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TO THE MEMORY OF MY GRANDFATHER  
THOMAS RUTHERFORD TROWBRIDGE  
IN RECOGNITION OF HIS SERVICES TO  
TROWBRIDGE GENEALOGY  
AND AS A TESTIMONIAL TO  
HIS INTEGRITY, GENEROSITY AND PATRIOTISM



## PREFACE

About the year 1850 the first attempt was made to collect and arrange in genealogical order the descendants of Thomas Trowbridge, the first of his name in this country, who emigrated from Exeter, Devonshire, England, to Dorchester, Mass., as early as 1637, and soon after went with the early settlers to the colony of New Haven. Those who were most interested in this undertaking were Thomas R. Trowbridge of New Haven, Philo M. Trowbridge of Woodbury, Conn., and Otis Trowbridge of Newton, Mass. As the result of their efforts, most of the descendants in the male line of Thomas, the second son of the settler, were collected by Rev. William S. Porter, who was employed for that purpose, by Mr. Thomas R. Trowbridge; many of the descendants of William Trowbridge, the third son, were collected by Deacon Philo M. Trowbridge; and of the descendants of James Trowbridge, the youngest son, the records of several hundred were collected and printed in a pamphlet in 1854 by Deacon Otis Trowbridge. John, the oldest son of the settler, did not come with his father to this country and died unmarried in early manhood in Taunton, England. The subject then rested until the summer of 1869, when Mr. Thomas R. Trowbridge employed Rev. Frederick W. Chapman to take the materials collected and gather such other records as might be found and prepare a book for publication. As a result of his work the "Trowbridge Family" was published in 1872.

The compilation of the present book was begun early in 1898. The genealogical standard has advanced materially since the "Trowbridge Family" was published, and the compiler of the present book decided that he would obtain the best results if he should disregard all printed records of the Trowbridges and proceed as if no history of the family had ever been published. He has followed this plan throughout the compilation of this book, and all statements made are based on public records, examined by himself in nearly every case, or on correspondence with members of the family. Mr. Lothrop Withington, a recognized authority on genealogical research in English records, has been employed to conduct the investigation in England. Mr. Robert A. Smith of Washington, D. C., was employed to copy the war records of Trowbridges previous to the Civil War in the United States Pension Office. The many hundreds of records of their service in the Civil War were taken by the compiler from the official rosters of the several states (a most laborious work, as those volumes are not indexed), supplemented by family letters and a search of the records in the Pension office. The compiler has searched the public records diligently for the few facts that are missing in the earlier generations and his correspondents know how earnestly he has written them to supply the facts missing in the later generations. He has made a special effort to give the birth and parentage of the Trowbridge wives. The completeness of details in the biographical sketches indicate his efforts in that direction. He has corresponded with some member of each family circle within the past six months, so that the family registers are as complete as it was possible to make them. The proof sheets have been compared with the original notes made by the compiler and the letters he has received.

The greater part of this book is a history of Thomas Trowbridge and his descendants. In the course of searches for members of that family the compiler has accumulated considerable data relative to several other families of Trow-

bridges, some perhaps descending from Thomas Trowbridge, but so far not certainly identified, and others known to be not descended from him. These have been included in this book. It is intended to record the history of successive generations in the male line, and that some branches are not brought down to the present time is due chiefly to the indifference of their members. But there have been very few such cases in comparison with the large number of branches whose members have been anxious to assist the compiler in every way in their power. It would have been an agreeable work to have recorded the families of the many Trowbridge women who have married, for without their help as complete a history as this would have been impossible, but to have followed out the records of the female lines would have taken many more years and made another volume larger than this, which would have at least doubled the cost of the book, and in very many cases would have been a reprint of portions of genealogies already published or anticipated others in preparation.

The arrangement of the successive families is simple. The name of each male head of a family is preceded by his own consecutive number and followed by an ancestral parenthesis stating his descent, the particular book number of each ancestor being printed superiorly. The records of a few members of the family were received after the numbering of the manuscript was completed, which has necessitated the use of the letters, a, b, etc., after the number.

The compiler thanks the hundreds of Trowbridge men and women and the many others allied to them by marriage for the help they have so willingly given him in preserving in this comparatively enduring form the history of a family that has done its full share in the building of this country. The correspondence has been a pleasant one, except for a letter now and then that told of the death of one whose letters in the earlier years of this work made possible the connecting of the present generations with the past. Some branches of the family deservedly are entitled to have more of their members represented by portraits, either on account of their prominence or because they or their descendants have taken interest in this genealogy, but the compiler has endeavored to have at least one portrait of some member of each main stem or a picture of some old homestead that is endeared to the memory of its members. Likenesses of a number of the family that the compiler wished to include were either unobtainable or such that satisfactory portraits could not be made from them.

The compiler feels that he has conscientiously made every effort to make this history complete and he now with regret draws his work to a close.

FRANCIS BACON TROWBRIDGE.

New Haven, Conn., June 30, 1908.

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## THE TROWBRIDGE ARMS

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The arms borne by the Trowbridge family are what are termed in heraldry *armes parlantes*, because of their allusion to the name—the bridge and the water running through. In the earliest heraldry, whenever it was possible, the object chosen was one whose name bore sufficient resemblance in sound to suggest the name of the bearer of it. This characteristic of the Trowbridge arms is an evidence of their antiquity.

In "A Treatise on Heraldry" by Woodward and Burnett, page 362, is printed the following account of the use of the bridge in heraldry:

"In the later supplement which follows M. Vallett's edition of the 'Armorial de Berry.' . . . Azure, a bridge argent supporting a castle, or, is borne by Pontaut; this resembles the eighteenth century coat of Trowbridge, Bart. Or, over water in base a bridge of three arches embattled thereon a tower proper, its flag flying charged with a cross potent of the field; on a canton of the third two keys in saltire gold.\* Of bridges without castles there are a good many instances. The Scottish family of Bridge naturally bears: Gules, a bridge of one arch argent, stream transfluent proper. Azure, a bridge argent is a coat of Pierrepont, and (with square arches) Pontbriant. Gules, a bridge of two arches or is borne by the Marquises of Pontevès in France. Or, a bridge of three arches sable is used by the Prussian Brüekners. The Venetian Counts da Ponte carried azure, a bridge of one arch with steps or."

In the herald's visitation of the county of Devon the Trowbridge arms are described as: *Or, over water, proper, a bridge towered, gules.* The Harleian Society printed in this connection the following document:

"Sciãnt praesentes et futuri quod ego Walterus de Trobridge dedi et concessi Rogero de Trobridge Moyland de Esticot nativam meam et totam sequelam suam de omnibus catalis suis. His testibus Tho. Fordeton, Roberto Wanti, Osberto Trobridge et aliis. Sans date. (Sealed with arms: a bridge with flag.)"

A picture of the old seal may be seen at the top of the next plate. Two pictures of the arms, one exactly like the seal and the other the same with a tower added, may be seen in "Elvin's Dictionary of Heraldry," plate xxiii, nos. 19 and 20.

That the Trowbridge family of Taunton, Somersetshire, was related to that of Devonshire is sufficiently proved by the similarity of the family arms. .

In the Parnell collection is an engraving of the Trowbridge arms, nearly exactly like those shown in the lower illustration of the next plate, engraved in 1638, with this inscription: "This coate standeth in Kirton Church in y<sup>e</sup> county of Devon and it seemeth to have been given to the first bearer thereof as an allusion to his surname, quasi Throwbridge, having respect to the current and fall of the streams that doe passe through the arches."

In the stained glass window in the chancel of St. James's Church, Taunton, the Trowbridge arms are to be seen quartered with those of Halliday, the second and third quarterings being for Trowbridge. A picture of these arms may be seen in

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\* These arms were borne by Admiral Sir Thomas Troubridge, a brave naval officer under Nelson, who was knighted in 1799, the "crossed keys of St. Peter" being added to his arms after his reduction of the castle of St. Elmo. His motto was: *Spes Pons Vitae Est.*

the lower illustration of the opposite plate. In these arms the tower is domed, otherwise they are practically the same as those shown in the frontispiece of this genealogy. That the Trowbridge arms as last described were the arms of the Taunton family in the seventeenth century is proved by the fact that they are engraved on the tankard owned by Thomas Trowbridge (No. 2) of New Haven, Conn., the second son of Thomas Trowbridge, the primitive settler in America. A picture of the tankard, with the arms traced thereon, can be seen on the plate facing page 54.

The plate for the arms as shown in the frontispiece was prepared by the department of heraldry of Tiffany of New York, after exhaustive investigations by the compiler, and it is considered by him to correctly depict the Trowbridge arms.

The description of the Trowbridge arms is: *Or, on a bridge of three arches embattled, in fess, gules, masoned sable, as many streams transfluent towards the base, proper, a tower of the second, thereon a pennant argent.*

The motto engraved below the arms in the frontispiece was chosen by the compiler and it seems to him an eminently fitting one, containing as it does a reference to the family name. It is: *Sit pons firmus*, Let the bridge be firm.



OLD TROWBRIDGE SEAL.



TROWBRIDGE ARMS  
ON A WINDOW IN ST. JAMES'S CHURCH,  
TAUNTON, ENGLAND.



## INTRODUCTION

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Trowbridge\* has been used as a surname in England for many centuries, but the exact time that it was first so used is uncertain and the authors of dictionaries of family surnames do not agree as to its derivation. Bardsley in his "Dictionary of English and Welsh Surnames" states that the name was first given an individual on account of his residence at Trowbridge in Wiltshire. It may be that this was its origin, and that a member of the family removed to Devon and gave the same name to his seat in that county, and it is also quite possible that some individuals in later times may have assumed the name of Trowbridge on account of a residence at Trowbridge, but that an earlier claim may be made for its use as a family name seems to be indicated by the history of the town of Trowbridge.

"Trowbridge† is a thriving market town situated on a rocky eminence rising from the valley of the river Biss, and in respect of population is the largest town in Wiltshire. Its history has never yet been fully written, and yet few towns have fairer claims to our notice, both on account of the old and interesting associations that are connected with it, as well as from the important position it has now assumed for some years as one of the principal seats of the woollen manufacture in the west of England.

"The parish of Trowbridge forms part of the hundred of Melksham. On the south side it adjoins the hundred of Wherwelsdown and on the west that of Bradford-on-Avon. It consists of a strip of land some three miles long and on an average one mile broad, and contains in all 2,443 acres. It is divided into several tithings: on the north is that of Staverton; on the west that of Trowle; on the south that of Studley; and there is also the town liberty. The town itself is situated, as nearly as may be, in the center of the whole parish.

"Writers on Trowbridge, especially those connected with it, have sought to establish for their town a greater antiquity than has generally been conceded to it, but until we come to the end of the eleventh century we can find no trace of the history of this place and then we find it in Domesday Book, where it is called Straburg; a strange form of the name, but nevertheless pretty clearly to be identified with what we now call Trowbridge. It is as follows:—

'Brictric holds Straburg. His father held it in the time of King Edward and it paid geld for 10 hides. The land is 9 carucates. In demesne are 2 carucates and 7 serfs. There are 11 villans and 6 coscets with 7 carucates. There is a mill paying 10 shillings, and 10 acres of meadow and 12 acres of pasture. The wood is 5 furlongs long and 3 furlongs broad. It was worth £4; it is now worth £8.' [Wilts Domesday, p. 131.]

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\* The name in the early records is variously spelled: Troubrugge, Trobrugge, Troubridge, Troubrige, Tronbridge, Troubridge, Trubbridge, Troberidge, Trobrydge, Trobreeg, Troobridge, Troblebridge, Trobblebridge, Throughbridge, Tthrowbridge, Trobruig, Trobridge, Trowbrydge, Trowbridge, Sturbrige, Sturbridge, Turbridge, Strobredge, Strobridge, Strowbridge and Strawbridge, the final e being omitted in many cases. The mode of spelling now generally adopted is Trowbridge.

† The following account of Trowbridge is extracted from "Early Annals of Trowbridge," by Rev. W. H. Jones, Canon of Salisbury, published in "The Wiltshire Archaeological and Natural History Magazine" for June, 1875.

"In A. D. 1100, just thirteen years after the completion of the Domesday record, Trowbridge (Trobregge) and Staverton are recorded as being in the possession of Edward of Salisbury, a great Norman noble, who was *Vice Comes*, or sheriff of Wiltshire, and had no less than 38 manors in this county. In a document of the date A. D. 1120-1130 it is enumerated amongst those estates which were of his own acquisition in contra-distinction to those which he enjoyed by inheritance, and this looks rather as though he had purchased it. The descent of the manor from that time to the present can be easily traced.

"But though Trowbridge had its castle, in these early days it was but a small and unimportant place. That it was but an insignificant town, even fifty years after this time, seems evident from the following facts. It is not mentioned among the towns in Wiltshire on which rates were levied in 1168 (14 Henry II) 'to marry the king's daughter' to the Duke of Saxony, nor among those from which 'aid' was taken in 1187 (33 Henry II), by the king's justices."

It is stated in the preceding sketch of Trowbridge that it was an insignificant town in 1168, but in 1158 (4 Henry II) in the Devon Feet of Fines there is mention of John Troubrugge.\* It would, therefore, seem not unlikely that the name had an origin independent from the town of Trowbridge.

The first syllable of the name Trowbridge is probably derived from the Old English word *trough*, *trog* or *trou* and the Anglo-Saxon *trog* or *tröh*, a natural trough or channel in a stream, and the second syllable from the Old English word *brigge*, *bregge* or *brugge* (unassibilated *brig* or *brugg*) and the Anglo-Saxon *brycg* or *bricg*.†

It is reasonable to suppose that the first individual who bore the name of Trowbridge was one who lived near a stream running swiftly in a well-worn channel through the arches of a bridge.‡ He may have got his name for some feat of daring at or near the bridge, or taken part in its defense. He may have received his coat of arms for valor while in command of the defense of the bridge in some engagement, and, if so, the color of the bridge in the arms would indicate that the conflict was a sanguinary one.

The copies of documents and records relating to the Trowbridge family in England which are printed in this genealogy were selected from a large amount of data gathered by Mr. Lothrop Withington of London, whose services were engaged to conduct the researches in England which resulted in successfully establishing the parentage and immediate ancestry of Thomas Trowbridge, the primitive settler in America. It will be shown that he belonged to the Taunton, Somersetshire, branch of the family, and after the proof of his parentage was established the main effort of the researches in England was to prove the connection between that branch and the other families of the name there and in the adjoining county of Devon. Investigations in that line are still progressing and the indications are that several generations more will be added to the pedigree of Thomas Trowbridge printed in this genealogy. Short as this is, compared with the centuries that the name flourished before his birth, his descendants will be gratified to know that of only a very few of the early New England settlers has so much authentic ancestral lineage been proven as is printed here.

The records show that the Trowbridge family were long seated in Devon, and it is said§ that the barton of Trowbridge in the parish of Crediton was in the possession of the family in the reign of Edward I.

\* The early calendar of the Devon Feet of Fines for Trowbridge is as follows:

4 Henry II: John Astur and Jo. Troubrugge in Westrode.

13 Henry II: Tho de Troubrigge and Tho Pees in Crediton.

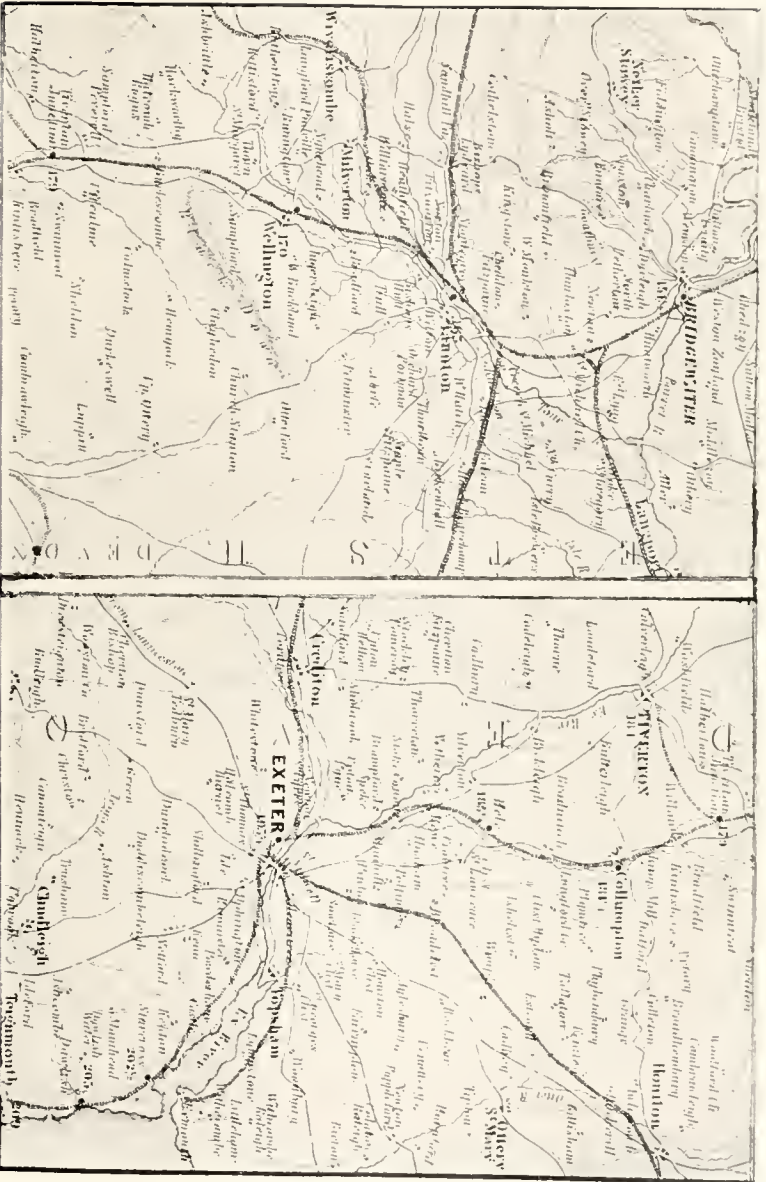
22 Henry III: Peter de Trobrige and Ric Pruet in Caddeswelle.

† Bardsley's "Dictionary of English and Welsh Surnames"; "Century Dictionary"; "Webster's Dictionary."

‡ See the description of the arms in the Parnell collection mentioned on page 15.

§ "Trowbridge Family," which states that the family derives its name from this ancient inheritance.





SECTION OF DEVON AND SOMERSETSHIRE SHOWING THE DISTRICTS AROUND EXETER AND TAUNTON.







AN OLD VIEW OF TAUNTON, ENGLAND.

Taken from the French Weir Field, showing the spires of the churches of St. James and St. Mary Magdalen.

It is supposed that a younger branch of the Devonshire family of Trowbridge settled in Somersetshire,\* and many documents relating to it have been found in the records of that county.

It is, however, in the Trowbridge family that is found residing in Taunton, Somersetshire, about the middle of the sixteenth century, that most readers of this genealogy will feel the chief interest, for from this branch of the family, it will be shown, sprang Thomas Trowbridge, the primitive ancestor of a very large majority of the Trowbridges in America.

Taunton stands on the great road leading from Land's End in Cornwall to the north of England, lying between Exeter and Bridgewater, thirty-three miles northeast of the former and eleven miles south of the latter—the situation rendering it the thoroughfare from Bristol and Bath to Exeter and Plymouth. It has been noted for its manufacture of woolen, and its trade may be traced back to the reign of Edward III, who first brought woolen manufactories to England. It was with this trade that the Trowbridges of Taunton were so long identified.

“Taunton has ever been a principal town in the county of Somerset. Before the modern improvements were introduced, it was deemed well built. Its streets are spacious, as it extends over a considerable extent of ground. The houses, even in the middle of it, are furnished with good outlets, which contribute much to the pleasantness and salubrity of the town, as well as to the convenience of its inhabitants. It is a mile long, from east to west, and its streets have a gradual descent to the river. It stands in a fertile and extensive vale, and is called by Camden one of the eyes of the county. The county all around is beautified with green meadows, abounds in delightful orchards and gardens; is enriched with wood, and peopled with numerous villages, so as to exhibit to the eye of the spectator, who approaches the town, a charming scene. The county in itself, though, in the winter, moist and marshy, is supposed, by some, to derive its name (Somersetshire) from the summerlike temperature of the air. The part of it in which Taunton is situated has, if not an exclusive, yet a peculiar claim to the excellent qualities ascribed to the whole. On account of its fertility, the peasantry used to boast that it was so fruitful with the *zun* and *zoil*, alone, as to need no manuring. This country is called by the inhabitants, Taunton Dean, that is the vale of Taunton, and from the high conceit of its pre-eminence above other counties, hath arisen a beautiful proverb—‘*Where should I be born, else, but Taunton Dean,*’—as if it were a disparagement to be born in any other place; and none in England, nay, in the whole world, were to be compared with it.”† The motto of the town of Taunton is: *Defendamus*. Let us defend.

The description of Taunton in Domesday Book is as follows:‡

“The Bishop of Winchester holds Taunton. Archbishop Stigand held it in the time of King Edward, and it paid the geld for fifty-four hides and two yard-lands and a half, of which there was arable land enough for one hundred ploughs. Besides this the Bishop has in demense twenty carucates which never paid the geld and thirteen ploughs. There are eighty Villans, eighty-two bordars, seventy bondmen or slaves, sixteen coliberti and seventeen swineherds, who render seven pounds, ten shillings, and amongst them all they have sixty ploughs.”

“The hundred of Taunton-Dean is divided‡ into three districts, the hundred of Taunton market, the infaring division and the outfaring division. Taunton market comprehends that part which is distinguished as the borough of Taunton. The infaring division is subdivided into the hundreds of Holway, Hull, Poundisford, Staplegrove and Nailsbourne and includes the parishes of Taunton-

\* Somerset, the land of the Sumorseetan, is one of the West-Saxon shires which grew by gradual conquest from the Welsh. The land had no distinct title before the English Conquest.

† Brief sketch of Taunton extracted from James Savage's "History of Taunton."

‡ According to Savage's "History of Taunton."

St. James, Ruishton, Stoke-St. Mary, Wilton, Trull, Bishop's-Hull, Pitminster, Corfe, Staplegrove, Kingston and Rimpleton (in Dorset). The outfaring division contains the parishes of Anger's-Leigh, Bagborough, Bradford, Cheddon-Fitzpaine, Combe-Flory, Cothelston, Heathfield, Hill-Farrance, Lydeard-St. Lawrence, Nynhead, Norton-Fitzwarine, Oake, Orchard-Portman, Otterford, Tolland and Withiel-Flory.

"The manor of Taunton-Dean is bounded on the north by the manors of Broomfield and Iton; on the north-east by the manors of West-Monkton and Cheddon-Fitzpaine; on the east by the manors of Creech-St. Michael and Thorn-Falcon and the rivulet called Blaek brook; on the south-east by the manors of Thurlbeer, Orchard-Portman and Staple-Fitzpaine; on the south and south-west by the manors of Yarcombe, Church-Stanton, Claydon and West-Buckland; on the west by the manor of Bradford; and on the north-west by the manors of Bishop's-Lydeard and Cothelston.

"In the hundred of Holway are the tithings of Ruishton and Henlade in the parish of Ruishton; of Holway in the parish of Taunton-St. Mary Magdalen; of Stoke in the parish of Stoke-St. Mary; of Chipleigh in the parish of Nynhead; and of Gahnington and Sherford in the parish of Wilton. In the hundred of Hull the tithing of Dipford in the parish of Trull; of Hull and Rumwell in the parish of Bishop's-Hull; North-Trendle in the parish of Pitminster. In the hundred of Poundisford the tithings of South-Trendle, Blagdon, Pitminster, South-Fulford, Duddleston and Corfe, all in the parish of Pitminster. In the hundred of Staplegrove the tithings of Staplegrove and Byrland in the parish of Staplegrove; of Pyrland, Obridge, Mill-Lane and Grassgrove in the parish of Taunton-St. James; of Holford in Combe-Flory and Lydeard-St. Lawrence; and of Ilbeer in the parish of Kingston. In the hundred of Nailsbourne the tithings of Kingston, Nailsbourne, North-Fulford, Cushuish and Tetton in the parish of Kingston."

The map facing page 18 shows the location of Taunton and its neighborhood, with the modern spelling of some of these names.

About the middle of the seventeenth century there resided in Taunton a family of Trowbridges the head of which was Thomas Trowbridge, who was engaged in business there for many years as a mercer and was a man of wealth and consequence in the town. His home was in the parish of St. Mary Magdalen and in the register of that church were found the following entries:\*

## BAPTISMS

1564	Will <sup>m</sup> Trowbridge	November 27
1566-7	Agnes Troublebridge	January 3
1568	Alis Troublebridge	June 24
1568-9	Tomsin Troublebridge	February 24
1570	John Troublebridge	Marche 25

[Hiatus in the register of baptisms from July 7, 1582, to June 10, 1588.]

1598-9	Elizabeth the daughter of John Trowbridge	February 8
1601	John sonne of John Trowbridge	Maie 31
1602-3	Prudence daughter of John Trobridge	February 3
1604-5	Agnes daughter of John Trobridge	February 10
1607-8	William sonne of John Trubriedge	Marche 22
1609	James sonne of John Trowbridge	December 3
1612	Joane daughter of Mr. John Trowbridge	Maye 21
1615	Tacy daughter of Mr. John Trowbridge	Maye 7

\* They should be referred to in connection with the documents hereafter printed.

## MARRIAGES

- 1563-4 Will<sup>m</sup> Trowbridge Alice Longe January 31  
 1594 Robte Godsall Dorathie Trowbridg September 22  
 1616 John Hurly and Elizabeth Trowbridge June 2  
 1621 William Mace of Exctter and Prudence Trobrige July 1  
 1629 Charles Wether & Agnis Trobridg December 13  
 1637-8 Aldrid Seaman & Taeie Trobridg January 1

## BURIALS

- 1565 Robte Strowbridge December 24  
 1616 William Trowbridge Marche 27  
 1616 Joane daughter of Mr. John Trowbridge October 14  
 1619-20 Mr. Thomas Trowbridge Februarie 20  
 1622 Agnes wife of Mr. John Trobridge June 6  
 1638 James Troberidge October 22  
 1653 Mrs. Alice Trowbridge August 25  
 1653-4 John sonne of Thomas Trowbridge February 16  
 1672-3 Thomas Trowbridge February 7

At the end of 1611: John Boone, John Trowbridge, Tristram Morse, church wardens.

At the end of 1615: Andrew Hendlygh, John Trowbridge, Francis Wills, wardens.

At the end of 1622: Mr. John Trowbridge, Mr. Hugh [Pitcher?], church wardens 1623.

St. Mary Magdalen Church, Taunton, was originally only a chapel dependent on the conventual church. In olden times there were seven chantries annexed to St. Mary Magdalen Church, and the priests who officiated in them were pensioned at the dissolution of the religious houses. The name of W. Trowbridge is given as the last incumbent of the Holy Cross fraternity and his yearly pension in 1553 stood at £4. He may have been Sir William Trowbridge, curate of Ruishton, whose will was proved at Taunton July 4, 1562.

## WILL OF SIR WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE, CURATE OF RUISHTON.\*

"In the name of God, Amen. In the year of our Lord God 1562 and on the 6th day of June. I, Sir William Trowbridge, Curate, Ruishton, of good mind and perfect remembrance, make this my last will and testament, in this manner following: First, I give my soul to Almighty God, and my body to be buried in Christian burial, at my parishioners' pleasure. Item, I give to the cathedral church of Wells, 4d, and to the poor 12d, and I give to the children of John Trowbridge, my brother, to every and each of them, 10s. Item, I give to Ruishton Church 3s, 4d. Item, I give to Alice Lane, my sister-in-law, 3s, 4d. The rest of my goods, not given nor bequeathed, to Dorothy White, the wife of John White, whom I make my sole executrix. Witness hereto, John Rowsewell, Clerk, Stephen Mather, John Zesar." [Archdeaconry of Taunton.]

## WILL OF WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE OF TAUNTON.

"In the name of God, Amen, in the yere of our Lorde god, 1575, and in the xxviiij day of maye, I, Willyam Trobridge, of the parische of St. James, by Taunton, beinge of perfitt mynd and memorie, Do make this my laste will & testamente in manner & forme as followethe. Firste I giue my sonle to almightie god, and my body to be buried in the churche or churchyarde of St. James aforesaide. Item I giue all my goodes, moveable and vnmoveable, Debtes, & others, that were & is Dew vnto me, vnto my four children, viz: to William, Alice, Julian, and Elizabeth Trobridge, whom I make my whole & ioynte executors. And, if it aney of them to Die, the goodes to be divided amongeste the reste of my said children that shall happen to be alive, and to the bringinge vp of my saide children. And my will is that my fathe-i-law, John Springe, and my brother,

\* Modernized spelling.

Thomas Trobridge, shall be my ouerseers, to & for the beholf of my foresaid children during their minoritie, & for the bringinge vp of them. And the residue that is and shalbe left, over and aboue the premises, my will is that it shalbe divided umougeste my aforesaide children, in equal portions. And for their paines I giue to John Springe my beste cloke, and vnto my brother, Thomas Trobridge, my beste spanishe leather gerkin. In wittnes of this to be of trothe, is John Awdrie and Richarde Berrie with others." Administration during the minority of the executors granted to the overseers named in the will June 6, 1575. [Archdeacoury of Taunton, no. 5, p. 200.]

June 27, 1610. "Bill of Complaint of Thomas Trowbridge of Taunton Somerset, mercer, that whereas being seized etc of one messuage and dwelling house situate in Taunton standinge in the Markett place and bodye of the same Towne uere unto a certen Crosse commonly called the High Crosse there unto which dwellinge house in the fore part thereof there is a verie faire and spacious shoppe belouinge and standinge under the Rouffe of the said Messuage which shopp standeth and openly to that part of the streete of the said Towne where the chiefe part of the Markett place of the said Towne is and where the greatest Concourse of people (in the tyme of the marketts here) ys beinge a Markett of greatest request and chiefest note in all the Country there aboutes By Reason of which convenient standinge of the said Shoppe your said Orator having had the use and possession of the said Shoppe by the space of neere Thirtie yeres . . . . and being far stricken in age desiring to let same . . . . John Trowbridge his natural and ouly son having the nexte shoppe adjoining . . . . for selling of woolle clothes . . . . Your orator being desirous to prefer one Thomas Chicke of the said Towne of Taunton . . . . some time your orator's servant . . . . to whom he grauted about half a year ago a lease of the said shoppe for your orators Chick's live, said Chick promising to keep the shop for the same trade which not doing he must surrender it up, etc. But now so it is said Chick having bought a dwelling house with a shoppe in another remote place in the said towne to which he seeks to draw the custom and has shut up the orator's shopp and threatens to let it out for some other trade." Desires possession. "Answer of Thomas Chick, defendant, June 30, 1610. Says that 3 or 4 years ago the complainant leased the said shoppe to Benjamin Cosyns of Taunton, mercer, for complainant's life at £7 yearly who entered in and traded for 2 or 3 years but said Cosyns shortly after growing in decay was compelled to give said shopp over to one James Proctor of London, mercer, the said defendant being his customer and chapman has wished him to take over the business which he did with Complainant's knowledge, but not being able to furnish it suitably would desire to lett it till he is more able." [Chancery Proceedings, Mitford, 115, no. 104.]

From the above bill of complaint it appears that Thomas Trowbridge, the elder, was a mercer and a man of wealth. That he was a man of generous impulses and public spirit the following account of the well-known Trowbridge Charity, established by him, bears witness:

"On the 4th of December, 1614, Thomas Trowbridge, the elder, of Taunton, granted and assigned unto ten trustees two closes or pieces of ground, called Tunaways, the one consisting of five acres, and the other one acre, and lying in West-Monkton, for the residue of a term of one thousand years, commencing on the 28th of September, 1613, upon trust, that out of the rents and profits of the said closes, then worth six pounds per annum clear to pasture, there should be paid on St. Andrew's Day yearly, unto the churchwardens and overseers of St. Mary Magdalen, six pounds, whereof they were to pay on that day yearly, to the churchwardens and overseers of St. James, in or near Taunton, forty shillings, to be by them distributed amongst forty of the poorest, oldest, most honest, and impotent poor of that parish, by a shilling a-piece; the same distribution to be made on St. Thomas's Day, before Christmas; and within a month after such distribution, the said overseers of St. James to give a note of the names of those that received the said benevolence to the churchwardens and overseers of St. Mary Magdalen aforesaid.

"And that the residue, being four pounds, should be distributed by the said churchwardens and overseers of St. Mary Magdalen, amongst eighty of the like poor of that parish, by one shilling a-piece, the same day; and a note kept of the names of the said poor, and such names delivered in at Easter, before the constables of the borough of Taunton, two or more of the trustees being called in.



And if the profits amounted to more than six pounds, the residue to be in like manner distributed amongst the poor of Taunton St. Mary Magdalen, and to be accounted for as aforesaid. And if the profits should not amount to six pounds, then a proportional abatement to be made on each parish, and the residue to be distributed as aforesaid. And when the number of trustees should come to four, then a new deed to be made to some person or persons, who should assign their interest back again to these four, and as many more as they should think expedient, the major part to be the most efficient and honest inhabitants of the town of Taunton; so that the term might be preserved to the uses aforesaid. And that this gift should go on to the increase of the relief of the poor, and not to ease any rate or taxation. And the donor desired that the poor should be assembled on St. Thomas's Day, at divine service, at their respective parish churches, except such as could not; and after the distribution made, the donors name to be mentioned, and they put in mind to thank God for His mercy."\*

On the west wall of the south porch of St. Mary's Church is a tablet, about two feet six inches long by one foot three inches wide, painted black, with the following inscription in gilt letters:

*Mr. Tho<sup>s</sup> Trowbridge by  
deed gave out of his Lands  
in Westmonkton, to the  
Poor of Taunton S<sup>t</sup> Mary  
Magdalen, the Sum of  
Four Pounds P<sup>r</sup> An: to be  
distributed by the Church  
Wardens and Overseers  
on S<sup>t</sup> Thomas's Day, and  
Forty-shillings P<sup>r</sup> An: to  
Taunton S<sup>t</sup> James's, but  
if the Lands yield more  
then the overplus to the  
Poor of Taunton S<sup>t</sup> Mary  
Magdalen, and if less, then  
a proportionable abate-  
ment of both Parishes.  
He died 1619.*

A similar tablet is also placed in St. James's Church.

\* Savage's "History of Taunton," pp. 240-2. This charity is still distributed under the above terms.

In connection with the foregoing account of the charity the following letter from Mr. Henry Trowbridge (No. 50) of New Haven, Conn., to his brother Thomas will be of interest to members of the family.

London, January 20, 1860.

"I visited Taunton yesterday. Immediately on arriving there I went to St. Mary Magdalen, sent for the sexton, and inquired for the celebrated tablet, the inscription of which you know. I asked him if he could tell me where our revered ancestor was buried. He could not; for in the restoration of the church all the vaults were filled up and paved over. The original slabs over the graves were, except as taken care of by descendants, all worked over and placed in the pavement of the side aisles, and nearly all so worn down by passing over them as to be entirely defaced. On one the letters TROW on one side was distinct, but nothing else could be deciphered. The slab appeared to have been cut in two, or reduced to conform in width to the rest of the pavement. I think this was our ancestor's slab, but there is nothing certain about it. After spending as long a time in and about the church as was desirable, I inquired about the wardens, and where the active or leading one lived. I found he was the editor of the Taunton paper, and not far off, and so went in search of him, and luckily found him at home and sent up my card. He soon made his appearance. I immediately told him I was a direct descendant from Thomas Trowbridge, whose good deed was recorded in stone in St. Mary's. He seemed much pleased to see me, and at once spoke of the charity as conferring a blessing annually upon the poor. I, of course, was all anxiety to know about it, so he brought out the book headed *Trowbridge Charity*, in which the annual receipt and distribution is recorded and balanced. There has never, from the day of Thomas' death, been a failure to distribute the annual income according to the spirit of the will, but not always to the letter. For a long time the shillings were given to the poor without calling them together in the church, as the will directs; but Mr. May, the present acting warden, and for many years past, a man of about your age and size, and with just your love and veneration for the past, determined to restore the former usage in exact conformity to the will, and did so; so that now, on St. Thomas' day, 'the poorest, oldest, most honest and impotent poor' of the parish of St. Mary Magdalen are assembled at the church, except such as could not, when divine service is held and a sermon preached to them, previous to which each one receives a shilling ticket, and at the close receives from the rector a shilling on presenting the ticket, 'when the donor's name is mentioned and the poor put in mind to thank God for his mercy.' The day is wholly given up to this distribution. Mr. May says it is a most pleasing duty, and would have gratified me beyond measure to have witnessed the last distribution, 21st of December, and regretted exceedingly he did not know I was so near, so as to have invited me to it. He says there are always more applicants than the fund will supply. Many were eighty years of age, hardly any below fifty, who participate. Any surplus remaining over is given in loaves of bread to the most deserving, in addition to the shilling piece. But a still greater good results from the charity than the temporal relief. It is that these aged and impotent poor who are prevented from attending church, perhaps for the whole year, on this day hear the Gospel preached, expressly adapted to them, and under the most impressive circumstances, as it comes with the charity which warms and feeds them. The charity is one of five of a similar character, but is the largest, and yielding now £20. Of course I was all anxiety to see the land, which I learned was about a mile from town. So Mr. May, leaving the rector with whom he was engaged, got into the carriage and drove with me to it. The day was beautiful, a bright sun shining, and as we halted in front of the lot, I thought I never saw so fair a field. The largest of the two fields contains five acres, and very similar to our large lot on the hill, except it rises gently from the highway, instead of receding. It is surrounded with a hawthorn hedge, one half in grass and half in cultivation. From an old oak in the center of the lot, I gathered some dry leaves which entwined it, one of which I send you. The oak is old enough to have sheltered our progenitor from the noon day sun, as he walked over his beautiful field. From the center I cut a small rod, which I have in a box, and will endeavor to carry safe to you, so that there may be a marriage of the lands of the Thomas of 1614 and the Thomas of 1860. The other lot is separated from the one first visited by a strip of land, contains one acre, also lying on the highway. Both are precisely as they were when the will was made in 1614, in bounds and metes.

"Is it not strange that a charity founded by will, more than two hundred and forty-five years ago, at that time so insignificant, should have continued, unimpaired, and at this day shedding a fourfold blessing upon the poor, and for that space of time the land remained in the same use as when the donor lived? I could not but think, as the warden described the joy of the poor in listening to the religious services, and afterwards, with tears, receiving their share of the good man's bestowment, that in him his descendants had been blessed. Mr. May said he was glad to have a descendant to render his account to, and made a copy of his last account, 1858. (That of 1859 was not closed in the parish book.) I send you a copy of it:



ST. MARY MAGDALEN CHURCH, TAUNTON, ENGLAND.







INTERIOR OF ST. MARY MAGDALEN CHURCH, TAUNTON, ENGLAND.

## TROWBRIDGE CHARITY, 1858.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>
April 29, to cash to Messrs.		
French for half year's rent to		By stamps, postage, . . . . .
Lady Day last, . . . . .	£7 10 0	Purchasing 500 cards, . . . . .
Nov. 4, do. to Michaelmas last,	7 10 0	Dec. 20, to income allowed Mr.
Dec. 20, do. to Downing Blake		Blake, . . . . .
Esq., one year's rent to Michael-		Dec. 21, distribution at St.
mas last, . . . . .	5 5 0	Mary's Church, . . . . .
		Cash to wardens of St. James',
	£20 5 0	£20 5 0

"Mr. May said the charge for tickets only occurred once in several years. It is for the shilling ticket given to the poor before the service, which they present at the close for the shilling. By the number you may judge of the number of applicants. I have run hastily over the items, but have given you enough to show you that your honored ancestor's will has been faithfully carried out, and will be for centuries to come, thereby showing how much encouragement there is for us all to leave a blessing upon unborn generations."

Mr. Thomas Trowbridge died in Taunton, February 20, 1619-20. By the provisions of his will, made in the preceding July, and proved May 6 following, his large property was divided between his children, grandchildren, relatives, friends and dependents, his only son, John Trowbridge, being the residuary legatee and sole executor.

## WILL OF THOMAS TROWBRIDGE OF TAUNTON.

"In the name of God. Amen. The sixth daye of Julye, in the yeare of or Lord god, 1619, and in the Seaventeenth yeare of the Rigne of or Sovereigne Lorde James, by the grace of God, Kinge of Englande, France and Ireland, Defender of the faythe, And of Scotlande, the Two and fiftieth, I, Thomas Trowbridge of Taunton in the County of Somersett Merchant ttaylor, beinge sicke in bodye, but of perfect memory, thankes be giuen to Almighty god, doe hearby make and declare this my Will, thereby makinge my last will & testament in manner followinge. Inprimis I comitt my soule into the hands of Almighty god, trustinge to be saved by the merrittes, Death, and passion of my onely and allsufficient saviour Jesus Christ, and by noe other wayes or meanes whatsoever. And my bodye to the earth, from whence it was taken, in sure and certayne hope of a joyfull resurrection, at the last daye. And my desire is to be buried in, or neare the sepulchre of my late beloved wife, in the parish Church of Marye Magdalen, in Taunton. And for my worldly goods, wherewth the Lorde hath blessed mee, my will, intent, and meaninge is, that the same should be ymployed, and bestowed in manner, and forme following. Item I giue and bequeath vnto soe many of the Children of my soune John Trowbridge, wch shall be livinge at the tyme of my decease, to each of them Tenne pounds. And my further will and meaninge is, that if any of my said sonnes Children as aforesaid, shall depthe this lyfe, before such childe or children shall accomplish the age of One and twenty yeares (not beinge married) That then the porcions to him, her, or them, soe giuen and bequeathed, shalbe equally divided amongst the rest of the Children survivinge. Item I giue and bequeath unto Thomas Trowbridge my Nephewe, the three greate Chestes in the Shoppe, sixe greate ringes boxes, one case of smale boxes, one fayre glasse boxe, with all the Shelfes in the shoppe, The greate Spruse cheste in the hall, one Table borde, and forme in the hall, one Cupborde, one Rounde boarde, one skreene in the hall, wth all the seilinge, and benchinge, and boards vnderfecte in the hall, Twelve platters in the Buttery, wth sixe Candle-stickes, one Rason and Ewer, The Chayre in the hall, and all other thinges belonginge to the hall. Item I giue, and bequeath vnto my Kinswoman Joane Parry,\* the wife of Stephen Parrye, gent, the square wroughte table boarde, and frame, standinge in the Dyinge chamber, and the Carpett wroughte wth copper, and cruell, belonginge to it, the Cypers Cheste in the Rayne Chamber, the Bedsteade, wherein I lye, in the Rayne Chamber, performed wth Featherbed, Boulster, pillowes, the seconde best Coverlett, and Curtaynes and sheets, my best quilt, salte, the eleaven silver spoones, wth rounde knobbes, and the newest warminge panne. Item I giue and bequeath vnto Martha Webbe, Agnes Webbe, and Alice Webbe, daughters of Benedict Webbe, and Alice his late wife my daughter, to each of them the some of

\* Her maiden name was not found.

Tenne pounds. And my further will, intent, and meaninge is, That yf any or eyther of them shall departe this life before such childe, or children shall accomplish the age of one and twenty yeares, (not beinge married) That then all such porc'ons of them, or eyther of them soe dyinge, and formerly given, and bequeathed, shall remaine to the survivor or survivors, amongst them equally to be divided. Item I giue and bequeath vnto Francis and Marye Godsall, the daughters of Robert Godsall, and Dorothe his late wife my daughter, to each of them the sum of Tenne pounds. And my further will and meaninge is, if eyther of them shoulde departe this life, before she shall accomplish the age of one and twenty yeares, not beinge married, That then the porc'on soe bequeathed vnto her shall remaine vnto the survivor. Item I giue and bequeath vnto my Cosen Joane Pratten,\* the wife of Thomas Pratten of Taunton, the some of Forty shillings, and to each of her Children w<sup>ch</sup> shall be livinge at the tyme of my death Twenty shillings apeece. Item I giue and bequeath vnto Mr. Richard Mercer, Schoolemr of the Castle schoole, in Taunton. Forty shillings. Item I giue and bequeath vnto Mr. Richarde Davies, Minister of St. James, the some of Forty shillings. Item I giue and bequeath vnto Margery Wrentmore my late servant, the some of Three pounds. Item I giue and bequeath vnto Elizabeth Webber, the some of Three pounds. Item I giue and bequeath vnto Roberte Andrewes my servant, the some of Three pounds. Item I giue and bequeath vnto Joane Parry my servant, the some of Three pounds. Item I giue and bequeath vnto Elizabeth Harris my servant, the some of Three pounds. All the rest of my goodes and chattelles, moneable and vnmoueable, my debtes paide, and Legacies, and funerall discharged, I giue and bequeath vnto my beloved some John Trowbridge, whome I make, ordaine, and appointe the sole Executor of this my last will and testament, thereby revokinge, renouncinge and repealinge all other will or willes herebefore made. And I doe most earnestly intreate my welbeloved freinds John Clarke, & Doctor of Divinity, and Lewes l'ope, to bee my Overseers, to see this my last will and testament to be pformed in all thinges accordinge to my true intent and meaninge. And for their paines and travell therein to be taken, I giue vnto each of them the some of Forty shillings. And for the better assurance of all the p'mises, I have pronounced, divulged, and declared this to be my last will & testament, and haue subscribed my name therevnto, and sealed it w<sup>th</sup> my seale, the daye and yeare aboue written, in the presence of those, whose names are vndersubscribed. This will was sealed, signed, delivered, and published as his last will, in the presence of vs, John Goodwyn, George Randall, Lewes Pope, Robert Mockridge, John Wrentmore." Proved May 6, 1620. [Prerogative Court of Canterbury, Soame, 45.]

Satisfactory proof of the ancestry of Thomas Trowbridge has not been found. He had a brother who had a son Thomas, for he mentions the latter in his will. He may have been a brother of William Trowbridge of Taunton, whose will, made in 1575, mentions his "brother Thomas Trowbridge," as if the latter were well known. John, son of Thomas, afterwards named a son William. Thomas or William was probably the father of William, Agnes and Thomasine Trowbridge, baptized in St. Mary Magdalen, Taunton, in 1564, 1567 and 1569, respectively.

The name of the wife of Mr. Thomas Trowbridge was not found. As is stated in his will, she died before him and was buried in St. Mary Magdalen Church. They had the following

## CHILDREN :†

- i. ALICE, bapt. June 24, 1568; m. Benedict Webb of Kingswood, Wiltshire.
- ii. JOHN, bapt. Mar. 25, 1570. (See next paragraph.)
- iii. DOROTHY, bapt. ———, 15—; m. Sept. 22, 1594, Robert Godsall of Taunton.

John Trowbridge, only son of Thomas Trowbridge, seems to have resided all his life in Taunton, where from early youth he was in business as a wooldraper. As his father's heir, he became at the latter's death the chief Trowbridge in Taunton, and was a man of wealth and prominence. In middle age he was elected mayor of the town, and appears to have been conscientious in performing the duties of that office. He was for many years one of the wardens of St. Mary

\* Her maiden name was not found. The Parish Register of St. Mary Magdalen records the marriage July 11, 1588, of "Thomas Pratten and Joane Uxor ejus."

† Mentioned in their father's will. The baptisms of i and ii are recorded in the Parish Register of St. Mary Magdalen, Taunton.



Magdalen Church and was also a member of the board of trustees of the almshouse which had been founded in 1615 by Richard Huish, Esq., of London and was one of the important institutions of Taunton. The following documents refer to Mayor John Trowbridge and his family.

November 22, 1613. "Bill of Complaint of John Trowbridge of Taunton, county Somerset, wollen draper that John Rolle late of Stevenston, county Devon, gent and Margaret his wiffe about December in the 9th year of the late Queen Elizabeth did lease to Richard Starre, Edmond Starre and Elizabeth Starre, wife of the said Richard Starre three Burgages then in occupation of William Scoryer, deceased, for a terme of 3 lives at a yearly rent of 20s. with the condition that if the said Richard Edmond and Elizabeth or one of them during their lives did dwell from the premises and there in did not make their continuall abode that the said John Rolle and Margaret or their heirs re-enter, also to collect all rents, etc. and pay same quarterly etc after which tyme said John and Margaret died and the lands descended to Sir Henry Rolle, Knt, son of said John and Margaret, which said John, Richard, Edmond and Elizabeth Starre being growne into some poverty ordered the tenants of his Burgages (except the aforesaid three) not to pay their rents as before to the Starres, but to one Simon Kingston of Bishopp Lyddard, county Somerset, yeoman whom he appointed his Bayliffe and afterwards gave licence to Richard Starre (who is yet living) to assign his interest in the three messuages to said Simon Kingston, etc and about the 7th year of the present king, said Richard Starre demised the same for 60 years if he so long should live unto which said Simon entered untill now within two years at 20s to be paid yearly to Richard Edmond and Elizabeth Starre But so it now is that said Kingston being much in debt he entreated your orator to buy of him his interest in the three Burgages which he did about the 3rd of April last—but on the ground that Richard Starre dwells from the same Sir Henry Rolle instituted process at Westminster to re-enter." etc. Answer of Sr. Henry Rolle Knt, Defendant November 30, 1613. "The Burgages in North Street, Richard Starre has lived away three years from the Burgages without Sr. Henry's licence." Prays the suit may be dismissed. A further answer. A third answer, etc. [Chancery Proceedings, Mitford, 19, no. 88.]

[1624.] "This indenture the 20 January in the one and twentieth year of the reign of the King between Benedict Webb of Kingswood, County Wilts, gent, of the one part and John Trobridge of Taunton, county Somerset, Woollen draper sonne and heir of Thomas Trobridge, deceased, of the other part witnesseth that said Webb in consideration of £100, by said Thomas Trobridge paid in his life time as for good causes hath given and sold unto the said John Trobridge and his heirs all the land and tenement following that is to say one tenement in Stogwosey, county Somerset, now or late in tenure or occupation of one John Cordwent, and eleaven acres in Cannington in county Somerset, late in tenure of one Winter and one peice of land in Cannington called Jaottes land nowe or late in the tenure of said Winter and also foure closes of land, meadows and pasture at Claye Walles in said County of Somerset contaying twenty acres more or lesse: comonly called Hillaeres and Langhams now or late in occupation of one William Day and twenty acres of land and pasture in Spacton in said County with comon of pasture therevnto belonging nowe or late in tenure of Thomas Symondes and Robert Covett and one other close called Tuthill in Stogursey now or late in tenure of said John Cordwent and all other landes, tenements, common weares fishinges, woode vnderwoodes, etc in said County which one Nicholas Webb late of Kingswoode, deceased, father of said Benedict purchased to him and his heirs of one John Webbe, late of the Citie of Exon, likewise deceased . . . with all deeds, writings, etc." [Close Rolls, 21 James I, pte. 21, no. 6.]

November 6, 1626. "Bill of Complaint of John Trobridge of Taunton, Somerset, and Alice his wife, late the wife of Robert Read of Tiverton, county Devon, clothier, deceased. That the said Robert Read in his life time did vse the trade of Clothier and bought wool and go to many faires and markets, etc, did often journey to Provost, Cornwall, to buy and always did lodge there at the house of one Nowell Sprye who was a great gainer by said Reade who always paid ready money and died about 4 years since not being indebted to any person. Administration granted to said Alice and about two years since married your orator. Sprye now asserts that he lent £15 to said Read about 15 or 16 years ago for which he possesses a bond. Said Read bestowed at his death near £500 to pious uses. To gain his unjust purpose said Nowell Sprye combines with one Richard Sprye and one Constance Sprye of Provost and secretly prosecuted your orator John Trowbridge to an outlaw [sic] for the debts and compelled him to give

security which he had to pay." Praying Sprye shall return this. "Answer of Nowell Sprye Defendant." Statement of account. "Answer of Richard Sprye and Constance his wife." Mrs. Hartnoll of Tiverton mentioned. [Chancery Proceedings, Charles I, T. 43, no. 45.]

June 19, 1629. "Bill of Complaint of John Trowbridge of Taunton, Somerset, woollen draper being six yeares ago seized in a parcell of land called Raw Morris or Rawe Marshe in the parish of Cannington, Somerset then in tenure of John Colford and before in tenure of John Jenkins, which for certain sums complainant agreed to convey to said John Colford who pretending to doubt the title obtained the deeds of all lands bought by your orator from his brother in law, Benedict Webb. Now complainant having sold part of the land to one John Mallet and others, cannot obtain his deeds desires relief." [Chancery Proceedings, Charles I, Mitford, S9, no. 290.]

January 1, 1630. "Bill of Complaint of John Trowbridge of Taunton, co Somerset, Draper. Whereas one Richard Huyshe of Blackefryers in London gent not long before his death did found an hospitall in Taunton Magdalen and appointed yo<sup>r</sup> orator one of his Executors and trustees for said hospital. Yo<sup>r</sup> orator having expended divers somes of money for sayd hospitall or almshouses now claims payment," etc. [Chancery Proceedings, Charles I, B & A, T 5, 17.]

May 6, 1630. "Bill of Complaint of John Trowbridge, the elder of Taunton, Somerset, gent, now Mayor of same, against the Trustees of certain lands etc. left for the poor. William Hill of Ponnasford, gent, Somerset, Roger Prowse, gent, Andrewe Hendley, gent, William Lestand or Lechlend, gent, Robert Hill, gent, Anthony Rowse, gent, Hughe Godsall, Phillip Lissent, the elder, Richard Saunders, Thomas Chicke, Hugh Hill, Hugh Pitcher, Roger Hill, Jasper Chaplen, Thomas Hester, Robert Moggeridge, Henry Godsall and Peter Godwyne." [Chancery Proceedings, Charles I, Mitford, T 36, 337.]

October 1, 1630. "Bill of Complaint of John Trowbridge of Taunton in the County of Somersett the elder, gentleman nowe Mayor of the towne and Burrough of Taunton, Richard Pittes, Edward Cooper, Charles Withers, John Button, Henry West, Edward Webber and other inhabitants of the said towne. Concerninge lands given for the use of the poor, the rents of which and writings are detained by the trustees. William Hill of Ponnasford, Somerset, gent, Roger Prowse, gent, Andrewe Henley, gent, William Lechlande, gent, Robert Hill, gent, Anthony Rowse, gent, Hugh Godsell, Phillip Lissent the elder, Richard Saunders, gent, Peter Godwyne, Thomas Hester, William Powell, gent, to give the account books, etc. [Chancery Proceedings, Charles I, Mitford, 36, 327.]

December 8, 1634. "Answer of Roger Prowse gent, to Bill of John Trowbridge gent, & others compts. That he believes certain lands were given to the inhabitants of Taunton for use of the poore & other uses, lending money to pore tradesmen without interest &c., &c., & security for sd. somes was given by bonds wch the constables & magistrates of sd. towne used to deliuer &c. about twenty years since a suite concerning one Osmond Withers concerning tythe of some of sd. towne lands & diuers writings &c. concerning sd. lands were deliued to sd. parties in suite &c. & some after deliued to this deft. & some to other pties, this Deft. is ready to give upp same to chest where others are & hath not had other bills &c., &c. that 5 yrs. sine received £20 to be lent to pore tradesmen by one Mr. William Simons this Deft. then maior & lent same to 4 tradesmen & took bonds for payment in 3 years & shortly after deliud same to Mr. John Trowbridge he then maior. This Deft. bath not made any other leases of sd. towne lands unless ioyned with sd. John Trowbridge & other defts," etc. [Chancery Proceedings, Charles I, B & A, T 16, 18.]

"Answers of William Hill, gent. & Robert Hill gent. 2 of the Complots to Bill of John Trowbridge gent. & others Complots. [same suit apparently]. That Roger Hill Esq. decd., father of ( ) William Hill & Alexander Hill gent, also decd., father of this deft. were feoffes of sd. towne lands & this deft. William Hill after death of his father Roger Hill & this deft. Robert Hill after death of his father, Alexander Hill, found some writings &c. & deliud same up to complt John Trowbridge." etc.

"Answer of Hugh Pitcher gent, Hugh Godsall gent., William Lechland gent., Thomas Chick, Hugh Hill, Roger Hill gent., Phillip Lissent, the elder, Jesper Chaplin, Thomas Hester, Robert Mogeridge, Richard Saunders, Henry Godsall, William Powell & Peter Godwin some of the defts to Bill of John Trowbridge & others Complots." [Chancery Proceedings, Charles I, B & A, T 17, 57.]

"Will of John Roze the elder of Lyme Regis, county Dorset, Merebant, 11 September 1627; [proved 1627]. To poor of St. Burlado, Isle of Jersey, where I was born, £10. To Richard Roze mine only son and hier apparent all my lands in Isle of Jersey, and John Trowbridge, my son in law, and Judith his wife, my eldest daughter, and Faith and Johan Roze, my youngest daughters, shall release their claims to my said son. To Fayth Roze, my wife, £200, and an annuity of £15 payable by her Brother Anthony Ellesdon, gent, out of lands in Whitechurch. To my wife £100 a year for life in lieu of her dower. To Faith my daughter £100 for her marriage portion, also £100 for same purpose to my daughter Johan. To Judith my daughter, wife of John Trowbridge the younger, £100, she giving up her claim to lands called Gooslegan. To each of my godchildren, Johan Ellesdon, Mary Bragge, John Rley, William Roze, John Fowler, and John Marten, son of John Marten, 40s. To each of my servants saving John Arthur 20s apiece. Residuary legatee and executor: son Richard. Overseers: Anthony Ellesdon, gent.; my brother in law, John Roze the younger, merchant, my kinsman, John Trowbridge, my son in law. Witnesses: Anthoy Carbery, Anthony Ellesdon, Geo. Wood." [Prerogative Court of Canterbury, Skynner, 104.]

WILL OF JOHN TROWBRIDGE, THE YOUNGER, OF TAUNTON.\*

"Will of John Trowbridge the younger of Tawnton, county Somerset, Woollen Draper, 26 December 1630; [proved 26 January 1630-1]. To Judeth my wife all my plate and linnen and household stuff on condition she convey to my father John Trowbridge the house I now dwell in. To my sister Faith Roasse 20s. for a ring. To the poor of Tawnton and St. James £5. To Sarah Hill of Bridgwater the sum of . . . . To my cosen Henry Hurley I say £5.† To Rice Fitchett and . . . . or to my overseers to discharge them out of trouble for good things £10 if they be sued in the high Commission Court. To the procuring of a good preacher to be Mr. Vickar after Mr. Clarke his decease. Residuary Legatee and Executor, Father John Trowbridge. Overseer, My cosen William Hill of Bridgwater and Mr. Henry Evan of Tawnton. Witnesses, Anto: Erbery, Jno Atkins." [Prerogative Court of Canterbury, St. John, 2.]

November 16. 1631. "Bill of Complaint of John Trobridge of Taunton, county Somerset, gent That whereas about 3 years ago a marriage was had between John Trowbridge the younger your orators eldest† sonne and Judith Rose, daughter of Fayth Rose of Lyme Regis, county Dorset, widow at which time your orator did bestow so much landes to his son to the sum of £1500 and the said Fayth Rose did lend to him £100 and took his bond which later out of good will she forgave him thinking to deliver up the bond. And there being great dealings between the said John Trowbridge, junior, and Richard Rose of Lyme Regis, brother of said Judith for divers wares, goodes, and merchandizes and during this tyme said John Trowbridge did send divers parcellis of wollen cloth to said Rose to sell he being a draper. And whereas about december last said John Trowbridge fell sick and made his will devising to his wife Judith all his household stuff, plate, etc as was well worth £1300 and ordained your said orator to be his executor and shortly died without issue and your orator took upon him execution of will, and being in greate griefe and heviness for the death of his said sonne, the rather that he would not geve vnto the said Judith his wife, cause of discomfort, did not make serches or enquiry for any writings, specialities or money of said testator but suffered said Judith his wife to take away all moneys, writings, Chestes and Cupboardes besides the plate soe given unto her as aforesaid, not thinking she would deal unjustly with him. During the time of testators sickness, Judith his wife, said Richard Rose, Faith Rose, daughter of said Faith Rose, widow, Edward Webber of Taunton, Anthony Ellesdon, George Bragge and Edward Williams were daily and howerly with the testator, etc yet never mentioned any money due then from testator untill 3 or 4 dayes after the funerall when said Richard Rose made claim for the aforesaid £100, which orator would pay if Faith his widow would on oath claim same, which she refuses to do. Your orator can only prove the gift by such witnesses as are soeould and impotent that they cannot travell vnto any place farre distant from their owne dwelling," etc. "Answers of Richard Rose, Anthony Ellesdon, Faith Rose, widow Faith Rose her daughter, and Judith Trobridge, widow, defendants. Faith Rose, widow denies she forgave the debt. Judith Trobridge denies taking away anything." [Chancery Proceedings, Charles I, T 31, no. 11.]

\* Son of Mayor John Trowbridge and brother of Thomas Trowbridge, the primitive settler in America.

† The preceding five words are scratched out.

‡ The use here of the word "eldest" must have been an error of the lawyer who drew the complaint and who probably did not know of the absent son Thomas, who was at that time living in Exeter.

February 8, 1637. "Bill of Complaint of John Trowbridge of Taunton, Somerset, woollen-draper that his son intermarrying with Judith Rose, daughter of John Rose of Lyme Regis, county Dorset, gent, deceased, shortly after marriage one Richard Rose brother of said Judith persuaded your orator's son to adventure commodities etc beyond the seas and with Faith Rose widow promised to lend him £100 apeece gratis, the said Richard having occasions beyond the seas would act as his factor" [Long faded piece. The defendants seek recovery of the £100 honds. Sets forth certain properties.] "Answers of Robert Henley Esquier and Faith Rose, widow, two of the defendants. Faith Rose sayth at the marriage the complainant did yeild up his trade, shopp and wares to his sonne and that about the month of July 1628 she did lend complainants son £100 and denies she ever forgave him it. Robert Henley saith he heard it to be true that the complainant was to pay to Richard Roze £20 if Robert Henley this defendant's father and himself thought it fit for law costs. Robert Henley, brother in law to Richard Roze. Answer of Richard Roze, defendant." [Chancery Proceedings, Charles 1, T 35, 72.]

"The Joynt & severall further answers of Richard Roze & ffaith Roze Defts to the Bill of Complt of John Trowbridge Complt. All advantages of excepcion &c saved. Deft Richard saith that he cannot express the peell of Wollen cloth Kersies or waxe sent by John Trowbridge the younger to Deft to be transported beyond the seas nor what other dealings were had between Deft & the said John Trowbridge the younger & Judith his wife for that he kept noe books of account nor made any profit thereby nor direct the said Trowbridge to send any goods to him but only in courtesie & as a friend Deft dwelling at Lyme Regis in Co Dorset a Haven towne. True that Deft did send divers goods beyond the seas to Jacob Androwes factor to the sd Trowbridge who hath made account to said Trowbridge or ought so to do being his factor. Conceiveth that it doth not concerne this Deft at all that he took no account as he only saw to the goods being shipped at desire of said Trowbridge without any profit to Deft. Further denies that Complt or the said John Trowbridge the younger did cause any person or persons to pay the said £100 mentioned to be lent to the sd John Trowbridge the younger or to Complt by deft or the said ffaith Roze or that Deft or the said ffaith did allow or abate any part thereof. Further that Deft ffaith Roze did never say that she would give the said £100 lent by her to Complt or any part thereof to the said John Trowbridge or the said Judith his wife or ever promised to deliver up the said Bill for payment of the said hundred pounds & denieth that Complt hath ever compounded for the same nor was the said Bill in the hands of the said John Trowbridge the younger or Judith his wife at the time of the death of the said John the younger & the Deft ffaith Roze denyeth any promise to give the said £100 or deliuer up the said Bill unpaid until the same had been compounded & makes Similar answer with regard to other matters. Sworn at Lyme Regis Co Dorset 5 Oct. 1638." Goods were to go to St Mullens (after called St Malloves) in France. [Chancery Proceedings, Charles 1, B & A, T 33, 16.]

"Will of Agnes Moggeridge of Taunton, county Somerset, Spinster, wife of Robert Moggeridge of Taunton aforesaid, Clothier, 23 February 1632-3; [proved 14 November 1637]. By vertue of certain articles indented bearing date 19 April 1632 made between the said Robert Moggeridge of the one parte, John Trowbridge of Taunton aforesaid, woollen Draper, Roger Hill of the same gent, and Jasper Chaplyn of the same, clothier, of the othr parte to make my will as follows. To be buried in St. Mary Magdalene in Taunton, to which church I give 20s. To the poor of said Magdalene, Taunton 20s. To Robert Moggeridge a ring of 40s. To John Trowbridge my father a ring of 20s. To Alice Trowbridge my mother in lawe a ring of 20s. To each of my brothers and sisters a ring of 20s. each. If my son John Wither dye before his messuage shall be delivered to him by Robert Moggeridge, my husband that is during minority, then the said messuage which came to me by the will of Charles Wither my late husband, then the said messuage to Tacie Trowbridge my sister, and her heires, if she be dead to John Trowbridge my father and his right heirs. All the rest of my land I leave in the same way. The rest of my goods to Tacie Trowbridge my sister and executrix. Overseers and Guardians to my son, John Trowbridge, Roger Hill, and Jasper Chaplyn. Witnesses: John Porter, Henry Hourly, Gregory Southwood." [Prerogative Court of Canterbury, Goare. 139.]

February 2, 1634. "Complaint of Robert Moggeridge of Taunton, county Somerset, clothier, That whereas one Charles Wither of Taunton, mercer, now deceased about 50 years ago did borrow of one John Lane then living in this same towne £50 for one year and became bound with one Jasper Chaplyn, gent, as his surety to one bond of £100, but paid interest in lieu of repayment for two years, etc. Nov. 17 Charles said Wither made his will making Agnes, his then wife, his sole executrix, and shortly after died, etc., and in about six months your orator took said Agnes to wife. Said Agnes died about May last and your orator having laid out over £700 of his owne estate, hoping to get divers debts, etc., payable to said Charles Wither due upon bonds, bills and Shopp

bookes, and hoped to enjoy by his said intermarriage divers wares, goods, householdstufte, plate, Jewells, etc. Tacy Trowbridge another daughter and said John Trowbridge do pretend that said Withers left a will giving them all debts, goodes, wares, and other personal estate unadministered by the said Agnes and made one of them executor, etc." Answer of John and Tacy Trowbridge, two defendants, who offered the contents of Agnes Moggridge's will as evidence. [Chancery Proceedings, Charles I, M, S2/177.]

February 21 [?], 1635-6. "Bill of Complaint of Tacy Trowbridge of Taunton, county Somerset, daughter of John Trowbridge of Taunton, Woollendraper, that three years since your oratrix sister, Agnes, relict of Charles Wyther, deceased, was possessed of goods and certain debts owing to her by dyuers persons and of dyuers sorts of wares and household stufte etc, etc. to value of £2700, and then being a young woman about 26 one Robert Moggridge of Taunton, clobtier, then well stricken in years about march last three years past was suter to said Agnes in way of marriage, and that said marriage should take place and agreed between said Robert Moggeridge and said Agnes and friends, that said Robert in case said Agnes should survive said Robert, and be the said Robert should pay to John Trowbridge, father of said Agnes, Roger Hill, and Jasper Chaplin her friends for her use £1000 in one year after decease of said Robert if shee said Agnes survive, and that shee during her life should take the rents, etc., of all messuages, etc., of her said late husband Charles Wyther, and said lands, goods, etc, to be at her disposall, and this agreement put into writing about Aprill 8 Charles, between Robert Moggeridge of one part, John Trowbridge, Roger Hill of Taunton, gent, and Jasper Chaplin of Taunton, Clothier, friends trusted on behalf of said Agnes, etc, etc., and said Moggeridge also became bound in £3000 to performe said covenant, and said marriage was solemnised, after said marriage said Agnes sold certeyne wares of her said late husband and received certen Rents, etc., and gave same to said Robert in trust etc, etc., and to benefit your oratrix her sister about February 1632-3 made her will and made your oratrix Executrix and Residuary Legatee. Said Robert denies said will and agreement, refuses any books of accompt, has sold stocke, etc. With answer of Robert Moggeridge, Defendant." [Chancery Proceedings, Charles I, B. & A., T 38, 28.]

February 6, 1640. "Bill of Complaint of John Trowbridge of Taunton county Somerset, woollen draper for 40 years used said trade & bought goods of wholesale merchants in London, Bristol & elsewhere & had many dealings with Thomas Woodward of Bristol woollendraper about 2 yrs. July last bought goods to value of £46-19-8 & gave hond for 90£ for payment of same on 25 Jan'y next following, sd. Woodward promising to take noe penalty if whole some not payd precisoday &c.

Yo<sup>r</sup> orator payd in Feby next after by hands of Hugh Yoo of Bristol £40 part of sd. some & hath since tendered residne wch sd. Woodward refuses & ent'red suite in full penall some notwithstanding part payd," etc. Bill only. [Chancery Proceedings, Charles I, B & A, T 27, 7.]

February 6, 1640. "Bill of Complaint of John Trowbridge of Taunton in the County of Somerset Woollendrap That using his trade of a wollendraper from Childhood in the said towne of Taunton he had sundry dealings with divers persons in particular with Edward Byse of Croscombe in the said County clothier for severall parcellls of Woollen cloth & about twoe yeares since in respect of his age and other infirmities desirous of leaving off the said trade your orator & the said Byse came to an accompt touching such monies as were due & after accompt made it was found there remained due to the said Byse £54 & it was then agreed that in respect of the indifferent quality and overrating of some clothes the said Byse should abate £3 of the said £54. & your orator then paid the said Byse the some of £40 parcell of the remaynder & gave a Bill for payment of £11 residue at a date now past. Further the said Byse being then Constable of the Hundred in which he dwelt and Sir William Portman Bart (then living near your orator and far away from the dwelling house of the said Byse) being High Shreife of the said County the said Byse having to pay to the said Sir William Portman divers somes of money levied in the said County for shipmoney in respect of his office of Constable about a month before the said Bill became payable desired your orator to pay the said Sir William Portman £7 in respect of the sd Shipmoney parcell of the said Residue of £11. Which said £7 was due by the said Byse to the said Sir William Portman as aforesaid which your orator agreed to do & accordingly by writing acquainted the sd Sir William Portman of the same, who thereupon gave an acquittance to the said Byse of the said some of £7. and your orator after paid the said some of £7 to the said Sir William Portman as agreed. Now when the said Bill became due the said Byse refused your orator to accept £4 balance of the said £11 or to acknowledge the said payment of £7 albeit your orator proffered the same at the date when payable & hath put the said Bill in suite against your orator in the Kings Bench and threatens to recover the whole some of £11" etc. Bill only. [Chancery Proceedings, Charles I, B & A, T 25, 54.]

