFF. Mrs. De Wolf, m. (2) 1902, Walter James Tubbs.

1292 Katherine Herreshoff, b. 1897.
1293 Louise, b. 1898.

599

SYLVIA[9] BULLOCK, m. (1) Oct. 19, 1861, WILLIAM D. DIMMOCK.

1294 William De Wolf, b. Feb. 29, 1862.
m. (2) April 22, 1893, CORNELIUS V. B. OSTRANDER. No issue.

614

CECILIA[9] DE WOLF, m. June 29, 1869, GEN. ALBERT ERSKINE, b. 1832; d. 1875.

1295 Albert De Wolf, b. Nov. 3, 1872; m. Jan. 2, 1902, Marion Brower.
1296 James Drummond, b. Oct. 30, 1874.
1297 Margaret Caroline, b. July 15, 1871.

616

MARIA[9] DE WOLF, m. July 10, 1873, THOMAS WATTS DOAR, b. Feb. 22, 1836, son of Elias M. Doar and Mary Ann English.

1298 Thomas, b. Sept. 28, 1875.
1299 Annie De Wolf, b. Sept. 5, 1877.
1300 Russell Middleton, b. July 18, 1879.

621

CHARLES DE WOLF[9] GIBSON, m. July 22, 1864, JOSEPHINE ELIZABETH LOVETT, (254).

1301 Langdon, b. Jan. 5, 1865.
1302 Charles Dana, b. Sept. 14, 1867.

JULIANNA DE WOLF (230).
WIFE OF ROBERT LIVINGSTON CUTTING, NEW YORK.
BORN 1816; DIED 1891.

1303 Le Baron Bradford, b. 1871; d. 1873.
1304 Elizabeth Langdon, b. July 4, 1875; m. Harold Seymour Fairchild.
1305 Ann De Wolf, b. July 3, 1878.
1306 Josephine, b. Feb. 19, 1883.

625

ELIZABETH GREY[9] SWETT, m. Sept. 14, 1881, GEORGE THOMAS FRENCH, b. 1850; d. 1885.

1307 Daughter, b. Aug. 28, 1882; d. infant.
1308 James Barnard, b. Aug. 27, 1883.

626

ROBERT L.[9] CUTTING, m. JUDITH MOALE.

1309 Robert Livingston, b. 1868.
1310 William M., d. 1878.
1311 James De Wolf, b. 1875.

628

WALTER[9] CUTTING, m. Sept. 30, 1869, MARIA CENTER POMEROY.

1312 Mary Pomeroy, b. 1873.
1313 Walter Livingston, b. 1875.
1314 Madeline, b. 1877.
1315 Juliana, b. 1879.

630

MAJ. RAYMOND H. J.[9] PERRY, m. (1) Sept. 7, 1868, MRS. FRANCES LAVINIA (BLAKE) BUTLER, b. Aug. 23, 1843; d. Feb. 26, 1890.

1316 Frances Raymond, b. Aug. 25, 1869.

m. (2) MRS. ELLEN (DABNEY) DE WOLF (236).

631

REV. JAMES DE WOLF[9] PERRY, D.D., m. Nov. 2, 1865, ELIZABETH RUSSELL TYSON, b. April 5, 1841, dau. of George Tyson and Meribah Russell.

Rector since 1865 of Calvary Church, Germantown, Pa. Warden of Church Training and Deaconess House, Philadelphia. President of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Pennsylvania. Member of the Board of Managers of Missions.

1317 Robert Swain, b. Aug. 19, 1867.
1318 Julia Bourn, b. March 5, 1869.
1319 James De Wolf, b. Oct. 3, 1871.
1320 Elizabeth Russell, b. Jan. 9, 1875; m. Oct. 30, 1900, Russel Sturgis Hubbard.
1321 Emily Tyson, b. April 23, 1881; m. May 21, 1902, James Savage Russell.

632

REV. CALBRAITH BOURN[9] PERRY, D. D., m. Jan. 3, 1895, ANTOINETTE JONES.

Rector of St. Luke's Church, Cambridge, N. Y.; formerly Associate Rector of Mount Calvary Church, Baltimore; Rector of House of Prayer, Newark, N. J.; St. John's, Johnstown, N. Y.; Warden of Hoffman Hall and Archdeacon of Tennessee.

1322 Julia Jones, b. July 1, 1896.
1323 Calbraith Bourn, b. June 17, 1898.

634

CHARLES VARNUM[9] PERRY, m. MARY ISABELLE TROTTER, b. March 29, 1854.

1324 Andrew Ramsay, b. July 28, 1879.
1325 James De Wolf, b. Dec. 17, 1880.
1326 Charles Varnum, b. March 21, 1883.
1327 Mary Isabelle, b. Dec. 10, 1884.
1328 Calbraith Bourn, b. March 16, 1886.
1329 Eleanor Ramsay, b. April 20, 1890.
1330 Oliver Hazard, b. June 19, 1891.
1331 Basil Harrison, b. Aug. 5, 1893.

637

WILLIAM SUMNER[9] PERRY, m. Nov., 1881, IDA LEFFERTS MCKESSON.

1332 Alexander, b. Aug. 31, 1882.
1333 Georgina McKesson, b. May 16, 1885.

THE LAST REUNION AT "SILVER CREEK."

MRS JAMES DE WOLF PERRY.

MAJOR RAYMOND H. PERRY. REV. JAMES DE WOLF PERRY, D. D. WILLIAM WALLACE PERRY.

REV. CALBRAITH B. PERRY, D. D. CHARLES VARNUM PERRY.

The seats that appear in this group are of historial interest. The one on the right belonged to Capt. Church, who led the forces against the Indian Chief, King Philip. That on the left, one of a set of six used by the First United States Congress in Philadelphia, which Judge Bourn, a member of that Congress, secured for his home. The stool at the left is a specimen of nature work from the Gold Coast of Africa, brought home in one of the De Wolf ships. The stone steps are portions of the old "Charles De Wolf House," in which the older sons were born.

1334 Ida Lefferts, b. Dec. 6, 1896.
1335 George Clinton McKesson, b. Nov. 27, 1893.

639

JOSEPHINE DE WOLF[9] PERRY, m. July 29, 1884, JOHN WILSON GARDNER, b. July 4, 1853.

1336 Josephine Perry, b. April 29, 1885.
1337 Lillie, b. July 6, 1889.

640

ELIZABETH MARSHALL[9] PERRY, m. WILLIAM HODGKINSON, m. (2) Elizabeth M. Allen (1174).

1339 Lavinia, b. Aug. 21, 1884.

642

JAMES FRANCIS[9] DE WOLF, m. July, 1901, SOPHIA DRYER.

1340 James Francis, b. May 2, 1902.

643

ELLEN POST[9] DE WOLF, m. Feb. 21, 1877, ARCHIBALD ARCHER, b. Feb. 23, 1846.

1341 Ellen Dabney, b. Dec. 31, 1877; d. April 9, 1893.
1342 Archibald Walthall, b. Feb. 13, 1880.
1343 Henry Dabney, b. July 11, 1882.
1344 James De Wolf, b. Oct. 8, 1884.
1345 Florence Johnston, b. Dec. 28, 1885.
1346 Francis Le Baron, b. Sept. 22, 1887; d. March 16, 1893.
1347 William, b. Jan. 5, 1889.
1348 Raymond Perry, b. Aug. 23, 1891.
1349 Fanny Bishop, b. Sept. 15, 1893.
1350 John Montgomery, b. Nov. 22, 1895.

645

NELSON SHERWOOD[9] DE WOLF, m. Aug. 31, 1898, JEANNE (DOLARD) WOOD, dau. of Joseph Fleming and Marie Louise Dolard of Dallas,

Texas; Joseph Dolard b. 1847, Marseilles, France.

1351 James Francis, b. June 15, 1899.
1352 Nelson Sherwood, b. March 2, 1901.

646

CAROLINE[9] THEOBALD, m. DR. SAMUEL THEOBALD.

Dr. Theobald, a grandson of the eminent surgeon, Dr. Nathan Smith, is a distinguished oculist of Baltimore.

1353 Margarite, b. Sept. 30, 1868.
1354 Caroline, b. May 18, 1870.
1355 Samuel, b. Oct. 23, 1872.
1356 Nathan Rymo Smith, b. Jan. 26, 1874; d. July 12, 1874.
1357 Fanny, b. Feb. 5, 1875.
1358 Francis De Wolf, b. March 11, 1879; m. Nov. 2, 1901, Edna Chatard Dulany.
1359 Mary Le Baron, b. July 25, 1892.

647

MARGARITE[9] DE WOLF, m. (1) April 28, 1881, HENRY CROCKER ALLEN.

1360 Henry De Wolf, b. Oct. 8, 1886.

m. (2) Aug. 3, 1898, HENRY HOLBROOK MUDGE, b. July, 1, 1852.

1361 Estelle, b. Aug. 18, 1901.

650

WILLIAM DE WOLF[9] HOPPER, m. (1) NELLIE DE WOLF GARDNER (642). No issue.

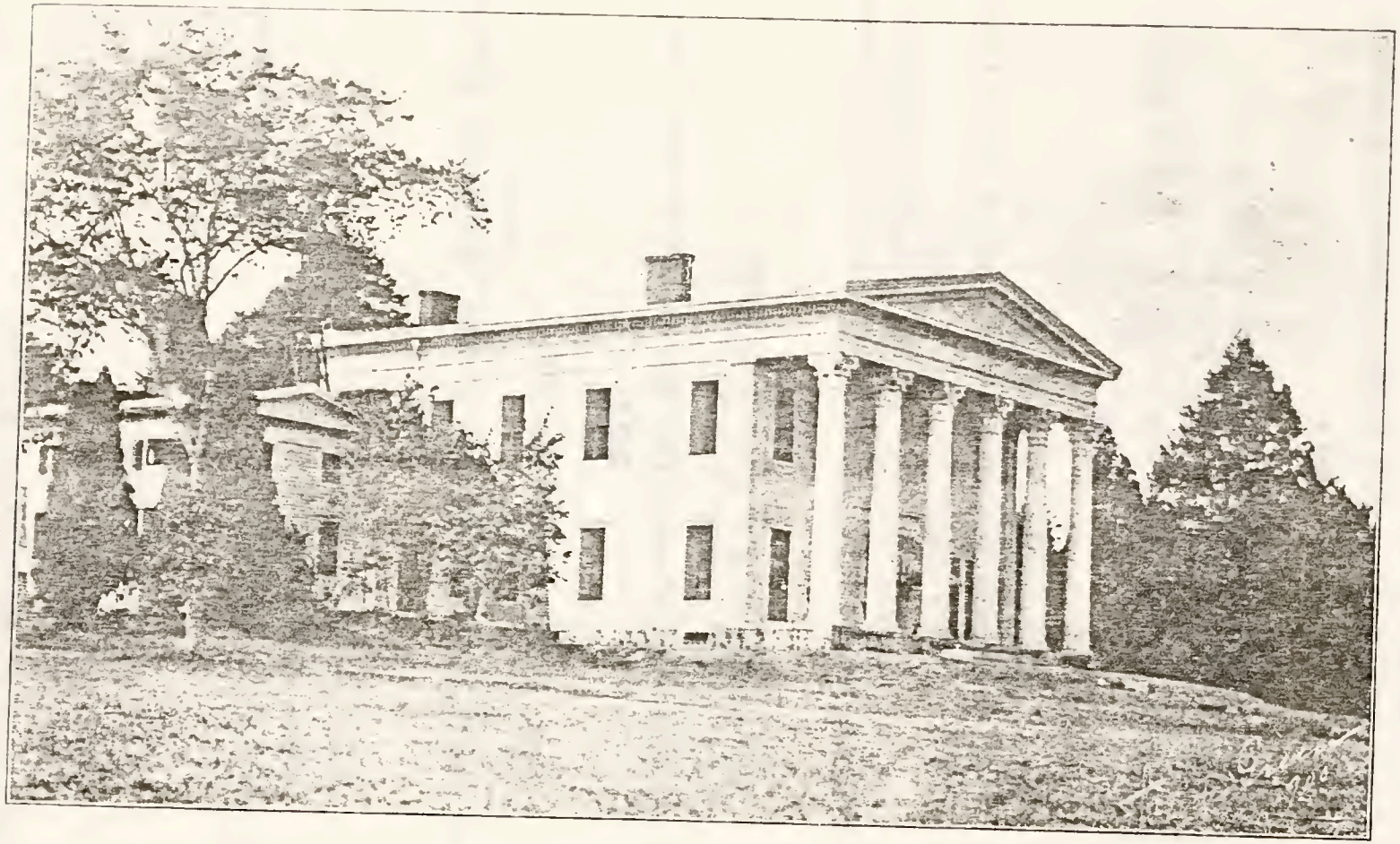
m. (2) ELEANOR BERGEN.

1362 John A.

657

NELLIE COWARD[9] BUDD, m. Oct. 21, 1891. WM. SYDNEY ROSSITER.

1363 Marjorie, b. Oct. 19, 1894.



RESIDENCE OF MARK ANTHONY DE WOLF
NOW THAT OF HIS GRANDDAUGHTER, MRS. H. H. MUDGE.

659

FRANK[9] DE WOLF, m. KATHERINE LIVINGSTON CATLIN.
The surname Smith legally dropped.

1364 Louise Catlin.
1365 Paul Bradford.
1366 Katherine Catlin.

661

HARRIET HALL[9] BEDLOW, m. FRANCIS MORRIS.

1367 Alice Prescott.
1368 Louis Gouveneur.

664

JOHN COMBE[9] PEGRAM, m. Feb. 8, 1899, ELIZABETH HARRIET LYNCH.

1369 Virginia, b. April 2, 1900.

667

LOYD[9] ASPINWALL, m. Dec. 2, 1882, CORNELIA GEORGINA SUTTON.

1370 Loyd, b. Sept. 1, 1883.
1371 Beatrice, d. in her eighth year.

673

JULIA DE WOLF[9] GIBBS, m. Feb. 20, 1889, REV. DANIEL DULANY ADDISON, b. March 11, 1863.

1373 Marianne Bradford, b. Aug. 8, 1890; d. Sept. 23, 1893.
1374 Julia Dulany, b. Oct. 8, 1896.

680

SWANNIE BURRUS[9] DRURY, m. Jan. 2, 1889, IDA R. ROGERS.

1375 Luke De Wolf, b. Sept. 5, 1887.
1376 Margaret Elizabeth, b. Nov. 7, 1890.

681

BESSIE BURRUS[9] DRURY, m. Aug. 7, 1890, WILLIAM M. THORNTON.

1377 Martin Andrew, b. Aug. 21, 1894.

684

MARTHA DE WOLF[9] WARREN, m. Aug. 2, 1859, GEORGE SHATTUCK MILES, d. Feb. 7, 1893.

1378 Herbert Warren, b. June 17, 1861; m. Sept. 27, 1898, Zaide Barclay.
1379 William George, b. Feb. 3, 1863; d. Aug. 12, 1864.
1380 Clarence Jones, b. May 25, 1865; m. June 30, 1884, Flora D. Corey.
1381 Charles Vernon, b. April 12, 1868.
1382 Clara Godding, b. March 1, 1873.
1383 Harold Bancroft, b. June 15, 1876.

685

MARY ALLEN[9] WARREN, m. Dec. 30, 1860, WILLIAM H. H. POGUE, d. Sept. 23, 1887.

1384 Harrison Warren, b. March 17, 1863.
1385 Edmund De Wolf, b. Feb. 20, 1865.
1386 Harriet Sterling, b. Jan. 8, 1871.
1387 George Dudley, b. June 20, 1874.

687

HARRIET STERLING[9] WARREN, m. Sept. 19, 1871, HENRY C. LOVELL, d. July 14, 1891.

1388 George Warren, b. July 29, 1872.
1389 Jennie Vandervoort, b. July 15, 1874.
1390 Marie Lucette, b. Aug. 25, 1876; m. Robert E. Clark.
1391 Frank Allen, b. July 27, 1883.
1392 Harriet Gertrude, b. June 5, 1885; d. April 11, 1895.

688

CHARLES DE WOLF[9] WARREN, m. Dec. 22, 1869, CARRIE STANLEY.

1393 Florence Stanley, b. Aug. 12, 1878.
1394 Charles Edward, b. Jan. 24, 1881.

689

MARK ANTHONY DE WOLF[9] WARREN, m. Sept. 8, 1874, GRACE FERGUSON.

1395 Fay Sterling, b. Sept. 24, 1875.
1396 Harry Anthony, b. April 10, 1879.

690

ANNA KEATING[9] WARREN, m. Oct. 3, 1876, ROBERT POWELL.

1397 Jane Russell, b. July 22, 1877.
1398 Robert Lee, b. Feb. 4, 1880.
1399 George Warren, b. Aug. 16, 1881.
1400 Lawrence, b. Sept. 18, 1883.
1401 Oliver Perry, b. Nov. 4, 1886.
1402 Charles Augustus, b. March 1, 1890.
1403 Florence Edna, b. June 9, 1895.

691

GEORGE EDMUND[9] WARREN, m. June 16, 1879, HARRIET STELLE.

1404 Marion Stelle, b. Jan. 11, 1881; d. April 3, 1899.

694

HENRY SOUTHWORTH[9] ALLEN, m. Oct. 9, 1878, FLORENCE MYERS.

1405 Florence Myers, b. Sept. 8, 1879.
1406 Henry Southworth, b. March 22, 1883.

696

MARY BROWN[9] ALLEN, m. Nov. 21, 1877, LEWIS CONVERS LILLIE. b. March 22, 1837.

1407 Lucy Southworth, b. Nov. 1, 1878.
1408 Amy Morris, b. Oct. 30, 1883.
1409 Harriet Warren, b. June 27, 1885.

698

LUCY KNOWLES[9] ALLEN, m. April 7, 1880, HENRY CHAUNCEY L. MEEKER.

1410 Edith De Wolf, b. Feb. 10, 1881.
1411 Margaret Shepard, b. Nov. 29, 1886.

699

WILLIAM EDWARD[9] ALLEN, m. Nov. 15, 1889, ELEANOR LOUISE LANE.

1412 Arnold De Wolf, b. Nov. 27, 1890.
1413 Hilda Louise, b. June 20, 1896.

701

MARGARET STERLING[9] ALLEN, m. April 9, 1890, HENRY LEWIN SPENCER.

1414 Constant Southworth, b. March 27, 1891.
1415 Niles Maurice, b. May 16, 1893.
1416 Roger Lewin, b. May 31, 1898; d. Sept. 18, 1890.

702

HARRIET WARREN[9] ALLEN, m, April 23, 1888, JOSEPH FOURESTIER JAQUITH.

1417 Allen Fourestier, b. April 20, 1889.
1418 Nathan Crosby, b. April 9, 1894.
1419 Mark De Wolf, b. Oct. 26, 1897.

705

HARRIET DE WOLF[9] ALLEN, m. Jan. 21, 1888, LIEUT.-COM. JOHN RICHARD EDWARDS, U. S. N., b. July 9, 1853.

1420 Allen Richland, b. Nov. 28, 1888.
1421 Margaret, b. May 22, 1890.
1422 John Richard, b. Oct. 14, 1896.
1423 Lawrence Sterling, b. Nov. 28, 1901.

706

NATHANIEL TRAFTON[9] ALLEN, m. Sept. 1, 1891, ISABELLA PECK HIGGINS, b. July 13, 1866.

1424 Natalie, b. May 10, 1895.
1425 Harriet De Wolf, b. Aug. 30, 1897.

709

SARAH LILLIAN[9] WILKINSON, m. Oct. 8, 1878, EDWARD LEIGHTON WEAVER.

1426 Theodora De Wolf, b. July 12, 1819; d. July 24, 1880.
1427 Edith Leighton, b. Sept. 5, 1881.
1428 Margarite Potter, b. Sept. 17, 1883.
1429 Alice Bertha, b. Nov. 23, 1886.
1430 Edward Raymond, b. Oct. 13, 1889.
1431 William Percy, b. May 24, 1892.
1432 Faith Wilkinson, b. Aug. 27, 1895.
1433 Wallace Loyd, b. April 8, 1901.

GENERATION XI.

711

ODELL B.[10] DE WOLF, m. AMY HARRIS.

1434 Ruth.
1435 Mabel.

713

GEORGE[10] HATFIELD, m. ELLA CARPENTER.

1436 Bryce.
1437 Grace.

720

ORRIN S.[10] SHARPE, m. GRESHAM BUNNELL.

1438 Arthur.
1439 Webb.

724

JOHN P.[10] FARR, m. ———.

1440 Frank.
1441 Dora.
1442 Fannie.

725

ROSCOE B.[10] FARR, m. ———.

1443 Arthur.

726

JENNIE[10] FARR, m. CHARLES CULLISON.

1444 Mary.
1445 Maud.

727

NELLIE[10] FARR, m. L. D. BARR.

1446 Byron.
1447 Lena.
1448 Annabel.

731

ANNA[10] ALLEN, m. ALLEN JAYNE.

1449 Dacey.
1450 Orecelia.
1451 Margaret.
1452 Sylvia.

732

OMER H.[10] ALLEN, m. EMMA WINANS.

1453 Elmes.

735

OTTIE[10] SNOVER, m. GEORGE TEWKSBURY.

1454 Mabel.

737

BURTON[10] SNOVER, m. BESSIE RUPP.

1455 Elsie.

742

MINNIE A.[10] FARR, m. E. CLARK DAVIS.

1456 Jonathan F.
1457 Winifred S.
1458 Harold C.
1459 Edward W.

746

MATE[10] FARR, m. BURTON MERTON.

1460 Lewis.

754

ELIZABETH[10] EASTON, m. MINOR J. PLACE.

1461 Florence.
1462 Herbert.
1463 Nellie.
1464 William.
1465 Easton.

757

ELIJAH K.[10] EASTON, m. ELLA SHAFER.

1466 Rodney F.
1467 Dexter Easton.

766

MINNIE L.[10] SHARPE, m. ELMER J. GAREY.

1468 Tracey.
1469 Corey.

767

EVELINE M.[10] SHARPE, m. SAMUEL STAMENTS.

1470 Eddie.
1471 Heister.
1472 Alberta.

768

F. ELLEN[10] SHARPE, m. JOHN KOONS.

1473 Geraldine.

781

ELEANOR[10] TAYLOR, m. ARCHIE C. RANNEY.

1474 Robert K.

793

WILLIAM NORTON[10] DE WOLF, m. June 1, 1898, SARAH MAE COLLINGS.