The following entries appear in the Taunton Castle Manor Records, Staple-grove Rental Book :

fo. 15	Obridg*	
[Worm off]	xxix <sup>a</sup> of Will ij <sup>a</sup> iiij <sup>d</sup> w <sup>th</sup> Called was sold Ff of the Fine vppon the mess yeardland is	John Trubbidg holdeth one meassege and half yeard of Bondland in the Tithinge aforesaid Called Rowbarton late John Colle the Rent vij <sup>a</sup> x <sup>d</sup> o <sup>b</sup> q for workes ij <sup>a</sup> o <sup>b</sup> for woodwaie ij <sup>d</sup> o <sup>b</sup> for Hogdaies weight iiij <sup>d</sup> for earthsilver j <sup>d</sup> the whole x <sup>a</sup> vj <sup>d</sup> o <sup>b</sup> q
	Seaman Higinham	x <sup>a</sup> vj <sup>ob</sup> q.
		Hee shall paie pannage and worke one daie in euerie yeere vpon the Lord Bankes yf need bee he shalbe allowed by the Biddle for his worke j <sup>d</sup> at the yeeres end hee shall bee receiuer Reeue and Tithingman and paie ij <sup>d</sup> outlode but being Tithingman is to be allowed his owne outlode for Collecting the Rest
		[many to pay as "John Trubbidg"]
fo. 15	A <sup>o</sup> xvij Eliz Ff iiij <sup>d</sup> being the First time	Thomas Trubbidg holdeth the Pasture of a lane at greene waie butte the Rent
		—vj <sup>d</sup>
fo. 20	Obridg	
	ese iij exchange acre latte	Thomas Trubbidg holdeth iij acres of o <sup>u</sup> land at greenewaies Butte in the Tithing aforesd late John Hutchens the Rent
		iiij <sup>a</sup>
[Worm off]	Ff xxxix <sup>a</sup> ij acres called the Tithing one and v acres forth in the— Pirland w <sup>ch</sup> d to Robert o ix Ja: vnder j <sup>a</sup> viij <sup>d</sup> soe remaines e rest the Tf of ij <sup>d</sup> devisioun	The same Thomas holdeth one messeage and one five Ac <sup>r</sup> Tennement of Bondland in the tithing aforesaid late John Hutchins the Rent xvij <sup>d</sup> workes ij <sup>a</sup> x <sup>d</sup> o <sup>b</sup> for Hogdaies weight iiij <sup>d</sup> the whole some is iiij <sup>a</sup> vj <sup>d</sup> o <sup>b</sup>
		iiij <sup>a</sup> vij <sup>d</sup> ob
		For meadsilver to the Reeue of Hull —j <sup>d</sup> Hee shall pay paunage and o <sup>b</sup> q outlode & doe all other sutes & seruices as he the said Thomas doth for the other five Ac <sup>r</sup> tennement
		P
	Bourne	
fo. 20	Obridg	
	A <sup>o</sup> xxij Eliz Ff x <sup>a</sup> A <sup>o</sup> iij S. G Ff x <sup>a</sup> Mr. Poyle	Thomas Trubbridg holdeth v Acres of o <sup>u</sup> land Called Goodens lands late John Hntschens the Rent
		v <sup>a</sup>
fo. 20	Obridg	
	A <sup>o</sup> xxij Eliz Ff vj <sup>a</sup> viij <sup>d</sup> A <sup>o</sup> primo S. G vj <sup>a</sup> viij <sup>d</sup> Mr Poyle Mr Bourne A <sup>o</sup> xxij Eliz Ff xx <sup>a</sup> iiij <sup>d</sup>	The same Thomas holdeth one messeag and one Ac <sup>r</sup> & half of Bondland in the Tithing aforesaid late Hutchins the Rent Item for workes iiij <sup>d</sup> the whole some The same Thomas holdeth one messeag and one five Ac <sup>r</sup> Tennement of Bondland
		xvij <sup>d</sup>

\* Obridge was a hamlet in the parish of Taunton-St. James and lay about one mile east of the church. Here was an ancient mill, held under the castle of Taunton at the rent of £6-1s-8d.

A° xx S G F/ xx° iiij <sup>d</sup>	in the Tithing aforesaid late John Hutchins the Rent ij° xj <sup>d</sup> for workes ij° x <sup>d</sup> o <sup>b</sup> for Houghdaies weigit iiij <sup>d</sup> whole for meadsilver to the Reene of Hull j <sup>d</sup> He shall pay pannage & shalbe Tithing man & biddell he shall worke one daie in eu'y yeere as aforesaid and pay o <sup>b</sup> q outlode but being Tithingman is to be allowed his own outlode	vj° j <sup>d</sup> ob
Mr. Bourn		
fo. 21	Obridge	
A° xxvij Eliz F/ ij° vj <sup>d</sup>	Thomas Trubbridg holdeth ij Acres of o <sup>l</sup> land in Longforth against Rylande in the Tithing aforesaid late Robert Merrick the Rent	iiij°
A° xviii Eliz F/ ij° vj <sup>d</sup>		
Mr. Poyle		
Mr B		
fo. 21	Thomas Trubbridg holdeth vij Acres and half of ou' land Called Rylande and v Acres of o <sup>l</sup> Land in the Mores Called Rylande in the Tithing aforesaid late Roger Smyth Rent	xij vj <sup>d</sup>
A° xxxv Eliz F/ xiiij° iiij <sup>d</sup>		
A° xvij Eliz F/ xiiij° iiij <sup>d</sup>		
Mr Poyle		
	P Poyel	
fo. 21	Obridge	
A° xxx Eliz F/ xij° iiij <sup>d</sup>	John Trubbridg holdeth ij Acres of o <sup>l</sup> land in Longforth late Thomas Trubbridg his father and sometime Edward Knight Rent	iiij°
xxiiij F/ xij° iiij <sup>d</sup>		
Mr Poyle		
fo. 30	Staplegrove*	
The F/ of this ij acre is charged w <sup>th</sup> a five acre tennement in the Tithing of Obridge	Thomas Trubbridg holdeth ij Acres of o <sup>l</sup> land in Whitmore in the tithing aforesaid late John Hutchens the Rent	xij <sup>d</sup>
William Pounsbury	William Pounberi	
fo 34	Pirland†	
A° xxxj Eliz F/ xviii° ij <sup>d</sup>	John Trubbridg holdeth iiij Acres of o <sup>l</sup> land in Langforth in the Tithing aforesaid Called Waterle late John Austens the Rent	x°
A° xxvij Eliz F/ xvij ij°		
Edward Ponde	poyel	
Samuel Poyell		
A° ix Ja: Rege F/ xj° viij <sup>d</sup>	Robt Huish holdeth v Acres of o <sup>l</sup> land in Longforth in the Tithing aforesaid late John Trubbridg the Rent	iiij° viiiij <sup>d</sup>
Roger Huish		
Laurence Chislate		
fo. 38	Millane‡	
A° xx Eliz F/ xiiij° iiij <sup>d</sup>	John Trubbridg holdeth one Cottage w <sup>th</sup> a courtledge Containing ij Deanes of Bond land in the Tithing aforesaid late Henry Merrieke the rent	xv <sup>d</sup>
Mr Anthill		
fo 39	Millane	
A° xx° Eliz F/ iiij° iiij <sup>d</sup>	Thomas Trubbridge holdeth one Cottage next to Satchels Cottage in the Tithing aforesaid sometime Walter Browne the Rent	iiij <sup>d</sup>
Mr Anthill		
A° xxxv° Eliz F/ x° vj <sup>d</sup>	Thomas Trubbridge holdeth one message and v Ae <sup>r</sup> tennements of Bondland in the Tithing aforesaid sometime Elizabeth Tubbell rent	vj° vj <sup>d</sup>
anno ix Ja: the ij five acre tennements w <sup>th</sup> ij Cottages in this tithing is now all vnder the Fine of xliiiij° x <sup>d</sup>		
Mr Anthill		

\* Staplegrove was a tithing in the parish of the same name.

† Pirland was a hamlet in the parish of Taunton-St. James and lay about two miles north-east of the church.

‡ Mill-Lane was a hamlet in the parish of Taunton-St. James.

"The Trowbridges named in the foregoing extracts were Mayor John, his father, the merchant Thomas, seemingly described as deceased, and his son Thomas, the primitive settler in America. The record appears to be made somewhere between 1620 and 1640, probably after Thomas Trowbridge had returned from New England or he is referred to without any notice of his being absent. It was all written at one period excepting the odd names at the bottom of the entries which are seemingly the tenants at some later period. The dates in the margin merely refer to the amount of the fines at some former period for the guidance of the manorial officials."\*

The following is of importance as proving the descent of Thomas Trowbridge through land ownership.

LAY SUBSIDIES. SOMERSET.

"Granted for relief of the Northern Army at Westminster 3 November 1640.  
Hundred of Whitley.  
West Monckton.  
Thomas Trubbridge in bonis iiiij<sup>li</sup>  
xxi<sup>s</sup> iiiij<sup>d</sup>" [16 Charles I, 172/394.]

The point is reached where it is proper to present a copy of the most important document found by Mr. Withington in his researches in England, namely the will of John Trowbridge, former mayor of Taunton. The following letter from Mr. Withington, in which he describes the finding of the proof of the parentage of Thomas Trowbridge, the primitive settler in America, shows the value of this remarkable discovery from a genealogical standpoint and serves as the best introduction to the will.

LONDON, 18 July, 1908.

Dear Mr. Trowbridge,

I cabled you last evening: "Victory. Withington."

The reason for this was the discovery at the last minute at Taunton two or three hours before of the enclosed abstract of all now legible in a rotten and faded paper at Taunton which is all now left of the much desired will of John Trowbridge the elder, unidentified by the officials and of course not in the Calendar. This is the greatest coup ever made in this English work on American origins, beating in dramatic completeness and overcoming of obstacles work at Somerset House with the magnificent engraved parchment books of the Prerogative Court of Canterbury. After all these years your theory is triumphant. The mention of that precious second wife Alice settles the whole question of the missing name of the testator, of which the "aper" (all left of "woollen draper") is nearly evidence enough, knowing as we do all the Trowbridges in Taunton at that time, Thomas and his son John.

Three of us have had most unseasonable weather, at Wells, Taunton and Exeter; but we so organised our work as to give every possible chance of immediate result. At Wells we went through every existing transcript of the over five hundred parishes of Somerset, largely repulsive, rotten and faded fragments, to find if possible the marriage of John and the baptism of Thomas. At Exeter we not only used the diocesan and probate registries for the available points, but also the old registries of St. Petrock and St. Kerian, to some purpose. Our main attack was however at Taunton where things seemed absolutely hopeless after the partial failure of the hopeless muddle in the Castle and the exhaustion of every likely name of the probate registry. We saw there was nothing for it but to go through the files for a hundred years and look at every Taunton will and also any oddments. Hence our triumph. We could only do this, however, with exceptional friendly official relations at Taunton, and doing at a moderate estimate three months' work for one or one month's work for three in less than a week. My two colleagues were Messrs. Noble and Steele. I doubt if any other workers in England would have accomplished the result under such apparently absolutely hopeless circumstances. I enclose the John Trowbridge will.

Yours most sincerely,

LOTHROP WITHINGTON.

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\* Letter from Mr. Lothrop Withington.



## WILL OF JOHN TROWBRIDGE, SENIOR, OF TAUNTON.\*

will and Testament nuncupative of  
 .....idge of Taunton in the County of Som'st  
 .....aper Deceased made and published by word of  
 .....the fiftē day of July Anno Dni 1649 In the  
 .....nd heareing of George Serle Esq and  
 .....as Trowbrid' his sonne and John Trowbrid'  
 .....his Grandchild in manner and forme following  
 .....Deceased beeing of perfect myude and  
 .....inference betweene him and the said George  
 .....luntarilie give and bequeath vnto his eldest  
 .....bridge all that his Messuage and tenement  
 .....lyinge neere Barthpole Bridge wthin the  
 .....West Munckton in the Countie of Som'sett  
 .....John Beale nowe dwelleth for and During all  
 .....of the terme of yeares wch hee the said deceased  
 .....and vncexpired in the same ymedately after  
 .....his wife theire Death the said Alice haueing  
 .....it for her life after the Decese of the said  
 .....hee did giue vnto his said sonne Thomas Trowbridge  
 .....his lyinge in Stogursey in the said Countie of  
 .....t Certaine tenem<sup>ts</sup> whereof the said  
 .....shillings per ann' for High rent  
 .....haie Lastli hee gaue  
 .....Trowbridge all his goods  
 .....shalbe Due vnto him  
 .....inst Debts that  
 .....made and  
 .....bridge his sonne  
 .....nd Testament

[Archdeaconry of Taunton, filed will 1649, no. 68.]

## WILL OF JOHN TROWBRIDGE OF TAUNTON.†

"There is oweinge unto me nowe from my Uncle Mr James Marshall of Exon merchant fortye nine poundes as this Bill and my account appereth and from my father Mr Thomas Trowbridge Tenn poundes which I lent him and I have sent for Muclinx [sic] eight peeces of sarges cost twentie five poundes and twentie foure poundes Mr Jn<sup>o</sup> Manninge of New England Marchant owes me And Twentie one poundes Mr William Davis of Muskeeta in Newfoundland owes, which I have ordered George Pardon, master of the Willing Minde to receiue of him this yeare there and carry it with him for St Lukas and bring home returnes with him All which summes amounts vnto One hundred twentie and nine poundes which if please God to take me hence I doe in the first place, And my will is, that twentie poundes of it shall hee disbursed in the necessaries for my buriall And for the other One hundred and Nine poundes I doe dispose of it as followeth vizt I do giue vnto my honored father Mr Thomas Trowbridge ffortie poundes And I doe giue vnto my brothers Thomas William and James Trowbridge betweene them fiftie poundes And to my Aunt Mace I doe giue five poundes And I doe giue vnto my Cozen James Marshall ffourteene poundes all which I have giuen does amount vnto One hundred and nine poundes This being my last Will wherevnto I doe nowe set my hand and seale this twentieth day of October One thousand Sixe hundred fiftie and three in Taunton.

John Trowbridge.

Wee whose names vnderwritten doe confidently beleeeve this to be the hand writtinge of John Trowbridge beinge formerly acquainted with his hand writtinge and forme Subscribed James Marshall Senior Christo: Clarke Junr Chr: Dove

As for the twentie poundes I allowed for my buriall I doe giue ffortie shillings of it to the poore.

Admon granted 26 June 1654 to father Thomas Trowbridge, principal legatee, no executor being named." [Prerogative Court of Canterbury, Alchin, 492.]‡

\* Father of Thomas Trowbridge, the primitive settler in America.

† Eldest son of Thomas Trowbridge, the primitive settler in America.

‡ In the foregoing will John Trowbridge mentions "my aunt Mace." Among the children of John Trowbridge, Senior, was a daughter, Prudence, who married William Mace. It is clear, therefore, that if she was an aunt of John, son of Thomas, the settler, she must have been a sister of the settler, and he a son of John, Senior, and a grandson of Thomas, Senior.

The family register of Mr. John Trowbridge, Senior, based on the information found in the preceding pages, to conform to the plan of this genealogy is printed as follows:

JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*), baptized March 25, 1570, in Taunton; died July [5?], 1649, in Taunton?; married, first, ———, 159—, in ———, Agnes ———, who was buried June 6, 1622, in Taunton. He married, second, ———, 1624, in Tiverton, Devon, Alice (———) Read, widow of Robert Read of Tiverton, who was buried August 25, 1653, in Taunton.

CHILDREN :\*

*By first marriage:†*

- i. THOMAS, b. ———, [159-?].‡
- ii. ELIZABETH, bapt. Feb. 8, 1598-9; m. June 2, 1616, John Hurley of Taunton.
- iii. JOHN, bapt. May 31, 1601; was a wooldraper in Taunton; m. about 1628, Judith Rose, daughter of John and Faith (Ellesdon) Rose of Lyme Regis, Dorset, and d. about the end of Dec., 1630, leaving no children.
- iv. PRUDENCE, bapt. Feb. 3, 1602-3; m. July 1, 1621, William Mace, a merchant of Exeter, Devon.
- v. AGNES, bapt. Feb. 10, 1604-5; m., 1st, Dec. 13, 1629, Charles Witber of Taunton; m., 2d, Apr. 22, 1632, Robert Moggridge, a merchant of Taunton.§
- vi. WILLIAM, bapt. Mar. 22, 1607-8; buried Mar. 27, 1616.
- vii. JAMES, bapt. Dec. 3, 1609; buried Oct. 22, 1638; unm.
- viii. JOAN, bapt. May 21, 1612; buried Oct. 14, 1616.
- ix. TACY, bapt. May 7, 1615; m. Jan. 1, 1637-8, Aldred Seaman of Combe-Flory parish, Taunton.

It is quite probable that Thomas was the eldest son of John, for there seems no gap in the register of John's children, and that assumption would make him the correct age to be the husband of his wife, who was born in 1603, and the lawyer, who drew the bill of complaint of John (see p. 29) which calls John, Jr., his "eldest" son, may not have known of the absent Thomas. If Thomas is regarded as the eldest son of John, there is at once presented the coincidence between the names of their sons. John's four sons were, in order, Thomas, named after his father, John, after himself, William and James. Thomas's four sons were, in order, John, after his father, Thomas, after himself, William and James; and these names, it must be borne in mind, were given his first three sons while he was living in Exeter.

\* The baptisms are recorded in the Parish Register of St. Mary Magdalen, Taunton.

† No children by second marriage.

‡ The primitive settler in America.

§ Robert Moggridge was a prominent citizen of Taunton and was its mayor in 1635.

"On May 10, 1645, Mr. Robert Moggridge by his last will, dated that day, gave out of his lands, called Frethy, in Bishop's-Hull, £5-10s, to be paid to the churchwardens of St. Mary Magdalen on the first of March annually; £5 thereof to be given by them to the honest and religious poor of the parish on the thirtieth of March at their discretion, and the 10s to the churchwardens for their trouble in the matter. He also gave by will to the poor of St. James parish an annual rent-charge of £4." [Savage's "History of Taunton."]

THOMAS TROWBRIDGE  
OF TAUNTON, ENGLAND,  
THE PRIMITIVE SETTLER IN AMERICA  
AND HIS DESCENDANTS



# THOMAS TROWBRIDGE

## THE PRIMITIVE SETTLER IN AMERICA AND HIS FAMILY

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Thomas Trowbridge, the first of his family to come to America, was the son, as heretofore shown, of John Trowbridge, a wealthy merchant and prominent citizen of Taunton, Somersetshire. His father had long been identified with the woolen trade in Taunton, which was noted for its manufacture of that staple, and it was natural that the son when he grew up should turn his attention to some branch of that industry, and he is found in early manhood established in business as a mereer in the neighboring city of Exeter in Devonshire. At the time when he took up his residence there he found that the name Trowbridge was a well-known and respected one in Exeter, with which members of the family had been long identified through business and residence, and there also his sister Prudence went to live after her marriage in 1621 to William Mace, a leading merchant of the city.\*

In the pedigree of the Marshall family of Exeter was found the name of "Thomas Trobridge of Taunton." This reference was the clue that led to the finding of the record of the marriage of Thomas Trowbridge.

In the list of marriage licenses issued for the diocese of Exeter it is recorded that on March 24, 1627, Thomas Trowbridge of the parish of St. Petrock was licensed to marry Elizabeth Marshall of the parish of St. Mary Arches.

In the parish register of St. Mary Arches appears the following entry:

"26 March 1627 Mr. Thomas Trobrige and Elizabeth daughter of Mrs. Alec Marshall widoe married, Jeremy Short parson."

In the parish register of St. Petrock's, Exeter, are recorded the following:†

### BAPTISMS

1627 Elizabeth the daughter of Thomas Trubbrudge 6 of March 1627[-8]

1629 John the sonne of Thomas Trubbridge the 5 of November

1631 Thomas the sonne of Thomas Troubridge the 11 Dec.

1633 William the sonne of Thomas and Elizabeth Trawbridge Septem: 3

### BURIAL

1630 Elizabeth the daughter of Thomas Troobridge 10 May

Elizabeth Marshall‡ the wife of Thomas Trowbridge, was a member of a family of this name that flourished in Exeter during the seventeenth century. The first of the name mentioned by Westeote's "Devonshire Families" is

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\* "Bond of William Mace of the parish of St. Kerian, Exeter, merchant, and Robert Mace of ditto, gentleman, in £100, for said William Mace as administrator of his late father, Roger Mace, St. Kerian, Citie of Exeter, deceased 15 Augnst 15 James I [1617]." Inventory exhibited July 16, 1625. [Archdeaconry of Exeter, filed 1617.]

The above is the probate of the estate of the father of William Mace who married Prudence, sister of Thomas Trowbridge, and is of interest as fixing her residence in the parish adjoining and now united to that in which the children of Thomas Trowbridge were born.

† The compiler had obtained the following extracts from the Exeter records several years prior to their discovery by Mr. Emory McClintock (who published them in the "New England Historical and Genealogical Register" in 1905) and he regrets that they could not have been first printed in this genealogy.

‡ The following account of the Marshall family is in the main extracted from an article in "The Genealogist," London, 1880, vol. iv, p. 11.

William Marshall, who had issue Robert Marshall, who married Joan, daughter and heir of Owsley of Chillington, county Somerset. His will, dated August 7, 1576, was proved by her October 9 following. [Prerogative Court of Canterbury, Carew, 29.] In it he is described as of Ashewille in the parish of Ilminster, and desires to be buried in the churchyard of Ilminster. He gives to his son Edmund Marshall his rynes and bark and half his tanne vates with a mill to grind bark (from this bequest it seems that he was by trade a tanner); mentions his sons, John, Nicholas, William, John (the younger) and Thomas (all under age); and appoints his wife Joan (who appears to have brought him some property) sole executrix and residuary legatee. He appears to have had two other children, Roger and Anne, who may have been twins, born posthumous. His wife, as "Joane Marshall," had been named as sister in the will of William Owseley of Chillington, near Ilminster, in Somerset, dated October 8, 1558. [Prerogative Court of Canterbury, Wells, 22.]

John Marshall (the younger) probably settled in Exeter in early life. He was "the worshipful Mr. John Marshall." He was bailiff of Exeter in 1601, sheriff in 1609 and mayor in 1615, retaining afterwards the position of alderman. He married at St. Mary Arches August 30, 1595, Alice Bevys [Bevis or Beavis], daughter of Richard and Elizabeth (Prouz) Bevys.

The Bevys family\* is traced in Devonshire to the reign of Henry IV. Richard Bevys became sheriff of Exeter in 1591, governor of the Guild of Merchant Adventurers in 1594 and mayor in 1602, dying August 26 of the latter year. He made a deed of trust June 16, 1602, to William Tickle and John Marshall, gent., for a benefaction to provide marriage portions during future years to worthy young women of several parishes. His wife, Elizabeth Prouz (Prouze, Prowse, Prowze), was probably a relative of Richard Prowse, mayor of Exeter in 1578. According to the pedigree of Prouz of Chagford, near Exeter, a very old family, Richard the mayor was second son of Lawrence Prouz of Exeter and Chagford, the estate of Chagford going to Lawrence's eldest son, John, who had a daughter Elizabeth, apparently of about the age of the Elizabeth married to Richard Bevys. The will of Nicholas Bevys, son of Richard, a merchant of Exeter, dated November 8, 1612, and proved June 2, 1613, named as one of the executors "my brother John Marshall." Of the other sons of Richard Bevys, Peter and Richard, the former was the more prominent and became lord of the manor of Bishop's Clist, near Exeter. The family is traced in Devonshire to the reign of Henry IV.

Mr. John and Alice (Bevys) Marshall had the following children baptized at St. Mary Arches, Exeter:†

Jane, June 29, 1598; buried May 30, 1600.

John, June 17, 1599; buried March 20, 1600.

Alice, June 29, 1600; married June 29, 1621, George Harris of Exeter.

Grace, May 6, 1602; buried January 11, 1620.

Elizabeth, March 24, 1602-3; married March 26, 1627, Thomas Trowbridge.‡

Jane, March 18, 1603-4; married September 26, 1624, James Gould of Exeter.§

Anne, March 26, 1607; buried November 14, 1607.

James, January 22, 1608-9. [See page 42.]

John, July 19, 1610; buried December 16, 1630.

Susanna, September 29, 1611; married June 30, 1635, Richard Lante of Exeter.||

Richard, March 15, 1612-3; died soon.

Richard, November 3, 1613; buried June 9, 1635.

\* The following account of the Bevys and Prouz families is from Mr. McClintock's article in the "Register" mentioned in footnote † on the preceding page.

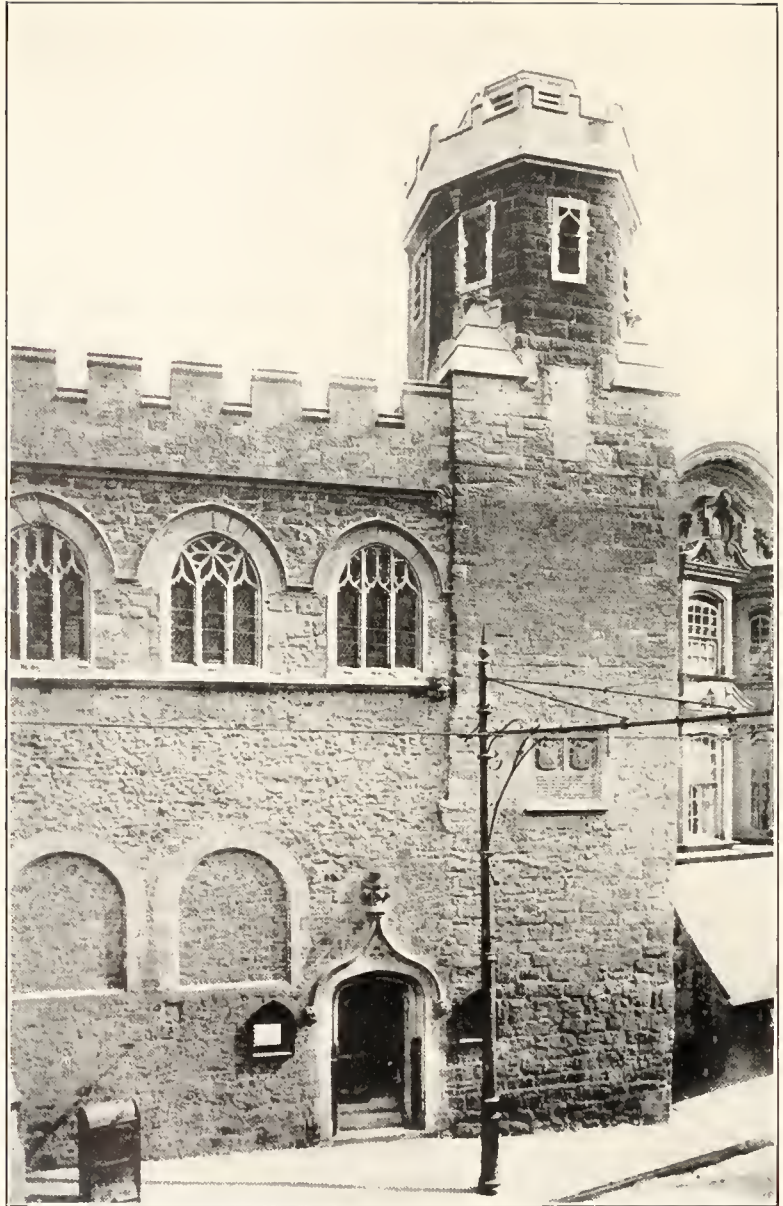
† "The Genealogist," vol. iv, p. 16; Parish Register of St. Mary Arches, Exeter.

‡ The primitive settler in America.

§ He became mayor.

|| His great-aunt Joan Lante was the first wife of William Mace.





ST. PETROCK'S CHURCH, EXETER, ENGLAND.



The will of Richard Marshall, merchant, of Exeter, dated June 4, 1635, was proved August 8, 1635, and gives to his sister Trobridge £100. To the poor £50, to be distributed at the pleasure of his brother James Marshall. All the rest of his goods to be divided between his brother and his sisters. [Prerogative Court of Canterbury, Sadler, 88.]

Mr. John Marshall was buried August 17, 1624, in Exeter, and his widow, Mrs. Alice Marshall, died January 7 and was buried January 13, 1630-1. Their wills were as follows:

The will of "John Marshall, Esquire, one of the Aldermen of the City of Exeter," dated August 8, 1624, was proved by his widow Alice September 17, 1624. It provided that after his debts and funeral expenses were paid "the residue of all my goods and chattels shall according to the custom of the said city of Exeter be divided into three equal parts. I give one portion thereof to my wife. I give one other portion thereof among my three sons and two daughters, that is to say James Marshall, John Marshall, Richard Marshall, Elizabeth Marshall and Susan Marshall. Out of the third portion I give the following legacies, viz., to my son James Marshall so much as shall with the legacy given him by his cousin John Marshall deceased make up £300. To my sons John Marshall and Richard Marshall so much as shall with the legacies given them by their cousin John Marshall deceased make up £300 each. To my daughter Elizabeth Marshall as much as shall with the legacy left, her by her cousin John Marshall deceased make up £400, and to my daughter Susan so much as shall make up £350. Item I give to my daughter Alice Harris my second best gilt bowl. Item I give to my daughter Jane my third best gilt bowl. Item I give to Thomas Milford £3 per annum during his life. Item I give to Ebolt Croot of Heavitree £5. Item I give to my servant Agnes Croote 5 marks. Item I give to Grace my servant 40s. Item I give to Jane my servant 20s. Item I give to Mary Wall 40s. Item I give to the poor of the said City of Exeter £5, whereof 20s. to the poor of St. Mary Arches parish. Item I give to my said wife the house wherein I now dwell to hold during the term of her life, the remainder thereof to my son James Marshall and his heirs for ever. Item I give my lands and tenements in the parish of Northtowne, called Eastercombe, Westercombe and Luckerton, with the rents thereof to my said wife during her life, the remainder to my said son James and his heirs for ever. Item I give all my estate and interest of the house wherein Mr. Joseph Trowbridge\* merchant now dwelleth to my son John Marshall and his heirs forever, provided my wife shall have the issues thereof during her life. Item I give all my estate and interest in the house wherein Master William Martin merchant now dwelleth to my son Richard and his heirs forever, provided my said wife shall have the profits thereof during her life. Item I give my house wherein Andrew Quashe merchant now dwelleth in the parish of St. Petrock's within the said City of Exeter, and also my tenements without Southgate in the parish of the Holy Trinity to my friend John Gupwill Esquire, now Mayor of the said City, and Peter Bevis Esquire my brother in law, provided they sell the said tenements as soon as convenient, the said money to be divided into three equal parts, one part to come to my said wife and the other two parts to be divided equally among my said five children. Item I give to my friends John Gupwill, Peter Bevis and Nicholas Mercer of Exeter merchant, all my tenements in Bampton and my whole estate in the rectory of Bampton in Co. Devon to them and their heirs for ever [?]. Item I give all the rest of my goods and chattels to my said wife, whom I make sole executrix of this my last will. I constitute the said John Gupwill and Peter Bevis overseers of the same and give to each of them 20s. for their pains. Witnesses, John Gupwill, Peter Bevis, Nicholas Mercer, Edward Martine, John Trowte." [Prerogative Court of Canterbury, Byrde, 74.†]

\* He belonged to the Devonshire family which appears in the herald's visitation.

† Reprinted from the "New England Historical and Genealogical Magazine," vol. 59, p. 294.

The will of "Alice Marshall of the City of Exeter, widow," dated December 30, 1630, disposed of a large property. She gives "to my son and heir apparent, James Marshall the manor of Dacombe in the parish of St. Mary Church, county Devon; my brother Richard Bevis; to my daughter Elizabeth Trowbridge £50 and one piece of plate to the value of £10; my daughter Alice Golde [Gould]; my daughter Susanna Marshall, under age; legacies bequeathed to said Susanna by her cousin John Marshall and her brother John Marshall; my son Richard Marshall, under age; legacy left him by his cousin John Marshall; my brother John Marshall; my five grandchildren Bartholomew Harris, James Golde, John Golde, John Trowbridge and Elizabeth Trowbridge; to my dear mother Mistress Jane Martyn one silver bowl with my coat of arms graved or pounced thereon; my brother Peter Beavis; my sister-in-law Mistress Susanna Beavis; my four nephews Richard, William, Peter and Henry Beavis, sons of my brother Peter Beavis; son James Marshall to be sole executor." He proved the will February 24, 1630-1. [Prerogative Court of Canterbury, St. John, 23.]

James Marshall, son of John and Alice, married May 29, 1632, Susanna Taylour. He came among the early settlers to Dorchester, Mass., and there is mention of his land there.\* He was a merchant in Exeter. Savage's "Genealogical Dictionary of New England" calls him of Windsor, Conn., in 1640, and says, "did not long continue, and, perhaps, was the man, expected in vain at New Haven, 1643, where his estate was valued at £1,000, his family of five heads, and his lot transferred in 1651, to Richard Mansfield." This lot was on the northwest corner of what is now Elm and Church streets, opposite the Green. He may be that "rich merchant" referred to in "Winthrop's Journal." He sold his property in Windsor and soon returned to Exeter.† He continued to be actively engaged in business there and was elected mayor of the city in 1658. He was buried there January 26, 1664-5, and administration on his estate was granted to his widow, Susanna Marshall, the following month.

Mr. James and Susanna (Taylour) Marshall had the following children baptized at St. Mary Arches, Exeter:‡

John, April 16, 1635.

James, November 26, 1637.

Richard, April 12, 1640.

Elizabeth, May 29, 1642; buried October 13, 1642.

Samuel, July 9, 1648.

Joseph, March 31, 1650.

Sarah, —————; buried July 20, 1656.

Of the above children James had administration granted on his estate May 10, 1677, to John Marshall, his brother, James Marshall, his son, having declined to serve. He is described as "James Marshall senior of the city of Exeter, but at Guinney in parts beyond sea deceased." Administration "de bonis non" to James Marshall, the son, October 16, 1694. [Prerogative Court of Canterbury.] Samuel is perhaps identical with "Samuel Marshall of Fremington, county Devon, Clerk." whose nuncupative will of July 14, 1681, left his "whole study of books," etc., to his mother, Susanna Marshall. Administration on his estate was granted to her July 25, 1681.

\* Dorchester, Mass., Town Records.

† "A Court held att Newhaven the 2d of Novem: 1642:

"By a letter from Mr. Marshall to Mr. Hill of Winsor, bearing date the 7th of Aprill 1636, and a letter to Goodma Mansfield, dated the 13 of October 1641, itt is evidenced to this Court thatt some of the cattell going under the name of Mr. Trobridge doth belong to Mr. Marshall as his pp goods, namely a white cow, red sparkled, a heifer, white and red sparkled, and one white and blacke sparkled; Henry Gibbons testimony aliso concurring wth the aforesaid letters." [New Haven Colony Records, vol. 1, p. 40.] Richard Mansfield came to New Haven with the other planters as steward for Mr. Marshall.

‡ "The Genealogist," vol. iv, p. 17; Parish Register of St. Mary Arches, Exeter.

William Marshall of Dinnington, Somersetshire, uncle of Elizabeth, in his will, dated December 1, 1623, mentions, "Elizabeth, Susanna, James, John and Richard, children of my brother John Marshall of Exeter." [Prerogative Court of Canterbury, Byrde, 28.]

John Marshall of Exeter, a son of Thomas Marshall, tanner, of Chillington and cousin of Elizabeth, in his will, made May 24, 1622, bequeathed "to each of the children of my uncle John Marshall, alderman of Exeter, £50." Administration was granted to the uncle John Marshall July 5, 1623, who was succeeded by his widow Alice on March 3, 1628. She was succeeded by her son James on June 17, 1631. [Prerogative Court of Canterbury, Swan, 72.]

Thomas Marshall, perhaps uncle of Mr. John, was a merchant in Exeter. He was bailiff of Exeter in 1557 and one of the founders of the Merchant Adventurers Guild.

Enough has been printed here to prove that the family of Elizabeth, the wife of Thomas Trowbridge, was one of prominence and wealth in Exeter.

"That before her marriage Elizabeth was preferred to her sisters, or at any rate to her unmarried sister, is shown by her father's will; and that after her marriage she was preferred by her mother to her married sisters, and by her brother to all his relatives, is shown by their wills. It is to be inferred that she was kind and helpful by nature."\*

Thomas Trowbridge was engaged in business as a mercer in Exeter, as appears by the bill of complaint printed below. Exeter was at that time the emporium of thin woolen goods, such as serges, spun and woven in the neighboring towns, but finished in the city previous to exportation.

November 23, 1632, there is recorded this "Bill of Complaint: Thomas Trowbridge of the Cittie of Exon mercer for years past hath had dealings with one Robert Gray of London mercer and about May 1629 bought of him or his servants or one of them goods to the valewe of £28 or thereabouts to be paid for in 6 moneths and also about tenth of December 1629 goods to the valewe of £31. 10<sup>s</sup> also to be paid for in 6 months and did give a bill for the payment of the said 28<sup>l</sup> and one other Bill to be paid on 31 May next following and in January did pay to said Robert Gray or to James Scadding, Christopher Reyner James Nevell and Lawrence Jones or one of them his servants by the hands of Mr. John Burrington &c and said Robert Gray did receive from Mr Randall Manning a Bill or obligacon of Mr Joseph Trowbridge upon said Manning and also other bonds &c and yo<sup>r</sup> Said Orator at and by the direcon of said Robert Gray did in addition pay certain other somes of money to dyuers persons &c &c and yo<sup>r</sup> Said Orator not now having so many dealings with sd Robert &c. sd Robert has put the sayd Bills in a suite of lawe &c and harassing your sd orator," &c. Answer of Robert Gray. [Chancery Proceedings, Charles I, B & A, T 1, 42.]

Thomas Trowbridge a few years later decided to go to America. He probably did not intend to settle permanently in the new country, for when he sailed he left his oldest son in England, probably in the care of his father in Taunton. He and his wife and two youngest sons on landing in New England went to live in Dorchester, near Boston, in Massachusetts. They may have arrived as early as 1636, and their choice of Dorchester as a residence may have been made through the advice of Thomas Jeffrey,† a friend of Mr. Trowbridge, who had been living there since 1634.

Thomas Trowbridge and his wife are noted in the records of the town and church as "Mr." and "Mrs.," a distinction confined at that time to persons of established gentility. His wife was a member of the Dorchester church in 1638, perhaps in 1637, and their youngest son, James, was baptized there in one of those years. The age given for James at the time of his death indicates that he was born in 1636, and as he was baptized in Dorchester, the probability is that he was not born in England.

\* Mr. McClintock's article.

† Or Jeffries, which was the mode of spelling the name in Somersetshire at that time.

In the list of members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston in 1638 appears the name "Thomas Strawbridge." It seems quite reasonable to suppose that this was an incorrect entry for Thomas Trowbridge, as his social position and business relations would have made membership in such an organization attractive to him.

The land records of the town of Dorchester contain the following references to Thomas Trowbridge. The parcels of land described seem of trifling value in comparison with his known means and business interests, and these extracts are of importance only in so far as they indicate the approximate time of his arrival at and removal from Dorchester.

"The 2d of January 1637[-8]. It is ordered that the p'tyes vnderwritten shall haue each of them satisfaction in lieu of the calues pasture from the Burying place towards John Phillips—Mr. Trobrige 1 aker."\*

"It is ordered that Mr. Trobridge haue 2 acres of Marsh in Mr. Ludlowes necke where its out of p'priety."

"March 18th. [1637-8]. The Proportion which each man is to haue in the necke [according to estate and number of persons] Mr. Trobridge, 7 akers, 1 quarter, 20 rodes." "The proportion of Cowes Pasture and other lands this side the Riuer, 7 acres, 1 rood, 20 rods."

"February 13, 1638[-9]. It is ordered that Mr. Clarke shall haue libertie to take in fower goads of land next his pale towards the meeting howse which is neere the barne that was lately Mr. Trobridgs."

"October 31, 1639. It is ordered that Mr. Joanes shall haue 1 aker of land nere his owne in lieu of an aker which hee bought of Mr. Trobridge which was appoynted him neere the burying place."

"Nathaniel Duncan Senior sould vnto Anthony Gulliver the 15<sup>th</sup> of the 11<sup>th</sup> moneth 1644 about 4 akers and half of land on Capt<sup>n</sup> neck which was belonging to Mr. James Marshall of Exeter in old England and was late in the possession of Thomas Trowbridge."

Thomas Trowbridge and his wife must have found it a considerable hardship to live in the newly settled town of Dorchester, accustomed as they were to the comforts of a home in a city like Exeter. Their residence in the Massachusetts village, however, was not of long duration.

Thomas Trowbridge probably removed his household to the plantation of New Haven in 1638, but his name is not found among those subscribed to the articles of agreement at the organization of the church or body politic there in June, 1639. He may have been absent from New Haven at that time, or, as this Fundamental Agreement, as it was afterwards called, required that, "church members only shall be free burgesses," he may not have been eligible to sign it, for there is no evidence that he ever severed his connection with the Church of England and became a member of the Puritan Church.

In the New Haven records his name again appears nearly always with the prefix of respect, "Mr." In the list of proprietors of the plantation in 1641 he is credited with five heads in his family. These are supposed to have been himself and wife and three sons, Thomas, William and James. His estate is given as £500, a large sum for that place and time, and it was among the larger of the 123 estates mentioned in the schedule. His house lot was on the west side of what is now lower State street, just south of George street, Mr. Henry Rutherford,† a prominent shipping merchant, being his neighbor on the south.

On page 29 of the original rate book appears the following:

"Mr. Thom: Trowbridge is Dr	
for 5 persons & 500£ Estate	
for 37 acres $\frac{1}{2}$ within 2 miles at 4 pence pr acre	00:12:06
for 7 acres $\frac{1}{2}$ in ye Neck at 4 pence pr acre	00 02:06
for 27 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres of Meddowe at 4 pence per acre	00 09:02
for 110 acres in the 2 <sup>nd</sup> division at 2 pence pr acre	00 18:04
	2. 2. 6"

\* This and the following extracts are from Dorchester Town Records, vol. 1, pp. 33, 35, 41, 45, 61.

† His daughter Sarah became the wife of Mr. Trowbridge's son Thomas.

"The schedule, though prepared before April, 1641, is found in the record book amid the records of 1643. It is not easy to determine whether it was copied into the record book in 1643, after some changes had been made corresponding with changes of title, or was recorded when first prepared, the secretary reserving for his report of the court's proceedings the thirty pages which precede it. There is so much probability that the schedule was recorded before the collection of the rate due in April, 1641, that it will be designated as the schedule of 1641."\*

The estate of Thomas Trowbridge appears in the schedule thus:†

Names of the Planters	Persons numbered	Estates	Land in the first division	In the neck	Meadow	Land in the 2nd division	Rates yearly payd for land
Tho: Trobridge	5	500	37½	7½	27½	110	02-02-06

Thomas Trowbridge appears to have spent but little time in this country,‡ but during his sojourn here he continued to be occupied with extensive trade between England, the West Indies and the Colonies. No record was found proving the exact date of his return to England, but it was prior to the fall of 1641. He probably was recalled to England on account of business or some event of importance, and it may have been business in connection with the settlement of the estate of his wife. The exact date of her death was not found,§ but it is to be inferred that she did not long survive her arrival in New Haven, for it is not reasonable to suppose, from what is known of her character, that if she had been living she could have returned to England with her husband and left her three little sons in the care of strangers, and the records show that before leaving New Haven Thomas Trowbridge placed his lands, houses, chattels and estate in New Haven in trust with his servant or steward, Henry Gibbons, for the benefit of his three sons, whom he also left in Gibbons' care. It does not appear that he ever returned to America.

Gibbons gave so little attention to his master's affairs at New Haven and the care of his sons, that as early as November, 1641, the colony court ordered an attachment to be placed on Mr. Trowbridge's property "to pay the town's rates and satisfy the demands of those persons to whom he is indebted." The court placed the children under the care of Sergeant Thomas Jeffrey and his wife, who were to keep them in their home until such time as "their father shall come over or send to take order concerning them," when the court should determine "what is equal for him to have for the keeping of them and in the meantime he will take care that they be well educated and nurtured in the fear of God." Mr. John Evance took the house, which Gibbons had allowed to fall into need of immediate repairs, at £100, and settled the claims of the creditors.

The references to Thomas Trowbridge in the New Haven records for the next few years consist of accounts of the legal complications arising from his steward's malfeasance. They are merely technical and are not of sufficient interest or importance to demand reprinting here.|| That he did not return to New Haven and personally take charge of his affairs there was probably because matters of greater importance kept him in England.

\* Atwater's "History of the Colony of New Haven," p. 108.

† New Haven Colony Records, vol. 1, p. 48.

‡ "Thomas Trowbridge, gent., late of New Haven," is mentioned in Aspinwall's Notarial Records, Boston.

§ The record of deaths in New Haven does not extend as far back as that period.

|| They were printed in "Records of the Colony and Plantation of New Haven from 1638 to 1649" by Charles J. Hoadly.

It must be remembered that the Civil War in England began soon after Thomas Trowbridge left America. Taunton was taken by the Parliament forces in August, 1642, and the principal gentry of the neighborhood, the trained bands, the mayor and principal inhabitants of the town, aided with horse and foot the intention of securing this place for the Parliament. The attempt to secure and fortify Taunton in the interest of the Parliament soon met with a temporary impediment and defeat, for in the next year the marquess of Hertford drove out the Parliament forces and took possession of it in favor of the king. But the fruits of this victory were not lasting, for on July 8, 1644, soon after the battle of Marston Moor, Colonel Blake and Sir Robert Pye again took Taunton for the Parliament. For some months things remained in a quiet state at Taunton, but early in the spring of 1645 an army of ten thousand of the king's forces under Lord Goring marched to the attack of the town and began what is known as the siege of Taunton. The history of the siege, ending with the final relief of the town, is well known.\*

Thomas Trowbridge after the death of his father came into his inheritance, being the only surviving son. He succeeded his father as the chief Trowbridge in Taunton, just as the latter had succeeded his father, and that he was a man of consequence there is shown by the prominence given him in the pedigree of his wife's family which has been previously quoted. He wrote often to the authorities at New Haven to bring Gibbons to an account for his breach of trust, but Gibbons kept possession of the Trowbridge estates in New Haven for many years, and affairs remained thus until the sons came of age.

They had continued in the meantime to pass their boyhood under the care of Sergeant Jeffrey, their father evidently being satisfied with that arrangement. They had received a good education under the instruction of Mr. Ezekiel Cheever, the famous colonial schoolmaster,† who taught the first school in New Haven. In the colony records it is noted that at a court held February 8, 1643-4, "Mr. Cheever desired 4-3-6 out of the estate of Mr. Trowbridge wch is justly due to him for teaching y<sup>e</sup> children." The course of instruction to be pursued by the schoolmaster for his scholars at that time was "after they are entered and can read in the Testament; to perfect them in English; and teach them their Latin tongue as they are capable; and to write."

Soon after he came of age William Trowbridge endeavored to have an accounting made of his father's estate that was left in New Haven, and for this end presented to the court two letters from his father, one dated March 6, 1655, and the other March 4, 1658, wherein his father wrote that he "marvellts that there is not an account of it given." This attempt to recover from Gibbons was a failure, but finally, on January 19, 1663-4, Mr. Trowbridge executed and sent to his three sons a power of attorney, making over to them jointly and severally his property in New England wherever found, to be retained and equally divided between them, and bring the said Gibbons to account and punishment.

"To all Christian people to whom this present writing shall come Greeting.

Know y<sup>e</sup> that I Thomas Trowbridge of Taunton in y<sup>e</sup> County of Somersett, Gent. doe hereby make ordaine, constitute and depute and in my place and stead put my three sons Thomas Trowbridge and William Trowbridge of Newhaven and James Trowbridge of Dorchester in y<sup>e</sup> Bay in New England in y<sup>e</sup> parts of America beyond y<sup>e</sup> seas, to be my true and lawfull attornies, jointly and severally for me and in my name to aske, sue for, levy, require recover and receive all and singular my estate, houses, lotts, goods, cattle and chattels whatsoever, which I left in trust in New England aforesaid with Henry Gibbence, sometimes my servant, or doe otherwise belonge unto me and upon detaining thereof or of any particular parcell thereof, to arrest, attach, call to an account, sue, implead and imprison ye said Henry Gibbence and all and every other person and persons whatsoever, in whose hands, custody, or possession, my said estate, houses, lotts, goods,

\* Historical facts are copied from Savage's "History of Taunton."

† He continued in charge of the school there until 1650.

cattel and chattels whatsoever is are or have or hath beene in any way or course of law or equity, And ye same suit or suits to prosecute and issue to judgment, sentence and final execution, until recovery shall be had of my said estate, houses, lotts, goods, cattle and chattels whatsoever with all costs and damages to be had for detaining the same. And upon receipt thereof or of so much thereof as my said attorneys or any or eyther of them shall agree for and accept by way of composition, the said person or persons soe by my said attorneyes or any or eyther of them sued and imprisoned, out of prison to release and discharge and also to make seale and deliver acquittances releases or other sufficient discharges to and for the same or any part thereof, and I do hereby give and grant unto my said attornies jointly and severally, my full and whole power and authority in and about the premises and by the aforesaid or any other lawful waies and means whatever to get in and recover my said estate, houses lotts, goods, cattle and chattels whatsoever in as full and ample manner in every respect, to all intents considerations and purposes as I myself might or could doe in the same if I were there personally present, ratifying, allowing and confirming whatsoever my said atturnies or any or either of them shall lawfully doe or cause to be done in ye premises by virtue of these presents, and I do alsoe hereby order and appoint that all and whatsoever of my said estate, houses lott, goods, cattle or chattels whatsoever shall be recovered and received by my said attornies or any or either of them shall be had kept and enjoyed by my three sons Thomas William and James equally divided between them to their own use and behoof without any account to be rendered unto me for ye same. In witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and seale, the nineteenth day of January in ye fourteenth year of ye reigne of King Charles the second et Anno gr. deus 1663.

Thom. Trowbridge (SEALE)

Sealed and delivered in ye

presence of Henry Chase Notary Publick, Robert Chase, John Chambers.

The above written is a true record of the originell composed therewith and recorded ye 26<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1683.

By John Nash Recorder."

[New Haven Land Records, vol. 1, p. 202.]

The sons sued Gibbons for possession, but as matters were found, a settlement could not easily be effected before Mr. Trowbridge's death, which occurred in Taunton, February 7, 1672-3. The suit was finally settled in 1680 by Gibbons, "for sundry good causes best known to myself," who made a deed of the property to Thomas Trowbridge, the younger, to take effect after the death of Gibbons. This deed included his house and lot, and sundry other property, including "the bed and bolster I lie on."

"To all people to whom this present writing shall come greeting

I Henry Gibbons of Newhaven in New England husbandman send greeting. Know ye that I the said Henry Gibbons for and in consideration of sundry good causes and reasons (best known to myself) have given, granted, conveyed made over, And by these presents doo give, grant convey & make over unto Thomas Trowbridge of Newhaven merchant, in New England aforesaid merchant as follows viz: Inprimis my houses homelott & yard, seintate lying & being in the towne of Newhaven aforesaid, bounded on ye South with the house & homelott now belonging unto Nathan Andrewes, on the West by ye homelotts now belonging unto John Winston & W<sup>m</sup> Johnson, on the North with a homelott belonging unto Allen Ball and on the East with the streete or highway. Alsoe foure acres of meadow lyeing by the old ferry & three acres & a half of upland lying in the suburbs quarter alsoe in ye towne of Newhaven aforesaid as also the bed & bolster I lye on. To have & to hold after my decease all & singular, the houses land meadow and bed as aforesaid to the aforesaid Thomas Trowbridge his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns for ever to his & their proper use and behoof, thereof & therewith to doe & dispose at his will and pleasure. In witsnesse whereoff I have hereunto sett my hand and seal, dated at Newhaven this fifth day of February in the yeare of our Lord, one

thousand six hundred & eightye. Henry <sup>his</sup> | = | Gibbons.  
marke

Signed sealed & delivered in presence of us {  
John Nash. William X Gibbons } Henry Gibbons appeared in Newhaven this  
his mark

5<sup>th</sup> of February 1680 & acknowledged the above written deed to be his voluntary act according to Law. Jn<sup>o</sup> Nash Assistant." [New Haven Land Records, vol. 1, p. 162.]

Gibbons died in 1686, and as his brother, William Gibbons, refused to take out letters of administration, Thomas Trowbridge was appointed administrator; and as the said Henry Gibbons had no children the matter was concluded.

The family register of Thomas Trowbridge to conform to the plan adopted for this genealogy is printed as follows:

1. THOMAS TROWBRIDGE,\* born ———, [159-?], in Taunton, Somersetshire,? England; buried February 7, 1672-3, in Taunton;† married March 26, 1627, in Exeter, Devonshire, England,‡ Elizabeth Marshall, daughter of John and Alice (Bevys) Marshall, baptized March 24, 1602-3, in Exeter;‡ died ———, 16[41?], in New Haven, Conn.?

CHILDREN :

- i. ELIZABETH, bapt. Mar. 6, 1627-8, in Exeter, England;§ buried May 10, 1630, in Exeter.§
- ii. JOHN, bapt. Nov. 5, 1629, in Exeter;§ buried Feb. 16, 1653-4 in Taunton, England; unmf ||
- 2. iii. THOMAS, bapt. Dec. 11, 1631, in Exeter.§
- 100. iv. WILLIAM, bapt. Sept. 3, 1633, in Exeter.§
- 1000. v. JAMES, b. ———, 1636.\*\*

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\* His parentage and immediate ancestry has been printed in the Introduction.

† Parish Register of St. Mary Magdalen, Taunton, England.

‡ Parish Register of St. Mary Arches, Exeter, England.

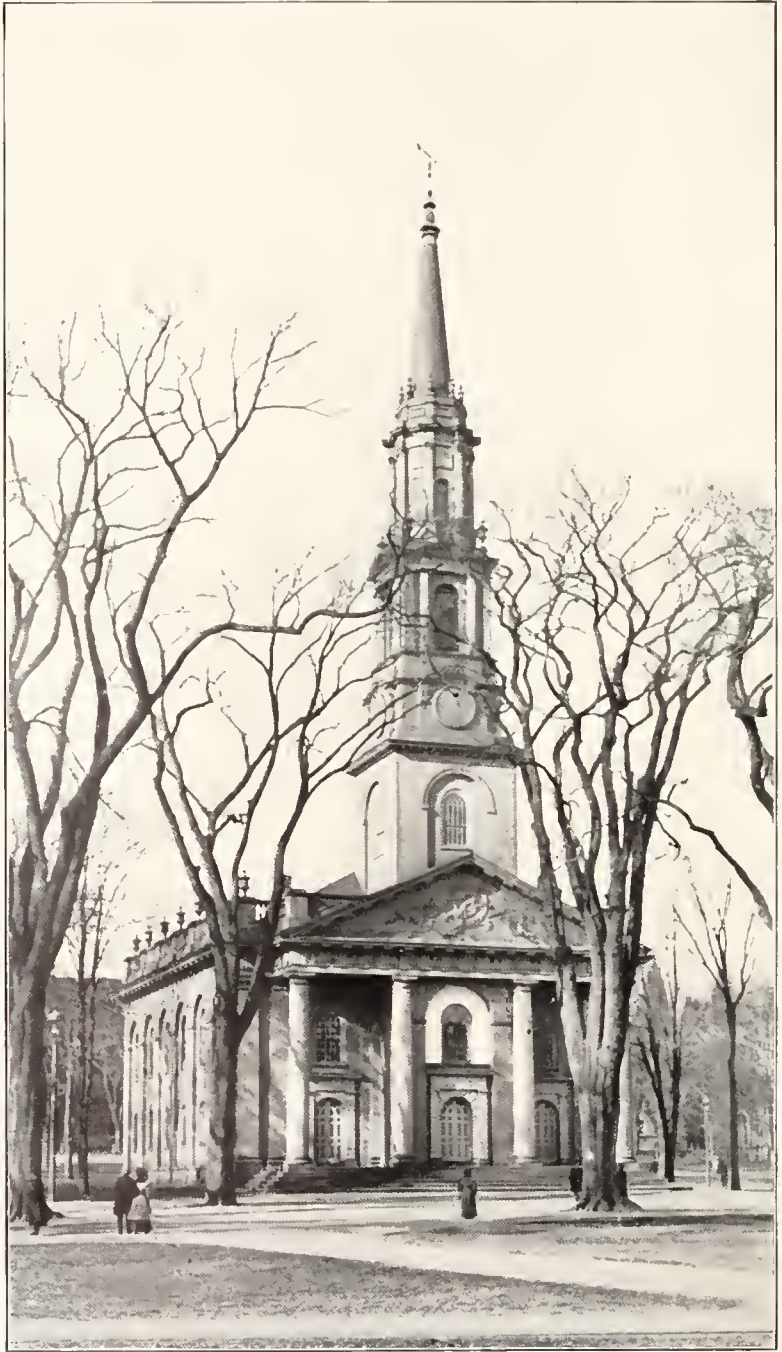
§ Parish Register of St. Petrock's, Exeter.

|| His will is printed on page 35.

\*\* Place of birth not proved, but it is supposed that it was Dorchester, Mass., where he was baptized, probably the following year.







CENTER CHURCH, NEW HAVEN, CONN.

In the crypt below are monuments of many of the earlier generations of Trowbridges.

# THOMAS TROWBRIDGE

OF NEW HAVEN, CONN.,

AND HIS DESCENDANTS

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2. THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), baptized December 11, 1631, in Exeter, Devonshire, England; died August 22, 1702, in New Haven, Conn.;\* married, first, June 24, 1657, in New Haven, Sarah Rutherford, daughter of Henry and Sarah (————) Rutherford, born July 31, 1611, in New Haven; died January 5, 1687, in New Haven.† He married, second, April 2, 1689, in New Haven, Hannah (Nash) Ball, widow of Eliphalet Ball of New Haven and daughter of Major John and Elizabeth (Tapp) Nash, born July 24, 1655, in New Haven; died February 3, 1707-8, in New Haven.

Thomas Trowbridge‡ came in childhood with his parents from England to Dorchester, near Boston, in the colony of Massachusetts Bay, and then to the plantation of New Haven in New Haven colony. He received his early education from Ezekiel Cheever,§ the famous colonial schoolmaster, and probably was under his tuition throughout his school days. When his father was called back to England, Thomas and his brothers were left in charge of Henry Gibbons, a former servant,|| who was so unfaithful to his trust that the property left by their father for their maintenance was greatly impaired, and in April, 1644, the remainder of the property and the children were placed by the town authorities under the care of Sergt. Thomas Jeffrey\*\* and his wife, friends of their father, "to be well educated and nurtured in the fear of God." Under their care Thomas Trowbridge passed his boyhood. He later succeeded in obtaining some recovery of his inheritance from Gibbons.††

On April 4, 1654, not long after his coming of age, the "oath of fidelity" was administered to Thomas Trowbridge. About three years later he married the daughter of a leading merchant in the colony, and settled down to a life of business activity and social and political prominence in New Haven. His homestead was on the north side of the present Water street, between Meadow and State streets.‡‡ Across the highway was the sandy beach of the harbor and

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\* By monument in the Center Church crypt.

† By gravestone in the crypt.

‡ In New Haven Colony, Proprietors, Town, Church and Land Records will be found the authorities for statements in this sketch that have no specific footnote.

§ "At a Court held at New Haven the 8th of February, 1643, Mr. Cheever desires 4-3-6 out of the estate of Mr. Trowbridge which is justly due to him for teaching ye children."

|| This fact is noted in New Haven Colony Records in 1648.

\*\* He came from Somersetshire, England. He died in 1661 in good esteem, and Thomas Trowbridge as executor under his will administered his estate.

†† See account of same in his father's sketch.

‡‡ "Thomas Trowbridge of New haven standing & having stood quietly possessed of a certain homelott with a dwelling house & other buildings upon it, for divers many years last past without any interruption demand, challenge, claime or prosecution doth now record them to himself his heyeres & assignes for ever (viz:) a homelott containing in quanty one acre & sixty rods be it more or less, part of it being upland & part of it marrish ground, with all ye builldings both dwelling house & out houses, being & standing thereupon, lyeing & being situate in ye town of New haven & by ye water or sea side bounded southward by ye street next ye sea, westward with ye homelott that was William Holt's, now in ye possession of John Holt, eastward with ye homelott that at first belonged to Francis Browne, now in ye possession of Jno Tod & northward with land that did belong to ye aforesaid William Holt

there was an unbroken view across to the east shore of the bay. His means permitted him to buy a home-lot and build a home for each of his sons in the neighborhood of his own home.

Thomas Trowbridge's immediate ancestors, on both sides, were prominently engaged in domestic and foreign trade, as was also his father-in-law. It was natural, therefore, that he should turn to a mercantile life and he early entered upon a business career. He was an enterprising man, and became a successful merchant and shop owner, trading with England, the West Indies and the Colonies. By 1662 he had become a prominent merchant, and on June 16 of that year "Mr. Rutherford, Mr. Hodshon and Mr. Thomas Trowbridge did freely engage to leave and not export, each of them, twenty bushels, at least, of wheat and indian corn that shall here remain for the supply of such as are in needs, provided due payment be made."

On September 14, 1665, permission was "granted to him by the town to build a warehouse on the bankside before his house." On September 6, 1668, "Mr. William Rosewell and Mr. Thomas Trowbridge were granted liberty to cut timber on the Common for the building of a vessel." In November, 1682, "Mr. Thomas Trowbridge requested land by the water side for a warehouse west of Mr. Samuel Bache's warehouse or else on the east side of it." The town granted a site "on the east side twenty-two feet in breadth, thirty feet from high water mark upwards and two or three rods into the flats."\* The following January he was granted permission to build a wharf at that place, "the Town ordering that it shall be free for any of the town to land upon and not pay for, provided that it do not hinder Mr. Trowbridge's own occasions." This wharf was located at the present corner of State and Water streets, and together with Mr. Bache's was the beginning of Union, or as it is popularly known, Long wharf. Besides the land where he lived and that used for his business enterprises Mr. Trowbridge owned a large amount of real estate in various sections of the town, and there are many deeds to and from him in the New Haven land records.

"Mr. Thomas Trowbridge has liberty from ye Town to purchase from ye Indians, land on East side of ye harbor, beginning north at or about Elsie's Creek, west & south by ye Meadows, east by divers trees marked by Indians, May 22, 1683."

"Know all men by these presents that wee Waurauncheno, Mauge, Wambusco, John Mowhawke, Soves, Shambishqua: Have in consideration of thirty one pounds, current pay to us in hand received, have sold unto Thomas Trowbridge Senr of New haven a parcell of land on ye East side of New haven harbor bounded on ye north side by a small brook that runs into ye foresd harbor, commonly called Goodman Ellsys Creeke, on ye west by ye meadows commonly called Goodman Ellsys & Goodman Leek's meadow, on ye south by a meadow commonly called Mr Hickcocks meadow, on ye east, upon ye east side of ye swampe as appears by ye marked trees: Together with all ye timber, wood, feed & all ye priviledges imunities of and belonging to ye same, upon any account & in any respect whatsoever. And wee ye said Waurauncheno, Mang, Wambusco, Jno Mohawk, Sowees, Shambishqua, for our seavles & heyres & assignes doe promise to make good ye sale hearof To ye aforesaid Thomas Trowbridge his heyres & assignes

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now in ye possession of ye aforesaid John Holte—ye dividing line being where ye fences have & doe now stand.

The abovementioned homelott and houses thereupon have been known and are owned to bee in ye lawfull and quiet possession of ye abovesaid Thomas Trowbridge excepting a little parcell adjoining to ye lott of Jno. Tod whereon there is a house built lately, sold by ye said Thomas Trowbridge unto Jno Morriss.

We say owned to be in the abovesaid quiet possession before us, this 23 day of June 1682. in presence of us.

Wm Jones Assisaut  
John Nash Recorder  
John Chidsey Townsman"

\* "Henry & Elen Glover, in consideration of ye summe of twenty five pounds, current pay with ye Marchent deed a piece of land with a warehouse upon ye bank fronting to ye dwelling house formerly belonging to Henry Rutherford & bounded south by land granted by ye town





for ever against all former gifts & mortgages or conveyances & incumbrances whatsoever In witness whereoff wee have sett our hands this thirty one day of March one thousand six hundred and eighty three

Testes. John Miels  
Joseph Allsop

Waruncheno, Mauge, John Mowhawke  
Sowees, Shambishqua, Indians appeared  
in New haven ye 20<sup>th</sup> day of April  
1683 & acknowledged ye above written  
& ye subscriptions to be theyer act &  
deed. Before me  
John Nash Assist<sup>t</sup>

Waruncheno his marke  
Maug his marke  
Wombusco his marke  
John Mohawk his marke  
Sowees his marke  
Shambishqua her marke  
Run Tom his marke<sup>t</sup>

[Recorded June 7, 1683, by John Nash Recorder.]

Thomas Trowbridge in early manhood began to receive recognition politically from his fellow citizens and from that time on he was much employed in the public business. On October 1, 1653, he was chosen "watch sentinel," and during the next ten years frequently served as juryman and in minor official positions. In 1667 he was county treasurer and the town constables appointed his warehouse as a place for bringing in the rates for county taxes. He was nominated and made a "freeman" of Connecticut May 20, 1668.\* In August, 1673, with the prospect of a war with the Dutch, the general court ordered the respective troops in the colony to be fitted out for service, and November 28 of that year Thomas Trowbridge was made commissary of the expedition to be

to Sarah Leete & thence extending, four rods up ye bank to ye Northward, west by highway, east by street adjoining to foresaid creeke to say two rod wide—to Thomas Trowbridge Dec. 27. 1682"



RUTHERFORD WAREHOUSE.

"The oldest building in the city is on State street next to Yale & Bryan's. [On the east side just north of Water street.] The Founders' Day placard stating that it was the oldest was displaced there yesterday. The place was formerly Henry Rutherford's warehouse. Mr. Rutherford lived directly opposite on the other side of the street. The building was erected in 1648 and was made of old English teak. It has been altered as it has passed down these many years, but the old frame, old windows and old doors remain." [New Haven Journal and Courier, June, 1888.] The building has been torn down recently.

\* In a list of nearly one hundred New Haven freemen in 1669 his name is one of less than a dozen that has the prefix of respect, "Mr."

sent against the Dutch at New York.\* Peace between England and Holland was declared, however, in time to prevent any of the Connecticut troops entering upon active service. Thomas Trowbridge was confirmed lieutenant of the New Haven Troop May 20, 1675,† and probably saw active service in King Philip's War, for it is known that from the outbreak of the war in June, 1675, until the Sachem's death in August, 1676, New Haven was in constant danger of attack by the Indians and suffered from frequent alarms. At a town meeting held September 24, 1675, Lieutenant Trowbridge and several other prominent citizens were chosen a "committee to consider and erect some fortifications at the meeting-house . . . and in other places about the town as they . . . agree." During the war frequent calls were made on New Haven for troops and supplies, and Lieutenant Trowbridge was active in seeing that the town furnished its quota of both.

Mr. Trowbridge was treasurer of the town in 1679 and 1680. In the latter year he was chosen "townsman," or selectman, and held that office eight years, being first selectman during several terms. He acted as agent for the town in the purchase of much land for the town from the Indians, thus ending Indian ownership of land within the boundaries of the town of New Haven.

"The towne was informed that whereas ye indians had been claiming ye lands or much of it on ye East side ye harbor & river, as if it had not been sold to us or our predecessors & Mr Thomas Trowbridge, having an opportunity to buy off their claymes, informed ye townsmen, who did encourage ye business & desyred him to buy off all ye indian claymes, that if it might be to prevent all trouble or inconvenience to ye towne on that account; & that now ye said Trowbridge had bought of ye indians their right in any land from Stoney River unto Malbon's Cove, as by a deed bearing date ye 20<sup>th</sup> day of April 1683 doth more fully appear in ye particulars & bounds thereof, which deed was now read to ye town, and they were well satisfied with what was done & desired Mr Trowbridge to finish another part of our bounds with those indians who claim from Oyster River to Malbon's Cove & so westward & northward, that if it might be all indian claymes of Land in our township might be at an end. The said Mr Trowbridge said he would issue it with what speed he could."

In 1681 "the town requested Mr. Thomas Trowbridge to prevail, if possible, with Mr. Hodges, the owner, to give them the trial of a bell which was brought in a vessel to the town." "At a town meeting held April 25, 1682, the bell . . . being now hanged in the turret, it was ordered that the townsmen would . . . draw up, etc., what times and in what manner it should be used." He was made a justice of the peace in 1687.

New Haven and Connecticut were not invaded during the French and Indian War, caused by the expulsion of the Stuarts from England, but performed their due part in that struggle. On May 13, 1690, the general court ordered that a committee, of which Mr. Thomas Trowbridge was chairman, "should prepare and provision a vessel for the relief of the army at Albany." From 1690 to 1697 he was regularly nominated for "assistant." He failed of election to that office, but was appointed by the court from 1690 to 1693 commissioner for New Haven.‡ He was also a member of the New Haven Proprietors Committee for many years. Gov. Benjamin Fletcher of New York, writing to the Committee of Trade of London on November 10, 1693, states that, "Major Palmer, Mr. Bulkely, the two Rosewells and Mr. Trowbridge are gentlemen of the best education, sense and estates amongst them [the Connecticut people]. They, with many other well affected people, have suffered very much by the arbitrary, illegal proceedings there [in Connecticut]. If Connecticut be annexed to New York, those I have mentioned are fittest in the Colony to be of the Council."§ On May 24, 1697, "at a meeting of the Governor and Council at New Haven, by reason

\* "Colonial Records of Connecticut," vol. 2, p. 218.

† Ditto, p. 256. William Rosewell was captain of the troop.

‡ Ditto, vol. 4, pp. 24, 28, 194.

§ "Documentary History of New York," vol. 4, p. 72.