1475 Clara Lavinia, b. June 15, 1899.

796

HERBERT N.[10] DE WOLF, m. Dec. 8, 1900, LAURA DILLINGHAM CREEMER.

1476 Norton Creemer, b. March 22, 1902.

800

GRACE CAROLINE[10] DE WOLF, m. April 9, 1895, SYDNEY KNIGHT, d. 1897.

1477 Edward De Wolf, b. Jan. 15, 1897.

801

ESTHER EVANGELINE[10] DE WOLF, m. JOHN P. KEY.

1478 Anna Grace, b. Sept. 17, 1901.

819

LEROY DE WOLF[10] KELLOGG, m. July 23, 1901, ELSIE NEEL, b. May 1, 1881, dau. of Mrs. V. (Neel) Park of Chicago.

1478A Frances De Wolf, b. May 30, 1902.

837

MYRTLE MABEL[10] BRINK, m. April 27, 1892, GILMAN AUGUSTUS GRISWOLD, b. March 2, 1869.

1478B Harriet Elizabeth, b. Oct. 30, 1894.
1479 Milton Edwin, b. July 24, 1901.

850

HENRY EDWIN[10] FESSENDEN, m. 1895, MINNIE A. GRAVES.

1480 Pave, b. 1896.

851

MARY ELLEN[10] FESSENDEN, m. 1890, DAVID W. LYMAN, b. 1869.

1481 Samantha Mescilla, b. 1891.
1482 Samuel Bradley, b. 1892.
1483 John Harvey, b. 1894.
1484 Grace Eunice, b. 1896.
1485 Clara Ellen, b. 1898.
1486 George Edward, b. 1899.

852

CLARA ESTELLE[10] FESSENDEN, m. 1893, GEORGE L. PIRIE, b. 1865.

1487 Fay Donald, b. 1894.
1488 George Leon, b. 1896.

860A

FRED. PRICE[10] MILLER, m. Nov. 30, 1897, LAURA KENNEDY, b. Jan. 11, 1870.

1488A Leander James, b. Dec. 14, 1891.
1488B Ralph Montgomery, b. April 17, 1901.

860C

MIRIAM ALICE[10] MILLER, m. Nov. 28, 1888, LORING S. DORCHESTER.

1488C Charles Sylvester, b. Sept. 8, 1889.
1488D Emma May, b. Oct. 12, 1891.

860D

EDITH MAY[10] MILLER, m. Dec. 17, 1895, G. W. HOIT.

1488E Norma Pearl, b. Sept. 27, 1896.
1488F Reva Phinis, b. June 23, 1898; d. Sept. 3, 1899.
1489G Howard Everett, b. Oct. 10, 1900.

860E

JAMES HOWARD[10] MILLER, m. Dec. 22, 1897, LILLY DAWSON.

1488H Paul Watson, b. Oct. 19, 1901.

860F

MERTON EVERETT[10] MILLER, m. Dec. 28, 1899, NELLIE DAVIS.

1488I Willis Earl, b. June 5, 1901.

860G

PHINIS[10] MILLER, m. Nov. 13, 1894, CHARLES F. PINCKNEY.

1488J Raymond Le Grand, b. Sept. 27, 1895.
1488K Maurine, b. Oct. 25, 1897.

861

ANNA SPALDING[10] DE WOLF, m. Sept. 23, ——, THOMAS C. ELDER.

1489 Eliza Minerva, b. June 26, 1886.
1490 Anna De Wolf, b. Dec. 26, 1887.
1491 Thomas Giles, b. Dec. 24, 1889.
1492 Alice, b. Sept. 23, 1901.

866

VIOLA ELIZA[10] DE WOLF, m. HENRY EVERSON.

1493 Chester Lewis, b. April 17, 1900.

867

BESSIE ROSE[10] DE WOLF, m. OLLIE CRUICKSHANK.

1494 Laura May, b. March 29, 1894.

899

LEAH G.[10] NORTHRUP, m. Oct. 3, 1900, REV. BYRON W. NORTHRUP.

1495 Paul, b. July 27, 1901.

931

EDWIN MATTHEW[10] JACK, m. Sept. 18, 1900, IDA MAE ANNIS, dau. of James and Mary Annis.

1496 Earl Leroy, b. June 24, 1901.

934

MARY S.[10] PRATT, m. Sept. 16, 1883, IRA R. DOANE, b. Sept. 18, 1854.

1497 Ella C., b. Nov. 2, 1885.
1498 Ruth E., b. Feb. 17, 1893.
1499 Nettie V., b. Dec. 11, 1894,
1500 Mason, } twins, b. May 26, 1900.
1501 Marie, } Marie, d. July 21, 1900.
1502 Lucy M., b. Sept. 26, 1901.

935

ARTHUR V.[10] PRATT, m. Sept. 1, 1885, LOTTIE M. WILEY, b. June, 1868.

1503 George S., b. Nov. 20, 1887.
1504 Charles G., b. Sept. 25, 1891; d. May 18, 1893.
1505 Clara V., b. Oct. 21, 1897.

946

DAWN[10] SMITH, m. ERNEST FISCHER MARTIN.

1506 Gladys Rhea, b. March 5, 1897.
1507 Bernice Virginia, b. Sept. 1, 1901.

972

JOSEPH JUDSON DE WOLF[10] DIMOCK, m. AMY TROWBRIDGE KNIGHT.

1509 Joseph Judson.

1510 Ernest Knight.
1511 Marjorie.
1512 Gerard Lee.

978

MARY DE WOLF[10] ALBERT, m. ERNEST VON DER NAHMER, L.A.D.

1513 Alexander William.

979

ISADORA LOUISA[10] ALBERT, m. ALBERT MUELLER, Royal Councillor of Prussia.

1514 Irmgard.
1515 Clara.

980

CLARA VALENTINE[10] ALBERT, m. HENRY MAY.

1516 Lawrence William Edward.
1517 Franz.
1518 Robert.
1519 Georgiana Felicita.

981

LIDA EUGENIE[10] ALBERT, m. JULIUS HENLE, Provincial Councillor of Bavaria.

1520 Ilse.
1521 Gunther.

985

BRADFORD COLT[10] DE WOLF, m. ELIZABETH LINDSAY BURNESS, of Auchnacross, Scotland.

1522 Francisco.

986

BLANCHE[10] DE WOLF, m. BARON LOUIS DE LEVAY DE KISTELEK of Chateau Taplany, Raah, Hungary.

1523 Francis Joseph.

987

ELIZA DE WOLF[10] COLT, m. (1) ARTHUR ROTCH.

1524 ———. m. (2) RALPH CURTIS.

988

THEODORA L.[10] COLT, m. Jan. 17, 1900, EDWIN ARMINGTON BARROWS.

1525 Theodora, b. Jan. 8, 1901.

996

ELLEN AYLMER[10] WHITE, m. ALEX. JAMES GRAYDON.

1526 Theodora De Wolf.

998

ISABELLA DE WOLF[10] WHITE, m. WILLIAM LEWIS NORTON.

1527 Theodora De Wolf.

1009

MARY C.[10] DIMOND, m. Aug. 24, 1881, HENRY HORTON COGGESHALL.

1528 Dexter Elton, b. Sept. 20, 1883.
1529 Diman Horton St. Clair, b. July 5, 1886.

1011

MILLIE[10] DIMOND, m. NECARSIA LUGO VINA.

1530 Recardo, b. ———; d. in infancy.

1012

HOPESTILL POTTER[10] DIMOND, m. Nov. 14, 1894, ELIZABETH MCNUTT.

1531 Mary L., b. Sept. 26, 1896.
1532 Samuel Church, b. Aug. 12, 1900; d. in infancy.

1013

LIZZIE[10] DIMOND, m. June 1, 1888, NATHAN ALLEN BISHOP, JR.

1533 Stewart Slade, b. Nov. 13, 1890.

ELIZA NICHOLS ATTWOOD,
WIFE OF HOPESTILL POTTER DIMOND (162).
BORN APRIL 15, 1797; DIED FEB. 14, 1888.

1014

CHARLES FRANCIS[10] DIMOND, m. Oct. 6, 1892, SARAH LEE.

1534 Annie Church, b. Dec. 15, 1897.
1535 Charles Francis, b. April 15, 1901.

1015

FRANK MOORE[10] DIMOND, m. Oct. 9, 1895, GERTRUDE TALBEE.

1536 Reginald, b. April 13, 1897.

1016

KATE CHURCH[10] DIMOND, m. May 15, 1894, FRED. ELDEN HILTZ.

1537 Viola Mildred, b. June 7, 1896.

1018

FRED. H.[10] DIMOND, m. Oct. 29, 1890, BLANCHE B. BASSETT.

1538 Ernest Allen, b. Nov. 23, 1891; d. Dec. 13, 1892.
1539 Clara Francis, b. March 7, 1893.
1540 Florence A. E., b. Sept. 23, 1897.

1019

WILLIAM C.[10] DIMOND, m. July 5, 1894, NELLIE VAUGHN FALES.

1541 Hope Fales, b. June 29, 1897.
1542 Helen Vaughn, b. June 30, 1899.

1021

ELIZABETH F.[10] DIMOND, m. April 24, 1901, RUSSEL S. CHURCH.

1543 Hezekiah Wardwell, b. Dec. 14, 1901.

1026

FLORENCE[10] DIMOND, m. CHARLES WINGATE.

1544 Charles.

1032

ROSE DIMOND[10] PHINNEY, m. WILLIAM GROVERNOR.

1545 Alice Mason. b. Aug. 6, 1883.
1546 Caroline Rose, b. Feb. 9, 1885.

1547 William, b. Nov. 2, 1886.
1548 Rose, b. Oct. 13, 1888.
1549 Robert, b. April 9, 1892.
1550 Anita, b. March 11, 1895.
1551 Theodore Phinney, b. Jan. 3, 1897.

1033

ALICE M.[10] PHINNEY, m. (1) 1880, LOUIS HENDERSON.

1552 Thedore Phinney, b. Dec. 26, 1881.
1553 John Charis, b. Oct. 15, 1883.

m. (2) April 7, 1890, CAPT. WIRT ROBINSON, U. S. A.

1554 Evelyn Rose, b. Feb. 7, 1891.
1555 Wirt Russel, b. May 3, 1893.

1037

HENRY D.[10] WARREN, m. MARY JANE POMEROY.

Lost in the ill-fated Jeannette Expedition with Capt. De Long.

1556 Maud Dimond.

1042

GERTRUDE L.[10] DIMOND, m. Jan. 11, 1891, EDWARD GLADDING EASTERBROOKS.

1557 Mary Dimond, b. July 19, 1893.

1043

HENRY F.[10] JONES, m. 1873, CARRIE OLSON.

1558 Jennie, d. ——.

1045

EMMA A.[10] JONES, m. Nov. 8, 1870, JAMES W. NELSON.

1559 Hannah Bell, b. Oct. 8, 1871.
1560 James W., d. ——.
1561 George.
1562 Sadie.
1563 Bessie Marvel, b. Feb. 3, 1880.

1047

WILLIAM GARDNER[10] JONES, m. Feb. 25, 1887, ADDIE M. WHIPPLE.

1564 Edward S. Jones, b. Dec. 14, 1887.
1565 Hazel May, b. Sept. 17, 1889.
1566 Ada Mabel, b. Oct. 24, 1892.
1567 Clyde G., b. Feb. 26, 1895.
1568 Bessie Harriet, b. Dec. 31, 1897.
1569 Effie M., b. April 21, 1900.

1048

SAMUEL B.[10] JONES, m. Dec. 15, 1880, ORILLA C. DE COLN.

1570 Jessie Julia, b. Sept. 19, 1881; d. July, 1882.
1571 Lilah Glen, b. Oct. 6, 1882; d. Jan., 1883.
1572 Inez Pearl, b Nov. 27, 1886.
1573 Charles De Coln, b. Jan. 5, 1890.
1574 Vera Ruth, b. Aug. 28, 1892.

1049

JULIA RUSSEL[10] JONES, m. Sept. 25, 1888, GEHARD FRICH.

1575 Ira Evelyn, b. Jan. 25, 1890.
1576 Milton Gehard, b. 1894.
1577 Ethel Marvel, b. June 6, 1901.

1051

FREDERICK NELSON[10] JONES, m. Nov. 27, 1890, BEE MCCORMICK, d. July 14, 1901.

1578 Le Roy Gardner, b. Aug. 20, 1891.
1579 Agnes May, b. Jan. 27, 1893.
1580 Harry Mortimer, b. Dec. 7, 1894.
1581 Charles Chester, b. Aug. 6, 1897.
1582 Paul Frederick, b. April 7, 1900.

1052

HARRIET BELL[10] JONES, m. Oct. 23, 1894, MORTIMER F. SMITH.

1583 Paul Mortimer, b. July 21, 1895.

1053

FANNY DIMON[10] JONES, m. (1) Sept. 1, 1873, CHARLES LE ROY JONES, (1044).

1584 Ernest G., b. 1874.

m. (2) April 3, 1881, S. Lincoln White.
m. (3) June 4, 1896, Robert M. Greene.

1054

Clara E.[10] Jones, m. 1874, Geo. H. Gilbert.

1585 Mabel Erwin, b. 1879; m. 1902, Lewis A. Cook, son of Hon. Lewis Cook, Judge Supreme Court of Massachusetts.
1586 Frank, b. 1880; d. in infancy.
1587 Marion Dimond, b. 1881.
1588 Harold Ramon, b. 1885.
1589 Royal De Wolf, b. 1888.
1590 Clarence Elstine, } twins, d. in infancy.
1891 Clara Allen, } b. 1892.
1592 George Asbury, b. 1894.
1593 Hope Evylin, b. 1896.

1056

Abbie F.[10] Dimon, m. (1) Feb. 2, 1858, Eben S. Slocum.

1594 Eben, b. Nov. 26, 1859; d. Dec. 10, 1896.

m. (2) June 1, 1869, Thomas Potter.

1595 Charles, b. June 23, 1871.

1058

George H.[10] Dimon, m. 1865. Susan A. Scott, b. 1846.

1596 Elizabeth Mabel, b. 1866; m. 1894, Masher Mesewe.
1597 Susie Scott, b. 1875.
1598 Walter George, U. S. N., b. 1879.
1599 Edith Angie, b. 1881.

1061

Frank M.[10] Diman, m. ———.

1600 Harry Le Baron, b. Dec. 10, 1865.
1601 Eugene G., b. July 12, 1868.

1062

William C.[10] Dimon, m. (1) Annie E. Alverson.

1602 Mable De Wolf, b. July 7, 1871; m. Walter Carpenter.

1603 Jennie M., b. April 2, 1876.
1604 Louis W., b. March 27, 1884.
1605 Edith R., b. Sept. 6, 1885.

m. (2) EMMA A. JOHNSON.

1064

ANNIE E.[10] GRANT, m. March, 1860, GEORGE W. GIFFORD.

1606 George B., b. Jan. 15, 1861.
1607 Mary E., b. Dec. 4, 1862.
1608 Annie E., b. Sept. 29, 1864.
1609 Charles H., b. Nov. 20, 1866.
1610 Grace B., b. March 8, 1870.

1066

HENRY T.[10] GRANT, m. 1872, LAVINA W. REYNOLDS.

1611 Elizabeth L., b. Dec. 16, 1873.
1612 Emily M., b. Dec. 4, 1875; d. in infancy.
1613 Harry R., b. June 23, 1877.
1614 Herbert F., b. Sept. 17, 1880.
1615 L. Baron D., b. Jan. 25, 1895.

1068

ROSA M.[10] GRANT, m. Aug. 18, 1890, ARTHUR D. PIERCE.

1616 Rosa Mae Grant, b. Jan. 22, 1900.

1076

JAMES LANSING[10] SMITH, m. Aug. 31, 1876, SUSANNAH TRAVERS.

1617 Harry Lansing, b. July 4, 1877.
1618 James Austin, b. April 2, 1879.

1078

GEORGE MCCLELLAN[10] SMITH, m. April 28, 1887, MARY I. LEE.

1619 Mary Lee, b. Feb. 19, 1890.
1620 George McClellan, b. March 5, 1892; d. July 4, 1893.
1621 Horace Arthur, b. Oct. 18, 1894.

1079

ELIZABETH S.[10] SMITH, m. Nov. 7, 1881, GEORGE W. LAUGHTON.

1622 George W., b. Dec. 13, 1882.
1623 Horace Carmen, b. Sept. 25, 1887; d. Sept. 16, 1895.

1080

THEODOSIA S.[10] SMITH, m. Nov. 5, 1885, CHARLES F. SANDFORD.

1624 Harry L., b. March 12, 1889.

1083

KATE F.[10] SMITH, m. Sept. 6, 1898, JAMES CONNOLLY.

1625 George Smith, b. June 15, 1899.

1089

ELLEN R.[10] EASTERBROOKS, m. April 21, 1886, FRANK S. SPRAGUE.

1626 Russel Bradford, b. Aug., 1887.

1095

EMILY G.[10] PRATT, m. Nov. 29, 1886, A. GARDNER GOULD.

1627 Harrie Barbour, b. May 13, 1889.
1628 Idella Sandford, b. Jan. 14, 1890.

1099

JAMES M.[10] GORDING, m. Oct. 18, 1885, LILLIAN M. WALL.

1629 William Bradford, b. 1886.
1630 Margaret Sprague, b. 1889.

1101

RICHARD[10] LISCOMB, m. ELIZABETH LISCOMB (861).

1631 Walter, d. unmarried.
1632 Harriet.

1109

ABBIE FRANCIS[10] WALDRON, m. Jan. 20, 1876, THOMAS S. MANCHESTER.

Two children d. in infancy.
1633 Thomas Francis, b. March 4, 1880.

1116

RAYMOND[10] TAYLOR, m. June 21, 1882, ROWENA HIXON.

1634 Mildred, b. May 27, 1888.

1119

WILLIAM LEROY[10] WEST, m. Nov., 1879, ELLISTINE L. WRIGHT, dau. of Leonard Wright and Louisia Gray, a direct descendant through her mother of Gov. Wm. Bradford.

1635 Gardner, b. 1885.
1636 Blanche, b. 1889.
1637 Gertrude, b. 1894.

1124

MARY H.[10] LISCOMB, m. 1896, FRED. S. CAMPBELL.

1638 Margaret Liscomb, b. 1898.
1639 Joseph Hazzard, b. 1900.

1136

KATE P.[10] CHACE, m. March 17, 1893. EARL T. WALKER.

1640 Mildred T., } twins, b. Feb. 14, 1894.
1641 Marion C., }

1138

MARY S.[10] WILCOX, m. April 3, 1871, JAMES H. SMITH.

1642 Bertha Hatton, b. May 29, 1873.

1139

CHARLES H.[10] WILCOX, m. (1) Oct., 1871, EMMA MACOMBER.

1643 Wallace L., b. 1873; m. 1897, Anna Smith.
1644 Florie G., b. 1876; m. 1899, Italy Nutall.
1645 Charles E., b. 1879.

m. (2) Oct. 18, 1883, ANNIE L. CLAPP.

1141

FRANK D.[10] WOODMAN, m. Dec. 9, 1880, ROSE D. EDDY.

1646 Chester, d. in childhood.
1647 Clarence, d. in childhood.
1648 Clinton.

1142

HARRIET D.[10] WOODMAN, m. Aug. 14, 1895, AUGUSTUS J. WOOD.

1649 Winthrop Chace.

1156

MARY PAMELIA[10] SCUDDER, m. Oct. 9, 1884, GEORGE GLADDEN.

1650 James Harold, b. Sept. 18, 1885.
1651 Harvey, b. Dec. 23, 1887.
1652 George, d. in infancy.
1653 Gertrude, b. Oct. 6, 1894.

1165

DR. HOBART AMORY[10] HARE, m. May 6, 1884, REBECCA CLIFFORD PEMBERTON, b. b. Sept. 1, 1865.

1654 Mary Armory, b. Aug. 30, 1885.

1172

SARAH BIGELOW[10] HOWE, m. Nov. 9, 1896, GEORGE STANLEY PARKER, b. May 16, 1868.

1655 Dorothy, b. Feb. 25, 1898.

1174

ELIZABETH MARSHALL[10] ALLEN, m. June 6, 1899, WILLIAM HODGKINSON, b. Jan. 17, 1860.

1656 William, b. Feb. 6, 1901.
1657 Anne Outram, b. Jan. 16, 1902.

1223

MARY MINTURN[10] POTTER, m. Oct. 25, 1899, WILLIAM ROSCOE BONSAL.

1658 William Roscoe, b. Feb. 13, 1901.

1224

ARAZELIA VAN ZANDT[10] POTTER, m. Oct. 19, 1897, GRENVILLE BAYARD WINTHROP.

1659 Arazelia Van Zandt, b. Sept. 6, 1898; d. July 19, 1899.
1660 Grenville Bayard, b. May 18, 1900.

1238

MARIETTA[10] WILBER, m. HOMER AUGUSTUS EMPIE.

1661 Luther Hamilton.

1269

MARY SOPHRONIA[10] SHELDON, m. (W. Rutland, Vt.), April 30, 1890, ERWIN ELMER KEYES, b. Sept. 10, 1865.

1662 Elmer.

1271

CELIA[10] HALL, m. (Waterville, Me.), July 7, 1896, CHARLES JOHN WATERHOUSE, b. Nov. 10, 1866, son of Capt. John Waterhouse and Eunice Stout.

1663 Hascall Freeman, b. May 14, 1897.
1664 Edward John, b. Feb. 18, 1899.
1665 Mary Hall, b. Sept. 11, 1900.

1276

CHARLES HARLEY[10] HASCALL, m. (Lewiston, Me.), Dec. 25, 1894, ANNA NICKERSON, b. May 4, 1873.

1666 William Franklin, b. April 28, 1896; d. Jan. 5, 1900.
1667 Francis Hardy, b. March 24, 1898.
1668 Sumner, b. April 8, 1901.

1277

ADA BELLE[10] HASCALL, m. Jan. 12, 1899, WALTER PENLEY.

1669 Ethel May, b. Nov. 1, 1899.

1280

JOHN WINTHROP[10] DE WOLF, m. SARA ALICE HAYES, b. May 11, 1871.

1670 John Winthrop, b. Nov. 13, 1895.
1671 Alice Winthrop, b. Dec. 12, 1897.

1294

WILLIAM DE WOLF[10] DIMMOCK, m. April 26, 1898, LAURA CHAMBERLAIN.

1672 Emily C., b. Oct. 20, 1900.

1297

MARGARET[10] ERSKINE, m. June 1895, JAMES CAREY EVANS, b. 1862.

1673 Cecilia, b. 1897.
1674 James Carey, b. 1900.

1301

LANGDON[10] GIBSON, m. 1899, KATHERINE BURDETT.
Ornithologist of the first Peary Arctic Expedition, and also of the expedition which explored the Colorado River from its source to its mouth.

1675 Charles De Wolf, b. 1895.
1676 Daniel Burdett, b. 1899.

1302

CHARLES DANA[10] GIBSON, m. 1895, IRENE LANGHORNE.
The celebrated artist and illustrator.

1677 Irene Langhorne, b. 1896.
1678 Charles Dana, b. 1899.

1312

MARY POMEROY[10] CUTTING, m. Oct. 6, 1894, ARTHUR J. CUMNOCK, b. Feb. 12, 1868.

1679 Mary Cutting, b. July 11, 1895.

1316

FRANCIS RAYMOND[10] PERRY, m. Jan. 4, 1899, ALFRED MERRIMAN, M.D., b. May 1, 1868.

1680 Frances Lavinia, b. Sept. 26, 1899.

1317

ROBERT SWAIN[10] PERRY, m. April 26, 1892, HARRIET SMITH, b. Jan. 5, 1868.

1681 Ward Tyson, b. Aug. 9, 1893.
1682 James De Wolf, b. Dec. 9, 1895.
1683 Robert Swain, b. July 16, 1898.

1318

JULIA BOURN[10] PERRY, m. June 7, 1894, WILLIAM B. THURBER.

1684 James Perry, b. June 7, 1895.
1685 William Schuyler, b. Feb. 11, 1897.
1686 Russell Tyson, b. Dec. 16, 1898.

1353

MARGARITA[10] THEOBOLD, m. JOHN EAGER LLOYD of "Nye."

1687 Margarite.
1688 Mary Edgar.

1354

CAROLINE[10] THEOBOLD, m. ROBERT GOODLOE HARPER PENNINGTON, an artist of New York City.

1689 Charlotte Emily.
1690 Margery.
1691 Caroline Dexter.
1692 Dorathea.
1663 William Clapham.

1367

ALICE PRESCOTT[10] MORRIS, m. FRANK BATES CHEESEMAN.

1694 Frank Bates.

1381

CHARLES VERNON[10] MILES, m. June 20, 1899, JOSEPHINE DANFORTH.

1695 Catherine Danforth, b. July 13, 1900.

1384

HARRISON WARREN[10] POGUE, m. Jan. 6, 1892, MAUDE KNAPP.

1696 Eleanor De Wolf, b. June 10, 1899.

1385

EDMUND DE WOLF[10] POGUE, m. Feb. 20, 1899, MOLLIE BEARDSLIE.

1697 Marjory Beardslie, b. March 5, 1891.

1387

GEORGE DUDLEY[10] POGUE, m. Sept. 5, 1898, LEONA VINSON.

1698 Webster Vinson, b. Sept. 15, 1899.

1388

GEORGE WARREN[10] LOVELL, m. Sept. 19, 1898, EVA GRASSMUCK.

1699 Edward Warren, b. March 16, 1901.

1389

JENNIE VANDERVOORT[10] LOVELL, m. Feb. 17, 1896, EUGENE HALE.

1700 Dorothy, b. Dec. 24, 1897.

GENERATION XII.

1594

EBEN[11] SLOCUM, m. June, 1881, MARY E. COLLINS.

1701 Nellie, b. Nov. 9, 1882; d. April 13, 1900.

1595

CHARLES[11] POTTER, m. Dec. 13, 1896, NELLIE SHEEAN.

1702 Charles Diman, b. Nov. 7, 1897.
1703 Eben F., b. April 8, 1900.

1599

EDITH A.[11] DIMAN, m. 1900, ARTHUR CARROL DAME.

1704 Priscilla Diman, b. 1901.

1600

HARRY LE BARON[11] DIMAN, m. Sept., 1891, ANNE D. HIEL.

1705 Lois, b. Sept. 11, 1892.
1706 Allen, b. Nov. 24, 1893.
1707 Marion D., b. Oct. 31, 1897.

1601

EUGENE G.[11] DIMAN, m. April 29, 1896, SARAH HOWARD.

1708 Howard Miller, b. 1897.

1606

GEORGE B.[11] GIFFORD, m. Nov. 1, 1883, MINNIE VAN COLT.

1709 George B., b. Dec. 7, 1886.

1607

MARY E.[11] GIFFORD, m. Jan. 15, 1889, JAMES H. BRECK.

1710 Robert G., b. July 8, 1890.

1608

ANNIE E.[11] GIFFORD, m. July 2, 1894, FRANK L. BLACKWELL.

1711 Malcolm G., b. Jan. 6, 1897.

1609

CHARLES H.[11] GIFFORD, m. March 21, 1891, BESSIE W. ELLIS.

1712 Ruth A., b. Dec. 28, 1891.
1713 Francis E., b. March 28, 1896.

1610

GRACE B.[11] GIFFORD, m. Nov. 14, 1893, ALBERT A. CHAMBERLAIN.

1714 William G., b. April 30, 1896.

1611

ELIZABETH L.[12] GRANT, m. July 30, 1896, JULIUS H. PRESTON.

1715 Julius H., b. Feb. 27, 1898.

NOTE: This Genealogy singularly ends with the son of Mr. Julius H. Preston, a Sunday School scholar in the writer's first parish, "St. Gabriel's, Smith Hill," later called St. Paul's, thirty years ago, when, appearing in a tableau as Isaac sacrificed by Abraham, he was universally pronounced the handsomest lad in the community. He is now of the firm J. H. Preston & Co., wholesale fruit dealers in Providence.

APPENDICES.

A.—Canadian Branch of De Wolfs.

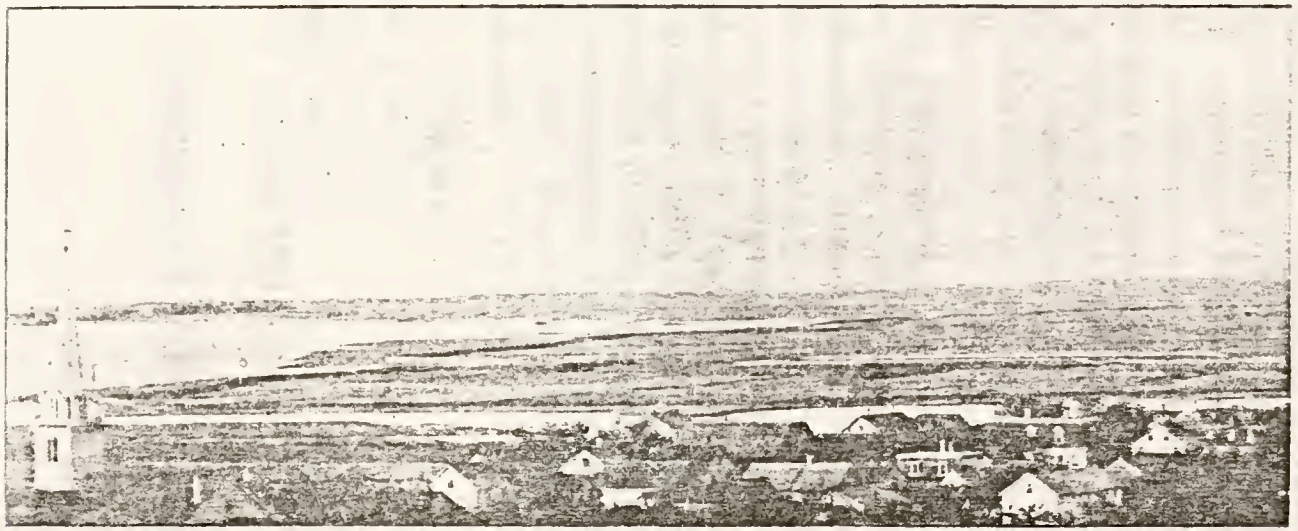
B.—Descendants of Matthew and Joseph, brothers of Charles of Guadaloupe.

C.—The Bradford Family.

D.—The Le Baron Family.

E.—The Perry Family.

F.—The Bourn Family, with an addendum on the Family of Abel and Edward Jones.



WOLFVILLE, LOOKING TOWARD GRAND PRÉ.

NAMED FOR THE DE WOLFS, FIRST SETTLERS OF THE TOWN.

From a plate loaned by John F. Herbin, B. A.,
author of "Grand Pré, a Sketch of the Acadian Occupation."

APPENDIX A.

BRANCH I.

GENERATION IV. (FROM BALTHAZAR).

SIMEON[4] DE WOLF (XLVII.), m. July 23, 1741, PARNELL KIRTLAND, b. Lyme, Connecticut, 1713. dau. of Nathaniel Kirtland and Phoebe (Marvin) De Wolf.

In March, 1745, Simeon was appointed an officer of the expedition to capture Louisburg under Major-General Roger Wolcott. After the expulsion of the Acadians in 1755, the English Governors encouraged New England people to settle in Nova Scotia, and Simeon De Wolf went to Grand Pré, in 1761, with his wife and family. On May 29, 1764, these first three settlers, Simeon, Nathan and Jehiel, received a first-class allotment of five hundred acres, consisting of wood lands, farm lots and dyke lands, all of which are clearly designated in the survey of the township. On Sept. 30th of the same year, they received a license to alienate four hundred and fifty acres each. These privileges gave them the most valuable and picturesque land in the village, which was later named Wolfeville in their honor. They were the leading men of the time; their descendants held high positions in the Canadian Provinces and in England. Of those who remained in Nova Scotia, eight were elected at various times as members of the provincial Parliament. We find others filling positions of Judges of the County Courts, Judges of the Probate, Justices of the Peace, High Sheriffs, Postmasters and Collectors of Customs. Many of them moved to the United States.

Simeon died in Wolfville, N. S., in Dec., 1780. His wife lived until Oct., 1807, aged eighty-four. They are buried in Wolfville, N. S.

Children of Simeon:

1 Elizabeth, b. June 19, 1742; m. William Andrews of Eastport, Me.
2 Benjamin, b. in Lyme, Conn., Oct. 14, 1744; d. Sept. 2, 1819, Windsor, N. S.
3 John, b. in Lyme, Conn., March 19, 1751; d. Sept. 26, 1811, in Wolfville, N. S.
4 James, b. 1762; d. 1834.
5 Charles, b. in Horton, N. S., 1765; d. 1833.
6 Lucy, m. Jonathan Wilson, Falmouth, N. S.

GENERATION V.

2

HON. BENJAMIN[5] DE WOLF, m. March 16, 1769, RACHEL OTIS, Scituate, Mass., b. 1740; d. Aug. 13, 1818.

He was the founder of the Windsor, Nova Scotia, branch of the family (see Introduction).

7 Sarah Hersey Otis, b. May 14, 1770; m. Nath. Ray Thomas, Collector of Customs, Windsor.
8 Rachel Otis, b. Feb. 11, 1873.
9 Amelia Isabella, b. Oct. 2, 1779; m. Aug. 1, 1821, Capt. John McKay, H. M. 29th Regt.
10 Harriot Sophia, b. Sept. 8, 1781; m. July 7, 1807, Rev. W. C. King, M.A., of St. Mary's College, Oxford.

Other children who died in infancy were Rachel Hersey, b. Jan. 7, 1772; John, b. June 1, 1775; Susana Isabella, b. June 17, 1776; Frances Mary, b. Feb. 28, 1778. Mrs. King (10) had three sons: Harry King, a lawyer, Otis King, a farmer, and Rev. William King, all deceased.

3

JOHN[5] DE WOLF, m. (1) 1774, SUSANNAH HATCH, b. 1760; d. Feb. 13, 1798.

10A Elizabeth, b. Feb. 25, 1777; m. Clement Brown.
11 Rachel, b. March 31, 1779; m. Dec. 20, 1795, Peter Strong.

12 Lucy, b. Aug. 1, 1782; m. Benjamin Reid, Granville, N. S.
13 Benjamin, b. March 3, 1785.
14 John B., b. April 21, 1787.
15 Nancy, b. May 5, 1789; d. Aug. 24, 1894; m. April 25, 1809, Dea William Eaton.
16 Lydia, b. Sept. 3, 1791; m. (1) Joseph Allison; m. (2) Jeconiah Seaman.

m. (2) ELIZABETH GRAHAM.

17 Lavinia, b. Oct. 1, 1803; d. 1820.
18 Martha Noble, b. April 22, 1810.
19 James Isaac, b. Dec. 18, 1811; d. May 10, 1850.

4

JAMES[6] DE WOLF, m. (1) KETURA CALKINS, b. 1768; d. 1834.

m. (2) 1790, NANCY LAWRENCE.

m. (3) 1808, JANE PARKS.

He had by the three marriages eleven children, the tracing of whose lives space does not permit.

5

CHARLES[6] DE WOLF, m. (1) March 1, 1786, SABRA HARDING.

20 Simeon, b. 1788.
21 Sabra, b. Dec. 24, 1789; m. ——— Taylor.

m. (2) SARAH MINER PARNELL, b. April 20, 1792; m. (2) Joseph Alline, d. 1882.

22 Colin, b. Feb. 27, 1794; m. Harriet Neary. Had four sons and two daughters.
23 Charles, b. March 5, 1796; m. Mary McDonald. Had five daughters and four sons, among them Rev. James Israel and Charles W. Father of Charles Friden De Wolf.
24 Samuel, b. Feb. 18, 1798; d. Nov. 17, 1876.
25 Rufus, b. May 5, 1800; d. 1866; m. Mary Ann Bishop. Had eight children, of whom Simeon moved to Ohio, m. A. Heine, and had Samuel A. and Charles Hardy of Portsmouth, Ohio.

26 Israel, b. March 19, 1802; d. 1845; m. Eunice Dodge, 1825. Had one son and three daughters.

27 Ebenezer Harding, b. Aug. 8, 1804; m. Maria Lovett. Had Sarah, Jane, Geo. Henry, Daniel Miner, Andrew Curry, Samuel Chesley, Rebecca Eliza and Dr. James Edward of Chicago, Ill.

29 Sarah Elizabeth, b. Aug. 30, 1806; d. young.

30 Lucy Ann, b. Nov. 21, 1808; m. March 10, 1866, Henry K. Eaton.

31 Rebecca Maria, b. March 10, 1810; m. Charles Eaton.

GENERATION VI.

8

RACHEL OTIS[6] DE WOLF, m. (Windsor, N. S.) Oct. 14, 1802, HON. JAMES FRASER, b. 1759; d. 1822.

Hon. J. Fraser emigrated to Nova Scotia, becoming a member of the Executive Council of the Province.

32 Sarah Rachel, b. Sept. 7, 1803.

33 Harriet, b. 1806; d. 1880.

33A Amelia, b. 1808; d. 1837; unmarried.

33B Francis, b. 1809; d. 1827; unmarried.

33C Catherine, b. July 16, 1813; m. 1835, Rt. Rev. Thos. G. Suther, D. D., Bishop of Aberdeen; d. April 1, 1880. No issue.

34 Benjamin De Wolf, b. March 4, 1812; d. July 4, 1888.

34A Mary, b. 1815; d. 1822.

11

RACHEL[6] DE WOLF, m. Dec. 20, 1795, DEACON PETER STRONG; d. June 6, 1858.

35 Susanna, b. Jan. 25, 1797; d. May 6, 1875; m. June, 1814, David Eaton.

36 Mary Ann, b. Dec. 29, 1799; d. 1862; m. Jan., 1817, Judah Bishop.

37 Hannah, b. Sept. 12, 1802; m. Jan., 1822, James Eaton.

38 Lydia, b. Sept. 16, 1805; m. June, 1823, Pingree Porter.

39 James, b. Nov. 30, 1807; d. May 16, 1856; m. Feb., 1831, Eunice Calkins.

40 Edward, b. Oct. 24, 1810; d. Nov. 4, 1852; m. Jan., 1834, Rachel Bishop.

41 Charles W., b. June 26, 1813; d. March, 1900; m. (1) June, 1836, Mary Calkins; m. (2) Oct., 1845, Louisa Lockhart.

42 Stephen, b. Dec. 9, 1815.

43 David Eaton, b. Nov. 23, 1818; m. Oct., 1840, Deborah Foster.

44 Rachel, b. Jan. 21, 1824; m. Feb., 1847, Wm. John Higgins. Had four daughters and four sons: Susan, b. Nov. 5, 1847, d. 11 years old; James E., b. March 29, 1849, m. Bella J. Frazer; Jessie, b. May 8, 1851, m. Prof. A. E. Coldwell; Minnie, b. Feb. 13, 1855, m. G. F. Baldwin; Malinda, b. April 29, 1857; Thomas F., b. Jan. 6, 1859, m. Minnie Harris; W. J., b. July 9, 1863, m. Emogene Gridley; Charles, b. Oct. 26, 1866, m. Maude Warren.

13

BENJAMIN[6] DE WOLF, m. ANN ROCKWELL.

45 Gurdon, b. Sept., 1808.

46 Lydia Ann; m. Aaron Cook.

47 Emily; m. Hugh Slayter, of Parrsboro, N. S.

48 Lucilla; m. Samuel Slayter, of St. James, N. B.

49 Harriet; m. John H. Maxwell, of St. Stephen's, N. B.

50 Eliza; m. Thomas Mann, of Bailey, N. S.

51 Benjamin, b. 1819. Removed to San Jose, Cal.

52 John.

53 James.

14

JOHN B.[6] DE WOLF, m. 1810, ELIZA J. RUDOLPH, b. Feb. 7, 1797; d. Jan. 4, 1861.

54 John Kirtland, b. 1811; d. 1845.

55 Mary Louisa, b. Nov. 6, 1813; d. Sept. 12, 1890.
56 Thomas Moody Rudolph, b. 1815; d. 1834.
57 Edward, b. March 20, 1818; d. 1878; m. Sarah Henry.
58 James, b. April, 1820; d. 1847.
59 Caroline Augusta, b. April 9, 1822; d. Sept. 21, 1901.
60 Eliza Rudolph, b. Aug. 24, 1824; m. Thomas Wren.
61 Charles, b. June, 1826; d. 1836.
62 Margaret, b. 1830; d. 1882; m. Thos. L. Hamilton.
63 George, b. 1832; d. 1836.
64 Frances Elizabeth, b. 1840; d. 1842.

15

NANCY[6] DE WOLF, m. April 25, 1809, d. Aug. 27, 1854. WILLIAM EATON. d. Nov. 20, 1852. Was Deacon of the First Baptist Church, Cornwallis N. S.

65 Leonard, b. May 15, 1810.
66 Eliza Jane, b. March 19, 1812.
67 Susanna, b. Dec. 6, 1814; m. Levi Woodworth of Canning, N. S. Children: Charles, William, Abraham, Annie S., Julia m. A. L. Wood of Halifax; Mira S., m. J. J. Tufts of Acadia College.
68 Anna, b. Oct. 11, 1819.
69 Clement Belcher, b. April 26, 1824; d. March 29, 1901; m. Mrs. Derring.
70 George W., b. May 8, 1826.
71 Joseph H., b. July 20, 1828.

16

LYDIA[6] DE WOLF, m. (1) JOSEPH ALLISON, d. 1820.

72 Amelia, d, 1878; m. Thomas L. De Wolfe, d. 1883. Had John W., m. Mary R. Bennett; Lydia, b. Jan., 1847; d. Oct., 1865; Andrew, b. Dec. 25, 1851; m. Lelia De Wolfe; Mary, b. Feb. 28, 1855; m. July 7, 1880, Dr. F. F. Doggett; Lucy Ellen, b. 1859; m. Aug. 4, 1880, Horace E. Billing. Children of Mary and Dr. F. F. Doggett: Elizabeth De Wolf, b. Oct. 29, 1882; Arthur Latham, b. Nov. 8, 1884; Leonard Allison, b. Nov. 10, 1888.

73 Nancy Rebecca, m. Jan. 15, 1833, Abraham Seaman; she d. Sept. 18, 1879; he d. July 15, 1880. Had Joseph Allenson, b. July 23, 1835; d. Sept. 9, 1835; George, b. Aug. 31, 1837; m. Rebecca McNutt, Dec. 3, 1863; Charles, b. Dec. 24, 1839; d. Oct. 22, 1853; Clifford, b. Jan. 12, 1842; d. Sept. 16, 1899; Eliza Allison, b. July 28, 1844; m. Oct. 1, 1867, Rev. S. B. Kempton, D.D.; had one son, Rev. A. T. Kempton of Fitchburg, Mass.; Amelia, b. March 6, 1847; d. Aug. 9, 1861.

m. (2) 1821, Jeconiah Seaman.

74 Louisa, d. 1846.
75 William Henry, b. 1827; m. Anna Harris.
76 Charles E., d. in infancy.
77 Edward, b. 1835. Living in Kentville, the old Homestead, in 1902.
78 Mary Sophia, b. 1822; m. Jan. 1, 1852, Henry Terry; he d. Sept. 7, 1893. Had Helen Rebecca, b. Sept. 26, 1852; d. June 28, 1858; Charles Edward, b. Feb. 10, 1854; d. April 27, 1854; Nancy Amelia, b. March 15, 1855; m. June 19, 1889, J. Alexander Etter; Geo. Clinton, b. Dec. 23, 1857; Frederick W. Gannett, b. Sept. 1, 1861; d. March 18, 1886; Jonathan, M. C. Cully, b. July 7, 1865; m Martha Best; Alice Julia, b. March 15, 1860; m. Charles Creighton; has six children.

18

Martha Noble[6] De Wolf, m. Jan. 17, 1833, Job Pingree.

79 Ellen Levinia, b. Oct. 21, 1833; d. Oct. 16, 1893; m. John L. Lockwood.
80 William John, b. Feb. 16, 1835.
81 Charles De Wolf Pingree, b. Dec. 21, 1836.
82 Henrietta, b. Dec. 18, 1838; d. Dec. 10, 1848.
83 Elizabeth, b. Nov. 14, 1842; d. July, 1844.
84 Laliah Burpee, b. Nov. 26, 1844.
85 Frederic Judson, b. April 11, 1848.
86 Delia Lydia, b. Sept. 22, 1850.