This Indian Deed bearing Date of 24<sup>th</sup> Day of April 1683 by and between  
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 Kethon, Tote, Nanaoowah, Rowanosa, Keshonshamuck, Potowat Sachem,  
 Shambeigua, Kethon, Potowat, Junior of Quanaquon of & on  
 And M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Trowbridge of New Haven as Agent for them of behalfe of & in  
 behalfe of & in name of New Haven & Limits thereof on & ether of the Inhabitants  
 of the Towne of New Haven for good Causes whom this Deed touching  
 and a full & true Confirmation to them in kind. as to theyre Jurisdiction  
 having had a full & true Confirmation of what was done by theyre Agents in  
 selling of Land & Limits in the Towne of New Haven or belonging to the Quippaug Indians  
 of English at theyre first beginning in New Haven Township Grounds  
 sold, Assigned, assigned & made over. And by these persons the said  
 Thomas Trowbridge as Agent for the said behalfe & to the use benefit & behoofe  
 of the said Towne of New Haven & Limits thereof. All that  
 any of the said Indians or their Children or their Successors, bound by the  
 said Deed, shall pretend, bounded by the said Deed, shall pretend  
 east Running northerly as high as the beginning of the said  
 bound to be by a line running westward to the plain hills & so westward  
 by the plain hills till it come to the Land bought of the Quippaug Indians, and  
 from thence southward to the plain hills, all which Lands with the woods &  
 meadows Rivers Ponds Springs & water courses with all the rights & appurtenances  
 thereto belonging in any wise within the said bounds. To have & to  
 hold to him & his Heirs Thomas Trowbridge And to the said Inhabitants (being ap-  
 proved planters) of New Haven forever. And to his Heirs or heyres and  
 assigns forever without any lett molestation or further Claim by or from  
 the said Indians or their Children or heyres or Successors or any of them or their  
 Successors. Excepting a part of Land reserved or formerly said to the  
 said Indians or their Children or heyres or Successors. The said Deed is  
 bounded by George Mansons Land north by a  
 line running east by an old fence to be stated and by bounds  
 of the said Deed further east by an old fence to be stated and by bounds  
 of the said Deed on the west by the meadows & by the Indians hands for theyre  
 Trowbridge fully sold to him as witness whereof & the said Indians have set theyre  
 marks as follows:

John Winsten	Keshonshamuck a	Wenashonck Sachem
John Drouth	Sachem to his marks	his C marks
Young Wampoy	Shambeigua	Mary D his marks
his 21 marks	his 2 marks	Marushamp N his marks
	Jewetts his marks	John mowhawk
		his D marks
		Quetable his marks
		Kelown I his marks
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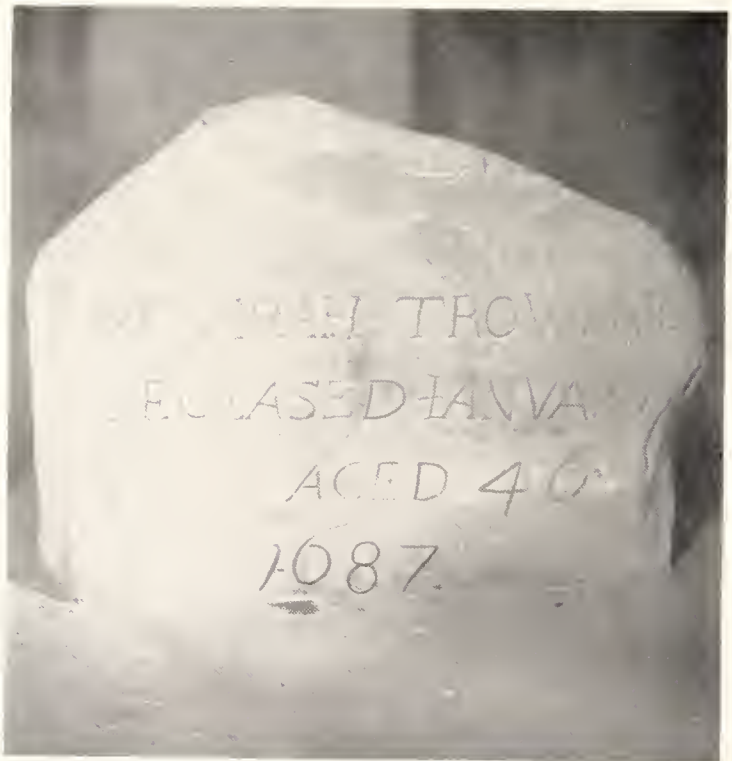
acknowledged by the said Indians  
 theyre voluntary act & deed of their own  
 free will & consent. Before us  
 Wm. Jones Justice  
 John Mass  
 The above written is a true veron copy of originale  
 compared & allowed of 6th Juny 1683: By J<sup>r</sup> Clark  
 Recorder

INDIAN DEED TO THOMAS TROWBRIDGE, AGENT, IN BEHALF OF THE INHABITANTS OF NEW HAVEN.

[ New Haven, Conn., Land Records, Vol. 1, page 150.]







MONUMENTS OF THOMAS TROWBRIDGE AND HIS WIFE SARAH  
(RUTHERFORD) TROWBRIDGE IN CENTER CHURCH  
CRYPT, NEW HAVEN, CONN.

of the scarcity of powder it is desired and agreed that Mr. Thomas Trowbridge do procure for the Colony's use eight barrels of powder, if it can be obtained." At the May session of the general court in 1698 Mr. Trowbridge was appointed a justice of the quorum.\*

Mr. Trowbridge had early taken a deep interest in educational matters in New Haven. At a meeting held February 7, 1668, the Rev. Mr. Davenport described Governor Hopkins' bequest for a "grammar or collegiate school" in New Haven and its conditions, and asked, "whether they would send their children to the school to be taught for the fitting of them for the service of God in the church and commonwealth; if they would, then Mr. Hopkins' grant to the town stands good, but if not, it is void." Mr. Trowbridge and several other prominent citizens declared their intention of sending a son or kinsman to the school. With this assured support, Mr. Davenport, the following April, executed the deed of trust which established the Hopkins Grammar School, an institution which has ever since filled an important part in the educational development not alone of New Haven but of the whole country. In 1683 Mr. Trowbridge was chosen a trustee of the school and served on that board until his death, being treasurer of the school during the year 1695-6.

Mr. Trowbridge was a regular attendant at the First Church meeting-house on the public square and is mentioned in the church listing of February 20, 1661-2, as "seated in the fourth of the short seats at the upper end." Mrs. Trowbridge sat in the third seat on the opposite, or women's side, of the church. Mr. Trowbridge was admitted a member of the church April 3, 1687.

Thomas Trowbridge was buried in the original town burial ground on the Green in the rear of the first meeting-house. His grave was situated in that part now included in the crypt of the present Center Church, and there, and in the church edifice above, can be found monuments to himself and many of his family. His tablet monument is in the crypt. It is a slab of brown sandstone, six feet and three inches long, by three feet wide, raised on a block three feet high. It was imported from England. It bears this inscription:

HERE LIES INTER'D  
THE BODY OF THOMAS  
TROWBRIDGE ESQUIRE  
AGED 70 YEARS DECEASED  
THE 22 OF AUGUST  
ANNO DOMINI  
1702

THE WILL OF MR. THOMAS TROWBRIDGE.†

"Thomas Trowbridge, Sen.r, of New haven in ye Colony of Conecticott, merchant, being sick and weake in body but of sound and perfect mind and memory, praise be therefore given to Almighty God, doe make and ordaine this my present last will and testament in manner and form following—that is to say—first and principally I commend my soule into ye hands of Almighty God, hoping through ye meritts and death and passion of my Savior Jesus Christ to have full and free pardon and forgiveness of all my sinnes and to inheritt everlasting life, and my body I comitt to ye earth to be decently burried at ye discretion of my executors hereafter named. And as touching the disposition of all such temporall estate as it hath pleased Almighty God to bestow upon me, I give and dispose thereof as followeth:

*First*, I desire all my just debts and funerall charges shall be paid and discharged.

*Second*, I give unto my deare and loving wife Hannah Trowbridge, one hundred and ten pounds current money, Alsoe eighty pounds in provisions or in goods if they will sute her occasions best, Alsoe I give ye use or improvement of the house, barne, together with ye homelot on which they stand with all appurtunances thereunto belonging (the said house formerly belonging to Henry Gibbons) the aforesaid house to be completely finisbit by ye executors hereafter named, who are alsoe obliged to make a well

\* "Colonial Records of Connecticut," vol. 4, p. 260.

† New Haven Probate Records, vol. 2, pp. 304 and foll.

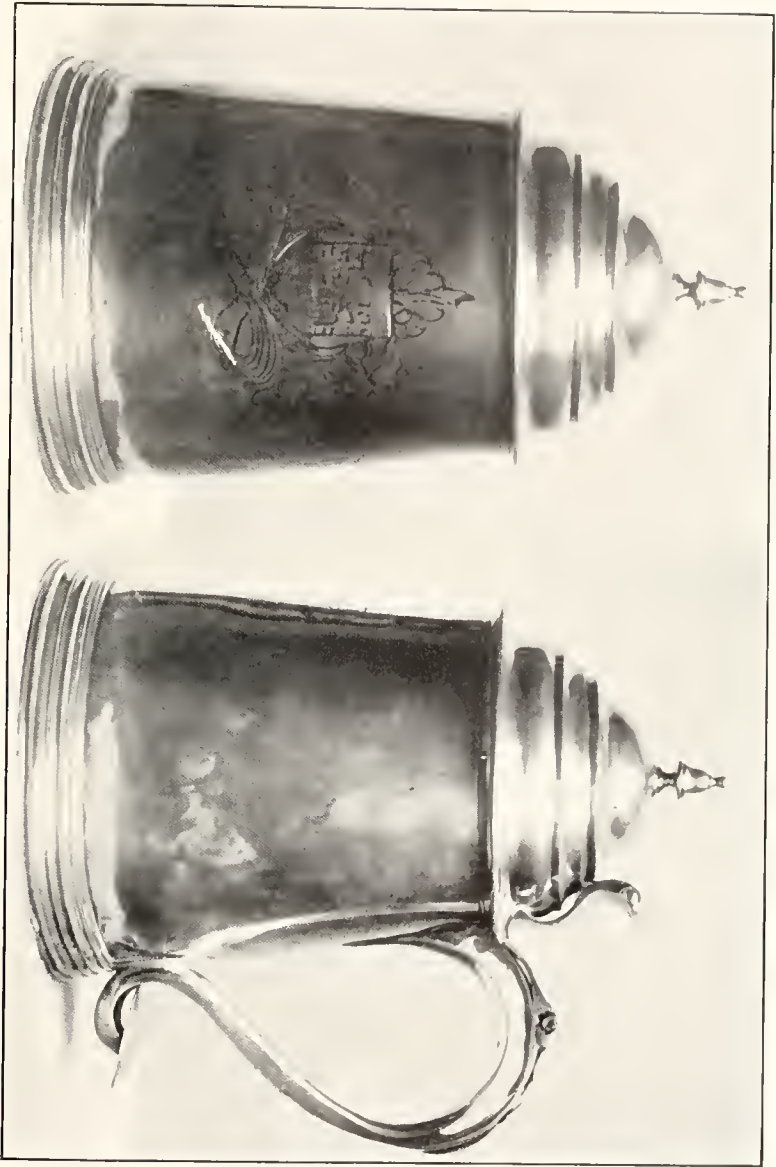
and pump convenient for ye use of ye said house, to have and to hold ye said use or improvement of said houseing homelott, well and all appurtunances during her natural life provided she doth not marry, but if she marrieth, then my will is that she shall hold ye use or improvement of said houseing, homelott, well and appurtunances as afore-said only one year from and next year after her marriage (to provide for herself) which yeare being expired, said houseing, homelott and appurtunances shall returne to two of my children, hereafter mentioned. *Itt.* a silver tumbler, a silver quart tankard, a silver porringer, a silver cup, six silver spoons, and three of ye bigger sort and three of ye lesser sort, a copper kettle, an iron pott, a brass pott, a new bell mettle skillet, six pewter dishes which she shall or may choose, one dozen of plates a jack and spitt and ye irons they run in which my wife brought with her, a little brass kettle, one trunk which my wife brought and another ciel skin trunk of myne, two feather beds, with bed stead which we lie on, with ye furniture belonging to them, four pairs of wide home spun sheets, two pairs of fine holland sheets, two pairs of cours holland sheets, four pairs of pillow-beares, four pillows, six leathern chairs, six Turkee worket cushions, four turned chairs, a pair of brass handirons in Caleb's chamber, a pair of iron tongs, an iron fire shovel in our bed chamber, one dozen of fine and one dozen of cours napkins, one dozen of towells, one table below with drawer, one table in the bed chamber, two wide home made table cloths, one diaper table cloth, one course table cloth, a warming pan, a frying pan, two pewter haions, one of them large, six pewter porringers, a high joint stool, a little silver forke, a round brass pan, one book of Mr Shepherd's Ten Virgins, my Dutch case and the bottles belonging to it, a silver bottle, a pair of tramel and a paire of pot hooks, a lignum vitae mortur and pestile, one brass and one iron candle stick, an iron goos and smoothing iron, an iron kettle, two chamber potts, a new pewter salt seller, a pillion and cloth, a chist that was the Major's,\* two good meal baggs, a brewing tubb, a washing tubb, one firkin of sope, a cow. Alsoe my will is, and I doe hereby give and bequeathe to my said wife from the time of my decease, for ye space of six yeares fully to be expired in case she continues a widow, viz.: two hundred weight of porke, two hundred weight of beefe, ten bushel of rice, ten busbels of indian corne, five bushels of wheate, ten bushels of barley malt or other mault equivalent thereunto, ten load of wood, all to be delivered yearly in the severale yeares of said terme at the mansion house of my said wife in New haven by my executors. And furthermore my will is that until the mansion house intended for my said wife be duely finished by my executors as is herewith ordered, she and my daughter Hannah shall remain in my present mansion house and be maintained at ye charge of my executors. The above legacies to be accounted and accepted of by my said deare wife in consideration and lieu of her whole interest according to law in my whole estate both personall and reall and to be at her absolute disposall.

Whereas I have formerly given to my son John Trowbridge (decd'd) partly in that house and homestead which he died possessed of and partly in other estate to the value of five hundred pounds, and have since been at charges to support his widow and children, I therefore may not without wrong to my other surviving children make addition by way of portion to above said charges, yet as a testimony of my fatherly affection to that bereaved afflicted family, I will and bequeath five pounds in silver to my daughter Collins on my decease, she then giving a full discharge to my executors of and from all further demands of my estate whatsoever. Thirty pounds alsoe in silver, I give to her son John Trowbridge at the age of twenty two yeares, he alsoe then giving a full discharge to my executors of and from all demands of my estate, personall and reall what soever coming into my possession at any time, heretofore by purchase or inheritance, And ten pounds in like silver to her daughter Anne at marriage or the age of eighteen yeares those severall summes to be paid by my executors.

*Thirdly,* Whereas I have bestowed sundry parcels of land and meadow on my children already married viz: Thomas Trowbridge, Mr Richard Rosewell and Mr John Hodshou, which parcels of land are already made over or are hereby assigned and confirmed to them, their heirs and assignes and not as parts of their portions but in testimony to each of them, I therefore in like manner doe hereby will and bequeath unto my children not yet married, in like affection to them, ye following parcels of land not to be accounted as part of their respective portions, viz: To my soune Caleb, his heirs and assignes, I will and bequeath ye ferme on ye East Side which ferme I bought of the Indians alsoe I give him all the houseing edifices fences and appurtunances to the same belonging with those parcels of meadow following, viz: that parcell of meadow containing now about four acres commonly called Elseys meadow, situate on ye Indian side, fourteen acres of meadow lying in ye South Meadow situate by ye rhode that leads to ye iron workes, one parcel of English meadow on ye East Side which I bought of said Indians, two acres of salt marsh meadow in ye Indian Field and five acres of meadow adjoining upon his brother Thomas' meadow neere ye Black Rock. To my son Daniel his heirs and

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\* Major Nash.



TROWBRIDGE TANKARD.

It is one of the pieces of silver mentioned in the will of Thomas Trowbridge and is the work of John Dixwell of Boston. It is owned by Francis B. Trowbridge of New Haven, Conn.





assigns I will and bequeath all my Third Division lying one ye West Side being about two hundred and thirty acres, be it more or less. To my daughter Hannah her heirs and assignes I will and bequeath all ye farme lying adjacent to ye three mile brook on the West Side of Milford Rhoade formerly Major Nash's farme, both that part I received with my present wife and that other part I since purchased.

Furthermore whereas I have already given to my surviving children married, each of them two hundred and fifty pounds reckoned as pay current, my will therefore is that my other children, viz: Caleb, Daniel and Hannah shall receive each of them portions to make them even with my aforesaid married children, viz: as followeth:

*Item.* I give to my son Caleb, his heirs and assignes fifty pounds current money, two silver forks, one large silver porrenger, one silver worket dish, a silver candell cupp, three large silver spoones, four smaller silver spoones—ye prizes of said pieces of plate together with the fifty pounds current money aforesaid being doubled shall be accounted a part of said two hundred and fifty pounds and what remains to complete ye same shall be taken out of my estate according to apprisement in ye inventory.

*Item.* I give to my son Daniell his heirs assignes fifty pounds current money having lately in severall payments given to my said son Daniell the full sum of fifty pounds full current silver money. I doe furthermore will and bequeath to him two silver forks, a great silver tankard, three long silver spoons, four smaller silver spoons which piece of plate and summe of money aforesaid shall be doubled and accounted in part of said two hundred & fifty pounds further to make up the said two hundred and fifty pounds. I give and bequeath unto my said son Daniell, the homelott formerly William Gibbons' lott lying between John and Joseph Morris' homelotts. *Item.* Two acres of land in Oyster Shell Field bounded on ye Widow How's land on ye east and by two highwaies north & south, to him his heirs and assignes for ever, at such prizes as they shall be sett at in ye inventorie and what shall be yet wanting of said two hundred and fifty pounds, my will is it shall be paid to him out of my estate according to apprisement in ye inventorie.

*Item.* I give to my daughter Hannah fifty pounds current money, two silver forks, a silver beacer, a little silver porrenger, a silver tumbler, a silver dram cupp, three large silver spoons, one little silver spoon fork, two silver spoons, two silver spoons, one little knobd silver spoon, three and a half acres of meadow, formerly Major Nash's meadow lying above the West Bridge, one acre of meadow att ye Oyster Point, seven acres of upland at ye Mill Hill, three acres and a half of land by the Mile lane, formerly Major Nash's, three acres and a quarter of pasture land lying by ye Mill River, six acres of land in ye Neck, all which parcells of land and meadow were formerly Major Nash's and to be accounted to her at the prices they were sett in said Nash's inventory, ye summe of said apprisement together with ye double prizes of plate and sume of money as aforesaid, to be accounted part and parcel of said two hundred and fifty pounds pay and the remainder (if any be) to make up the summe, to be taken out of my estate according to apprisement in my inventory and to be delivered to her mother to be kept for the use of said daughter untill she come to lawfull age or marriage, and in case my wife die before my daughter Hannah attains the age of twenty one years, then my will is that my said daughter shall have ye use and improvement of said house, homelott and appurtunances (granted to my wife during her widowhood as aforesaid) untill she come to ye age of twenty one yeares as aforesaid and then I give and bequeath the said house, barne, homlott and all appurtunances to my sonns Caleb and Daniel Trowbridge their heirs and assignes for ever. My will furthermore is yt my executors pay to my wife or who else shall have ye care of my daughter Hannah ten pounds a yeare in provision value out of my estate towards the bringing up of my said daughter until she arrive at ye age of sixteene years, my will further is yt if it please God yt my daughter Hannah dieth before her mother and before she be capable by law to make her will, that then all ye Real Estate bequeathed to my said daughter be & remain in ye use and improvement of her said mother for her sole profit, during her natural life and after to return to my sonns in equale proportion and ye remainder of the personale estate given to my said daughter, I leave to my wifes discretion to dispose of to which of my children she please.

*Item.* I give to my sonne Thomas Trowbridge his heirs assignes forever forty acres of Wilderness land formerly ye Reverend Mr Samuel Streets of Walinford, twenty five acres Third Division land formerly Widow Hotchkiss', Edward Kelie's Third Division lott, and Henry Gibons Third Division lott, twelve acres of meadow and clear ground be it more or less upon ye East River, neere ye Brick Kilne Point, alsoe a parcele of salt marsh meadow, lying near ye Black Rock, ye bounds and quantity of said parcells of land and meadow being now particularly expressed in my deeds of gift to my sd sonne which above said parcells of land and meadow to my said Sonn Thomas is not to be accounted as part of his portion.

*Item.* I give to my sonne in law Mr Richard Rosewell his heirs and assignes forever (not to be accounted as a part of his portion) one hundred and ten acres of land formerly belonging to Ensign Munson situate on ye East Side, also twenty five acres of land

formerly Samuel Humerstone's, twenty six acres of land formerly John Culver's Third Division land on West Side, and two acres of salt marsh meadow joining to Caleb Trowbridge's meadow in ye Indian Field, ye bounds of said parcels being expresst particularly in my deed of gift to my said sonne.

*Item.* I give my son Mr John Hodshon his heirs and assignes forever (not to be accounted a part of his portion) two hundred & fifty acres of land formerly belonging to Mr James Bishop deceased situated by Pilgrims Harbor, and four acres of meadow lying at Malbon's Cove which was Nathaniel Kimberlie's meadow.

*Item.* I give to each of my grand children surviving at my decease (to whom I have not expressly in this my will already given) twenty shillings in silver to each, among whom I intend Mehittable Collins.

*Item.* I give to my two daughters, Lydia Rosewell and Elizabeth Hodshon ten pounds to each in current money. These severall proportions thus made even as aforesaid, my further will is that then the remainder of all my estate both real and personall whatsoever be equally divided to and among all my present surviving children. And I desire nominate and appoint my three sons Thomas Trowbridge, Caleb Trowbridge and Daniel Trowbridge to be executors of this my last will and testament and I doe hereby revoke, disannull and make void all former wills and testaments by me heretofore made in witness whereoff I the said Thomas Trowbridge Sen.<sup>r</sup> to this my last will and testament (being contained in four sheets of paper) have hereunto sett my hand and seal this eleventh day of November in ye yeare of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and one and in ye thritenth yeare of ye reigne of our soveraigne Lord, William ye third of England, King, Defender of ye Faith &c

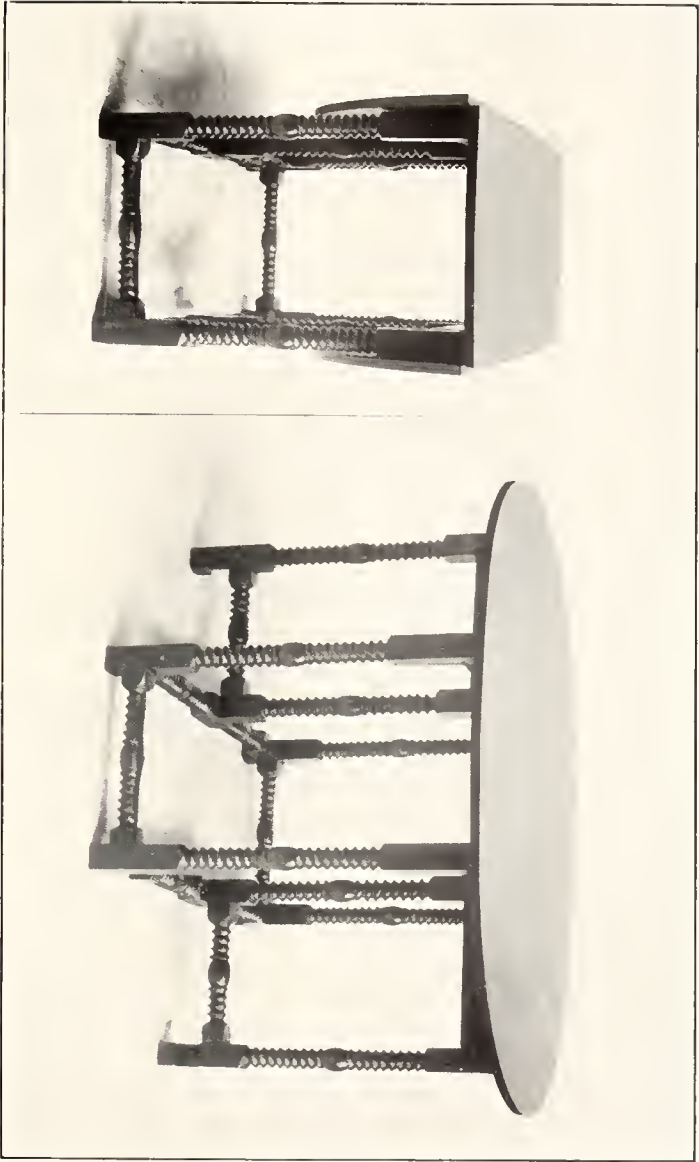
Signed sealed & published to be ye last will & testament of s<sup>d</sup> Mr Thomas Trowbridge Sen.<sup>r</sup> in ye presence } Thomas Trowbridge [Seal]  
of us witnesses }

Jonathan Atwater }  
Rotherford Hall }  
Moses Mansfield }

Att a Court of Probate Sept.<sup>r</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> 1702. Then appeared Jonathan Atwater, Rotherford Hall and Moses Mansfield aforesaid and made solemn oath that they saw ye said Mr Thomas Trowbridge Senior, signe, seale and publish ye above written as his last will and testament and that he was of sound mind (according to ye best of their judgement) when he so did, which said will is proved and approved for record.

An inventory of Thomas Trowbridge's, Esq<sup>r</sup>., Estate taken by us whose names are underwritten November ye 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1702.

	£	s	d
Imprimis. In the Hall:			
Wearing clothes and linen . . . . .	4	16	6
More linen and one pair gloves . . . . .	2	09	0
Broadcloth coat 5£ cloak 4£ coat 25 <sup>s</sup> coat 2£ . . . . .	12	05	0
Vest 30 <sup>s</sup> cloth coat 1£ vest 2£ broad cloth coat 1£ . . . . .	5	10	0
Breeches 15 <sup>s</sup> vest 30 <sup>s</sup> pr breeches 15 <sup>s</sup> breeches 3 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	3	03	0
A wastecot 3 <sup>s</sup> 2 pair worsted stockings 14 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	17	0	0
2 hatts 2£: 5 <sup>s</sup> an old hatt 2 <sup>s</sup> cane 1£: 12 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> sword . . . . .	7	14	6
Hamacker 2£ quilt 4£ green serge 4£: 11 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	10	11	0
Bastard cheney 6 <sup>s</sup> glass case 18 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	1	04	0
A large looking glass 6£: 15 case bottle 1£: 10 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	8	05	0
Pr large handirons 35 <sup>s</sup> snuffers 2 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> . . . . .	1	17	6
6 cane chairs 5£: 11 <sup>s</sup> leathern chair 6£: 8 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	11	01	0
Stone table & frame 3£ large square table 30 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	4	10	0
Cypress Chest 3£: 35 <sup>s</sup> in sugar 2 jugs 9 <sup>s</sup> gallon bottle 3 <sup>s</sup> : 3 <sup>d</sup> . . . . .	5	07	3
21 bottles 10 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> cartridges shott and powdh 5 <sup>s</sup> cutl <sup>s</sup> 16 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	1	11	6
A white mortar 7 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> Jarr 2 <sup>s</sup> honey 10 <sup>s</sup> 1 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> gratr . . . . .	1	11	0
In ye Hall Chamber:			
Curtains valens beds, bedsteads, bolster and other furniture 18£ . . . . .	18	00	0
Pair large handirons 32 <sup>s</sup> brass fire shovell tongs 24 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	2	16	0
Looking glass 2£ chist of drawers 5£ table 8 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	7	08	0
A carpett 6 <sup>s</sup> 36 <sup>lbs</sup> loaf sug <sup>r</sup> 4£ cushion 5 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	4	11	0
To 4 large chairs 32 <sup>s</sup> 3 turned chairs 7 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> . . . . .	1	19	6
In ye clossett 30 <sup>s</sup> more in ye clossett 8 <sup>s</sup> : 0 <sup>d</sup> . . . . .	1	18	0
In ye Porch Chamber:			
Bedstead furniture 12£: 9 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	12	09	0
Seal skin trunk 26 <sup>s</sup> smoothing iron heater 12 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	1	18	0
In Mr Calebs Chamber:			
A trunk 15 <sup>s</sup> Trunk 14 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> . . . . .	1	09	06
A small red trunk 12 <sup>s</sup> handirons fire shovell tongs 10 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	1	02	00
2 small curtain rods 3 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> coverlett 2£: 10 quilt 24 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	3	07	06



TROWBRIDGE TABLE.

It is mentioned in the will of Thomas Trowbridge and it is owned by Francis B. Trowbridge of New Haven, Conn.



	£	s	d
Blankett 13 <sup>s</sup> feather bed 5£ bolster 24 <sup>s</sup> curtains 3£		9	17—00
Head cloth and tester 1£ beadstead 12 <sup>s</sup> 5 pair of sheets 10£: 2: 6	11	14	06
11 napkins 16 <sup>s</sup> 1 dozen napkins 24 <sup>s</sup> damask table cloth 1£	3	00	00
Diaper table cloth 11 <sup>s</sup> fringe diaper table cloth 7 <sup>s</sup>		18	00
A narrow diaper table cloth 10 <sup>s</sup> diaper table cloth 6 <sup>s</sup>		16	00
Damask towell 4 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> 10 bead work napkins 16 <sup>s</sup> : 8 <sup>d</sup>	1	01	02
4 sheets 4£ a paire fine sheets 2£: 12 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> pr fine sheets 1£: 7 <sup>s</sup>	7	19	06
Pr fine holland sheets 2£: 10 <sup>s</sup> pr of sheets 2£: 10 <sup>s</sup>	5	00	00
Pr holland sheets 2£: 10 <sup>s</sup> pr. holland sheets 2£: 10 <sup>s</sup> pr sheets 30 <sup>s</sup>	6	10	00
Pr old sheets 25 <sup>s</sup> table cloth 11 <sup>s</sup> square table cloth 8 <sup>s</sup> ditto 5 <sup>s</sup>	2	09	00
Table cloth 8 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> 2 napkins 14 <sup>s</sup> 2 napkins 8 <sup>s</sup> 2 napkins 3 <sup>s</sup>	1	13	00
7 pillow-biers 49 <sup>s</sup> 8 pillow-biers 3£: 4 <sup>s</sup> 2 pillow-biers 8 <sup>s</sup>	6	01	00
2 pillow-biers 6 <sup>s</sup> 5 pillow-biers 13 <sup>s</sup> : 9 <sup>d</sup> two pillow-biers 4 <sup>s</sup>	1	09	09
3 old pillow-biers 7 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> 3 pillow-biers 10 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> 3 napkins 6 <sup>s</sup>	1	04	00
17 napkins 1£ 4 napkins 16 <sup>s</sup> 8 napkins 36 <sup>s</sup>	3	12	00
An old cotton mantle 5 <sup>s</sup>		5	00
In ye Middle Garrett:			
A large bedd 5£: 7 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup>	5	07	06
A small bed 3£: 2 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> another bed 4£: 15 <sup>s</sup>	7	17	06
A pillow 6 <sup>s</sup> : 9 <sup>d</sup> pillow 5 <sup>s</sup> pillow 6 <sup>s</sup> : 9 <sup>d</sup> pillow 4 <sup>s</sup>	1	02	06
A bolster 16 <sup>s</sup> pillow 4 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> pillow 5 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> pillow 4 <sup>s</sup>	1	10	00
A pillow 5 <sup>s</sup> bed 3£: 16 <sup>s</sup> coverlid 2 blanketts 1£: 14 <sup>s</sup>	5	15	00
A trundle bed 9 <sup>s</sup> green rugg 35 <sup>s</sup> quilt 22 <sup>s</sup>	3	06	00
Red ruggs 1£ 2 peices 1£: 4 <sup>s</sup>	2	04	00
2 window curtains 14 <sup>s</sup> old curtains 7 <sup>s</sup> a peice red cloth 16 <sup>s</sup>	1	17	00
6 cushions 2£: 2 <sup>s</sup> a wainsecoat chist 10 <sup>s</sup> chist 12 <sup>s</sup>	3	04	00
In the South Garrett:			
A small bed & furniture 4£: 10 <sup>s</sup>	4	10	00
2 small coverlids 3£ 2 blue ruggs 35 <sup>s</sup> carpett 25 <sup>s</sup>	6	00	00
Ye black cloth 1£: 5 <sup>s</sup> a large chist 12 <sup>s</sup> chist 4 <sup>s</sup>	2	10	00
A box 2 <sup>s</sup> a trunk 13 <sup>s</sup> a large bible 25 <sup>s</sup>	2	00	00
Ye 10 Virgins 10 <sup>s</sup> bed of spices 6 <sup>s</sup> New Testament 5 <sup>s</sup>	1	01	00
To 16 small books 23 <sup>s</sup> An old hystorie 2 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup>	1	05	06
An old Sea Marriner 12 <sup>s</sup> saddle 30 <sup>s</sup>	2	02	00
A Table 14 <sup>s</sup> an old cabinett 2£ warming pan 18 <sup>s</sup>	3	12	00
An iron pott 9 <sup>s</sup> 119 <sup>lbs</sup> lead 2£: 7 <sup>d</sup> flints & needles 18 <sup>s</sup>	4	06	07
Bees wax, a little bay tallow 3 <sup>s</sup> : 9 <sup>d</sup> peices leather 3 <sup>s</sup>		06	09
A parcell of old fashion buttens 10 <sup>s</sup>		10	00
In the North Garrett:			
3 old coverletts 2£: 10 <sup>s</sup>	2	10	00
An old table 13 <sup>s</sup> a chist 14 <sup>s</sup> wainsecott 14 <sup>s</sup> 3 old chists 12 <sup>s</sup>	2	13	00
2 old wheels 8 <sup>s</sup> 3 old chairs 6 <sup>s</sup> 2 frames 10 <sup>s</sup>	1	04	00
Hops 4 <sup>s</sup> an old stool 8 <sup>s</sup> old Iron 1 <sup>s</sup>		13	00
A silk blankett 2£ counterpin 25 <sup>s</sup> goloom 24 <sup>s</sup>	4	09	00
Silk 12 <sup>s</sup> pins ribbin 3 <sup>s</sup> : 4 <sup>d</sup> thread & laces 7 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> cotton ribbens 1£: 5 <sup>s</sup> : 4 <sup>d</sup>	1	05	04
85 pound pewter 14£: 17 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> old pewter 3£ serge 23 <sup>s</sup> : 4 <sup>d</sup>	16	03	10
Pillion & pillion cloth 32 <sup>s</sup> a baskett & brush 2 <sup>s</sup>	1	14	00
3 pr of cotton sheets 5£: 14 <sup>s</sup> a pr of courser sheets 32 <sup>s</sup>	7	06	00
Pr of sheets 30 <sup>s</sup> pr of linen sheets 32 <sup>s</sup>	3	02	00
Pr of sheets (linen) 32 <sup>s</sup> pr of sheets 30 <sup>s</sup>	3	02	00
Pr of sheets 36 <sup>s</sup> pr of sheets 28 <sup>s</sup> pr sheets 36 <sup>s</sup>	5	00	00
L <sup>b</sup> old pewter 2£: 7 <sup>s</sup>	2	07	00
In ye North Garrett:			
A pr of sheets 1£ pr sheets 24 <sup>s</sup>	2	02	00
Pr sheets 36 <sup>s</sup> pr sheets 24 <sup>s</sup> pr sheets 30 <sup>s</sup> pr ditto 30 <sup>s</sup>	6	00	00
Sheets 24 <sup>s</sup> pr sheets 34 <sup>s</sup> sheets 2£ one sheet 14 <sup>s</sup>	5	12	00
2 table cloths tow 8 <sup>s</sup> 2 small table cloths 8 <sup>s</sup>		16	00
A large table cloth 8 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> 8 napkins 12 <sup>s</sup> old napkins 09 <sup>d</sup>	1	09	06
Napkins 21 <sup>s</sup> : 3 <sup>d</sup> old napkins 4 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup>	1	05	09
4 <sup>lb</sup> of wool 6 <sup>s</sup> other things 5 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> linen 6 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup>		18	06
A bolster 12 <sup>s</sup> nails 23 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup>	1	15	06
In ye Cock loft:			
10 <sup>s</sup> a still 38 <sup>s</sup> other things 33 <sup>s</sup>	4	01	06
A lock 3 <sup>s</sup> earthen dish 8 <sup>d</sup> old handirons 8 <sup>d</sup>	0	22	08
In ye Dwelling Roome:			
5 old leathern chairs 35 <sup>s</sup>	1	15	00
Table with drawyer 18 <sup>s</sup> wainsecott chairs 9 <sup>s</sup>	1	07	00
5 turned chairs 10 <sup>s</sup> small table 9 <sup>s</sup> joint stool 3 <sup>s</sup>	1	02	00

	£	s	d
Case of knives 6 <sup>s</sup> small scale and weights 12 <sup>s</sup>			18—00
Severall small things in ye clossetts 15 <sup>s</sup>			15—00
Trumpett, muskett, gun 2£ short musquett 1£			3—00—00
Muskett with a broken stock 25 <sup>s</sup>			1—05—00
A blunderbusse 1£: 18 <sup>s</sup> carbine 25 <sup>s</sup> pistoll 12 <sup>s</sup>			3—15—00
Pr of cast handirons 12 <sup>s</sup> 2 pr of tongs 9 <sup>s</sup>			1—01—00
A fire shovell 6 <sup>s</sup> east goos 18 <sup>s</sup> 7 Turkee work cushions 3 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup>			3—10—06
Old cushions 3 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> bolsters 2 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> looking glass & hour glass 10 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup>			16—06
2 jugs 3 <sup>s</sup> 1½ doz trenchers 3 <sup>s</sup> 2 table cloths 12 <sup>s</sup>			15—00
4 napkins 10 <sup>s</sup> fine old napkins 7 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> 4 cours towells 6 <sup>s</sup>			1—03—06
Severall of linen on ye hedge 3£: 15 <sup>s</sup>			3—15—00
In ye Kitchen:			
Jack spitt and other furniture			2—10—00
4 chairs 8 <sup>s</sup> joint stoole 2 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> smale bandirons 4 <sup>s</sup>			14—06
Ye fender tosting iron 7 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> fine tramills 25 <sup>s</sup>			1—12—06
Old iron mortar 9 <sup>s</sup> slicer 7 <sup>s</sup> lanthorne 3 <sup>s</sup>			19—00
Sieve 2 <sup>s</sup> lignum vitæ mortar 7 <sup>s</sup> brass mortar 6 <sup>s</sup>			15—00
An old bell mettle pott 18 <sup>s</sup> 3 iron potts 28 <sup>s</sup>			2—06—00
A new bell mettle skillett 16 <sup>s</sup> broken skillett 10 <sup>s</sup>			1—06—00
2 small brass skilletts 12 <sup>s</sup> 2 iron candle sticks 2 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup>			14—06
3 brass candle sticks 21 <sup>s</sup> an old kettle with cover 6 <sup>s</sup>			1—10—00
2 brass chaffing dishes 16 <sup>s</sup> an iron candle stick 16 <sup>d</sup>			17—04
Small things 2 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> frying pan 8 <sup>s</sup> chopping knife 1 <sup>s</sup>			11—06
An old kettle 18 <sup>d</sup> severale things 7 <sup>s</sup> dripping pan 4 <sup>s</sup>			12—06
Culpepper's English Phisician 9 <sup>s</sup> mouse trapp 8 <sup>d</sup>			9—08
3 cusons 18 <sup>s</sup> chist 10 <sup>s</sup> table things 6 <sup>s</sup>			1—14—00
Old barrells tubbs & tobacco 12 <sup>s</sup> pewter 11£: 9 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup>			12—01—06
31 <sup>lb</sup> old pewter 2£: 6 <sup>s</sup> old trumpery in Kitchin 1£: 12 <sup>s</sup>			3—18—00
4 cushions 7 <sup>s</sup> 2 paire stilliards 32 <sup>s</sup> 1 pr scales 10 <sup>s</sup>			2—09—00
A pr of money scales 6 <sup>s</sup> pumkins 2 <sup>s</sup>			8—00
4 Juggs of hey 3£ salt 11£ bolting mill 3£: 10 <sup>s</sup>			17—10—00
Malt 1£ barley 1£: 17 <sup>s</sup>			2—17—00
One bushell & ½ of wheat 7£ flax 3£: 10 <sup>s</sup> 1 bmsh. barley 5 <sup>s</sup>			4—02—00
Ruffe tallow 6 <sup>s</sup> baggs 2£: 5 <sup>s</sup> old baggs 17 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> candles 4 <sup>s</sup>			3—12—00
Barrill of beef 2£: 5 <sup>s</sup> tallow 2 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> lumber 15 <sup>s</sup>			3—02—06
212 <sup>lb</sup> of lead at 4£: 8 <sup>s</sup> six & ½ bush <sup>s</sup> of dirty salt 22 <sup>s</sup>			5—10—00
Boetle & wedges 6 <sup>s</sup> iron ladle 3 <sup>s</sup> old kettle 18 <sup>s</sup>			1—07—00
Pan 2£: 10 brass pan 28 <sup>s</sup> old kettle 18 <sup>s</sup> 2 small kettle 18 <sup>s</sup>			5—14—00
2 cows 7£: 15 <sup>s</sup> 2 acres of land 6£ in ye Governors Quarter			13—15—00
Dung 8 load 8 <sup>s</sup> swine 22 <sup>s</sup> scow 9£			10—10—00
W <sup>m</sup> Gibbons lott 24£ steer 2£ fowls 3 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup>			26—03—06
2 old hods 4 <sup>s</sup> 2 axes 7 <sup>s</sup> 2 broken jacks 1£ worsted yarne 3 <sup>s</sup>			1—14—00
An old cask 2 <sup>s</sup> chamber pott 16 <sup>d</sup> 2 shovells 2 <sup>s</sup>			5—04
Stuff 1£: 14 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup> 2 half hundred 25 <sup>s</sup>			2—19—06
Pr 12 bushells ashes 4 <sup>s</sup> lader 6 <sup>s</sup>			10—00
Pr 1 Acre of meadow at Oyster Point 9£ 3 acres ¼ meadow at ye West Bridge at 8 <sup>s</sup> pr acre 26£			35—00—00
Land in Coopers Quarter 10£: 10 <sup>s</sup> In Governor's Quarter land 8£: 15 <sup>s</sup>			19—05—00
Land in ye Neck 5£ Land at Mile Hill 5£			10—00—00
Land att Wallingford 15£			15—00—00
Dwelling Hous, Lott and Barne 280£			280—00—00
Small 7 <sup>rel</sup> att ye end of homelott 2£			2—00—00
Glovers Warehouse with ye land belonging to it 5£			5—00—00
The old Warehouse with the land to it 55£			55—00—00
New Warehouse with land belonging to itt 65£			65—00—00
New House lott & barne 120£			120—00—00
Land on ye West Side 14£			14—00—00
[Additional:]			
To 3 books 15 <sup>s</sup>			15—00
To 10 <sup>lb</sup> of iron 5 <sup>s</sup> 2 capps 2 <sup>s</sup> : 6 <sup>d</sup>			7—06
To ⅔ of a cribb of glass 3£			3—00—00
To an half bushell 6 <sup>s</sup> 2 pr snuffers 3 <sup>s</sup> 2 pr spectsacles 6 <sup>s</sup>			15—00
To a pr of bodies 9 <sup>s</sup> ½ yd & naile french drugget 5 <sup>s</sup>			14—00

Summe totall in pay 1124£: 18<sup>s</sup>: 7<sup>d</sup> . . . . . 744—05—04



TROWBRIDGE FURNITURE.

Owned by William D. Curtis of Lenox, Mass., a grandson of No. 11. ix.





	£	s	d
An Account of Money and Debts due to ye said Estate in Cash 341£: 17 <sup>s</sup>	341	17	00
Buttons and Clypt English Money at 6 <sup>s</sup> : 8 <sup>d</sup> pr ounce . . . . .	25	13	04
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Seald Ring 1£: 8 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	367	10	01
175 ounces of wrought plate at 6 <sup>s</sup> : 8 <sup>d</sup> pr ounce and ye fashioning some of it . . . . .	1	08	00
Due from Mr Thomas Codrington of New York in this money . . . . .	59	09	02
Due from Mrs Rebecca Giners 17£ . . . . .	131	10	00
Due from Thomas Liffengwell 10£ . . . . .	17	00	00
Due from Thomas Liffengwell 10£ . . . . .	10	00	00
Due from James Trowbridge 3£: 12 <sup>s</sup> . . . . .	3	12	00
Due from Mr John Hodshon 12£ . . . . .	12	00	00
Brought from ye other side . . . . .	367	10	04
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	602	09	06

Mrs Hannah Trowbridge }  
& Mr Caleb Trowbridge } sworn to ye presentment

Capt Nathan Andrews } sworn to ye Apprizment of sd estate  
Mr William Thompson } at a court of probate Nov 16, 1702.

THE WILL OF MRS. HANNAH TROWBRIDGE.\*

"In the name of God, amen, I, Hannah Trowbridge, of New Haven, widdow, being weak of body, but of sound understanding and memory, and not knowing how short my time may be, do make and declare this to be my last will and testament. Imprimis, I give my soul to God who gave it, hoping in the merits of Jesus Christ my blessed Redeemer for a glorious resurection, and my body to the dust, to be decently burried at ye discretion of my executors hereafter named. And as for that temporall estate that God hath entrusted me with, my will is, after my just debts and funeral charges be paid, I give unto my loving sister Mary Payne my best silk hood and best silk scarf, also my best black sute. *Itt*. I give unto my loving sister Sarah Yale my next best black sute, also a colloured sute and two thin shifts. *Itt*. I give to my dear daughter Hannah Trowbridge two red petticoats, and two white petticoats and one damask petticoat, and all my bought shifts, and all my cloathing that is in my ciele skin trunk, and what other clothing of mine she shall see cause to take, and the remainder of my cloathing I give unto my loving sister Mary Payne; also I give unto her the said Mary Payne ten pounds of my inventoried estate. Also I give unto my cosen [niece] Sarah Payne ten pounds of my inventoried estate, to be paid at the discretion of my executors. And all the rest of my estate, of what nature or kind soever, I give unto my dear daughter Hannah Trowbridge and to the heirs of her body, and if she die without issue, then the estate to return to my sister Mary Payne and her daughter, if living, and if they be dead, then to return to my kinsman Mr. John Alling and his heirs. And my will is, and I do appoint and desire my loving kinsman Mr. John Alling and the Reverend James Pierpont and the Reverend Mr. Joseph Moss of Derby, immediately after my decease, to take care of my dear daughter Hannah Trowbridge and also of her estate, desiring the Reverend Mr. James Pierpont to take into his family, and under bis care, my dear daughter, Hannah, and also my mulatto maid.

And I do hereby nominate and appoint Mr. John Alling aforesaid sole executor of this my last will and testament, revoking all former wills and testaments by me at any time made. In testimony whereof I the said Hannah Trowbridge have hereunto sett my hand & seale, dated at New haven, the Twentieth day of January Anno Domini, one thousand seven hundred & seven or eight.

Signed sealed & delivered in presence of } her  
Peter Carrington, John Morris, John Winston } Hannah IT Trowbridge [Seal]  
mark

At a court of probate 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of March 1707-8 the witnesses to ye said will appeared & made oath that they saw Mrs Hannah Trowbridge aforesaid sign seal & deliver ye sd will as her last will & testament & that she was of sound mind & memory when she so did according to ye best of their judgments.

Approved & ordered on record the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of March 1707-8.

Test John Winston, Clerk."

\* New Haven Probate Records, vol. 3, p. 131. The inventory of her estate shows 56 ounces of plate.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. SARAH, b. Nov. 7, 1658; d. Mar. 20, 1675-6, in New Haven; unm.
3. ii. JOHN, b. Dec. 23, 1661.
4. iii. THOMAS, b. Feb. 14, 1663-4.
- iv. LYDIA, b. June 7, 1666; m. Dec. 22, 1681, Richard Rosewell of New Haven.
5. v. CALEB, b. Oct. 28, 1670.
- vi. DANIEL, b. Jan. 5, 1672-3; mariner; d. Feb. 29, 1739-40, in New Haven; unm.
- vii. ELIZABETH, b. June 30, 1676; m. Apr. 5, 1691, John Hodshon of New Haven.
- viii. SARAH, b. Sept. 24, 1680; d. Dec. 29, 1690.

*By second marriage:*

- ix. HANNAH, b. Mar. 30, 1690; m. Jan. 30, 1709-10, Joseph Whiting, Esq., of New Haven.

3. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 23, 1661, in New Haven, Conn.; died ———, 1689,† at sea; married November 19, 1683, in New Haven, Ann Leete, daughter of Gov. William and Ann (Paine) Leete, born March 10, 1661, in Guilford, Conn. She married, second, May 9, 1696, in New Haven, Capt. Ebenezer Collins of New Haven, and died August 2, 1747,‡ in New Haven.

John Trowbridge settled in his native town. He learned the joiner's trade, but did not follow it for any length of time. He became a prominent merchant and had the title of "Mr." He died at sea, leaving a good estate. His inventory included the homestead, warehouse, one-fourth of a vessel, the *Pinke*, and a mulatto girl. His wife was admitted a member of the First Church May 15, 1689.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:\*

6. i. JOHN, b. Nov. 2, 1684.
- ii. ANN, b. July 20, 1688; m. Nov. 30, 1708, Rev. Samuel Cook of New Haven.

4. THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 14, 1663-4, in New Haven, Conn.; died September 15, 1711,§ in New Haven; married October 16, 1685, in New Haven, Mary Winston, daughter of John Winston, born June 24, 1667, in New Haven; died September 16, 1742,§ in New Haven.

Thomas Trowbridge was graduated in 1677 from Hopkins Grammar School, his father being one of its patrons and later one of its trustees. He settled in New Haven, where he learned the cooper's trade and conducted a prosperous business in that line. He was interested also in the West India trade, and is described in the records of that day as "gentleman, planter and merchant." He went to live soon after his marriage in a house built for him and given him by his father on Meadow street.|| His cooperage shop and warehouse were at the head of the wharf. At his death he left an estate of £1285, the largest estate left in New Haven up to that date.

Mr. Trowbridge was admitted a member of the First Church December 25, 1689. His wife was admitted March 11, 1691. He was a trustee of the Hopkins Grammar School from 1695 until his death, and its treasurer from 1703. He and his wife are buried under handsome monuments in Center Church crypt.

\* By New Haven Town Records.

† The inventory of his estate was taken June 10, 1689.

‡ By gravestone in Center Church crypt.

§ By monument in Center Church crypt. Administration on his estate was granted Oct. 23, 1711. [New Haven Probate Records, vol. 3, p. 296; vol. 4, pp. 197-8, 275.]

|| This house was built in 1684. It is still standing and is the oldest house in New Haven. It has been removed to the rear of the state armory, raised on a new foundation, has had a metal roof put on it and is in other respects so greatly altered in appearance that a picture of it is omitted from this volume.



MONUMENT OF THOMAS TROWBRIDGE AND HIS WIFE MARY (ATKINSON)  
TROWBRIDGE IN CENTER CHURCH GRAYE.







TROWBRIDGE SECTION IN CENTER CHURCH CRYPT.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN. :\*

- i. SARAH, b. Nov. 26, 1686; m. Dec. 17, 1707, Col. John Russell of Branford, Conn.
7. ii. STEPHEN, b. Sept. 7, 1688.
- iii. MARY, b. Apr. 9, 1691; m., 1st, Oct. 27, 1715, Stephen Alling of New Haven; m., 2d, Nov. 11, 1730, Miles Merwin of Milford, Conn.
- iv. ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 29, 1693; m., 1st, Mar. 20, 1717-8, Joseph Miles of New Haven; m., 2d, Aug. 21, 1758, Stephen Howell of New Haven.
- v. THOMAS, b. Dec. 20, 1695; a cooper; d. in 1722 at sea; unm.
- S. vi. JOSEPH, b. Apr. 1, 1699.
- vii. Twins, b. Nov. 16, 1701; d. soon, without names.
9. viii. DANIEL, b. Oct. 25, 1703.

5. CALEB TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 28, 1670, in New Haven, Conn.; died September 10, 1704,† in New Haven; married July 19, 1704, in Boston, Mass., Mary Lilly, born ———, 1670, in Boston. She married, second, September 24, 1708, in Boston, Capt. Thomas Gilbert of Boston, and died there December 30, 1733.‡

Caleb Trowbridge was educated in his native town, being graduated from Hopkins Grammar School in 1684. Prior to his marriage he received from his father a "mansion house, barn and tract of adjoining land" on the east side of New Haven Harbor, which land his father had bought from the Indians. He was a merchant, naval officer and collector of the port of New Haven. He enjoyed the title of "Gentleman"§ in the official documents of his time. He left a large estate.|| A substantial tablet monument marks his grave in Center Church crypt.

NO CHILDREN.

6. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>3</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 2, 1684, in New Haven, Conn.; died December 11, 1739,\*\* in New Haven; married October 26, 1710, in Guilford, Conn., Rebecca Eliot, daughter of Rev. Joseph and Mary (Wyllys) Eliot, born ———, 1690, in Guilford. She married, second, November 11, 1740, in New Haven, Ebenezer Fisk of New Milford, Conn. She married, third, September 18, 1749, in Guilford, Capt. William Dudley of North Guilford, and died there February 9, 1782.

John Trowbridge received his education at Hopkins Grammar School, being graduated in 1696. He resided in New Haven. He was a joiner by trade, but was also interested in a grist mill below the Todds' mill and owned a warehouse near the head of the wharf. He was appointed ensign of the 2d Company, a trainband, of New Haven May 10, 1716, and was confirmed lieutenant of the same May 12, 1726. He was propounded sheriff of New Haven county and approved June 1, 1724, and at a meeting of the general assembly held at Hartford July 31, 1724, he was accepted. He served up to the year 1729. He was a member of the assembly the year of his appointment to the shrievalty. His wife was admitted a member of the First Church November 26, 1724.

NO CHILDREN.

7. LIEUT. STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 7, 1688, in New Haven, Conn.; died January 2, 1734, in New Haven; married May 27, 1712, in East Hartford, Conn., Thankful Easton, daughter of

\* By New Haven Town Records.

† By gravestone in Center Church crypt.

‡ By gravestone in the "Granary burial-ground."

§ "Caleb Trowbridge, gentleman, made a freeman of New York City Apr. 24, 1695."

|| See New Haven Probate Records, vol. 3, pp. 47-50, for the inventory of his estate. It included "coined money, money at interest, plate, pewter, 6 bibles, 4 penknives, gold, lead, salt, molasses, mulatto girl, money scales, furniture," etc.

\*\* By New Haven Town Records; 1740, "aged 55" by gravestone in Center Church crypt.

Joseph and Hannah (Ensign) Easton, born December 4, 1687, in East Hartford; died December 8, 1756,\* in New Haven.

Stephen Trowbridge settled in his native town. He lived in his father's house on Meadow street. He carried on a successful cooperage business in New Haven and also owned a farm at Oyster river. He was confirmed and commissioned May 11, 1721, lieutenant of the New Haven Troop,† and from that time was known by that title. He was chosen selectman of the town in 1730. He died, leaving a large estate.‡ His wife was admitted a member of the First Church June 2, 1724.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:§

- i. MARY, b. Jan. 28, 1714-5; m. Mar. 22, 1743-4, Rev. Benjamin Woodbridge of Woodbridge, Conn.
- ii. CALEB, b. Jan. 8, 1716-7; d. 1748 in New Haven; unm.||
- iii. THOMAS, b. May 8, 1720; d. 1748 in New Haven; unm.||
- iv. SARAH, b. Sept. 5, 1722; m. May 24, 1770, John Whiting, Esq., of New Haven.
- v. ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 2, 1724; d. young, probably.\*\*
10. vi. STEPHEN, b. Aug. 28, 1726.

8. CAPT. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 1, 1699, in New Haven, Conn.; died August 20, 1763,†† in New Haven; married, first, about 1730, in East Haven, Conn., Sarah Denison, daughter of John and Grace (Brown) Denison, born May 10, 1708, in East Haven; died March 4, 1736.‡‡ in New Haven. He married, second, November 20, 1739, in East Haven, Mary Woodward, daughter of Rev. John and Sarah (Rosewell) Woodward, born ———, 1706?, in Norwich, Conn.; died June 20, 1771, in New Haven.

Joseph Trowbridge was graduated from Hopkins Grammar School in his native town in 1713. He lived in a substantial house on Water street east of Meadow street in New Haven. He was a mariner and became a man of wealth. He was one of the incorporators of the Union Wharf Company, and one of its managing committee in 1745 and was a considerable owner of its stock. He was chosen selectman of the town in 1747. On his tablet monument in Center Church crypt is inscribed: "A man diligent in business, strictly honest in his dealings, skillful and prudent in his affairs, generous in his donations to the poor, to the public and to the house of God."

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:§§

*By second marriage:||||*

- i. JOSEPH, bapt. Aug. 2, 1741; d. soon.
11. ii. JOSEPH, b. Feb. 20, 1742-3.
- iii. MARY, b. Sept. 10, 1744; m. June 20, 1765, Timothy Jones, Jr., of New Haven.
12. iv. CALEB, b. Aug. 7, 1748.\*\*\*
- v. ELIZABETH, bapt. July 15, 1750; m. June 5, 1768, Isaac Jones of New Haven.
- vi. SARAH, b. Jan. 6, 1752-3; m. July 26, 1774, Elihu Hall of New Haven.

\* By gravestone in Center Church crypt.

† "Colonial Records of Connecticut."

‡ His will, dated Oct. 6, 1733, was proved June 3, 1734. [New Haven Probate Records, vols. 6, 7 and 9.]

§ By New Haven Town Records.

|| Administration on his estate was granted Nov. 21, 1748.

\*\* Bapt. June 6, 1725, but not mentioned in her father's will, dated Oct. 6, 1733.

†† By table monument in Center Church crypt. His will, dated July 25, 1763, was proved Sept. 20, 1763. [New Haven Probate Records, vols. 10-11.]

‡‡ By gravestone in the crypt.

§§ By New Haven Town Records.

|||| No children by first marriage.

\*\*\* 1747-8 by New Haven Town Records.







GRAVESTONES OF CAPT. DANIEL TROWBRIDGE AND HIS WIFE MEEDEABLE (BROWN)  
TROWBRIDGE IN CENTER CHURCH CRYPT.

9. CAPT. DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas<sup>4</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born October 25, 1703, in New Haven, Conn.; died August 4, 1752,\* in New Haven; married April 8, 1731, in New Haven, Mehetable† Brown, daughter of Francis and Hannah (Alling) Brown, born April 9, 1711, in New Haven; died October 1, 1797,\* in New Haven.

Daniel Trowbridge was given educational advantages by his father. He attended Hopkins Grammar School and was graduated from Yale College in 1725. He took up his residence in New Haven, and made his home there during his life. His father's business interests caused him to turn to the sea and he commanded vessels for a number of years before becoming a merchant on his own account. He resided on the east side of Meadow street just north of Water street. He was among the original proprietors of Union wharf. He amassed a large fortune for those days and his inventory shows an estate of £4900. His grave and that of his wife are marked by substantial stones in the crypt under Center Church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. HANNAH, b. June 3, 1732; d. Aug. 17, 1739.
- ii. DANIEL, b. Apr. 12, 1734; d. Feb. 29, 1740.
13. iii. JOSEPH, b. June 15, 1736.
14. iv. NEWMAN, b. Sept. 7, 1738.
- v. DANIEL, b. Aug. 27, 1740; d. Sept. 1, 1742.
15. vi. THOMAS, b. May 2, 1742.
16. vii. RUTHERFORD, b. Feb. 3, 1744.
17. viii. STEPHEN, b. Dec. 21, 1746.
18. ix. JOHN, b. June 1, 1748.
19. x. DANIEL, b. Oct. 23, 1750.

10. STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen<sup>7</sup>, Thomas<sup>4</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born August 28, 1726, in New Haven, Conn.; died April 25, 1796,\* in New Haven; married January 31, 1747-8, in New Haven, Lydia Burroughs, daughter of Joseph and Lydia (Munson) Burroughs, born January 17, 1729, in New Haven; died February 7, 1802, in New Haven.

Stephen Trowbridge inherited his father's house on Meadow street in New Haven. He was a joiner by trade. His grave is in Center Church crypt.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. STEPHEN, b. June 16, 1748; d. Aug. 20, 1806, in New Haven; unm.
- ii. AMOS, b. Nov. 30, 1750; d. Oct. 4, 1761, in New Haven. He was graduated that year from Hopkins Grammar School.
20. iii. JOSEPH EASTON, b. June 14, 1752.
- iv. SARAH, b. ———, 1755; d. young.
- v. LYDIA, b. Dec. 23, 1757; m. Nov. 26, 1777, Capt. John Miller of New Haven.

11. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph<sup>8</sup>, Thomas<sup>4</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born February 20, 1742-3, in New Haven, Conn.; died January 9, 1793, in New Haven;‡ married December 10, 1766, in New Haven, Sarah Sabin, daughter of Col. Hezekiah and Mercy§ (Power) Sabin, born July 20, 1745, in New Haven; died in July, 1804, in Colebrook, Conn.

Joseph Trowbridge prepared for college at Hopkins Grammar School, New Haven, and was graduated from Yale College in 1763. He lived for a time in Southington, then a parish in the town of Farmington, Conn. He soon returned to his native place and resided in his father's house on Water

\* By gravestone in Center Church crypt.

† So spelled by her when she signed her name to a deed: *Mehetabel* in Christ Church Records, Stratford, Conn., wherein in 1750 were recorded the baptisms of her children iii-iv and vi-x; *Mabel* on gravestone and so called by her family.

‡ By First Church Records.

§ By gravestone; *Mary* by New Haven Town Records.

street, near the corner of Meadow street. He had no occupation and lived in considerable luxury until the impairment of his fortune compelled him to reduce his expenses and he then removed to a less pretentious building on Grove street, where he died.\* After his death his widow and children removed to Colebrook, Conn., where the family of the Rev. Dr. Jonathan Edwards, the husband of her sister, resided.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. SALLY,† b. Sept. 5, 1767; d. June 3, 1837, in Lenox, Mass.; unm.
- ii. POLLY,† b. Feb. 22, 1769; d. Sept. 16, 1824, in Lenox; nmn.
- iii. BETSEY,† b. Aug. 2, 1770; m. ———, 1794, Elias Parmelee of New Haven.
- iv. FANNY,† b. Apr. 15, 1772; d. Nov. 5, 1848, in Lenox; unm.
- v. LUCINDA,‡ b. June 22, 1773; d. Jan. 5, 1848, in Lenox; unm.
21. vi. JOSEPH, b. Feb. 13, 1776.
- vii. HEZEKIAH, b. Nov. 1, 1778; d. in Aug., 1810, in Denmark, N. Y.; unm.§
- viii. ROSEWELL, b. Feb. 12, 1784; d. in Sept., 1810, in Denmark; unm.§
- ix. LAURA, b. Apr. 28, 1787; m. Nov. 17, 1806, William Derbysbire of Denmark, N. Y., and Lenox, Mass.

12. CAPT. CALEB TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph<sup>s</sup>, Thomas<sup>t</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born August 7, 1748,|| in New Haven, Conn.; died December 15, 1799,\*\* in New Haven; married November 29, 1769, in New Haven, Anna Sherman, daughter of James and Sarah (Cook) Sherman, born February 12, 1749, in New Haven; died April 12, 1827, in New Haven.

Caleb Trowbridge made his home in his native town and turned to the sea for an occupation, becoming a captain of a vessel at an early age. At the outbreak of the Revolution he had become a well-known man in his profession. The Second Company, Governor's Foot Guard, had been organized shortly before the Lexington alarm and it volunteered for service, being out twenty-eight days. He was commissioned captain of this company, succeeding Benedict Arnold (then appointed a colonel) May 1, 1775. Soon after he received a captain's commission he returned to New Haven, and in a few days raised a fine company of volunteers. He employed a man named Fitzgerald to teach them the manual exercise, and they met for that purpose in Captain Trowbridge's parlor, which for a time was changed into a drill-room. He served until his discharge December 10. He re-entered the service the following year and served with the 1st Regiment of Continentals under General Wooster at the siege of Boston. He was commissioned on January 1, 1776, captain in Jedediah Huntington's regiment, the 17th Continentals, after the siege of Boston and marched under Washington to New York. He was ordered to the Brooklyn front and took part in the battle of Long Island, August 27, 1776, and near Greenwood cemetery he and most of his company were surrounded by the enemy and taken prisoners.††

Captain Trowbridge's term of service expired December 31, 1776, but "he was a prisoner nearly two years, a part of the time on Long Island, and the remainder in the old sugar house on Liberty street, which was removed but a few years ago. It was his unwillingness to yield to the wishes of his captors that caused him to be detained so long a prisoner, as an officer of equal rank was frequently offered in exchange. The British demanded that he should not again take up arms against them, a consideration to which he would not agree. On the con-

\* Dexter's "Biographical Sketches and Annals of Yale College," vol. 2.

† So baptized.

‡ Called *Lucy*.

§ By "Trowbridge Family."

|| 1747-8 by New Haven Town Records.

\*\* By First Church Records.

†† "Connecticut in the Revolution," pp. 18, 41 and 101.

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trary, he told them that as soon as he should get his liberty, he would 'be at them again.' His imprisonment was much easier than it would have been had not his wife\* sold her plate, and found means to forward him the money to Long Island, with which he purchased many privileges that were denied to other prisoners. Upon his release he returned to New Haven, and after waiting some time for a major's commission, which had been promised him, he became impatient, repaired to Boston, and taking out letters of marque, commenced a warrior's life upon the sea. After remaining in this calling awhile, he again returned to New Haven. A company of citizens had fitted out a vessel for the West Indies, which was upon the point of sailing when the British cruisers made their appearance. The vessel was taken above the bridge, and shot fired at her, in order to sink her, and thereby prevent her falling into the enemy's hands, when, by some accident, she took fire and burnt to the water's edge. The hull was soon after raised, built into a brig, and fitted out for a trading voyage to Holland, and Captain Trowbridge put in command. She was well armed, and took several prizes. She made two voyages to Amsterdam in the most exciting period in the war, when the ocean was covered with British cruisers, in search of French, Spanish, Dutch and American vessels. The name of this little vessel was *The Fire Brand*, from the circumstance of her having been built from a burned hull."†

"The house of Captain Trowbridge, on the corner of Water and Meadow streets, did not fare as well at the time of the British invasion of New Haven as did that of his cousin Rutherford. It was furnished with unusual elegance for those days, and was replete with conveniences and luxuries, and the cellar was stored with choice wines and liquors. The enemy, on learning that the owner was the commander of a war vessel cruising against British commerce, sacked his house, and brought his fine furniture out to the street and burned it. Long afterward when the house was undergoing repairs, bullets were found in the ceiling and the wainscoting which had been fired into the building by the British."‡

The following anecdote of Captain Trowbridge strongly illustrates his firmness and decision of character:—

"Before the war Trowbridge and Arnold had some account together, the settlement of which led to a dispute. They parted, Arnold saying, 'You meet me to-morrow morning at — o'clock (naming the hour), and we will settle it.' Mr. Trowbridge supposed him to be joking, and thought no more of it. Early the next morning he was called from his bed by two gentlemen, who requested to see him on particular business, and when informed that Arnold had repaired to the spot designated by him the day previous, he was much surprised, but expressed his determination to meet. Nor were entreaties to dissuade him from it of any avail. Upon repairing to the swamp, just west of the present residence of Dr. Totten, he found Arnold waiting for him. He advanced towards him, when Arnold drew two pistols, and told him to choose one of them. He was much surprised, but not frightened, and without giving time to Arnold to guard himself, rushed upon him and wrenched both pistols from him, throwing them into the creek, and told him to go home; an order which he was not long in performing."‡

Captain Trowbridge was elected a member of Hiram Lodge, No. 1, F. and A. M., of New Haven in 1767.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. NANCY, b. ———, 1770; d. Nov. 3, § 1850, in New Haven; unm.
22. ii. JOSEPH, b. Aug. 15, 1772.
- iii. JAMES, b. ———, 1774; d. July 10, 1782.

\* She was admitted a member of the First Church May 29, 1808.

† Reprinted from "Trowbridge Family."

‡ Atwater's "History of the City of New Haven."

§ Or 4, for both days are given in the town record.

23. iv. CALEB, b. Sept. 11, 1776.  
 v. JOHN, b. ———, 1779; lost at sea when a young man; unm.  
 vi. SHERMAN, b. ———, 1781; d. in Nassau, N. P.\*  
 24. vii. JAMES, b. July 7, 1784.  
 viii. MARIA, bapt. June 27, 1790; m. Aug. 26, 1807, Daniel Rose of New Haven.

13. CAPT. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel<sup>o</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born June 15, 1736, in New Haven, Conn.; died December 17, 1790,† in Savannah, Ga.; married October 20, 1762, in New Haven, Elizabeth Bishop, daughter of Dea. Samuel and Abigail (Atwater) Bishop, born October 16, 1741, in New Haven; died September 5,‡ 1794, in New Haven.

Joseph Trowbridge was graduated from Hopkins Grammar School, New Haven, in 1750. He made his home in his native town. He was a mariner and a merchant, of the firm of Robert Townsend & Co., with an office on Long wharf. In the early period of the Revolution he was chosen on the committee of inspection December 11, 1775, and was active in the patriot cause. He was elected a selectman of the town in 1779. He died on one of his voyages, while at Savannah, Ga. His gravestone in that city describes him as "A citizen much respected for probity and integrity. He sustained a long decline of health with calmness and resignation. Having maintained a reverence for the principles and maxims of the Christian religion, he died in a good hope of future happiness, through the merits of the Redeemer." In the inventory of his estate is included a quarter interest in the brig *James*.

NO CHILDREN.

14. NEWMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel<sup>o</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born September 7, 1738, in New Haven, Conn.; died April 29, 1816,† in New Haven; married, first, June 4, 1764, in New Haven, Elizabeth Bills, born ———, 1734, in ———; died June 3, 1777,§ in New Haven. He married, second, September 2, 1778, in New Haven, Rebecca (Dodd)|| Cable, widow of Richard Cable of New Haven and daughter of Thomas and Esther (Bishop) Dodd, born March 26, 1751, in New Haven; died February 5, 1808,‡ in New Haven.

Newman Trowbridge lived on Meadow street in New Haven and was a cooper by trade. During the Revolution he was chosen on the committee of inspection in March, 1778. He was elected a selectman of the town in 1780. He and his wife attended Trinity Church in New Haven.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. HANNAH, b. Feb. 1, 1765; m. June 1, 1786, Timothy Chittenden of New Haven.  
 ii. ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 10, 1769; m. June 1, 1790, Samuel Sherman of New Haven.  
 25. iii. WILLIAM, b. July 23, 1772.

*By second marriage:*

- iv. SARAH, b. July 13, 1779; m. June 16, 1802, James Munson of New Haven.  
 26. v. NEWMAN, b. Nov. 8, 1781.  
 27. vi. ROSWELL, b. Apr. 29, 1784.  
 vii. REBECCA, b. Sept. 5, 1786; d. Aug. 30, 1794.  
 28. viii. ISAAC, b. Apr. 1, 1789.  
 29. ix. RICHARD, b. Nov. 18, 1791.  
 x. TIMOTHY, b. Feb. 26, 1794; drowned Aug. 17, 1813, near the Sandwich Islands.

\* "He left a son *James*, who went to sea from New Haven and was never heard of again." ["Trowbridge Family."] Sherman's widow may have been the "Mary Trowbridge" who m. Dec. 20, 1809, in New Haven, Ebenezer Haws. (See footnote to No. 143, v.)

† By gravestone.

‡ By gravestone, First Church Records and Rev. Dr. Stiles' diary; 15 by New Haven Town Records.

§ By gravestone in Center Church crypt and Trinity Church Records.

|| A sister of the wife of No. 20.







*Rutherford Frowbridge*

15. THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel<sup>9</sup>, Thomas<sup>4</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born May 2, 1742, in New Haven, Conn.; died August 25, 1782, in the prison-ship at New York; married December 28, 1769, in New Haven, Mary Macomber, daughter of Jeremiah and Sarah (———) Macomber, baptized April 24, 1748, in New Haven. She married, second,\* John Morris of New Haven, and died ——, 1811, in New Haven.