Martha Noble De Wolf died died Sept. 30 1871, at the age of sixty-one. Of her an old family friend said: "She was noble

in name, noble in looks, noble in nature, and noble altogether." She had a delicate kind of beauty, fine well-cut features, clear blue eyes and a face full of strength and sweetness. Her mind was like a crystal in its clearness and purity; her common sense and her judgment remarkable. She was in girlhood a gay-spirited creature, and no sorrow or trouble ever quenched that fine spirit. Her courage, her patience never failed. Her devotion to her husband, to her children, to the church and to the poor, was unceasing. Early in her married life she became deeply religious. It can truly be said of her that she lived "as seeing Him who is invisible."

Her husband, Job Pingree, died July 2, 1878. They are buried at Forest Hills, near Jamaica Plain, where they lived for so many years. He was a man of great kindliness of heart, strong religious feeling, upright and honorable to a rare degree in his business relations, genial and hospitable in his home life, interested in the great questions of the day both here and abroad.

19

James Isaac[6] De Wolf, m. Dec. 13, 1835, Nancy A. Fitch, b. Sept. 25, 1816; d. 1896.

87 Nancy Rebeccah, b. Oct. 17, 1836; d. Sept. 21, 1842.
88 Josephine A., b. Dec. 22, 1838; d. March 12, 1865; m. ——— Roy.
89 James Burbage, b. Jan. 4, 1841; m. Baptist minister's daughter.
90 George Clark, b. Nov. 28, 1842; m. twice; had three sons.
91 Harriet Amelia, b. May 19, 1844; m. Walter Lawrence, C. B.
92 Sidney Eugine, b. June 18, 1847.
93 Laleigh Frances, b. July 5, 1849; m. ——— Eaton.

20

Simeon[6] De Wolf, m. 1810, Clarissa Allen, d. 1861.
Lived in Yarmouth, Mass. Moved to Ohio, U. S. A., in 1834.

94 Capt. Charles.
95 Samuel Allen.

96 Sabra, m. ——— Durkee.
97 Harding.
98 Margaret, m. ——— Williams.
99 Capt. David.
100 Nancy, m. ——— Fisher of Red Oak, Ia.
101 John.
102 Colin.

GENERATION VII.

32

SARAH RACHEL[7] FRASER, m. Oct. 14, 1824, GENERAL SIR CHARLES STEPHEN GORE, G. C. B. AND K. H.; d. Sept. 4, 1869.

Gen. Gore, the third son of Arthur Saunders, K. P., second Earl of Arran by his third marriage was Lieut. Gov. of Chelsea Hospital.

103 James Arthur.
104 Charles Clitherow, b. Sept. 9, 1839.
105 Frederick Augustus, b. May 8, 1844; m. Alice Schenley. He was Lieut. Col. of the 84th Regt.
106 Eliza Amelia.
107 Adelaide Rachael, b. March 10, 1864; m. Gen. George Whitworth Talbot Rich, 71st Highlanders.

33

HARRIET[7] FRASER, m. 1826, COL. HENRY DIXON.

108 Thomas Fraser, b. 1832; m. 1856, Clara, daughter of Col. Edward Atrobus.
109 Henry, b. 1842; m. 1872, Alicia Kate Chandler.
110 Charles Tempest, b. 1848.
111 Arthur Noel, b. 1852. Resides in Liverpool.
112 Francis E. McLean, b. 1850.
113 Catherine Townley, b. 1827; m. 1845, Lewis G. Jones; she d. 1873.
114 Emily Georgiana, b. 1828; m. 1853, Rev. G. H. Philips.
115 Harriet Rachel, b. 1830; m. 1853, Richard Hamilton.

116 Charlotte Anne, b. 1835. Resides at York.
117 Henrietta Maria, b. 1839; m. 1870, Rev. Ernest C. Tollemache.

34

DR. BENJAMIN DE W.[7] FRASER, m. 1843, ELIZABETH ALLISON, b. Jan. 25, 1826; d. March 25, 1876; dau. of the Hon. Joseph Allison.

118 Joseph Allison, b. 1845. Resides, unmarried, Battleford, N. W. Territory, Canada.
119 Benjamin De Wolf, b. June 14, 1847; m. Harriet Cottle, New South Wales; he d. 1883.
120 James De Wolf, b. 1848. Resides unmarried in Colorado.
121 Charles Frederick, LL. D., b. 1850; m. 1891, Ella J. Hunter, daughter of James Hunter, St. Johns, New Brunswick. He is Superintendent of the School for the Blind, Halifax, N. S., and President of North British St. Andrews Society.
122 Alexander Milne, b. 1864; m. Rose G. Blanchard, daughter of John Blanchard, Kentville, N. S.
123 Mary Allison, m. 1883, Lewis Wilkins, Windsor, N. S.
124 Rachel Otis, m. 1879, Rev. Charles Churchward, of Devonshire, Eng; she d. 1881. (One son, Cecil Edward.)
125 Alina De Gonville, m. Charles W. Bayzandt, Windsor, N. S.; she d. 1877.
126 Anna Hill, m. 1890, Rev. James Simonds.

45

GURDON[7] DE WOLF, m. 1832, ANN MANN.

127 John M.
128 Lucilla, b. (Wisconsin); m. ——— McDermott.
129 Eleanor, m. T. Murray.
130 Benjamin, b. 1839, De Wolfe Corner, N. B.
131 Thomas Edward, m. A Hill.
132 Andrew, m. Caroline Boardman.

MARTHA NOBLE DE WOLF.

Appendix A. I. (18).

Wife of Job Pingree.

Born Wolfville, N. S. April 22, 1810; Died Boston, Mass. Sept. 30, 1871

133 Henrietta Elizabeth, d. ——.
134 Anna Maria, d. ——.
135 Charles William.

55

MARY LOUSIA[7] DE WOLF, m. May 7, 1833, JOHN WARREN MOORE.

136 Maria Woodward, b. March 7, 1835; m. 1854, Dr. Edward De Wolfe.
137 Edward, b. Sept. 11, 1838; m. Aug. 10, 1865, Agnes Holmes; she d. Aug. 28, 1884.
138 Francis Elizabeth, b. Aug. 19, 1841.
139 Mary Lousia, b. May 31, 1844; m. Nov. 25, 1874, Joseph Strange.
140 Harry Hazelwood, b. June 1, 1846; m. Oct. 11, 1876, Jessie W. Deming; she d. April 12, 1883.
141 Emily Caroline, b. Dec. 14, 1848.
142 Jeanie Porter, b. July 11, 1851.

80

WILLIAM JOHN[7] PINGREE, m. Oct. 12, 1865, LUCRETIA HOWE, b. Sept. 4, 1837, Brookfield, Mass.

143 Arther Howe, b. Jamaica Plain, Mass., July 3, 1868. Graduate of Harvard College, 1890; now a Congregational Minister.
144 Lillian De Wolf, b. Oct. 25, 1870; m. Dec. 21, 1898, Dr. Arthur N. Broughton of Jamaica Plain, Mass.

81

CHARLES DE WOLF[7] PINGREE, m. Sept. 26, 1866, EMMA A. MYERS,

145 Chas. Lafayette, b. June 9, 1868; m. Feb. 26, 1899, Maria A. Gagnon.
145A Lucretia Myers, b. Oct. 3, 1869; d. July 22, 1870.
146 Daniel Brinkerhoff, b. April 6, 1872; m. Aug. 19, 1896, Clara Jansen.
147 Claude Nobel, b. Sept. 1, 1876; m. June 3, 1901, Emma W. Linderfeld.

85

FREDERICK J.[7] PINGREE, m. Jan. 4, 1899, HARRIET BLAKE.

148 Laliah Blake, b. June 16, 1900.
149 Frederick De Wolfe, b. April 30, 1902.

95

LIEUT.-COLONEL SAMUEL ALLEN[7] DE WOLFE, m. (1) SARAH DURKEE, d. 1864.

150 Augusta A., b. Aug. 18, 1834, Yarmouth; m. 1872, James M. Welch.
151 Wentworth, b. May 18, 1836; m. 1869, Jennie Rowe.
152 Charles Harding, b. Feb. 11, 1838, Sunbury, O.
153 Harvey, b. Sept. 4, 1841, Johnstown, Ohio; m. 1864, Ann Robertson.
154 Mary Peck, b. July 24, 1843, Johnstown, Ohio; m. 1866, Geo. A. Graves.
155 Israel Hastings, b. Sept. 24, 1846, Johnstown, Ohio; m. July 7, 1897, Eliza Crosby.

m. (2) Nov. 18, 1885, AUGUSTA A. STEELE.

156 Martha, b. March 21, 1849, Johnstown, Ohio; m. 1873, E. W. Green, d. June 24, 1888.

GENERATION VIII.

103

MAJOR JAMES ARTHUR[8] GORE, 71st Regiment, m. July 19, 1854, CATHERINE LOUISE, third daughter of Col. Bazalgette.

157 Arthur, b. July 10, 1857.
158 Edward John Momsey, b. 1863.
159 Catherine.

104

COL. CHARLES CLITHEROW[8] GORE, 83d Regiment, m. Jan. 27, 1875, MARIA HARRIET ELIZABETH, dau. of Rev. Thomas and Lady Louisa Cator.

160 Charles Saville Lumley, b. 1876.

106

ELIZA AMELIA[7] GORE, m. Sept. 20, 1848, WILLIAM HENRY, 18th Earl of Erroll, heriditary Lord, High Constable and Knight Marischal of Scotland.

The Dowager Countess of Erroll, formerly Lady in waiting to her late Majesty, Queen Victoria, now resides at Kew Cottage, Kew London.

161 The present Earl of Erroll and others.

127

JOHN M.[8] DE WOLF, m. (1) SARAH PHINNEY.

A well-known carriage manufacturer of Halifax, now succeeded by his sons (see introduction, p. 90).

162 Ella Quoddy, b. May 9, 1859.

m. (2) MARY ANN CALDER.

163 Anna Maria, b. Oct. 14, 1867.
164 Frederick Turner, b. Jan. 29, 1869.
165 Florence, d. June, 1891.
166 Henrietta Elizabeth, b. April, 1873.
167 Mary, b. May 14, 1874.
168 Margaret, b. Dec. 24, 1875.
169 Janet Calder, b. April 24, 1878.
170 John Leopold, b. May 5, 1881.
171 Carrie Inglis, b. July 7, 1884.
172 Kathleen, b. Feb. 8, 1888.

130

BENJAMIN ROCKWELL[8] DE WOLF, m. (1) ADELAIDE DURKEE, b. 1841; d. 1886.

173 Albion Vickery, b. March 27, 1866; m. Emily Fisk,
174 Henry Todd, b. Sept. 14, 1867.
175 Harriett Elizabeth, b. Oct., 1875.
176 Howard, d. in infancy.
177 Hobert Eaton, d. Dec. 28, 1879.
178 John, d. in infancy.

m. (2) ELLA GREENER.

152

REV. CHARLES H.[8] DE WOLF, m. 1862, HENRIETTA S. POWELL.

A Baptist Minister of National City, California.

179 Anna Gates, b. July 22, 1864; m. Feb. 25, 1885, E. F. Regen.
180 Jane Powell, b. June 28, 1867; m. Sept. 18, 1888, Dr. T. L. Catherwood.
181 Frances Eugenia, b. May 19, 1878; m. Aug. 13, 1901, Earl E. McCarty.

GENERATION IX.

164

FREDERICK TURNER[9] DE WOLF, m. (1) 1891, ANNIE CREVAR PICTON, d. 1892.

182 Annie, b. June 25, 1892.

m. (2) Sept., 1899, EDITH SCHAFFNER.

183 Muriel, b. Dec. 5, 1901.

174

HENRY TODD[9] DE WOLF, m. July 12, 1893, HARRIET MARIA EATON.

184 Helen, b. June 8, 1895.
185 Henry Burton, b. Oct. 23, 1897.
186 Francis Eaton, b. Feb. 20, 1900.

BRANCH II.

GENERATION V. (FROM BALTHASAR).

1 HON. NATHAN[4] DE WOLF, (see VIII. of Tables), m. (1), (circ.) 1748, LYDIA KIRTLAND, b. (Saybrook), Oct. 28, 1721, dau. of John Kirtland and his second wife, Lydia Belden.

Of Saybrook, Conn., b 1720; graduated A. M., Yale College, 1743; Lawyer, and Senior Justice of Peace for Kings County, Register of Probate; emigrated Nova Scotia, 1761; d. (Horton), March 21, 1789.

2 Lucilla, m. Libbeus Harris.
3 Edward, b. 1752.
4 Loran, b. April 7, 1754; d. Nov. 22, 1835.
5 Elisha, b. May 5, 1756; d. 1837.

6 Nathan, m. Aug. 27, 1778, Anna Hamilton.

m. (2) Oct. 12, 1770, ANN (PRENTISS) WITTER.

7 Gurdon, b. Sept. 11, 1771; d. Oct. 10, 1772.
8 Sarah, b. Oct. 10, 1773; m. (1) Eli Perkins; m. (2) Joel Farnsworth.
9 Jonathan. Lost at sea.

GENERATION VI.

3

EDWARD[6] DE WOLF, m. Nov. 2, 1773, SARAH ELIZABETH BROWN, dau. of Nathaniel Brown, of Boston.

10 Lavinia, m. Robt. Dickson; d. 1796.
11 Thomas, d. unmarried.
12 Stephen Brown, b. Jan. 18, 1779; d. May 2, 1859.
13 Sarah, d. young.
14 Elizabeth, m. Isaac Smith.
15 Jacob, d. unmarried.
16 Edward, of St. Stephen, New Brunswick.
17 Joseph Brown, d. Dec. 29, 1826.
18 Abigail, d. unmarried.
19 Charles Brown, m. ——— McKinley.
20 Elisha, m. (1) Rachel Dickson; m. (2) ——— Whiddin.

4

LORAN[6] DE WOLF, m. MARY FOX, b. 1822; d. Oct. 13, 1822; of Cornwallis, Kings Co., Nova Scotia.

Born at Saybrook, Conn. Resided at Windsor, Nova Scotia, of which town he was Assessor in 1791. In 1812 he was elected to represent Windsor in the General Assembly.

21 Benjamin, d. Dec. 9, 1863.
22 Phoebe M., m. Edward Humphrey, of Windsor; had three sons.
23 George, b. July 11, 1816.
24 Hannah, m. George Smith, Esq., of Windsor; had several children.
25 Isaac, b. Oct., 1798; d. March 10, 1866.

5

JUDGE ELISHA[5] DE WOLF, m. MARGARET RATCHFORD.

26 Lydia Kirtland; d. in childhood.
27 William.
28 Olivia, m. Capt. Joseph Barss.
29 Thomas Leonard.
30 James Ratchford.
31 Sophia Henrietta, m. Simon Fitch.
32 Nancy, d. in childhood.
33 Anne Ratchford, m. (1) Thomas Woodward; m. (2) Charles Randall.
34 Thomas Andrew Strange.
35 Margaret Maria, m. (1) James Calkin; d. (Wolfville), Sept. 21, 1878; m. (2) Joseph Storr.
36 Elisha.
37 Mary Lucilla.
38 Desiah, d. childhood.

GENERATION VII.

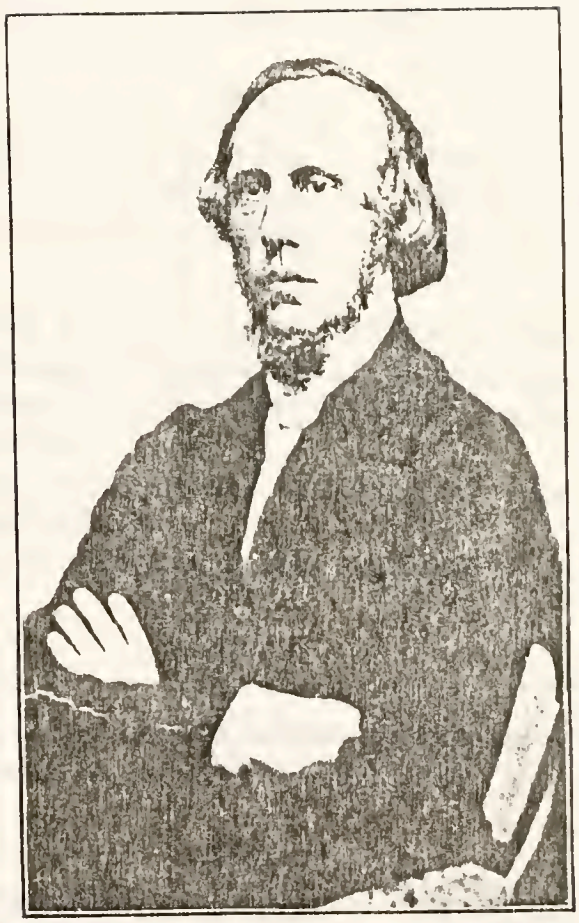
12

STEPHEN BROWN[6] DE WOLF, m. Feb. 1802, HARRIETTE RUGGLES, b. Feb. 23, 1782; d. Nov. 23, 1870.

39 Celia A., b. Nov. 15, 1802; d. May 27, 1879.
40 Armanilla R., b. Aug. 20, 1804; d. Dec. 6, 1819.
41 James Edward, b. Dec. 8, 1806.
42 Thomas William, b. Sept. 15, 1808.
43 Jacob Freeman, b. Jan. 18, 1811; d. June 6, 1863.
44 Andrew Dwight, b. May 1, 1813.
45 Elisha, b. Nov. 17, 1819.
46 Harriet, b, Jan. 20, 1822.
47 Charles, b. May 30, 1815; d. June 9, 1875.
48 Stephen, b. July 11, 1824; d. 1890.

17

JOSEPH BROWN[6] DE WOLF, m, March 18, 1813, KESIAH REID, b. July 9, 1793; d. at Wolfville, Nov. 9, 1883, aged 90.



REV. CHARLES DE WOLF, D.D.
Appendix A. II. (47).
PROF. OF SACKVILLE COLLEGE, N. B.
BORN MAY 30, 1815; DIED JUNE 9, 1875.

49 Charles Edward, b. March 6, 1814; d. (Michigan City, Ind.), Sept., 1891.
50 James Noble, b. Dec. 4, 1815; d. June 11, 1819.
51 David Rolands, b. Jan. 15, 1818.
52 Eliza Sarah, b. Nov. 11, 1819.
53 Mary Matilda, b. Aug. 26, 1822; m. James B. McNutt.
54 Margaret Maria, b. Feb. 1, 1824; m. James S. Morse.
55 Joseph Brown, b. Jan. 21, 1827.

21

BENJAMIN[6] DE WOLF, m. July, 1811, SARAH LOVITT, only dau. of Daniel Lovitt of St. John, N. B.
Of the firm of B. De Wolf & Son. Member of Parliament for Hants Co., 1827–31.

56 James Lovitt, b. June 22, 1812; d. April 16, 1863.
57 Benjamin, b. May 5, 1814. Lost at sea, 1838.
58 George Henry, b. July 11, 1816; d. while a medical student.
59 Sarah Ann, b. Dec. 31, 1817; d. April 28, 1888, unmarried.
59A Charles Edward, b. 1819; d. Feb. 26, 1821.

23

GEORGE[6] DE WOLF, m. ——— NIXON.

60 Rev. Thos. Nixon of the Church of England, d. March 29, 1895, at the age of 82.

25

ISAAC[6] DE WOLF, m. March 14, 1826, RACHAEL SIVRIGHT, d. Nov. 23, 1865.

61 James Loran, b. March 2, 1827.
62 George Henry, b. June 5, 1829; d. Aug. 27, 1897.
63 John Edward, b. May 12, 1831; d. Sept. 10, 1882.
64 Mary Jane, b. April 5, 1833.
65 Susan, b. Sept. 8, 1863; d. ——.

27

WILLIAM[6] DE WOLF, m. AMELIA FITCH.

66 William.

67 John Starr, b. 1809; d. 1874.
68 James Ratchford.
69 Thomas Leonard.
70 Mary Elizabeth.

34

HON. THOMAS ANDREW STRANGE[6] DE WOLF, m. Dec. 30, 1817, NANCY RATCHFORD, b. June 1, 1798; d. (Dartmouth, N. S.), March 10, 1883; dau. of Col. James Ratchford of Parrsboro, N. S.

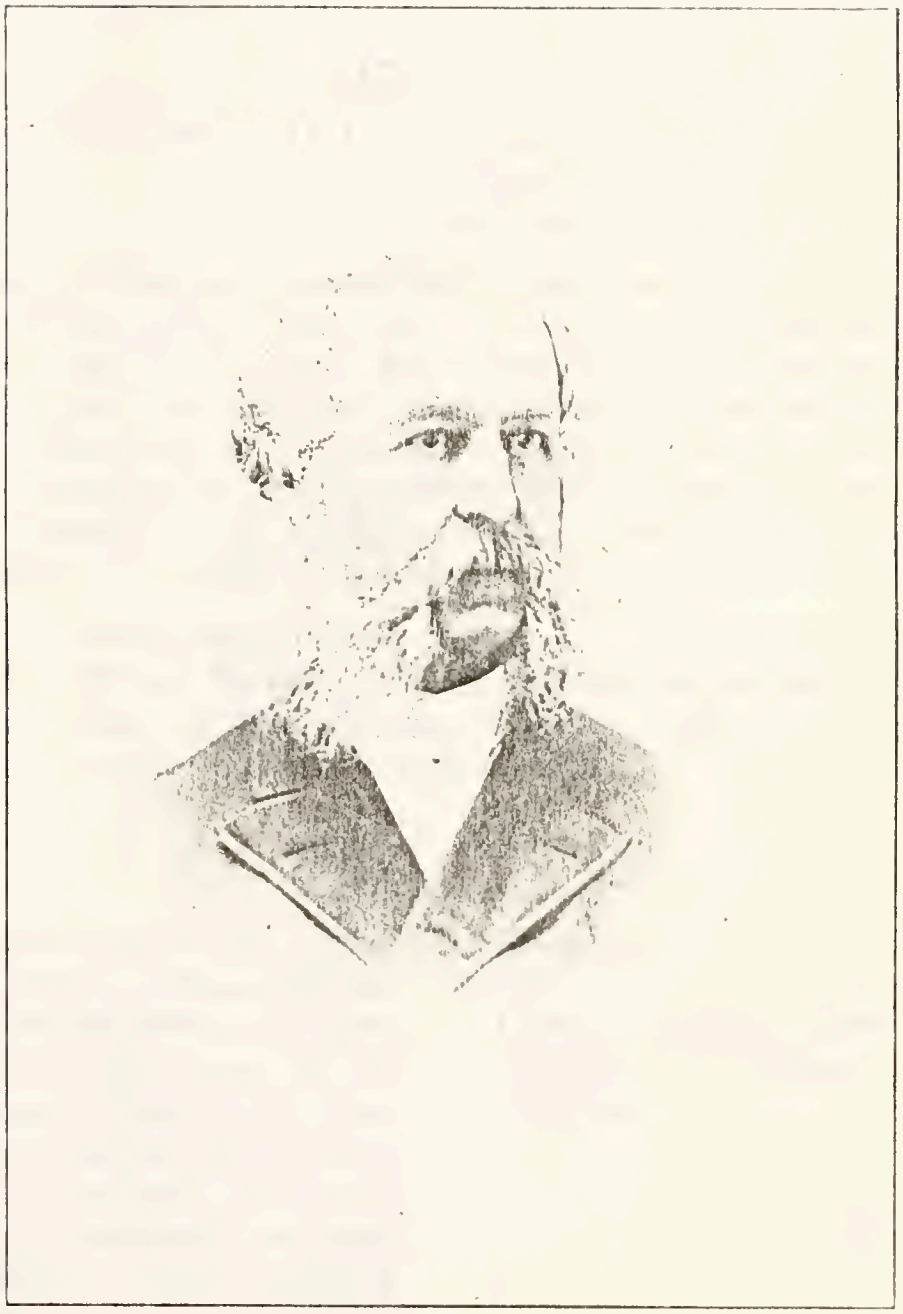
71 James Ratchford, b. Nov. 19, 1818; d. 1901.
72 Frederic Augustus, b. Aug. 29, 1820; d. April 13, 1821.
73 Edwin, b. June 29, 1822.
74 Thomas Ratchford, b. Sept. 11, 1824; d. (Wolfville), April 5, 1880.
75 Mary Sophia, b. Sept. 25, 1826; d. July 16, 1865.
76 Margaret Maria, b. May 7, 1828.
77 Thomas Andrew Strange, b. July 1, 1830; d. May 10, 1832.
78 Eliza Ann, b. Oct. 6, 1831; d. March 27, 1834.
79 John Clark, b. Jan. 10, 1834; d. Aug. 22, 1868.
80 Nancy Allison, b. June 8, 1836; d. July 26, 1843.
81 Charles Frederic, b. May 29, 1837; d. (Halifax), Feb. 8, 1885.
82 Elisha Ratchford, b. July 28, 1839; d. April 1, 1840.
83 Caroline Amelia, b. Oct. 1, 1840.
84 William Andrew, b. March 21, 1843; d. June 6, 1869.

GENERATION VIII.

46

HARRIET[7] DE WOLF, m. 1840, GEORGE UMPHRAY.

85 Elizabeth Prior, b. Sept., 1842.
86 Harriet Ruggles, b. June, 1844.
87 Augusta Cecilia, b. April, 1846.
88 George, b. Feb., 1848.



DR. STEPHEN DE WOLF,
Appendix A. II. (48),
NEW YORK, N. Y.
BORN JULY 11, 1824; DIED 1890.

89 Stephen, b. Sept. 5, 1850.
90 Charles De Wolf, b. July, 1853.
91 William Evans, b. July, 1856.
92 Winthrop Dwight, b. Oct, 6, 1862.

47

REV. CHARLES[7] DE WOLF, D.D., m. MATILDA CAROLINE BLACK, b. June 22, 1821; d. (Windsor), April 28, 1873.

"Charles De Wolf was a remarkably clever man. Received Degree of Doctor of Divinity from his Alma Mater at Wolfville and offered the same Degree from two other Universities; studied at Paris and London, and was given the freedom of the city of the latter city. He was a faithful Pastor of the Methodist Communion, President of the Conference, and Professor of Theology in Methodist College at Sackville, N. B." Letter from Mrs. Augusta C. Piteairthy.

93 Fanny Smith, b. Oct. 9, 1845.
94 William Hurd, b. July 21, 1849; d. Dec. 26, 1855.
95 Agnes, b. Sept. 29, 1852; d. Aug. 2, 1853.
96 Louisa Augusta, b. Aug. 22, 1861.

48

DR. STEPHEN[7] DE WOLF, m. 1856 GEORGINA WATT COPELAND, dau. of Alex. Copeland of Marischael College, Aberdeen, Scotland.

Dr. De Wolf, graduate of University of Pennsylvania, practised medicine at Bridgetown, N. S.; subsequently removed to New York City, where for thirty years he was an eminent physician, universally respected, of high social standing, and charming personality.

97 Leslie C.
98 Ella Anderson ("Elsie De Wolf," the popular actress).
99 Harold Copeland.

100 Edgar Sands.
101 Gerald Charteris.

56

JAMES LOVITT[7] DE WOLF, m. MARGARET A. LOVETT, d. Nov. 23, 1899, dau. of Thos. Lovett of Cornwallis, N. S.

Studied law with late Judge L. M. Wilkins, was admitted to the bar and after practising law for a short time, was for many years junior partner of the well-known firm of B. De Wolf & Son (see 21).

102 Charles Edgar, b. at Windsor, N. S., July 22, 1840.
103 Sarah Frances, b. May 18, 1842.
104 Amelia Isabella.
105 Benjamin Arthur, d. Feb. 17, 1845.
106 James Lovett. Physician, residing in Province of Quebec.
107 Benjamin Alfred, d. Aug. 17, 1851.
108 Perez Morton, of Brighton, N. S., senior partner of De Wolf, Fiske & Co., Publishers, Boston, Mass. Married a Boston lady, and has two children, a boy and a girl.
109 Annie, b. Jan. 12, 1854.
110 Mary Agnes, m. Oct. 31, 1894, James R. Howe, of St. John's, Newfoundland.

62

GEORGE HENRY[7] DE WOLF, m. Feb. 14, 1855, SARAH HARVEY, of Falmouth.

110A William A., b. Nov. 30, 1855.
111 Elizabeth, b. Oct. 15, 1857.
112 Rachel, b. Aug. 20, 1859.
113 Levi C., b. Sept. 13, 1862; m. 1896, Catherine McLellan.
114 Florence May, b. May 1, 1864.
115 Lenore, b. Aug. 21, 1866.
116 George W., b. July 27, 1868.
117 John, b. Feb. 6, 1870.
118 Harold, b. July 1, 1872; d. ——.
119 Frank, b. Nov. 30, 1874; d. ——.

63

JOHN EDWARD[7] DE WOLF, m. ———

120 Fred. N., b. Oct. 5, 1866.
121 Stanley, b. Aug. 25, 1868; d. July 9, 1877.

64

MARY J.[7] DE WOLF, m. Nov. 24, 1852, LEVI CURRY, of Windsor, N. S.; d. Nov. 22, 1881.

122 Frank H., b. Aug. 12, 1855; d. July 18, 1892; left four children.
123 Annie E., b. Nov. 19, 1857.
124 Fred. Cain, b. June 6, 1860; left three boys.
125 Edith Maud, b. Jan. 17, 1863.
126 Charles De Wolf, b. July 17, 1864.
127 George Henry, b. Oct. 4, 1865; m. Laura E. Campbell.
128 Victor d'Nord, b. Aug. 25, 1867; m. Alice Hipson. Four children.
129 Mary Jane, b. Oct. 8, 1868; m. Leonard T. Halland. One child.
130 John Murdock, b. Nov. 10, 1870.
131 Percy Aumand, b. May 8, 1872.
132 Lucy Mowatt, b. Feb. 6, 1876.

65

SUSAN[7] DE WOLF, m. Nov., 1855, JAMES DILL.

133 Joseph, b. Sept., 1855; d. 1859.
134 Mary, b. Sept., 1857; m. Thomas Marten of Falmouth. Five children.
135 Charles, b. Nov., 1860; m. Lena Aikens of Falmouth. Three children.
136 Florence, b. Aug., 1863; d. Aug., 1896.
137 James, m. Carrie Harnie of Newport, N. S.
138 George, m. Susan Vaughn of Windsor. Two children.
139 Robert.

67

JOHN STARR[7] DE WOLF, m. CAROLINE LUCY MARSHALL, dau. of James Earnshaw Marshall of Belmont Park, Somersetshire.

Went to England; settled in Liverpool.

140 Alice.
141 William Henry, d. 1902.
142 Kate Helen.
143 John Starr, d. 1885.
144 Thomas Andrew.
145 Frederick, d. young.
146 George, b. 1852.
147 Mary Eliza, d. young.
148 Florence, m. G. Marsden.

68

JAMES RATCHFORD[7] DE WOLF, m. ELLEN BIBBY.

Went to Liverpool, England, 1850.

149 Bessie.
150 Robert.
151 Charles.
152 Ellen.

70

MARY ELZABETH[7] DE WOLF, m. ZACH. CHIPMAN.

153 Alice Starr, m. Hon. Sir Samuel Leonard Tilly, Governor of New Brunswick.
154 Florence.
155 Laura, m. Sir William Howland.
156 Annie.
157 John.

71

DR. JAMES RATCHFORD[7] DE WOLF, m. ELEANOR READE SANDIFER of Cambridge, Eng.

A late eminent physician of Halifax, N. S., an M. A. of Edinburg; the most industrious Genealogist of the family. (see Introduction, p. 92).

158 Ellen Maud, b. 1847; d. 1859.

159 George Henry Horsefall, b. 1849; d. 1895.
160 Mary Sophia Ratchford, b. 1851.
161 Walter Louis Etienne, b. 1855; d. 1858.

73

EDWIN[7] DE WOLF, m. March 20, 1845, ELIZA S. DE WOLF, (see 47).

162 Alida Mary, b. Jan. 21, 1846.
163 Francis Kirtland, b. Dec. 12, 1847; d. Jan. 13, 1901.
164 James Edward, b. March 7, 1851, of Halifax, N. S.
165 John William, b. Sept. 20, 1853.
166 Hedley Vicars, b. Sept. 23, 1857.

74

THOMAS RATCHFORD[7] DE WOLF, m. Sept. 11, 1845, MARGARET GRIEVE, dau. Adam Grieve, Esq., of New Foundland, d. Jan. 3, 1898.

167 Thomas Andrew Strange, b. Feb. 11, 1847.
168 Evelyn Matilda, b. March 8, 1848; m. Charles Read of Port Elgin, N. B.
169 James Ratchford, b. March 23, 1850; d. in infancy
170 Margaret Maria Chipman, b. Dec. 20, 1852; d. Oct. 21, 1863.
171 Brenton Heber, b. Nov. 11, 1856.
172 Montague, b. Aug. 2, 1862; d. in infancy.

75

MARY SOPHIA[7] DE WOLF, m. Sept. 8, 1858, WILLIAM HOWE SMITH of Montreal, d. June 10, 1890.

173 William Andrew De Wolf, b. Oct. 6, 1859.
174 Carrie Louise, b. Jan. 25, 1861; m. Samuel Mathewson of Montreal.
175 Arthur Welsford, b. Jan. 23, 1863; d. April 16, 1894.
176 Mary Sophia Bertha, b. July 4, 1865; m. Frederic Miller.

76

MARGARET MARIA[7] DE WOLF, m. Sept. 28, 1852, CHIPMAN W. SMITH of Shediac, New Brunswick.

177 Elizabeth Cordelia, b. Aug. 8, 1853; d. Aug. 12, 1853.
178 Anna Millege, b. Nov. 23, 1854; m. Capt. John Newman.
178A Albert James, b. Jan. 15, 1856.
179 Maud Ellen, b. Dec. 2, 1858; d. April 23, 1859.
180 Lena Ratchford, b. July 2, 1860; d. April 21, 1878.
181 Nancy De Wolf, b. March 15, 1863; m. W. A. De Wolf Smith.
182 Jane Tisdale, b. Nov. 27, 1864; d. Feb. 2, 1873.
183 Parmelia Caroline Sheckels, b. Dec. 18, 1866.
184 Rebecca, b. April 23, 1870; d. May 1, 1870.

79

JOHN CLARK[7] DE WOLF, m. May 27, 1860, AMY DODSON, of Cambridge, Eng.

185 Andrew Berry Sidney, b. Aug. 14, 1865.
186 John Charles, b. Sept. 1, 1868.

81

CHARLES FREDERICK[7] DE WOLF, m. Jan. 15, 1863, SUSAN A. ANDERSON, dau. of Hon. John H. Anderson, of Halifax, N. S.

187 Emma Louisa Anderson, b. June 11, 1865; d. May 16, 1867.

83

CAROLINE AMELIA[7] DE WOLF, m. (1) Oct. 11, 1867; CAPT. T. A. CRANE; lost at sea, 1876.

188 Mary Ratchford, b. June 18, 1869.
189 Margaret Pierson, b. Dec. 5, 1870.
190 Pierson De Wolf, b. Sept. 2, 1872.
191 James Aubrey, b. Nov. 27, 1875.

CHARLES FREDERIC DE WOLF,
HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA.
BORN MAY 29, 1837; DIED FEB. 8, 1885.
Appendix A. Branch II (81).

m. (2) March 2, 1881, Rev. Benjamin Hills.

192 William Andrew, b. Dec. 24, 1881.
193 Elizabeth, b. Sept. 5, 1885.

GENERATION IX.

87

Augusta Cecilia[8] Umphray, m. Jan. 14, 1874, Wilson Leslie Pitcaithly, resides in Denver, Col.

194 William Leslie.
195 Lilian Estelle.
196 Ethel De Wolf.
197 Laurence Alex. Copeland.
198 Harriet Leonowines.

102

Hon. Charles Edgar[8] De Wolf, m. Oct. 12, 1887, Cassie H. Gray, dau. of Samuel Gray, Esq.

Studied law with the Solicitor of Portland, Me.; later with L. S. Morse, Q. C., Bridgeton, Nova Scotia, and completed his studies under Chief Justice Macdonald of Halifax. While at Bridgeton he edited a newspaper of that place, and later was for five years proprietor and editor of the *Windsor Mail.* He resides at Windsor, and has for twenty-two years been Judge of Probate for Hants County.

199 Cecil Edgar.
200 Eric Henderson.

103

Sarah Frances[8] De Wolf, m. July 1, 1862, Rev. Henry Pryor Almon, a Priest of the Church of England.

201 Henry Charles Moor, b. June 7, 1865.
202 Sophie Margaretta, b. May 31, 1866.
203 James Mather de Wolfe, b. Nov. 6, 1867.

106

James Lovitt[6] De Wolf, m. Caroline Wicherley, of Plymouth, Eng.

One daughter, married in San Francisco, Cal.

109

Annie[6] De Wolf, m. Dec. 13, 1876, William I. Fenwick, of Montreal, a stock and mining broker.

204 Francis Maude De Wolf, b. Feb. 22, 1878.
205 Arthur George, b. Feb. 11, 1879.
206 Ernest Dewolf, b. Jan. 28, 1881.
207 Gladys Marjorie, b. Nov. 23, 1882.
208 Elsie Margaretta, b. Dec. 16, 1884.
209 Adela Lina, b. July 22, 1887; d. Feb. 24, 1888.
210 Beryl Margueretta, b. June 4, 1889.
211 Vera, b. Aug. 8, 1891; d. Nov. 15, 1895.

110A

William A.[6] De Wolf, m. 1881, Minnie Cochran.

212 Mark C.
213 Millicent.
214 Loran.
215 R. Waldo.
216 Gordon.
217 Hilda.
218 Sarah.

111

Elizabeth[6] De Wolf, m. Aug. 18, 1884, Fred. H. Chambers.

219 Carl.

112

Rachel[6] De Wolf, m. Dec. 24, 1881, John S. Archibald of Truro, N. S., d. Oct. 8, 1897.

220 Rosamund Mansfield, b. Nov. 17, 1882.
221 George De Wolf, b. Aug. 28, 1884.
223 John Russel, b. Jan. 6, 1887.
224 Leon, b. Dec. 22, 1889.

115

LENORE[8] DE WOLF, m. June, 1890, JOSEPH RATHBUN of Newport, N. S.

225 Kathleen, b. Sept. 6, 1891.
226 Madge Allison, b. July 5, 1893.
227 Sarah L. Nita, b. May 12, 1895.
228 John, b. Oct. 21, 1897.
229 Christie Isabel, b. Jan. 28, 1902.

140

ALICE[8] DE WOLF, m. J. E DE WOLF.

230 Lucy.
231 Edith.

141

WILLIAM HENRY[8] DE WOLF, m. CONSTANCE LE BLANCK.

232 Harry Louis.
233 John S.
234 George.

142

KATE HELEN[8] DE WOLF, m. JAMES MULLIGAN, K. C.
Of Campden Hill Court, London, Eng.

235 Arthur de Wolf, b. March 10, 1878. A Barrister of London.
236 David James de Wolf, b. July 12, 1886.

144

THOMAS ANDREW[8] DE WOLF, m. BLANCHE BILLYARD.

237 Gwendoline.
238 Hugh.
239 Helen.
240 Violet.

146

GEORGE[8] DE WOLF, m. FRANCES HELEN JONES.

241 Elsie St. Etienne.

159

DR. GEORGE HENRY HORSEFALL[5] DE WOLF, m. GEORGINA HASWELL of Edinburgh, Scotland.
An M. D. of Edinburgh University.

242 Georgina, m. and living in London, England.

160

MARY SOPHIA RATCHFORD[5] DE WOLF, m. CHAS. SIDNEY HARRINGTON. Barrister K. C., Halifax, N. S.

243 Helen France Louisa Maude May.
244 Agnes Bertha Helena May.
245 Gordon Sidney.
246 James Sidney.
247 Hugh Sidney.
248 Louis St. Etienne, d. young.
249 Olive St. Etienne.
250 Francis George St. Etienne.
251 Tempest St. Etienne.

162

ALIDA MARY[5] DE WOLF, m. Nov. 24, 1868, ISRAEL ALLISON BLAIR, M. D.

252 Ella Louise De Wolf, b. Sept. 20, 1870.
253 Carrie Winifred Crane, b. April 8, 1877.

164

JAMES EDWARD[5] DE WOLF, m. March 17, 1872, PRISCILLA ADELAIDE FOUND.

Resides in Halifax and is the oldest representative of Hon. Thos. A. Strange De Wolf, and the oldest male descendant of Nathan De Wolf living in Nova Scotia.

254 Edwina Maude, b. Dec. 29, 1873.
255 Henry George, b. Jan. 10, 1876.
256 James Edward, b. April 3, 1877; d. April 4, 1878
257 Ella May, b. Dec. 9, 1879.
258 Elizabeth Ratchford, b. Feb. 4, 1881.
259 Charles Frederick, b. Oct. 11, 1883.

260 Alice, b. Feb. 2, 1886.
261 Arthur Wellesbuy, b. Jan. 2, 1888.
262 John William, b. July 21, 1891.
263 Thomas Andrew Strange, b. Sept. 16, 1893.

165

JOHN WILLIAM[8] DE WOLF, m. June 30, 1891, ELIZABETH FULLER.

264 Harold Edwin, b. Aug. 21, 1892.
265 Francis Edward, b. Sept. 2, 1896.

166

HEDLEY VICARS[8] DE WOLF, m. ———

266 Edwin Aubrey, b. May, 1894.

GENERATION X.

201

HENRY C. M.[9] ALMON, m. MATILDA WOODS LOYSMORE.

267 Charles Francis, b. March 26, 1892.
268 Violet Sophia, b. March 5, 1894.
269 Mabel Gladys, b. Jan. 2, 1896.
270 Albert Henry, b. 1898.

202

SOPHIA MARGARETTA[9] ALMON, m. HUBERT ARTHUR HENSLEY.

271 Emily Gwendolyn Almon, b. Dec. 21, 1891.
272 Edwin Mather Almon, b. Aug. 26, 1895.

203

JAMES MATHEW DE W.[9] ALMON, m. EFFIE A. TOZER.

273 Harold Pryor, b. March 27, 1894.
274 Edward James Pryor, b. Sept. 4, 1895.
275 Cecil John, b. June 28, 1897.

255

HENRY GEORGE[9] DE WOLF, m. April 25, 1900, KATIE ARMESTEAD FITZ MAURICE.

276 Edwin Dwight, b. June 17, 1901.

BRANCH III.

GENERATION V. (FROM BALTHAZAR).

1 JEHIEL[4] DE WOLF (LXIII.), m. (circ.), 1752, PHEBE COBB, b. Jan. 31, 1732; d. (cir.) 1800; dau. of Elisha and Mary (Harding) Cobb of Eastham, Mass.
b. in 1724; d. in 1798.

After the birth of their fifth child (Daniel) they moved from Killingworth, Conn., to Horton, Nova Scotia. Both are probably buried in Wolfville, N. S.

2 Phoebe, b. Dec. 12, 1752; m. 1770, Ezekiel Comstock.
3 Jehiel, b. Nov. 24, 1755; d. Oct. 31, 1825.
4 Margaret, b. 1757.
5 Oliver, b. 1759.
6 Daniel,* b. May 28, 1761; m. 1794, Lydia Kirtland.
7 Jerusha.
8 Eunice, b, 1766.
9 Lydia, b. 1768.

GENERATION VI.

3

JEHIEL[5] DE WOLF, m. (1) (in Horton, N. S.), July 15, 1777, ELIZABETH MARTIN.

Elizabeth (Martin) De Wolf died at Wolfville, N. S., June, 1784. After the birth of all his children, Jehiel De Wolf, a ship-builder and shipping merchant, moved to New York City where he died.

10 Anna Eliza, b. Nov. 16, 1778; m. May 17, 1795, Daniel Harrington.
11 Aaron, b. Dec. 18, 1779.
12 Elizabeth (1st), b. 1781; d. June 27, 1785; m. Samuel Shaw of New York.

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* Daniel De Wolf (6) in 1806 was elected M. P. for Horton, and again in 1811. He was J. P. and Coroner for Kings Co. His daughter Sarah Alice m. 1825, Daniel Starr of Halifax, British Vice-Consul of Portland, Me., when he died in 1870, succeeded in office by his son George Herbert.

m. (2) ANNA WITTER.*

13 Elizabeth.
14 Hannah.
15 Phebe, b. 1791; m. June 12, ——, John Sigourney Webster of Eastport, Maine, a cousin of Daniel Webster.
16 Charlotte, b. 1791; m. (1) Samuel Brower; m. (2) James Vanderpool of New York.

9

LYDIA[5] DE WOLF, m. 1794, SAMUEL STARR, d. in Jamaica, Aug. 8, 1801.