Thomas Trowbridge at the age of seventeen served in the French and Indian War during the campaign of 1759. He enlisted April 4 of that year in the Seventh Company, Capt. Amos Hitchcock, 2d Connecticut Regiment, and was discharged November 1, 1759.† In 1760 he was apprenticed to Amos Hitchcock, Jr., to learn the house joiner's trade, which he followed until the outbreak of the Revolution. He enlisted in the patriot army, and served in the Fifth Company, Capt. Caleb Mix, 2d Regiment of Connecticut militia, at the time of the British invasion of New Haven.‡ He continued in the service, and was taken prisoner and confined on the *Jersey* prison-ship at New York, where he died during his confinement.

He lived in New Haven in a brick house, still standing, on the southeast corner of Columbus avenue and Christopher street. He was admitted a member of White Haven Church in 1771. In the inventory of his estate there is mention of "stock in the firm of Robert Townsend & Co." and "right in the still-house."

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. MARY, b. ——, 1770; d. Sept. 4, 1772.
30. ii. THOMAS, bapt. June 20, 1773.
- iii. POLLY, bapt. Oct. 29, 1775; m. John Dayton of Hudson, N. Y.‡
- iv. MABEL, bapt. June 8, 1777; d. Jan. 1, 1780.
- v. SALLY, bapt. Mar. 28, 1779; m. June 1, 1797, Charles Bostwick of New Haven.
31. vi. JOHN,|| bapt. Sept. 16, 1781.

16. RUTHERFORD TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel<sup>9</sup>, Thomas<sup>4</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born February 3, 1744, in New Haven, Conn.; died April 6, 1825, in New Haven; married, first, July 9, 1767,\*\* in New Haven, Dorcas Hitchcock, daughter of Capt. Amos and Dorcas (Foote) Hitchcock, born November 10, 1746, in Woodbridge,†† Conn.; died February 12, 1788, in New Haven. He married, second, January 1, 1793, in New Haven, Thankful (Alling) Mix, widow of Nathaniel Mix of New Haven and daughter of John and Abiah (Hitchcock) Alling, baptized October 12, 1755, in New Haven; died August 8, 1831, in New Haven.

Rutherford Trowbridge resided all his life in his native town. He learned the mason's trade, which he followed for some years, and acquired considerable wealth. He lived in a brick house, built in 1774, the second brick house in New Haven, which is still standing, near the southeast corner of Water street and Columbus avenue. After the Revolution had begun he petitioned for the right to manufacture salt-petre,‡‡ which was granted him by the state and he received the first bounty for making that commodity. He conducted his salt-petre works on the large plot of land opposite the present railroad station, which had been set off to the original Trowbridge settler, and there, where the tide ebbed and flowed, were the big water lots where the salt-petre was manufactured. A large

\* Before 1783.

† "Connecticut Historical Collections," vol. 10, p. 138.

‡ "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 623. Descendants of No. 145 have never claimed the above service for *him*, and at that time he was not fifteen years old.

§ Was she the "Polly Trowbridge" who m. Mar. 23, 1796, Daniel Brown, 2d, of New Haven? He d. 1800. She signed her maiden name, however, to a deed dated Aug. 17, 1798.

|| Always called as above, but baptized *Jonathan*.

\*\* By First Church Records.

†† Then *Amity*.

‡‡ "Connecticut State Records," vol. 1, p. 283.

share of that article used in the Revolution was produced on that site and was sent to Enfield to be used in the manufacture of powder. He was a man of sterling integrity and worth. He was an intimate friend of President Dwight of Yale College. He was admitted a member of the First Church October 26, 1788, the first admission under Rev. James Dana. His wife Dorcas had been admitted February 25, 1781. He was one of the early members of Hiram Lodge, No. 1, F. and A. M., of New Haven, being elected in 1765. His gravestone in the Grove street cemetery is a fine example of the old-fashioned sandstone monument and recites that "He met death, not as a king of terrors, but as a messenger of peace."

"Rutherford Trowbridge was an earnest patriot during the Revolution. At the time of the British invasion of New Haven, when the alarm was given that the British were coming, he placed his wife and children in a boat at the dike just east of his house, and sent them up the Quinnipiack river to the north side of the town, where they left the boat and followed a road plan he had marked out for them until they reached the 'Woodbridge oak,' a well-known landmark.\* The family left in so much hurry that a batch of bread put into the oven to bake was left there. Having thus provided for their safety, Mr. Trowbridge took his musket, an old 'king's arm,' with powder-horn and bullet-pouch,† all of which had done good service in the French War in Canada, and went out with the volunteers to West Haven. He with others went down towards West Haven green and attacked the British. He was accustomed to say that 'after crossing west bridge, every man seemed to be fighting on his own hook.' When the enemy came on in force and were compelled to march up to Hotchkisstown, he went to the hills at their left and aided in annoying them by firing from behind trees and walls. He said that the British kept together and did not attempt to pursue their assailants on the hill sides, but returned the fire whenever they could see the patriots, and that bullets came whizzing abundantly past the heads of those who were behind the trees. After the enemy gained possession of the town, Mr. Trowbridge was there, but did not dare to go to his own house lest he should fall into their hands. His house was in plain sight from another, since known as the Totten house, at the corner of West Water and Meadow streets. At this latter place, then inhabited by Capt. Thomas Rice, who was a Tory, General Garth and other British officers were entertained. Captain Rice was a strong personal friend of Mr. Trowbridge, though they differed diametrically as to public affairs. Some of the British officers noticed the house of Mr. Trowbridge and asked, 'Who lives there?' On hearing the name of the owner, and that he was what they called a rebel, and also that he had a brother who was a captain in the 'rebel' army, and a near relative who was in command of an armed brig holding a letter of marque and cruising against British commerce, they gave orders to visit the house. Captain Rice, desirous of saving his friend's property, interceded, saying that the family had been gone from town for some time, and that the house was shut up, whereupon the order was countermanded and the house escaped visitation. On the return of Mr. Trowbridge and family, after an absence of two days, everything was found undisturbed, even to the bread in the oven."‡

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. RUTHERFORD, b. Feb. 4, 1768; d. Sept. 7, 1769.
32. ii. JOSEPH, b. Apr. 23, 1769.
- iii. WEALTHY, b. Nov. 21, 1770; m., 1st, July 7, 1791, Samuel Barnes of New Haven; m., 2d, June 21, 1800, Ezekiel Hayes of New Haven.
- iv. RUTHERFORD, b. Apr. 25, 1772; d. Jan. 4, 1788.

\* Mrs. Trowbridge's old home was in Woodbridge.

† They are deposited with the New Haven Colony Historical Society.

‡ Atwater's "History of the City of New Haven," p. 58.

RETIRED OLD FROWHIDE HOUSE, WEST WATER STREET, NEW HAVEN, CONN.





- v. MELISSA, b. Jan. 17, 1774; m. Jan. 17, 1797, Joseph Dalby of Jamaica, W. I.
- vi. LUCRETIA, b. July 25, 1775; m. May 16, 1804, Ashbel Stillman of New Haven.
- vii. GRACE, b. Nov. 30, 1776; m. Nov. 3, 1798, Jabez Dwight of New Haven.
- viii. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 25, 1778; m. Dec. 11, 1805, Capt. Levi Hoadley of New Haven.
- 33. ix. HENRY, b. July 30, 1781.
- 34. x. AMOS,\* b. Nov. 25, 1783.
- xi. DORCAS, b. Jan. 14, 1786; m. Oct. 13, 1804, Zebul Bradley of New Haven.
- xii. HANNAH, b. Oct. 11, 1787; d. Feb. 24, 1788.

*By second marriage:*

- xiii. RUTHERFORD, b. July 9, 1794; d. Sept. 13, 1795.

17. CAPT. STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel<sup>o</sup>, Thomas<sup>t</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born December 21, 1746, in New Haven, Conn.; died April 7, 1835, in New Haven; married, first, June 17, 1770, in New Haven, Mary Bassett, daughter of Ebenezzer and Susanna (White) Bassett, born August 15, 1751, in North Haven, Conn.; died August 20, 1776, in New Haven. He married, second, September 16, 1778, in New Haven, Margaret Hall, daughter of John and Abial (Macomber) Hall, baptized June 8, 1755, in New Haven; died December 24, 1799, in New Haven. He married, third, in 1800, in New Haven, Hannah (Hall) Munson, widow of Amos Munson of New Haven and a sister of his second wife, born about 1751 in New Haven; died August 30, 1832,† in New Haven.

Stephen Trowbridge was a mariner and merchant in New Haven, and appears to have carried on an extensive grocery business at his store on Long wharf.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. POLLY, b. ———, 1772; d. Oct. 13, 1774.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. MARTHA, b. ———, 1779; d. Sept. 30, 1800, in New Haven; unm.
- iii. ABIGAIL, b. Feb. 15, 1783; m. June 10, 1804, Eli Townsend of New Haven.
- iv. A child, b. July —, 1785; d. Sept. 3, 1786.
- v. STEPHEN, b. ———, 1787; d. Nov. 15, 1864, in New Haven; unm.‡
- vi. ROBERT, b. ———, 1790; d. ———, 1835, in Havana, Cuba; unm.§
- vii. NANCY, b. ———, 1793; d. Sept. 30, 1819, in New Haven; unm.
- viii. MARGARET, b. ———, 1794; d. Mar. 26, 1797.
- ix. WYLLYS, b. ———, 1796; d. Oct. 15, 1802.

18. CAPT. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel<sup>o</sup>, Thomas<sup>t</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born June 1, 1748, in New Haven, Conn.; died September 8, 1791, in New York City; married February 13, 1777, in New Haven, Thankful Doolittle, daughter of Isaac and Sarah (Todd) Doolittle, born January 21, 1754, in New Haven; died February 14, 1827, in New Haven.

John Trowbridge lived in New Haven on the southeast corner of Chapel and Union streets.¶ Before he had reached an age to become very active in business affairs, the outbreak of the Revolution called him to a field of greater activity. In 1776 he was first sergeant in Capt. Jonas Prentice's company, Col. William

\* Incorrectly recorded *Thomas* at his baptism on Jan. 25, 1784, by First Church Records.

† New Haven Town Records state that "Stephen Trowbridge" died on that day, but there are several instances where the record gives the husband's name for that of the wife.

‡ Probably the "Stephen Trowbridge of New Haven" who served in the War of 1812 under Joseph A. Bishop Sept. 8 to Oct. 21, 1814; and as 2d lieutenant of the artillery corps, "volunteer exempts," under Capt. James Hitchcock, in 1815. He was agent for the New Haven Packet Company for many years in New Haven.

§ Served in the War of 1812 under Laban Smith June 13 to Aug. 12, 1814; and in the crew of the privateer *General Armstrong*. Administration was granted on his estate Nov. 16, 1835.

¶ Union street has been obliterated by the recent railroad improvements.

Douglas's regiment, under General Wadsworth, raised to reinforce Washington's army at New York. The regiment served in the city and on the Brooklyn front, being at the right of the line during the battle of Long Island on August 27. It was in the retreat, and at Kip's Bay during the attack on New York on September 15 and at the battle of White Plains on October 28. Its term of service expired December 25, 1776. On January 1, 1777, he was commissioned second lieutenant in the 6th Regiment, Connecticut Line, and was promoted first lieutenant April 29, 1779, and acted as quartermaster during those years and until 1781. His regiment went into camp at Peekskill in the summer of 1777; served on the Hudson under Putnam, and the following summer at White Plains under Washington. He served in the detachment of picked men from his regiment under General Wayne in the assault on Stony Point at midnight on July 15, 1779. The regiment wintered, 1779-80, at Morristown huts, and the following year saw service on both sides of the Hudson. On January 1, 1781, he was transferred to the 4th Connecticut Regiment, and served with credit until his retirement January 1, 1783.\* He was one of the original members of the Connecticut Society of the Cincinnati. He died while on one of his business trips to New York. His wife was admitted a member of the First Church, New Haven, February 25, 1781.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

35. i. JOHN TODD, b. Oct. 23, 1780.
- ii. JULIA, bapt. May 5, 1782; d. Sept. 29, 1783.
36. iii. CHARLES EDWIN, b. Feb. 27, 1784.
- iv. ELIHU, bapt. Dec. 17, 1786; d. young.†
- v. JULIA, bapt. June 11, 1789; d. ———, 1837, in New Haven; unm.‡
37. vi. ELIAS, bapt. Oct. 24, 1790.

19. DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 23, 1750, in New Haven, Conn.; died August 7, 1818, in New Haven; married January 8, 1778, in New Haven, Sibyl Atwater, daughter of Isaac and Dorothy (Mix) Atwater, born January 25, 1755, in New Haven; died July 1, 1831, in New Haven.

Daniel Trowbridge passed his life in New Haven. He lived on the old family property in Meadow street and carried on a cooperage business on Water street.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. SIBYL, b. Aug. 22, 1778; d. Sept. 22, 1778.
- ii. SIBYL, b. Nov. 3, 1779; d. Oct. 7, 1781.
- iii. SIBYL, b. May 4, 1782; d. Apr. 16, 1794.
- iv. DANIEL, b. Apr. 27, 1784; d. Sept. 23, 1787.
- v. SUSAN,§ b. May 5, 1787; d. Sept. 7, 1868, in New Haven; unm.
- vi. DANIEL, b. Oct. 15, 1790; a mariner; d. ———, 1818, in Martinique, W. I.; unm.||
- vii. WINSTON, b. Jan. 23, 1794; d. July 12, 1820, in New Haven; unm.
- viii. HARRIET, b. Feb. 27, 1796; d. Feb. 14, 1847, in New Haven; unm.

20. JOSEPH EASTON TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>10</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>7</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 14, 1752, in New Haven, Conn.; died August 19, 1801, in New Haven; married ———, 1780, in New Haven, Sally\*\* Dodd.†† daughter

\* "Connecticut in the Revolution," pp. 406-8, 205-6, 242, 337 and 616.

† Probably. He is not mentioned in the division of his father's estate in 1808 and is unknown to descendants of his brothers.

‡ Her will, dated Feb. 26, 1832, was offered for probate Oct. 11, 1837.

§ Bapt. *Sukey*.

|| Administration was granted on his estate Oct. 26, 1818.

\*\* By gravestone.

†† A sister of the second wife of No. 14.



of Thomas and Esther (Bishop) Dodd, born ———, 1752, in New Haven; died September 13, 1799, in New Haven.

Joseph Easton Trowbridge, known usually as Easton Trowbridge, lived on Meadow street in his native town and was taught the joiner's trade by his father. He was a soldier during the Revolution and served as a bombardier in Capt. John Bigelow's artillery company, being "on command with Gen. Arnold" in 1776.\* This was the first artillery company raised in Connecticut during the Revolution. It was recruited early in 1776 and marched to the northern department, and was stationed during the following summer and fall at Ticonderoga and vicinity. He and his wife attended Trinity Church in New Haven.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

38. i. JOSEPH EASTON,† ( twins,  
 ii. EASTON, } bapt. May —, 1781; d. in infancy.  
 iii. LYDIA, b. Sept. 20, 1783; d. Mar. 20, 1866, in New Haven; unm.  
 iv. A son, b. Sept. 14, 1786; d. Aug. 30, 1787.  
 v. ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 18, 1789; m. Sept. 2, 1810, Lieut. Solomon Davis, Jr., of Baltimore, Md.  
 39. vi. GEORGE, b. June —, 1791.  
 vii. "Unbaptized infant," buried July 25, 1796‡

21. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>11</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>8</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 13, 1776, in New Haven, Conn.; died November 29, 1853, in Hingham, Mass.; married December 2, 1804, in Hingham, Susannah Burr, daughter of Levi and Susannah (Stower) Burr, born February 21, 1786, in Hingham; died October 28, 1859, in Hingham.

Joseph Trowbridge learned the watch-making trade in Philadelphia and established himself in business in Boston, Mass. Soon after his marriage he settled in Hingham, Mass., where he took up the trade of a blacksmith, which he followed the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HINGHAM, MASS.:

- i. EMMA CUSHING, b. June 18, 1805; m. Oct. 7, 1822, Leavitt Souther of Hingham.  
 40. ii. ROSWELL, b. Jan. 26, 1811.  
 iii. SUSAN STOWER, b. Dec. 20, 1814; m. Jan. 25, 1842, Matthew H. Burr of Hingham.

22. CAPT. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>12</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>8</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 15, 1772, in New Haven, Conn.; died September 29, 1836, in New Haven; married October 27, 1796,§ in New Haven, Lois Mix, daughter of Joseph and Patience (Sperry) Mix, born May 17, 1774, in New Haven; died August 8,|| 1863, in New Haven.

Joseph Trowbridge settled in his native town and became a well-known sea captain, following the profession of his father and grandfather. His wife was admitted a member of the First Church, New Haven, June 26, 1803.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Apr. 14, 1799; m. Oct. 19, 1817, LeGrand Cannon of New Haven.  
 ii. JOHN, b. Mar. 27, 1801; d. Apr. 22, 1809.

\* "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 124.

† This middle name was added after the death of his twin brother.

‡ Trinity Church Records.

§ By Trinity Church Records; Oct. 19, 1797, by "Trowbridge Family," which probably confused the date with that of the marriage of No. 1, below.

|| By gravestone; 7 by New Haven Town Records.

- iii. GEORGE, b. Feb. 14, 1804; a grocer; d. Aug. 5, 1848,\* in New Haven; unm.
- iv. OLIVIA EUNICE, b. May 31, 1806; m. Oct. 30, 1827, Charles F. Hotchkiss of Vineland, N. J.
- v. NANCY MARIA, b. Feb. 16, 1809; m. July 11, 1831, George Tuttle of New Haven.
- 41. vi. JOHN, b. Aug. 31, 1811.

23. DEA. CALEB TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>12</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>8</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 11, 1776, in New Haven, Conn.; died March 8, 1852, in Mansfield, Conn.; married October 6, 1799, in Mansfield, Abigail Southworth, daughter of Dea. Constant and Mary (Porter) Southworth, born July 9, 1778, in Mansfield; died December 23, 1866, in Mansfield.

Caleb Trowbridge after his marriage settled in Mansfield Center, Conn., where his commodious house is still standing. He was a hatter by trade, and an industrious and prudent man, and though never acquiring a large fortune, by diligence and economy, he succeeded in bringing up his five children in comfort and respectability. He was an earnest Christian and for many years held the office of deacon in the First Congregational Church in Mansfield.

CHILDREN BORN IN MANSFIELD, CONN.:

- i. EPAPHRAS SOUTHWORTH, b. Nov. 14, 1800; studied medicine at Yale College and settled in Hamburg, S. C., where he soon d. Sept. 8, 1828; unm.
- ii. SHERMAN, b. Jan. 3, 1803; d. Jan. 27, 1828, in Mansfield; unm.
- iii. LOUISA, b. Dec. 26, 1804; d. Jan. 2, 1835, in Mansfield; unm.
- 42. iv. FRANCIS, b. Sept. 25, 1809.
- v. CATHARINE MARIA, b. Apr. 28, 1818; was an authoress and writer of numerous Sunday school and other books for children; d. Jan. 13, 1892, in Mansfield; unm. "Her fame was not wide, but her beautiful life and character will ever be held in loving remembrance, and the fragrance of her gentle spirit will never be forgotten."

24. JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>12</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>8</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 7, 1784, in New Haven, Conn.; died September 11, 1825, in Plattsburgh, N. Y.; married October 31, 1814, in Vergennes, Vt., Cornelia Rogers, born November 24, 1787, in Norwalk, Conn.; died September 9, 1847, in Warsaw, Va.

James Trowbridge left his native town and settled in Plattsburgh, N. Y., where he was a merchant. He fought in the battle of Plattsburgh in the War of 1812, and was one of those to whom Congress voted a musket with a suitable inscription commemorating their distinguished bravery.

CHILDREN BORN IN PLATTSBURGH, N. Y.:

- i. ANN SEYMOUR, b. Nov. 1, 1816; m. Oct. 21, 1843, Judge Thomas Jones of Warsaw, Va.
- 43. ii. JAMES HEWIT, b. May 27, 1820.
- iii. HANNAH ROGERS, b. Aug. 17, 1822; d. Aug. 27, 1893, in Warsaw; unm.

25. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Newman*<sup>14</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 23, 1772, in New Haven, Conn.; died January —, 1818,† in Trinidad, B. W. I.; married, first, January 8, 1794, in New Haven, Eunice Merriman,‡ He married, second, Sally ————,† She married, second, October 13, 1822, in New Haven, Edward W. Conklin of Sag Harbor, Long Island.§

William Trowbridge was employed in the West India business, and died at Trinidad, while on one of his voyages as a supercargo. He|| was elected in 1793 a member of Hiram Lodge, No. 1, F. and A. M., of New Haven.

NO CHILDREN.

\* By New Haven Town Records, which also give the year 1849, "aged 44."

† His will, made June 1, 1816, offered for probate Mar. 2, 1818, mentions his "wife Sally," of whose parentage nothing was found on record. She was admitted a member of the First Church in New Haven June 29, 1817.

‡ Of whose parentage nothing was found on record.

§ She was living in Southampton, L. I., in 1837.

|| Probably, rather than No. 146, as his brothers were members.

26. NEWMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Newman*<sup>14</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 8, 1781, in New Haven, Conn.; died October 19, 1830, in New Haven; married ———, 1818, in Hamden, Conn., Lydia Warner, daughter of Samuel and Lydia (Hitchcock) Warner, born July 30, 1800, in Hamden. She married, second, about September, 1832, George Burnett of New Haven, and died January 14, 1893, in New Haven.

Newman Trowbridge was associated in business with his brother Isaac in New Haven, Conn.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. NANCY MARIA, b. May 10, 1819; m. Sept. 28, 1840, Henry Lewis Cooper and resides in New Haven.
- ii. SUSAN ELIZA, b. Aug. 23, 1821; m. July 6, 1840, Hial Burr Strong and resides in New Haven.
- iii. ELIZA ANN, b. July 5, 1823; d. June 10,\* 1825.

27. CAPT. ROSWELL TROWBRIDGE (*Newman*<sup>14</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 29, 1784, in New Haven, Conn.; died January 4, 1844, in New York City; married January 6, 1813, in New Haven, Nancy Hayes,† daughter of Ezekiel‡ and Mary (Hemingway) Hayes, born July 3, 1791, in New Haven; died August 30, 1857, in New Haven.

Roswell Trowbridge was a shipmaster and merchant, being in partnership with his brothers Isaac and Richard in New Haven, Conn., the firm being known as Isaac Trowbridge & Co. He was elected a member of Hiram Lodge, No. 1, F. and A. M., of New Haven, in 1811.

"While pursuing his vocation as captain during the War of 1812, on a voyage from New Haven to St. Bartholomew, then a neutral port, in the West Indies, some four days after sailing from New Haven, he was captured by a British vessel of war, on board of which was the admiral of the fleet. Captain Trowbridge was ordered on board of the frigate with his papers. His vessel was laden with a general assortment of American produce and a deck load of oxen and sheep. The admiral, on ascertaining Captain Trowbridge's name, claimed that he was a British subject, but, on being assured that he was born in America, he did not press his claim in that respect; but from the fact of his name being the same as that of the old admiral,§ with whom he had formerly sailed and fought under, he treated him very kindly, and although he would have been justified in making his vessel and cargo a lawful prize, he paid him liberally for all his stock and what produce he took, which he transferred to his own ship; and when Captain Trowbridge, finally, separated from him, sent a boat loaded with delicacies and many things valuable as a token of his respect. Captain Trowbridge immediately sailed for New Haven, where he arrived in eight days after leaving the post, to the surprise of his friends, they supposing he had lost everything by capture.

"Captain Trowbridge was a universal favorite with all who made his acquaintance at home or abroad. In his long experience as a sea-faring man many incidents occurred which are interesting to his friends. At one time he had safely arrived with a valuable cargo at Guadaloupe. On the night of his arrival a violent hurricane arose, which destroyed a large portion of the town and drove every vessel to sea or on to the shore, and there was a great loss of life among the seamen. Anticipating the gale, he had put to sea, but soon after his vessel was capsized, and for a long time remained thus, but finally righted with the loss of her masts and most of her rigging and spars. After the gale abated he discovered that he was near St. Domingo, which he soon after reached. For

\* By gravestone; † by New Haven Town Records.

‡ A sister of the wife of No. 33.

§ His second wife was No. 16, iii.

§ Sir Thomas Troubridge of the British Navy.

months he had to remain there, without being able to communicate with his friends. Nearly all of his crew, which had escaped death by the gale, died of yellow fever, but Captain Trowbridge by his skill and perseverance made new masts, and so fitted up his vessel as to enable him to sail for New Haven, where he arrived, after six months' absence, and his return was a cause of great rejoicing to his friends and family, as he was supposed to have been lost in the hurricane."\*

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

44. i. FREDERICK HAYES, b. Sept. 18, 1813.
- ii. HARRIET HAYES, b. May 22, 1815; m. Sept. 12, 1838, John Bennett Carrington of New Haven.
- iii. MARY ANN, b. Sept. 1, 1818; m. Oct. 28, 1840, Rev. James Augustus Hawley of Augusta, Ill.
- iv. ROSWELL, b. Mar. 18, 1821; entered the store of his eldest brother in New York City, where he was employed up to the time of his last illness; d. Feb. 29, 1840, in New Haven; unm.
45. v. EDWARD, b. Jan. 28, 1824.
- vi. AUGUSTA CAROLINE, b. Apr. 21, 1826; m. July 25, 1843, James Stanton Bailey and resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.
- vii. FRANCIS BAYLEY,† b. July 22, 1828; d. Aug. 2, 1839, in New Haven.
- viii. EMILY CORNELIA, b. Sept. 17, 1830; d. July 24, 1851, in New Haven; unm.

28. ISAAC TROWBRIDGE (*Newman*<sup>14</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 1, 1789, in New Haven, Conn.; died November 13, 1877, in Franklin, La.; married, first, March 21, 1813, in New Haven, Elizabeth Pardee, born December 24, 1789, in New Haven; died February 21, 1833, in New Haven. He married, second, in August, 1835, in New Haven, Mehitabel (Wire‡) Hall, widow of Samuel Hall of Waterford, N. Y., and daughter of Samuel and Eunice (Gould) Wire,§ born July 9, 1806, in Milford, Conn.; died September 8, 1845, in Franklin. He married, third, July 10, 1848, in Pompey<sup>2</sup>, N. Y., Mary Ann Willard, daughter of Samuel G. and Desire (Bartholomew) Willard.

Isaac Trowbridge for a number of years after his first marriage was in partnership with his brother-in-law, James Munson, in New Haven, Conn., the firm being Trowbridge & Munson. About 1830, with his brothers Roswell and Richard, he organized the firm of Isaac Trowbridge & Co., merchants, in New Haven. He removed to Franklin, La., where he built the first house in St. Mary's parish. He resided in that city until his death. He was elected in 1819 a member of Hiram Lodge, No. 1, F. and A. M., of New Haven.

## CHILDREN :§

*By first marriage:*

- i. ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 1, 1814; m. Sept. 23, 1834, George P. Stillman of New Haven.
46. ii. TIMOTHY, b. Jan. 31, 1815.
- iii. ISAAC, b. Jan. 13, 1817; a merchant in Franklin, La.; d. ——||
- iv. LAURA, b. Aug. 1, 1818; d. Sept. 21, 1819.
47. v. DANIEL, b. Jan. 29, 1820.
- vi. MARY, } twins, m., 1st, Edward Pemberton of Staten Island, N. Y.; m., 2d, —— Oatley of ——, R. I.
- vii. MARTHA, } b. Aug. 12, 1821; m. Oct. 31, 1842, Dr. George Seagrave of New Haven.
- viii. SARAH, b. Jan. 26, 1824; m. Marcus Walker of Woodbury, Conn.
- ix. LOUISA, b. Dec. 5, 1825; m. Richard E. Talbot of Georgetown, Tex.
- x. HENRIETTA, b. Feb. 26, 1828; m. Theodore Carling of Franklin, La.

\* Reprinted from "Trowbridge Family." There is no likeness of Captain Trowbridge in existence.

† Named for Sir Francis Bayley of Trinidad, B. W. I.

‡ By family record; *Webb's* by Milford, Conn., First Congregational Church Records.

§ i-xlv born in New Haven, Conn.; the others in Franklin, La.

|| He left a widow and several children, who failed to answer the compiler's letters.

*By second marriage:*

- xi. MARIA, b. Apr. 20, 1836; d. Feb. 22, 1837.  
 48. xii. NEWMAN, b. Nov. 29, 1838.  
 xiii. HELEN MARIA, b. Mar. 9, 1840; m. Jan. 23, 1861, Charles J. Van Pelt of Bloomington, Ill., and resides in Mimonk, Ill.  
 xiv. GEORGE STILLMAN, b. Dec. 26, 1842; d. Feb. 9, 1845.  
 xv. CHARLOTTE REBECCA, b. Apr. 15, 1844; m. June 18, 1872, Marcus Miles Norton and resides in Cleveland, Ohio.

*By third marriage:*

- xvi. WILLARD DUNNING, b. May 12, 1850; resides in Franklin.\*  
 xvii. ROSWELL BARTHOLOMEW, b. Mar. 18, 1852; resides in Franklin.\*  
 xviii. CLARENCE WINSTON, b. Sept. 4, 1854; resides in Franklin.\*

29. RICHARD TROWBRIDGE (*Newman*<sup>14</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 18, 1791, in New Haven, Conn.; died May 17, 1857, in New Haven; married November 20, 1835, in New Haven, Caroline Temple (Bartholomew) Seward, widow of Capt. Azariah P. Seward of Durham, Conn., and daughter of Moses and Mary Submit (Shary†) Bartholomew, born October 14, 1793, in New Haven; died December 3, 1878, in New Haven.

Richard Trowbridge was a sea captain and merchant, and was in partnership with his brothers Roswell and Isaac, the firm being known as Isaac Trowbridge & Co., in New Haven, Conn.

NO CHILDREN.

30. THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>15</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), baptized June 20, 1773, in New Haven, Conn.; died January —, 1797,‡ in New Haven; married June 19, 1794, in New Haven, Ruhamah§ Hall, daughter of Elias and Ruhamah (————) Hall, born January 16, 1776, in Cheshire, Conn. She married, second, March 30, 1799, in Branford, Conn., Elias Plant of Branford, and died May 24, 1842, in Branford.

Thomas Trowbridge lived in New Haven, Conn. He was a mariner and merchant, with a store on Long wharf.

NO CHILDREN.

31. JOHN|| TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>15</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), baptized September 16, 1781, in New Haven, Conn.; died about 1812, in New Orleans, La.; married September 18, 1804, in Hudson, N. Y., Nancy Folger, daughter of Nathan and Elizabeth (Worth) Folger, born April 25, 1784, in Hudson. She married, second, Rev. ——— Wells.

John Trowbridge lived in New Haven, Conn., and seems to have been associated in business with his brother. He was a mariner and died in New Orleans while on one of his voyages.

CHILDREN:

- i. LEMIRA, b. ———, 180—; m. Rev. Peter Boughton.\*\*  
 ii. SARAH, b. ———, 180—; m. Edward Bingham of Detroit, Mich.\*\*

\* By "Trowbridge Family." Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† By "Bartholomew Genealogy," but New Haven Town Records spell it *Sherry* in the case of the middle name of one of her sons.

‡ Administration on his estate was granted Jan. 20, 1797, to his widow *Hannah* [Hamah was probably intended] by New Haven Probate Court Records.

§ "Early Connecticut Marriages," vol. 2, p. 113, incorrectly makes her name *Rebecca*.

|| Always so called, but baptized *Jonathan*.

\*\* Descendants failed to answer the compiler's letters.

**32.** CAPT. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Rutherford*<sup>10</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 23, 1769, in New Haven, Conn.; died March —, 1804, at sea; married September 25, 1796, in New Haven, Lois Mix, daughter of Nathaniel and Thankful\* (Alling) Mix, born August 22, 1776, in New Haven; died June 29, 1842, in New Haven.

Joseph Trowbridge made his home in his native town and lived on Meadow street. He was a sea captain and was lost at sea, the vessel which he commanded never being heard of after it sailed from New Haven February 26, 1804. His widow was admitted a member of the First Church in New Haven August 26, 1804.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. JENNETTE, b. June 30, 1800; m. Aug. 12, 1849, Lewis Lawrence of New Haven.
- ii. RUTHERFORD, b. Feb. 6, 1802; d. Sept. 15, 1803.
- iii. JOSEPH, b. Apr. 29, 1804; lived for a few years in Norfolk, Va., where he was engaged in the clothing business and then returned to New Haven, continuing in that business there for many years. He married in Norfolk and had one child, a daughter, who died in childhood. He d. Aug. 14, 1870, in New Haven.

**33.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Rutherford*<sup>10</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 30, 1781, in New Haven, Conn.; died October 7, 1849, in New Haven; married January 1, 1806, in New Haven, Harriet Hayes,† daughter of Ezekiel and Mary (Hemingway) Hayes, born March 1, 1789, in New Haven; died November 21, 1851, in New Haven.

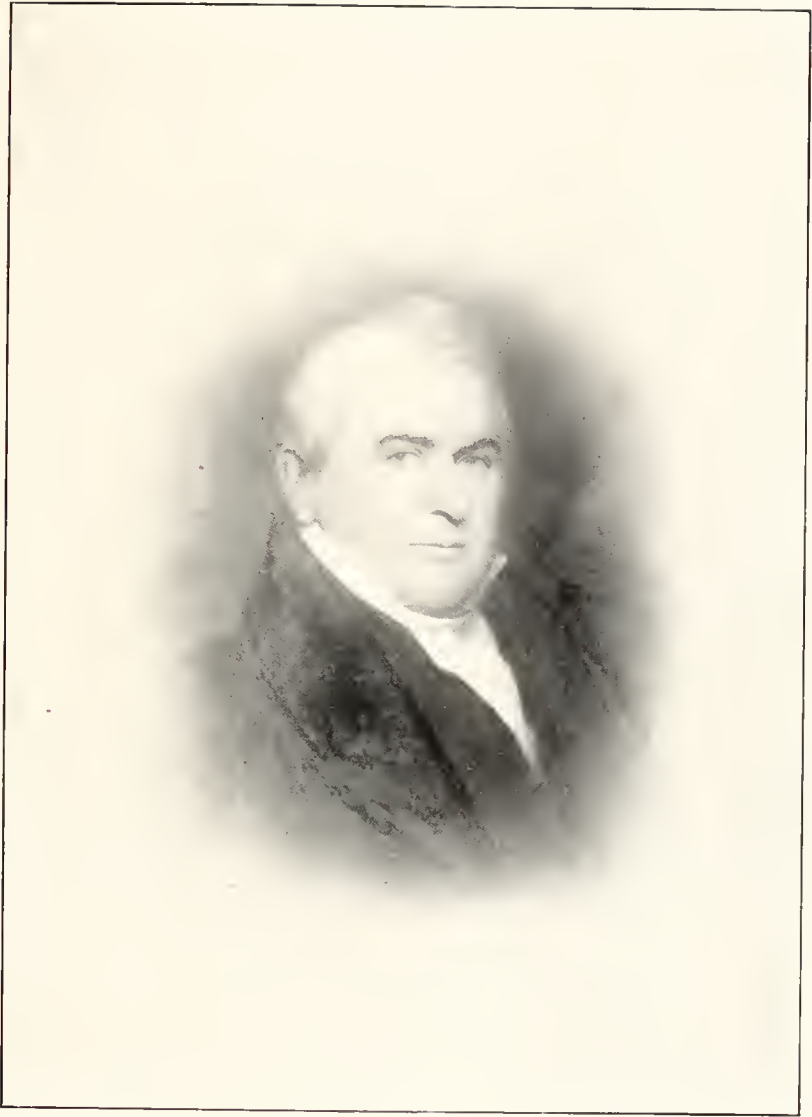
Henry Trowbridge at the age of eighteen years, in common with a large number of New Haven lads at that time, turned his attention to the sea. Fabulous accounts were current of the various customs of foreign countries, and there was an almost universal desire on the part of the boys to visit those countries. To become a seaman and command a vessel was a laudable ambition. Just at that time a ship was fitting out for the Pacific on a sealing voyage. Having obtained permission of his father for the voyage, he made application for a situation on board the ship, and was successful; but it was no easy thing to obtain a situation on one of those voyages. In due time the ship was ready. His father had such confidence in his son, that he gave him what ready money he had (which was scarce in the family at that time), about \$1,000 in specie, to invest in China, where the ship was eventually to proceed. Embarking on board, September 17, 1799, his career commenced in the ship *Betsy*, William Howell, master, for the Pacific and China. Captain Howell was a man that felt responsibility for those under his command, and immediately commenced a school on board of the ship. The boys were all expected to attend to their studies as a part of their duties on shipboard. Henry was acquainted with arithmetic, and soon made such proficiency in navigation, that by the time the ship arrived off Cape Horn he could work his lunar observation as speedily as the captain. In a few months he was well instructed in all the duties on board and could take his regular trick at the wheel.‡

The crew was to seal at Massafuero, the ship lying off and on, there being no anchorage at the island. On one of the boat's trips to the shore she capsized, and of the four boys who manned her three were drowned. Young Henry alone was saved, by swimming nearly two miles to the island. After several months at the island, 110,000 fur seal skins had been put on board, and the ship sailed for Canton, where the skins were to be disposed of, visiting the Sandwich Islands (where they dare not anchor for fear of the natives) for supplies. The vessel lay off and on for several days. The king came on board, and supplied provisions in

\* Second wife of the father of her son-in-law.

† A sister of the wife of No. 27.

‡ Sketch prepared by his eldest son for "Trowbridge Family."



Henry Loubridge





exchange for such articles as were required on the island. The king was so unsophisticated that he sat flat on the deck and took his sea biscuit and cup of molasses. This was about twenty years after the murder of Captain Cook at the same island. After supplying the ship the voyage was continued to Canton. Studies were continued on this passage again. On arriving at the anchorage, Captain Howell sent for Henry to come to the cabin. This was a place unknown and unvisited during the entire voyage. What was wanted of him he could not imagine; but soon Captain Howell inquired, "How would you like to go up to Canton with me?" Captain Howell, as was customary at that time, was to take a factory and dispose of his cargo, and buy a cargo of tea, etc., for a return voyage. Henry, not knowing what position he was to occupy, said he preferred to remain in the ship. Said the captain, "I have noticed your good conduct and sobriety on board, and your acquaintance with mathematics, and I want a clerk to assist me in taking an account of the cargoes, and keeping the books." Henry readily saw that this was such duty as would suit, and he eagerly accepted the offer, as he saw the advantage it would give him for investing his father's money. The captain told him to get ready to go with him. He was shortly ready, and was taking his usual place at the oar, when the captain addressed him, "Mr. Trowbridge, come aft, you will let a sailor take the oar." This was done some fifteen or twenty miles below Canton, at Macao, ships not being permitted to approach nearer to the city. Arriving at Canton, he was installed as clerk of the factory. This was the beginning of his life as a merchant, which he never lost sight of in after years. The cargo was disposed of, and a return cargo procured and sent with the ship.

During his residence at Canton he determined to get within the walls of the city; foreigners had never been permitted there up to that time. Filling his pockets with the small currency of the country, he went up to the gates, and at the time they were opened, with another young man of his own age belonging to another factory, he rushed in and up the principal street. Soon there was a great out-cry in the unintelligible language of the country, and immense throngs of Chinese blocked up the way, front and rear. They saw they could not progress farther, nor could they get back, but by use of their money, throwing handfuls as far as possible, and, in the scramble for it, gradually retreating, they got out safely. This was in 1801, and about as early as any foreigners had got into the city. After the ship was loaded the captain and Henry returned on board; the mate of the ship immediately saluted Henry, by saying, "Off with those shore duds and resume duty as a sailor." This was done;—to hear on board that ship was to obey. Stowing his adventure in his berth in the fore-castle, he slept on top of his chest for the remainder of the voyage; and that chest is now preserved as an heir-loom in the family. On the passage home the ship struck a rock in the Straits of Malacca and injured her rudder, so that it was necessary to remain there to repair. During this time excursions were made to Malacca for water, and, after several hair-breadth escapes from the natives, the water was procured, and the ship sailed for New York; arriving safely, making a fine voyage, the adventure of Henry resulting in the doubling of his money invested in Canton.

On the return of the ship his services were wanted as first officer of a West Indiaman. Making several voyages, he accumulated sufficient in three years to purchase a small sloop on the Connecticut river; and fitting her up as a schooner, with the assistance of John Morris, Jr., who was interested in the voyage, loaded her for the West Indies. He took charge of her as captain, and sailed for Barbados, as a market, with forty oxen on deck. Just before the vessel was ready for sea he was taken sick; but seeing ruin before him if the voyage was broken up, he was carried on board on a mattress, and the vessel sailed. After a somewhat lengthy passage, arriving at Barbados, he learned that Miranda's expedition was fitting out at Trinidad for the Spanish Main, and thinking that they would

require his cattle, he sailed at once, and, arriving just in time, sold them for a large price for the expedition, and the rest of his cargo for a round sum. He loaded a return cargo of sugar and molasses, and bringing more Spanish dollars home than his outward cargo cost, he arrived safely, having made a fine voyage. He then established himself in business, employing the vessel in the West India trade.

Mr. Trowbridge increased this West India business from time to time, and in partnership with his nephew Timothy Dwight established the firm of Trowbridge & Dwight. In 1831 his eldest son, Thomas, was admitted to partnership and the firm's name was changed to Trowbridge, Son & Dwight; being changed to Trowbridge, Sons & Dwight after the admission of his son Henry. Mr. Dwight retired in 1847, and the firm then became H. Trowbridge & Sons, which was continued until his death. After his death the same business was continued by his sons in the name of Henry Trowbridge's Sons.

The following notices of Mr. Trowbridge appeared in the *New Haven Palladium* and *New York Independent* at the time of his decease:

"We regret to be obliged to announce to-day the death of Henry Trowbridge, Esq., one of our elderly and substantial citizens,—a lineal descendant of one of the proprietors of the town—for a long period the head of one of the largest shipping houses in the state, and widely known to commercial men throughout the country and, to a considerable extent, abroad. He was a prudent and sagacious merchant, and by means of his talent and his wealth exercised a great influence in our community. He was rather strong in his prejudices, and when he had taken a stand, whether it happened to be a popular or unpopular position, he, believing it to be right, was immovable in it. For this reason he was strongly opposed by a portion of his fellow citizens—but whether right or wrong in his views, his opponents, we believe, never doubted the honesty of his intentions and the integrity of his character. We have met with Mr. Trowbridge on many occasions during the last twenty years, and have combatted some of his opinions and opposed some of his measures, but in all such differences we never experienced anything but kindness and courtesy at his hands. We have always regarded him as our friend, and in this we are sure we have not been mistaken; and we doubt not that there are hundreds who can speak as confidently in the same way. Mr. Trowbridge was a member of the Center Church, of which the Rev. Dr. Bacon is pastor, and we have always understood that he was among the most liberal in his gifts for the spread of the Gospel and other religious and charitable causes. We understand that he has left several handsome bequests to the different benevolent and religious societies of the day. Those who know with what peculiar fondness he regarded his family, and how devoted he ever was to their welfare and happiness, will appreciate the nature of the affliction that has fallen upon them,—but here we may be trespassing beyond our province, and we venture no farther.

"The departure of so prominent and active a citizen and merchant will create a void that will be noticed with sorrow for a long time to come. His sickness was of two weeks' continuance, during which he suffered but little, and his mind, up to the hour of death, retained that vigor which characterized him while in health. Through his sickness he was sustained by the consolations of the religion of which he had long been a professor, and his death was peaceful and happy." [*Palladium*.]

"Henry Trowbridge, Esq., who died on the 7th instant, aged 68, was widely known as the senior partner of the first commercial house in his native city. For many years past his firm—H. Trowbridge & Sons—has been frequently spoken of as the head of the West India business in the United States. Two hundred years ago, when the settlers of New Haven began to establish commercial relations with the West India Islands, his first American ancestor was engaged in the same business. From his early youth Mr. Trowbridge was closely attached to the Church in which his ancestors worshipped and in which he himself had been presented to God in baptism by parental piety. Forty years ago, when he had never made any religious profession, his house was in affliction. His wife was on the bed of sickness, and their first-born, and only child, was near to death. He sent for his pastor (the now venerable Professor Stuart), and requested that the child might be baptized. The request was declined. 'You,' said the pastor to the parents, 'make no profession, and exhibit no evidence of having given yourselves to God; what will it be then more than a solemn but empty form for you to offer your child in baptism?' Some parents, in such circumstances, would immediately go to another church; but these parents took a different course. On that day they resolved, and pledged themselves to each other, that they would seek the kingdom of God. On that day the father, for the first time, by the mother's bed-side, lifted up his voice in prayer, and

from that day, to the day of his death, prayer was habitually offered in their dwelling. Though for more than thirty years afterwards he felt that his religious character was not sufficiently clear to justify him in making a religious profession, his family was thenceforward a religious family; and few families have been happier, or have shared more largely in the blessings of the covenant. The sagacity and energy of Mr. Trowbridge as a man of business, and the success of all his undertakings, were proverbial. It was remarked that his ships always made prosperous voyages, and that seeming reverses generally turned in his favor. In his family too he seemed to be exempted from those calamities which come to all. But, during the last season, he has been made acquainted with affliction. His only brother, who had been for more than thirty years his next door neighbor, died at a moment's notice. Three of his grand-children were taken away, two of them in circumstances peculiarly afflicting. At last sickness came nearer still, his wife and his youngest daughter were brought simultaneously to the brink of death. They were spared, but before they had begun to recover, the fatal disease had fastened upon him. Doubtless these successive strokes of affliction were necessary to prepare him for the closing scene. That they had that effect was obvious to all that saw him. Having arranged all his secular affairs at the commencement of his sickness, he dismissed the world entirely from his thoughts, and waited for the will of God. When it appeared at last that he must die, he gave his parting farewells and counsels to his children and grand-children, and then, calmly, cheerfully, and with an humble reliance on the Saviour, yielded himself to death. For many years he had been a regular contributor to many of our religious charities. In his last will he bequeathed to the American Board of Foreign Missions \$5,000; to the American Home Missionary Society \$5,000; to the Bible Society \$2,000; to the Tract Society \$2,000; to the Seamen's Friend Society \$2,000; to the First Church in New Haven, for the use of the poor, \$2,000; with other charitable bequests, amounting in all to more than \$20,000." [*Independent.*]

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. EMILY, b. Oct. 6, 1806; d. Oct. 6, 1808.
- ii. HARRIET EMILY, b. Aug. 7, 1808; m., 1st, Oct. 11, 1830, William Rutherford Hayes, Esq., of Brattleboro, Vt.; m., 2d, Apr. 12, 1863, Rev. William Patton, D.D., of New Haven.
49. iii. THOMAS RUTHERFORD, b. July 17, 1810.
- iv. JOHN, b. July 16, 1812; d. July 28, 1812.
- v. JANE LOUISA, b. July 25, 1813; m. Sept. 6, 1843, John William Fitch of New Haven.
50. vi. HENRY, b. Apr. 22, 1816.
51. vii. EZEKIEL HAYES, b. Apr. 21, 1818.
52. viii. WINSTON JOHN, b. May 10, 1820.
- ix. ELIZA AMELIA, b. Aug. 3, 1822; m. Aug. 6, 1844, Frederick Hall of Portland, Conn.\*
- x. CAROLINE AUGUSTA, b. Jan. 27, 1825; m. Aug. 23, 1848,† Hon. Charles Durand† of Ansonia, Conn.
- xi. JULIA ANN, b. Jan. 12, 1827; m. June 7, 1854, William Bancroft of Chesterfield, Mass.
- xii. CORNELIA ADELINE, b. Feb. 5, 1829; d. Oct. 23, 1830.
- xiii. ELLEN MARIA, b. Aug. 5, 1831; m. Sept. 29, 1853, Frederick Hall (above) of Portland.\*

34. AMOS TROWBRIDGE (*Rutherford*<sup>9</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 25, 1783, in New Haven, Conn.; died July 11, 1849, in New Haven; married February 1, 1808, in New Haven, Catharine Atwater, daughter of Stephen and Rebecca (Gorham) Atwater, born May 14, 1787, in Derby, Conn.; died June 19, 1868, in Ansonia, Conn.

Amos Trowbridge resided all his life in New Haven, Conn., his home being on Meadow street. He conducted a large and prosperous clothing business, his store being on Fleet street, now the lower part of State street. On June 28, 1840, he united with the First Congregational (Center) Church, of which his wife had been a member since December 7, 1812. He was highly esteemed.

\* See No. 50, 1.

† By New Haven Town Records, which also gives the year 1849.

‡ See No. 34, viii.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. EDWIN, b. Jan. 25, 1810; d. Feb. 20, 1810.
- 53. ii. EDWIN LUCIUS, b. Mar. 15, 1812.
- 54. iii. AMOS HITCHCOCK, b. Feb. 11, 1814.
- iv. ELIZABETH ATWATER, b. Apr. 16, 1816; m. May 12, 1841, Rev. George Palmer Tyler of Lansingburgh, N. Y.
- 55. v. GEORGE ALFRED, b. June 28, 1818.
- vi. STEPHEN ATWATER, b. July 2, 1820; d. Apr. 2, 1837, in New Haven.
- vii. CATHARINE, b. May 3, 1822; m. Aug. 6, 1844, Rev. William Ferdinand Morgan, D.D., of New York City.
- viii. ANNIE BEACH, b. Oct. 15, 1824; m. June 15, 1854, Hon. Charles Durand\* of Ansonia, Conn.
- ix. REBECCA GORHAM, b. Feb. 14, 1827; d. Aug. 16, 1845, in New Haven; unm.
- x. RUTHERFORD, b. Mar. 27, 1830; was graduated from Hopkins Grammar School, New Haven, in 1849; d. Oct. 4, 1850, in New Haven; unm.

35. CAPT. JOHN TODD TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>18</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 23, 1780, in New Haven, Conn.; died May 3, 1858, in Dover, Wis.; married ———, 1803, in New Haven, Polly Miles, daughter of Capt. William and Elizabeth? (———) Miles, born September 1, 1780, in New Haven; died March 3, 1866, in Racine, Wis.

John T. Trowbridge at an early age entered on a seafaring life. He rose in his profession, and while still a young man became a ship master, sailing out of New Haven. He was elected a member of Hiram Lodge, No. 1, F. and A. M., in 1808, and later of Franklin Chapter, No. 2, R. A. M., of New Haven.

During the War of 1812, while captain of the ship *Thomas* of New Haven, his vessel was captured off the Isle of France by a British squadron, which, after taking from the ship all hands, except Captain Trowbridge, Mr. Charles Peterson of New Haven, who was his brother-in-law and first officer, and Benjamin Applewhite, the cook, put a prize crew of twenty-one men on board, and ordered her to the Cape of Good Hope as a prize. On the passage, Captain Trowbridge and Mr. Peterson planned her recapture, and succeeded in their design, and proceeded to Madagascar, where they put the prize crew of English on shore, having induced some Lascars, composing a portion of the prize crew, to join them as seamen after the recapture of the ship. Here the ship was captured again by a French frigate, under the Berlin and Milan decrees, and sent to the Isle of France. The French governor restored the ship and part of the cargo to Captain Trowbridge. While lying there the island was taken by the British.

Captain Trowbridge succeeded in selling the ship and cargo, to avoid confiscation, and made his escape to Batavia. After an eventful period of a year or two there, and a most daring enterprise on the coast of New Holland, where he recovered, by the aid of divers, upwards of \$250,000 in specie from a sunken wreck, he was again captured, with all his specie, by his old enemies, the British, being taken by a frigate and carried to Java, and afterwards to Calcutta, where he was imprisoned in the famous Black Hole of that city. Finally he was taken to England, as a prisoner of war, and confined in Dartmoor prison, where he was at the time of the massacre of April 6, 1815. On the news of peace, Captain Trowbridge was released, on the 10th of April, and arrived at New York June 5, 1815, after having been absent five and a half years.

Fond of enterprise, he removed to the West, and settled at Rochester, N. Y., in 1816, where he was for many years at the head of the well-known commercial house of John T. Trowbridge & Co. While engaged in business in Rochester, he established a branch in Oswego. He also had an interest in the Erie canal, and owned or controlled about eighteen vessels on the Lakes, and was called the "Commodore of the Lakes."

\* See No. 33, x.

After accumulating an ample fortune, the vicissitudes of life again followed him in the loss of property, and in 1836 he removed with his two youngest sons to Racine county, Wis., and took up land in Dover, twenty miles west of Racine, on the shore of Lake Michigan, and six miles east of Burlington, now a thriving town, on Fox river, which crossed the west end of the county. The main traveled road between these two places ran across all three of their farms, which were located side by side. In the winter of 1836-7 they built on the captain's farm a log house, about 20 x 50 feet and one and one-half stories in height. For many years it was the largest house in the vicinity and became a favorite "stopping-place," or inn, for the pioneer farmers living further west, who hauled wheat to market at Racine. "Some conception of the conditions under which the pioneers of that region did business may be gained when it is understood that there were men who started from Rock river, sixty miles from the lake shore, with a load of wheat to market, and, if they chanced to be detained on the road a day or two, it sometimes was the case that the proceeds of the load did not pay the expenses of the trip. I have known men in my time in Minnesota who hauled wheat 150 miles to market."\*

Captain Trowbridge served as a member of the Wisconsin territorial legislative body, and helped to prepare the way for statehood. He kept post office in the corner of his log house for several years. He resided in Racine county the remainder of his life, surrounded by his family and many friends, enjoying the veneration and respect of all. It is doubtful if a more eventful history could be written of any person than of Captain Trowbridge. He was a brave, generous and honest man, in faith and practice a Christian. During all the trials and vicissitudes of life, he maintained a good profession. On his removal to the West, almost a wilderness, and the country, where he was, being destitute of the means of worship in the sanctuary, it was his practice to hold religious services at his own house, to which the people for miles distant resorted for worship, until the country became settled. He was a man whose influence was felt and appreciated in the community. He died, peaceful and happy, in assurance of a blessed immortality.

## CHILDREN : †

- i. HENRIETTA MARY, b. Jan. 11, 1804; m. July 22, 1833, Milton Moore of Racine, Wis.
56. ii. JOHN WILLIAM, b. Apr. 12, 1807.
- iii. GRACE ANN, b. Aug. 12, 1809; m. Oct. 7, 1828, Dr. Daniel Marble of Newark, Ohio.
57. iv. ELIHU FREDERICK, b. Mar. 1, 1816.
58. v. STEWART HUDSON, b. Nov. 14, 1817.
59. vi. HENRY WARDELL, b. Oct. 14, 1819.

36. CHARLES EDWIN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1s</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>o</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 27, 1784, in New Haven, Conn.; died September 3, 1825, in Rochester, N. Y.; married October 27, 1807, in Middletown, Conn., Mary Ann Bailey, daughter of Capt. Loudon and Mary (Griswold) Bailey, born May 9, 1784, in Haddam, ‡ Conn.; died December 17, 1852, in Rochester.

Charles E. Trowbridge for about twelve years after his marriage lived in his native town, New Haven, Conn., and was connected with the shipping interests there. He was elected in 1813 a member of Hiram Lodge, No. 1, F. and A. M., of New Haven. About 1820 he settled on the Ridge road near Rochester, N. Y., where he followed farming during the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN : §

- i. MARY ANN, b. Aug. 28, 1808; m. Mar. 1, 1829, Dr. John J. Ray of Rochester, N. Y.

\* Letter from his grandson Mr. Miles M. Trowbridge, No. 85.

† 1-iii born in New Haven, Conn.; iv-vi in Rochester, N. Y.

‡ Probably; bapt. Oct. 26, 1791, in Middletown, Conn.

§ 1-vi born in New Haven, Conn.; vii-ix in Rochester, N. Y.

- ii. FRANCES CAROLINE, b. Sept. 21, 1809; m. July 5, 1829, James Lausing of Lansingburgh, N. Y.
- iii. ELIZABETH MARIA, b. Sept. 13, 1811; m. Nov. 2, 1834, Joseph Belton Parke of Cisco, Tex., and Stockbridge, Mich.
- iv. JULIA ELMA, b. July 4, 1814; m., 1st, William Herrick; m., 2d, Ammi Hills of Plainville, Conn.
- v. CHARLES EDWIN, b. Feb. 22, 1816; d. Oct. 13, 1834, in Memphis, Tenn.; unm.
- vi. HARRIET AMELIA, b. July 4, 1819; m., 1st, Oct. 4, 1846, Luther Sheldon of Rochester; m., 2d, Mar. 23, 1869, Edmund Phelps\* of Lockport, N. Y.
- vii. AUGUSTA LOUISA, b. June 15, 1821; m. Apr. 2, 1844, James William Huggins of San Augustine, Tex.?
- viii. LOUDON BAILEY, b. Oct. 8, 1823; d. Nov. 30, 1838, in Rochester.
- ix. FREDERICK WILLIAM, b. Apr. 11, 1825; d. May 19, 1845, in San Augustine, Tex.; unm.

37. ELIAS TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>18</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), baptized October 24, 1790, in New Haven, Conn.; died September 17, 1862, in Oswego, N. Y.; married May 6, 1816, in New Haven, Harriet Huntington, daughter of Asa and Lydia (Hine) Huntington, born September 22, 1795,† in Woodbridge, Conn.; died September 2, 1887, in Oswego.

Elias Trowbridge was a sea captain, sailing from New Haven, Conn., in the West India trade. He was elected a member of Hiram Lodge, No. 1, F. and A. M., of New Haven, in 1819. In 1829 he removed to Oswego, N. Y., and was captain of vessels sailing on Lake Ontario, between that place and Lewiston, being engaged in the forwarding business until failing health compelled him to retire. He and his wife were among the first members of Christ Episcopal Church in Oswego.

## CHILDREN:‡

- 60. i. LEWIS BELLE, b. Sept. 6, 1817.
- ii. JOHN PHELPS, b. Sept. 7, 1820; d. Sept. 18, 1828, in New Haven, Conn.
- iii. CHARLES FREDERICK, b. Mar. 3, 1823; lost with the schooner *Henry Clay* on Lake Erie in 1831.
- iv. ALFRED CHAMPBELL, b. June 7, 1826; a sailor; d. ———, 1883, in Cleveland, Ohio; unm.
- 61. v. FREDERICK ELIAS, b. Jan. 1, 1834.

38. JOSEPH EASTON TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph E.*<sup>20</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>10</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>7</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), baptized May —, 1781, in New Haven, Conn.; died October 8,§ 1821, in New Haven, married ———, 1806, in New Haven?, Harriet ———, who died February 27,|| 1837, in Hartford, Conn.

Joseph E. Trowbridge lived in New Haven, Conn., where he was in business as a joiner. He and his wife attended Trinity Church in that city.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. STEPHEN, bapt. Mar. 11, 1807; d. Apr. 10, 1807.
- ii. HARRIETTE ELIZABETH, b. ———, 1807;\*\* m., 1st, Sept. 30, 1827, Capt. Langhorne Dade of New Haven; m., 2d, John H. Fields of New Haven.
- iii. JAMES, bapt. Sept. 4, 1808; d. in infancy.††
- iv. GRACE ANN, b. ———, 1810; drowned July 4, 1826, in New York, N. Y.
- v. STEPHEN, bapt. Sept. 26, 1811; d. Oct. 6, 1811.‡‡
- vi. LYDIA BURROUGHS, b. ———, 1813; m. Oct. 25, 1846, Joseph Hurlbutt of Waterbury, Conn.

\* See No. 1070, iv.

† By family bible record; Sept. 21, 1794, by "Hine Genealogy."

‡ i and v born in Oswego, N. Y.; ii-iv in New Haven, Conn.

§ By New Haven Town Records, "aged 42"; 9 by gravestone, "aged 41."

|| By New Haven Town Records, "aged 58"; 26 by gravestone, "aged 53."

\*\* "Aged 79" at her death, Dec. 14, 1886, by gravestone.

†† Probably. He is not mentioned in the will of his aunt (No. 20, iii), which mentions his sisters ii and vi.

‡‡ By gravestone, "aged 9 months." Buried Oct. 4, 1811, by Trinity Church Records.

39. GEORGE TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph E.<sup>20</sup>, Stephen<sup>10</sup>, Stephen<sup>7</sup>, Thomas<sup>4</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born June —, 1791, in New Haven, Conn.; died November 24, 1854, in New Haven; married ———, 18—, in New Haven<sup>2</sup>, Maria Beers, born about 1799, in New Haven; died March 19, 1828,\* in New Haven.

George Trowbridge was a sailor and lived in New Haven, Conn. He served in the War of 1812 on board the *Constitution* in her fight with the *Guerriere*.

NO CHILDREN.

40. ROSWELL TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph<sup>21</sup>, Joseph<sup>11</sup>, Joseph<sup>8</sup>, Thomas<sup>4</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born January 26, 1811, in Hingham, Mass.; died March 7, 1886, in Hingham; married September 2, 1832, in Hingham, Sarah Lane Jones, daughter of Benjamin and Lucy (Jones) Jones, born March 31, 1808, in Hingham; died July 4, 1885, in Hingham.

Roswell Trowbridge resided all his life in his native town, Hingham, Mass. He was a blacksmith.

CHILDREN BORN IN HINGHAM, MASS.:

- i. ROSWELL, b. July 9, 1834; d. Jan. 6, 1858, in Hingham; unm.
- ii. SARAH, b. Apr. 21, 1836; m. Dec. 24, 1856, Joseph H. Litchfield and resides in Hingham.
62. iii. HENRY, b. July 14, 1842.

41. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph<sup>22</sup>, Caleb<sup>12</sup>, Joseph<sup>8</sup>, Thomas<sup>4</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born August 31, 1811, in New Haven, Conn.; died March 22, 1893, in Ipswich, Mass.; married May 17, 1833, in New Haven, Betsey Tomlinson, daughter of Amon and Hannah (Kimberly) Tomlinson, born November 9, 1812, in Oxford, Conn.; died July 28, 1884, in New Haven.

John Trowbridge settled in New Haven, Conn., where he carried on the tailoring business during the most of his life. His last years were passed at the home of his daughter in Ipswich, Mass., where he died.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

63. i. GEORGE TUTTLE, b. Nov. 9, 1833.
64. ii. ELISHA MIX, b. Feb. 22, 1836.
- iii. MARY OLIVIA, b. July 15, 1838; m. Oct. 31, 1886, Joseph Howard Burnham and resides in Ipswich, Mass.
65. iv. CHARLES HOTCHKISS, b. Nov. 11, 1844.
66. v. CALEB, b. Aug. 30, 1849.

42. FRANCIS TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb<sup>23</sup>, Caleb<sup>12</sup>, Joseph<sup>8</sup>, Thomas<sup>4</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born September 25, 1809, in Mansfield, Conn.; died July 28, 1890, in Milford, Conn.; married May 20, 1835, in Milford, Mary Durand, daughter of William and Mary (Baldwin) Durand, born December 4, 1803, in Milford; died December 31, 1888, in Milford.

Francis Trowbridge came to New Haven, Conn., about 1832. He was in partnership first with H. L. Dudley and later with a Mr. Thompson, under the firm name of F. Trowbridge & Co. They were dealers in plants, shrubs, trees, and agricultural hardware. In 1847 he issued an agricultural almanac and the following year the first "Beekwith's Almanac." He joined the First Congregational (Center) Church in New Haven by letter August 5, 1832, and was dismissed in 1835, when he removed to Milford, Conn., where he passed the remainder of his life and where he was engaged in the hardware business and farming.

CHILDREN BORN IN MILFORD, CONN.:

- i. CHARLOTTE DURAND, b. Sept. 26, 1839; d. June 15, 1845.
67. ii. WILLIAM DURAND, b. June 25, 1842.

\* Probably, for "the wife of George Trowbridge" died that day, "aged 29," by New Haven Town Records.

43. REV. JAMES HEWIT TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>24</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>12</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>8</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>3</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 27, 1820, in Plattsburgh, N. Y.; died January 9, 1887, in Riverside, Ill.; married, first, May 24, 1855, in New York City, Caroline Kettell Freeman, daughter of Nathaniel and Charlotte (Kettell) Freeman, born December 18, 1833, in New York City; died December 18, 1855, in Marshall, Mich. He married, second, October 11, 1860, in Chicago, Ill., Alice Lindsley Mason, daughter of Hon. Roswell B.\* and Harriet (Hopkins) Mason, born July 9, 1837, in Pompton, N. J. She resides in New York City.

James H. Trowbridge was graduated from Middlebury (Vt.) College in 1847. He studied theology at the Union Theological Seminary, New York City, and at the Yale Divinity School, New Haven, Conn. He entered upon the work of the ministry in North Haverstraw, N. Y., where he remained until 1854. His succeeding pastorates were in Marshall, Mich., 1854-56; Dubuque, Iowa, 1856-62; the Calvary Church, Chicago, Ill., 1862-65; and Riverside, near Chicago, 1873-85. Previous to the last pastorate he was for a time editor of *The Interior* of Chicago, which he was largely instrumental in establishing and to which he gave the name. In 1865 he was appointed district secretary of the New School Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions and continued in this work until 1870, when the office was abolished. He was one of the chief actors in organizing the Presbyterian League of Chicago. He died in Riverside, Ill., where he had resided since 1870.

## CHILDREN: †

*By second marriage: ‡*

- i. GEORGE MASON, b. Oct. 16, 1861; was graduated from Amherst College in 1888 with the degree of B.A. He studied law in Chicago, Ill., and practiced there until 1896. In that year he went into journalism in Los Angeles, Cal., and in 1901 in San Francisco, Cal. In 1903 he went to Portland, Ore., and is now managing editor of the *Oregon Journal*. He is unmarried.
- ii. MARY CONGER, b. Oct. 6, 1863; d. Aug. 15, 1864, in Dubuque, Iowa.
- iii. ALICE ROGERS, b. May 6, 1865; d. Aug. 5, 1866, in Chicago, Ill.
- iv. HARRIET HOPKINS, b. Feb. 11, 1867; d. June 24, 1893, in Chicago; unm.
- v. CORNELIA ROGERS, b. July 28, 1869; was graduated from Smith College in 1891; resides with her mother; unm.
- vi. JAMES RUTHERFORD, b. June 12, 1871; was graduated from Yale University in 1894 with the degree of B.A. He was in business in Chicago, Ill., until 1899. He then spent a year in New Mexico and Colorado, and in 1900 went to a plantation in Mexico. He came to New York in 1904, and the following year went to Cuba to take charge of a plantation there. He returned to New York in 1906, and is now with the Astor Trust Company in that city. He is unmarried.
- vii. SIDNEY HOWELL, b. Oct. 23, 1873; d. July 24, 1874, in Evanston, Ill.
- viii. SARAH, b. Feb. 13, 1875; d. July 17, 1875, in Riverside, Ill.
- ix. MASON, b. Nov. 8, 1877; prepared for college at the North Division High School in Chicago, Ill., and was graduated from Yale University with the degree of B.A. in 1902. While in college, in his freshman year, he was elected fence orator, was awarded the McLaughlin gold medal for excellence in literature, and was one of the class debating team. He continued prominent in his studies and in social life during his entire college course, and on graduation was appointed assistant and instructor in rhetoric and instructor in debating at Yale, a position he held until June, 1905. During those three years he took the course in the Yale Law School, from which he was graduated, with honors, with the degree of LL.B. in 1905. He was admitted to the bar and at once began practice in New York City, and at present is a deputy assistant in the office of the New York district attorney. Mr. Trowbridge is a member of the Yale chapter of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity, the Skull and Bones Society of Yale, and the Yale Club of New York City. He is unmarried.

\* Initial only. Mr. Mason was mayor of Chicago at the time of the great fire.

† i born in Dubuque, Iowa; ii-v in Chicago, Ill.; vi-ix in Riverside, Ill.

‡ No children by first marriage.





J. H. Croucher







*Frederick N. Trowbridge*

44. FREDERICK HAYES TROWBRIDGE (*Roswell*<sup>27</sup>, *Newman*<sup>14</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 18, 1813, in New Haven, Conn.; died May 7, 1897, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; married, first, June 20, 1837, in New York City, Jane Elizabeth Southmayd, daughter of Horace and Julia Maria (Bill) Southmayd, born January 17, 1816, in Middletown, Conn.; died October 12, 1851, in New York City. He married, second, August 24, 1853, in New Haven, Mary Denman Rice, daughter of Reuben and Eleanor Paris (Root) Rice, born February 7, 1830, in Wallingford, Conn.; died May 12, 1895, in Brooklyn.

Frederick H. Trowbridge came to New York City in 1832 with A. S. Barnes, a publisher. For a long time he was connected with the firm of Hoyt, Sprague & Co., and while representing its interests in the Cotton States at the outbreak of the Civil War had some thrilling experiences. In 1854 he moved to Brooklyn, where in 1876 he became the secretary of the South Brooklyn Savings Institution.

Mr. Trowbridge was for thirty-five years vestryman and warden of Christ Church, Clinton street, Brooklyn, where he found a congenial religious home on coming from St. George's Church, New York. He was conspicuous in faithfulness and good works as long as his health permitted. He was especially interested in the building of the Church of Our Saviour on Clinton and Luquer streets. "His courteous bearing and well-rounded, sympathetic Christian character won him a wide circle of friends, and his beloved and venerable form will be greatly missed."

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW YORK CITY:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. JULIA MARIA, b. Aug. 11, 1838; m. June 24, 1875, William Grayson Adams and resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.
- ii. JANE SOUTHMAYD, b. Oct. 26, 1839; d. Sept. 8, 1842.
- iii. CAROLINE WHEELER, b. Aug. 10, 1841; m. Nov. 1, 1863, Henry N. Whittlesey of New Haven, Conn.
- iv. HORACE SOUTHMAYD, b. Aug. 17, 1843; d. Jan. 21, 1846.
- v. ROSWELL, b. May 12, 1845; d. Jan. 17, 1846.
- vi. FREDERICK HAYES, b. May 14, 1846; d. July 25, 1850.
- vii. JANE ELIZABETH, b. June 9, 1848; m. June 1, 1876, Frank Herbert Marston and resides in Brooklyn.
- viii. MARY ELLA, b. June 24, 1850; m. Nov. 14, 1872, Charles Marvin Howard of Brooklyn.

45. EDWARD TROWBRIDGE (*Roswell*<sup>27</sup>, *Newman*<sup>14</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 28, 1824, in New Haven, Conn.; died May 12, 1877, in Barbados, B. W. I.; married August 6, 1851, in Ridgefield, Conn., Sarah Anne Smith, daughter of Dea. Harvey and Lois (Butler) Smith, born September 13, 1827, in Ridgefield. She resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Edward Trowbridge in 1844 went to Barbados, West Indies, as agent for the firm of Trowbridge, Sons & Dwight, West India merchants, of New Haven, and later became a member of Trowbridge & Co., their representatives in that island. He took up his residence in Barbados, and lived either there or in the island of Trinidad for the remainder of his life, with the exception of the years 1859-61 and 1863-66 which he passed in Brooklyn, N. Y. During the Civil War he served as United States consul at Barbados, and evinced in that capacity the interest he felt in his native country and her citizens. At the close of the war business duties obliged him to resign the consular service, and from that time until his death he was active in the interests of his firm.