17 Maria, b. Jan. 1, 1795.
18 Henry, b. Dec. 15, 1796; d. without issue.

GENERATION VII.

14

HANNAH[6] DE WOLF, m. 1808, JONATHAN BARTLETT, a cousin of the poet Longfellow.

19 Mary Eliza, m. John Murdoch. Lived in Ohio.
20 Brewer, resided in Ohio.
21 Daniel De Wolf, resided in Ohio.
22 Reed, resided in Ohio.
23 Anne Maria, b. April 14, 1816; m. Dan. T. Granger † of Saco, Me.
24 William Dane, resided in Ohio.
25 Hannah, m. Victor L. Conrad of Philadelphia.
26 Charlotte, d. young.
27 George, d. young.
28 Charlotte.

17

MARIA[6] STARR, m. 1814, OTTO HAMILTON of Kentville, Nova Scotia.

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* Mrs. Anna (Prentiss) Witter, mother of the above second wife of Jehiel De Wolf, became the second wife of Nathan (see Branch I.)

† Frank De Wolf Granger, one of six children of the above number 23, is engaged in the U. S. Coast Survey.

29 Susan, b. March 10, 1816.
30 Minetta, b. March 15, 1818.
31 Henry, b. Aug. 18, 1820; d. March 9, 1867.
32 Margaret Maria, b. Feb. 5, 1823; m. B. H. Harris.
33 Otho, b. Aug. 25, 1825.
34 Josephine, b. Dec. 11, 1828; m. Rufus Eaton.
35 Anna Augusta Willoughby, b. Sept. 21, 1830.

GENERATION VIII.

28

CHARLOTTE[7] BARTLETT, m. (1) MILES VARIAN.

36 Charles Stetson, Ass't Dist. Attorney, U. S. A.
37 Nina, an actress of some note, who died in New York, 1884.

Mrs. Bartlett m. (2) a Mr. James; and later, m. (3) a Mr. Hoffman, pianist and musical composer, and was as "Madame Varian James," a celebrated singer.

35

ANNA A. W.[7] HAMILTON, m. WILLIAM EATON.

38 Rev. Arthur Wentworth Hamilton, of New York City, author of "Acadian Legends and Lyrics," "The Heart of the Creeds," "The Eatons of Nova Scotia."
39 Prof. Frank Herbert, of Victoria, Brit. Columbia,
40 Annie Morton, m. G. Albert Layton.
41 Rufus William.
42 Harry Havelock.
43 Leslie Seymour.
44 Emily Maria Hamilton.

Note from recent letter of the late Dr. James Ratchford De Wolf to the writer—"There are several of our name in Liverpool, England; two in London, and one in Wales; one is a clergyman (of the Church of England), Rev. Robert B. De Wolf, a graduate of Oxford, the others are engaged in business. These are all, I believe, who bear our name in England."

ANNA A. W. HAMILTON,
WIFE OF WILLIAM EATON.
BORN SEPT. 11, 1828; DIED SEPT. 23, 1883.

CAPTAIN JAMES DE WOLF.

Appendix B. (20).

BORN 1764; DIED AUG. 26, 1850.

From a Daguerreotype in possession of
Col. Frank C. Loveland.

APPENDIX B.

DESCENDANTS OF MATTHEW, THE OLDEST BROTHER; AND JOSEPH, THE YOUNGEST BROTHER, OF CHARLES D'WOLF OF GUADALOUPE.

GENERATION V. (FROM BALTHASAR DE WOLF).

MATTHEW[4] DE WOLF, m. PATIENCE BREWSTER, a direct descendant in the Fifth Generation of Elder William Brewster, of the *Mayflower*.
Resided at Bolton, Conn.

2 Patience, b. 1722.
3 Ezra, b. 1723.
4 Matthew, b. 1725.
5 Samuel, b. 1727.
6 Peter, b. 1730.
7 Edward, b. 1735.
8 Prudence, b. 1737.

JOSEPH[4] DE WOLF (or DOLPH), m. March 8, 1738–9, TABITHA JOHNSON, dau. of Isaac Johnson.
b. (circ.) 1717, lived in Glasbury, Conn.

Born the year his brother Charles was married, a year later only than Charles' son Simon. On the latter's return from Guadaloupe to his grandfather's home at Middletown, uncle and nephew grew up together as lads in their "teens."

9 Prudence, b. Oct. 24, 1739.
10 Margaret, b. Nov. 16, 1741.
11 Abda, b. Oct. 25, 1743.

GENERATION VI.

4

MATTHEW[5] DE WOLF, m. (1) EUNICE BAKER.

Stephen, b. 1743.

m. (2) ELIZABETH BURCHARD.

12 Matthew, b. 1744.
13 James, b. 1746.
14 Prudence.
15 Elizabeth.

6

PETER[5] DE WOLF, m. SARAH COUCH.

Lived in Granby, Conn., then known as Simsbury, Salmon Brook Parish.

16 Peter, b. 1753; d. (Fowler, O.) 1843; m. Eliza Clemens.
17 Sarah, m. Luther Skinner.
18 Joseph, b. Aug. 25, 1761; d. Aug. 15, 1846. (See note at the end.)

11

ABDA[5] DE WOLF, m. March 17, 1766, MARY COLEMAN.

He served in an Albany Regiment of Volunteers in the Revolution. After the Revolution he moved to Spencertown, Albany Co. (now Columbia Co.) In 1790 he removed to Washington Co., N. Y. In 1832 he went to West Andover, Ohio, where he died in 1835. It was during his time the name was changed to Dolph, and will be so spelled in the rest of this line.

19 Joseph, b. Oct. 24, 1767.
And seven others whose lines are not here continued.

GENERATION VII.

12

MATTHEW[6] DE WOLF, m. ESTHER HIGLEY, b. 1743.

20 James, b. 1764; d. Aug. 26, 1850
21 Ezekiel.
22 Russell.

18

JOSEPH[6] DE WOLF, m. Oct. 12, 1780, SARAH GIBBONS, b. May 5, 1764; d. June 3, 1848; dau. of Peter and Sarah (Green) Gibbons, of Granville, Mass.

He removed from Granby, Conn., to Vernon, O. (1800).

NAOMI AMES (EAMES) DE WOLF,
Appendix B. (20).
WIFE OF CAPTAIN JAMES DE WOLF.
BORN 1765; DIED 1811.

23 Henry Champion, b. Aug. 3, 1781; d. Aug. 24, 1854.
24 Tensard Robinson, b. 1785; d. 1863.
25 Joseph, b. April 6, 1787; d. April 5, 1869.
26 Oratia, b. May 31, 1793; d. July 25, 1884.
27 Eli Gibbons, b. March 19, 1799; d. April 3, 1846.
28 Samuel, b. Jan. 22, 1804; d. Aug. 28, 1888; m. Margaret King (who had five daughters and one son, Joseph R.; m. Emma Bush, lives at Pierson, Mich.)

And seven others.

19

JOSEPH[6] DOLPH, m. ELIZABETH NORTON.

A storekeeper in Whitehall, 1794–1807; moved to shore of Seneca Lake, established a private School, which he taught till his death.

29 Chester Valentine, b. Feb. 14, 1812; d. Nov. 3, 1869, who was the youngest; the others being Ruth, Orson, Orpha, Amanda, Obadiah, Cyrus, Freelove, Martha and Mary.

GENERATION VIII.

20

CAPT. JAMES[7] DE WOLF, (Introduction, p. 97.) m. NAOMI EAMES, dau. of Abner Eames of Becket, Mass.

30 Abner Eames, b. 1788; d. at William's College, 1810.
31 James, b. 1790; d. a Civil Engineer in Illinois.
32 Matthew, b. Sept. 7, 1792; d. July 10, 1865.
33 Pamelia, b. (Otis, Mass.), July 16, 1794; d. June 5, 1862.
34 Amanda, b. 1797; d. 1878.
35 Thaddeus Kingsley, b. 1801; d. 1890.
36 Whitman, b. 1803; d. Sept. 3, 1850.
37 Arletta, b. 1807; d. 1879; m. Nathan Amory Slocum (who had two children d. young).

23

Dr. Henry Champion[7] De Wolf, m. (1) Eliphal Clarke.
Born New Bedford, Mass., emigrated to Trumbull Co., Ohio, 1890; d. Butler, Pa., 1854.

38 Eliphal, b. Aug. 20, 1807; d. June 20, 1874.
m. (2) Jane McQuiston.

39 Tensard Robinson, b. 1824; d. 1859.
And five others.

24

Tensard R.[7] De Wolf, m. (1) Mary Bartholomew.

40 Henry Champion, b. Dec. 13, 1811; d. Feb. 12, 1845; m. Lucy Hobart, whose son Henry, m. Lizette A. Tibbetts and has four daughters. He served in Civil War, 6th Ohio Cav.

41 Dr. Abiel Bartholomew, b. May 2, 1817; d. Jan. 22, 1892; m. Mary Harrington, has three daughters and son John S., who m. Ollie Jones and has John C. and Jessie O.

25

Dr. Joseph[7] De Wolf, m. (1) Eunice Goodrich.

42 Dr. John G., m. Caroline Holcom; has two daughters.

26

Oratia[7] De Wolf, m. Harriet Palmer.

43 Lawrence H. of Kinsman, Ohio, m. Jane Boswell. No issue.

44 Oren Burton, b. 1831; d. 1894; m. Cordelia Adams, b. May 23, 1836. (His daughter, Bertha D., b. Dec. 16, 1858; m. S. A. James, b. Sept. 5, 1858, and has a son, Donald De Wolf, b. Aug. 7, 1886. His daughter Grace, m. Alfred James and has two daughters, Helen and Winifred).

45 Darwin, b. 1838; unmarried. A repairer of organs and pianos at Chattanooga, Tenn.

27

ELI GIBBONS[7] DE WOLF, m. of Slippery Rock, Pa. — SALLY ANN HARRIS.

46 Erasmus Darwin, b. 1826; d. 1865.
47 Eli Gibbons, b. 1837; d. 1888.
48 Ephraim Harris, b. May 15, 1839; m. Louisa Fleming; has one living son, Homer N.; lives at Toledo, Ohio.
49 Oratia Joseph, b. Aug. 23, 1841.
Also Isaac S. P.; (no issue). Joseph, d. young, and Ann Eliza.

29

CHESTER VALENTINE[7] DOLPH, m. — ELIZABETH DANDERVILLE STEELE, b. March 25, 1813; d. Jan. 22, 1884.

50 Hon. Joseph Norton, b. Oct. 19, 1835. U. S. Senator from Oregon, 1883–1895; m. Augusta Mulkey.
51 Hon. William Vaughn, b. Oct. 6, 1837. Judge of Schuyler County; m. Eliza D. Read.
52 Hon. Cyrus Abda, b. Sept. 27, 1840. Attorney of Portland, Oregon; m. Elsie Cardinell.
53 Rosalie Gordon, b. June 2, 1842; m. Rev. Jas. H. Ross (M. E. Church).
54 Prof. John Mather, b. Oct. 18, 1845, of Port Jervis, N. Y. Late Superintendent of Public Schools of the State of New York; m. Anna Eliza Van Etten. Children: Benjamin V. Bertha Mae and Ada Isabella.

GENERATION IX.

32

MATTHEW[8] DE WOLF, m. Oct. 6, 1813, — MARY ———, b. Feb. 17, 1793; d. March 21, 1854.

55 S. H. Homer, b. 1816; d. Dec. 7, 1836.

33

PAMELIA[8] DE WOLF, m. (Wellington, Ohio), March 28, 1826, ABNER LOVELAND, JR.; d. March 2, 1879.

Mrs. Pamelia De Wolf Loveland was "an educated, refined, charming, Christian woman." Her husband was a prominent citizen of Wellington, Ohio; a prominent abolitionist, taking a very active part in the work of the "Underground Railroad." His father Abner L., Sr., was a soldier of the Revolution, a prisoner at Quebec and Montreal. He was the seventh generation from Robert Loveland who emigrated from Norwich, Norfolk Co., England, to Glastonbury, Conn., 1635, whose brother, Sir John Loveland, was Mayor of London, England. They were of the Lovelands of Loveland Manor, who settled in England prior to the Norman Conquest.

56 Celestia Amelia, b. Jan. 12, 1829; d. March 1, 1898.
57 Correlia J., b. July 12, 1831; m. Jan. 27, 1856, Daniel P. Reamer.
58 Edwin Alonzo, b. July 21, 1834; d. Nov. 4, 1866; m. Feb. 12, 1856, Caroline Benedict.
59 Frank Clarence, b. Wellington, Ohio, Aug. 26, 1839.

34

AMANDA[8] DE WOLF, m. TIMOTHY SMITH, b. (Litchfield, Conn.,) 1795; d. (Wellington, O.,) 1862.

60 Orpha Angeline, b. 1817; m. 1832, Rev. George Runions Bowman; d. 1900.
61 Eliza Ann, b. 1820.
62 James Watson, b. March 9, 1822; d. Dec. 10, 1901.
63 Susan Elizabeth, b. 1824; m. 1844, Henry Phelps; d. 1895.
64 Oliver Judson, b. 1826; d. 1830.
65 Preston De Wolf, b. 1833; m. 1853, ———; d. 1862. No issue.

35

DR. THADDEUS KINGSLEY[8] DE WOLF, m. (1) CORRELIA BENHAM; d. 1847.

Lived in Chester, Mass. (See Introduction, p. 97).

DR. JAMES WATSON SMITH (62),
WELLINGTON, OHIO.
BORN 1822; DIED 1901.

HOMER BENHAM DE WOLF,

Appendix B (67).

Born Jan. 15, 1837; Died April, 1894.

66 Dr. Oscar Coleman, b. Aug. 8, 1835; m. Dec. 15, 1872, Harriet Lymon, b. April 16, 1839; d. Jan. 27, 1895. No issue. Late Professor in Medical Dept., Northwestern University, Chicago, and Health Commissioner (1876–90) of Chicago; served as Surgeon in Massachusetts Regiment during Civil War.

67 Homer Benham, b. Jan. 15, 1837; d. April, 1894; m. 1876, Mrs. Louisa (Cook) Buckingham. No issue. Educated at Oberlin College and Law School, Cleveland, O.; admitted to practice at the State and U. S. Courts; resided at Cleveland and was Prosecuting Attorney for the County; "an impressive orator, his integrity was pronounced absolutely beyond reproach; a loyal true friend."

68 Sarah, b. March 31, 1840; m. 1868, Dr. Harlow Gamwell, b. 1834; d. 1898.

69 Martha Eliza, b. 1845; d. 1847.

m. (2) MARY PHELPS; d. Aug. 1, 1888.

70 Henry Clay, b. 1850; d. 1877; unmarried.

71 De Witt Clinton, b. Feb. 10, 1864.

36

WHITMAN[8] DE WOLF, m. ALICE PELTON, b. 1798; d. Sept. 19, 1871.

72 James Sedgewick, b. March 11, 1829; d. Dec. 12, 1900; m. 1847, Elvira Bradley; d. 1864. No issue.

73 Samuel Pelton, b. Oct. 15, 1832; d. April, 1889.

74 Melville Whitman, b. Sept. 23, 1834.

38

ELIPHAL[8] DE WOLF, m. JUDGE EDWARD HANNA, b. March 23, 1792; d. Dec. 14, 1876.

75 Edward De Wolf, b. Jan. 30, 1850.

39

TENSARD ROBINSON[8] DE WOLF, m. MARY MCELVINE.

76 Henry, b. 1853.

46

ERASMUS DARWIN[8] DE WOLF, m. CATHERINE CHRISTLEY.

77 Joel Pearson, b. July 8, 1862.
78 Willard Livingston, b. 1856.

47

ELI GIBBONS[8] DE WOLF, m. EMILINE FLEMING.

79 Searles Pearson, b. Nov. 5, 1857; m. Emma Brown. Has two children; Clark Frisbie, b. July 21, 1880, and Metta Abigail, b. 1882; both unmarried, living at Findlay, Ohio.
80 Joseph, d. unmarried.

49

ORATIA JOSEPH[8] DE WOLF, m. March 8, 1868, ADELAIDE SCOTT. Of Coraopolis, Pa. Author of "De Wolf Genealogy, Ascendants and Descendants of Joseph De Wolf of Granby;" served during the entire Civil War, at its close being 1st Lieut. of 56th Ohio Regt.

81 Laura Ann, b. July, 21, 1870; m. March 11, 1891, Robert Henry Marsburger. Children: De Wolf Norven, b. March 15, 1895; d. 1901; Adelaide, b. 1897; d. 1899; Margaret, b. 1902.
82 Emma Adelaide De Wolf, b. Aug. 29, 1874; m. Sept. 29, 1894, Charles Lester Mitchell. Child: Lee Scott, b. June 21, 1901.

GENERATION X.

58

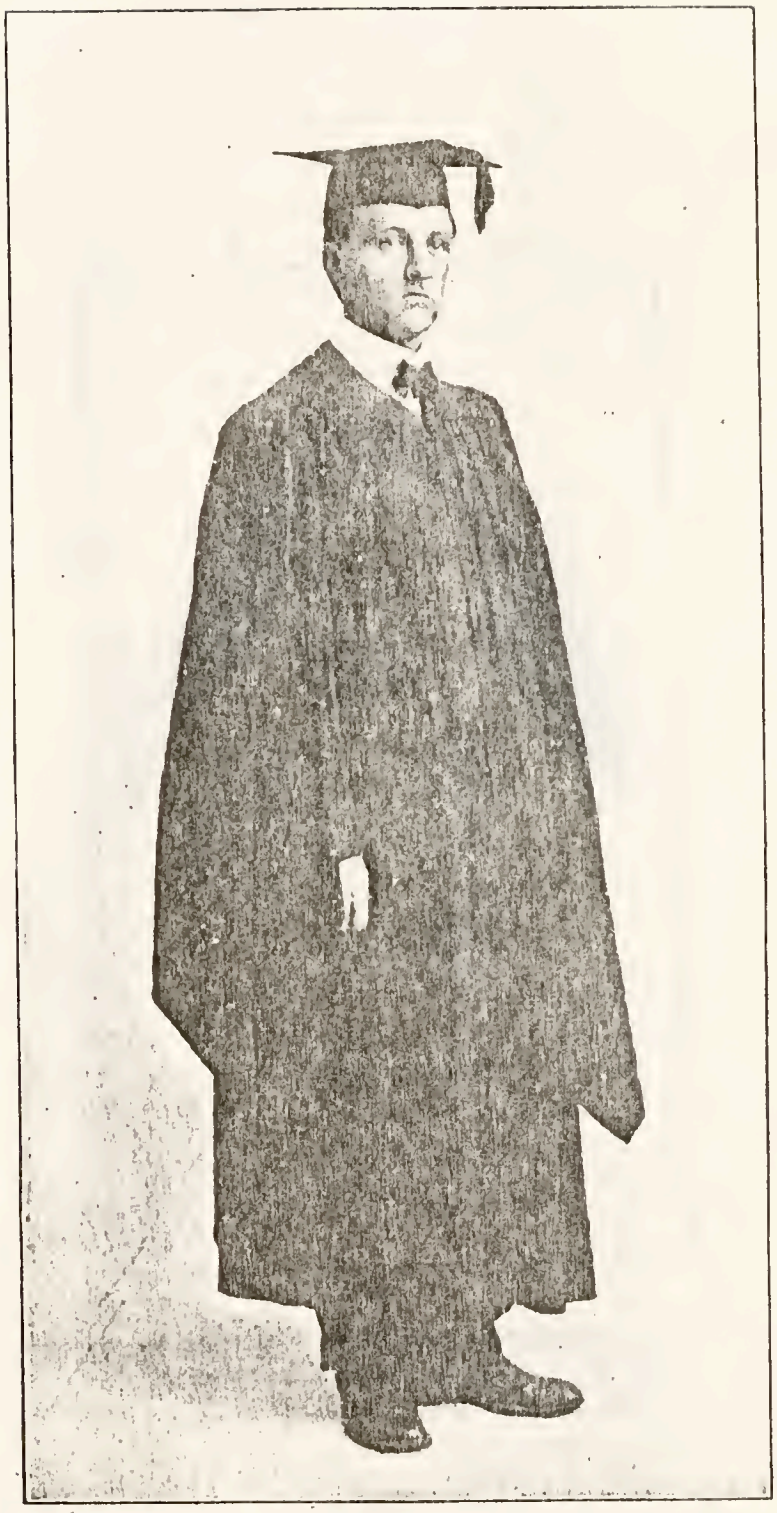
EDWIN ALONZO[9] LOVELAND, m. Feb. 12, 1856, CAROLINE BENEDICT, b. June 30, 1835.

83 Edwin Benedict, b. Jan. 17, 1858.
84 Francis E., b. July 31, 1861.

59

COLONEL FRANK CLARENCE[9] LOVELAND, m. Feb. 23, 1871, ISABELLA SAYLES.

COL. FRANK CLARENCE LOVELAND.
Civil War, 1861-1865.
NEW YORK CITY.
Appendix B. (59).



FRANK DE WOLF LOVELAND,
Appendix B. (86),
CORNELL UNIVERSITY, 1902.

HELEN BERTHA LOVELAND,
Appendix B. (85).
BORN SEPT. 16, 1874; DIED FEB. 29, 1876.

Volunteered as private in the 6th Ohio Cavalry, 1861, and continued to be promoted for "gallant and meritorious service," till in 1865, he was commissioned Colonel of the same regiment. Since the war he has resided in New York City; under President Harrison he succeeded Maj.-Gen. F. Sigel as U. S. Pension Disbursing Agent at New York City. He was President of the United States Water Filter Co.; The American Exploration Co.; Member of Loyal Legion of the United States; Sons of the Revolution; Army and Navy Club; Society of the Army of the Potomac; Ohio Society of New York; New England Society; Patria Club; The Republican Club of New York; The Unitarian Club; Royal Arch Mason. His wife, Isabella Sayles Loveland, is the only daughter of Dr. Julius A. Sayles, an early settler of Cleveland, Ohio, a descendant of Roger Williams of Rhode Island.

85 Helen Bertha, b. Sept. 16, 1874; d. Feb. 29, 1876.

86 Frank De Wolf, b. Jan. 11, 1880. Graduated Cornell University, 1902, Mechanical Electrical Engineer.

61

Eliza Ann[8] Smith, m. 1849, Rev. Jesse Helsell.

87 James Albert, b. 1850; d. 1851.

88 William Almar, b. 1855; m. 1880, ———. A lawyer of Odelbolt, Iowa. Has two children: Jessie, b. 1881, and Frank P., b. 1883.