"The intelligence of his death will be received with intense sadness by those who knew him and knew how to appreciate his noble nature. His unswerving honesty and integrity commanded the implicit trust and confidence of all with whom he had business relations—the warmth of his social affections were an

\* No children by second marriage.

inestimable treasure to his family and friends, while his generous impulses, his frankness and sincerity, made him loved and honored by all who knew him." \*

## CHILDREN : †

68. i. EDWARD, b. June 3, 1852.  
 ii. HARVEY SMITH, b. Jan. 30, 1855; d. May 24, 1855.  
 iii. HELEN RADNER, b. June 12, 1857; resides with her mother; unm.  
 iv. ROSWELL HAYES, b. June 9, 1859; d. Aug. 2, 1862, in Barbados, B. W. I.  
 v. AUGUSTA ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 17, 1861; has been for twenty years principal of a well known private school in Brooklyn, N. Y.; unm.
69. vi. WILLIAM LESLIE, b. July 12, 1863.  
 vii. SARAH LOISE, b. Feb. 8, 1865; m. June 3, 1886, Benjamin Silliman Warner and resides in Salisbury, Md.  
 viii. MABELLE WHITNEY, b. Nov. 14, 1869; m. June 20, 1899, Harry Alexander Ectororr Munn of Orange, N. J.

46. TIMOTHY TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>28</sup>, *Newman*<sup>14</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 31, 1815, in New Haven, Conn.; died April 9, 1863, in New Haven; married January 23, 1838, in New Haven, Eliza Ann Bradley, daughter of Zebul and Dorcas (Trowbridge (No. 16, xi)) Bradley, born July 18, 1814, in New Haven; died January 1, 1881, in New Haven.

Timothy Trowbridge for most of his life was engaged in the mercantile business in New York City. He died while still a comparatively young man.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW YORK CITY : ‡

- i. SARAH HOADLEY, b. Mar. 26, 1839; d. Dec. 8, 1865, in New Haven, Conn.; unm. §  
 ii. ELIZABETH DORCAS, b. July 30, 1842; d. ———, in New York City.  
 iii. JAMES LAWRENCE VARICK, b. July 6, 1845; d. ———, in New York City.

47. DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>28</sup>, *Newman*<sup>14</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 29, 1820, in New Haven, Conn.; died August 18, 1893, in New Haven; married, first, October 25, 1840, in Orange, Conn., Cynthia M. Alling, daughter of Levi Alling, who died November 7, 1841, in Orange, aged 20. He married, second, May 15, 1843, in North Salem, N. Y., Jane Keeler, daughter of Nathan and Nancy (Benedict) Keeler, born April 4, 1821, in North Salem; died February 28, 1893, in New Haven.

Daniel Trowbridge settled in his native town, New Haven, Conn. His life was mainly a business one. He never entered society or political life to any extent and was of a very plain and unpretentious character. He began life with only the good name of his ancestors and the careful training imparted by them. He was barely of age when he opened a grocery business on Custom House square. Two or three years afterwards he removed it further up State street. He was successful from the start and continued this store until the time of the Civil War. He built a number of vessels at New Haven and Madison, Conn., and in Maine. In 1888, his fleet having been reduced by sales of five or six vessels and the West India business having drifted away from this port, he disposed of the remainder of his marine interests. From that time he devoted his attention to the various corporations with which he was identified.

Mr. Trowbridge was one of the incorporators of the Connecticut Savings Bank in 1857, and became its vice-president. He was one of the five organizers and

\* The *New Haven Journal and Courier* of May 14, 1877.

† i, ii and vi born in Ridgefield, Conn.; iii and viii in Barbados, B. W. I.; iv, v and vii in Brooklyn, N. Y.

‡ Dates of birth from "Trowbridge Family."

§ "Aged 23 years and 6 months" by New Haven Town Records.





*Thos. A. Pringle*



owners, a director for life, and vice-president, of the First National Bank of New Haven, the first bank in New England and the second in the United States to be started under the National Banking Law in 1862. He was one of the organizers and largest stockholders of the New Haven Gas Light Company, and became its vice-president. He succeeded to its presidency in 1871, on the death of the Hon. William W. Boardman, who had been its first president, and held this office until his death. He was also a director in the New Haven and Northampton Railroad Company and the West Haven Horse Railroad Company, before their consolidation with larger companies. He was a director in the Security Insurance Company, the Mercantile Safe Deposit Company, and the West Haven Water Company, and was one of the founders and the president of the West Haven Buekle Company. He was for many years a member of the New York Produce Exchange. He was long a member of the First Methodist Church and was ever active in its interests.

## CHILD BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

*By second marriage.\**

- i. JENNIE KEELER, b. May 1, 1845; m. May 15, 1867, John J. Matthias of New Haven.

48. NEWMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>28</sup>, *Newman*<sup>14</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 29, 1838, in New Haven, Conn.; died November 14, 1886, in Franklin, La.; married April 10, 1872, in Springfield, Ohio, Elizabeth Graham Wallace, daughter of George and Isabella (Smith) Wallace, born November 29, 1848, in Sandusky, Ohio. She resides in Franklin, La.

Newman Trowbridge removed to Franklin, La., prior to the Civil War, where he became a merchant and planter. He saw service in the Confederate army. He was prominent in Masonic circles and was mayor of the city of Franklin at the time of his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FRANKLIN, LA.:

- i. WALLACE, b. Aug. 18, 1873; is owner of the Eunice Ice Company in Eunice, La.; m. Feb. 11, 1904, Mary Jane Kemper. Child: *Wallace*, b. Nov. 5, 1906.†
- ii. GEORGE GRAHAM, b. Dec. 14, 1875; an electrician; resides in Franklin; unm.
- iii. HARRY LORRAINE, b. July 18, 1878; is in mercantile business in New York City; unm.
- iv. PAUL WIRE, b. Nov. 18, 1881; resides in Franklin; unm.

49. THOMAS RUTHERFORD TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 17, 1810, in New Haven, Conn.; died May 26, 1887, in New Haven; married September 17, 1834, in New Haven, Caroline Hoadley, daughter of Capt. Simeon and Polly (Harrison) Hoadley, born April 30, 1818, in New Haven. She resides in New Haven.

Thomas R. Trowbridge completed his education at Partridge's celebrated military academy at Middletown, Conn., in 1826. After leaving school he entered the office of his father, who was the senior member of the well-known firm of Trowbridge & Dwight, a house carrying on an extensive and prosperous trade with the West Indies. At the age of twenty-one he was admitted a partner in the business, and the name of the firm became Trowbridge, Son & Dwight, becoming Trowbridge, Sons & Dwight after the admission of his brother Henry. Business was conducted under that style until the retirement of Mr. Dwight in 1847, the firm then becoming H. Trowbridge & Sons. After the death of his father, in 1849, Thomas and his three brothers established the firm of H. Trowbridge's Sons, which succeeded to the business of the older firm, and of which he became the senior partner.

\* No children by first marriage.

† Failed to complete his family record.

His brothers in their partnership were in the habit of placing great dependence upon the business judgment of their elder brother, and they would often say, when questions were asked either of them, "Ask Thomas." On May 1, 1885, by the retirement of his only surviving brother, Ezekiel, he and his four sons became sole successors to the firm's business. On January 11, 1887, the firm removed their New Haven office from Long wharf, a location identified with the family's business for over two hundred years, to the building then recently vacated by the Mechanics Bank. Business was conducted in that office until the dissolution of the firm in 1891, a few years after Mr. Trowbridge's death.

From the time of his first entrance into his father's firm until his death, a period of over sixty years, Mr. Trowbridge was actively interested in the business, and, with the exception of occasional absences in the West Indies and elsewhere, was always at his office. He was a man of sound judgment, founded on solid information and a wide experience of men; cautious in engaging in new enterprises, but resolute in carrying them out with activity and spirit when undertaken. He was emphatically a merchant of wide views, and the business which he left to his sons at his death testified to his business sagacity.

Mr. Trowbridge was often obliged to decline positions of high trust in his state and city, contenting himself with the management of his own affairs and the numerous family interests which he guarded for many years. Some of these trusts were of a wearisome sort, but they were executed with no charge to those who had placed them in his hands, and he always rendered a faithful account of his stewardship. As an evidence of the esteem in which he was held by his fellow-citizens throughout the state, at the Republican convention held at Hartford in 1861 he received the unanimous nomination as candidate for lieutenant-governor of Connecticut, with Hon. William A. Buckingham for governor, an honor which he positively and persistently declined, much to the chagrin of the party. Had he accepted the nomination, he would have been elected triumphantly, as the ticket on which he was offered the nomination succeeded by an overwhelming majority and held the ground for nine successive years.

His record during the Civil War is an enviable one. He was a friend of the soldiers and of the soldiers' families, always ready to respond to the constant calls upon his purse and sympathies. He threw his whole soul into the cause of liberty, and although too far advanced in life to actively enter the field he aided in sustaining the government in every possible way by his influence and wealth. Before a company was yet formed, he offered five hundred dollars for the support of the families of volunteers; thus beginning a course of unstinted liberality, which he continued throughout the struggle, and initiating that great patriotic charity, which, continued by private individuals and finally adopted by towns and the state, extended a hand to all the families of absent soldiers. It was at his suggestion that the Mechanics Bank (of which he had been a valued director for many years) tendered the use of fifty thousand dollars to Governor Buckingham when the days were dark and the Union in danger. When the 10th Connecticut Regiment broke camp, with orders to proceed to the rendezvous, a beautiful state flag was presented to them by Mr. Trowbridge, made expressly for the regiment by his wife and daughter. He afterwards presented flags to several Connecticut regiments and swords to numerous officers, and was the first to provide a flag which was raised and kept flying on the steeple of Center Church on the Green.

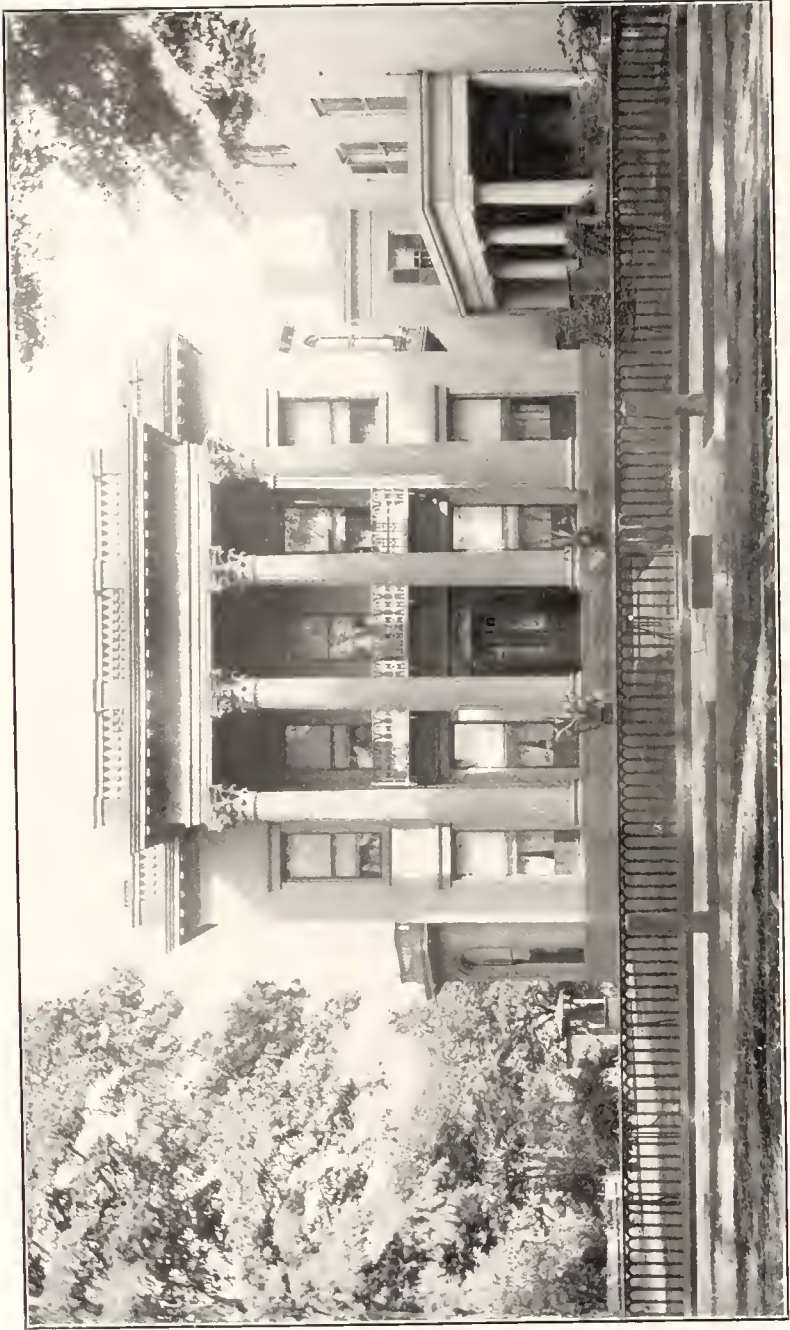
Mr. Trowbridge was one of the most active citizens in New Haven in forming the Sanitary Commission, and contributed greatly to its success by pecuniary assistance as well as personal service. When the time arrived in that great struggle to maintain the life of the nation that rendered a draft necessary to

VIEW ACROSS NEW HAVEN GREEN TOWARDS THE RESIDENCE OF THOMAS R. TROWBRIDGE.









RESIDENCE OF THOMAS R. TROWBRIDGE, ELM STREET, FACING GREEN, NEW HAVEN, CONN.

furnish soldiers for the army, on the very day of the draft, when a crowd numbering from three to five thousand assembled at the north portico of the State House in New Haven, a citizens' meeting was organized with Mr. Trowbridge for chairman. Prominent citizens immediately came forward with offers of money for the encouragement of volunteers. Different individuals offered fifteen dollars each for a volunteer, some pledging that amount apiece for several men. Mr. Trowbridge stood at the head of that noble list, which contributed sufficient to raise the requisite number of men without a draft, he offering fifteen dollars apiece for thirty men, and at half-past 4 p. m. it was announced that the quota for New Haven was filled, when nine tremendous cheers from the assembly burst forth and the crowd separated for their homes. Directly and indirectly, he spent about seventy thousand dollars in the cause of freedom. Mr. Trowbridge manifested the same unflinching zeal in the cause of liberty until victory crowned the Union arms.

As head of his family and business firm, it was natural that Mr. Trowbridge should be selected to serve as a member of the boards of direction in many corporations, but, with a few exceptions, he declined to accept, in order that such honors might be offered to his brothers. He was elected a director of the Mechanics Bank July 5, 1847, and at the time of his death was its oldest director, having served on its board for forty years, and as an able and prudent officer he contributed greatly to the prosperity of that institution. He was chosen a director of the New Haven Bank July 7, 1859, but resigned this office a few months later. He was a director of the Hartford and New Haven Railroad Company up to the time of its consolidation with the New York and New Haven Railroad Company August 6, 1872. He was also for twelve years, and at his death, a director in the Security Insurance Company of New Haven. For many years, and until his death, he was treasurer and secretary of the Company to Build and Maintain Long Wharf, and was also secretary and a director of the Tomlinson Bridge Company. He had also been for many years a member of the New Haven Proprietors Committee. He became a member of the New Haven Chamber of Commerce in 1835, and from 1872 to 1883 was successively elected its president.

Mr. Trowbridge always manifested a taste for historical researches. He took an honest and wholesome pride in the history of his commonwealth and especially in that of his beloved city. His name headed the list of signers upon the original memorial presented to the New Haven Court of Common Council in 1862, which resulted in the organization of the New Haven Colony Historical Society, and he was from that date one of its directors and for many years its vice-president, taking an active and influential part in its proceedings. He contributed an important paper, "The History of Long Wharf in New Haven," to the first volume of the society's "Papers." He was also the projector of "The History of the Trowbridge Family," published in 1872, and defrayed the expenses of compiling and printing that volume; and this Genealogy of his family has been dedicated to his memory in recognition of his services to Trowbridge history.

Mr. Trowbridge through his life was one of the most efficient supporters of the First Ecclesiastical Society of New Haven and a valued member of the First Church, with which he and his wife united on May 31, 1840. He was a member of the standing committee of the church from 1849 until his death. He was also an active member of the society's committee for many years, and a free contributor to the charities conducted under its supervision. He was chairman of the building committee having in charge the erection of the Dixwell Avenue Congregational Church, and contributed generously to its building fund and support. Anything that touched the honor or interest of his state or city warmed his heart and brought a quick response, but he never gave with publicity.

"In the offices of religion and benevolence, in the sweet and sunny relations of domestic life, and in that crystalline integrity which crowns the character of the honorable man of business he was one of our foremost exemplars. There seems something peculiarly fitting that such a life should have spanned its long arc of years without a touch of disease or sickness until the last shadows came and the full-ripened sheaf drooped to the ground. He was one, who in all departments of life exemplified the highest ideal of a successful merchant, an honest and upright Christian man, and an affectionate, sympathetic friend, ever ready to extend a helping hand to those in need of aid or advice."

In his memory his son Rutherford has placed in Center Church an historical window, illustrating the arrival of the first settlers at New Haven in 1638 and the successive houses of worship of the First Ecclesiastical Society, a picture of which has been inserted among the earlier pages of this volume.

One of the many newspaper notices published at the time of Mr. Trowbridge's death was as follows:

"In the death of Mr. Thomas R. Trowbridge, which occurred at his residence yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, the city loses one of its foremost and most esteemed citizens. He was one who will be greatly missed and whose death will be sincerely regretted in all ranks of life in the community. The news of his critical illness was spoken of with sorrow by rich and poor, in the business house, the shop, the store and the factory, and in the family circle, the deceased having so long been one of our leading citizens and one who, from his native worth, his unflinching urbanity, his sterling qualities of head and heart, his prominent business and commercial position, had held a place of honor and influence in our community which few have the privilege to attain. His name was a synonym for honor, integrity, sound business judgment and acknowledged high social position. His New England ancestry dates back to the settlement of New Haven colony and our Historical Society interests have ever been near to his heart. He was, though so near seventy-seven years of age, of erect carriage and eyes undimmed, with a handsome face and figure which well bespoke the surroundings of wealth and opulence and a station of influence, while his face bespoke also an honorable career and a life well spent. Dignified in appearance, affable with all men, considerate of others, he was liked by all with whom he came in contact. He was a merchant of a type which honors the community, the city and the state, and his record adds another link to the long line of Connecticut commercial leaders whose names have reflected lustre on our little commonwealth. The Center Church will miss him. In the sanctuary worship he delighted, and his time and services, especially in his younger days, were freely at the disposal of the church and its interests. His name will long be cherished in our midst."

An account of the funeral services over Mr. Trowbridge was printed in a newspaper of that day as follows:

"As the hour approached for the funeral service to begin, hundreds of people assembled in the vicinity of the late residence of Mr. Trowbridge, on Elm street, facing the Green, noticeable among whom were working people to whom the deceased had been a benefactor. Their expressions of regret and sorrow at the loss of the man they honored could be heard in the conversations carried on in the little groups. At 3 o'clock the spacious parlors reserved for friends were densely packed. Fully three hundred people were in the different rooms at the commencement of the services. There were many prominent citizens and officials present, men whom the deceased has associated with and taken by the hand during life. At the hour set for the service to begin the Rev. Dr. Newman Smyth, of the First Congregational Church, where Mr. Trowbridge had worshipped for years, stepped from an adjoining room, and standing in the hall facing the mourning friends of the deceased, began the services. The funeral eulogy was beautiful in its touching pathos.

"I cannot in this house," said he, "speak of the life and character of him who lies yonder and whom we have loved so much. The life of a good man teaches human life. In an atmosphere of home-felt pleasures and gentle scenes rather than in one heavy with the shock of war and politics have we contemplated him. The closing years of a well spent life were in the bosom of his family, where he loved to bind himself in the exercise of congenial tastes, never obtruding himself by aught that could suggest arrogance or the pride of birth or high achievements; reserved, rather, in general conversation until some word kindled his imagination or stirred his recollection. He was the representative of a generation faithful to duty and to friendships in all associations of human interests and activity. No more high-minded and honorable man ever lived; no man was more actuated always by the great idea of duty. He was equally delightful and attractive as a companion and friend, faithful in small things as well as great, when they came within the sphere of what he had undertaken to do. It is with infinite pain that I have seen







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this noble life passing away. I have missed the kindly look of his eye from the accustomed pew at church. A regular and devout attendant, a follower of Christ was he. One who knew him well in life, the Rev. Dr. Leonard Bacon, often spoke in touching words of the character of our friend and his determination to fight the battle of truth and honor to the end.

"A detailed historical narrative will not answer the purpose of these solemnities. I wish to bring together in one view his high qualities, his magnanimity, his gentleness, and all of the other traits of his noble nature which have commanded our love and honor. Our existence, like a stream, flows smoothly on, and then suddenly dashes itself in a dark abyss where all worldly honor and power are gone forever, swallowed up as rivers are by oceans. The angel of death draws our thoughts away from the mortal to the immortal. Whether awake or asleep we live together in Christ. In this faith we shall greet him in a happier clime. His life had its full quota of usefulness in this world. He had the good old puritanical character from his ancestors, which in him and the remainder of his generation has lost its harshness, mellowed and ripened in the character of later ages. He came of a lineage of simple, honest men who loved God; who loved God as he is, the Father of national and rational liberty, the liberty of obedience to law and subordination to natural and social duty. But he has gone from our midst, and the mystery of life is such that we ask where he has gone. His faith failed him not; it rested on one mighty truth—that God is love. He was not tainted with any philosophical pretensions. He had no affinity with the hostile opinions of unbelievers. He was visited with no such intellectual conceit. He was trained in a home of religious teaching. Office had no charm for him except it were connected with duty, and to shirk duty was as foreign to his nature as flattery and as odious as hypocrisy. Overcome as I am, standing in the presence of these memories, which endeared him to us all, I feel I can say no more."

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

70. i. HENRY, b. Aug. 14, 1836.
71. ii. THOMAS RUTHERFORD, b. Mar. 3, 1839.
72. iii. WILLIAM RUTHERFORD HAYES, b. May 7, 1842.
- iv. CAROLINE HOADLEY, b. July 24, 1844; resides in Florence, Italy; unm.
73. v. RUTHERFORD, b. Dec. 1, 1851.
- vi. EMILIE ELIZA, b. Sept. 1, 1857; m. Jan. 26, 1886, George Bliss Rogers of Boston, Mass., and resides in Florence.
- vii. FRANCIS, b. July 24, 1861; d. July 26, 1861.

50. HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 22, 1816, in New Haven, Conn.; died May 28, 1883, in New Haven; married, first, July 24, 1838, in New Haven, Mary Webster Southgate, daughter of Horatio and Mary (Webster) Southgate, born February 5, 1819, in Portland, Me.; died May 2, 1860, in Paris, France. He married, second, August 8, 1861, in Brooklyn, N. Y., Sarah Coles Hull, daughter of Edward and Edwina (Coles) Hull, born in New York City. She resides in New Haven.

Henry Trowbridge was educated at Hopkins Grammar School, New Haven, being graduated in 1828. During his minority he entered his father's counting-house, and on becoming of age was admitted as a partner in the house of H. Trowbridge, Son & Dwight, a house largely and prosperously engaged in the West India trade. On the dissolution of that firm, by the withdrawal of Mr. Dwight in 1847, he became a member of the house of H. Trowbridge & Sons, who succeeded to the business of the older firm, and in 1849, on the death of his father, he and his three brothers established the firm of H. Trowbridge's Sons. He continued an active partner in this firm until his death.

His well-earned reputation for sagacity, integrity and practical efficiency led him to various positions of trust and distinction in social life. For forty-five years he was a director (fifteen of which he was vice-president) of the New Haven Bank, and both in the town and city of New Haven he was called, from time to time, to places of active and more or less responsible service.

Mr. Trowbridge united himself with the First Church in New Haven in 1840, by a public profession of his religious faith. He continued a loyal and active member of this church until his death. In more private life he was gentle and quiet in manners, sympathetic and genial in his companionship, and eminently domestic in his preferences and habits.

In memory of his son Henry Stuart Trowbridge he founded the Trowbridge Reference Library in the theological department of Yale University.\* This tribute of parental affection well illustrates the general tone and tenor of his life, and attests his habits of quick and appreciative observation, his practical forecasting judgment, his elevated taste, and his Christian beneficence. It has thus most undesignedly, yet most fitly, become a lasting monument of his personal character and worth.†

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. MARY WEBSTER, b. May 13, 1839; m., 1st, May 13, 1857, Frederick Hall of Portland, Conn.; 2d, Feb. 21, 1860, Silas Enos Burrows and resides in New Haven.
- ii. HARRIET EMILY, b. Apr. 8, 1841; m. Oct. 19, 1865, William Henry Allen of New Haven.
- iii. HENRIETTA KING, b. July 19, 1845; m. June 15, 1871, Stephen Cambreling Powell, M.D., and resides in Newport, R. I.
- iv. JANE LOUISA FITCH, b. Nov. 16, 1850; m. Feb. 25, 1875, Henry Lucius Hotchkiss of New Haven.
- v. HENRY WEBSTER, b. Aug. 9, 1852; d. Apr. 18, 1857, in New Haven.
- vi. ELLEN EUGENIA, b. Apr. 10, 1856; m. Apr. 17, 1878, Huntington Denton and resides in Paris, France.

*By second marriage:*

- vii. HENRY STUART, b. Nov. 15, 1862; d. Dec. 3, 1869, in New Haven.§
- viii. VIRGINIA HULL, b. Jan. 23, 1864; d. July 28, 1875, in Saratoga Springs, N. Y.
- ix. COURTLANDT HENRY, b. Apr. 21, 1870.

51. EZEKIEL HAVES TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 21, 1818, in New Haven, Conn.; died November 24, 1893, in New Haven; married June 23, 1840, in New Haven, Sarah Ann Day, daughter of Zelotes and Eliza (Atwater) Day, born June 12, 1818, in New Haven; died January 28, 1907, in New Haven.

Ezekiel H. Trowbridge at an early age entered the counting-house of his father, who was engaged in the West India trade, and there received his first ideas of business, and was by him instructed in those high principles of integrity, honor, and thoroughness of execution, which ever characterized him. He learned that to be successful as a merchant, it was necessary to master thoroughly the details, as well as the general principles of business, and always had before him the motto that, "Whatever is worth doing is worth doing well," and acted up to this principle. At the age of nineteen he was sent to the West Indies to familiarize himself with that part of the business, taking with him a full power-of-attorney from the house to transact important matters intrusted to him. On arriving at his majority he was admitted as a partner into the firm of H. Trowbridge, Sons & Dwight, afterwards H. Trowbridge & Sons, and, on the death of his father in 1849, the firm of H. Trowbridge's Sons was formed by his three brothers and himself. He was an active member of the firm, and pursued the business, an eminently successful one, with all the ardor and energy which a man of strong constitution, great determination, hopeful temperamēt, and a mature judgment

\* "In founding such a library Mr. Trowbridge has rendered a service to the interests of the Theological Department which cannot fail to add largely to its working power, and which its alumni and friends throughout the country now, and for a long time to come, will be sure to remember." [*Yale Courant*.]

† "It contains about 4,500 carefully selected volumes, in every department of theological literature, and additions are constantly being made." [*Yale University Catalogue*.]

‡ This sketch was written for Atwater's "History of the City of New Haven," published in 1885.

§ See Nos. 33, ix, and 33, xiii

¶ In his memory his father in 1870 founded the Trowbridge Reference Library in the Yale Divinity School.



*E. H. Tombridge*







MEMORIAL WINDOW TO EZEKIEL H. TROWBRIDGE IN CENTER CHURCH,  
NEW HAVEN, CONN.



could do. He remained an active partner until May 1, 1885, when, owing to the multiplicity of his private affairs requiring his personal attention, he with his eldest and only surviving son retired from the business.

Mr. Trowbridge, although devoting himself with untiring energy and ability to the best interests of his firm, was called into many positions of trust, being largely interested in railroads, banks and corporations. In 1855 he with others organized the Elm City Bank of New Haven, now the Second National, and was until his death an active and influential director of that successful institution. He was for over twenty-five years a director of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, and by his far-sighted judgment was of great service to that large corporation, as well as to the other organizations comprising its system, in each of which he was also a director, and was vice-president of the Shore Line Railroad Company until its merger in the former company. His business sagacity and wise counsel were beneficial to the successful advancement of other corporations in which he was largely financially interested. He was also for many years, and up to his death, a director of the Fair Haven and Westville Railroad Company (a corporation owning the street railroad system of New Haven) and the National New Haven Bank. In the execution of all these important and private trusts, his ardent zeal for success was always regulated and controlled by his most scrupulous regard for honest and honorable management.

Mr. Trowbridge was a loyal member of the First Church, with which he united in 1842, and was a liberal contributor to charitable objects. In politics he was a Whig and Republican, never seeking or holding political office, and was a staunch supporter of the government by act and pecuniary aid during the Civil War. He was a man of domestic tastes, social in his disposition, positive in his character, warm in his friendships, careful and considerate in his dealings, and highly successful financially.\*

In the memorial sermon preached in Center Church on November 11, 1894, at the presentation of the historical window given by Mr. E. Hayes Trowbridge in memory of his father, Ezekiel H. Trowbridge, Rev. Dr. Newman Smyth said in part:

"The memorial window, which has been presented to this church as an act of filial piety in memory of a father who is numbered among our dead, and which is gratefully accepted by us, the living, on this Sabbath day, for generations to come shall prove richly suggestive of the best elements of the historic life of this church and this community. To us, and to our children and children's children, it will offer visible sign and representation of those higher powers of faith and character, which in past times have lifted up into nobleness, and rendered prosperous in righteousness, the simple and sincere life of a New England town. This Sabbath day, therefore, as we look for the first time at this historical window, this pulpit can have but one task to fulfil;—its word must be as the living voice of those who being dead, yet speak; and the message to which you listen, should catch the spirit of the whole history, upon the first memorable scene of which your eyes now rest.

"Happily this historic task is rendered less difficult because the window itself, in its general design, and in the grouping of its characters, presents at once to our thoughts the grand elements of our highest and best life as a church and a community.

"In its general conception the window represents the founding alike of church and state in a high comradeship of men, and in the fear of God. . . . The memorial base of this historical window, with its seven firm pillars of the state, and the seven-fold candlestick of truth in the luminous centre of them all, shall serve perpetually to remind us not to forsake the example of the founders by suffering corruption to be elected to rule over us, and ignorance to enlighten us.

"Let us listen next to the voices of the several representative characters which are portrayed in this rich memorial glass. Central in the group is the puritan preacher of righteousness. From the day when the Scripture concerning the temptation in the wilderness was taken for the first sermon on this shore, the preacher of the eternal right has never failed in the pulpit of this church. . . . Just behind the preacher who had come

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\* This sketch was in greater part prepared for Atwater's "History of the City of New Haven," published in 1885.

to the new world with the learning of the old, the face may be seen of the student intent upon his words. . . . We place the quiet scholar by the famous teacher in our memorial window, because we would commemorate the alliance between religion and all reverent science, and remember that the college and sound learning have found just recognition and aid throughout the whole history of this church.

"Other figures grouped around the preacher with the uplifted hand, shall keep in perpetual memorial the strong layman, with his armor on, ready for the next hour's duty, and the honest yeoman, and the godly and vigilant citizen. . . . Fitting it is that among the memorial figures above this pulpit, should stand the soldier ready for action, and one, the most venerable of them all, devout in aspect, who grasps his musket in his still firm hand, while he listens to the word of the Eternal.

"Still another grouping of figures in our window will set before us a different, yet no less important and most grateful lesson of our history;—we behold also here the puritan mother with her child. No historian has adequately portrayed, no poet has fully sung the epic of the life of the puritan mother in the making of our New England. We greet and honor her, as our eyes now behold her, content to take a lowly station, listening in devout devotion, having forsaken the comfortable and happy promise of her girlhood's home for her dear Lord and Master's sake,—no longer richly clad, yet having a grace and spiritual beauty all her own,—the earnest, brave, true-hearted puritan woman, consecrating her child to God, that he might not return to the country whence she had come forth,—worthy ere long herself to take high place serene among God's martyrs and saints,—woman to whom many of us this day might give dear and personal name, for she is the mother of us all.

"Often I have heard the late Mr. Ezekiel H. Trowbridge speak with reverent recollection of the principles and instructions of his father: and to the sober and godly counsels of his childhood's home he owed the firm-grained integrity and the industrious vigor of his own successful life. Letters have been treasured up, written by that father to his son during his earlier years, which are marked by that high tone of religious responsibility and fidelity which has been the distinctive note of the best New England character. . . . We can understand how he would rejoice with us at this hour, could he be with us to behold this finished work of beauty, which his son has wrought for the church in the father's name. Perhaps he, and many others whom we see no more, may be with us, watching over us more than we know,—God permits for both them and us whatever may be best.

"I knew Mr. Trowbridge as his pastor, better perhaps than many others may have had opportunity to know him, in those deeper and richer elements of character which men in business are not wont to display except in the unguarded intimacies of private life,—those kindlier and nobler qualities which shall be, we trust, elsewhere the daily felicities of those friendships in which the spirits of the just shall be made perfect. I miss his vigorous presence in his accustomed pew; and you know that a firm and loyal friend of this church was lost when he was gathered to his fathers. Yet grateful as might be to me the task of speaking further of the more personal and private characteristics of the man, I am reminded by the presence of many in the employ of that great industry to whose upbuilding Mr. Trowbridge gave the full measure of his business life, that some fitting words rather should be spoken of the service which a man may render to a community who puts his business ability and his capital to productive use in building up any honorable enterprise, by means of which, employment and means of livelihood shall be furnished to large numbers of his fellowmen. One of the business principles which Mr. Trowbridge inherited, and which I have often heard him uphold with great emphasis, was that in some ways profitable to the community, as well as to himself, every man should seek to be a producer and that the true worth and moral justification of capital consist in its productive use. To the upbuilding of a vast railway system, and to the interests of all concerned in its prosperity, Mr. Trowbridge gave without stint or measure, up to the very last, his time and strength. Besides the use of riches in works of benevolence there is a lesson from such a life, which both labor and capital may need repeatedly to learn, concerning the honorable service which may be rendered by any man whose strength and sagacity furnish the employment from which others may build their homes, and whose personal success advances the prosperity of his fellowmen."

#### CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

75. i. EZEKIEL HAYES, b. Mar. 22, 1841.
- ii. SARAH ANN, b. Nov. 25, 1842; d. Dec. 4, 1842.
- iii. SARAH DAY, b. Sept. 11, 1845; d. Nov. 16, 1863, in Pelham Manor, N. Y., where she was attending a young ladies' boarding school; unm.
- iv. CHARLES HENRY, b. July 14, 1849; was in the office of his father's firm in New Haven; d. Feb. 7, 1881; unm.
- v. ARTHUR HERBERT, b. April 23, 1858; d. May 22, 1866.





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52. WINSTON JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 10, 1820, in New Haven, Conn.; died November 6, 1864, in New Haven; married, first, June 12, 1850, in New Haven, Mary Dwight Newton Leavenworth, adopted daughter of Isaac Leavenworth of New Haven and daughter of Rev. Samuel and Mary Hunt (Seeley *née* McCarthy) Newton, born January 11, 1829, in Harmony Mission, Osage Nation; died October 30, 1852, in Barbados, B. W. I. He married, second, August 31, 1854, in New Haven, Margarette Elford Dean, daughter of James Edmund Prior and Eliza Ellen (Jarman) Dean, born December 22, 1828, in New Haven; died January 2, 1903, in New Haven.

Winston J. Trowbridge was engaged in the West India business with his father. At nineteen he was sent to Barbados to take charge of the increasing sugar interests of the firm in the West Indies. On coming of age he was admitted a partner of the home firm and of Trowbridge & Co., the West India firm. After his father's death he and his three brothers established the firm of H. Trowbridge's Sons. He was the first of the name to reside in the West Indies, and the great prosperity of the firm dated from his residence there, and was in a large measure due to his management. In the conduct of an ever increasing business he traveled frequently among the islands, visiting the various ports where business warranted. He was appointed August 31, 1852, United States consul for Barbados and adjacent English islands by President Fillmore with credentials from Queen Victoria. He continued to serve as such, and throughout the period of the Civil War was able to render important service to his country and fellow citizens. At Barbados he entertained extensively, and many notable American and English travelers have pleasant recollections of the hospitable and courteous treatment received from him at his residence, Erin Hall. In the fall of 1864, his health failing, he returned to New Haven for medical treatment, leaving his family at Barbados. He died shortly after his arrival, at the residence of his brother Ezekiel. After his death his family removed to New Haven.

Mr. Trowbridge was admitted a member of the First Church of New Haven in 1853, and his second wife, Mrs. Margarette E. Trowbridge, was received into that church by certificate in 1858.

## CHILDREN:

*By first marriage:*

- i. MARY LEAVENWORTH, b. May 6, 1851, in Barbados, B. W. I.; m. July 1, 1874, Judge William Kneeland Townsend and resides in New Haven, Conn.
- ii. CAROLINE AUGUSTA, b. Oct. 29, 1852, in Barbados; d. July 2, 1853.

*By second marriage:*

76. iii. WINSTON JOHN, b. Nov. 24, 1856, in New Haven.
- iv. FLORENCE MAUD, b. Dec. 28, 1859, in Barbados; m. Apr. 4, 1904, Prof. Horatio McLeod Reynolds and resides in New Haven.
77. v. FRANK DEAN, b. Mar. 16, 1861, in Barbados.
- 77a. vi. ELFORD PARRY, b. Sept. 16, 1862, in New Haven.
- vii. CONSTANCE BLANCHE, b. May 22, 1864, in Barbados; m. Apr. 23, 1902, Warren Benson Kellogg and resides in Halifax, Nova Scotia.

53. EDWIN LUCIUS TROWBRIDGE (*Amos*<sup>34</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 15, 1812, in New Haven, Conn.; died August 21, 1880, in New York City; married September 3, 1835, in New Haven, Alida Bulford, daughter of Ira and Hannah (Preseott) Bulford, born November 17, 1814, in Chester, Mass.; died November 24, 1881, in New York City.

Edwin L. Trowbridge in early manhood went to New York City and formed a partnership with his brother Amos and his cousin Amos T. Dwight in the clothing business in that city, the name of the firm being Trowbridge, Dwight & Co. The firm also had a branch in New Orleans, conducted under the name of Dwight & Trowbridge. He later became a member of the firm of Hopkins, Dwight & Trowbridge, cotton brokers, New York City, with which he was connected at the

time of his death. He resided many years in Brooklyn and later in New York, in both of which cities he was held in esteem in mercantile and social circles.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BROOKLYN, N. Y. :\*

- i. CATHARINE ATWATER, b. June 24, 1836; m. Oct. 25, 1860, Jerome Bonaparte Clark of New York City.
78. ii. STEPHEN ATWATER, b. June 8, 1838.
- iii. HANNAH PRESCOTT, b. May 30, 1841; m. Oct. 28, 1861, Richard Henry Hall of Binghamton, N. Y.
- iv. ALIDA BULFORD, b. Nov. 4, 1844; d. Apr. 29, 1847.
- v. ELVIRA KELLOGG, b. Aug. 27, 1848; m. Dec. 7, 1871, Frederick Kellogg Trowbridge (No. 82) and resides in New York City.
- vi. ELIZABETH BULFORD, b. July 5, 1851; m. Dec. 13, 1871, William Royal Henry Martin and resides in New York City.

54. AMOS HITCHCOCK TROWBRIDGE (*Amos*<sup>34</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 11, 1814, in New Haven, Conn.; died June 26, 1881, in Ansonia, Conn.; married August 29, 1837, in New Haven, Julia Atwater daughter of James and Nancy (Alling) Atwater, born February 6, 1814, in New Haven; died November 22, 1896, in New York City.

Amos H. Trowbridge was a member of the firm of Dwight & Trowbridge in New Orleans from 1836 to 1849. From the latter year until the close of the Civil War he was a member of the firm of Trowbridge, Dwight & Co., clothiers, of New York City. He then retired from mercantile business to take the presidency of the Second National Bank of New York City. He held this office until his death, which occurred suddenly while he was on a visit at the home of his brother-in-law Mr. Durand in Ansonia, Conn. He was a sagacious business man, and was highly respected and esteemed.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN. :

- i. MARY ATWATER, b. Feb. 23, 1840; m. Apr. 23, 1861, John Anderson Davis and resides in New York City.
79. ii. JAMES ATWATER, b. June 6, 1843.
80. iii. EDWIN DWIGHT, b. June 29, 1849.
- iv. AMOS RUTHERFORD, b. Nov. 2, 1853; d. July 20, 1854.
81. v. GEORGE, b. July 11, 1855.

55. GEORGE ALFRED TROWBRIDGE (*Amos*<sup>34</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 28, 1818, in New Haven, Conn.; died April 28, 1891, in New York City; married, first, August 27, 1840, in New York City, Elvira Warner Kellogg, daughter of Frederiek and Minerva (Warner) Kellogg, born January 4, 1820, in Northfield, Conn.; died May 2, 1843, in Brooklyn, N. Y. He married, second, April 30, 1851, in Philadelphia, Pa., Amy Bowler Hoppin, daughter of Henry and Amy Harris (Bowler) Hoppin, born April 12, 1826, in Philadelphia; died May 2, 1855, in Brooklyn, N. Y. He married, third, July 6, 1859, in Astoria, N. Y., Cornelia Polhemus Robertson, daughter of Robert Augustus and Harriette Suydam (Polhemus) Robertson, born July 26, 1836, in Astoria. She resides in New York City.

George A. Trowbridge when he was a very young man was in the employ of his older brothers in New Orleans. He later engaged for himself in the wholesale furnishing business in New York City.

## CHILDREN :†

*By first marriage:*

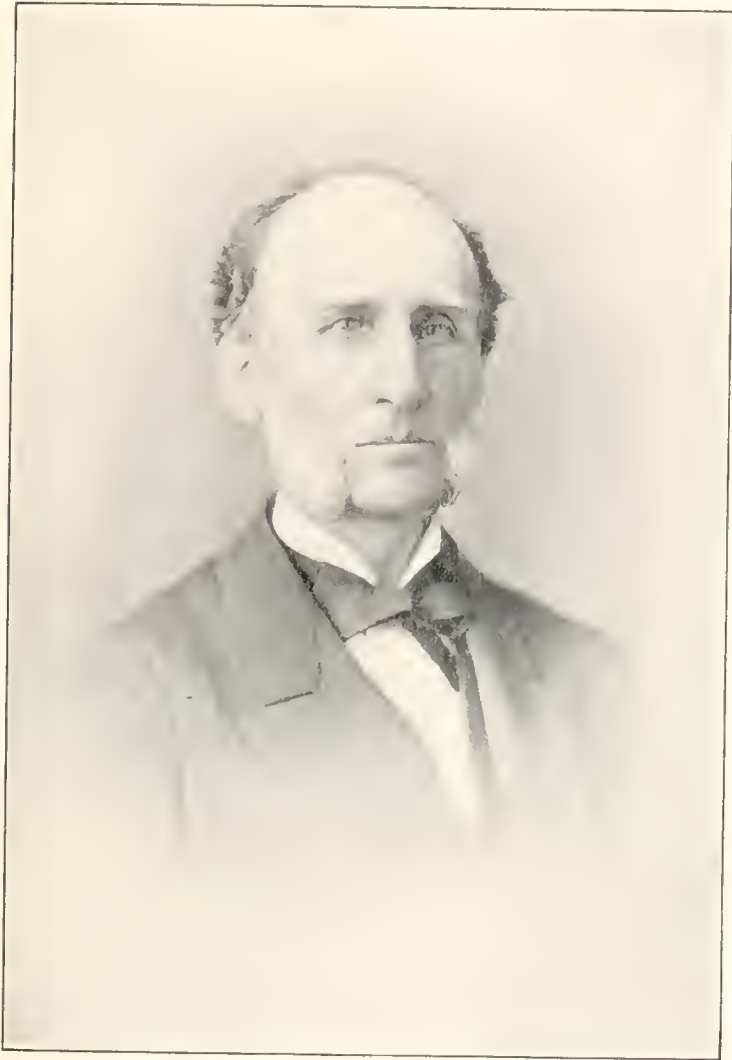
- i. HENRIETTA KELLOGG, b. Apr. 8, 1842; m. Dec. 7, 1864, Samuel Whiting Hollister of New York City.
82. ii. FREDERICK KELLOGG, b. Apr. 26, 1843.

*By second marriage:*

- iii. LEWIS HOPPIN, b. Mar. 29, 1852; d. Apr. 25, 1856.
- iv. CHARLES HOPPIN, b. Oct. 14, 1854; d. Apr. 7, 1856.

\* Except iv, who was born in New York City.

† i-iv and ix born in Brooklyn, N. Y.; v-viii in New York City.



AMOS H. TROWBRIDGE.





*By third marriage:*

- v. ROBERTSON, b. Aug. 30, 1860; was graduated from the Columbia Law School in 1882 with the degree of LL.B., and is a lawyer in New York City. He is a member of the Union League and Grolier clubs and the Mayflower Society. He is unmarried.
- vi. RUTHERFORD, b. Dec. 27, 1862; d. May 14, 1863.
- vii. JAMES SUYDAM, b. June 8, 1864; d. that month.
- viii. HARRIETTE POLHEMUS, b. Mar. 26, 1866; d. Jan. 20, 1867.
83. ix. AUGUSTUS, b. Jan. 2, 1870.

56. JOHN WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*John T.*<sup>35</sup>, *John*<sup>18</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>6</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 12, 1807, in New Haven, Conn.; died June 21, 1878, in Chicago, Ill.; married ———, 1838, in Oswego, N. Y., Jane Maria Godard, daughter of Moses and Rhoda (Wheaton) Godard, born January 22, 1819, in Canada; died September 10, 1853, in Burlington, Wis.

John W. Trowbridge went in childhood with his parents to Rochester, N. Y. He commenced his business career as a young man in Oswego and was interested in several business enterprises in Western New York. In 1828 he started westward, locating in Cleveland, Ohio, and being identified with the early history of that city. In May, 1840, he followed his father to Racine county, Wis., and located a homestead of 160 acres about six miles from his father, in the town of Burlington, where he engaged in farming.

Probably no other man was more generally known or more closely connected with the local affairs of the county at that early date. He held the office of register of deeds from 1849 to 1853, and also opened the first abstract office. He was noted for the accuracy, system and conciseness which characterized all his labor. He was also sergeant-at-arms of the territorial legislature. His public duties caused him to move to Racine, and he lived there several years. He there owned a half interest in the Racine *Advocate* and considerable real estate. In the panic of 1857 he, like many others, met with serious financial losses, and in the spring of 1858 he rented out his farm in Burlington and moved to Chicago, Ill. He had been an expert bookkeeper in his younger days and he was engaged in the office of Buckingham & Sturgis, a grain and elevator firm in that city, for about a year, then returning to Racine. During the Civil War he represented a large wholesale and retail Chicago dry goods firm as traveling salesman. In 1868 he returned again to Racine and became an employee in the abstract office which he had founded in the early days of his residence there. He lived in Racine until November, 1877, when he went to reside with a daughter, Mrs. Haines, in Chicago, where he died the following June.

Mr. Trowbridge was a man of strong individuality, and tenacious of his views and opinions, which were always forcibly and fearlessly expressed. He was open and frank in his demeanor, always ready to expose and denounce trickery and fraud in public or private life. He was frequently drawn into the turmoil and strife of the county political affairs, but even when party feeling ran high and political excitement was such as to create prejudice and ill feeling, no person ever cast one shadow of doubt on his honesty or integrity. He was a man in his political, religious and local views fifty years in advance of his time, but he lived to see slavery abolished and the Free Homestead Act passed, two measures that he had advocated and worked for for years. He had strong literary tastes and could recite long selections from his favorite authors. His last words were: "Tell my friends, I die in the faith."

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. WILLIAM MARBLE, b. ———, 1839; d. in infancy.
- ii. WILLIAM MARBLE, b. June 4, 1840; d. May 2, 1858, in Burlington, Wis.

\* i born in Oswego, N. Y.; ii in Dover, Wis.; iii-v in Burlington, Wis.

- iii. MARIA TUTTLE, b. May 4, 1842; m. Nov. 6, 1861, Josiah Clough Haines of Chicago, Ill.
- iv. MARY MOORE, b. Feb. 11, 1846; m. May 15, 1878, Joseph Appleyard and resides in Racine, Wis.
- v. HARRIET MILES, b. Apr. 26, 1848; d. Mar. 10, 1879, in Racine; unm.

57. DR. ELIHU FREDERICK TROWBRIDGE (*John T.<sup>35</sup>, John<sup>18</sup>, Daniel<sup>9</sup>, Thomas<sup>4</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born March 1, 1816, in Rochester, N. Y.; died March 10, 1858, in Newark, Ohio; married December 25, 1838, in Newark, Susan Walroth Hays, daughter of James and Charity (Walroth) Hays, born ———, 1822, in Newark; died July 10, 1906, in Columbus, Ohio.

Elihu F. Trowbridge became one of the early settlers of Licking county, Ohio, going there about 1838. He studied medicine and became one of the best known physicians in that part of the country.

CHILDREN BORN IN CHATRAM, OHIO:

- i. GRACE ANN, b. Oct. 16, 1839; d. Jan. 26, 1896, in Newark, Ohio; unm.
- ii. JAMES WILLIAM, b. Sept. 1, 1840; is a ranchman in Masonville, Colo.; unm.\*
- iii. MARY MILES, b. July 20, 1844; m. Feb. 13, 1866, David Hess Berger and resides in Shoshoni, Wyo.
- iv. GEORGE EDWARD, b. May 20, 1846.
- v. ELIHU FREDERICK, b. Feb. 2, 1850; d. May 12, 1852.
- vi. HENRIETTA ELLEN, b. Feb. 2, 1853; m. Apr. 1, 1871, Pulaski Calvert of Sheridan, Wyo.
- vii. JULIA STELLA, b. Feb. 14, 1856; m. May 3, 1872, Jesse Mitchell of Newark, Ohio.

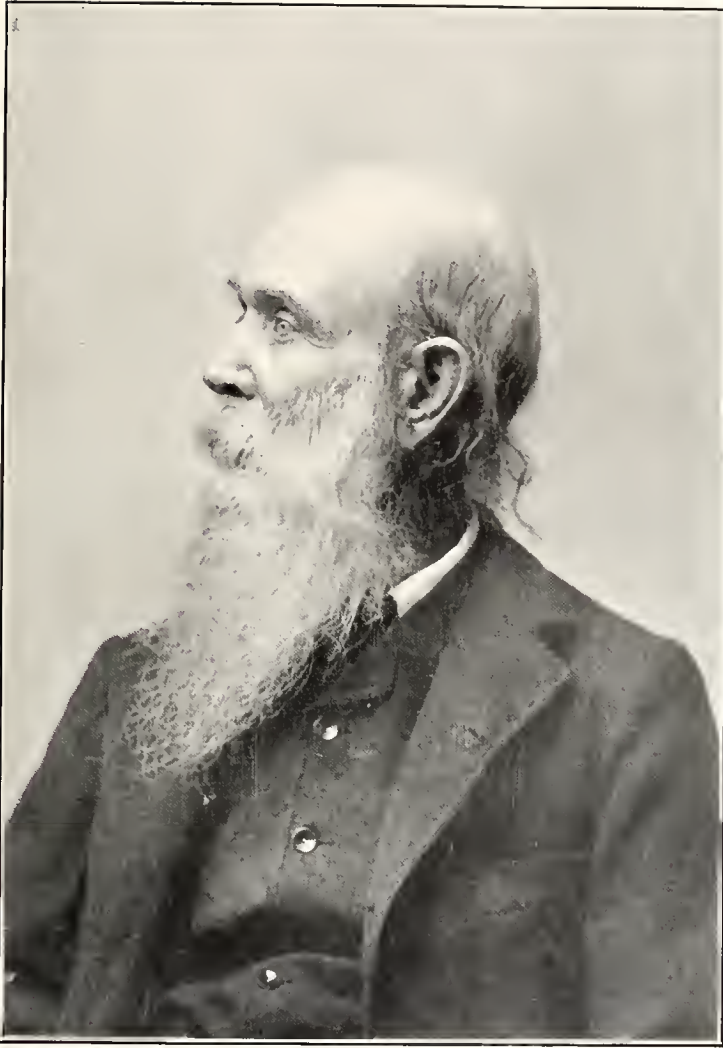
58. STEWART HUDSON TROWBRIDGE (*John T.<sup>35</sup>, John<sup>18</sup>, Daniel<sup>9</sup>, Thomas<sup>4</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born November 14, 1817, in Rochester, N. Y.; died December 24, 1899, in Lyle, Minn.; married April 30, 1842, in Rochester, Wis., Diana Lockwood, daughter of John and Esther (Field) Lockwood, born June 9, 1817, in Springfield, Vt.; died January 24, 1891, in Superior, Wis.

Stewart H. Trowbridge at the age of nineteen, in 1836, emigrated with his father from Rochester, N. Y., to Dover, six miles from Burlington, Racine county, Wis., and began life as a farmer, an occupation which he ever since followed. When he settled in Wisconsin, his nearest neighbor was six miles distant, but, in the course of time, his homestead became surrounded with those of other settlers, and he, by reason of an even temper, genial disposition, and a rigidly upright character, joined to good judgment, came to be highly esteemed. He always took an active and intelligent interest in politics and affairs of government, but never accepted office, although often urged to do so. He made an exception to this rule by accepting the office of school district officer, serving many times in that capacity. On his farm in Wisconsin was located a school-house and a church, ground for both of which he gave.

During the Civil War, when it was reported that his eldest son was mortally wounded at Perryville, Mr. Trowbridge left home to seek him. He reached Louisville, to find communication with Perryville very uncertain on account of the operations of the noted guerrilla Morgan, but nothing daunted he pushed on, reached his son, and brought him back to Louisville, where he nursed him until he was out of danger, procured his discharge, and took him home, where in due time he recovered.

In October, 1863, Mr. Trowbridge removed to Minnesota and purchased a farm in Lyle township, Mower county, near the county seat, Austin. He resided there until his death, except for a period of two years which he passed with his eldest son in Portland, Ore. He died at the home of his son Henry in Lyle. By his life work he emphasized his motto of "be good and do good."

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters. He is said to have served in Missouri and Colorado regiments in the Civil War.



*S. H. Bowbridge.*



## CHILDREN BORN IN DOVER, WIS. :

85. i. MILES MARSHALL, b. May 22, 1843.  
 ii. LUCRETIA HENRIETTA, b. May 20, 1845; d. July 22, 1845.  
 86. iii. HENRY COUNT, b. Apr. 22, 1846.  
 iv. MILTON MOORE, b. Nov. 11, 1847; is a farmer in Otter Tail county, Minn.; unm.  
 v. A son, / twins, d. that day.  
 vi. A daughter, / b. Feb. 11, 1850; d. that day.  
 vii. MARY ELINOR, b. Sept. 11, 1852; m. Jan. 1, 1880, Norman Sylvester Bower of Superior, Wis.

**59. HENRY WARDELL TROWBRIDGE** (*John T.*<sup>35</sup>, *John*<sup>18</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 14, 1819, in Rochester, N. Y.; died October 26, 1894, in Dover, Wis.; married November 10, 1859, in Brighton, Wis., Henrietta Peltzer, daughter of Matthew and Elinora Sieben (Spiekernagel) Peltzer, born September 14, 1818, in Bedburgh, Germany. She resides in Dover (Kansasville P. O.), Wis.

Henry W. Trowbridge came to Wisconsin with his father in 1836. They settled in Racine county, where his father purchased from the government three farms of 160 acres each, one for himself and one for each of his two youngest sons. From that time until his death Mr. Trowbridge lived on the same farm, in the town of Dover, near Burlington, Wis. He was not a member of any church, but was a strictly honest and upright citizen, and was well and favorably known in Racine county. He became very fond of reading in his later years and was well informed. He was a genial man, a good neighbor and a kind friend.

## CHILD BORN IN DOVER, WIS. :

- i. CHARLOTTE, b. Nov. 18, 1860; d. Aug. 18, 1868.

**60. LEWIS BEELE TROWBRIDGE** (*Elias*<sup>37</sup>, *John*<sup>18</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 6, 1817, in Oswego, N. Y.; died June 9, 1868, in Lewiston, N. Y.; married December 5, 1849, in Lewiston, Cornelia Sophia Cooke, daughter of Judge Lothrop and Sophia (De Hart) Cooke, born September 25, 1826, in Lewiston; died October 31, 1886, in Lewiston.

Lewis B. Trowbridge shortly after his marriage settled in Buffalo, N. Y. He was a commission merchant and forwarder in the lake and canal trade, being prominent in that business. He was a member of the Buffalo Board of Trade for many years. He was a member of the L. O. O. F. from 1854 until his death. During the Civil War he gave liberal sums of money to aid the Union cause.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BUFFALO, N. Y. :\*

- i. HARRIET SOPHIA, b. Sept. 20, 1850; resides in Lancaster, N. Y.; unm.  
 ii. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 12, 1853; m. June 13, 1883, James A. Darlington and resides in Buffalo, N. Y.  
 iii. EMILY, b. Jan. 12, 1858; m. Oct. 14, 1891, Leon Leo Doane, M.D., and resides in Butler, Pa.  
 87. iv. LEWIS LOTHROP, / twins.  
 88. v. FREDERICK ELIAS, / b. May 15, 1864.

**61. FREDERICK ELIAS TROWBRIDGE** (*Elias*<sup>37</sup>, *John*<sup>18</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 1, 1834, in Oswego, N. Y.; died February 23, 1862, in Oswego; married July 1, 1858, in Pulaski, N. Y., Elizabeth Clark, daughter of Sherman and Nancy (Diekerman) Clark, born January 31, 1835, in Unadilla, N. Y. She married, second, April 15, 1875, in Pulaski, Andrew Zimmerman McCarty, Esq., of Pulaski, where she resides.

\* Except i, who was born in Oswego, N. Y.

Frederick E. Trowbridge entered the employ of the firm of H. Trowbridge's Sons, West India merchants, of New Haven, Conn., and was a clerk in the office of Trowbridge & Co., in Barbados, B. W. L., in which he continued until a few months before his death, which occurred while he was still a young man.

NO CHILDREN.

**62.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Roswell*<sup>40</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>21</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>11</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>8</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 14, 1842, in Hingham, Mass.; resides in Everett, Mass.; married, first, August 9, 1868, in West Newbury, Mass., Mary Emma Ordway, daughter of Hanson and Mary Anne (Lunt) Ordway, born June 6, 1844, in West Newbury; died January 31, 1883, in Hingham. He married, second, July 1, 1884, in Worcester, Mass., Hannah Ferris, daughter of Eugene and Anna (Spellman) Ferris, born July 4, 1859, in county Kerry, Ireland.

Henry Trowbridge entered the United States navy during the Civil War, enlisting August 9, 1862. He was sent to Little Washington, N. C., aboard the U. S. *Louisiana* and was there through the siege, which lasted eighteen days. He was discharged August 9, 1863.

He was in the provision business in Hingham, Mass., his native town, up to 1901. He was then appointed ship-keeper at the Charlestown Navy Yard at Boston, Mass., a position which he at present holds. His home is in Everett, a suburb of Boston. He is a member of Edwin Humphrey Post, No. 104, G. A. R., of Hingham, Mass.

CHILDREN BORN IN HINGHAM, MASS.:

*By second marriage:\**

- i. ISABEL, b. Sept. 11, 1885; d. Nov. 13, 1887.
- ii. FRANCES FERRIS, b. Sept. 30, 1888; d. Dec. 15, 1889.
- iii. MABEL, b. Nov. 10, 1889.
- iv. HENRY MORGAN, b. June 22, 1891; d. Oct. 28, 1904.
- v. RAYMOND GERAID, b. Aug. 27, 1896.

**63.** GEORGE TUTTLE TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>41</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>22</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>12</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>8</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 9, 1833, in New Haven, Conn.; died February 15, 1904, in New Haven; married October 10, 1855, in New Haven, Emily Ann Alling, daughter of Joseph and Philea Louisa (Smith) Alling, born April 10, 1835, in Allingtown (Orange), Conn. She resides in New Haven.

George T. Trowbridge learned the trade of a carriage painter and followed it for several years in his native town. He was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted for nine months September 8, 1862, and was mustered October 3, as a private in Company A, 27th Connecticut Infantry, and served with that regiment until he was mustered out at the expiration of his time of service, July 27, 1863. He was in the battles of Fredericksburg, Chancellorsville and Gettysburg. He re-enlisted for two years in March, 1865, in the U. S. Military Roads Construction Corps, Division of the Mississippi, but after serving six months he received an honorable discharge on account of sickness.

After the war he resided a short time in New York City. He removed to Newark, N. J., where he was a lieutenant of the police force for twelve years. About 1894 he returned to New Haven and entered the employ of the National Folding Box & Paper Company, in which he continued until his death. He was a member of Admiral Foote Post, No. 17, G. A. R., of New Haven, and of Benevolent Lodge, No. 28, F. and A. M., of New York City.

\* No children by first marriage.





Chas. H. Torrey



## CHILDREN :\*

89. i. WILLIAM WALLACE, b. Apr. 11, 1857.  
 ii. LOUISA EDITH, b. Sept. 16, 1862; m. Nov. 25, 1885, Frank Van Duyne and resides in St. Paul, Minn.  
 iii. HARRY CLIFFORD, b. Aug. 27, 1870; is a clerk in the general offices of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co. in New Haven, Conn.; unm.  
 iv. ANTOINETTE, b. May 20, 1875; m. Jan. 7, 1908, G. Edward Hobbs and resides in Holyoke, Mass.

**64.** ELISHA MIX TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>41</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>22</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>12</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>8</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 22, 1836, in New Haven, Conn.; died September 9, 1895, in Naugatuck, Conn.; married August 19, 1855, in Williamstown, N. J., Ellen Maria Little, daughter of Isaac and Angeline Zipera (Bateman) Little, born March 29, 1834, in Naugatuck; died April 28, 1902, in Naugatuck.

Elisha M. Trowbridge learned the trade of a carpenter in New Haven. About 1860 he removed to Newark, N. J., where he became an extensive and prosperous contractor and builder, erecting in that city about one hundred and fifty fine residences. He continued in active business up to the panic of 1873, which crippled him financially and caused him eventually to retire from business. The remaining years of his life were passed in Naugatuck, Conn.

## CHILDREN :†

90. i. ISAAC LITTLE, b. July 30, 1856.  
 91. ii. FREDERICK CLINTON, b. Mar. 31, 1859.  
 iii. ANGELINE BATEMAN, b. Oct. 10, 1861; m. Oct. 10, 1881, Dewey Alphonso Whitehead of Newark, N. J.  
 iv. LIZZIE KANE, b. Aug. 5, 1864; d. Dec. 3, 1866, in Newark.  
 v. BESSIE, b. June 19, 1867; d. Mar. 16, 1868, in Newark.  
 vi. NELLIE MARIA, b. Mar. 22, 1869; m. Oct. 9, 1895, Frank Howard Judd and resides in Naugatuck, Conn.  
 vii. FLORENCE MABEL, b. Aug. 27, 1873; m. Oct. 27, 1892, James Mitchell McKellan and resides in Naugatuck.  
 92. viii. JOHN HATFIELD, b. June 6, 1875.

**65.** CHARLES HOTCHKISS TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>41</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>22</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>12</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>8</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 11, 1844, in New Haven, Conn.; died June 24, 1906, in Milford, Conn.; married September 16, 1869, in Milford, Maria Louise Merwin, daughter of John Welch and Maria Gilbert (Huntington) Merwin, born January 23, 1847, in Milford. She resides in Milford.

Charles H. Trowbridge was graduated from the Hillhouse High School in New Haven in 1862. He entered the Mechanics Bank of New Haven, with which he was connected over forty-one years, for thirty-three years serving as its cashier. In 1886 he organized and secured a charter for the Mercantile Safe Deposit Company of New Haven, the first company of its kind to do business in Connecticut. He was elected secretary and treasurer of this company, and continued to hold those offices and that of cashier of the bank until 1903, when he suffered a stroke of paralysis and was forced to retire from active business.

Mr. Trowbridge was one of the active promoters of the Connecticut Bankers Association and was its first president. He was also a life member of the New York Society of Colonial Wars and was one of the organizers of the Connecticut branch of that society. He was a charter member of the New Haven Chamber of Commerce and a member of the New Haven Colony Historical Society. In Milford, Conn., where he had always made his home, he was a member of the Piggins Club, an incorporator of the Taylor Library, and a trustee of Ansan-

\* i-ii born in Allingtown, Conn.; iii in East Orange, N. J.; iv in Newark, N. J.

† i-ii born in Bridgeport, Conn.; iii-iv and vi-viii in Newark, N. J.; v in East Orange, N. J.

tawae Lodge, No. 89, F. and A. M. He was one of the committee of five chosen to arrange a program for the dedication of the Milford memorial bridge in 1883, and was also instrumental in bringing about the erection of the soldiers' monument in that town. He was confirmed in early manhood in St. Paul's Church in New Haven, but after his marriage attended with his wife the Congregational church in Milford.

CHILDREN BORN IN MILFORD, CONN.:

- i. CHARLES EDWARD, b. Oct. 19, 1870; attended school in Milford, going from there to Hopkins Grammar School in New Haven. An excellent position was offered him in the Mechanics Bank in New Haven, which he accepted, and for seventeen years he was associated with this bank, where he rose to be assistant teller. He was a member of the Connecticut Naval Reserve, and received a prize for excellent marksmanship. He was intensely fond of the water and greatly enjoyed sailing. He was quiet and reserved, not making many close friends, but was loyal to all. He resigned his position in the bank in June, 1905, on account of ill health, and d. May 30, 1907, in Milford; unm.
- ii. CECIL HUNTINGTON, b. Dec. 16, 1874; was prepared for college at Hopkins Grammar School in New Haven and entered the Sheffield Scientific School of Yale University in 1894. He left college after completing his junior year, and was in the banking business in Bridgeport, Conn., and later president of the General Construction Company of that city. He served in the Spanish-American War as a private in Battery A, 1st Regiment, Connecticut Light Artillery, being mustered in May 19, 1898, and mustered out October 25, 1898. He is at present engaged in civil engineering. His residence is Milford, Conn. He is unmarried.
- iii. RAYMOND MERWIN, b. Oct. 26, 1877; d. Feb. 3, 1894, in Milford.
- iv. WINTHROP NELSON, b. May 3, 1882; was educated at Hopkins Grammar School in New Haven and is in the office of the Bridgeport Brass Company, Bridgeport, Conn. He has made himself well known in athletics, especially on the baseball field as a pitcher. He resides in Milford and is unmarried.

**66.** CALEB TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>41</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>22</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>12</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 30, 1849, in New Haven, Conn.; resides in Los Angeles (Soldiers' Home), Cal.; married, first, June 23, 1870, in New Haven, Adella Louisa Merwin, daughter of Lewis and Elmina Louisa (Smith) Merwin, born March 12, 1850, in New Haven. He married, second, December 22, 1883, in New Haven, Margaret L. (Hoffman) Sperry, widow of William W. Sperry of New Haven and daughter of John and Julia (Klaein) Hoffman, born November 16, 1844, in New Orleans, La. She resides in Bridgeport, Conn.\*

Caleb Trowbridge at the age of fourteen became a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted December 18, 1863, as a private in Company M, 1st Connecticut Cavalry, to serve for three years, or during the war. He was in Sheridan's famous raids around Richmond and down the valley, participating in nearly all the battles in which Sheridan's cavalry were engaged, in the Wilderness, at Craig's Church, Spottsylvania, Todd's Tavern, Ashland Station, Winchester, Five Forks, Cedar Creek, etc. He served under Generals Kilpatrick and Wilson until about October 1, 1864, when General Custer took command. He served in his brigade until the close of the war; and was at Appomattox at the surrender of General Lee, April 9, 1865, after which he marched toward Johnson's army until he surrendered to General Sherman. He was promoted corporal July 1, 1865, and was detailed for provost guard in Washington, D. C., until the regiment was mustered out of service August 2, 1865.

After the war Mr. Trowbridge was in the carpenter business with his brother Elisha in Newark, N. J., and was extensively engaged in building and selling until the panic of 1873 forced them to retire from business. He returned to New Haven, where he was in the building business and made his home for some years. Early in 1900 he removed to Los Angeles, Cal., and engaged in the roofing

\* She was confirmed in the German Congregational Church in New Orleans in 1855.

business. In September of that year he was injured by a fall from a building, and went for surgical treatment to the National Soldiers' Home in that city, and has since continued to reside there.

CHILD BORN IN NEWARK, N. J.:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. LEWIS MERWIN, b. Aug. 15, 1873; a commercial traveler; resides in Alameda, Cal.

**67. WILLIAM DURAND TROWBRIDGE** (*Francis*<sup>42</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>23</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>12</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>8</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 25, 1842, in Milford, Conn.; died June 23, 1871, in Milford; married April 27, 1869, in Milford, Mary C. Fenn, daughter of Alpheus Andrew and Anna (Caruthers) Fenn, born February 16, 1840, in Northfield, Ohio. She resides in Tallmadge, Ohio.

William D. Trowbridge conducted a business college in Worcester, Mass., and later one in New Haven, Conn., being principal of the latter up to shortly before his death, which occurred in Milford, Conn.

NO CHILDREN.

**68. EDWARD TROWBRIDGE** (*Edward*<sup>45</sup>, *Roswell*<sup>27</sup>, *Newman*<sup>14</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 3, 1852, in Ridgefield, Conn.; died May 14, 1900, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; married June 16, 1875, in Pittsfield, Mass., Minnie Rebecca Morey, daughter of Daniel Corey and Rebecca Maria (Mattison) Morey, born October 31, 1851, in Pittsfield. She resides in Pittsfield.

Edward Trowbridge in early manhood was in the banking and brokerage business in New York City. For several years after his marriage he was connected with the wholesale grocery trade in Troy, N. Y. In 1878 he removed his residence to Brooklyn, N. Y., and was engaged in the stationers' supplies business in New York City for a number of years. He resided in Europe, 1885-88, and in Australia, 1891-98. While abroad he wrote articles for newspapers there and at home. He returned to his home in Brooklyn shortly before his death.

CHILDREN:†

- i. MINNIE MOREY, b. Mar. 16, 1876; d. Apr. 6, 1877, in Troy, N. Y.
- ii. GRACE REBECCA, b. May 21, 1877; d. Mar. 20, 1878, in Brooklyn, N. Y.
- iii. MIRIAM AUGUSTA, b. Oct. 6, 1879; m. June 8, 1905, John Barker and resides in Pittsfield, Mass.

**69. WILLIAM LESLIE TROWBRIDGE** (*Edward*<sup>45</sup>, *Roswell*<sup>27</sup>, *Newman*<sup>14</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 12, 1863, in Ridgefield, Conn.; resides in East Orange, N. J.; married March 4, 1885, in Chicago, Ill., Carra Mabel Shaw, daughter of Francis Murray and Mary Elizabeth (Kramer) Shaw, born April 23, 1865, in Mount Pleasant, Iowa.

William L. Trowbridge for a number of years has been partner in a firm engaged in metal manufacturing in Chicago, Ill., and resided there until 1899. Since that year he has been engaged in that business in New York City, where his firm has a branch office. His home is in East Orange, N. J.

CHILDREN BORN IN CHICAGO, ILL.:

- i. CARROL SHAW, b. Dec. 25, 1885.
- ii. HAZEL AUGUSTA, b. July 1, 1887.

\* No children by second marriage.

† i born in Pittsfield, Mass.; ii in Troy, N. Y.; iii in Brooklyn, N. Y.

70. HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas R.<sup>49</sup>, Henry<sup>33</sup>, Rutherford<sup>16</sup>, Daniel<sup>9</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born August 14, 1836, in New Haven, Conn.; died June 29, 1900, in Williamstown, Mass.; married, first, November 2, 1858, in New Haven, Lucy Elizabeth Parker, daughter of Joseph and Caroline (Mulford) Parker, born June 12, 1836, in New Haven; died March 28, 1881, in New Haven. He married, second, November 1, 1892, in Lowell, Mass., Cornelia Brinsmade, daughter of Josiah and Mabel (Hotchkiss) Brinsmade. She resides in New Haven.

Henry Trowbridge was educated at Hopkins Grammar School, which he attended during the years 1850 and 1851, and the school of Amos Smith in New Haven. At the age of eighteen he entered the long-established house of H. Trowbridge's Sons, a firm widely known in the West India trade and of which his father was senior partner. Like other members of his family, after several years of service in the branch of the business located in the West Indies, he returned to New Haven, and on reaching his majority was admitted a partner in the firm. His duties in the business necessitated his spending most of his time in the New York City office, and he was a well-known figure in business circles in that city. He was an energetic business man, and his untiring attention to the affairs of his firm were of the greatest benefit to it. He retired from active business when the partnership was dissolved in 1891.

Mr. Trowbridge was a well-read man and had the happy faculty of remembering what he read, and his fund of information and anecdote made him a most interesting companion. He was a man firm in his convictions and loyal in his friendships. He was admitted in 1860 a member of the First Church of New Haven, to which his first wife had been admitted in 1858. His second wife is a member of Calvary Baptist Church, New Haven.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

*By first marriage:\**

93. i. HENRY, b. Aug. 12, 1859.
94. ii. JOSEPH PARKER, b. June 8, 1861.
95. iii. THOMAS RUTHERFORD,† b. Sept. 10, 1864.
- iv. KATHARINE BACON, b. July 23, 1875; resides in New Haven; unm.

71. THOMAS RUTHERFORD TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas R.<sup>49</sup>, Henry<sup>33</sup>, Rutherford<sup>16</sup>, Daniel<sup>9</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born March 3, 1839, in New Haven, Conn.; died October 25, 1898, in Litchfield, Conn.; married November 22, 1864, in New Haven, Katherine Bacon, daughter of Gen. Francis and Elizabeth Sheldon (Dutcher) Bacon, born April 18, 1844, in Lancaster, Pa. She resides in New Haven.

Thomas R. Trowbridge received his early education in his native city at the well known schools of Amos Smith, Lewis M. Mills and Stiles French. After leaving school he became identified with the firm of H. Trowbridge's Sons, West India merchants, of New Haven, which had been founded by his grandfather. The offices were on Long wharf, and it was in them, with his father and uncles, that he began his business career. At the age of nineteen he was sent to the West India branch of the firm, and lived in the islands of Barbados and Trinidad five years. On March 10, 1863, while living in Trinidad, he was appointed to act as United States consul there, and performed the duties of that office for several months. In the summer of 1863 he returned to New Haven, and was admitted a partner in his firm. A few years later the business was transferred to New York, as that city offered a more convenient port, although the main office

\* No children by second marriage.

† Bapt. Alfred Houdley. His name was changed in his boyhood by legislative act to the above.



Henry M. Kings







*Thomas R. Worthington*



continued to be in New Haven. Changing methods of trade and of transportation, leading ultimately to a modification of the West India business, induced Mr. Trowbridge and his brothers to withdraw from business, and the firm was finally dissolved by mutual consent in 1891. During all that time, thirty-six years, Mr. Trowbridge had been one of its most active members and in later years a partner. Since his retirement from business he had been occupied with his private interests and those of the institutions with which he was connected.

Mr. Trowbridge was always interested actively in whatever concerned the welfare of New Haven, and, although never taking a very prominent part in the politics of the city, held several public offices of trust. He served in both branches of the city council, and was president of the board of aldermen in 1886. In that year he was a candidate for mayor on the Republican ticket, but was defeated, although he reduced considerably the usual large Democratic majority. He was one of the organizers of and was the first president of the Republican League Club, in the interests of which he was active for many years. He was also for several years president of the New Haven Board of Harbor Commissioners. He was a staunch supporter of the First (Center) Church of New Haven, with which he united in 1858, and as a member of its society's committee rendered efficient service. Mrs. Trowbridge united with the First Church in 1878.

In the field of historical research Mr. Trowbridge's contributions are well known and will always be valued. It was through his efforts that funds were raised for the memorial tablets set in the walls of Center Church and that the crypt below was restored. He was a leading spirit in planning and carrying through the celebrations which during the twenty-five years that preceded his death had commemorated the city's growth and history; and many of the tablets which mark historic spots were placed as a result of his researches and under his personal supervision. He was connected with the New Haven Colony Historical Society for thirty years as a director, secretary, and president, and rendered important service to the society in contributing and securing additions to its collections. He also compiled a number of papers which he read before the society. He was at great pains to investigate the facts connected with the subjects upon which he wrote, and his papers are regarded as trustworthy records of early New Haven history. These papers contain many valuable references to the business, commercial and social life of the colony and city. He was an authority on Connecticut shipping interests and was familiar with their history from the earliest records. His writings are preserved in the published "Collections" of the historical society, those on the "Ancient Houses of New Haven" and the "Ancient Maritime Interests of New Haven" being the most important. Among his other papers were "A Sketch of the History of the New Haven Colony Historical Society," written for the opening of the society's present building in 1892, and "The Action between the Chesapeake and the Shannon." He also contributed articles for several histories and historical publications.

Mr. Trowbridge died at his country place in Litchfield, where he had passed his summers for many years. At the time of his death he was president of the New Haven Colony Historical Society and the Mercantile Safe Deposit Company, a director of the Mechanics Bank, a trustee of the New Haven Savings Bank, the New Haven Orphan Asylum and the New Haven City Burial Ground, a member of the committee of the First Ecclesiastical Society, the New Haven Proprietors Committee, the American Historical Association, the Society of Colonial Wars, the Sons of the American Revolution, the New Haven Chamber of Commerce and the New York Produce Exchange, a vice-president of the Connecticut Humane Society, and an honorary member of several historical societies in different parts of the country.

The late Prof. James M. Hoppin of Yale University, who was a neighbor of Mr. Trowbridge both in New Haven and Litchfield, wrote in his memory this tribute of a friend:

"The business and public life of Mr. Trowbridge has been set forth by those better able to do it, and I would but add a brief word of his personal qualities as they appeared to a friend's eye. He had a noble personality. He was a whole-souled man. His heart and hand were open as the day. He was of generous, manly nature, but did good modestly and his good actions were not always recorded in subscription lists or newspapers. Many a young man was aided along in life by him. Many a poor widow's heart was made to sing with joy by his timely benefactions. He was quick in his sympathies with the joys and sorrows of others. He judged men albeit shrewdly, but kindly and genially. While ardently attached, traditionally so, to his own church, he was broad-minded towards other religious denominations and had friends in them all, whether Protestant or Catholic. A New Haven man to the core, he was also beloved in Litchfield, where he had his country home. None knew better than he the whole region of Litchfield county and its pleasant drives. He had an eye to nature and scenery. Among his dying requests was to be moved to the window where he might see the eastern hills on which lay the sunrise light—his last morning on earth.

"Mr. Trowbridge had a great love for historical researches, and much that is curious in the history of his native city and state, picked up by him in odd corners and ways, will die with him. His library, which was a fine one for a private collection, was composed largely of books relating to American and English history, and, above all, the naval and maritime history of the country. The papers which he read before the New Haven Colony Historical Society on these and kindred topics, and published in the records of the society are, in their carefully collated facts, of real value. His personal observations also in regard to the West Indies were exceedingly interesting, mingling as he did in writing and conversation the narrative and the general in his remarks. He was the type of a good citizen, awake to every popular interest, not seeking his own advancement nor jealous of the advancement of others, but working on the lines of sound sense and honest politics, whether of a local or national character. He was a man who disliked controversy, and while ready to defend his own opinions with spirit, was willing to give others the same chance, and thus he avoided bitter strife. There was something sweet-hearted about him which prevented him from having enmities, or arousing ill-will. He would rather be the anvil than the hammer, to take than to give offense. He was a loyal, unselfish friend, a man of absolute integrity and honor. And so another pilgrim of us on life's dusty road has gone to his everlasting rest."\*

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

96. i. FRANCIS BACON, b. June 7, 1866.  
 ii. EDITH CHAMPION, b. June 29, 1870; d. Feb. 28, 1896, in Florence, Italy; unm. Her life was a simple and genuine life, yet full of earnest purpose. While at Miss Porter's school in Farmington she had developed a decided artistic talent, and she afterwards became a member of the Yale Art School, where her work was regarded as giving excellent promise. But it was in the history of art that she found her favorite line of study, and she was making her second visit abroad for the purpose of studying Italian painting. In New Haven she was active in the organization of a working girls' club, in which she was deeply though unassumingly interested. The perfect sincerity of her character and her high ideals and her large-heartedness endeared her to all who were associated with her.

\* New Haven Register of Oct. 26, 1898.





*W. R. H. Trawbridge*





*W. R. H. Frostbridge, Junior*

72. WILLIAM RUTHERFORD HAYES TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas R.*<sup>49</sup>, *Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 7, 1842, in New Haven, Conn.; resides in New Haven; married June 29, 1865, in Philadelphia, Pa., Isabella Nesbit, daughter of Alexander and Hester Anna (Wilson) Nesbit, born May 30, 1843, in Philadelphia; died October 12, 1901, in Dresden, Germany.

William R. H. Trowbridge prepared for college at the school of Mr. Stiles French in New Haven and was graduated from Yale College in 1863. He spent the first year after graduation in traveling with a tutor in Egypt, Arabia, Palestine, Asia Minor, Turkey and Greece. Upon his return to the United States he was admitted a partner of Trowbridge & Co., the West India branch of his father's firm, H. Trowbridge's Sons of New Haven, and took up his residence in Barbados, British West Indies, where he had charge of an important branch of the firm's business. He spent twenty years in that island, visiting his native place, however, every two or three years. In 1883 he was admitted a partner of H. Trowbridge's Sons, and in 1885 he returned to New Haven to live. In 1891 the firm was dissolved by mutual consent and he retired from active business, and about two years later he and his family removed to Europe. He has resided there ever since, except for occasional visits to this country, and spends his time principally in Italy and England. He considers New Haven, however, as his residence.

Mr. Trowbridge was admitted a member of the First Church in New Haven in 1858. He was chosen one of its deacons in 1887, and performed the duties of that office until his removal to Europe in 1893, when he resigned. Wide travel and extensive reading have made Mr. Trowbridge an agreeable and instructive companion. He has contributed stories and sketches to a number of American and English newspapers and periodicals. He received the degree of M.A. from Yale in 1867.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BARBADOS, B. W. I.:

- i. WILLIAM RUTHERFORD HAYES, b. May 19, 1866; resides in London, Eng.; unm. [See below.]
- ii. ISABELLA THOMASINE, b. Jan. 26, 1870; resides with her father; unm.
- iii. CLIFFORD NESBIT, b. Feb. 3, 1871; attended Hopkins Grammar School in New Haven and the Black Hall School in Lyme, Conn. Having early manifested a preference for the life of a sailor, he entered the American merchant service. He had followed the sea for six years, during which time he had visited every quarter of the world, and was on his way from Charleston to New York to join a ship bound for China, when the schooner he was in was wrecked in a heavy gale and abandoned, the crew being picked up by the Clyde line steamer *Iroquois* and brought to New York. A cold, contracted while in the ship's boat, developed into pneumonia, of which he died at the home of his maternal grandmother in Bristol, Pa., Dec. 20, 1893; unm.
- iv. FLORENCE CAROLINE, b. Aug. 9, 1874; m. Apr. 29, 1902, John Edward Heaton and resides in New Haven, Conn.
- v. HAROLD RUTHERFORD, b. May 7, 1882; was educated at the Polytechnic in Dresden, Germany. He has traveled extensively in Europe, passing several months of each year in Switzerland in order to follow his favorite pastime of mountain climbing. He has made the ascent of the Matterhorn, Breithorn, etc., and is a member of the Swiss Alpine Club. He resides with his father and is unmarried.

W. R. H. Trowbridge, Jr., acquired his early education at Harrison College, Barbados, one of the best schools in the West Indies. Here he attracted the attention of Bishop Mitchinson, since master of Pembroke, Oxford, who wished that he should complete his education at Oxford University, and was preparing him with a view to this, when at fourteen he was sent to the United States. Here he spent three years at Hopkins Grammar School in New Haven, Conn., and four at Yale University, from which he was graduated in 1887 with the degree of B.A. After an extended tour of Europe he returned to Barbados and entered the firm of Trowbridge & Co., the representatives of H. Trowbridge's Sons of New Haven, West India merchants, which had been established for nearly a century in that island. On the closing of the firm's business four years later he entered the Colonial Bank of London and in the course of seven years was employed in various responsible posts in nearly all the bank's branches in the West Indies.

A strong desire for a literary career, which had manifested itself by the publication of three books of Anglo-West Indian life ("Gossip of the Caribbees," "For the Vagabond Hour" and "Children of Men"), induced him to resign his post in the bank in January, 1900, when he went to England to make literature his profession. Since that date he has made London his home and has written several books, of which the most popular have been the novels "The Letters of Her Mother to Elizabeth," "A Girl of the Multitude," "The Situations of Lady Patricia" and "A Dazzling Reprobate," and the historical works "Court Beauties of Old Whitehall" and "Mirabeau the Demigod." A thorough knowledge of French, acquired in his early youth in the West Indies, led him to write a play in French *belles lettres*, "Jézabel," which he published in Paris in 1903 in book form and dedicated, with her permission, to Madame Sarah Bernhardt.

Besides his literary work he has found time for other things. In December, 1900, he received a commission as lieutenant in the 1st Cadet Battalion, The Queen's Royal West Surrey Regiment, from which he retired with the rank of captain in 1907. During this period he had the unique experience of taking part in the funeral procession of Queen Victoria. He has also obtained an intimate acquaintance with the conditions of the working classes in London, having lived for several years in the Passmore Edwards Settlement in that city, which owes its origin to Mrs. Humphrey Ward's novel "Robert Elsmere," and of which that lady is secretary. Association with the social work of the settlement has led to a keen interest in political questions. His principal recreations are fencing, motoring and rowing, and the holidays he has been able to get in the course of a very busy life are spent in traveling about England and the Continent. He is a member of the Royal Societies, the Playgoers and the New Vagabonds clubs of London and the Bridgetown Club of Barbados, B. W. I. His present address is 33 Buckingham Gate, London.

Mr. Trowbridge's published books are as follows: "Gossip of the Caribbees," 1894; "The Children of Men," 1905; "For the Vagabond Hour," 1896; "The Letters of Her Mother to Elizabeth," 1901; "The Grandmother's Advice to Elizabeth," 1902; "Eglée: A Girl of the Multitude," 1902; "The Situations of Lady Patricia," "O Duchess!" and "An Inarticulate Genius," 1903; "That Little Marquis of Brandenburg or The Boyhood of Frederick the Great," 1904; "A Dazzling Reprobate," 1905; "Court Beauties of Old Whitehall," 1906; "Mirabeau the Demigod," 1907; and "Jézabel: un drame en un acte en prose," 1903.

**73. RUTHERFORD TROWBRIDGE** (*Thomas R.*<sup>49</sup>, *Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 1, 1851, in New Haven, Conn.; resides in New Haven; married, first, October 5, 1882, in New Haven, Alice Maude Anderson, daughter of John Charles and Mary (Beecher) Anderson. He married, second, January 8, 1891, in Ansonia, Conn., May Wells Farrel, daughter of Franklin and Julia Lockwood (Smith) Farrel, born May 26, 1868, in Ansonia.

Rutherford Trowbridge received his early education at the well-known school of Stiles French in his native city. He had studied with a view to entering Yale College, but in 1868 inducements were offered him to leave school and take a position in the firm of H. Trowbridge's Sons, of which his father was senior member. This position was in the West India branch of the house, in the island of Barbados, B. W. I. After acquiring a thorough knowledge of this part of the firm's business he returned to New Haven and entered the head office in that city. After the retirement of his uncle and cousin in 1885 he was admitted to full partnership with his father and brothers, and was occupied with his duties in the firm until it was dissolved by mutual consent in 1891.

Since his retirement from the West India business Mr. Trowbridge has been engaged with the care of numerous family trusts and with the management of a number of corporations with which he is identified. Among the more prominent of the latter, in which he is also a director, are the National New Haven Bank, the Development Company of America and the Mexican Lumber Company. He is also one of the incorporators of the New Haven Savings Bank. He is a director and member of the advisory board of the Carrington Publishing Company, proprietors of the *Journal and Courier*, the oldest newspaper in Connecticut.

Mr. Trowbridge has always taken a prominent part in local politics. In 1881 he received an appointment with the rank of colonel on the staff of Gov. Hobart B. Bigelow. In 1884 he was elected a member of the city council, and held that





*Rutherford B. Ingham*



office for two years. On very many occasions during and since that period he has served as a member of committees, both municipal and state. At the Republican state convention held in 1904 he was unanimously chosen a presidential elector-at-large, and in the election that followed received the largest number of votes of any elector. At the present time he is a member of the New Haven Park Commission, and is also a director of the New Haven Hospital, the New Haven Board of Associated Charities and the Connecticut Humane Society.

Mr. Trowbridge is much interested in the welfare of his native city and has contributed generously to her civic, educational and charitable institutions. Among his more prominent gifts have been the following. In 1899, in memory of his father, he established the Thomas R. Trowbridge Course of Lectures on Architecture in the Yale School of Fine Arts. The memorial window in Center Church, illustrating the arrival of the first settlers at New Haven in 1638, was placed there by Mr. Trowbridge as another tribute to his father's memory. He founded, as a memorial to his only son, the Rutherford Institute in the Young Men's Christian Association in New Haven, which is designed to give a technical education to poor boys. Also in memory of his son he established the Rutherford Trowbridge, Jr., Scholarship in Hopkins Grammar School in that city.

In New Haven Mr. Trowbridge is a member and one of the board of governors of the Quinnipiack Club, and a member of the Union League and the New Haven Country clubs, the Yale Archaeological Society and the Society of Connecticut Arts and Sciences, and is a life member of the New Haven Colony Historical Society, of which he is also a director. He is also a member of the Union League Club and the Metropolitan Museum of Arts of New York City, the National Geographical Society of Washington, D. C., and the Connecticut Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, and is an associate member of the New Hampshire Society of the Cincinnati. In Stockbridge, Mass., where he has passed many summers, he is a director of the Golf Club and the Casino Company. He was admitted a member of the First Church in New Haven in 1879. In 1896 he took a letter to Trinity Church in New Haven, in which he was confirmed and of which he is at present a vestryman.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. ELSIE RUTHERFORD, b. June 17, 1883.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. RUTHERFORD, b. Apr. 13, 1894; was a student at Hopkins Grammar School; d. Mar. 11, 1905, in New Haven.
- iii. CAROLINE RACHEL, b. May 5, 1899.

74. COURTLANDT HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>50</sup>, *Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 21, 1870, in New Haven, Conn.; resides in New Haven; married, first, April 26, 1892, in Deckertown, N. J., Blanche Tyler, daughter of Charles and Alice (Whitaker) Tyler, born February 23, 1871, in Deckertown; died June 27, 1892, in Deckertown. He married, second, December 28, 1893, in Bridgeport, Conn., Cornelia Elizabeth Hubbard, daughter of Dr. Robert and Cornelia Boardman (Hartwell) Hubbard, born July 12, 1870, in Bridgeport.

Courtlandt II. Trowbridge prepared for college at Hopkins Grammar School in New Haven and entered the Sheffield Scientific School of Yale University, where he pursued the special course of studies. Since leaving college he has made his home in New Haven. He is fond of open air life and passes several months of each year at his country place in Washington, Litchfield county, Conn.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of the Quinnipiack Club of New Haven, the New Haven Country Club, the New Haven Lawn Club and the St. Anthony Club of New York City. He is also a member of Hiram Lodge, No. 1, F. and A. M., of New Haven, and the Yale chapter of the Delta Psi fraternity.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

*By second marriage:\**

- i. VIRGINIA, b. Oct. 21, 1894.
- ii. HENRY, b. Mar. 15, 1896.
- iii. ROBERT HUBBARD, b. Dec. 14, 1900.

75. EZEKIEL HAYES TROWBRIDGE (*Ezekiel H.<sup>51</sup>, Henry<sup>53</sup>, Rutherford<sup>56</sup>, Daniel<sup>9</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>3</sup>*), born March 22, 1841, in New Haven, Conn.; died November 30, 1901, in New Haven; married, first, April 26, 1865, in New York City, Amelia B. Uhlhorn, daughter of Caspar Frederick and Sarah Maria (Goodrich) Uhlhorn, born July 30, 1844, in New Haven; died January 31, 1867, in New Haven. He married, second, November 10, 1869, in New York City, Katherine Allen Quincy, daughter of John Williams and Katherine Feeks (Allen) Quincy, born April 22, 1846, in New York City. She resides in New Haven.

E. Hayes Trowbridge early entered the service of the old firm of H. Trowbridge's Sons, of which his father was a member. Here he was trained to familiarity with the West India trade in which the firm was engaged; and into partnership relations with the firm he ultimately entered, a connection continued until the expiration of the partnership by limitation in 1885. So closely associated with his father as to be almost identified with him in business interests, Mr. Trowbridge shared with him in the gradual transfer of his business undertakings from the foreign shipping trade to railroad, banking and commercial enterprises nearer home. This close association in business with his father continued until the death of the latter in 1893; and since then Mr. Trowbridge devoted himself to the management of the large property interests which he and his father had jointly built up, and of which his father's demise had left him in sole charge.

His business talents and his extensive share in the commercial life of the city where he lived brought him many positions of trust, responsibility and honor. Thus, he served as a director of the old New Haven National Bank, and of its younger associate the Second National Bank. He was on the managing boards of the New Haven Gas Light Company, the New Haven Water Company, the Fair Haven and Westville Railroad Company, the Winchester Avenue Railroad Company and the New England Street Railway Company, and was vice-president of the Boston and New York Air Line Railroad Company. He was a member of the New Haven Chamber of Commerce. In these various posts he showed himself the faithful and efficient man of business.

Mr. Trowbridge had a hearty interest in the welfare of the city where he lived. He gave of his means to foster its charities and to increase its attractiveness. He contributed generously to the erection of the maternity ward of the New Haven Hospital, and he gave to Grace Hospital. He aided in the construction of the handsome building occupied by the Young Men's Christian Association. He was much interested in the Center Church, of which he had been a member since 1864, and he gave to it, in memory of his father, the fine window over the pulpit representing Rev. John Davenport preaching to the first settlers

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\* No children by first marriage.



*Edwards Ambridge*



on New Haven soil. He was an active and generous member of the committee of the society connected with the Center Church, and he remembered all these interests in his will. He built and presented to the city the Trowbridge Drive that adds so much to the beauty and accessibility of East Rock Park.

Mr. Trowbridge was a genial and companionable man, and his welcome association with others is attested by his membership in such organizations as the Society of Colonial Wars, the Quinnipiaek Club, the Ansantawae Club, the New Haven Lawn Club, the New Haven Country Club and the Union League Club of New York City. It was at his summer home in Litchfield in the September before his decease that Mr. Trowbridge was seized with the illness that proved fatal.\*

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

*By second marriage:†*

- i. ADELE HAYES, b. July 30, 1870; d. Nov. 25, 1874.
97. ii. HAYES QUINCY, b. Oct. 27,‡ 1875.
98. iii. EDMUND QUINCY, b. Nov. 20, 1877.
- iv. DOROTHY QUINCY, b. Mar. 23, 1886; m. Apr. 7, 1906, Robert Hager, Jr., and resides in New York City.

76. WINSTON JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Winston J.*<sup>52</sup>, *Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 24, 1856, in New Haven, Conn.; resides in New Haven; married October 16, 1884, in Lexington, Ky., Annie Mitchell, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Smith) Mitchell, born March 2, 1861, in Lexington.

Winston J. Trowbridge passed his early youth in the island of Barbados, B. W. I. After returning to New Haven he prepared for college at Hopkins Grammar School and was graduated from Yale College in 1879 with the degree of B.A. The following seven months were occupied by a European trip. On returning to New Haven he entered the Yale Law School, from which he was graduated with the degree of LL.B. in 1881. The following year he took a position in the paymaster's office of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company in New Haven. In the fall of 1883 he obtained a more satisfactory place in the treasurer's office of the same company in New York, to which city he removed. In the spring of 1885, his health not being good, he resigned that position and returned to New Haven. The following year he became associated with his uncle Ezekiel H. Trowbridge and the latter's son, E. Hayes Trowbridge, in the management of the several properties and trust estates with which they were identified. Since their death he has continued to manage these and other trust estates, and has succeeded his cousin as a director in several corporations.

Mr. Trowbridge is a trustee and assistant treasurer of the New Haven Savings Bank, and a director of the Second National Bank of New Haven, the New Haven Gas Light Company and the New Haven Water Company. He is a member of the Quinnipiaek, Graduates and New Haven Country clubs, the New Haven Colony Historical Society, the New Haven Chamber of Commerce, and the Yale chapter of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. MARY MITCHELL, b. July 15, 1890.
- ii. WINSTON JOHN, b. July 15, 1892; d. Dec. 19, 1893.

\* Biographical sketch read by Prof. Williston Walker before the annual court of the Society of Colonial Wars of Connecticut on May 8, 1901.

† No children by first marriage.

‡ Correcting New Haven City Vital Records.

77. FRANK DEAN TROWBRIDGE (*Winston J.*<sup>52</sup>, *Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 16, 1861, in Barbados, B. W. I.; resides in New Haven, Conn.; married May 16, 1889, in Davenport, Iowa, Carrie Haven Hubbell, daughter of George Edward and Mary Brewster (Pease) Hubbell, born August 9, 1864, in Davenport.

Frank D. Trowbridge took his preparatory studies at Hopkins Grammar and Black Hall schools. He was graduated with the degree of B.A. from Yale College in 1884, and traveled for most of the two succeeding years. In May, 1886, he entered the office of Hazard & Parker, bankers and brokers, in New York City, in which connection he continued one year. He then returned to New Haven, and on May 1, 1888, entered the National New Haven Bank, with which he has since been identified and in which his promotion has been rapid. Beginning as clerk, he was soon advanced to the office of teller and on July 1, 1902, was appointed cashier. On September 20, 1905, he was elected president of the bank, a position he has since filled with success. He is also chairman and treasurer of the New Haven Sinking Fund Commission.

Mr. Trowbridge resides in New Haven. He is a member of the Quinnipiack, Graduates, New Haven Country and New Haven Yacht clubs, the Yale chapter of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity, and is a life member of the New Haven Colony Historical Society. He makes his summer home in Old Lyme, Conn., on Long Island Sound.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. MARGARET DEAN, b. Nov. 2, 1890.
- ii. MARY BREWSTER, b. May 23, 1891.

77a. ELFORD PARRY TROWBRIDGE (*Winston J.*<sup>52</sup>, *Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 16, 1862, in New Haven, Conn.; resides in New Haven: married October 5, 1904, in Old Lyme, Conn., Anna Bertha Chadwick, daughter of Daniel and Ellen (Noyes) Chadwick, born January 1, 1866, in Old Lyme.

Elford P. Trowbridge prepared for college at Phillips Academy at Andover, Mass., and was graduated from Yale University in 1887 with the degree of B.A. He then spent about two years in travel abroad and in this country. In 1889 he entered the office of the paymaster of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company in New Haven, Conn., where he remained until July 1, 1893. He then was appointed stationer for that corporation, his duties being to purchase and distribute stationery and all kindred supplies used by that large railroad system. While he conducted this office, this branch of the company's business was carried on in a most efficient manner and various economies were inaugurated. He resigned his position with the railroad in 1898 and purchased a controlling interest in the Montowese Brick Company, a brick manufacturing plant in Montowese near New Haven. He subsequently acquired all of its stock, and is now sole owner and president of the company.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of the Quinnipiack, Graduates, New Haven Country and New Haven Lawn clubs, the Yale Club of New York City, the New Haven Colony Historical Society and the Yale chapter of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity. He resides in New Haven and has a summer home in Old Lyme, Conn.

NO CHILDREN.

78. STEPHEN ATWATER TROWBRIDGE (*Edwin L.*<sup>53</sup>, *Amos*<sup>34</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 8, 1838, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; died August 23, 1897, in Toledo, Ohio; married June 16, 1864, in Pekin, Ill., Frances Sabilla Gill, daughter of Thomas Nelson and Theresa Amelia (Booker) Gill, born January 10, 1845, in Pekin. She resides in Toledo, Ohio.



Stephen A. Trowbridge prior to 1880 was secretary of the Peoria, Pekin and Jacksonville Railroad Company, following which he became paymaster of the Toledo and Ohio Central Railroad Company. He then with David R. Loek (Petroleum V. Nasby) started a lithographing business in Toledo, Ohio, which they conducted for several years. At the time of his death he was in the life and accident insurance business. He was secretary of the Anthony Wayne Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution.

## CHILDREN :

99. i. EDWIN LUCIUS, b. Apr. 12, 1871, in New York City.  
 ii. ALIDA BULFORD, b. Apr. 27, 1876, in Peoria, Ill.; d. Nov. 18, 1894, in Toledo, Ohio; unm.  
 iii. NELSON GILL, b. Mar. 24, 1881, in Toledo; is in the dry goods business there; unm.

79. JAMES ATWATER TROWBRIDGE (*Amos II.*<sup>54</sup>, *Amos*<sup>34</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 6, 1843, in New Haven, Conn.; resides in New York City; married, first, December 7, 1869, in New York City, Kate Bloodgood, daughter of William Adolphus and Margaret Ann (Bromlee) Bloodgood, born in 1843 in New York City; died November 19, 1873, in New York City. He married, second, April 30, 1884, in Plainfield, N. J., Jennie Niles (Gardiner) Benjamin, widow of William Wallace Benjamin of Ossining, N. Y., and daughter of Hugh Brodie and Mary Elizabeth (Niles) Gardiner, born September 9, 1856, in Madison, Wis.

James A. Trowbridge resides in New York City and is retired from active business life. He was for many years connected with Vermilye & Co., bankers, of that city, of which he was the senior member until about two years before that firm dissolved. He always devoted a great deal of attention to his business and was well known in financial circles. He is a member of the Union League Club and other organizations in New York City.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW YORK CITY :

*By first marriage:*

- 99a. i. WILLIAM BLOODGOOD, b. Nov. 12, 1873.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. JAMES ATWATER, b. July 9, 1886.  
 iii. GARDINER, b. Oct. 15, 1889.  
 iv. ARTHUR LUSK, b. Apr. 24, 1892.

80. EDWIN DWIGHT TROWBRIDGE (*Amos II.*<sup>54</sup>, *Amos*<sup>34</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 29, 1849, in New Haven, Conn.; died February 24, 1904, in New York City; married December 5, 1876, in New Haven, Harriet Trowbridge Carrington, daughter of John Bennett and Harriet Hayes (Trowbridge (No. 27, ii)) Carrington, born August 9, 1851, in New Haven; died April 19, 1904, in New York City.

Edwin D. Trowbridge became a member of the banking firm of Vermilye & Co. of New York City. He continued in this firm until about a year before his death. He was well known socially in New York, and was a member of the Union League, Grolier, New York Yacht and Seawanhaka Corinthian Yacht clubs, the Down Town Association, the New England Society, the Society of Colonial Wars and the New York Mayflower Society.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN. :

- i. EMILY CARRINGTON, b. Sept. 12, 1879; m. Apr. 24, 1902, Frederic Gallatin, Jr., and resides in New York City.  
 ii. LOUISE ATWATER, b. July 14, 1882.

81. DR. GEORGE TROWBRIDGE (*Amos H.*<sup>54</sup>, *Amos*<sup>34</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 11, 1855, in New Haven, Conn.; died September 10, 1898, in New York City; married May 25, 1881, in New York City, Theodora Polhemus, daughter of Abraham Ditmas and Mary Cortelieou Gerritsen) Polhemus, born July 16, 1858, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; died March 31, 1902, in New York City.

George Trowbridge fitted for college at Charlier Institute, New York City, and Hopkins Grammar School, New Haven, Conn. He was graduated from Yale College in 1878, among the prominent men in his class, being a member of the Psi Upsilon fraternity and the Scroll and Key Society. The following year he entered the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York City, from which he was graduated with the degree of M.D. in 1881. He received the degree of M.A. from Yale in 1882. He was occupied with the practice of his profession in New York City until 1884, when he retired from active practice to devote himself to the cultivation of his scientific and literary tastes.

Doctor Trowbridge was a very genial man, popular with his college classmates and with his associates in after life. At the time of his death he belonged to the Union, University, Racquet and Tennis, New York Yacht and Camera clubs of New York City.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW YORK CITY:

- i. THEODORA POLHEMUS, b. Aug. 12, 1883; m. Oct. 20, 1900, Douglas Ludlow Elliman and resides in New York City.
- ii. JULIA ATWATER, b. Oct. 11, 1884; m. Dec. 20, 1906, D. Herbert Lloyd and resides in New York City.

82. FREDERICK KELLOGG TROWBRIDGE (*George A.*<sup>55</sup>, *Amos*<sup>34</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 26, 1843, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; resides in New York City; married December 7, 1871, in New York City, Elvira Kellogg Trowbridge, daughter of Edwin Lucius and Alida (Bulford) Trowbridge,\* born August 27, 1848, in Brooklyn.

Frederick K. Trowbridge has been well known for many years in banking circles in New York City, where he resides. He is a member of the Union League and Grolier clubs and the New York Mayflower Society.

CHILD BORN IN NEW YORK CITY:

- 99b. i. EDWIN KELLOGG, b. May 12, 1876.

83. PROF. AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*George A.*<sup>55</sup>, *Amos*<sup>34</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 2, 1870, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; resides in Princeton, N. J.; married September 20, 1893, in New York City, Sarah Esther Fulton, daughter of Justin Dewey and Sarah Esther (Norcross) Fulton, born May 19, 1870, in Boston, Mass.

Augustus Trowbridge prepared for college at Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., in 1886-7. He was a student at Columbia University, New York City, from 1889 to 1893, but was not graduated. While at Columbia, in 1889, he was elected a member of the Delta chapter of Delta Phi fraternity. He entered the University of Berlin, Germany, in 1894, receiving the degree of Ph.D. in 1897. The following year he was appointed instructor in physics in the University of Michigan, where he remained two years. In 1900 he was appointed assistant professor of physics in the University of Wisconsin, and in 1903 was advanced to a full professorship at the same institution, a chair he filled until 1906. In the latter year he accepted a call to a professorship of physics at Princeton University, Princeton, N. J., which he holds at present. He resides in Princeton.†

\* See No. 53, v.

† It is regretted that no portrait of Professor Trowbridge could be obtained.



Geo. Frowbridge







*Miles M Trowbridge*

## CHILDREN :

- i. KATHERINE, b. Oct. 7, 1894, in Berlin, Germany.
- ii. GEORGE AUGUSTUS, b. Aug. 12, 1897, in Berlin.
- iii. CORNELIUS POLHEMUS, b. Aug. 22, 1898, in New York City.

84. GEORGE EDWARD TROWBRIDGE (*Elihu F.*<sup>57</sup>, *John T.*<sup>35</sup>, *John*<sup>18</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 20, 1846, in Chatham, Ohio; resides in Denver, Colo.; married September 3, 1893, in Denver, Martha Louisa Wheeler, daughter of John Oatman and Sarah Ann (Neel) Wheeler, born February 8, 1860, in Albion, Iowa.

George E. Trowbridge soon after his marriage settled in Arkins, Colo., where he was engaged in farming for several years. About 1900 he removed to Denver, Colo., where he is in the teaming business.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ARKINS, COLO. :

- i. GEORGE ROBERT, b. June 26, 1895.
- ii. MARY HENRIETTA, b. Nov. 7, 1896.

85. CAPT. MILES MARSHALL TROWBRIDGE (*Stewart H.*<sup>58</sup>, *John T.*<sup>35</sup>, *John*<sup>18</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 22, 1843, in Dover, Wis.; resides in Portland, Ore.; married February 22, 1869, in Dover, Rachel Sanders Crawford, daughter of John and Charlotte (Sanders) Crawford, born February 16, 1842, in Jersey City, N. J.; died February 6, 1898, in Portland.

Miles M. Trowbridge passed the first fourteen years of his life in the immediate neighborhood of his grandfather, and learned lessons of patriotism from his lips through stories of his adventurous life. He worked on his father's farm summers and attended the common school winters until the breaking out of the Civil War in 1861. His father restrained him from enlisting with the three month men, but when Fremont's proclamation in Missouri disclosed that it would be a fight to a finish, and remove the cause of the war, his consent was given and Miles enlisted September 10, 1861, in Company C, 1st Wisconsin Infantry, for three years and went as one of the color guards to that regiment. The regiment was employed in keeping open communications and similar duties in Kentucky, Tennessee and Northern Alabama until September, 1862.\*

The first serious battle in which the regiment engaged was at Perryville, October 8, 1862. During the battle, the regiment in front lost every field officer and was thrown into confusion and obliged to retire. The 1st Wisconsin was advanced to its place and with the assistance of artillery held the position until all the artillery horses were killed or unmanageable. The regiments of the brigade were ordered to hold the ground while the guns were withdrawn. About this time the 1st Wisconsin made a dash and captured the flag of the 1st Tennessee. Protected by the fire of other regiments, the 1st Wisconsin took away from the field every gun and caisson by hand. Their flag was riddled by balls and flag staff severed in two places. All the color guard but three were killed or wounded. The regiment received the thanks of Indiana for rescuing the battery which belonged to that state, and a present of a full complement of colors in recognition of its bravery.

Miles was reported mortally wounded. His father went down for his body, but saved his life by careful nursing. He removed him to the Louisville hospital, and on November 15 he was discharged as permanently disabled. Even then the chances of his reaching home alive seemed about even, but by easy stages, and laying over a day or two for rest in different places, his father brought him through. The ball entered his left shoulder, passed through the upper portion of his lung and came out close by the spine. He has never fully recovered from

\* This and the following paragraphs are extracts from a sketch printed in the Mower county (Minn.) *Transcript* of Aug. 26, 1891.

the effects. He remained at home and in the fall of 1863 removed with his father to Lyle, Minn.

A part of the succeeding year, as his health became firmer, was spent in commencing a higher education, but he was chiefly indebted for his admirable fund of information and terse use of the English language to his persistent habit of reading, formed in his boyhood and kept up after the war. He was not satisfied to study while others were fighting, and on September 2, 1864, re-enlisted in Company K, 4th Minnesota Infantry. He joined the regiment in season to take part in the terrific fight at Altoona, where Corse "held the fort" on Sherman's signals, notwithstanding his great loss of men and the individual loss of an ear and a cheek bone.

He was among the sixty thousand selected for the march to the sea. After resting at Savannah more than a month, the still longer march north commenced in February. This was a far more arduous task. The spring rains rendered it necessary to corduroy all roads for the passage of baggage and artillery and frequently rendered the swollen rivers impassable, and Joe Johnston, at least second in ability of Confederate generals, commanded the enemy and delivered a blow at this wing or the other at every opportunity. Then followed the surrender of the Confederate armies, the grand review at Washington, and the mustering out, which occurred July 19, 1865.

Mr. Trowbridge held the offices of town clerk, town treasurer and chairman of the board of supervisors in the town of Lyle, and in 1877 was elected county commissioner from the southwest district. He held this office for three years, and was quite instrumental in the erection of the court house. The people voted not to issue bonds for that purpose, and as the records were unsafe under existing conditions he with others wisely disregarded present popularity, and the onerous of the penny wise and pound foolish, and voted to raise the necessary amount by taxation, distributed over three years time. In the fall of 1880 the court house was so far advanced as to show it was an excellent bargain for the money and he was promoted to the office of register of deeds of Mower county, which he held by successive elections for six years. He proved an efficient and acceptable officer. During this period he became captain of Company G, 2d Regiment, Minnesota National Guard, and brought the company up in numbers and efficiency. He realized the importance of such organizations for the preservation of order and as a preparation for defense, and enjoyed the esteem and confidence of the company.

In the spring of 1887 Captain Trowbridge was employed to get up a set of abstract books at Superior, Wis. His experience as register of deeds fitted him for this work and gave him the reputation that secured him the position. A year and a half later he moved to Portland, Ore., where he accepted a position with the Pacific Title and Trust Company, with which he has since been identified. Captain Trowbridge has a fine home on Portland Heights, a thousand feet above sea level, which commands a beautiful view of the city and harbor, with Mounts Hood and Adams in the distance.

#### CHILDREN :\*

- 99c. i. JOHN STEWART, b. Jan. 27, 1870.
- ii. HENRY MARSHALL, b. Feb. 24, 1875; is in the building business in Portland, Ore.; unm.
- iii. MARY LEONA, b. Dec. 2, 1877; resides with her father; unm.
- iv. ALFRED LOCKWOOD, b. Oct. 15, 1880; was graduated from Stanford University in 1905, being president of his class. He is engaged with his profession, that of a civil engineer, in Portland; unm.
- v. FRANK HUDSON, b. May 25, 1882; is an electrician in Portland; unm.
- vi. MILES CAMERON, b. Sept. 25, 1884; is a stenographer in Portland; unm.

\* i-iv born in Lyle, Minn.; v-vi in Austin, Minn.



86. HENRY COUNT TROWBRIDGE (*Stewart H.<sup>58</sup>, John T.<sup>35</sup>, John<sup>18</sup>, Daniel<sup>9</sup>, Thomas<sup>4</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born April 22, 1846, in Dover, Wis.; resides in Lyle (Austin P. O.), Minn.; married January 2, 1871, in Austin, Roxana Chandler, daughter of Welcome and Amy (Phelps) Chandler, born November 9, 1852, in Milton, Ontario, Canada.

Henry C. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm. At the age of eighteen he enlisted in the Union army in the Civil War. He was mustered March 21, 1865, in Company A, 11th Illinois Cavalry, and was stationed at Memphis, Tenn., until August of that year, when he was discharged, having in the meantime suffered from a severe case of typhoid fever, from which he has never fully recovered. After his discharge he joined his parents in Minnesota, where he has since resided, engaged in farming in the town of Lyle, near Austin, Mower county. He is also president of a fine creamery near his farm.

In Mr. Trowbridge is combined strong individuality and a genial temperament, and he has always been a leader in the affairs of the community in which he has lived since 1863. He has been active in school affairs and township management, having been school director, town treasurer and chairman of the board of supervisors many terms. He enjoys the confidence and respect of his neighbors to the fullest degree.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LYLE, MINN.:

- i. NETTIE ELINOR, b. July 5, 1873; m. June 24, 1896, Samuel Henry Warington and resides in Lyle.
- 99d. ii. FREDERICK ADELBERT, b. May 22, 1875.
- iii. GRACE EDITH, b. July 5, 1878; m. July 2, 1902, Alanson Bemis Wilder and resides in Lyle.
- iv. ETHEL IRENE, b. Mar. 13, 1880; resides with her parents; unm.
- 99e. v. HARRY CHANDLER, b. June 9, 1883.
- vi. GEORGE TRUMAN, b. Aug. 31, 1887; conducts the home farm in Lyle; unm.

87. LEWIS LOTHROP TROWBRIDGE (*Lewis B.<sup>60</sup>, Elias<sup>37</sup>, John<sup>18</sup>, Daniel<sup>9</sup>, Thomas<sup>4</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born May 15, 1864, in Buffalo, N. Y.; resides in Reading, Pa.; married May 29, 1900, in St. Louis, Mo., Mary Peck Gray, daughter of James Richard and Sarah (Scott) Gray, born March 6, 1871, in Jefferson, Tex.

Lewis L. Trowbridge was graduated from Buffalo University with the degree of Ph.C. in 1888, and then, 1888-90, pursued a course in metallurgy and chemistry at the University of Michigan. He became assistant superintendent of the Missouri Car and Foundry Company in St. Louis, Mo. He left there in 1900 to become general manager of the Reading Car Wheel Company of Reading, Pa., a position which he at present occupies. His home is in Reading.

## CHILDREN BORN IN READING, PA.:

- i. JAMES GRAY, b. Apr. 6, 1901; d. Apr. 15, 1901.
- ii. CORNELIA GRAY, b. July 26, 1906.

88. FREDERICK ELIAS TROWBRIDGE (*Lewis B.<sup>60</sup>, Elias<sup>37</sup>, John<sup>18</sup>, Daniel<sup>9</sup>, Thomas<sup>4</sup>, Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born May 15, 1864, in Buffalo, N. Y.; resides in Lewiston, N. Y.; married December 28, 1892, in Lewiston, Alice Thorburn Craigie, daughter of John and Margaret (Thorburn) Craigie, born March 15, 1861, in Nithvale, Canada; died March 20, 1899, in Lewiston.

Frederick E. Trowbridge is a carpenter and builder, and has been engaged in his trade both in Buffalo, N. Y., and in Lewiston, N. Y., where he at present resides.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LEWISTON, N. Y.:

- i. LEWIS CRAIGIE, b. May 21, 1894.
- ii. JOHN FREDERICK, b. Feb. 21, 1896.

89. WILLIAM WALLACE TROWBRIDGE (*George T.*<sup>63</sup>, *John*<sup>41</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>22</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>12</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>8</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 11, 1857, in Allingtown (Orange), Conn.; resides in Newark, N. J.; married May 12, 1880, in East Orange, N. J., Ida Bernice Hamilton, daughter of Benjamin and Leah (Doland) Hamilton, born January 14, 1859, in Hackettstown, N. J.

William W. Trowbridge went in childhood with his parents to Newark, N. J., where he has since remained. He is engaged in hat manufacturing.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEWARK, N. J.:

- i. LEAH HAMILTON, b. Sept. 23, 1881; m. June 30, 1899, Benjamin Wilbur McPeck and resides in Newark.
- ii. LOUISA EDITH, b. June 28, 1892.

90. ISAAC LITTLE TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha M.*<sup>64</sup>, *John*<sup>41</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>22</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>12</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>8</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 30, 1856, in Bridgeport, Conn.; resides in Naugatuck, Conn.; married July 3, 1881, in Naugatuck, Ida Jane Moore, daughter of John and Martha (Flynn) Moore, born November 2, 1863, in Naugatuck.

Isaac L. Trowbridge settled in Naugatuck, Conn., where he engaged in the real estate business. On May 4, 1898, he was appointed by President McKinley postmaster of Naugatuck, an office which he still holds.

CHILD BORN IN NAUGATUCK, CONN.:

- i. EDITH MOORE, b. Apr. 5, 1882.

91. FREDERICK CLINTON TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha M.*<sup>64</sup>, *John*<sup>41</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>22</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>12</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>8</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 31, 1859, in Bridgeport, Conn.; died June 27, 1902, in Naugatuck, Conn.; married January 18, 1883, in Naugatuck, Mary Leslie Kane, who resides in Naugatuck.\*

Frederick C. Trowbridge removed with his elder brother to Naugatuck, Conn., where he worked at the trade of cutter in the Goodyear Rubber Goods Manufacturing Company.

CHILDREN BORN IN NAUGATUCK, CONN.:

- i. LEROY LESLIE, b. Sept. 29, 1883; is with the Goodyear Mfg. Co. in Naugatuck.
- ii. FREIDA, b. Dec. 6, 1884.
- iii. KENNETH BATEMAN, b. Jan. 17, 1892.
- iv. AMY, b. Aug. 21, 1893; d. Oct. 29, 1893.

92. JOHN HATFIELD TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha M.*<sup>64</sup>, *John*<sup>41</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>22</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>12</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>8</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 6, 1875, in Newark, N. J.; resides in Naugatuck, Conn.; married October 12, 1898, in Naugatuck, Eleanor Amelia Wigmore, daughter of Thomas Nixon and Eleanor (Freeman) Wigmore, born May 30, 1877, in Seymour, Conn.

John H. Trowbridge settled in Naugatuck, Conn., where he is an electrician with the Goodyear Metallic Rubber Shoe Company.

CHILDREN BORN IN NAUGATUCK, CONN.:

- i. HELEN, b. Nov. 27, 1901.
- ii. GEORGE WIGMORE, b. July 14, 1903.

93. HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>70</sup>, *Thomas R.*<sup>49</sup>, *Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 12, 1859, in New Haven, Conn.; died June 24, 1894, in Trinidad, B. W. I.; married October 6, 1887, in

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

Bridgetown, Barbados, B. W. I., Minnie Barker Jones, daughter of Thomas and Annie (Fields) Jones, born November 29, 1864, in Barbados. She married, second, December 24, 1902, in London, England, Henry Eade Churchman and resides in London.

Henry Trowbridge prepared for college at Hopkins Grammar School in New Haven, and was graduated from Yale College in 1880 with the degree of B.A. The following fall he entered the Yale Law School, but left that institution in May, 1881, to take a position with Trowbridge & Co., the branch of the firm of H. Trowbridge's Sons of New Haven located in the island of Barbados, British West Indies. He early evinced an aptitude for business and held a responsible position in the house. While residing in Barbados he was very hospitable in the entertainment of visitors who came to the island. The firm was dissolved in 1891. In 1892 he went to the island of Trinidad and formed a partnership with a Mr. Rust, under the firm name of Rust, Trowbridge & Co., doing a general commission business. He continued in this connection until his death, which resulted from an attack of yellow fever. Mr. Trowbridge was a member of the Psi Upsilon fraternity at Yale and in Barbados was a member of the Bridgetown Club.

## NO CHILDREN.

94. JOSEPH PARKER TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>70</sup>, *Thomas R.*<sup>49</sup>, *Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 8, 1861, in New Haven, Conn.; resides in New York City; married December 15, 1893, in Branford, Conn., Katherine Veronica Shields, daughter of David and Catherine (Cavanaugh) Shields, born May 20, 1874, in New Haven.

J. Parker Trowbridge received his education preparatory to college at Hopkins Grammar School in New Haven, and was graduated from Yale College in 1883 with the degree of B.A. In the fall following his graduation he entered the Yale Medical School, but left during the second year to enter the house of H. Trowbridge's Sons, West India merchants, a firm composed of his grandfather, father and uncles. His duties caused him to be chiefly identified with the New York City office of the firm, and he remained in that connection until the dissolution of the firm in 1891. For a number of years after this he traveled in the winter months and passed the summer months at his cottage at Indian Neck, in Branford, near New Haven. In 1900 he entered the freight department of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, and is at present located at its Harlem river terminal in New York City, where he resides.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of the Yale chapter of the Psi Upsilon fraternity. He was elected to the Quinnipiac Club of New Haven in 1886 and to the University Club of New York City in 1890.

## CHILDREN :

- i. KATHRYN PARKER, b. Feb. 26, 1895, in Branford, Conn.
- ii. JOSEPH PARKER, b. Aug. 21, 1898, in Northport, N. Y.
- iii. MARION ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 9, 1903, in New York City; d. there July 19, 1904.

95. THOMAS RUTHERFORD TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>70</sup>, *Thomas R.*<sup>49</sup>, *Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 10, 1864, in New Haven, Conn.; resides in Milwaukee, Wis.; married January 18, 1905, in Wheaton, Ill., Christine Rau, daughter of Gottlieb and Marion (Wieggers) Rau, born October 29, 1872, in Formosa, Canada.

Thomas R. Trowbridge prepared for college at Hopkins Grammar School in New Haven, and entered the class of 1884 of the Sheffield Scientific School, Yale University. Before completing his course in the chemistry department of that

institution, he left to take a position with H. Trowbridge's Sons of New Haven, West India merchants, of which his father was senior partner, and was connected with their representatives, Trowbridge & Co., in Barbados, West Indies. After the dissolution of the firm in 1891, he purchased a playhouse in Providence, R. I., and became manager and owner of the Star Theatre in that city. While in this capacity, he became exalted ruler of B. P. O. Elks, Providence 14, the youngest exalted ruler ever elected to fill this position. He retired from the theatrical line and entered the furniture house of The Geo. C. Flint Co. in New York City. In 1903 he removed to Chicago, Ill., and identified himself with the furniture interests of Mandell Bros. of that city, leaving them in 1905 to take a similar position with Gimbel Bros. in Milwaukee, Wis. He left this house in a year's time to accept a managerial position with the Klingman Sample Furniture Co. of Milwaukee. He resigned in 1907 to accept a position on the display advertising staff of the Milwaukee *Journal*, the largest evening daily paper in Milwaukee and one of the largest in the Northwest. His principal line on this paper is the automobile division, in which he figures as automobile editor and display advertising solicitor, creating this line of advertising in this paper, which has grown to be the leading automobile paper, both from an editorial and an advertising standpoint, in the city.

Mr. Trowbridge while at Yale was elected to the Theta Zeta fraternity. He was raised in Hiram Lodge, No. 1, F. and A. M., in New Haven in 1895. He is also a member of the B. P. O. Elks, Providence 14; the F. O. Eagles, Milwaukee, No. 137; General Grant Council, No. 67, Royal League, of Chicago; and the Milwaukee Automobile Club. His home is in Milwaukee, Wis.

CHILDREN BORN IN MILWAUKEE, WIS. :

- i. A daughter, b. Aug. 18, 1906; d. that day.
- ii. THOMAS RUTHERFORD, b. Feb. 20, 1908.

96. FRANCIS BACON TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas R.*<sup>71</sup>, *Thomas R.*<sup>49</sup>, *Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 7, 1866, in New Haven, Conn.; resides in New Haven; married June 30, 1898, in Brooklyn, N. Y., Mabel Christine Nelson, daughter of James Augustus and Helen Josephine (Chipman) Nelson, born September 14, 1875, in New Haven.

Francis B. Trowbridge took the preparatory course of study at Hopkins Grammar School in his native city. He was graduated from Yale University in 1887 with the degree of B.A. and from the Yale Law School with the degree of LL.B. in 1890, and was admitted to the Connecticut bar. He did not, however, engage in the practice of his profession, but became associated with his father in the management of family real estate and trusts, succeeding to several of the latter after his father's death in 1898, and is at present acting in a fiduciary capacity for several estates.

He has given considerable attention to genealogical research and has compiled three family histories, which have received favorable criticism from the reviewers. His published books are: "The Champion Genealogy," 1891; "The Hoadley Genealogy," 1894; "The Ashley Genealogy," 1896; and the present volume.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of the Quinnipiack and Country clubs of New Haven, the Yale Club of New York City and the Yale chapter of the Psi Upsilon fraternity. He is a life member of the New England Historic Genealogical Society of Boston, Mass., and is a member of the American Historical Association, the Connecticut Society of the Sons of the American Revolution and the New Haven Colony Historical Society, of the latter of which he is a director. He resides in New Haven, Conn.



*Francis B. Kowbridge*



**97.** HAYES QUINCY TROWBRIDGE (*E. Hayes*<sup>75</sup>, *Ezekiel H.*<sup>51</sup>, *Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 27, 1875, in New Haven, Conn.; resides in New Haven; married April 25, 1905, in Augusta, Ga., Olga Monson, daughter of Charles and Frances Elizabeth (Hubbell) Monson, born May 9, 1879, in Milford, Conn.

Hayes Q. Trowbridge fitted for college at Hopkins Grammar School in New Haven, and was graduated from Yale University in 1898 with the degree of B.A. He resides in his native city, and is associated with his cousin Winston J. Trowbridge in the management of family trusts and estates. He succeeded his father as a director of the Fair Haven and Westville Railroad Company, the street railroad system of New Haven, and held that office until the company was sold to the New Haven Railroad. He is a director of the National New Haven Bank.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of the Quinnipiack, Graduates, Country and Polo clubs of New Haven, and of the Union League and Yale clubs of New York City. He is also a member of the Connecticut Society of Colonial Wars and the New Haven Colony Historical Society. He was admitted a member of the First Church in New Haven in 1894.

NO CHILDREN.

**98.** EDMUND QUINCY TROWBRIDGE (*E. Hayes*<sup>75</sup>, *Ezekiel H.*<sup>51</sup>, *Henry*<sup>33</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 20, 1877, in New Haven, Conn.; resides in New York City; married July 1, 1901, in London, England, Sara Gertrude Plant Harrison, daughter of Hon. Lynde and Sara (Plant) Harrison, born March 1, 1879, in Guilford, Conn.

Edmund Q. Trowbridge prepared for college at Hopkins Grammar School, New Haven, and was graduated from Yale University in 1899 with the degree of B.A. After graduation he entered the banking business in New York City and is the senior partner in the firm of Trowbridge & Co., bankers and brokers.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of the University, New York Yacht and Yale clubs and the New England Society of New York City, the Society of Colonial Wars, and the Graduates Club of New Haven. His summer home is in Guilford, Conn. He was admitted in 1894 a member of the First Church in New Haven.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW YORK CITY:

- i. BARBARA HARRISON, b. Nov. 1, 1904.
- ii. NATALIE, b. Nov. 5, 1907.

**99.** EDWIN LUCIUS TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen A.*<sup>78</sup>, *Edwin L.*<sup>53</sup>, *Amos*<sup>34</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>4</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 12, 1871, in New York City; resides in Louisville, Ky.; married September 14, 1904, in Jacksboro, Tenn., Helen Louise De Lap, daughter of David Sharpe and Florella Isabella (Keeny) De Lap, born May 31, 1882, in Jacksboro.

Edwin L. Trowbridge at seventeen began civil engineering. He was rodman: Toledo Belt railway, 1888; Toledo engineer's office, 1889-92; Ann Arbor railroad, 1892-3; levelman, Wheeling and Lake Erie, 1893; transitman, 1894-5, assistant engineer, 1895-6, Ann Arbor; assistant engineer, Cleveland, Lorain and Wheeling, 1897-1900; engineer railways appraisal, Michigan Tax Commission, 1900-1; locating and resident engineer, Toledo and Western, 1901-2; locating engineer, Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf, 1902; resident engineer, 1902-5, division engineer, 1905-6, Louisville and Nashville, of which in 1907 he was appointed assistant engineer of construction. He resides in Louisville, Ky. He was for ten years a member of the Ohio National Guard, being a sergeant in the Toledo Cadets.

CHILDREN:

- i. ELVIRA ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 19, 1905, in Cartersville, Ga.
- ii. ISOBELL, b. Jan. 14, 1908, in Jacksboro, Tenn.

**99a.** WILLIAM BLOODGOOD TROWBRIDGE (*James A.*<sup>79</sup>, *Amos H.*<sup>54</sup>, *Amos*<sup>34</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 12, 1873, in New York City; resides in Saranac Lake, N. Y.; married January 6, 1906, in New York City, Mabel Wilmot (Merritt) Carroll, widow of Anson Livingston Carroll of New York City and daughter of Joseph King and Julie Thérèse (Rowe) Merritt, born November 27, 1868, in Flushing, N. Y.

William B. Trowbridge was educated at Greylock Institute, Williamstown, Mass., and the Callisons and Dwight schools in New York City. He was then for a year and a half in the office of Vernilye & Co., bankers in New York City, of which his father was senior partner. Being very active in all outdoor life and sports, he has spent much of his time in the Adirondacks, and about a year ago he bought a house in Saranac Lake, N. Y., which he now considers as his residence. He is a member of the Union League Club of New York City.

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**99b.** EDWIN KELLOGG TROWBRIDGE (*Frederick K.*<sup>82</sup>, *George A.*<sup>55</sup>, *Amos*<sup>34</sup>, *Rutherford*<sup>16</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 12, 1876, in New York City; resides in New York City; married April 30, 1902, in New York City, Virginia Bell Pegram, daughter of Orlando A. and Mary Mann (Sandford) Pegram, born April 2, 1871, in London, England.

Edwin K. Trowbridge was graduated from Williams College in 1899 with the degree of B.A. He received the degree of M.A. from Columbia University the following year. He resides in New York City, his summer home being in Brunswick, Me.

CHILD BORN IN BRUNSWICK, ME.:

- i. FREDERICK KELLOGG, b. Sept. 4, 1904; d. Sept. 6, 1904.

**99c.** JOHN STEWART TROWBRIDGE (*Miles M.*<sup>55</sup>, *Stewart H.*<sup>58</sup>, *John T.*<sup>35</sup>, *John*<sup>18</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 27, 1870, in Lyle, Minn.; resides in Portland, Ore.; married July 29, 1895, in Vancouver, Wash., Annie Sinclair (Brannan) Lockwood, widow of Frank Lockwood of Chicago, Ill., born June 21, 1867, in Nova Scotia; died February 16, 1899, in Portland.

John S. Trowbridge removed to Portland, Ore., with his father. He is in the lathing business in that city.

CHILD BORN IN PORTLAND, ORE.:

- i. MILES LAWRENCE, b. Aug. 29, 1897.

**99d.** FREDERICK ADELBERT TROWBRIDGE (*Henry C.*<sup>56</sup>, *Stewart H.*<sup>58</sup>, *John T.*<sup>35</sup>, *John*<sup>18</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 22, 1875, in Lyle, Minn.; resides in Lyle (Austin P. O.); married February 22, 1905, in Lyle, Nellie Beatrice Wilder, daughter of Peter R. and Emma (St. John) Wilder, born April 29, 1882, in Lyle.

Frederick A. Trowbridge is engaged in farming. He lives on his own farm, adjoining that of his father, in Lyle township, Mower county, near Austin, Minn.

CHILD BORN IN LYLE, MINN.:

- i. JOHN TODD, b. Apr. 2, 1906.

**99e.** HARRY CHANDLER TROWBRIDGE (*Henry C.*<sup>56</sup>, *Stewart H.*<sup>58</sup>, *John T.*<sup>35</sup>, *John*<sup>18</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>9</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>2</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 9, 1883, in Lyle, Minn.; resides in Austin, Minn.; married January 2, 1907, in Austin, Nettie B. Kilgore, daughter of William Edwin and Ruth (Nash) Kilgore, born November 11, 1885, in Otranto, Iowa.

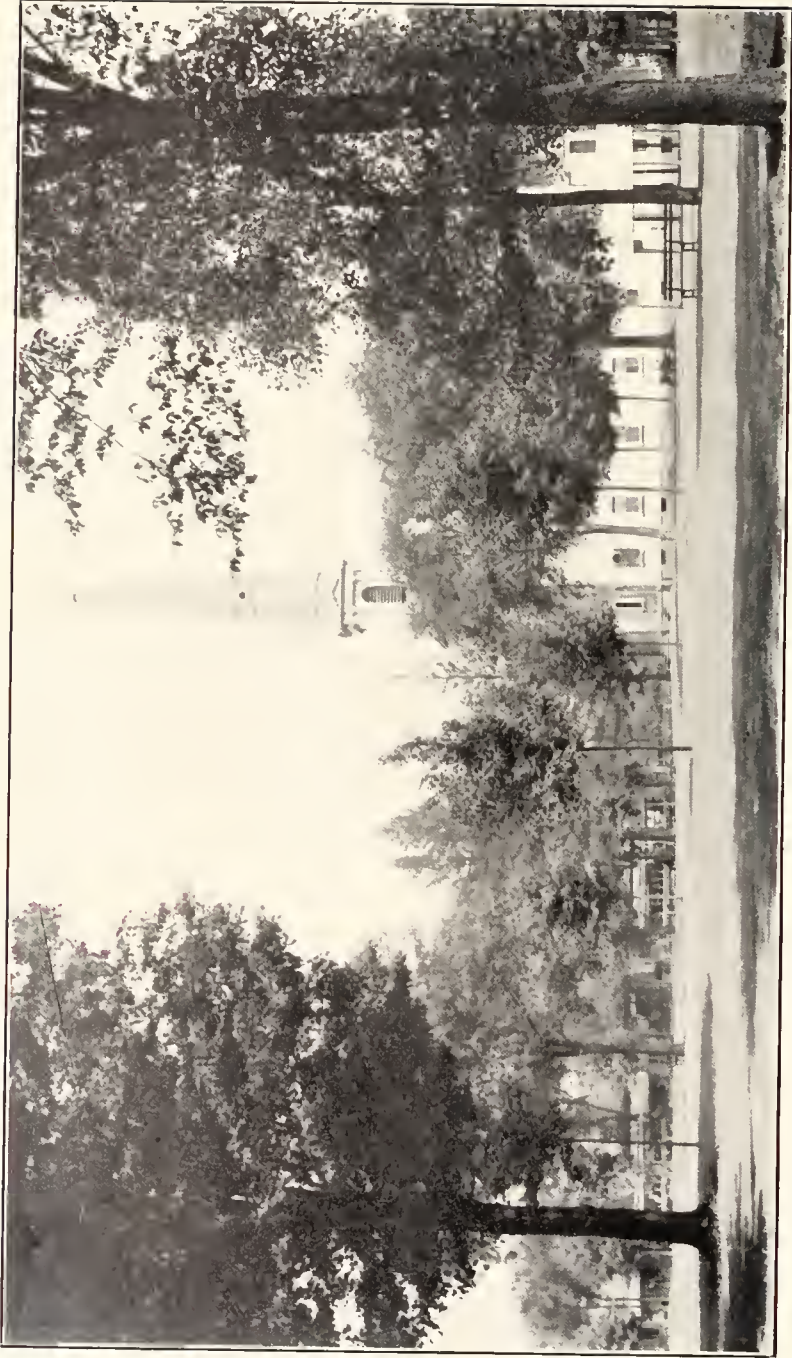
Harry C. Trowbridge is a druggist in the city of Austin, Minn.

CHILD BORN IN AUSTIN, MINN.:

- i. HARLAND COUNT, b. Nov. 29, 1907.







WEST HAVEN GREEN.

The homestead of William Trowbridge was in the rear to the right.

# WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE

OF NEW HAVEN, CONN.,

AND HIS DESCENDANTS

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100. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>1</sup>),<sup>\*</sup> baptized September 3, 1633, in Exeter, Devonshire, England; died November —, 1688,<sup>\*</sup> in West Haven,† Conn.; married March 9, 1656-7, in Milford, Conn., Elizabeth (Lamberton) Sellivant, widow of Daniel Sellivant, and daughter of Capt. George and Margaret (———) Lamberton, born ———, 163—, in London?, England; died ———,‡ 1716, in West Haven.

William Trowbridge was brought in childhood by his parents from England, first to Dorchester in the Massachusetts Bay colony, and then to the plantation of New Haven. When his father was called back to England, he and his brothers were left in charge of his father's former servant, Henry Gibbons. The latter mismanaged the property left for the boys' support, and after a time they were taken away from him by the town authorities and put under the care of Sergt. Thomas Jeffrey and his wife, and in their home William and his brothers passed their boyhood. His schoolmaster was Mr. Ezekiel Cheever.

Soon after reaching his majority William Trowbridge made an attempt to bring Gibbons to an account for his stewardship. His efforts were continued over a series of years, but gained little result during his father's lifetime. A few years after the latter's death Gibbons made some restitution, as has been printed on a previous page.

"William Trowbridge propounded to ye Court if he might have an account of his father's estate that was left in New Haven, and for this end presented two letters from his father, one dated March 6, 1655, the other March 4, 1658, wherein his father writes, that he marvells that there is not an account of it given. It was told him that some time has been spent in searching ye records, but it could not be cleared, wherefore he paying the Secretary then ye Secretary would afford him what help he could therein to clear it."

"January 3, 1664, William Trowbridge having had a warrant for Henry Gibbons to answer him in an action of ye case, was now called to enter his action. He required of Henry Gibbons an account of his father's estate that was left with him when he went for England. Wm. Trowbridge was asked by what authority he made this demand? He showed a letter of attornie from his father, which being read was allowed and accepted. Henry Gibbons said that he had given him an accompt as well as he could, but the estate, he said, was taken out of his hands by order of the authority here, & therefore it must be referred to ye records. But the records having been looked into formerly and matters not found so cleare as was desired & there being much business at this tyme, the case was referred to another time."

"At a County Court held at New Haven June 10, 1674," before James Bishop, assistant and moderator, the assistants, commissioners and a jury, in the case of Trowbridge vs.

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\* "The Inventorie of the estate of Mr William Trowbridge late of Newhaven deceased intestate was exhibited in Court, proved by oath of Apprisers according to law and approved for record, and power of administration of said estate granted to Elisabeth ye widdow & relict of the said deceased & to Thomas Trowbridge the son of ye deceased & Samuel Smith. . . . The Children are William Trowbridge, Thomas Trowbridge, of age; Elisabeth, Margaret & James of age; Hannah 20 years old; Samuel & Abigaile, twins, about 18 years old; Mary 16; Joseph about 12 years old." [New Haven Probate Records, vol. 2, p. 109; vol. 4, pp. 275, 279.]

† Then a parish in New Haven.

‡ Perhaps in May, 1716, for on June 7, 1716, her heirs make an agreement.

Gibbons. "Wm. Trowbridge of New Haven or his lawful attornie, plaintiff, Henry Gibbons of the same place, defendant, in the action of the case for an account of the estate of Mr. Thomas Trowbridge of Taunton in the realm of England mentioned in his letters of Attornie dated ye 19th of January, 1662. and sometime in ye possession or trust of ye said Henry ye defendant disposed of & not accounted for."

"In the action wherein Wm. Trowbridge is Plaintiff & Henry Gibbons Contra Defendant: after the Records of the transaction about the estate were read, The Court saw not cause to admit the protest. In which the plaintiff seemed to rest satisfied."

William Trowbridge is usually described in the public records of that time as a "planter," and later on as a "husbandman." In 1664 he appears to have been master of the sloop *Cocke*, making voyages out of New Haven. In July, 1667, he sold his house and lot in the village of New Haven, and probably about that time became one of the first residents in the parish of West Haven. He probably built a house on that part of the "Lamberton Farm" that through his wife eventually came into his possession.\* His share was one-sixth of the Lamberton farm, and it included all the land between the present Campbell and Washington avenues from Brown street (the site of the piano factory) nearly to Long Island Sound. He also owned 144 acres on the Sound near Oyster river.

William Trowbridge was nominated a freeman of the colony of Connecticut on May 13, 1669. He lived on his farm in West Haven the remainder of his life. He made gifts to his children during his lifetime of much of his real estate, so that the inventory of his estate mentions but 55 acres of "second division" land and a small amount of personal property. He made no will. He and his wife were admitted members of the First Church in New Haven on April 28, 1686.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN. : †

101. i. WILLIAM, b. Nov. 12, 1657.  
 102. ii. THOMAS, b. Oct. 2, 1659.  
       iii. ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 5, 1661-2; m. May 28, 1678, Peter Mallory of New Haven.  
 103. iv. JAMES, b. Mar. 26, 1664.  
       v. MARGARET, b. June 1, 1666; m. Joseph Goodwin of New Haven.  
       vi. HANNAH, b. July 6, 1668; m. Moses Jackson of Stratford, Conn.  
       vii. ABIGAIL, / twins.  
 104. viii. SAMUEL, / b. Oct. 7, 1670.  
       ix. MARY, b. Oct. 12, 1672.  
 105. x. JOSEPH, b. ———, 1676.