89 Judge Frank, m. 1880, and has five children: Glenora, b. 1881; Charles Almar, b. 1883; Corinne, b. 1885; Virginia, b. 1887; Laura, b. 1890.

62

Dr. James Watson[8] Smith, m. April 18, 1848, Ann Abigail Elder, b. May 5, 1826; d. Nov. 14, 1901, dau. of Noved and Rebecca Elder.

Dr. Smith studied with his uncle, Dr. T. K. De Wolf (58), at Chester, Mass., and in 1849, moved to Wellington, Ohio, where for more than half a century he practised as an eminent, beloved Christian physician. He was a Division Surgeon during

the Civil War, his faithfulness and "untiring energy" are recorded by Whitelaw Reid, *Ohio in the War*, Vol. 2, Chapter on the 129th Ohio.

90 Arthur Elder.

91 Helen, m. L. G. Somers of Cleveland, Ohio.

71

De Witt Clinton[9] De Wolf, m. Harriet Woodcock.
A successful business man and coal merchant of Chicago.

92 Elsie, b. April 12, 1892.

93 Helen, b. June 1, 1895.

73

Samuel Pelton[9] De Wolf, m. 1872, Sarah Fox.

94 Alice.

95 Jessie.

96 Betsey.

74

Melville Whitman[9] De Wolf, m. May 16, 1867, Emma Minerva Curtis.
General Eastern Freight Agent, Erie Railroad, with which he has been connected for the past thirty years. President Erie Railroad Association.

97 Carlton Melville, b. Sept. 3, 1868; d. June 1, 1895. Graduated an Honor man, Yale Class of '88; admitted to the Bar, Columbia Law School, 1892.

75

Edward De Wolf[9] Hanna, m. (1) March 30, 1869, Harriet R. Pearson.
Of Agnew, Cal.

98 Lydia Eliphal, b. April 30, 1870.

99 May R., b. Aug. 17, 1874.

m. (2) June 7, 1882, Hattie Bell Bennel, d. April 30, 1898.

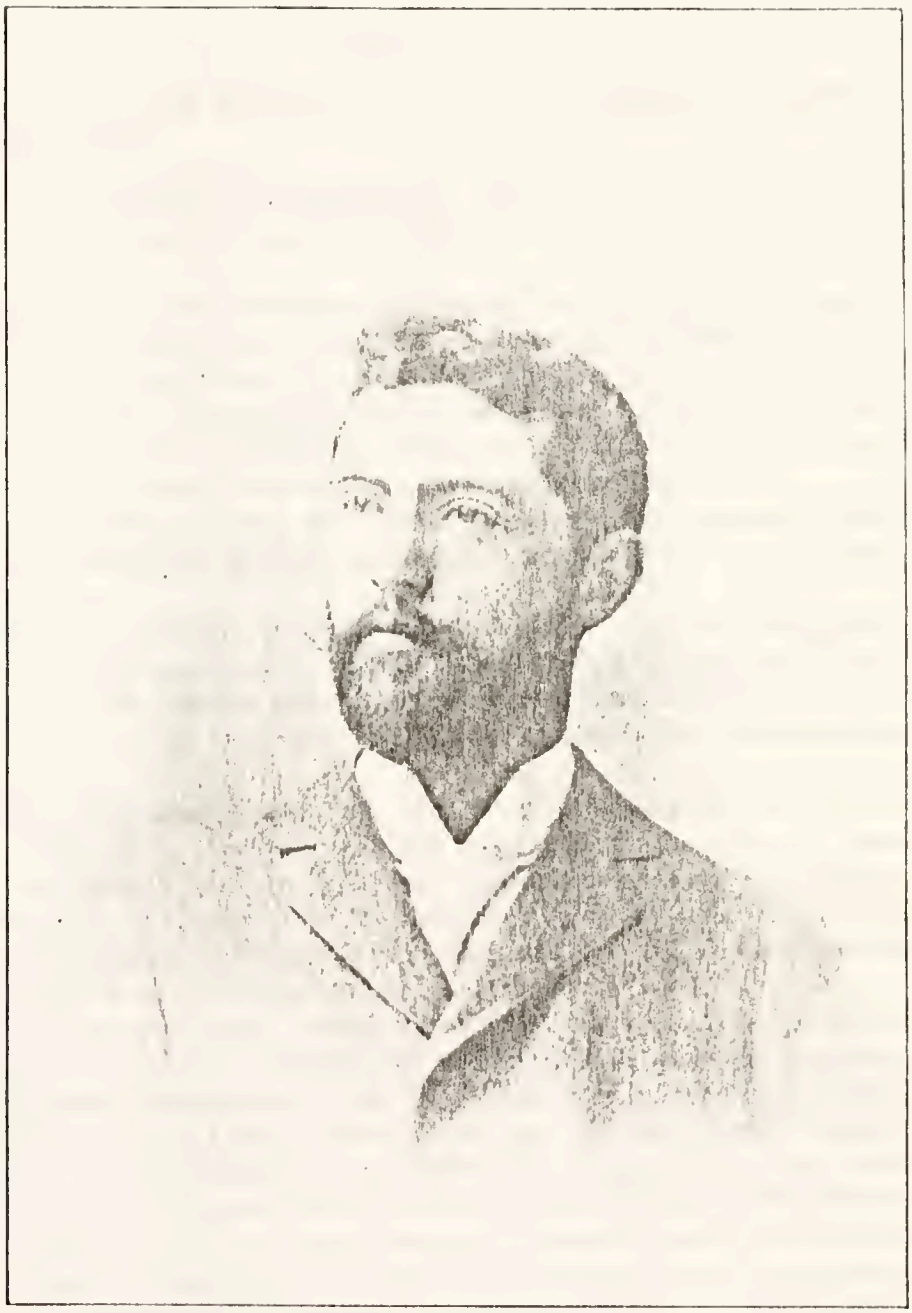
76

Henry[9] De Wolf, m. (1) Feb. 25, 1875, Elizabeth Cuthbert.

100 Tensard, b. Aug. 13, 1876.

m. (2) Jan. 27, 1891, Annie Cupps.

101 Henry, b. Oct. 28, 1893.



CARLTON MELVILLE DE WOLF,
BORN SEPT. 3, 1868; DIED JUNE 1, 1895.
Appendix B.

77

JOEL PEARSON[9] DE WOLF, m. April 11, 1872, CLARA MUNGEN.

102 William Tecumseh, b. March 26, 1873.

78

DR. WILLARD L.[9] DE WOLF, m. JENNIE THOMPSON.
Of Chicora, Pa.

103 Charles Livingston, b. 1878.
104 Henry Roscoe, b. 1882.

NOTE.—Limited space necessitates omitting Mr. O. J. De Wolf's conclusive defence of making (as above), Peter, Sarah and Joseph (16, 17, 18), children of Peter and Sarah (Couch) De Wolf (see 6), instead of children of Matthew and Esther (Higley) De Wolf (see 12), as do the Salisbury Chart and other Genealogies. The reader is referred to his own recently published work (see p. 95). In brief, his argument is:

1. Peter De Wolf (16) was born (established by Rec. Pension Office) 1753, hence Matthew De Wolf, b. 1744, and Esther Higley, b. 1743, could not be his parents.

2. Miss Cynthia Pelton, granddaughter of Joseph (18) now living, aged eighty, distinctly remembers her grandparents telling the singular coincidence that the names of the parents of *both* were Peter and Sarah, and she personally knew Mrs. Lucy (Couch) Morey, sister of her grandmother, Sarah Couch.

3. Grandchildren of Joseph (18) remember his saying he was born on land that belonged to *no State.* Such a piece, called the "Wedge," near Granby, was long in dispute between Massachusetts and Connecticut. Deeds are on record from John Strickland (1755) to Matthew De Wolf, of Bolton, from the latter to his sons Peter, Ezra and Edward; and from Peter conveying land on the "Wedge" to his son Joseph.

If corroboration of such conclusive arguments were needed, it is furnished by letters of Dr. T. K. De Wolf (among those kindly sent the author by Mrs. Salisbury), which read: "My father had only two brothers, Ezekiel and Russell;" again, "I well remember my grandmother, Esther Higley." Mr. Samuel De Wolf (Chicago, June 6, 1884), then aged eighty-four, writes Mrs. Salisbury that at the time of his father, Joseph's death, "the family lived on a "wedge" of land lying between Connecticut and Massachusetts, not covered by the Charter of either State. He speaks of his grandmother Couch: "There are five children that I remember, four sons and a daughter; Samuel, Peter, Joseph and Bethuel. Samuel and Bethuel went to upper Canada; Joseph and Peter to Ohio." He refers to his father's marriage to Sarah Gibbons, of Granville, and of their thirteen children.

APPENDIX C.

THE BRADFORD FAMILY.

Three branches of the De Wolf family (see 25, 36, 37), are descended from William Bradford of the *Mayflower*, through Gov. William Bradford of Bristol, R. I.

WILLIAM[3] BRADFORD was bap. at Austerfield, Eng., March 19, 1588–9; d. Plymouth, Mass., May 9, 1657. His father was William[2] Bradford who m. Alice Hanson, dau. of John Hanson, and d. 1590. His grandfather was William[1] Bradford, living at Austerfield in 1575, and buried Jan. 10, 1595–6. William[3] Bradford landed in the *Mayflower*, 1620; he m. (1) Dorothy May, dau. of John May of Catherine's Hall, Wisbeck Co., Cambridge, Eng.; she was drowned in Plymouth Harbor, Dec. 7, 1620; he m. (2) Aug., 1623, Alice (Carpenter) Southworth, b. England, 1590; d. Plymouth, March 26, 1670, dau. of Alexander Carpenter and widow of Edward Southworth. William Bradford was second governor of Plymouth Colony, 1621–33–35–37–39–44–45–47.

His son William,[4] b. Plymouth, June 17, 1624; d. Feb. 20, 1703. Was a Major of Colonial Troops, wounded in King Philip's War at Mount Hope, Dec. 19, 1675; Deputy Governor Plymouth Colony, 1672–82; Assistant Treasurer and member of the Council; m. March, 1654, Alice Richards, b. 1627; d. 1671. He had two sons, John,[5] b. Feb. 20, 1652; d. Dec. 8, 1736, and Samuel,[5] b. 1668. John,[5] Major of Kingston Troops and Deputy to General Court from Plymouth, m. Feb. 5, 1674, Mercy, dau. of Joseph, and granddaughter of Richard Warren of the *Mayflower*, and had one son, Samuel,[6] b. Dec. 28, 1683; d. March 26, 1740.

Samuel,[6] Lieutenant in Colonial Troops, m. July, 1689, Hannah Rogers, b. Nov. 16, 1668, and had a son Gershom,[6] b. Dec. 21, 1691; d. April 4, 1757. This Gershom[6] Bradford m. Priscilla Wiswall, and his son Daniel[7] (who m. (1) Mary Church; m. (2) Mary Jarvis), was the father of Leonard Jarvis[8] Bradford, b. 1779; m. Sarah Turner (see Appendix F, p. 286).

HOME OF GOVERNOR WILLIAM BRADFORD,
BRISTOL, R. I.

NANCY BRADFORD DE WOLF.

WIFE OF HON. JAMES DE WOLF (25).

BORN AUG. 6, 1770; DIED JAN. 2, 1858.

From the miniature in possession of
Mrs. Ann De Wolf Gibbs.

Their dau. Harriet Turner Bradford, b. Feb. 11, 1806, was wife of Nathaniel Coggeshall and mother of Miss Sarah Coggeshall and Mrs. Evelin C. Bache of Bristol, R. I.

Samuel,[6] a Lieutenant, Plympton Bat., son of John[5] and Mercy (Warren) Bradford (the ancestor of the De Wolf lines), m. Sarah Gray, granddaughter of Ed. Gray, a soldier of King Philip's War. Their son William, b. Plymouth, Nov. 8, 1728; d. Bristol, R. I., July 6. 1808, became the well-known Governor Bradford of Bristol, last Deputy Governor of the Colony, first of the State; eighteen years speaker in Rhode Island Assembly; member of the Committee of "Safety" and of "Correspondence;" U. S. Senator, 1792–7; Commander in defence of Bristol, 1776. He m. April 17, 1751, Mary Le Baron (see Appendix D).

Of Governor Bradford's eight children, the oldest, William,[7] b. Sept. 15, 1752; d. Nov. 10, 1811; Lieutenant of War Sloop *Washington* (1775), and Major 1st Battalion Rhode Island Troops, 1776–9; m. Elizabeth Bloom James, b. (England), 1753; d. Dec. 17, 1832. Of their four sons and three daughters, Mary,[9] b. Dec. 30, 1778; m. March 28, 1799, Elijah Willard whose son, George Lawton Willard, m. Harriet Le Baron (see Appendix D, p. 280).

Governor Bradford's third son, John,[8] b. July 14, 1768; m. Jemima Wardwell. Their son William,[9] m. Ann W. Nooning, whose sons, Le Baron[10] and Benjamin,[10] reside in Bristol, R. I., the former having inherited Governor Bradford's Bible and watch. Daughters of John,[8] m. such well-known citizens of Bristol as Colonel W. R. Taylor, George H. Reynolds, Thos. Church, John Howland, &c.

Governor Bradford's youngest son, Ez. Hersey,[8] m. Abby Attwood (see Tables, 74).

Of Governor Bradford's daughters, Mary[8] m. Attorney-General Henry Goodwin of Newport, son of Benjamin; b. 1732, and Hannah Le Baron, b. April 5, 1734; (m. 1757) sixth child of Dr. Lazarus Le Baron (see Appendix, p. 279). One of their daughters, Charlotte[9] Goodwin, m. General George De Wolf (36); another m. Charles De Wolf (37); Hannah Bradford,[7] b. June 14, 1767; d. July 6, 1811; m. Dr. Gustavus Baylies, parents of Miss Mary and Miss Hannah Baylies of Bristol.

Nancy (or Ann) Bradford, m. Hon. James De Wolf (25).

Lydia,[8] youngest child of Governor Bradford, b. April 10,

1774; d. March 29, 1854; m. March 24, 1773, Governor Charles Collins, Collector of Newport and a large shipowner. "He was interested" writes Governor Bradford Prince to the author, "in a great many enterprises with James De Wolf; the latter was the third man in wealth in the United States, and a devoted friend of Chas. Collins" (see Introduction, pp. 28, 29). They had three sons who d. in childhood. Of their five daughters, Caroline,[9] b. Jan. 27, 1801; d. 1855; m. Jos. W. Torrey, their dau. Lydia[10] Torrey, m. William J. Hammond, and the latter's son, Joseph[11] Hammond, was b. Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 3, 1859.

Governor Collin's dau. Charlotte Goodwin,[9] b. Aug. 30, 1803; d. Sept. 9, 1888; m. Wm. Robert Prince. Mr. and Mrs. Prince had two sons and two daughters as follows: William,[10] b. July 9, 1833, of 9th N. Y. Vol., 1861, and Ord. Corp. Captain U. S. A.; Ex-Governor Le Baron Bradford[10] Prince of New Mexico, b. July 3, 1840, who m. (1) Dec. 1, 1879, Hattie Estelle Childs, d. Feb. 26, 1880, and who m. (2) Nov. 17, 1881, Mary Catherine Burckle Beardsley by whom he has one child, William Bradford,[11] b. Nov. 4, 1882; Seraphina[10] Prince (Mrs. Henry F. Cox), d. Aug. 31, 1870, without issue; Charlotte Collins[10] Prince, b. July 12, 1827; m. Edwin Henry and has two married daughters, Florence Lydia (Mrs. Wilson Lindsley Gill), with one son, Bradford Gill, b. Nov. 24, 1886, and Anna Collins, m. Rev. William Howland who has a dau. Florence Slidell, b. July 29, 1884. Gov. Collin's third dau. Anna,[9] m. Rowland Robinson Hazard. His fourth dau. Seraphina,[9] d. at the age of 4. His fifth and youngest dau. Lydia Bradford,[9] b. Jan. 27, 1812; d. Feb. 27, 1879; m. May 12, 1829, Edward Van Zandt. Their eldest son, Charles Collins[10] Van Zandt, became Governor of the State of Rhode Island, and a prominent citizen of Newport; he m. Feb. 12, 1863, Mrs. Arazelia Gray (Green) Potter. Mrs. Van Zandt's son by her former marriage, Charles Potter, talented and handsome, the author's college friend and brother in *Theta Delta Chi*, m. Mary Minturn (539).

JAMES LE BARON,
BRISTOL, R. I.
BORN DEC. 10, 1780; DIED MARCH 31, 1850.

APPENDIX D.

THE LE BARON FAMILY.

Dr. Francis Le Baron,[1] b. Provence, France, 1668; d. Aug. 8, 1704; m. 1695, Mary Wilder, b. Hingham, April 7, 1868; d. Sept. 25, 1737; dau. of Edward and Elizabeth (Eames) Wilder. The "Nameless Nobleman" of Jane Austin's novel, a Surgeon on French Privateer, shipwrecked, 1694, in Buzzard's Bay; became a practising physician in Plymouth. Never revealing his real name — thought to be "de Montarnaud;" he laughingly replied to inquiries, "Baron de rien de tout." Had three children: James,[2] b. May 23, 1696, d. May 10, 1744, m. Martha Benson; Lazarus,[2] b. Dec. 26, 1698, d. Dec. 3, 1773; and Francis,[2] b. June 13, 1701, d. Aug. 6, 1731, m. Sarah Bartlett. With the second this work is concerned.

Dr. Lazarus Le Baron[2] m. (1) May 16, 1720, Lydia Bartlett, on her mother's side a granddaughter of Lt. Francis Griswold; on her father's side a great granddaughter of Mary Warren, dau. of Richard Warren, of the *Mayflower*. Dr. Le Baron[2] m. (2) May 2, 1748, Lydia (Bradford) Cushman. By the first marriage he had eight; by the second, six children.

Of the former, Mary,[3] b. March 17, 1731; d. Oct. 2, 1775; m. April 22, 1751, Governor (then Dr.) William Bradford, of Bristol, R. I. (For descendants, see App. C, p. 277, and Tables 25.)

Hannah,[3] b. April 5, 1734; d, Oct. 25, 1775; m. 1757, Benjamin Goodwin. (For descendants, see App. C, p. 277, and Tables 36 and 37.)

Bartlett,[3] b. April 29, 1739; d. June 24, 1806; m. April 22, 1762, Mary Easdell, and had five daughters and two sons, John[4] and James.[4]

The last named, James[4] Le Baron, b. Dec. 10, 1780; d. March 31, 1856; m. Aug. 15, 1811, Mary Fiske, dau. of Dr. Caleb Fiske. They had six daughters and three sons. Of the sons, the oldest, Caleb[6] Bartlett, d. unmarried March 12, 1882; the youngest, William[6] Henry, d. young; and James Francis,[6] m. (1) Sarah Hicks, m. (2) Alice Mali, m. (3) Lydia Brown; is the only surviving child of his parents.

Of the daughters of James[4] and Mary Fiske Le Baron; Harriet Elizabeth,[5] d. July 29, 1881; m. May 7, 1833, George Lawton Willard, b. Bristol, R. I., Sept. 11, 1808; d. Brooklyn, N. Y., April 16, 1888, son of Elijah and Mary (Bradford) Willard. (App. C, p. 277.) Their children were:

James Le Baron,[6] b. March 1, 1834, m. Mary Bryar; Charles Frederick,[6] d. March 28, 1899, m. Mary Moore; Edward Augustus,[6] m. Caroline M. Sands; Francis Arthur,[6] d. Feb. 12, 1895; Henry Bradford,[6] m. Mary J. Hatch; Annie Louise, now living, and five others died in infancy.

Sarah Lippitt,[5] b. Jan. 13, 1821, dau. of James[4] and Mary F. Le Baron; m. May 1, 1857, Rev. Thomas Drumm, and had four children: Sarah Le Baron,[6] James F. Le Baron, Annie Nimmo and Mary Le Baron, d. young. Mrs. Drumm, who died Jan. 24, 1897, will be remembered by many, when living with her unmarried sisters in the "old Le Baron House," Church street, Bristol, R. I.

APPENDIX E.

THE PERRY FAMILY.

The descent of Henry Nelson Perry, who m. the granddaughter of Nancy De Wolf Kinnicutt (199), and of Raymond H. J. Perry, U. S. N., who m. Marianne De Wolf (82).

A great part of this Appendix, after it was compiled with the valuable assistance of Mrs. E. R. Smith and Mr. Geo. A. Perry (557), it has been found necessary to omit. It is to be hoped that Mrs. Smith's very valuable collection will yet be published.

The Records of Sandwich make mention about five years after the town was settled, of Ezra, Edward, Margaret, Hannah and Deborah Perry, who are believed to be brothers and sisters, possibly children of Sarah Perry, also mentioned in the Records. All family traditions point to their home in England as Devonshire.

Of Ezra Perry's Descendants.

Ezra[1] Perry, m. Feb. 12, 1651, Elizabeth Burgess, b. 1625; d. Oct. 16, 1689, of Thos. Burgess, b. 1603; d. 1685, and Dorothy, d. 1685. Ezra[1] Perry was Constable, 1679; several times Deputy to "Grand Enquest," and in 1671, appointed with Edward Perry to settle claims with Indians. His children were: Ezra,[2] b. Feb. 11, 1652; m. Rebecca, dau. of Edmund Freeman, Jr., and granddaughter of Elder Brewster; Deborah,[2] John,[2] Samuel,[2] Benjamin,[2] b. Jan. 15, 1670; Remember,[2] and Sarah,[2] m. Ephraim Swift.

Benjamin,[2] m. (circ.) 1693, Dinah Swift, b. Jan, 15, 1670, dau. of William, the son of the first William Swift of Sandwich. They moved to Stoughton (circ.), 1734. Their children were: Meribah,[3] Remember,[3] Seth,[3] Benjamin,[3] Susannah,[3] Abner,[3] Josiah,[3] Nathaniel,[3] and Eliakim,[3] b. May 8, 1716.

Eliakim[3] Perry, m. (1) Dec. 18, 1740, Sarah Joy, b. July 17, 1720. A Captain in the Revolution; he served under Col. Pepperrell at capture of Loisburg (his brother Abner, killed in the Island Battery), and published 1820, account of his services,

one of the two extant copies being in the *Rhode Island Historical Society*. All of his seven sons served in the Revolution, David at sixteen under Col. Prebble at Ft. Ticonderoga, and under Abercrombie at Quebec. His children were: David,[4] Sylvanus,[4] b. Sept. 9, 1743; d. Oct. 5, 1821; Abigail,[4] m. John Wilson whose grandson is Hon Ellery Wilson, M. C. of Providence, R. I., four times Speaker of the House; Elizabeth,[4] m. Simeon Read; and by a second marriage, Seth,[4] Azor,[4] Eliakim,[4] Ozias,[4] and Ezekiel,[4] b. 1759.

Capt. Sylvanus[4] Perry, m. April 4, 1770, Rebecca Bliss, b. Dec. 20, 1744; d. July 5, 1788; served throughout the Revolution, attaining rank of Captain. Children: Anson,[5] Abigail,[5] Phoebe,[5] William Bliss,[5] b. Sept. 3, 1780; d. March 1, 1874; Elizabeth,[5] Keziah,[5] m. Rebecca Greenwood; Sylvanus,[5] Rebecca.[5]

William Bliss[5] Perry, m. Jan. 2, 1802, Lucretia Kenyon; b. March 17, 1782; d. Sept. 6, 1859; dau. of Joshua Kenyon, of Rome, N. Y. Mr. Perry was one of the first settlers of Rome, and served in War of 1812. Children: David,[6] b. Jan. 24. 1800, d. May 31, 1891; Eliza,[6] b. Feb. 2, 1809; Sophronia,[6] b. July 25, 1815, d. March 11, 1876; William Bliss,[6] b. Jan. 17, 1819, d. April 24, 1866; Henry Nelson,[6] b. March 31, 1821, d. Oct. 26, 1893; George Gary,[6] b. Jan. 15, 1825; Henry Nelson[6] Perry m. Hester Ann Kinnicutt. (See De Wolf Tables, 199).

Of Edward Perry's Descendants.

Edward[1] Perry, m. Mary, dau. of Gov. Edmund Freeman, b. 1590, d. 1682; and Elizabeth ———, d. 1676. Children: Dorcas,[2] Mary,[2] Samuel,[2] Deborah,[2] Sarah,[2] Peace,[2] Edward,[2] Rest,[2] b. 1673, d. 1706; m. 1706, Jacob Mott, (their dau. Mary was wife of Nathaniel Greene, and mother of the great Gen. Nathaniel Greene of the Revolution); and Benjamin,[2] b. (circ.) 1677, d. 1748.

Benjamin[2] m. (1) dau. of an English Surgeon; no issue. m. (2) Oct. 11, 1727, Susannah Barber, dau. of Moses and Susannah (Wait) Barber. Children: Benjamin,[3] d. in infancy; Edward,[3] b. March 28, 1731; Freeman,[3] b. Jan. 23, 1733, d. 1813; Mary,[3] and Susannah,[3] who m. twins, Thomas and Daniel Steadman.

Judge Freeman[3] Perry m. Mercy Hazard, b. June 23, 1732, d. Oct. 15, 1813, dau. of Oliver and Elizabeth (Raymond) Hazard. He was President of Town Council of Kings-

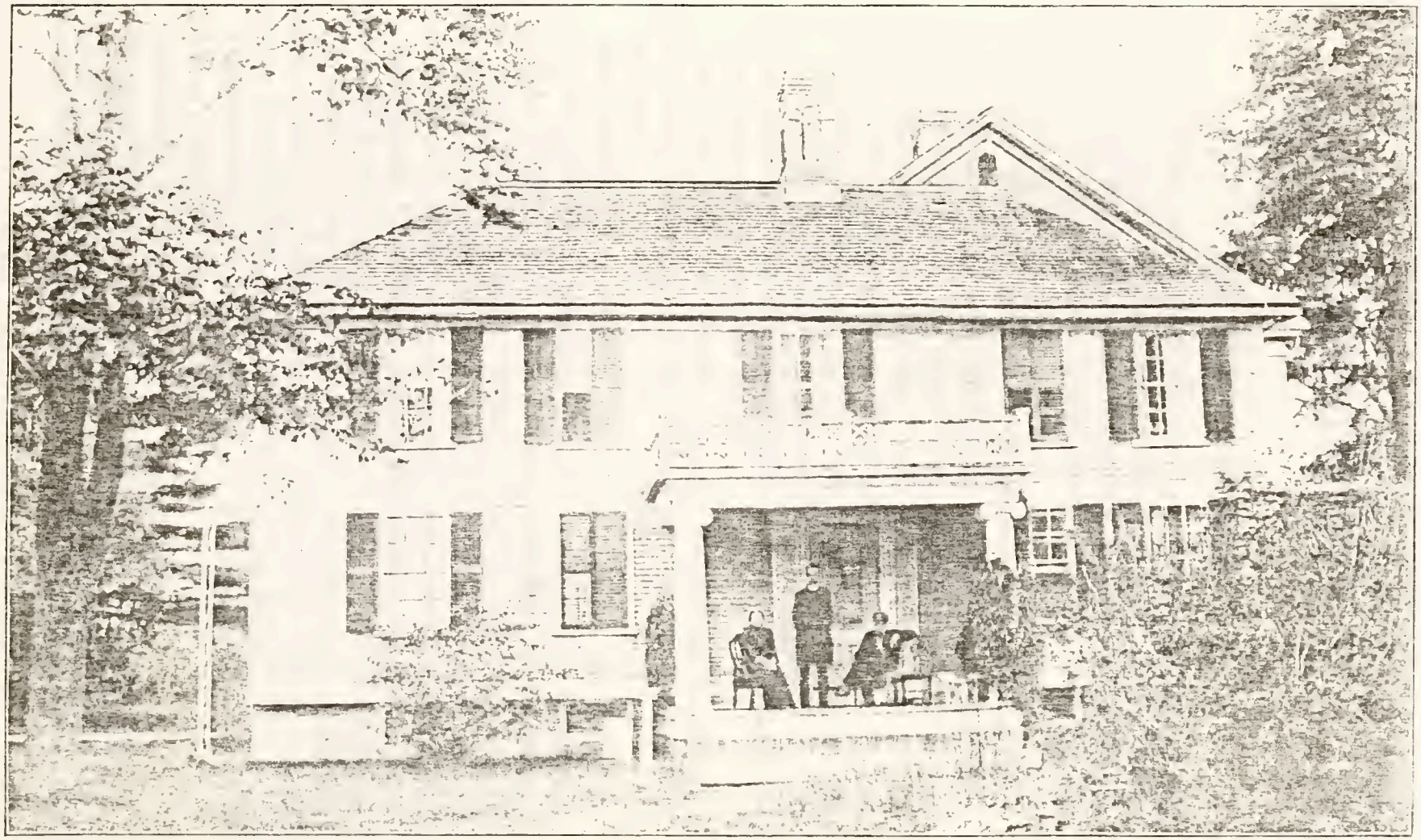
ton, R. I., 1776–81; Assistant Secretary General Assembly, 1781; and Justice Court of Common Pleas for twenty years. Children: Joshua,[4] b. 1756, d. Nov., 1802; Oliver Hazard,[4] lost at sea, 1783; Christopher Raymond,[4] b. Dec. 4, 1761, d. June, 1818; Elisabeth Raymond,[4] b. 1762; m. Dec. 20, 1782, Stephen Champlain,[4] (she was the great-great-grandmother of the wife of President Cleveland); Mary,[4] b. ——; d. aged twenty, unmarried; Susan,[4] m. Elisha Watson (ancestor of Arthur Watson, of Providence); George Hazard,[4] m. Abigail Cheesebrough.

Capt. Christopher Raymond[4] Perry, U. S. N., m. Sarah Wallace Alexander, a direct descendant of Sir Richard Wallace, to whose castle at Dundonald, his nephew, Sir William Wallace, retreated after burning the "Barns of Ayr;" though of the Church of England, her family fought on the Irish side at the Battle of the Boyne. Capt. Perry at sixteen enlisted in "Kingston Reds" (1776), but preferring sea, served in Privateer, Capt. Reed; was appointed midshipman in *Mifflin*, was four months prisoner in the *Jersey*. In the *Trumbull* engaged in the battle with the *Watt;* was again prisoner eighteen months on North Coast of Ireland (when first he saw his future wife); escaped in disguise at the close of the war. In 1800, commanding the *Gen. Greene*, he rendered service to L'Ouverture against Rigaud. Late in life Collector at Newport. Children: Oliver Hazard,[5] b. Aug. 20, 1785, d. Aug. 23, 1819; Raymond Henry Jones,[5] b. Feb. 11, 1789; d. March 2, 1826; Sarah Wallace,[5] b. April 28, 1791; d. unmarried, March 4, 1851; Matthew Calbraith,[5] b. April 10, 1794; d. March 4, 1858; Anna Maria,[5] b. Nov. 10, 1797; d. Dec. 7, 1858; Jane Tweedy,[5] b. Nov. 10, 1799, d. July, 1875; James Alexander,[5] b. June 26, 1801; d. March 9, 1822; Nathaniel Hazard,[5] b. Nov. 27, 1802; d. May 8, 1832.

Capt. Raymond H. J.[5] Perry, U. S. N., Commander of the U. S. Brig *Spark*, m. Marianne De Wolf (For descendants, see Table 82.) Space does not permit further tracing of the family, if indeed, it were pertinent to this work. It may be added that all the family were distinguished in the Navy—the oldest son was the famous "Hero of Lake Erie," and has many well known descendants, Perrys, Vintons, etc. The third son, Com. M. C.[5] Perry, is distinguished for the treaty with Japan; and his descendants are among those famous in military, social,

literary and art circles,—Com.[6] Rodgers, the Belmonts, Le Farges, Hones and Peppers. James Alexander,[5] drowned at Valparaiso, a Lieut. of only twenty-two, is familiar in the great painting of the Battle of Lake Erie, and is said to be the youngest recipient of a national sword of honor for gallantry. The youngest son, Nathaniel, was a Purser in the Navy, and is still survived by his son, Gen. Alex. James[6] Perry, U. S. A., m. Josephine Adams, whose sons, John Adams and Alexander Wallace are both Captains U. S. A.

The daughters also brought up Army or Navy families. Ann[5] became the wife of Com. George Rodgers, and the mother of Admiral C. R. P.[6] Rodgers, Capt. George[6] and Capt. John[6] Rodgers, all of the Navy, and of Mrs. E. R. Smith, the indefatigable Genealogist of the family, to whom the author's indebtedness has been acknowledged. Jane[5] m. Dr. William Butler, U. S. N., whose sons served with distinction in the Confederate Army; Gen. M. C.[6] Butler, U. S. Senator; the dashing Oliver Nathaniel,[6] and others.



"SILVER CREEK," BRISTOL, R. I. BUILT 1880.

THE BOURN HOMESTEAD, RESIDENCE OF JAMES DE WOLF PERRY.

From a photograph by W. W. Perry, taken during a visit of the Rt. Rev. C. T. Quintard, D. D., late Bishop of Tennessee, who is sitting on the porch.

APPENDIX F.

THE BOURN FAMILY.

The author possesess a manuscript "Table collected and arranged by Mary Bourne, Sandwich, Aug., A. D., 1802," from which the earlier part of the following brief notes is drawn. The final "e" in the name is omitted as it is not used by Judge Shearjashub or Judge Benj. Bourn.

RICHARD[1] BOURN came from England and settled at Sandwich, in Plymouth Colony (circ.), 1650. "Being a man of talents, he thought it his duty to preach the Gospel to the Indians." He was an associate in this work with Elliot; he m. 1677, Ruth Winslow, and had three sons: Job,[2] who m. Ruhamer Hallet; Shearjashub,[2] and Elisha,[2] m. Patience Skiff. As Job,[2] in 1666, was m. and had a son, it is presumed that Richard Bourn brought his sons from England, children of a former marriage.

Shearjashub,[2] m. Bathua Skiff.

Ezra,[3] m. Martha Prince. Plates belonging to Martha Prince are in possession of the author and his brother, Dr. J. D. W. Perry.

Shearjashub,[4] b. April 18, 1721; d. Feb. 9, 1781; m. April 19, 1747, Mrs. Ruth (Bosworth) Church, widow of Nathaniel Church and direct descendant of Deacon Nathaniel Bosworth, b. 1617; d. 1690, who built "Silver Creek" in 1680, landing in 1634 in the ship *Eliz. Dorcas* with his parents, Edward and Jane Bosworth, said to be of the Bosworth's of Bosworth Field.

Shearjashub[4] Bourn, graduated Harvard, 1743, moved from Sandwich to Bristol, 1745, became a teacher while studying law, "in which profession he became distinguished, presiding several years as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, which office it is believed he held at the time of his death."

Martha,[5] b. Aug. 5, 1748; m. ——— Thompson.

Shearjashub,[5] b. Dec. 4, 1751.

Benjamin,[5] b. Sept. 9, 1755; d. Sept. 17, 1808.

Shearjashub,[5] a merchant of Bristol, m. ——— Wardwell, had four sons and seven daughters. Of the latter, Mary,[6] m. Thomas Fales, and was the mother of the Rev. Thomas[7] Fales

of Waltham, Mass., and of Mary T.,[7] wife of Dr. Joseph Chapline Hays, whose daughter, Julia, is the wife of Hon. Richard H. Alvey of Hagerstown, Md., Chief Justice, Court of Appeals, Dist. Col.

Benjamin[6] Bourn, m. Hope Child, b. April, 1759; d. Aug. 11, 1811, dau. of Cromwell[3] Child of Warren, R. I., b. Jan. 14, 1716, and ——— Turner. He was the oldest son of John[2] Child, b. 1702, of John,[1] b. 1672, and Margery Howard, b. 1673, who is believed to be a granddaughter of Oliver Cromwell, the Lord Protector. Hope Child, m. (1) ——— Diman, and Martha Varnum Diman of this marriage, d. at Silver Creek, Nov. 6, 1850. Hope Child was one of four sisters (their only brother was killed by Indians), known as the "beautiful child girls." Martha, m. Gen. James M. Varnum, called by Washington "the light of his camp;" Elizabeth, m. Dr. Peter Turner of Newport; Abigail, m. Moses Turner.

Judge Benjamin[6] Bourn, an ardent Federalist, prominent in adopting the U. S. Constitution in Rhode Island (see Staple's *R. I. in the Continental Congress*), graduated Harvard, 1775; Quartermaster 2nd R. I. Regt., 1776; member of General Assembly, and mover of Resolution to call Constitutional Convention; appointed with President Manning to present address to President Washington; elected 1790, first Representative to Congress, served 1790–6; appointed 1801 by President Adams, Judge of U. S. Dist. Court (see Introduction, p. 30). Their children were:

Benjamin F.[6] b. Nov. 30, 1783, a graduate of Brown University, admitted to the Bar, and a successful practitioner at twenty; entered U. S. Navy and became 1st Lieutenant; d. at the age of thirty-six on the Mediterranean, "beloved by his brother officers; a beau at Courts; engaged to an Italian Countess who died of a broken heart."

Sophia,[6] b. March 1, 1786; d. Nov. 30, 1802, "whose gentleness of disposition and character has stamped her name upon the hearts of her friends." (Epitaph in Jun. Hill Cemetery.)

Julia,[6] b. July 15, 1790; b. Jan. 9, 1842.

Eliza[6] Turner "dear Aunt Betsey," b. May 26, 1797; d. (Silver Creek, Bristol), June 10, 1884; unmarried.

Julia[6] Bourn, m. (1) June 20, 1811, Abel Jones, b. 1779; d. Oct. 1, 1815 (see Abel and Edward Jones, below). Children:

Abel,[7] d. in infancy.

JULIA SOPHIA JONES,
WIFE OF JAMES DE WOLF PERRY (231).
BORN MARCH 22, 1810; DIED JUNE 23, 1898.

Julia Sophia,[7] b. March 22, 1816; d. (Silver Creek) June 23, 1898; m. March 3, 1836, James De Wolf Perry (Tables, 231). Mrs. Jones ranked as one of the most brilliant women of her day, unwilling to marry before her daughter and refusing such suitors as Bishop Griswold and Judge Burgess; m. (2) Nov., 1841, Gen. Albert C. Greene, distinguished at the Bar and U. S. Senator.

ABEL AND EDWARD JONES.

Abel Jones at the age of eighteen attracted attention of a wealthy Englishman, who gained consent of his parents to take him to England for education. He returned an accomplished scholar, and with a snug fortune. He was son of Elisha,[6] b. May 23, 1744; d. Feb. 1, 1810, and Elizabeth Farrar, b. 1750; d. 1826, of Thomas,[4] b. Nov. 30, 1702; d. Aug. 3, 1794, and Mary Miles, b. 1709; d. 1782, of Samuel,[3] b. Sept. 5, 1674; d. Nov. 5, 1755, and Ruth Brown; of Samuel,[2] b. 1648; d. 1717, and Elizabeth Potter; of the Rev. John[1] Jones, d. 1673, and Dorcas ———, who was "born and ordained a preacher in England * * arrived in New England, October 2, 1636, with Rev. Mr. Shepherd and Rev. John Wilson. After remaining at Concord about eight years, he removed with a part of his society to Fairfield." (*History of Concord.*)

Abel Jones' sister Mary (his only known relative), b. March 17, 1771; d. July 5, 1853; m. Dec. 10, 1795, Nathan Barrett, b. 1763; d. 1829. They had: Emiline, Nathan Henry, Edwin Shephard, Arthur and Sidney, of whom only the last survives, living at Concord, Mass., as do his brother Edwin's children: Nelson, Elizabeth, Mary and Miriam. Edward S. Barret was for six years President Massachusetts Society, S. A. R., prominent in founding the National Society, President General, 1898. which office he held at his death.

Edward Jones, father of Antoinette, wife of the author, Rev. C. B. Perry, was born in England, but no relation is established with the foregoing. He married Mary Esther, dau. of Peter Ferris[4] Daw, b. Ridgefield, Conn., Oct. 22, 1808, Justice of Peace, Cohoes, N. Y., and Sophia M. Walden, of Isaac[3] Das (or Daw) of New Rochelle, and Prudence Mallen; of Isaac[2] Das and Margarite ———; of Pierre[1] Das, m. April 24, 1692, at the French Church, New York City, Jeanne Ballet,

Province Xantonge, France. (*Coll. Huguenot Soc.*, Vol. II, p. 18.

The above Sophia (Walden) Daw was dau. of Minor Walden and Esther Denison, b. 1776, and dau. of Daniel[5] Denison, b. Dec. 9, 1745, d. Oct. 15, 1802, and Elizabeth Andross. Pension Office Records show that Daniel[5] Denison served as Sergeant in Capt. Thos. Wheeler's 8th Connecticut Militia, and in Capt. William Stanton's Co., and "appeared under arms for the defence of said State, Aug. 6, 1780." Of Daniel[4] Denison, b. March 22, 1721, d. (Stonington, Conn.), May 9, 1776, m. 1742, Esther Wheeler; of Daniel[3] Denison, b. March, 1680, d. Oct. 13, 1747, m. 1703, Mary Stanton, b. Feb. 3, 1687; of John[2] Denison, b. July 14, 1646, d. 1698, m. Nov. 26, 1667, Phebe Lay, d. 1699; of Capt. George[1] Denison, whose tombstone in Hartford Cemetery reads: "Here lieth ye body of Capt. Geo. Denison, departed Oct. 23, in the 74th year of his age, 1694." He married (1) 1640; on the death of his wife, returned to England; wounded at Naseby; was nursed in house of John Boradaile by his dau., Lady Ann B., whom he married. For her is named "Boradaile," Lansingburg, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Daw (both great-grandchildren of Esther Denison), the girlhood home of his niece, Mrs. Perry. Capt. Denison returned to Stonington, Conn., and is described as the "Miles Standish of the settlement." An authority says of him: "Our early history presents no character of bolder or more active spirit. He reminds us of the border men of Scotland." "He had no equal in conducting war against the Indians."

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Page 33, seventh line from bottom, for served read sewed.

Page 34, third line from top, for feats read feasts.

Page 96, bottom line, for Gambrell read Gamwell.

Page 203, No. 1320, Russell Sturgis Hubbard, Jr., b. Sept. 8, 1902.

* Page 248, No. 41, James E. De Wolf established the oldest business house in Kentville, N. S., now conducted by his son, M. G. De De Wolf, ex-president Maritime Board of Trade, and brother. His children were: Anna Maria, b. May 14, 1839; Alfred Augustus, b. June 17, 1840; Stanley Woodward, b. Sept. 13, 1842; Melville Gordon, b. June 1, 1847.

* Page 248, No. 42, Thomas W. De Wolf's children are: Harriet Ruggles, b. March 13, 1836; Delia Sophia, b. Sept. 22, 1838; Amelia Bishop, b. Dec. 11, 1840; Charles Edward, b. Dec. 1, 1843; Bessie Greenwood, b. Aug. 3, 1846; Fannie Fitch, b. Sept. 21, 1848.

* Page 248, No. 43. Jacob Freeman De Wolf's children: Ella Augusta, b. Aug. 17, 1838; Stephen Ruggles, b. June 13, 1840; Jacob Freeman, b. May 3, 1844; Caroline Sophia, b. Oct. 1, 1847; Harriet Florence, b. July 15, 1853.

* Page 248, No. 44, Andrew W. De Wolf's children: Charles, Henry, Albert, Mary Adelia, Harriet Emma; one of his daughters being Mrs. Sherman of Wolfville, who, with her son, one of her two married daughters and grandchild, reside at Wolfville in the beautiful home of her grandfather, Stephen Brown De Wolf.

Page 250, No. 69, the children of Thomas Leonard De Wolf are: John W., b. 1844, now residing in Halifax; Lydia Amelia, b. 1846; d. 1865; Thomas Andrew, b. 1851; d. 1886; Mary Chipman, b. 1855; Lucy Allen, b. 1859.

* Page 251, No. 47, Fanny Smith De Wolf (93), m. Nathan W. White, both living and residing at Kentville, N. S. Their son, Rev. Charles De Wolf White being the Priest of the Church of England of that place; Louisa Augusta (96), m. Albert W. Bennett. No issue.

Page 251, No. 47, for Pitcairthy read Pitcaithly.

Page 252, No. 108, for of Brighton read b. Windsor.

Page 264, No. 40, for Annie read Anna.

Page 264, No. 35, for b. Sept. 21, 1830, read b. Sept. 11, 1828.

* These families, prominent in Halifax, Wolfville and Kentville, were unknown to the author until after a visit to Nova Scotia, after this volume had come from the Press.

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