101. CAPT. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 12, 1657, in New Haven, Conn.; died probably in January, 1703-4, perhaps at sea; ‡ married about 1687, in Middletown?, Conn., Thankful Stow, daughter of Rev. Samuel and Hope (Fletcher) Stow, born May 5, 1664, in Middletown; died ———, 17—, §

William Trowbridge passed his boyhood in his native town, New Haven, Conn. On January 2, 1681-2, he received a grant of 50 acres of land in the town of Suffield, Conn., and on March 9 following he was invited to teach the first school established there, at a salary of £10 per annum for five years and a payment for every additional scholar.

\* "This writing witnesseth that I Shubael Painter of Newport in ye Colony of Rhode Island have sold unto my brother-in-law William Trowbridge of New Haven all my right." &c, "in a farm at New Haven on which the said William Trowbridge now liveth. May 4, 1677." [New Haven Land Records, vol. 1, p. 52.]

† By New Haven Town Records.

‡ He died before Feb. 2, 1703-4, for then his brother Thomas was the "oldest surviving child" of their father. [New Haven Town Records, vol. 2, p. 226.]

§ "Thankful Trowbridge, widow of William, late of New Haven, empowers Dea. Abraham Bradley to sell her late husbands house and lot June 26, 1704." "Thankful Trowbridge, late inhabitant of Roxbury, Aug. 30, 1708, admitted an inhabitant of Boston Nov. 22, 1708." "Thankful Trowbridge of Middletown, widow of William," sells land in Middletown Dec. 17, 1714. "Thankful Trowbridge, late of Hartford," goes to Boston in May, 1719, and is "ordered out" of the city June 13, 1719.

He married and made his home in his native town. He was a planter and shipmaster, sailing out of New Haven. In the New Haven town records, under the title, "A Record of Sea Affairs," and the date October 19, 1697, is recorded the following:

"William Trowbridge of New Haven mariner, master of the good sloop called the *Adventure* by his Protest sheweth that upon the 20<sup>th</sup> of July last past about eleven of the clock in the forenoon & in the Latitude of 30 and 49, he spied a ship at sea which bore up to him and about six of ye clock the same day in ye evening, she came up with him. And being a French ship of 150 tons or thereabouts, mounted with eight guns and four pateraroes with 36 men well provided with small arms, commanded by Capt. Jan L who immediately commanded the said William Trowbridge master of said sloop to put out her boats. And thereafter they came on board said sloop and so seized on said sloop and cargo as prize. And carryed said master and his mate & mariners on board said French ship, and then went in plundering of said sloop and kept both the sloop and cargo in their possession. And the master, mate and other mariners and passengers prisoners until the 22<sup>nd</sup> of the said month of July last that they were dismissed by the French. And the sloop and remaining part of cargo put in ye hands of Joseph Hand mate of said sloop for payment to ye French of 1330 Crowns for security of which sum, the said mate is conveyed away as a hostage unto France. And further saith that the said sloop and cargoe was much damaged in the storms and winds at sea by reason of insufficiency of her sayles and rigging not fit for voyage. And other damage sustained by storms, and the Eneme's breaking bulk and taking away or drawing out a pipe of wine & fine quarterd cask besides other goods & pipes of wine broached and dammified by them. Therefore the said William Trowbridge for himself and company protested not only against the said Capt. Jo<sup>n</sup> Lewerner commander of said French ship and his ship and company but also against the hazard of the seas or storms and damage sustained thereby. And y<sup>t</sup> he & the other mariners should be altogether free of any loss or damage sustained in the said sloop or cargoes by the Enemy or otherwise, by hazard of stormes & other dangers at sea as aforesaid and insufficiency of said sloop, rigging & sailes.

W<sup>m</sup> Trowbridge  
 Appeared on ye day & yeare above written this said W<sup>m</sup> Trowbridge and made and acknowledged this his protest desiring the same to be recorded

W<sup>m</sup> Jones, Not. Public."

Cotton Mather, in his "Magnalia," records the following "interposition of Divine Providence," which, he says, is "attested beyond all contradiction":

"On the 16th of October in this present year, 1697, there arrived at New Haven, a sloop of about 50 tons, whereof Mr. William Trowbridge was master; the vessel belonged unto New Haven, the persons on board were seven; and seventeen long weeks had they now spent since they came from their port, which was Fayal. By so unusually tedious a passage a terrible famine unavoidably came upon them; and, for the five last weeks of their voyage, they were so destitute of all food, that, through faintness, they would have chosen death rather than life. But they were a praying and a pious company; and when these poor men cried unto the Lord, he heard and saved them. God sent his dolphins to attend them; of these they caught still one every day, which was enough to serve them; only, on Saturdays, they still catched a couple, and on the Lord's day they could catch none at all. With all possible skill and care they could not supply themselves with the fish in any other number or order; and, indeed, with a holy blush, they at last left off trying to do anything on the Lord's day, when they were so well supplied on the Saturdays. Thus, the Lord kept feeding a company that put their trust in him, as he did his Israel with his manna; and this they continued until the dolphins came to that change of water where they used to leave the vessel. Then they so strangely surrendered themselves, that the company took twenty-seven of them, which not only sufficed them until they came ashore, but, also, some of them were brought ashore dried, as a monument of the Divine benignity."

Captain Trowbridge was accustomed to make voyages to the West Indies, Fayal and other foreign ports, and died on one of these voyages. He attended the First Church, of which his wife was admitted a member May 15, 1689.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN. :\*

- i. THANKFUL, b. Sept. 25, 1687; m. William Gleason of Brookline, Mass.
- ii. EXPERIENCE, b. May 25, 1690; d. young.
- iii. ABIGAIL, b. Nov. 4, 1693; d. young.
- iv. LYDIA, b. ———, 1695; m. July 5, 1714, Charles Moorecock of Boston, Mass.

\* By New Haven Town Records.

**102.** DEA. THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 2, 1659, in New Haven, Conn.; died about July, 1750,\* in West Haven,† Conn.; married May 26, 1684, in New Haven,‡ Abigail Beardsley, daughter of Samuel and Abigail (———) Beardsley, born August 10, 1664, in Stratford, Conn.; died ———, 17—,§ in West Haven.

Thomas Trowbridge settled in the parish of West Haven in his native town. His home was on the north side of what is now Main street, a little east of Campbell avenue, near the Green, but he also owned considerable farm land towards the Sound. He was engaged in farming and is described as "husbandman" in the public records of that time. He was elected a selectman of New Haven in 1715 and 1716. He was among the first members of the West Haven Congregational church, organized in 1719, and became one of its first two deacons, an office which he held until his death. In 1733 his name heads the church fund with a donation of £130, the largest amount subscribed by any one person.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WEST HAVEN,† CONN.:

- i. ABIGAIL, b. Apr. 8, 1695; m., 1st, ———, 1715, Daniel Mallory of West Haven; m., 2d, ———, 1761, Nathaniel Beecher of West Haven.
- ii. LYDIA, b. Dec. 16, 1697; m. Jan. 4, 1721-2, James Parker of West Haven.
106. iii. WILLIAM, b. Apr. 14, 1700.
107. iv. EBENEZER, b. July 25, 1702.
- v. ELIZABETH, b. Apr. 23, 1705; m. Mar. 17, 1725-6, Isaac Beecher of West Haven.

**103.** DEA. JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 26, 1664, in New Haven, Conn.; died about May, 1732,|| in Wilton,\*\* Conn.; married, first, November 8, 1688, in New Haven, Lydia Alsop, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Preston) Alsop, born July 26, 1665, in New Haven; died May 6, 1690, in New Haven.†† He married, second, September 29, 1692, in New Haven, Esther Howe, daughter of Ephraim and Ann (———) Howe, born November 18, 1671, in New Haven; died ———, 1697, in Stratford, Conn. He married, third, April 19, 1698, in Wilton, Mary Belden, daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth (Foote) Belden, born November 17, 1677, in Hatfield, Mass.; died ———, 17—,‡‡

James Trowbridge learned the trade of a "cord-wainer," or shoemaker, in his native town, and followed it in New Haven and also in Stratford, Conn., whither he removed in September, 1693. He and his wife were admitted members of the Stratford Congregational church April 8, 1694. In Stratford he was chosen sealer of leather at the town meetings held from 1698 to 1702. He lived on Long Hill. In 1712 he removed to the town of Norwalk, Conn., purchasing a large farm on Chestnut Hill in the parish of Wilton. He there passed the remainder of his life, engaged in farming.

He was probably one of the three original members of the Wilton Congregational church, and was appointed a committee to make arrangements for the settlement of the Rev. Mr. Sturgeon. He was appointed a deacon of the church, an office which he filled until his death. In the town of Norwalk he served as fence viewer in 1717, grand juror in 1719 and town collector in 1721.

\* His will, dated Apr. 5, 1749, was proved on the first Monday in Aug., 1750. [New Haven Probate Records, vol. 7, pp. 644-5, 724, 731.]

† Then a part of the town of New Haven, where the births of the children are recorded.

‡ At least recorded there.

§ Before her husband.

|| His will, dated Apr. 9, 1732 (witnesses sworn May 8, 1732), was proved June 28, 1732. [Fairfield Probate Records.]

\*\* Then a part of Norwalk.

†† By gravestone in Center Church crypt.

‡‡ She was living in Wilton as late as 1737.

## CHILDREN :\*

*By first marriage:*

108. i. JAMES, b. Sept. 13, 1689.

*By second marriage:*

109. ii. ISAAC, b. ———, 1693.

iii. ESTHER, b. ———, 1694; m. Aug. 23, 1720, James Leavenworth of Hunting-

ton,† Conn.

iv. MARY, b. ———, 1697; m. ——— Brown of ———.

*By third marriage:*

110. v. DANIEL, b. Aug. 13, 1701.

vi. ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 1, 1703; m. ———‡ St. John of Norwalk, Conn.

111. vii. CALEB, b. Apr. 8, 1706.

112. viii. JOHN, b. May 22, 1709.

ix. ABIGAIL, b. Sept. 1, 1712; m. ——— Green of ———.

x. LYDIA, b. May 8, 1715; m. May 9, 1735, Eliakim Elmer of Wilton, Conn.

xi. SARAH, b. July 29, 1717; m. Aug. 29, 1737, Nathaniel Westcott of Wilton.

104. SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 7, 1670, in New Haven, Conn.; died in March?, 1741-2,§ in Fairfield, Conn.; married about 1698 Sarah ———. She married, second, May 26, 1743, in Fairfield, Edward Treadwell of Fairfield.

Samuel Trowbridge went with his elder brother to Stratford, Conn., and in May, 1695, was "a soldier pressed in the Province galley."¶ After his marriage he settled in the parish of Stratfield, near Fairfield, Conn., where he was engaged in farming. He was admitted a member of the Stratfield Congregational church on July 23, 1710, and his wife on February 14, 1713-4.

## CHILDREN BORN IN STRATFIELD, CONN.:\*\*

i. SARAH, bapt. Jan. 22, 1698-9; d. young.

113. ii. SAMUEL, b. Aug. 26, 1700.

iii. JOHN, bapt. Dec. 9, 1705; d. Oct. 26, 1741, in Fairfield, Conn.; unm.††

iv. ELIZABETH, bapt. July 30, 1710; m. Nathan Nichols of Stratfield.

v. HANNAH, bapt. Oct. 26, 1712; m. Hezekiah Treadwell of Stratfield.

vi. SARAH, bapt. Feb. 19, 1715-6; m. Daniel Bennett of Fairfield.

105. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1676, in New Haven, Conn.; died May —, 1715,‡‡ in Stratfield, Conn.; married about 1708 in Fairfield?, Conn., Anne Sherwood, daughter of Capt. Matthew and Mary (Fitch) Sherwood. She married, second, about 1716, Caleb Fairchild and removed to Hanover, N. J.

Joseph Trowbridge settled in the parish of Stratfield, near Fairfield, Conn., where he followed the trade of a carpenter and was also engaged in farming. He and his wife were members of the Stratfield Congregational church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN STRATFIELD, CONN.:\*\*

i. MATTHEW, bapt. June 5, 1709; d. in infancy.§§

114. ii. DAVID, b. Dec. 30, 1709.¶¶

iii. ANNE, bapt. Dec. 13, 1713; m. Feb. 25, 1734-5, Jacob Wakely of Stratfield.

\* i born in New Haven, Conn.; ii-ix in Stratford, Conn.; x-xi in Wilton, Conn.

† Then Ripton parish in Stratford.

‡ Matthias?

§ His will was dated Feb. 11, 1741-2; the witnesses were sworn Mar. 25, 1741-2. [Fairfield Probate Records, vol. 10, p. 169.]

¶ County Court Records.

\*\* Baptisms by Stratfield Congregational Church Records.

†† His will, dated July 1, 1741 (witnesses sworn Dec. 8, 1741), was presented Feb. 14, 1741-2. [Fairfield Probate Records, vol. 10, p. 102.]

‡‡ The inventory of his estate was taken May 31, 1715, and presented June 1, 1715. [Fairfield Probate Records, vol. 5, pp. 313-4.]

§§ Probably, as on June 1, 1715, at the settlement of his father's estate there is mention only of the other two children, of whom their mother was appointed guardian. [Fairfield Probate Records.]

¶¶ By his family bible.

106. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 14, 1700, in West Haven, Conn.; died December 14, 1787, in West Haven; married June 18, 1724, in West Haven, Mehitable Blakesley, daughter of Samuel and Sarah (Kimberly) Blakesley, born August 31, 1702, in West Haven; died May 2, 1788, in West Haven.

William Trowbridge lived all his life in his native place, the parish of West Haven in New Haven, Conn. He was a farmer. He and his wife were members of the West Haven Congregational church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WEST HAVEN,\* CONN.:†

115. i. WILLIAM, b. June 13, 1725.
- ii. MEHITABLE, b. Jan. 13, 1726-7; m. June 18, 1744, Capt. Titus Smith of Woodbridge, Conn.
- iii. THANKFUL, b. about 1729?; m. Mar. 19, 1745-6, Benjamin Bristol of Waterbury, Conn.
- iv. ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 16, 1731; m., 1st, Nov. 3, 1756, Capt. Ezra Candee of West Haven; m., 2d,‡ Joseph Prindle of West Haven.
- v. ABIGAIL, b. June 4, 1734.
- vi.? MARY, b. ———, 1745; m. ———, 1766, John Beecher of West Haven.§

107. EBENEZER TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 25, 1702, in West Haven, Conn.; died November 24, 1777, in West Haven;|| married February 9, 1725-6, in West Haven, Hannah Brown, daughter of Ebenezer and Elinor (Lane) Brown, born January 31, 1696-7, in West Haven; died ———, 1787,\*\* in West Haven.

Ebenezer Trowbridge was a farmer and lived in the parish of West Haven, his native place. His home was known as "Trowbridge Farm."

## CHILDREN BORN IN WEST HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. HANNAH, b. Mar. 13, 1726-7; d. unm.††
116. ii. EBENEZER, b. Feb. 26, 1728-9.
- iii. SARAH, b. Apr. 22, 1731; m. Levi Clinton of West Haven.
- iv. MARY, b. ———, 1733; m. John Benham of West Haven.

108. JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 13, 1689, in New Haven, Conn.; died about 1730, probably at sea; married about 1715 Susannah ———.‡‡

James Trowbridge was a mariner, sailing out of New Haven, where he made his home. He appears to have been a prosperous man, and owned considerable real estate and a warehouse near the water front. He died at sea while on one of his voyages.

\* Then a part of New Haven.

† The births of i, ii, iv and v are recorded in New Haven Town Records.

‡ Before Mar. 1, 1771.

§ By R. B. Hughes' "Beecher Genealogy." The "Tuttle Genealogy," p. 153, prints his name *Ezra* Beecher. On Dec. 5, 1763, a Mary Trowbridge and William Trowbridge (No. 106) witness a deed from No. 115 and his wife.

|| Administration on his estate was granted on the third Monday in Jan., 1778, to John Renham "in right of his wife Mary, a daughter of said Ebenezer Trowbridge."

\*\* Administration on her estate was granted Dec. 3, 1787. [New Haven Probate Records.]

†† Probably, and before her mother. She was living unmarried in West Haven in 1752.

‡‡ The only "Susannah" in New Haven, who is unprovided with a husband either by the records or by genealogists, is Susannah Blakesley, daughter of Ebenezer and Hannah (Lupton) Blakesley, born May 21, 1689, in New Haven.

Did the widow of James Trowbridge marry, second, Benjamin St. John of Norwalk? (See footnote § opposite page.)



## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN. :\*

- i. JAMES, b. about 1716.†
- ii. JOHN, b. about 1720.‡
- 117. iii. SAMUEL, b. about 1726.§

109. ISAAC TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1693, in Stratford, Conn.; died about 1770 in Southbury?, Conn.; married, first, about 1717 in Stratford, Ruth Perry, daughter of Arthur and Anna (Judson) Perry, born May 5, 1690, in Stratford; died January 27, 1767, in Oxford, Conn. He married, second, Hannah ———, who died March 29, 1769, aged 60 years.

Isaac Trowbridge received a grant of land from his father at the north end of Long Hill in Stratford, and settled there after his marriage. He conducted a tannery in Stratford for a number of years. On January 28, 1719-20, he was appointed with Col. Ebenezer Johnson of Derby a committee to run a line between the town and the Indians. The following year he removed to the parish of Ripton (Huntington), where he and his wife were among those who organized the Congregational church in that parish on February 12, 1724. He was elected a grand juror of Stratford in December, 1732.

He removed to the adjoining township of Derby, and lived in that part now the town of Oxford, "the southwest part of Waterbury woods." In May, 1740, he was a petitioner for the setting apart of Oxford as a separate parish. The petition was granted May 7, 1741, and he was chosen clerk of the new parish at the first meeting, which was held June 30, 1741. He was active in organizing the Congregational church in Oxford, and he and his wife were among its first members, being received October 27, 1745, from the church in Ripton.

## CHILDREN BORN IN STRATFORD, CONN. :

*By first marriage:¶*

- 118. i. JOSEPH, b. June 12, 1718.
- ii. RACHEL, b. Nov. 18, 1719; m. Moses Bristol of Oxford, Conn.
- 119. iii. ISAAC, b. Mar. 11, 1721.
- 120. iv. ISRAEL, bapt. Sept. 30, 1722.
- v. ESTHER, b. ———, 1726; m. Dec. 9, 1761, Naboth Candee of Oxford.
- vi. SARAH, b. ———, 1730; m. Feb. 19, 1755, David Johnson of Southbury, Conn.

110. DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 13, 1701, in Stratford, Conn.; died ———, 17—, in ———; married ———, 1725, in Norwalk, Conn., Sarah Seymour, daughter of Capt. John and Sarah (Gregory) Seymour.

Daniel Trowbridge came with his father to the parish of Wilton in Norwalk, Conn., where he settled and was engaged in farming. His farm was near his father's on Chestnut Hill. He was elected fence viewer for Wilton in 1728; surveyor of highways in 1731; highway committeeman in 1737; grand juror in 1743 and 1749; and lister in 1747. He was a member of the Congregational church in Wilton, and was appointed one of its society's committee of three in 1733. The record of his death was not found.

\* It is supposed, although not recorded there.

† He is mentioned in the will of his grandfather (No 103), dated 1732. He sold land in New Haven, inherited from his great-aunt Hannah Alsop, July 12, 1737, and no further reference to him has been found in any record.

‡ He chose his mother guardian May 6, 1734. He sold land in New Haven, inherited from his great-aunt Hannah Alsop, July 28, 1742, and no further reference to him has been found in any record.

§ It is thought by the compiler that i and ii were sailors and were lost at sea, and that they were unmarried.

¶ Chose Benjamin St. John of Norwalk, Conn., as his guardian Mar. 3, 1740-1.

|| No children by second marriage. Authorities: Stratford and Oxford town and church records.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WILTON, CONN.:\*

- 121. i. DANIEL, b. Aug. 25, 1726.
- 122. ii. STEPHEN, b. Dec. 16, 1727.
- 123. iii. JAMES, b. Dec. 14, 1729.
  - iv. SARAH, b. about 1732; m. Sept. 18, 1754, James Olmstead of Wilton.
  - v. ABIGAIL, b. about 1735; m. Sept. 11, 1759, David Hitchcock of New Milford, Conn.
  - vi. ELIZABETH, b. about 1739; m. Mar. 31, 1763, Aaron Hitchcock of New Milford.
- 124. vii. JOSEPH, b. May 11, 1741.
- 122. viii. SAMUEL, bapt. Sept. 18, 1743.
- ix. LYDIA, bapt. Oct. 27, 1745.
- 125. x. WILLIAM, bapt. Dec. 30, 1747.

111. CALEB TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 8, 1706, in Stratford, Conn.; died January 2, 1759,† in New Fairfield, Conn.; married about 1730 in Wilton, Conn., Jemima Keeler, daughter of Ralph and Jemima (———) Keeler. She married, second, Ebenezer Beardsley of New Fairfield.‡

Caleb Trowbridge came in childhood with his father to Wilton, Conn., where he was engaged in farming for a number of years after his marriage. He had six acres from the north part of his father's homestead on Chestnut Hill, his brother Daniel's farm being on the south. In May, 1741, he removed to New Fairfield, a neighboring town, where he passed the remainder of his life.

The names of Caleb Trowbridge and his wife are in the first list of communicants of the New Fairfield Congregational church, dated March 29, 1758. One of his descendants thinks that Caleb was a soldier in the French and Indian War, but no such service is on record.

## CHILDREN :§

- i. REBECCA, b. about 1733; m. Abel Hodge of New Fairfield, Conn.
- ii. MARY ("Molly"), b. about 1735; m. ———, 1756, William Betts of New Milford, Conn.
- 126. iii. RALPH, b. about 1737.
- iv. JEMIMA, bapt. Oct. 7, 1739; m. Feb. 5, 1760, Abel Sanford of Newtown, Conn.||
- 127. v. CALEB, b. about 1745.\*\*
- 128. vi. KEELER, b. about 1749.††
- vii. ELIZABETH, b. about 1750; d. young probably.
- viii. MERCY, b. about 1752.‡‡
- ix. ESTHER, b. about 1756.§§

112. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 22, 1709, in Stratford, Conn.; died May —, 1777, in Danbury, Conn.;||| married about 1735, in Norwalk, Conn., Mary Comstock, daughter of Capt. Samuel and Sarah (Hanford) Comstock, born August 5, 1710, in Norwalk; died ———, 17—,\*\*\* in Danbury?.

John Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to the parish of Wilton in Norwalk, Conn. He lived there until the spring of 1749, when he removed to Danbury, Conn. He served in the French and Indian War as corporal of the Fifth Company, 4th Connecticut Regiment, enlisting September

\* By Wilton Congregational Church Records.

† His will was dated Dec. 25, 1758. The witnesses, John Trowbridge (No. 112) and Comfort Trowbridge (second wife of No. 113) were sworn Feb. 2, 1759. [Danbury Probate Records, vol. 1, p. 166.]

‡ The destruction of the New Fairfield town records has caused irreparable loss to the records of No. 111 and his descendants who lived in that town.

§ Mentioned in their father's will; i-iv probably born in Wilton, Conn.; the others in New Fairfield, Conn. See footnote ‡.

|| Did she m., 2d, June 16, 1762, Benjamin Griffin of Danbury, Conn.?

\*\* Chose guardian May 1, 1759.

†† Chose guardian Aug. 23, 1763.

‡‡ Chose guardian Aug. 13, 1764.

§§ Chose guardian Jan. 20, 1768.

||| His will, dated Mar. 29, 1777, proved May 26, 1777, mentions wife Mary, "son John now in captivity in New York," etc. [Danbury Probate Records, vol. 3, p. 495.]

\*\*\* After her husband.

12, and being discharged November 8, 1755.\* He was sergeant of the Seventh Company, 3d Connecticut Regiment, on a roll dated Fort William Henry October 13, 1756.† He was a sergeant of Capt. John Barnum's Danbury militia company for eighteen days in August, 1757, in the alarm for the relief of Fort William Henry.‡

John Trowbridge was engaged in farming in Danbury the rest of his life. His farmhouse was in the Miry Brook district, just west of the town, and during the Revolution soldiers were quartered there, among them his son-in-law Mr. Eames. In Norwalk Mr. Trowbridge was chosen tithingman in 1735, grand juror in 1740 and lister in 1746. In Danbury he was chosen a selectman in 1753 and collector of rates in 1761. He was also a prominent member of the Danbury Congregational church.

## CHILDREN:§

129. i. JOHN, b. about 1736.  
 130. ii. DAVID, b. ———, 1738.  
 iii. SARAH, b. about 1739; m. ———, 1763, Lieut. Lemuel Benedict of Danbury, Conn.  
 iv. ANN, b. about 1741; m. ———, 1761, Joseph Thomas of Litchfield, Conn.  
 131. v. ISAAC, b. about 1744.  
 vi. ESTHER, b. Nov. 6, 1748; m. Dec. 13, 1769, Lieut. Aaron Benedict of Middlebury, Conn.  
 vii. PHEBE, b. July —, 1751; m. Nov. 11, 1778, Everet Eames of Danbury.  
 viii. LYDIA, b. ———, 1755?; m. July 13, 1786, John Woodward of Watertown, Conn.

113. DEA. SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 26, 1700, in Stratfield, Conn.; died November 24, 1782, in New Fairfield, Conn.;|| married, first, August 30, 1722, in Stratfield, Sarah Seeley,\*\* daughter of Lieut. James and Sarah (————) Seeley, born June 29, 1703, in Stratfield; died March 15, 1752, in New Fairfield. He married, second, November 1, 1753, in Roxbury, Conn., Comfort (————) Hurlbut,†† widow of Lieut. Joshua Hurlbut of Roxbury. He married, third, February 9, 1774, in New Milford, Conn., Mrs. Anne Moger.

Samuel Trowbridge after his marriage settled in his native town and lived there until the spring of 1749. At that time he removed to the town of New Fairfield, Conn., where he passed the remainder of his life. He was a farmer. In Stratford he held several of the minor town offices, such as fence viewer in 1735 and surveyor of highways in 1736 and 1746. He and his wife were admitted to full communion in the Stratfield Congregational church July 28, 1731. They were also communicants of the New Fairfield Congregational church, of which Mr. Trowbridge was chosen a deacon on March 29, 1758. He held this office until his death and was a leading man in the town.

His family bible, in which had been entered the following records of the family, had been preserved by his descendants until 1858, when it was destroyed by fire in a store at Abbeville, S. C., which belonged to his great-great-grandson Joseph Trowbridge. The following verse was also recorded there:

"Samuel Trowbridge, born was he  
 In seventeen hundred, you may see;  
 The month of August he was born,  
 The sixth and twentieth, in the morn."

\* "Connecticut Historical Society's Collections," vol. 9, p. 55.

† Ditto, p. 237.

‡ Ditto, pp. 138-9.

§ i-vi born in Wilton, Conn.; the others in Danbury, Conn.

The destruction of the town records at the burning of Danbury by the British is an irreparable loss to the genealogies of families who lived there.

|| The inventory of his estate was taken Jan. 13, 1783. His "widow Anne" is mentioned [Danbury Probate Records, vol. 4, p. 261.]

\*\* Or Seeley.

†† The dates of her birth and death were not found. She was a witness to the will of No. 111 in 1758 and was alive at the date it was offered for probate.

## CHILDREN BORN IN STRATFIELD, CONN.:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. ABIGAIL, b. July 9, 1724; m. ——— Lacy.
- 132. ii. STEPHEN, b. Jan. 30, 1726.
- 133. iii. SETH, b. June 24, 1729.
- iv. WILLIAM, b. Mar. 13, 1732-3; d. Apr. 13, 1742.
- v. MEHITABLE, b. Jan. 13, 1735-6; d. July 12, 1758; unm.
- vi. HANNAH, b. Feb. 13, 1740-1; m. Aug. 22,† 1763, John Stillson of New Milford, Conn.
- vii. SARAH, b. Apr. 27, 1743; m. July 21, 1762, Samuel Dibble of Bethel, Conn.
- 134. viii. JOHN, b. Apr. 7, 1746.
- 135. ix. BILLY, b. Nov. 4, 1748.

114. DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 30, 1709, in Stratfield, Conn.; died November 16, 1768, in Morristown, N. J.;‡ married July 3, 1735, in Bedford, N. Y.?, Lydia (Holmes?),§ born January 21, 1716, in ———; died January 27, 1792, in Morristown.

David Trowbridge settled after his marriage in "the township of Hanover, in the county of Hunterdon, alias Morrice county, West New Jersey."|| He was a farmer and probably lived in the west part of Hanover which became Morristown. He and his wife were Baptists in religion.

Trowbridge Mountain, situated partly in Hanover and partly in Randolph, N. J., derives its name from the fact that David Trowbridge and several of his sons and grandsons had their farms on and near it.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MORRISTOWN, N. J.:\*\*

- i. LYDIA, b. Aug. 30, 1736; d. Mar. 9, 1750.
- 136. ii. DANIEL, b. Dec. 28, 1737.
- 137. iii. SHUBAEL, b. Sept. 3, 1739.
- iv. ANN, b. Nov. 15, 1740; d. June 6, 1755.
- 138. v. SAMUEL, b. Feb. 23, 1742.
- 139. vi. DAVID, b. July 11, 1743.
- vii. CALEB, b. Mar. 29, 1745; d. Mar. 13, 1760.
- viii. MARY ANN, b. Oct. 17, 1747; m. Jan. 29, 1766, Gershom Johnson of Morristown.
- ix. TABITHA, b. ———, 174-;†† d. young.
- x. JOSEPH, b. Apr. 16, 1749; d. July 7, 1753.
- 140. xi. ABSALOM, b. May 25, 1750.
- xii. TABITHA, b. ———, 175-;†† d. "aged 21 years and 8 months."‡‡
- 141. xiii. JOB, b. Mar. 8, 1754.
- 142. xiv. JOSEPH, b. Oct. 2, 1756.
- xv. ANN, b. Jan. 30, 1763; d. Dec. 12, 1767.
- xvi. LYDIA, b. Feb. 23, 1769; m. June 26, 1793. ———.

115. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 13, 1725, in West Haven, Conn.; died December 6, 1793, in West Haven; married ———, 1759, in West Haven, Rebecca Painter, daughter of

\* No children by the other marriages.

† By New Fairfield Congregational Church Records; †† by New Milford Congregational Church Records.

‡ His will, dated Nov. 9, 1768, wherein he calls himself "of the town of Morris," was proved Dec. 9, 1768, and mentions: "wife and eight children," Shubael being the only child mentioned by name. [Trenton Surrogate Records, Liber K of wills, pp. 58, etc.]

§ She is called "of Bedford" in the family bible.

|| By Stratford, Conn., Town Records.

\*\* This family register is copied from the family bible of David Trowbridge which was found in the mountains, eight miles from Dover, N. J., by Mr. William A. Eardeley of Brooklyn, N. Y., a genealogist who visited that locality in behalf of the compiler.

†† Date torn off from family bible register. Perhaps a twin.

‡‡ Gravestone in Whippany, N. J., churchyard. No date on gravestone.

The name of Peter Trowbridge appears in 1783 in West New Jersey Deeds recorded at Trenton. His relationship, if any, is unknown.

Shubael and Elizabeth (Dunbar) Painter, born May 19, 1734, in West Haven; died ———, 180—\* in West Haven?

William Trowbridge lived all his life in his native place, the parish of West Haven in the town of New Haven, Conn. He was a farmer. He is said to have set the psalms in the parish Congregational church of which he and his wife were members. He was commissioned ensign of the parish trainband May 29, 1751.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WEST HAVEN, CONN.:

- 143. i. DAVID, b. May 13, 1760.
- 144. ii. SAMUEL, b. Dec. 22, 1761.
- 145. iii. THOMAS, b. Sept. 14, 1761.
- 146. iv. WILLIAM, b. Sept. 2, 1767.
- v. MEDITABLE, b. Aug. 10, 1769.
- 147. vi. JOSEPH EBENEZER, b. July 9, 1772.
- 148. vii. JUSTUS, b. May 4, 1774.

116. CAPT. EBENEZER TROWBRIDGE (*Ebenezer*<sup>107</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 26, 1728-9, in West Haven, Conn.; died ———, 1767,† in West Haven;‡ married ———, 17—, in West Haven. Esther Catlin, daughter of John and Jemima (Allen) Catlin, born May 24, 1733, in Deerfield, Mass.; died ———, 17—, in West Haven. He is supposed to have married, second,§ in West Haven, Obedience Beecher, daughter of Stephen and Susannah (Hale) Beecher, born January 27, 1723-4, in West Haven; died January —, 1807, in West Haven.

Ebenezer Trowbridge was a sea captain, and died, perhaps, while making one of his voyages. His home was in his native place, the parish of West Haven, Conn. In his inventory there is mentioned his interest in the sloop *Trojan*.

## NO CHILDREN.

117. CAPT. SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1726 in New Haven, Conn.; died ———, 1771,|| in Bedford, N. Y.; married, first, about 1751\*\* in New Canaan, Conn., Anna Eells, daughter of Rev. John and Anna (Beard) Eells, born May 1, 1729, in Milford, Conn.; died ———, 17—, in Bedford. He married, second, Anne (Smith) Jump, born May 10, 1730, in ———. She married, third, Seth Whitney of Crownpond village, Yorktown, N. Y., and died there June 29, 1819.

Samuel Trowbridge after his father's death probably went to live with his guardian, Benjamin St. John, in Norwalk, Conn. After his marriage he settled in Bedford, Westchester county, N. Y. He was a shoemaker by trade, and followed that business in early life, but the last ten years of his life was engaged in farming.

\* She was living in West Haven as late as 1808, probably, as she is mentioned as "late deceased" in April of that year.

† Administration on his estate was granted to his brother-in-law Levi Clinton Sept. 1, 1767. There is a deed in New Haven Town Records, vol. 45, p. 404, dated May 26, 1794, to Ebenezer Trowbridge, Jr., in the first clause and to William Trowbridge, Jr., in the second clause. The name in the first clause must be an error.

‡ Or at sea.

§ Prior to Aug. 17, 1762. There seems to have been no other Trowbridge in West Haven (of suitable age) who could have been the husband of Mrs. Obedience Trowbridge, as she is known in deeds and at her death.

|| Administration on his estate was granted to his widow Anne Trowbridge Dec. 12, 1771. [New York City Surrogate Records, Liber D, part 2, p. 19.]

\*\* Before Feb. 1, 1752, when he and his wife Anna sell land in Milford, Conn., which she had inherited from her maternal grandfather, Jeremiah Beard.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BEDFORD, N. Y.:

*By first marriage:*

149. i. JOHN, b. about 1753.\*  
 150. ii. JAMES, b. about 1754.

*By second marriage?:*

- iii. LYDIA, b. about 1763; m. Nov. 19, 1788, Richard Smith of Yorktown, N. Y.†  
 151. iv. SAMUEL, b. Sept. 30, 1765.  
 v.‡ LUCY, b. Feb. 8, 1768;‡ m., 1st, May 30, 1790, Dr. Reuben Warner of Bridge-water, Conn.; m., 2d, Sept. —, 1827, Robert Andrews of Brookfield, Conn.

118. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>100</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 12, 1718, in Stratford, Conn.; died October 9, 1801, in Danbury, Conn.; married April 15, 1741,§ in Southbury, Conn., Trial Morehouse.||

Joseph Trowbridge settled in the southern part of the town of Woodbury, Conn., in the parish of Southbury. He was engaged in farming there until a few years before his death, which occurred at the home of his son Doctor Joseph, with whom he had passed his declining years. He and his wife were members of the Congregational church in Oxford, Conn.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SOUTHBURY, CONN.:

- i. LORANIA, b. ———, 1742; m. ———, 1764, David Woodin of Oxford, Conn.  
 ii. JAMES, bapt. Aug. 19, 1744;\*\* d. in infancy.  
 iii. JAMES, bapt. Dec. —, 1745;†† d. young.‡‡  
 iv. ELIHU,§§ b. ———, 1748; d. Mar. 23, 1826, in Southbury; unm. [See below.]  
 152. v. PHILEMON, b. Jan. 13, 1751.  
 vi. ANNA, bapt. Nov. 5, 1752;†† m. Nov. 16, 1772, Joel Hickox of Washington, Conn.  
 vii.‡ ELIZABETH, b. ———, 1754; m. Dea. Noah Allen of East Windsor, Conn.  
 viii. SARAH, bapt. Jan. 29, 1755;†† m. May 7, 1780, Ephraim Stiles of Southbury.  
 153. ix. JOSEPH, bapt. Nov. 8, 1757.††  
 x. RUTH, b. ———, 1759; m. Sept. 3, 1778, David Mallory of Southbury.

Elihu Trowbridge was a soldier in the Revolution. He enlisted April 20, 1775, from Hatfield, Mass., as a private in Capt. Israel Chapin's company, Col. John Fellows' regiment, and was discharged October 8, 1775. He re-enlisted January 1, 1776, in Cambridge, Mass., in Capt. Samuel Hunt's company, Colonel Ward's regiment, Massachusetts Line. He was chosen in February, 1776, as one of General Washington's Life Guard, as sergeant under Captain Gibbs, and continued in that service about nine months. He was appointed a second lieutenant in Samuel Granger's company, 2d Connecticut Regiment, Col. Charles Webb, January 1, 1777. He resigned December 4, 1777. In January, 1778, he was appointed a captain of marines on board of the frigate *Warren*, commanded by John Hopkins, where he served until she was destroyed at Penobscot some time in March, 1779. He then was on leave of absence from the Marine Committee, of which Samuel Adams was president, until peace was declared. After leaving the army he followed the trade of pumpmaking. He lived in Earl, Lancaster county, Pa., Derby Landing, Conn., and Washington, Conn., returning in his old age to his native place, where he died. He drew a pension for a few years prior to his death.!!!

\* He d. in May, 1826, "aged 73."

† By "Trowbridge Family" some of their descendants changed their surname from Smith to *Trowbridge* and reside in Philadelphia, Pa. Those of them that the compiler traced failed to answer his letters.

‡ Supposed to be a daughter of No. 117. At her 1st marriage, in Roxbury, Conn., she is called "of Roxbury," where No. 149, her supposed brother, was living. Was he also the father of POLLY, mentioned in the second paragraph of footnote § under No. 156?

§ By "History of Woodbury," vol. 1; 1742 by ditto, vol. 3.

|| Of whom no further particulars were found.

\*\* By Woodbridge, Conn., Congregational Church Records.

†† By Oxford, Conn., Congregational Church Records.

‡‡ By descendants of his brothers. No further mention of him was found in public records.

§§ Bapt. *Elitus*, Dec. 25, 1748.

!!! Authorities: Massachusetts Archives; "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 158; U. S. Pension Office Records.

119. ISAAC TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 11, 1721, in Stratford, Conn.; died ———, 1——, in ———; married, first, January 15, 1747-8 in Oxford, Conn., Judith Hale.\* He married, second, Hannah (———) Way,\* widow of Joseph Way of Litchfield, Conn.

Isaac Trowbridge came with his father to Oxford, Conn., and lived there until the year 1776. In the spring of that year he removed to Litchfield, Conn., settling on a farm of sixty acres in the western part of that town in the parish of Milton. He was a farmer. He probably followed his son Isaac to the state of New York. He and his first wife were admitted to the Congregational church in Oxford July 26, 1772, and dismissed to the church in Litchfield November 24, 1776.

## CHILDREN BORN IN OXFORD, CONN.:

*By first marriage:†*

- i. NAOMI, bapt. Mar. 26, 1749.
  - ii. DANIEL, bapt. Mar. 28, 1751.‡
  - iii. ESTHER, bapt. May 17, 1752.
  - iv. MARY, bapt. Apr. 21, 1754.
  - v. SIBYL, bapt. Apr. 11, 1756; d. Jan. 10, 1766.
  - 154. vi. ISAAC, b. ———, 1758.
  - vii.? OLIVE, b. about 176-; m. Jan. 12, 1786, Phineas Hunt of ———.‡
  - viii.? SIBYL, b. about 176-; m. Feb. 20, 1793, John Mason of ———.‡
- Other children?||

120. ISRAEL TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), baptized September 30, 1722, in Stratford, Conn.; died ———, 1795, in Fair Haven, Vt.; married, first, ———, 1747, in Derby, Conn., Mary Johnson, daughter of Peter and Mary (———) Johnson, born December 3, 1724, in Derby; died about 1781?, in Fair Haven?. He probably married, second, about 1783 in Castleton, Vt., Lydia (Kilbourn) Palmer, widow of Benjamin Palmer of Litchfield, Conn., and daughter of Elisha Kilbourn. She married, third, John Lynch of Poultney, Vt.

Israel Trowbridge came with his father to Oxford, Conn., and was engaged in farming there, his home being near the meeting-house. In the summer or fall of 1780 he removed to the town of Fair Haven, Vt., where he settled on a farm in the eastern part of the town, near the west line of Castleton and on the north side of the road leading from Hydeville. He was one of the proprietors named in the charter of Fair Haven, and located in September, 1780, three divisions of his right, nearly three hundred acres, in one body, along Castleton line and the river.

## CHILDREN BORN IN OXFORD, CONN.:

*By first marriage:\*\**

- i. ABIGAIL, b. Nov. 9, 1748; d. "aged 100" in Superior, Mich.; unm.
- ii. HANNAH, b. Feb. 9, 1751; m. Nov. 22, 1772, Jeremiah Durand of Oxford.
- 155. iii. LEVI,†† b. May 25, 1753.
- iv. DAVID, b. Mar. 7, 1755; was a soldier in the Revolution. He enlisted in June, 1776, in Capt. Nathaniel Johnson's company, Col. William Douglas' regiment, Connecticut state troops, and was in the battle of Long Island. His term of service expired in December, 1776.‡‡ He d. May 9, 1777, in Oxford; unm.

\* Of whom no further particulars were found.

† Baptisms from Oxford Church Records. No children by second marriage.

‡ Grandchildren of his brother had never heard of him, and the compiler could not trace him further.

§ By Sharon, Conn., Town Records.

|| One of the daughters of No. 119 may have married an Allen, for administration on the estate of Trowbridge Allen of Aurelius, N. Y., was granted in 1814 to Jerusha and Seymour Allen. (See No. 154.)

\*\* No children by second marriage.

†† Bapt. *Ely* (Eli) July 15, 1753, by Oxford Congregational Church Records.

‡‡ "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 407.

- v. ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 15, 1757; m. Jan. 19, 1783, Dr. Osee Dutton of Oxford.
- vi. SARAH, bapt. July 26, 1761; d. Sept. 19, 1776.
- vii. EBENEZER, b. May 18, 1763; d. Sept. 8, 1776.
- viii. ANN, b. Aug. 28, 1765; d. Sept. 11, 1776.
- ix. MARY, b. ———, 1767; m. Ralph Carver of Castleton, Vt.\*

121. DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 25, 1726, in Wilton, Conn.; died ———, 1792,† in Bridgewater, Conn.; married about 1756 in Wilton?, Deborah‡ ———.

Daniel Trowbridge after his marriage settled at Drum Hill in his native place, the parish of Wilton in the town of Norwalk, Conn., where he engaged in farming. He was chosen surveyor of highways in 1754. Early in the summer of 1760 he bought a farm of about fifty acres in "Still River Neck," on the west side of the Housatonic river, in New Milford, Conn., and removed there the following summer. He sold this six years later and removed to a farm in "Shepaug Neck," the lower end of the present town of Bridgewater, then a part of the town of New Milford. He there passed the remainder of his life. He and his wife were admitted members of the Congregational church in Wilton April 6, 1757, and became members of the church in New Milford after their removal to that town.

## CHILDREN:§

- 156. i. EBENEZER, b. June 4, 1757.
- ii. SARAH, bapt. Feb. 18, 1759; d. July 13, 1760.
- iii. SARAH, bapt. Nov. 23, 1760.
- iv. BETSEY, b. ———, 1763?; m. Benjamin Ruggles of Bridgewater, Conn.
- v. POLLY, b. ———, 1766?; m. Jan. 26, 1786, Ira Pennock of Southbury, Conn.||
- vi. ABIGAIL, b. ———, 1770?; m. Sept. 22, 1791, Jonathan Bostwick of Bridgewater.
- vii. "Child" [ABIGAIL?], bapt. Mar. 19, 1770.
- viii. ANNIS, bapt. May 29, 1773; m. Aug. 31, 1794, Castle Warner of Bridgewater. Other children?\*

122. STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE or his brother SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), the former born December 16, 1727, in Wilton, Conn., and the latter baptized there September 18, 1743, may have been the ——— Trowbridge who married ———, 17—, in Danbury?, Conn., Thankful Benedict, daughter of Matthew and Mabel (Noble) Benedict, born about 17[38?] in Danbury?. She married, second, †† John Hopkins of New Fairfield, Conn., and died ———, 17—,‡‡ in New Fairfield?§§

Stephen Trowbridge was a soldier in the French and Indian War. He enlisted April 1, 1758, in the Eighth Company.||| 4th Connecticut Regiment, raised for

\* By "History of Fair Haven, Vt."

† Administration on his estate was granted Dec. 4, 1792. His "widow [Deborah] and only surviving son Ebenezer" are mentioned. [New Milford Probate Records.]

‡ Unless she was a second wife. She may have been a daughter of Stephen Burritt.

§ Order of births uncertain. i-iii born in Wilton, Conn.; the others in Bridgewater, Conn.

|| Their daughter Polly was the second wife of No. 251.

\*\* From footnote † it may be that there was at least one more son who died before his father. If so, his name is unknown to descendants of No. 121, and the above phrase (in italics) may have been the form used by the court.

†† Date not found.

‡‡ Before her father, who d. in Sept., 1781. She left the four Trowbridge children below and one child (Abijah) by Mr. Hopkins.

§§ The burning of the New Fairfield town hall with the town records about forty years ago and the destruction of the Danbury town records at the burning of Danbury by the British have caused irreparable loss to the genealogies of families who lived in those localities.

||| Of Norwalk.



the campaign of 1758. The roll of his company is on page 163 of the "French War Rolls, 1758" in the Connecticut State Library,\* and opposite his name is entered: "length of service, 24 weeks and 4 days; dead, September 22, 1758."†

Samuel Trowbridge was a soldier in the Revolution. He enlisted November 17, 1777, for the war, in Capt. Samuel Comstock's company,‡ 8th Regiment, Connecticut Line.§ He is entered as "deserted" on May 29, 1778, and as "rejoined" on September 15, 1778, and as "deserted" again on April 21, 1779.¶ A letter from the late Mr. Theodore B. Galusha (a great-grandson of No. 123) states that Samuel went to Tully, N. Y., where he was a well-known hunter and died about 1833; unmarried.

The compiler has found no proof that either Stephen or Samuel married, or was the father of the four children recorded below. There seems to have been no other Trowbridge unmarried living at that time in Fairfield county who could have been their father, and that they were of this immediate family it seems reasonable to suppose from the name of child No. iii below, evidently named for the father-in-law of their supposed grandfather, and child No. i may well have been named for the wife of No. 123, for this was not a Benedict name. There seems too great a disparity of years to make Thankful a possible second wife for No. 110. It is also possible that No. 110 had another son, whose name is not on record, who married Thankful Benedict.

The records prove that ——— and Thankful (Benedict) Trowbridge had the following

## CHILDREN BORN IN DANBURY?, CONN.:\*\*

- i. MOLLY, b. ———, 17—; m. Ist. Martin Tubbs of South East, N. Y.; m. 2d, ——— Peasley of Rensselaerville, N. Y.
- 157. ii. MATTHEW, b. ———, 17—,††
- iii. JOHN SEYMOUR, b. ———, 17—; d. ———, 18—; unm.‡‡
- iv. REBECCA, b. ———, 17—; m. Merrit Hamlin (or Hammill) of New Fairfield, Conn.

**123. JAMES TROWBRIDGE** (*Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 14, 1729, in Wilton, Conn.; died about 1800 in Tully, N. Y.; married November 27, 1752, in Wilton, Molly Dunning, daughter of John and Sarah (Lambert) Dunning, born about 1732 in Wilton; died§§ about 1800 in Tully.

James Trowbridge settled in his native place, the parish of Wilton in the town of Norwalk, Conn., where he was elected a tithingman in 1761 and a grand juror in 1763. Soon after the close of the Revolution he removed with several of his sons to Sheffield, Mass. The closing years of his life were passed with his eldest daughter in Tully, N. Y. He followed the trade of a shoemaker for some years, but for most of his life was engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WILTON, CONN.:|||

- 158. i. JAMES, b. ———, 1757;
- ii. LURANIA, bapt. May 28, 1758; m. ———, 1776, Samuel Goodrich of Tully, N. Y.

\* Also "Connecticut Historical Society's Collections," vol. 10, p. 82.

† He must not be confused with No. 132, whose identity is absolutely proved by records in Danbury.

‡ Of Norwalk.

§ "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 238. This service is not claimed by the widow of No. 160 in her pension application.

¶ The regiment had wintered at Redding. There are instances of a man being entered as "deserted" when he was really dead.

\*\* Order of births unknown. They signed deeds in the following order.

†† About 1769 by "Trowbridge Family," which, if correct, precludes his being a son of Stephen, who died in 1758 by the French War Rolls.

‡‡ He joined in deeds drawn in Danbury as late as 1804, in which he "made his mark," his name being always given in full. His name is unknown to descendants of his brother.

§§ About ten years after her husband.

||| Except i, who was born in Danbury, Conn., by his pension record. The baptisms are from Wilton Congregational Church Records, and the births of the sons from their pension records.

159. iii. STEPHEN, bapt. June 22, 1760.  
 160. iv. SAMUEL, b. July 17, 1761.  
 161. v. SETH, b. June 1, 1763.  
 162. vi. AARON, b. Mar. 25, 1765.  
     vii. SARAH, bapt. Sept. 2, 1769; m. William Ellis of Adams, N. Y.  
     viii. MARY,\* b. July 9, 1771; m. about 1790 Benjamin Galusha of Cortland, N. Y.  
 163. ix. JOHN, b. Feb. 28, 1772.  
 164. x. DANIEL, bapt. July 11, 1773.

124. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 11, 1741, in Wilton, Conn.; died September —, 1776, in the army near New York City; married March 9, 1763, in Wilton, Martha Hickox, daughter of Silas and Ruth (———) Hickox, born June 13, 1743, in Wilton. She married second, July 24,† 1777, David Lockwood of Norwalk, Conn., and died there May 24, 1815.

Joseph Trowbridge settled in his native place, the town of Norwalk, Conn., parish of Wilton. He was a farmer by occupation. He served in the French and Indian War in the campaign of 1759. He enlisted April 16, 1759, in the Fifth Company, 3d Connecticut Regiment, and was discharged December 3, 1759.‡ He was also a soldier in the Revolution. He enlisted January 15, 1776, as a private in Capt. Matthew Mead's company, Col. David Waterbury's regiment. He next enlisted in Capt. Gamaliel Northrup, Jr.'s, company, Col. Silliman's regiment, General Wadsworth's Connecticut brigade, raised in June, 1776, to reinforce Washington's army at New York. He was in the battle of Long Island, August 27 of that year, and, as he is reported as "missing" in the retreat from New York, September 15, he probably was killed in one of the engagements in or near that city.§

CHILDREN BORN IN WILTON, CONN.:

165. i. THOMAS, b. Sept. 18, 1763.  
     ii. SARAH, bapt. July 28, 1766; d. in infancy.  
     iii. SARAH, b. Mar. 31, 1770.  
     iv. THADDEUS, bapt. May 9, 1776; d. young, it is said.

125. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), baptized December 30, 1747, in Wilton, Conn.; died October 30, 1837, in Tully, N. Y.; married August 8, 1772, in New Milford, Conn., Hepzibah Weller, daughter of Joseph and Martha (Peet) Weller, born August 6, 1749, in New Milford; died October 9, 1821, in Tully.

William Trowbridge after his marriage settled in New Milford, Conn., in the part which is now Bridgewater, where he engaged in farming. He was a soldier in the Revolution, and served from July 26, 1779, to January 15, 1780, in Col. Philip B. Bradley's 5th Regiment, Connecticut Line.|| In 1784 he removed to Williston, Vt. He emigrated to Tully, Onondaga county, N. Y., soon after the first settlers, who went there about 1795.\*\* He engaged in farming in Tully, and was the second postmaster of the town.

\* "Polly." Her daughter Frances m. No. 261.

† By Wilton Congregational Church Records; Aug. 6 by Norwalk Town Records.

‡ "Connecticut Historical Society's Collections," vol. 10, p. 151.

§ "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 394.

|| "Connecticut Historical Society's Collections," vol. 8, p. 67.

\*\* "History of Onondaga County, N. Y."

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. PARTHENA, bapt. Mar. 27, 1774; m. Robert Cravath of Preble, N. Y.
- ii. ESTHER, b. ———, 1778; m. Timothy Walker of Tully, N. Y.
- 166. iii. ASAHIEL, b. May 2, 1780.
- 167. iv. WILLIAM, bapt. Nov. 17, 1782.
- 168. v. SEYMOUR, b. ———, 1788.

126. RALPH TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1737 in Wilton, Conn.; died "about 1800"<sup>†</sup> in New Paltz<sup>‡</sup>, N. Y.; married ———, 1761<sup>‡</sup>, in Wilton<sup>‡</sup>, Hannah ———.

Ralph Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to New Fairfield, Conn. He was a soldier in the French and Indian War. He served from August 7 to August 23, 1757, in Capt. John Hitehoek's militia company in the alarm for the relief of Fort William Henry.<sup>‡</sup> He also served in the campaign of 1758, enlisting May 29 of that year in the Twelfth Company, 4th Connecticut Regiment, and was discharged November 11, 1758.<sup>§</sup> After his marriage he engaged in farming in New Fairfield, where he and his wife "owned the Covenant" in the Congregational church August 1, 1762. He appears to have removed to Ulster county, N. Y., prior to the Revolution. He served in that war as a private in the 3d New York Regiment of Ulster county militia, called out in 1779-81.<sup>||</sup> He was in Capt. Jacob Hasbrouck, Jr.'s company, of New Paltz, and served under Col. John Cantine. His name also appears in the list of privates in the New Jersey militia in the Revolution.<sup>\*\*</sup> He is supposed to have been in his later years a farmer in New Paltz.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW FAIRFIELD, CONN.:<sup>††</sup>

- i. ELIZABETH, b. Apr. 3, 1762; m. Isaac Kyser of New Paltz, N. Y.?
  - ii. JEMIMA,<sup>‡‡</sup> b. May 6, 1764; m. John Wilkenlow of New Paltz?
  - 169. iii. RALPH, b. about 1767.
- Other children?<sup>§§</sup>

127. CALEB TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1745 in New Fairfield, Conn.; died ———, 18—, in ———, Ohio<sup>‡</sup>; married ———, 1769, in New Fairfield<sup>‡</sup>, Bethia Russica.<sup>|||</sup>

Caleb Trowbridge is thought to have been a farmer in his native town until about the year 1789. He may have lived a while in Williamstown, Mass.<sup>\*\*\*</sup> He was a soldier in the Revolution. He enlisted in Berkshire county, Mass., September 7, 1777, as a private in Capt. William Douglas' company, Col. Benjamin Symonds' regiment, and was discharged September 30, 1777.<sup>†††</sup> He emigrated to what is now Tompkins county, N. Y., and settled in that part of the town of Ulysses where the village of Trunansburgh is at present located. It was a very

\* 1 born in Wilton, Conn.; ii-iv in New Milford (Bridgewater), Conn.; v in Williston, Vt.

† By family records.

‡ "Connecticut Historical Society's Collections," vol. 9, p. 226.

§ Ditto, vol. 10, p. 90.

|| "New York in the Revolution," p. 198.

\*\* "New Jersey in the Revolution," index.

†† At least the births of i and ii are recorded in the church records there.

††† It is supposed, although recorded simply "daughter." On that day No. 133 also had a daughter born in New Fairfield.

§§ No child of No. 126 except No. iii is known to his descendants.

A BETSEY TROWBRIDGE, born about 1775; m. about 1800 Ashbel Armstrong of Laurens, N. Y. She is said by descendants to have had a brother *Ralph*, and one of her sons was named *Caleb*.

||| By descendants, but no further facts about her were found. This name was originally *Resseguic*, but the printed genealogy of that family does not contain her name.

\*\*\* He witnessed a deed from his brother Keeler there in 1786, and enlisted there in the army.

††† Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 18, r. 164.

wild, heavily wooded country at that time. It is said that late in life, about 1800, he removed to Ohio, where he died.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW FAIRFIELD, CONN. :\*  

170. i. ELISHA, b. July 16, 1770.  
 ii. ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 25, 1773; m. Jan. 21, 1794, Rev. Justus Bartholomew of Whitehall, N. Y.  
 171. iii. SERENO, b. about 1775?  
 172. iv. HEMAN, b. about 1779?  
 173. v. CALEB, b. June 4, 1782.  
 vi. MARY, b. about 1785?; m. Calvin Crawford of ———.  
 vii. ———, † b. about 1787?  
 174. viii. WATSON, b. Feb. 26, 1789.

128. KEELER TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1749 in New Fairfield, Conn.; died ———, 18—, in ———, N. Y.?: married, first, ———, 1770, in New Fairfield?, Hannah ———, who died May 18, 1783, in Williamstown, Mass. He married, second, September 30, 1783, in Williamstown, Margaret Kregar. ‡

Keeler Trowbridge after living some years in his native town, New Fairfield, Conn., removed to Williamstown, Mass., about 1773. In 1785 he settled in Shelburne, Vt., and was there elected highway overseer at the first town meeting, held March 9, 1787. He was a considerable land owner in Shelburne, and was living there as late as 1808. It is uncertain whether he died in that town or in the state of New York.

## CHILDREN : §

*By first marriage:*

- i. JEMIMA, b. Oct. 24, 1771; m. Maj. John Tabor of Shelburne, Vt.  
 175. ii. RUFUS, b. Nov. 3, 1773.  
 iii. SAMUEL, b. July 14, 1778; untraced. ||  
 iv. HANNAH, b. Aug. 18, 1780.

*By second marriage:*

- v. ANNA, b. May 31, 1784.  
 vi. ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 10, 1786.  
 176. vii. HENRY POTTS, b. Feb. 6, 1786.  
 viii. ROXY, b. Feb. 16, 1788.  
 ix. BELINDA, b. Mar. 14, 1792.  
 x. LUCY, b. Mar. 7, 1794.

129. LIEUT. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>112</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1736 in Wilton, Conn.; died ———, 18—,\*\* in Danbury, Conn.; married ———, 1758?, in Danbury, Deborah (Starr) Truesdell, †† widow of Thomas Truesdell of Danbury and daughter of Lieut. Benjamin and Eunice (Taylor) Starr, born ———, 173—, in Danbury?; died ———, 1803, †† in Danbury.

\* By family records. Order of births somewhat uncertain. See page 130, footnote ‡. Family records state that No. 127 had eight children, of whom i was the oldest and viii the youngest, and name the above children except vii, whom the compiler has been unable to trace. The name of this child may have been ELIJAH, JOHN, or THOMAS, as family records differ in regard to the name.

† Some doubt as to the name of this child. Can be No. 1427a?

‡ Maiden name *Potts* by record of a grandson of No. vii.

§ i probably born in New Fairfield, Conn.; ii-v recorded in Williamstown, Mass.; vii a son of No. 128 by family record and born as above in Brattleboro, Vt., but not found in public records; the others recorded in Shelburne, Vt. There must be an error in the births of either vi or vii as printed above. Descendants of vii state that "he had a half-sister Roxa [Trowbridge?], b. Jan. 11, 1777, who m., 1st, Horatio Harmon; m., 2d, Benjamin Hill."

|| He sold land in Shelburne, Vt., Jan. 8, 1801.

\*\* He was living in Danbury and deeded land there in June, 1813.

†† "Starr Genealogy."

‡‡ Her will, dated Jan. 25, 1798, was offered for probate May 20, 1803. It leaves her house to her husband for life, then to her niece Urania, wife of William Dobbs.

John Trowbridge came in childhood with his father to Danbury, Conn., and lived there the remainder of his life. He became a prominent man in that town and was active in its affairs. He owned a large house on the west side of what is now Main street in Danbury in which he conducted a tavern.

His services in the Revolution were as follows. He was commissioned first lieutenant of the Eighth Company, 7th Connecticut Regiment, July 6, 1775, and was discharged December 21, 1775. On June 14, 1776, he was again commissioned first lieutenant of the Seventh Company, 2d Battalion, and served until November of that year. He continued in the service and was commissioned January 1, 1777, second lieutenant of Capt. Elijah Humphrey's company, Col. Return J. Meigs' Sixth Regiment, Connecticut Line.\* In the spring of that year he was taken prisoner, and confined at New York. He was exchanged, and in January, 1780, was commissioned first lieutenant of the 2d Connecticut Regiment.†

"A few doors south of the Derby News office is a house which was a tavern at the time of the burning of Danbury by the British in 1777. On the sign, swinging from a post it bore a copy of the arms of King George IV which gave the tavern its name. It was kept by John Trowbridge. Owing to its sign it was saved from destruction, but its furniture was piled up and burned. He was a lieutenant in the army and was away with his regiment at that time. His people removed themselves and what furniture they could get together to Nathan Cornwall's tavern in the Beaver Brook district, east of Danbury and bordering on Derby. The Royal troops did not interfere with the property, but the destruction of the furniture was the work of Tory neighbors."‡

## NO CHILDREN.

130. DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>112</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1738, in Wilton, Conn.; died September 16, 1816, in Little Falls, N. Y.; married October 18, 1770, in Hatfield, Mass., Sarah Woodbridge, daughter of Rev. Timothy and Sarah (Welles) Woodbridge, born ———, 1746, in Hatfield; died October 24, 1826, in Albany, N. Y.

David Trowbridge settled in Hatfield, Mass., where he lived until 1777, when he removed to Amherst, Mass. He was in the Amherst company of militia, Capt. Moses Cook, and served in the defense of the government in Springfield for seven days in September, 1786, during "Shay's Insurrection."§ He was a felt maker by trade and worked at that business in Hatfield and Deerfield. He later kept a tavern in the latter town, at Bloody Brook, and also in Amherst after his removal there.

He removed to Albany, N. Y., and was proprietor of Trowbridge's Inn on Green street, as early as 1796. He sold it in 1803 to Christopher Dunn|| and removed to Utica, N. Y., where that year he announced that he had "taken possession of the well-known hotel in Utica." His hotel contained an "assembly room," which was a popular place for holding the social entertainments of that day. "He was a plump, good tempered boniface, of respectable character and standing, who, although he did not prove very successful in his undertaking, yet gained the respect of the community."\*\*\* He returned to Albany in 1806. He resided there until shortly before his death, which occurred while he was on a visit at the home of his daughter Eunice in Little Falls, N. Y.

## CHILDREN:††

- i. SARAH, b. ———, 1771; d. Oct. 10, 1776.
- ii. MARY, b. July 18, 1773; m. John Anderson of Deerfield, Mass.

\* "Connecticut Historical Society's Collections," vol. 8, p. 48.

† "Connecticut Revolutionary Rolls."

‡ "History of Danbury."

§ Massachusetts Rolls.

|| Munsell's "Annals of Albany," vol. 4, p. 308.

\*\* "Pioneers of Utica, N. Y.," p. 174.

†† i-vii born in Hatfield, Mass., probably, although the births of ii and iii only are recorded there; viii in Deerfield, Mass.

177. iii. HENRY, b. Sept. 1, 1776.  
 iv. EUNICE, b. ———, 1777; m. Joseph Herkimer of Little Falls, N. Y.  
 v. SARAH, b. Mar. 19, 1779; m. July 1, 1807, Dr. Marcus Hitchcock of Utica, N. Y.  
 vi. DAVID, b. ———, 178-; d. unm.  
 vii. SUSAN, b. ———, 178-; m. David Wells Childs of Utica.  
 viii. EMILY, b. Mar. —, 1793; m. June 15, 1815, Ephraim Williams of Deerfield.

131. ISAAC TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>112</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1744 in Wilton, Conn.; died October —,\* 1829, in New York City; married, first, February 17, 1767, in Danbury, Conn., Rebecca Peck,† daughter of Dea. Joseph and Rebecca (———) Peck. He married, second, Lucy (Foote) McMahan, widow of Robert McMahan and daughter of John and Deborah (Hoyt) Foote, who died August 27, 1803,‡ in Danbury. He married, third, about 1804 Mercy (Pugsley) Delaplain, widow of Nicholas Delaplain of New York City and daughter of Israel and Elizabeth (Causten) Pugsley, who died July 17, 1848, in New York City.

Isaac Trowbridge settled in Danbury, Conn., where he engaged in the hat manufacturing business. He also is mentioned as a "broker" in 1790, when he bought and sold securities. He was a member of the firm of Trowbridge, Cozier & Co. in Danbury. He sold his interest in this firm October 21, 1797, and removed to New York City, where he continued in business the remainder of his life.

In the Revolution he served as a soldier in the "Danbury alarm."§

CHILDREN BORN IN DANBURY, CONN.:

*By first marriage:*||

- i. POLLY, b. July 12, 1769; d. Jan. 19, 1770.  
 ii. REBECCA, b. Dec. 17, 1770; m. Mar. 10,\*\* 1790, Samuel Barnum of Danbury.  
 178. iii. STEPHEN, b. June 17, 1773.  
 iv. POLLY, b. Aug. 7, 1775; d. Dec. 3, 1775.  
 179. v. JOSEPH, b. May 19, 1780.

132. DEA. STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 30, 1726, in Stratfield, Conn.; died June 6, 1812, in Newtown, Conn.; married May 27,†† 1748, in Bethel,‡‡ Conn., Lydia Crofut, daughter of James and Lydia (Bristol) Crofut, born November 1, 1725, in Bethel; died September 10, 1813, in Bethel.

Stephen Trowbridge settled in Danbury, Conn. His home was in Grassy Plain, in what is now the town of Bethel. He and his wife were among the seventy-one persons who organized the Congregational church in Bethel on November 25, 1760, being dismissed from the church in Danbury. He was chosen a deacon of the church and fulfilled the duties of that office for many years. He seems to have kept a store in Bethel and may have been a tailor. The last few years of his life were passed at the home of his son Samuel in Newtown, Conn.

\* His will, dated Oct. 4, was proved Oct. 13, 1829. [New York City Surrogate Records, vol. 63, p. 308.] It mentions his son Stephen and grandson William Henry Trowbridge, thus disproving the "Trowbridge Family."

† The dates of whose birth and death were not found.

‡ "Isaac Trowbridge's wife from New York," by Danbury First Congregational Church Records; 1801 "in 42d year" by gravestone "erected by her eldest daughter."

§ "Connecticut Historical Society's Collections," vol. 8, p. 266.

|| No children by second or third marriages.

\*\* By Danbury Town Records; 11 by Danbury First Congregational Church Records.

†† By Danbury Town Records; 26 by family record.

‡‡ By Danbury Town Records.

He was probably\* the Stephen Trowbridge who served eighteen days in August, 1757, in Capt. John Barnum's Danbury militia company in the alarm for the relief of Fort William Henry.† He was probably the Stephen Trowbridge who was commissioned ensign of the 3d Company, a trainband, of Danbury in May, 1769.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BETHEL,‡ CONN.:§

180. i. JAMES, b. Aug. 28, 1749.  
 181. ii. SAMUEL, b. Mar. 19, 1752.  
 182. iii. STEPHEN, b. Jan. 18, 1756.  
 iv. LYDIA, b. Feb. 25, 1761; m. May 22, 1783, Thaddeus Starr of Bethel.

**133. SETH TROWBRIDGE** (*Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 24, 1729, in Stratfield, Conn.; died February 16, 1798, in New Fairfield, Conn.;|| married, first, about 1750 in New Canaan?, Conn., Mary Hayt, daughter of Moses and Mary (——) Hayt, born February 26, 1735, in New Canaan; died ——, 178—,\*\* in New Fairfield. He married, second, December 29, 1791, in New Fairfield, Mrs. Mabel Barnum,†† widow of Joseph Barnum of Danbury, Conn.

Seth Trowbridge came in childhood with his father to New Fairfield, Conn., where he lived the rest of his life, engaged in farming. He served in the French and Indian War from August 7 to August 23, 1757, in Capt. John Hitchcock's militia company in the alarm for the relief of Fort William Henry.‡‡ He also served in the campaign of 1759. He enlisted April 4, 1759, in the Fourth Company, 3d Connecticut Regiment, and was discharged December 4, 1759.§§ In the Revolution he was a sergeant in the Sixth Company, 16th Connecticut Regiment, and served in July, 1779, in the expedition to Fairfield and Norwalk.|||| He and his wife Mary were admitted members of the New Fairfield Congregational church September 29, 1771. His second wife was admitted a member of that church April 9, 1792.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW FAIRFIELD, CONN.:

*By first marriage:\*\*\**

183. i. ABEL, b. Sept. 28, 1751.  
 184. ii. SEELEY, b. ——, 1753.  
 185. iii. ELI, b. ——, 1755.  
 186. iv. DANIEL, b. July 1, 1757.  
 187. v. OLIVER, b. Dec. 11, 1759.  
 vi. MARY, b. Apr. 17, 1762; m. Job Cook of New Fairfield.  
 vii. HANNAH, b. May 6, 1764;††† m. Benjamin Knapp of New Fairfield.  
 viii. LUCY, bapt. Oct. 13, 1771; m. Nov. 3, 1793, Sylvanus Hatch of Great Bend, Pa.  
 ix. MEHITABLE, bapt. Apr. 10, 1774; d. young probably.†††

\* Rather than No. 122, as No. 134 was sergeant of the company and its captain was a Danbury man.

† "Connecticut Historical Society's Collections," vol. 9, p. 238.

‡ Then a part of Danbury.

§ By Danbury Town Records.

|| His will, dated Feb. 10, 1798, mentions his wife Mabel, "oldest son" Abel, "second son" Seelye, "Eli oldest son of Eli deceased," Daniel, Oliver, Mary, Hannah and Lucy. [Danbury Probate Records, vol. 7, p. 223.]

\*\* She was living in 1785.

†† Her parentage and the dates of her birth and death were not found. She survived her husband, and may have married July 5, 1803, Mr. —— of Danbury. [Name of groom not mentioned in New Fairfield Congregational Church Records.]

‡‡ "Connecticut Historical Society's Collections," vol. 9, p. 226.

§§ Ditto, vol. 10, p. 149.

|||| Ditto, vol. 8, p. 197. Four of his sons were in this regiment.

\*\*\* No children by second marriage.

††† On that day No. 126 also had a daughter born in New Fairfield.

††† Not mentioned in her father's will.

**134.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 7, 1746, in Stratfield, Conn.; died February 23, 1825, in New Fairfield, Conn.; married October 17, 1771, in New Fairfield, Abiah Stevens,\* who died September 12, 1823, in Danbury, Conn., aged 78 years.†

John Trowbridge settled in New Fairfield, Conn., whither he was brought by his father. He made a purchase of land in Lanesboro, Mass., in 1770, but soon returned to New Fairfield. He was a cooper by trade and also engaged in farming. In middle life he removed to Danbury, where he lived a number of years, his home being at the upper end of Main street. He returned to New Fairfield about a year and a half before his death.

His service in the Revolution was as follows. He was sergeant of Capt. Noble Benedict's Danbury company of militia, raised after the Lexington alarm.‡ He was also sergeant of the Sixth Company, 5th Connecticut Regiment, from May 9 to July 13, 1775.§ In his application for a pension John Trowbridge describes the remainder of his army service as follows: "I was a soldier in the army of the United States in the late Revolutionary War in the year 1775 in Col. Benjamin Harrison's regiment and Capt. John Watson's company, and in the year 1776 in Colonel Warner's regiment and Capt. Joshua Stanton's company; and in March, 1777, I enlisted in the Seventh Connecticut Regiment, Col. Heman Swift, and served three years in Captain Watson's company. The last term of service I served as a sergeant in Captain Watson's company, being appointed April 14, 1778. I had an honorable discharge from said service." He was awarded a pension on March 31, 1818.|| He was known as Sergt. John Trowbridge.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW FAIRFIELD, CONN.:

188. i. ABRAHAM,\*\* b. July 7, 1772.  
 ii. SARAH, bapt. May 8, 1774; m. 1st, [Nov. 5?], 1802, Elisha Cozier of Danbury, Conn.; m. 2d, Michael B. Russell of Springfield, Mass.  
 189. iii. REUBEN, b. Mar. 30, 1780.  
 iv. ABIGAIL, b. Sept. 26, 1783; m. Dec. 2, 1800,†† Daniel Hoyt Scofield of Danbury.

**135.** BILLY‡‡ TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 4,§§ 1748, in Stratfield, Conn.; died February 16, 1798, in Oxford, N. Y.; married June 12, 1777, in New Fairfield, Conn., Rhoda Beardsley, daughter of Capt. Phineas and Ruth (—) Beardsley, born February 14, 1758, in New Fairfield. She married, second, May 16, 1822, in Truxton, N. Y., Daniel James of Cortland, N. Y., and died February 8, 1844, in Truxton.

Billy Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his father to New Fairfield, Conn. In 1771 he bought land in Lanesboro, Mass., but did not settle there, returning to New Fairfield soon afterwards. He enlisted from that town in the Revolution, his service being as follows: He was sergeant of the Ninth Company, Capt. Nehemiah Beardsley, 5th Regiment, Connecticut Line, Col. David Waterbury, Jr., enlisting May 9, 1775, and serving until November 9 of that year.|||| This regiment was raised at the first call for troops and marched first to Horseneck and Harlem, under General Wooster, and then by boat to Albany and the Northern Department, and marching to Ticonderoga, engaged in the taking of

\* Her parentage and birth were not found.

† By gravestone.

‡ "History of Danbury," p. 56.

§ "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 68.

|| U. S. Pension Office Records and "Connecticut in the Revolution," pp. 61, 79.

\*\* Bapt. *Abram*. [New Fairfield Congregational Church Records.]

†† By family records; correcting New Fairfield Congregational Church Records which give the date Nov. 5, 1802.

‡‡ Spelled "Bille" in most public records, his father-in-law's will, and by himself until about 1790, when he commenced the use of "Billy."

§§ 25 by his widow's pension declaration.

|||| "Connecticut in the Revolution," pp. 44, 70.



St. John's and then went on to Montreal.\* He served as sergeant in Capt. William G. Hubbell's company, under Colonel Waterbury, the following year.† His name appears as second lieutenant of Capt. Jesse Bell's company, Colonel Eno's Connecticut state regiment, in June, 1777,‡ and at the same time is recorded as ensign of the Sixth Company, 16th Regiment. There is also on record the name of "Bille" Trowbridge, enlisted soldier in the Dutchess county militia, 7th New York Regiment, Major Adams.§ His Revolutionary services, as described in his widow's application for a pension, were as follows:

"That he enlisted in the town of New Fairfield then in the Colony of Connecticut now in the County of Fairfield State of Connecticut in the spring of the year 1775, as orderly sergeant in this deponent's uncle's company, commanded by Nehemiah Beardsley, in the northern expedition, and was absent in the service until the following winter—She further says that he enlisted as an ensign in the spring of 1776 in the town of New Fairfield in Connecticut, and served in the company commanded by her father Phineas Beardsley, Capt., in Col. Joseph Platt Cook's regiment of Danbury, and marched to New York and was in the battle of Long Island and the evacuation of New York; and at Harlem Heights; and was absent from home that season. She further says that her husband enlisted in the spring of the year 1777 in Capt. Taylor Hubbell's company as lieutenant,|| and was in command of the company under Colonel Porter, and that he marched to Mamaroneck, then to Horse Neck, after having left Fishkill, and returned home in January, 1778,—And she further states that her husband was in the service continually from the commencement of the year 1775 until war closed, and that she further states that she has frequently seen his commissions."\*\*

In 1784 he removed with his family to Carmel, then a part of Fredericktown\*\* and in Dutchess county, N. Y. He was engaged in farming there until shortly before his death. For his services in the war he had land bounty rights in the town of Truxton, Cortlandt county, N. Y. While on his way thither with his family in 1798, he was stricken with inflammation of the lungs, and died at Oxford in Chenango county. His widow and children continued on to Truxton.

## CHILDREN :††

- i. EPHRAIM, b. Mar. 22, 1778; d. May 8, 1791, in Carmel, N. Y.
190. ii. ALVAH, b. Sept. 4, 1779.
191. iii. BILLY, b. Mar. 26, 1781.
192. iv. LEVI, b. Feb. 16, 1783.
- v. POLLY, b. Apr. 3, 1786; m., 1st, Oct. 7, 1811, Jonathan Hubbard of Cortlandt, N. Y.; m., 2d, David McClure of Cortlandt.
193. vi. SAMUEL, b. Dec. 1, 1788.
- vii. SALLY, b. Feb. 23, 1792; m. Apr. 19, 1807, Thomas McKnight of Truxton, N. Y.
- viii. EPHRAIM, b. June 15, 1794; d. Mar. 14, 1798.
194. ix. JOHN CRANE, b. Oct. 18, 1798.

136. DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 28, 1737, in Morristown, N. J.; died ———, 179-?,‡‡ in Morristown?; married October 4, 1764, in Morristown, Sarah Ludlum, daughter of Samuel and Abigail (Hathaway) Ludlum?, born ———, 1744, in Morristown?; died October 27, 1786, in Morristown.

\* U. S. Pension Office Records.

† "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 79.

‡ Ditto, p. 614.

§ "New York in the Revolution," p. 252.

|| "Lieut. B. Trow., Eno's regiment, received bounty for extra service in 1777." ["Connecticut Historical Society's Collections," vol. 8, p. 142.]

\*\* Or Fredericksburgh.

†† i-iv born in New Fairfield, Conn.; ix in Truxton, N. Y.; the others in Carmel, N. Y.

‡‡ He survived his wife, but "died when his youngest son was a little boy."

Daniel Trowbridge appears to have lived all his life near Morristown, N. J. He was a farmer. He and his wife were members of the Baptist church in Morristown.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MORRISTOWN, N. J.:

- i. BENJAMIN, b. ———, 1765; d. May 30, 1777.
- 195. ii. DAVID, b. Jan. 26, 1768.
- iii. A child, b. ———, 177—; d. May —, 1772.
- iv. LYDIA, b. ———, 1773; d. Jan. 28, 1800; unm.
- 196. v. SAMUEL, b. ———, 1776.
- 197. vi. ABNER, b. ———, 1779.
- vii. MARY, b. July 18, 1782; m. Oct. 11, 1800, Joseph Denman of Mendham, N. J.

137. SHUBAEL TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 3, 1739, in Morristown, N. J.; died March 12, 1782, in Morristown; married December 3, 1765, in Morristown, Mary Bayles, daughter of Benjamin and Lotitia (———) Bayles, born September 7, 1745, in Morristown; died ———.

Shubael Trowbridge was a farmer at Succasunna Plains, near Trowbridge Mountain. He was a private in the New Jersey militia in the Revolution.\*

## CHILDREN BORN IN SUCCASUNNA PLAINS, N. J.:

- 198. i. AUGUSTIN, b. Apr. 19, 1767.
- 199. ii. JABEZ, b. July 8, 1769.
- iii. JUSTUS, b. Nov. 1, 1771; probably settled in Columbia county, Pa.†
- iv. JOHN, b. Aug. 12, 1774; may have emigrated to Ohio.‡
- v. ELIZABETH, b. Apr. 24, 1780.

138. REV. SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE‡ (*David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 23, 1742, in Morristown, N. J.; died ———, 18—, in Frederick county, Va.; married, first, ———, 1768, in Frederick county?, Jane Ruble, daughter of George Ruble, born about 1750 in Frederick county?; died November —, 1785, in Frederick county. He married, second, about 1786 in Frederick county, Christiann Dumire.

Samuel Trowbridge is supposed to have removed to Virginia in company with his brother David several years prior to the Revolution. Family tradition credits him with service in that war. He settled on a farm in Frederick county on "Apple Pie Ridge," sixteen miles west of Winchester. He lived there the remainder of his life. He was a prominent man in that part of the county, and was a local Methodist preacher.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FREDERICK COUNTY, VA.:‡

*By first marriage:*

- i. ELIZABETH, b. ———, 1770;§ m. John Lewis of Frederick county.
- ii. MARY, b. ———, 1771;|| m. Matthew McGinnis of Kingwood, W. Va.

\* His regiment is not given in "Officers and Men of New Jersey in the Revolution."

† The family tradition among the descendants of their two older brothers is, "they went to Pennsylvania, or the West, changed their names to *Strowbridge*, and one of them had a son who was a doctor." There seems little doubt that JUSTUS is the Justus Strawbridge (or Strowbridge) of Columbia county, Pa., whose family record and that of his descendants appear in Mrs. Mary S. Guild's "Strowbridge-Strawbridge Genealogy," pages 251 to 260. By the record there printed, it appears that Justus Strowbridge (as he signed his name), or Strawbridge (as it is printed), (his descendants use both spellings) had, among others, a son *Shobel* and another son who was a *doctor*. To letters written by the compiler and mailed with his introductory circular to descendants of this Justus, the Strawbridges of Philadelphia, Pa., and the Strowbridges of Portland, Ore., families of prominence in those cities, no reply was received.

‡ His granddaughter Mrs. Sarah T. Beatty (No. 201, xi) was the principal authority for this family register. No records of their births were found in New Jersey.

§ Is remembered to have said, "father had six brothers."

|| She told a nephew (No. 376) that her father (No. 138) and a brother came from New Jersey.

200. iii. DAVID, b. ———, 1772.  
 iv. GEORGE, b. ———, 1776.\*  
 201. v. JESSE, b. Nov. 16, 1782.†  
 202. vi. SAMUEL RUBLE, b. ———, 1784.  
*By second marriage:‡*
203. vii. BETHUEL, b. about 1788.§  
 viii. JOHN, b. about 1790.§  
 204. ix. WILLIAM, b. July 14, 1793.  
 x. ABSALOM, b. ———, 179-; d. unm.  
 xi. SARAH, b. ———, 179-; m. ——— Jones of Winchester, Va.  
 xii. LYDIA, b. ———, 179-?; m.?  
 xiii. OCIE, b. about 1800; d. unm.  
 205. xiv. JOSEPH, b. Aug. 15, 1805.||

139. DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 11, 1743, in Morristown,\*\* N. J.; died ———, 18—, in Washington county, Ind.; married ———.

David Trowbridge is supposed to have gone to Virginia at the same time as his brother Samuel. He was engaged in farming there, removing later, first to Kentucky and then to Washington county, Ind.

CHILDREN BORN IN FREDERICK COUNTY, VA.?:††

206. i. DAVID, b. about 1770.  
 207. ii. JONATHAN, b. about 1772.‡‡  
 208. iii. ISAAC, b. about 1775.‡‡  
 209. iv. SILAS, b. about 1780.§§  
 Other children?|||

140. ABSALOM TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 25, 1750, in Morristown, N. J.; died September 10, 1824, in Randolph, N. J.; married January 3, 1785, in Randolph?, Phebe Hedges, who died March 25, 1833, in Randolph, aged 70.

Absalom Trowbridge was a soldier in the Revolution. He enlisted at Little Nine Partners, N. Y., May 5, 1778, in the Fifth Company, Lieutenant Livingston, 2d Regiment, New York Line, Col. Philip Van Cortland, and was discharged February 10, 1779.\*\*\* "He was honorably present and assisted in storming the fort on Valentine's Hill, near Kingsbridge, on New York Island, and also was in several skirmishes on the White Plains." He is supposed to be the Absalom Trowbridge who was a private in Capt. Amariah Babbitt's company, Colonel Symonds' 3d Massachusetts Regiment, and whose name appears on the roll endorsed for service in an alarm in October, 1780.††† He was a member of

\* "Left home at the age of eighteen and was never heard from again."

† Spoke of "Uncle Shubael" (No. 137).

‡ Order of births somewhat uncertain.

§ Bethuel or John was undoubtedly the father of the children under No. 203, although proof is lacking. As John is known by descendants of his brothers to have emigrated to Ohio, Bethuel seems more likely to have been their father, if the grandchildren of No. 203 are correct in stating, "grandfather (name unknown) died in Virginia."

|| One account states that Joseph, son of No. 138, emigrated to Illinois and had several daughters but no sons. If this is correct, the Joseph born in 1805 must have been a son of No. vii or No. viii, but both of these would seem to have been too young. Joseph's (205) father's name is unknown to his children.

\*\* *Jersey City* by one descendant.

†† Order, dates and places of births uncertain. They are thought to have been brothers from statements quoted in the following footnotes. No records of them were found in New Jersey.

‡‡ "Came to Kentucky with his brother David," wrote a granddaughter. No. 207 visited his nephew No. 389 in 1838.

§§ "Had brothers David and Isaac," wrote a grandson.

||| Very probably there were daughters, and possibly other sons, but none are known to the descendants of the above sons from whom the compiler has heard.

\*\*\* "New York in the Revolution," p. 38; U. S. Pension Office Records.

††† "Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls."

Capt. Joseph Halsey's Morristown militia company in 1791. He engaged in farming after the Revolution in Randolph township, Morris county, N. J. He was a Revolutionary pensioner.

## CHILDREN BORN IN RANDOLPH, N. J.:

- i. ABSALOM, b. Oct. 3, 1787; d. June 23, 1806.
- ii. SARAH, b. May 5, 1789; d. May 4, 1796.
- iii. MAILLON, b. Dec. 31, 1792.\*
210. iv. CHILION, b. Oct. 17, 1795.
- v. GAMALIEL, b. ———, 179—,†
- vi. MARY, b. ———, 180—?; d. (bible record torn).
- vii. JANE, b. ———, 180—; m. June 11, 1834, William H. Wilson of Morristown. Other children?‡

**141. JOB TROWBRIDGE** (*David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 8, 1754, in Morristown, N. J.; died August 12, 1821, in Hart county, Ky.; married ———, 1786, "near Newark, N. J.," Martha Doty, daughter of Michael Doty, born November 30, 1768, "near Newark"; died February 29, 1860, in Hart county?.

Job Trowbridge when a young man served in the army in the Revolution.§ He volunteered for service and was appointed an assistant wagon-master. He was in service from June 14, 1778, to July 30, 1779. The brigade of wagoners in which he served was enlisted for one year from January 1, 1782. After his marriage he settled on land allotted to him out of his father's estate, on the road from Morris Plains to Sussex. He removed about 1795 to Kentucky and settled in Hart county, where he lived the rest of his life. He was a farmer. His widow obtained a pension for his war service and received bounty-land in Kentucky.

## CHILDREN:¶

- i. SALLY, b. Apr. 10, 1787; m. James Edgar of Hart county, Ky.
- 210a. ii. DAVID, b. Mar. 23, 1789.
- iii. DOTY, b. July 27, 1791.
- iv. JOSEPH, b. July 21, 1794.
- v. JOB, b. Oct. 24, 1797.\*\*
- vi. MARY ANN, b. Feb. 16, 1800.
- vii. REUBEN, b. Feb. 22, 1803.
- viii. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 20, 1805.
- ix. MARTHA, b. Sept. 25, 1808.

**142. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE** (*David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 2, 1756, in Morristown, N. J.; died about 1815 in Catawissa, Pa.; married November 18, 1784, in Morristown, Mary Losey,†† born about 1758 in Morris county, N. J.; died ———, 1854, in West Alexandria, Ohio.

Joseph Trowbridge settled after his marriage on a farm near his native place in Morris county, N. J. In 1791 he was a member of Capt. Joseph Halsey's

\* He witnessed a deed of his father at Morristown in 1812.

† He was "of Randolph, N. J.," when his "wife Phebe ——— d. May 26, 1827, aged about 27," "leaving one child."

Nos. iii and v lived probably on Trowbridge Mountain and had families, but the compiler was unable to get family records from their descendants. One of them may have been the husband of "Elizabeth Trowbridge, daughter of Rev. Asa Lyman," who was dismissed in 1822 from the First Presbyterian Church of Morristown to the church in Chatham, N. J.

‡ There may have been three other children. The register in the family bible is torn. It has been impossible to gather complete records of the descendants of No. 142.

§ Papers describing his services, as stated above, are on file in the U. S. Pension Office.

¶ By U. S. Pension Office Records; i-iv born in Morris county, N. J.; v. in ———, Ky.; the others in Hart county, Ky. All but ii are mentioned in their father's will, dated the day before his death. One of the daughters of No. 141 may have m. ——— Houk. Descendants failed to answer the compiler's letters.

\*\* He was living in Munfordville, Ky., in 1854.

†† Recorded *Lacy*.

company of militia in Morristown. He is said to have removed about 1795 to that part of Northumberland county, Pa., that is now Columbia county, and to have settled on a farm near Catawissa.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. BETSEY, b. ———, 178—; m. Foster Williams of West Alexandria, Ohio.
- ii. AMELIA, b. ———, 178—; m. John Rape of West Alexandria.†
- iii. WALTER, b. ———, 178—.‡
- iv. TIMOTHY, b. ———, 179—; d. young.§
- v. ABRAHAM, b. ———, 179—.||
- 211. vi. JOHN, b. Mar. 2, 1796.
- 212. vii. WILLIAM CLARK, b. ———, 1799.
- viii. MARY, b. ———, 1800; m., 1st, George Pursell of West Alexandria; m., 2d, Jonathan Branson of West Alexandria.†
- ix. CHARLOTTE, b. ———, 180—; m. John Kelbert of West Alexandria.†

143. DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 13, 1760, in West Haven, Conn.; died March 7, 1812, in West Haven; married about 1781 in West Haven, Lucy Catlin, daughter of John and Margaret (Painter) Catlin?, born about 1754 in West Haven; died January 26, 1815, in West Haven. "aged 61 years."

David Trowbridge settled in West Haven, Conn., and was a boat builder by trade. He was a soldier in the Revolution. He served from June 5, 1780, to January 1, 1781, in Capt. Phineas Bradley's company of "artillery guards," Connecticut Line.\*\* He also served from February 21 to August 1, 1781, in Capt. William Van Deursen's company of "state guards," which was stationed at New Haven.†† He served in the same company under Capt. John Warner from August 1, 1781, to January 1, 1782. "On the night of September 1, 1781, 500 of the enemy, in five armed vessels, landed at West Haven and took prisoners."‡‡ David Trowbridge and his brother Samuel were sentinels at West Haven at this time, and both were taken prisoners. They subsequently were released. From 1796 to 1798 he was ensign in the 2d Connecticut Regiment, and from 1799 to 1803 he was lieutenant in the same and became captain in 1804.§§

## CHILDREN BORN IN WEST HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. A child, b. ———, 1782; d. Mar. —, 1782.
- ii. LUCY, b. ———, 1783; m., 1st, Capt. Zaccheus Candee of West Haven; m., 2d, Jesse Hodge of West Haven.
- iii. DIOPATE, b. ———, 1785; lost at sea; unkn.
- iv. LAVINIA, b. about 1788; m. Nathaniel Charter of Walpole, Mass.?
- v. POLLY, b. about 1790.||||
- vi. BETSEY, b. about 1793.\*\*\*

144. SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 22, 1761, in West Haven, Conn.; died July 21, 1827.

\* Order, dates and places of births uncertain; i-iv probably born in Morris county, N. J.; the others in Catawissa, Pa.

† Descendants failed to answer the compiler's letters.

‡ He is said to have been a hatter in Lime Ridge and Sunbury, Pa., but the compiler could not trace him.

§ By a grandson of his brother John.

|| He is said to have been a millwright and then a farmer, and to have died in Buffalo Grove, Ill., but the compiler could not trace him.

\*\* "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 560.

†† Ditto, p. 575.

‡‡ Ditto, p. 626.

§§ "Connecticut State Register."

|||| A "Mary Trowbridge" m. Dec. 20, 1809, in New Haven, Ebenezer Haws. (See footnote to No. 12, vi.)

\*\*\* A "Miss Betsey Trowbridge" m. Aug. —, 1825, in New Haven, George Moore of Liverpool, England.

in West Haven; married November 9, 1786, in West Haven, Lydia\* Johnson, daughter of Jabez and Abigail (———) Johnson, born October 4, 1765, in West Haven; died November 6, 1843, in West Haven.

Samuel Trowbridge followed the trade of a boatbuilder in his native place, West Haven, Conn. He was a soldier in the Revolution. He served from February 9, 1779, to February 8, 1780, in Capt. Phineas Bradley's company of "matrosses," or artillery, in the Connecticut Line.† This company was raised for the defense of New Haven, and was stationed partly in the town and partly in East Haven and West Haven at the time of Tryon's invasion. He again served under Captain Bradley at New Haven from June 5, 1780, until January 1, 1781.‡ From January 1 to August 1, 1781, he served in Capt. William Van Deursen's company of "state guards." He served in the same company under Capt. John Warner from August 1, 1781, to January 1, 1782.§ He was serving as sentinel and was taken prisoner when the enemy landed and plundered West Haven on the night of September 1, 1781.|| He was released in a short time and returned to his home. His widow received a pension.

CHILDREN BORN IN WEST HAVEN, CONN.:

213. i. ELI, b. July 14, 1788.
- ii. SAMUEL, b. Apr. 28, 1791; d. Oct. 10, 1805.
- iii. LYMAN, b. Mar. 2, 1793; d. Oct. 22, 1805.
- iv. ELECTA, b. June 21, 1796; m. Jan. 27, 1820, Calvin Burwell of New Haven, Conn.
- v. LYDIA, b. ———, 1799; m. Joel Slater of New Haven.
- vi. SARAH, b. Feb. 18, 1801; m. Oct. 4, 1823, Dea. Daniel Moulthrop of West Haven.
- vii. A child, b. ———, 1802; d. Oct. 19, 1805.

145. DEA. THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 14, 1764, in West Haven, Conn.; died October 6, 1837, in Litchfield, Conn.; married December 29, 1785, in New Haven, Conn., Sally Peck,\*\* daughter of Stephen and Lucy (Miles) Peck, born April 24,†† 1766, in New Haven; died April 25, 1841, in Litchfield.

Thomas Trowbridge, probably early in 1791,‡‡ removed to Litchfield, Conn., where he resided the remainder of his life. On December 17, 1794, he purchased of Abraham Bradley the house which, built by the latter in 1786, stood on the north side of West street.§§ He was a shoemaker by trade and conducted a tannery on the brook at the foot of the hill to the west of his house. He was somewhat prominent in military and town affairs, and was highly esteemed in the community.

He served in the Connecticut militia, in the Litchfield Light Infantry Company of the 17th Regiment, being commissioned its ensign in 1805, lieutenant in 1807, and captain May 20, 1807, being also appointed its paymaster in that year. He was a grand juror for three years (1803-5) and was elected an assessor in 1813. He was one of the first members of the Litchfield Temperance Society, organized May 5, 1789; said to be the first temperance organization in the world.

\* Incorrectly printed *Lelia* in "Connecticut in the Revolution" in the list of pensioners in Orange in 1840.

† "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 552.

‡ Ditto, p. 560.

§ Ditto, p. 575.

|| Ditto, p. 626; also U. S. Pension Office Records.

\*\* A sister of the wife of his brother No. 146.

†† By New Haven Town Records; 25 by gravestone.

‡‡ He calls himself "of New Haven" in a deed signed there by him in 1788. The first deed of land to him in Litchfield was dated May 2, 1791.

§§ This house was torn down in 1892 by the Litchfield Club, who had purchased the property and that year built their club house on its site.



TROVBRIDGE HOMESTEAD, LITCHFIELD, CONN.





He was admitted a member of the First Congregational Church of Litchfield, and from 1811 was one of its deacons, holding that office during the pastorate of the Rev. Lyman Beecher.

## CHILDREN :\*

214. i. THOMAS, b. Apr. 16, 1787.  
 215. ii. ELISHA, b. Apr. 22, 1789.  
 iii. SARAH MARIA, b. Nov. 11, 1791; m. July 26, 1813, Curtis Woodruff of Litchfield.  
 216. iv. JAMES, b. Oct. 1, 1794.  
 217. v. STEPHEN, b. Feb. 13, 1798.  
 218. vi. CHARLES, b. Feb. 1, 1801.  
 219. vii. HENRY PECK, b. July 29, 1803.  
 viii. ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 2, 1805; m. Dec. 7, 1829, Darwin W. Hooker of Leighton, Mich.  
 ix. JULIA CAROLINE, b. Dec. 29, 1810; m. May 8, 1838, Henry Mansfield of New Haven, Conn.

**146.** WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 2, 1767, in West Haven, Conn.; died April 16, 1824, in New Haven, Conn.; married July 27, 1788, in New Haven, Lucy Peck,† daughter of Stephen and Lucy (Miles) Peck, born July 20, 1768, in New Haven; died September 2, 1819, in New Haven.

William settled in New Haven, Conn., where he was known as "William Trowbridge, 3d." From 1797 to 1802 he was quartermaster of the 2d Connecticut Regiment of militia. He was admitted a member of the First Congregational Church March 26, 1807.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

220. i. WILLIAM, b. Dec. 13, 1788.  
 ii. NANCY, b. Mar. 8, 1793; m. Samuel Langdon of New Haven.  
 iii. LUCY PECK, b. June 15, 1796; d. May 24, 1875, in New York City; unm.  
 iv. SUSAN, b. May 13, 1799; m. Dea. Cyrus Porter of Farmington, Conn.  
 221. v. STEPHEN PECK, b. Aug. 28, 1808.

**147.** JOSEPH EBENEZER TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 9, 1772, in West Haven, Conn.; died June 26, 1812, in Skaneateles, N. Y.; married June 18, 1794, in East Haven, Conn., Abigail Russell, daughter of Col. Edward and Sarah (Maltby) Russell, born July 11, 1770, in Branford, Conn.; died May 7, 1839, in Skaneateles.

Joseph E. Trowbridge was a hatter by trade. In April, 1800, he removed to Skaneateles, N. Y., where he lived the remainder of his life. That part of the state was then almost a wilderness and there were but few settlers; the nearest place for supplies being Troy, and the journey took a week, so two men would take turns in going there to trade. The Indians were numerous and troublesome.

## CHILDREN :‡

- i. DELIA REBECCA, b. Jan. 22, 1795; d. June 15, 1869, in Skaneateles, N. Y.; unm.  
 ii. HARRIET SARAH, b. Mar. 1, 1797; d. Feb. 12, 1871, in Skaneateles; unm.  
 222. iii. EDWARD RUSSELL, b. June 18, 1800.  
 iv. ELIZABETH, b. July 1, 1803; d. Mar. 8, 1887, in Cazenovia, N. Y.; unm.  
 v. ABIGAIL, b. July 18, 1806; m. Oct. 19, 1825, Alonzo Edwards of Lamoille, Ill.  
 223. vi. MORGAN JOSEPH, b. Dec. 21, 1808.

\* i-ii born in New Haven, Conn.; iii-ix in Litchfield, Conn.

† A sister of the wife of his brother, No. 145.

‡ i-ii born in New Haven, Conn.; the others in Skaneateles, N. Y.

148. JUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 4, 1774, in West Haven, Conn.; died March 2,\* 1810, in New Haven, Conn.; married November —, 1795, in New Haven, Sarah Bontecou, daughter of Peter and Susannah (Thomas) Bontecou, born July 8, 1775, in New Haven; died January 9, 1861, in New Haven.

Justus Trowbridge settled in New Haven, Conn., where he followed the trade of a hatter.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

- i. JAMES, b. Aug. —, 1796; d. Oct. 23, 1798.
- ii. REBECCA, b. Nov. 8, 1798; m. Mar. 11, 1832, William Townsend of New Haven.
224. iii. JAMES, b. June 27, 1800.
- iv. SUSAN, b. May —, 1803; d. July 21, 1825, in New Haven; unm.
225. v. CHARLES, b. Aug. 28, 1805.
- vi. HENRY, b. Oct. —, 1807; d. May 21, 1815.

149. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1753† in Bedford, N. Y.; died May 5, 1826, in Roxbury, Conn.; married, first, about 1783 in Woodbury, Conn., Esther Strong, daughter of Preserved and Esther (Stoddard) Strong, born April 16, 1761, in Woodbury; died September 13, 1807, in Roxbury. He married, second, July 2, 1811, in Washington, Conn., Elizabeth (Baker) Logan, widow of ——— Logan and daughter of Ephraim Baker, born about 1772‡ in ———; died January 26, 1848, in Washington.

John Trowbridge while still a young man was a soldier in the Revolution. He was sergeant under Lieut.-col. Frederick Von Weissenfels, Capt. John L. Hardenburgh, in the 2d and 4th regiments, New York Line, in Canada in 1776.§ He also served under the same colonel in the "Independent Corps" of 1,000 men, Lieut. Abraham Ten Eyck, in 1779.||

About 1783 he removed to Woodbury, Conn., and engaged in farming in the southern part of the town. He removed to Roxbury society in 1793, where he resided the remainder of his life. He was a successful farmer and cattle dealer, and occupied a prominent place in town affairs. He was a representative from Roxbury in 1800, 1802 and 1811, and was a member of the Connecticut Constitutional Convention in 1818. He was active on the committee having in charge the building of the Congregational church in Roxbury in 1797, and was one of the early members of its society.

## CHILDREN:\*\*

*By first marriage:††*

226. i. JAMES, b. ———, 1784.
227. ii. EDMUND, b. Dec. 4, 1786.
228. iii. JOHN, b. Nov. —, 1788.
- iv. FANNY, b. Dec. 21, 1790; m. Apr. 15, 1817, Rev. Fosdic Harrison of Bethlehem, Conn.‡‡
- v. ANNA, b. Jan. —, 1793; d. Sept. 28, 1810, in Roxbury, Conn.; unm.
- vi. MARY, b. Nov. 14, 1796; m. Nov. 13, 1816, Samuel Whitmore Baldwin of Washington, Conn.
229. vii. CHARLES STRONG, b. Nov. 19, 1798.
- viii. ANNA CAROLINE, b. Apr. —, 1802; m. Dec. 25, 1820, Hermon Baldwin of Washington.

\* By gravestone in Grove street cemetery and "Bontecou Genealogy"; † by Trinity Church Records.

† "Aged 73" at the time of his death by Roxbury Congregational Church Records.

‡ "Aged 76" at the time of her death.

§ "New York State Archives."

|| "New York in the Revolution," p. 96.

\*\* I-v born in Woodbury, Conn.; the others in Roxbury, Conn.

†† No children by second marriage.

‡‡ See No. 150, viii.

**150.** CAPT. JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1754 in Bedford, N. Y.; died April 30, 1821,\* in Ossining, N. Y.; married December 29, 1777, in Bedford, Elizabeth Harris, born January 29, 1759, in Bedford; died November 18, 1848, in Ossining.

James Trowbridge was about twenty-one when the Revolution began, and he enlisted in the army early in the spring of 1775 in Capt. Daniel Mill's company, Col. James Holmes' regiment, New York militia, and marched to Ticonderoga, being in service nine months.† In 1776 he was in the 2d Westchester County Regiment (later the 4th), New York militia, under Captains Samuel Lawrence and Elijah Hunter, Col. Thaddeus Crane, and was in service on the Hudson.‡ While a member of Capt. Richard Sackett's company, under Col. Thomas Thomas, he was taken prisoner and confined six months at New York, but he escaped to Long Island, and returned to his home in Bedford, and later rejoined his regiment. He continued to see service in this regiment at various times until November, 1781,§ serving under several successive commanders and part of the time acting as sergeant of his company.

Captain Trowbridge resided most of his life on his farm in his native place, Bedford, N. Y. He removed a few years before his death to Ossining, N. Y. For his services in the Revolution, his widow was awarded a pension on April 6, 1837.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BEDFORD, N. Y.:

- 230. i. SAMUEL, b. Jan. 25, 1779.
- 231. ii. JOHN, b. Mar. 26, 1781.
- iii. HARRIS, b. Sept. 13, 1783; d. June 14, 1811, in Bedford; unm.
- iv. JAMES, b. July 17, 1785; d. ———, 18—, on the ship *Manhattan* in the East Indies; unm.
- v. STEPHEN, b. Feb. 22, 1787; d. Oct. 17, 1790.
- vi. GEORGE, b. Dec. 6, 1789; d. May 9, 1829, in Bedford; unm.
- vii. POLLY, b. Jan. 16, 1792; m. Joseph Anser of Ossining, N. Y.
- viii. BETSEY, b. Apr. 11, 1794; m., 1st, Samuel Davis of Ossining; m., 2d, Rev. Fosdic Harrison of Bethlehem, Conn.¶
- ix. SARAH, b. Apr. 14, 1796; m. Samuel Collyer of Ossining.
- x. ANN, b. Dec. 2, 1798; m., 1st, William Frazee of New York City; m., 2d, John W. Bloomer of Baltimore, Md.
- xi. CATHARINE, b. Aug. 2, 1802; m., 1st, Aug. 10, 1820, James McCord of Ossining; m., 2d, Isaac C. Smith of Ossining.

**151.** SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 30, 1765, in Bedford, N. Y.; died May 6, 1834, in Bedford; married ———, 1793, in Bedford, Clarissa Raymond, daughter of James and Abigail (———) Raymond, born June 30, 1776, in Bedford; died April 28, 1851, in Bedford.

Samuel Trowbridge settled in his native place. His homestead is still standing, one mile east of Bedford village. He conducted a tannery business in Bedford, and was held in good esteem by his fellow citizens.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BEDFORD, N. Y.:

- 232. i. STEPHEN, b. Jan. 17, 1794.
- 233. ii. JAMES HARVEY, b. Oct. 21, 1795.
- 234. iii. HENRY, b. Sept. 28, 1797.
- iv. JEREMIAH, b. Oct. 28, 1799; d. Apr. 15, 1800.
- 235. v. JEREMIAH, b. Mar. 12, 1801.

\* By gravestone, "in his 68th year." Chappaqua, N. Y., Friends Records give date of death of James Trowbridge May 5, 1821. This was probably the date of the burial.

† U. S. Pension Office Records describe this and the following service.

‡ "New York State Archives"; "New York in the Revolution," p. 210.

§ Ditto, p. 54.

¶ See No. 149, iv.

236. vi. ALEXANDER, b. Mar. 15, 1803.  
 vii. ABIGAIL RAYMOND, b. Dec. 5, 1805; m. Oct. 30, 1828, Walter Leander Keeler of Bedford.  
 viii. CLARISSA, b. Dec. 25, 1807; m. May 19, 1829, Weeden\* Fowler of Bedford.  
 ix. ANGELINE RAYMOND, } twins, m. Feb. 26, 1834, Joel B. L. Smith of South Salem, N. Y.  
 237. x. EDWIN, } b. May 15, 1812;  
 xi. MARIA, b. Apr. 12, 1814; m. Mar. 25, 1835, Samuel Mills of North Greenwich, Conn.  
 238. xii. SAMUEL RAYMOND, b. Apr. 15, 1819.

**152.** PHILEMON TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>118</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 13, 1751, in Southbury, Conn.; died March 9, 1812, in Clinton, N. Y.; married November 29, 1773, in Southbury, Eunice Hicock, daughter of Daniel and Huldah (Knowles) Hicock, baptized March 31, 1754, in Southbury; died December 22, 1842, in Clinton.

Philemon Trowbridge was a soldier in the Revolution. He served as corporal of Capt. John Hinman's company, 13th Regiment, Connecticut militia, at New York from August 18 to August 25, 1776.† He re-enlisted February 20, 1778, for three years in Capt. William Sizer's company of "artificers."‡ After the war he returned to his farm in his native town. In October, 1793, he emigrated with his family to Herkimer county, in the Mohawk valley, New York. The journey was made by ox-team and occupied three weeks. He first located at "German Flats," near Herkimer. He remained there but a short time, and finally settled in Clinton, Kirkland township, Oneida county. He there followed the trade of a millwright and was also engaged in farming, his farm having been ever since in the possession of his family.

CHILDREN BORN IN SOUTHBURY, CONN.:§

239. i. ELIHU, b. Jan. 11, 1776.  
 ii. SALLY, b. Nov. 13, 1779; d. Dec. 10, 1789.  
 iii. ELI, b. Sept. 17, 1782; d. May 3, 1806, in Clinton, N. Y.; unm.  
 iv. PHERE, b. May 23, 1784; d. Apr. 7, 1806, in Clinton; unm.  
 240. v. CYRUS, b. June 16, 1786.  
 vi. MARY, b. Dec. 3, 1789; d. May 28, 1876, in Clinton; unm.  
 241. vii. PHILEMON, b. Mar. 28, 1793.

**153.** DR. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>118</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), baptized November 8, 1757, in Oxford, Conn.; died April 22, 1812,|| in New York City; married September 18, 1791, in Danbury, Conn.,\*\* Olive Clark, daughter of Capt. James and Hannah (Stoddard) Clark, born September 2, 1769, in Danbury. She married, second, about 1817, Dr. Daniel Noble Carrington of Danbury, and died February 26, 1865, in Danbury.

Joseph Trowbridge spent his early life on a farm in Southbury, Conn. He studied medicine and settled as a physician in Danbury, Conn., where he practised as a physician until 1810. In that year he removed to New York City, where he soon acquired an extensive practice and became one of the leading men of his profession.

Doctor Trowbridge was one of the physicians who procured, in 1792, the charter for the Fairfield County Medical Society, and was its first clerk. He was elected to the New Haven County Medical Society in 1791 and to the Connecticut Medical Society in 1801, and served as a fellow and on the examining committee of the latter from that year until he removed from the state. He was a member of the Episcopal church in Danbury and was chosen one of its committee in 1803.

\* *Wheaten* by Westchester County Surrogate Records.

† "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 466.

‡ Ditto, p. 291. (See Ditto, p. 289 for services of the regiment.)

§ By Woodbury, Conn., Town Records.

|| "Aged 50" by "History of Danbury," p. 370.

\*\* By Danbury Congregational Church Records.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DANBURY, CONN. :\*

- i. HANNAIL, b. Mar. 24, 1792; m. Apr. 20, 1820, Lewis Hotchkiss of New Haven, Conn.
- ii. SALLY LORANIA, b. May 11, 1794; m. Oct. 8, 1813, Peter C. Tappan, M.D., of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
- iii. OLIVIA, b. Aug. 11, 1798; m., 1st, Theodosius Hunt of New Haven; m., 2d, Rev. Francis Lister Hawkes, D.D., of New York City.
- iv. JOSEPH, b. ———, 1800; d. young.

**154.** ISAAC TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>119</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1758, in Oxford, Conn.; died July 10, 1822,† in Brutus, N. Y.; married about 1795 in Susquehanna county, Pa.,‡ Rachel Hodges, who died about 1804 in Mottville, N. Y.

Isaac Trowbridge came with his father to the parish of Milton in the western part of the town of Litchfield, Conn. When but eighteen years old he joined the patriot army in the Revolution.§ He enlisted February 22, 1776, in the Sixth Company, Capt. Luther Stoddard, Col. Charles Burrall's battalion, Connecticut Continentals, raised to reinforce the Northern Department, which under Arnold and Wooster were besieging Quebec. After its retreat from that position, in April, 1776, the regiment was stationed at Ticonderoga and that vicinity. His term of service expired January 19, 1777.

He re-enlisted from Litchfield, as a private, "for the war," September 1, 1777, in Capt. Joseph A. Wright's company, and served under him and Capt. Elisha Brewer in Col. Samuel Brewer's regiment in the Massachusetts Line. He was promoted corporal November 1, 1779, and served under Capt. John Pray in Col. Ebenezer Sprout's regiment. He continued to serve under Captain Pray in the 1st Massachusetts Regiment, Col. Joseph Vose, until his discharge at Newburgh, N. Y., June 3, 1783. He was at Valley Forge, and took part in the battle of Germantown, the storming of Stony Point and the battle of Monmouth. For his service in the war he received a pension.

He is said to have removed with his father from Litchfield, Conn., to Susquehanna county, Pa., and thence to Onondaga county, N. Y. He lived for a time in Skaneateles, removing finally to what is now the town of Brutus, Cayuga county, where he died. He was engaged most of his life in farming.

## CHILDREN :||

- i. POLLY, b. ———, 1796; m. ——— Crawford of Liverpool, N. Y.
242. ii. JASPER, b. Dec. 27, 1798.

**155.** LEVI TROWBRIDGE (*Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>106</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 25, 1753, in Oxford, Conn.; died December 14, 1843, in Swan Creek, Ohio;\*\* married December 29, 1782, in New Haven, Conn.,†† Hannah Smith, daughter of Capt. Benjamin and Abigail (Smith) Smith, born about 1760 in New Haven; died January 8, 1832, in Amesville, Ohio.

Levi Trowbridge enlisted at the outbreak of the Revolution in Capt. Thomas Clark's Derby company, which marched to relieve Boston at the Lexington alarm and was on duty two days.‡‡ Family tradition credits him with a later enlistment, and says he was taken prisoner with his brother by the British and confined in a prison ship, where both had the smallpox, of which his brother died.

\* By Danbury Town Records.

† Administration on the estate of Isaac Trowbridge of Brutus, N. Y., is granted Aug. 12, 1822, to John Grover of Aurelius, N. Y.

‡ By a grandson.

§ Record of his service as described below will be found in U. S. Pension Office Records and "Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls" (indexed) in the State House at Boston, Mass.

|| i born in Mottville, N. Y.; ii in Skaneateles, N. Y., by family records of a grandson of No. 154.

\*\* His gravestone there recites that he was: "A Patriot of the Revolution."

†† By Trinity Church Records.

‡‡ "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 8.

After his marriage he settled on a farm in Oxford. He and his wife were admitted members of the Oxford Congregational church April 18, 1784. He followed his father to Fair Haven, Vt., and in August, 1786, the latter gave him his "second division lot" lying on the south side of the river. He sold this after his father's death and went to live on West street in the village. He lived there until the spring of 1810, when he emigrated to Washington county, Ohio, and settled near Marietta. He removed to Ames township, Athens county, in 1820, and in June, 1836, to Swan Creek, Ohio township, Gallia county, where he passed the remainder of his life. He was a prosperous farmer and pursued an active life until shortly before his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FAIR HAVEN, VT. :\*

- i. SARAH, b. Jan. 15, 1784; m., 1st, Caleb Wheeler of Fair Haven, Vt.; m., 2d, Eliphalet Case of Swan Creek, Ohio.
243. ii. DAVID, b. June 13, 1786.
244. iii. PHILO, b. July 6, 1788.
245. iv. JACOB, b. Dec. 25, 1790.
246. v. CHAUNCEY, b. Mar. 21, 1794.
247. vi. ARCHIBALD, b. Nov. 30, 1796.
- vii. ANNA, b. Dec. 7, 1798; m. Lemuel G. Brown of Wilkesville, Ohio.
- viii. HANNAH PAMELIA, b. July 6, 1802; m. Dec. 10, 1826, Anselm Tnpper Blake of Swan Creek.

156. CAPT. EBENEZER TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 4, 1757, in Wilton, Conn.; died June 2, 1836, in Edinburg, Ohio; married March 10, 1779,† in Bridgewater,‡ Conn., Parnel Wheeler, born July 11, 1760, in ———, Conn.; died September —, 1847, in Palmyra, Ohio.

Ebenezer Trowbridge was brought in childhood by his parents to the village of Bridgewater in New Milford, Conn. At the age of eighteen years he became a soldier in the Revolution. He enlisted at New Milford February 1, 1776, in Capt. Ebenezer Couch's company, Col. Andrew Ward's regiment, and was in the service two months and twenty-one days, serving on Long Island. This was followed by five months' service, including Crown Point. He re-enlisted February 1, 1777, "for the war," in Capt. Eli Catlin's company, 5th Regiment, Connecticut Line, Col. Philip B. Bradley. He was promoted corporal in May, 1779, and continued in the service until his discharge at Morristown, N. J., February 1, 1780. He acted as sergeant part of the time, and took part in the battles of Germantown and Monmouth. For his service in the war he received a pension.†

After the war he engaged in farming in Bridgewater, Conn. He was captain of the militia company of that parish about 1800. He was prominent in town affairs and was a subscriber to the new church society in 1803. He was also high in the Masonic fraternity. In 1815 a son, Daniel, came on from the West to visit him, and he and his wife decided to accompany him upon his return to Ohio. At first they lived for a time in Palmyra, but finally settled in the adjoining town of Edinburg, where Captain Trowbridge died. He was actively engaged in farming for most of his life.

## CHILDREN§ BORN IN BRIDGEWATER,‡ CONN. :

248. i. STEPHEN BURRITT, b. Oct. 28, 1780.
- ii. NAOMI, b. Jan. 22, 1785; m. Abijah Tyrrell of Fowler, Ohio.
249. iii. DANIEL, b. July 2, 1786.
- iv. A child, b. ———, 1788; d. Feb. 18, 1795.
250. v. AMMI DAYTON, b. ———, 1790.

\* Except i, who was born in Oxford, Conn.

† U. S. Pension Office Records.

‡ Then a part of New Milford.

§ Parnel Trowbridge, the widow of Ebenezer (No. 156), in her application for a pension declares that she had *nine* children, but Artemas Ruggles, who made an affidavit in her favor in that connection, declares that she had *seven*, so another child as well as No. iv may have

251. vi. WHEELER, b. ———, 1793.  
 vii. LORINDA, b. ———, 1795?; m., 1st, Elijah Smith of Ravenna, Ohio; m.,  
 2d, Dr. John D. Wellman of Ravenna.  
 viii. ELECTA, b. ———, 1798?; m. Horace Hollister of Palmyra, Ohio.

157. MATTHEW TROWBRIDGE (————<sup>122?</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 17—\* in Danbury, † Conn.; died November 9, 1822, in Salisbury, Conn.; ‡ married about 1792 in Bethel, Conn., Rachel Hickok, daughter of Maj. Benjamin and Rachel (————) Hickok, born April 6, 1775, in Danbury. She married, second, about 1835 in Weston, Conn., Nathan Seeley of Bethel, and died November 13, 1843, in Bethel.

Matthew Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Bethel, Conn. His home was near the meeting-house. He built and conducted a hat shop in Grassy Plain in Bethel. In 1811 he and Miles Dunbar succeeded Almon Bostwick in keeping a hotel in Pine Plains, N. Y. Mr. Dunbar left in a year, and Mr. Trowbridge went on alone with the hotel until 1818, when he went to Bangall, N. Y. He kept a hotel there until his removal to Salisbury, Conn., about a year before his death. Mr. Trowbridge was very popular with his patrons and was celebrated for his hospitality.

## CHILDREN:§

- i. CYNTHIA, b. about 1794; m. Miles Dunbar of Pine Plains, N. Y.  
 ii. EMELINE MARIA, b. about 1796; m. Henry I. Traver of Pine Plains.  
 252. iii. BENJAMIN HICKOK, b. June 9, 1797.  
 iv. CLARA, b. about 1799; m. Abraham Parsons of Saugerties, N. Y.  
 253. v. THOMAS BENEDICT, b. Mar. 10, 1800.  
 vi. ELIZA, b. about 1802; d. Apr. 1, 1817.  
 vii. AMELIA, b. Mar. 27, 1804; m. Abraham Parsons (above).  
 254. viii. AUSTIN BENONI, b. Mar. 1, 1805.  
 ix. RACHEL, b. about 1808; m. Feb. 1, 1858, Rev. John B. Richardson of Geneva, N. Y.  
 x. LUCETTA, b. Nov. 15, 1810; d. Feb. 17, 1812.  
 xi. A SON, { twins, d. in infancy.  
 xii. MARY LUCETTA, { b. Aug. 22, 1814; m. Dec. 13, 1836, Augustus Comstock  
 Shepard of Bethel, Conn.  
 xiii. HENRY I.,|| b. Dec. 26, 1816; resided in Danbury, Paris, France, and the last years of his life in New York City, where he d. Feb. 1, 1884; unm.

158. JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1757, in Danbury, Conn.;\*\*\* died July 28, 1832, in Lebanon, N. H.;\*\* married about 1784 in Great Barrington, Mass., Tabitha (Phelps) Graton, daughter of Zephaniah and Mary (Hooker) Phelps, baptized November 18, 1753, in Great Barrington; died October 19, 1828, in Lebanon.

James Trowbridge at about the age of twenty-one settled in Sheffield, Mass. He enlisted in the Continental army†† August 22, 1779, under Capt. James Tisdale. His name appears entered as re-enlisting at Fishkill, N. Y., January 20, 1780, under Capt. Luke Hitchcock, in the 4th Regiment, Massachusetts Line,

died in infancy. The names of the above children are known from the pension papers and family records, and the name of no other child is known to descendants of these seven. New Milford Town Records do not mention any of them, except No. iv, "a child," dying as above, "aged six."

In New Milford Town Records appears: "POLLY TROWBRIDGE m. Mar. 9, 1797, Nathaniel Stone of New Milford." She is unknown to descendants of the above children of No. 156. She was not a daughter of No. 124. She may have been the widow of No. 185, or a daughter of No. 117.

\* About 1769 by "Trowbridge Family."

† In the part of the town now Bethel by family record.

‡ Buried in Pine Plains, N. Y.

§ I-x born in Bethel, Conn.; the others in Pine Plains, N. Y.

|| Initial only.

\*\* By his pension record.

†† See "Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls" (indexed) in the State House in Boston, Mass., and U. S. Pension Office Records.

"for the war." His name appears on a pay abstract in Lieut.-col. Ebenezer Sprout's 12th Regiment, Massachusetts Line, for three months' service in 1780. His name appears as sergeant on a muster-roll of Capt. Luke Hitchcock's company, 1st Massachusetts Regiment, Col. Joseph Vose, for June, 1780. He continued to serve in that company the two following years.

Sergeant Trowbridge describes his war service in his application for a pension (which was granted) as follows: "I served as a private soldier and sergeant employed in the war of the Revolution on the Continental establishment; and after serving under short enlistments most of the time from the year 1775 to the year 1778 or 1779, I then enlisted, during the war, into a company commanded by Capt. Luke Hitchcock in Colonel Sprout's regiment in the Massachusetts Line, and that said company was afterward transferred to the 1st Regiment in said Line commanded by Col. Joseph Vose. I continued in said service in said company until the ninth day of June in the year 1783, when I was honorably discharged by General Washington, and received a written discharge. I was in the battle of Stillwater and the battle of Yorktown. I received a wound in the Indian War, while in a detachment under Capt. William Eaton, and I was put on the pension list."

After the war he settled in Great Barrington, Mass., where he lived until 1809. In that year he removed to Lebanon, N. H., where he resided the remainder of his life. He was probably the James Trowbridge who served in the War of 1812, and enlisted from Hanover, N. H., September 28, 1814, for sixty days' service in Capt. William Courson's company. Except for the years passed in the army, he was always engaged in farming.

CHILDREN BORN IN GREAT BARRINGTON, MASS.:

- i. MARY, b. ———, 1789; m., 1st, Apr. 13, 1822, Samuel Woodbury of Montpelier, Vt.; m., 2d, Dec. 25, 1849, Halsey R. Stevens of Lebanon, N. H.
- ii. DANIEL DUNNING, b. ———, 179—; a lumberman; d. about 1838 in Lebanon; unm.\*
- 254a. iii. JAMES, b. ———, 1803.
- iv. DAVID, b. ———, 1808; d. Sept. 12, 1830, in Lebanon; unm.

159. STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), baptized June 22, 1760, in Wilton, Conn.; died December 6, 1830, in Berkshire, Vt.; married May 10,† 1780, in Skenesborough, N. Y., Isabella Frasier, born ———, 1763, in Schenectady?, N. Y.; died about 1850 in Preble, N. Y.

Stephen Trowbridge emigrated with his father shortly before the Revolution to Ballston, N. Y. He early became a soldier in the American army. He served with the "Green Mountain Boys" under Col. Ethan Allen and General Arnold, and was in Major John Brown's detachment of that historic command at Quebec in 1776.‡ He enlisted again from Ballston, January 3, 1777, "for the war," in Capt. William McEwen's company, Col. Seth Warner's regiment, "raised on the Hampshire Grant by order of Congress." He was appointed sergeant soon after his enlistment. He took part in the battles of Hubbardton, Bennington, Saratoga, and Fort George, where he was taken prisoner October 11, 1780. He was carried to Canada, where he was a prisoner about two years. He was then exchanged, and joined Capt. Stephen Potter's company in Col. Heman Swift's 2d Regiment, Connecticut Line, in which he served as sergeant until the close of the war, when he was honorably discharged at the Highlands, N. Y., June 8, 1783.

\* By family records. He disappeared sometime in 1838; his hat and gun were found near a sink hole near the river, but his body was never discovered.

† By her pension application; 8 by town record. Skenesborough is now Whitehall.

‡ "New York in the Revolution," p. 61; "Vermont Revolutionary Rolls," p. 833.



In his application for a pension Sergeant Trowbridge details his war service as follows: "In the year 1777, on the 2d day of January, I engaged in a regiment commanded by Col. Seth Warner, for 'during the war.' I fought, and served my country faithfully through the war to the end, without any impeachment, through thick and thin, cold, wet and dry, sometimes half naked and half starved, often glad to get raw hides to sew on our feet in cold winter weather to keep them from freezing. When on duty or sentry, I suffered the fatigues and hardships of a long war, two years in captivity, taken at Fort George, on Lake George, and when exchanged, I, with pleasure, returned to duty again, and served to the end of the war, and got an honourable discharge from General Washington, specifying in it that I was entitled to the badges of honour for my faithful service to my country, it being six years and seven months; after I got from the war I got married and lived in Salisbury in Connecticut, but not getting any pay for the last part of the war we all had to come home poor."\*

His widow in her pension application recited the following narrative: "I was taken a prisoner with my husband and so kept over two years, in the time of the Revolution. My mother was opposed to my marriage; my father dead. Trowbridge stole me away and married me with little form and in haste—my brother, Captain Frasier, belonged to the British army, and my uncle was General Frasier, killed at the Battle of Saratoga. This Captain Frasier was in the habit of visiting me and happened to be there when my husband and I came back after the reconciliation with my mother, which was two or three weeks after the marriage. The next night Captain Frasier came with some men and took us both prisoners and carried us to Montreal. Mr. Trowbridge was a great singer of songs, and knew many adapted to the times and our situation, and used to sing them in Montreal, for which he was frequently imprisoned, when Captain Frasier was not there; but as soon as he found it out he was released through his influence on my account, as I insisted on and was permitted to share his close confinement."\*

After the war Stephen Trowbridge engaged in farming. He lived for a time in Salisbury, Conn., and then removed to Vermont and settled on a farm in the town of Williston. While clearing up land he was injured by a rolling log, and had to give up his farm. He was then engaged in mercantile business for several years in Sullivan, Oneida county, N. Y. He left his family in that town and went to Canada, where he was in business for several years. In 1817 he removed to Berkshire, Vt., where he resided the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN:†

- 255. i. ARCHIBALD SCOTT, b. ———, 1781.
- 256. ii. WILLIAM FRASIER, b. Nov. 19, 1783.
- 257. iii. DANIEL, b. Jan. —, 1787.
- iv. BETSEY, b. ———, 1789; m. John Cadwell of Fabius, N. Y.
- v. POLLY, b. ———, 1791; m. Harry Hamlin of Cleveland, Ohio.
- vi. SALLY, b. ———, 1793; m. James Crowfoot of Preble, N. Y.
- 258. vii. STEPHEN, b. ———, 1795.
- 259. viii. SAMUEL, b. ———, 1798.
- ix. ISABELLA, b. ———, 1800; m. Oct. 7, 1819, John A. Johnson of Truxton, N. Y.

160. SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>119</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 17, 1761, in Wilton, Conn.; died July 31, 1850, in Preble, N. Y.; married January 13, 1784,‡ in Sheffield, Mass., Miriam Winslow, daughter

\* U. S. Pension Office Records.

† i born in Montreal, Can.; ii was bapt. 1785 in Schenectady, N. Y., and may have been born in Salisbury, Conn.; iii-ix in Preble, N. Y., it is thought.

‡ By her affidavit sworn in connection with the pension papers of No. 161; 1785 by Sheffield Town Records.

of Prince and Sarah (Goodrich) Winslow, born March 25, 1764, in Salisbury, Conn.; died November 8, 1851, in Preble.

Samuel Trowbridge came with several of his brothers to Sheffield, Mass. He was a soldier in the Revolution. He enlisted from Sheffield, Mass., June 27, 1780, in Capt. John King's company, Col. John Ashley's regiment, which marched by order of General Fellows for the defense of West Point. He was discharged July 4, 1780.\* He was engaged in farming in Sheffield until 1790, when he removed to a farm in Florida, N. Y. He next moved to Tully, Onondaga county, N. Y., and the first town meeting there was held in his house on May 1, 1803. His farm adjoined that of his brother Seth in what is now the town of Preble, and there he passed the remainder of his life.

NO CHILDREN.

161. SETH TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>). born June 1, 1763, in Wilton, Conn.; died May 10, 1836, in Preble, N. Y.; married February 2, 1785, in Sheffield, Mass., Lucretia Spoor, daughter of John Spoor, born ———, 1765, in ———, ———; died September 12, 1855, in Tully, N. Y.

Seth Trowbridge came with his older brothers to Sheffield, Mass. He like them served in the Revolution. He enlisted for three years from Sheffield in October, 1781, in Capt. Nathan Dick's company, Col. Michael Jackson's regiment, Massachusetts Line. He went from Sheffield to West Point, N. Y., and from there to Newburgh, where he helped build huts for the army that winter. He went from there with his company to keep the jail at Westchester, N. Y., and then came back to West Point. From there he went with his regiment to Morristown, N. J., and then returned to West Point, where he remained until he was discharged in February, 1783.†

After the war he was engaged for several years in farming in Sheffield. In 1787 he removed to the town of Williston, Vt. He moved his family to Florida, N. Y., about 1794, and six years later to Preble, N. Y. His farm lay on the present Tully line and adjoined that of his brother Samuel. He and his wife were members of the Presbyterian church in Preble.

"Once on a time there was a string of Trowbridge farms about a mile long one-half mile south from Tully village, in the town of Preble, commencing with William and his family of boys on the north; Milo, my father, next; Uncle James next; and Uncle Hiram with his boys in the old, big red house of Grandfather Seth; next was Uncle Samuel, brother of Seth. All of these were farmers brought up to the trade of farming, and it was a real Trowbridge neighborhood. But oh, how changed it now is! I am the only Trowbridge living in the two towns; all have passed away, or wandered off to the Far West. Grandfather Seth was a strong, enterprising Yankee. His wife was of Dutch descent, intelligent and hardy. Most of their seven sons were six-footers, and the six daughters were as fine-looking girls as could be found round about."‡

CHILDREN: §

260. i. ELI, b. ———, 1786. ||  
 261. ii. MINOR, b. July 29, 1787.  
 262. iii. JOHN, b. July 31, 1790.  
 iv. CORNELIA, b. Mar. 9, 1792; m. William Trowbridge (No. 167).

\* "Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls."

† "Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls" (indexed) in the State House in Boston, Mass.; U. S. Pension Office Records.

‡ Letter from Mr. Robert C. Trowbridge (No. 487).

§ i born in Sheffield, Mass.; ii-iv in Williston, Vt.; v-viii in Florida, N. Y.; the others in Preble, N. Y.

|| "Aged 84," in Apr., 1871, when he swore to his pension application papers. He had his father's family bible.

263. v. JAMES, b. Mar. 4, 1794.  
 264. vi. MILO, b. Dec. 3, 1795.  
 vii. PAMELIA, b. ———, 1797; m. Henry Woolston of Preble.  
 265. viii. HIRAM, b. ———, 1799.  
 266. ix. STEPHEN, b. Aug. 14, 1804.  
 x. CAROLINE, b. ———, 1805; m. Guy A. Woolston of Clinton, Wis.  
 xi. SALLY, b. Mar. 3, 1808; m. Samuel T. Comstock of Clinton.  
 xii. POLLY, b. Apr. 14, 1810; d. Dec. 29, 1895, in Clinton; unm.  
 xiii. CATHERINE, b. June 19, 1812; m. Job J. Johnson of Clinton.

**162.** AARON TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 25, 1765, in Wilton, Conn.; died January 7, 1831, in Medina, Mich.; married ———, 1781, in Sheffield, Mass., Keziah Jacob, daughter of Richard and Thankful (———) Jacob, born November 17, 1762, in Sheffield; died March 15, 1830, in Galen, N. Y.

Aaron Trowbridge was a soldier in the Revolution. He enlisted from Norwalk, Conn., and served in the militia under Col. Samuel Canfield at West Point in September, 1781.\* Soon after this he removed with other members of his family to Sheffield, Mass. He enlisted in the army from that town in May, 1782, as a private in Capt. Joseph Williams' company, 3d Regiment, Massachusetts Line.† He was transferred to Captain Tisdale's company‡ in the same regiment, and was discharged in November, 1783.† "During the period of his service he marched from West Point to Philadelphia to check the threats of certain disaffected troops or persons who under the pretext of demanding their arrears from Congress threatened and endangered the safety of the members."† He was granted a pension.

Aaron Trowbridge settled in Sheffield, Mass., after his marriage. He was chosen hogreeve at a town meeting held there April 14, 1789, and one of the surveyors of highways on the same date in the following year. In 1793 he moved with his family to Windsor, Vt. About ten years later he removed to Seneca county, N. Y., and settled in that part of the town of Junius which became the town of Galen. After the death of his wife, which occurred in the spring of 1830, he emigrated with one of his daughters to Michigan. He was proprietor of a hotel at Windsor for a few years, but farming was the principal occupation of his life. He was well esteemed by his neighbors and was a Free Mason of high standing.

## CHILDREN:§

- i. ABIGAIL, b. Nov. 10, 1782; m. Parker Wooster of Alloway, N. Y.  
 ii. ROXALANA, b. July 25, 1787; d. Feb. 15, 1815; unm.  
 iii. LAURA, b. Apr. 2, 1790; m. ——— Green of Windsor, Vt.?  
 iv. MARY, b. Aug. 30, 1792; m. ———, 1812, Seth Fletcher of Windsor.  
 v. PARMELIA, b. June 20, 1794; m. ———, 1810, Allen Tuttle of Auburn, N. Y.  
 vi. AARON SEYMOUR, b. Dec. 29, 1797; d. Sept. 20, 1829, in Galen, N. Y.; unm.  
 267. vii. RICHARD, b. Jan. 29, 1799.  
 viii. JULIA,|| b. Mar. 6, 1801; m. Aug. 11, 1819, Solomon Lampson of Granville, N. Y.  
 ix. KEZIAH, b. Mar. 2, 1803; d. Apr. 22, 1805.

**163.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 28, 1772, in Wilton, Conn.; died February 25, 1852, in Adams Centre, N. Y.; married, first, ———, 1792, in Whitesborough, N. Y., Sarah Gould, daughter of James and Sarah? (———) Gould, born ———, 1774,

\* "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 582.

† U. S. Pension Office Records.

‡ "Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls," vol. 53, p. 147a.

§ i-iv born in Sheffield, Mass.; the others in Windsor, Vt.

|| Her daughter Mrs. Elias Jewell of Dowagiac, Mich., is the authority for this family register.

in ———; died ———, 1803, in Whitesborough. He married, second, ———, 1804, in ———, Abigail Nourse,\* who died April —, 1812, in Rodman, N. Y. He married, third, ———, 1818, in Pinckney, N. Y., Waity (Greene) Witter, widow of James Witter and daughter of Charles and Waity (Bailey) Greene, born December 20, 1787, in Westerly, R. I.; died September 9, 1873, in Adams Centre.

John Trowbridge emigrated to the state of New York, probably with his father and brothers. He lived several years at Whitesborough, removing from there to Rodman,† Jefferson county, and finally settling in Adams Centre. He was engaged in farming all his life. He was a deacon of the Seventh Day Baptist church in Adams Centre.

## CHILDREN :‡

*By first marriage:*

- i. SARAH, b. Aug. 10, 1793; m. William Butterfield of Rodman, N. Y.
- 268. ii. ADONIS, b. Sept. 14, 1795.
- iii. PHILOMELA, b. Feb. 8, 1797; m. Samuel Farwell of Utica, N. Y.
- iv. JAMES, b. Mar. 1, 1799; "went to Mississippi before he was middle-aged and d. there."§

*By second marriage:*

- v. THANKFUL, b. ———, 1805; m. ——— Hall of Springfield, Mich.
- vi. RACHEL MARIA, b. Aug. 20, 1807; m. George W. Perkins of Pulaski, N. Y.
- vii. POLLY, b. Mar. 10, 1809; m., 1st, William Nichols of Rodman; m., 2d, Abel Parker of Rodman.
- 269. viii. LORIN, b. Mar. 9, 1811.

*By third marriage:*

- 270. ix. ORRIN ALONZO, b. Oct. 19, 1819.
- x. CINDERELLA,|| b. Aug. 28, 1822; m. Dec. 29, 1853, Eli A. Seeley and resides in Adams Centre, N. Y.
- xi. JOHN RILEY, b. ———, 1824; d. ———, 1835.
- xii. MARGARET ANN, b. June 1, 1826; m. Smith Chapin of Rodman.

164. DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), baptized July 11, 1773, in Wilton, Conn.; died ———, 180-?, in Darien,\*\* N. Y.; married ———, 1797, in ———, Dorothea Shears, who died ———, 1852, in Ripley, N. Y.

Daniel Trowbridge went with his father to New York. He settled near his brothers in the town of Tully. He was a tinsmith by trade and was also engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TULLY, N. Y. :‡‡

- i. EUNICE, b. ———, 1798; m. ——— Rheinhardt of China, N. Y.
- 271. ii. AARON SEYMOUR, b. Sept. 1, 1800.
- 272. iii. DANIEL, b. ———, 1802.
- iv. SOPHRONIA, b. ———, 1804; m. Oct. 24, 1822, William Henry Whitney of Rochester, N. Y.
- v. CORNELIA,‡‡ b. ———, 1806; m. ——— Fitch?
- vi. ELIZA, b. ———, 1807; m. ——— Eggleston of Auburn, N. Y.
- 273. vii. JOHN, b. ———, 1809.
- viii. ALMIRA, b. Aug. 20, 1811; m., 1st, Jan. 7, 1829, Ezekiel Sayles Rookes of Ripley, N. Y.; m., 2d, Elder Boyd of Erie, Pa.

\* Had an uncle Jonathan Nourse in Clyde, N. Y., it is said.

† Taken from Adams in 1804.

‡ i-iv born in Whitesborough, N. Y.; the others in Rodman, N. Y., except ix, who was born in Pinckney, N. Y., and xii, who was born in Adams, N. Y.

§ It is believed that he married and had several children.

|| Sbe is the authority for this family register.

\*\* Or Attica.

‡‡ Dates and order of births of the daughters in doubt.

‡‡ Sally?

274. ix. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. June 15, 1812.  
 x. MARY, b. ———, 1813; m. John Forbes of Preble, N. Y.  
 xi. MELINDA, b. ———, 1815; d. aged 12 years.  
 xii. PAMELIA, b. ———, 1816; m. Leonard Fuller of Lamont, N. Y.  
 xiii. MATILDA, b. ———, 1817.  
 xiv. HARRIET, b. Jan. 10, 1818; m. Calvin Poole of Conneaut, Ohio.

165. THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>124</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 18, 1763, in Wilton, Conn.; died ———, 184—, in Norwalk, Conn.; married ———, 178—, in Norwalk?, Grace Mott, daughter of Reuben and Phebe (Tuttle) Mott, born July 14, 1766, in Norwalk; died ———, 18—,\* in Norwalk?.

Thomas Trowbridge while still a boy became a soldier in the Revolution. He enlisted in Norwalk, Conn., April 1, 1779, in Capt. Jabez Gregory's company, Col. Stephen St. John's regiment, and served under Major-general Sullivan. He "was on guard at Norwalk and Horseneck on the lines," and was in action at the burning of Norwalk and Fairfield by Tryon in July, 1779. He served nine months, and was discharged at Norwalk January 1, 1780. He re-enlisted on June 1, 1780, in Captain Loomis' company, Colonel Beebe's regiment, and served under General Waterbury at Horseneck, Byron River and Bedford, N. Y. His period of service was six months, and he received his discharge at North Castle, N. Y. He enlisted again on March 27, 1781, in the matross, or artillery, company under Daniel Jackson, Col. Stephen St. John, and served one year and six months under Generals Mead and Sullivan at Norwalk, and was on duty in the coast defense and on the line.† He received a pension. After the war he appears to have settled as a farmer at Norwalk, Conn.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NORWALK, CONN.:‡

- i. NANCY, b. ———, 178—; m. Jacob Jennings of Norwalk.
- ii. BETSEY, b. ———, 178—; m. Uriah Johnson of Norwalk.
- iii. THOMAS?, b. ———, 178—; accidentally shot in Sag Harbor, N. Y.; unm.?

166. ASAHEL TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 2, 1780, in New Milford,§ Conn.; died March 20, 1859, in Lockport, N. Y.; married, first, ———, 1806, in ———, Polly Hoyt, daughter of Ezekiel and Mary (Weed) Hoyt, born February 17, 1787, in ———, Conn.; died April 17, 1819, in Genesee county, N. Y. He married, second, October 31, 1819, in Pike, N. Y., Betsey (Murray) Doty, widow of Ira Doty of Pike and daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth (Raymond) Murray, born August 27, 1791, in Herkimer county, N. Y.; died September 16, 1867, in Napoleon, Ohio.

Asahel Trowbridge came to Tully, Onondaga county, N. Y., with his father about 1795. Soon after his marriage he settled on a farm in that part of the town of Pompey which later became LaFayette. He was appointed county coroner by Gov. Morgan Lewis on April 6, 1807. He removed to a farm in Pike, Allegany county, where he lived until 1837, when he removed again and located in Wheatfield, Niagara county. In 1855 he left his farm and removed to Lockport, where he died four years later. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church and of the Masonic fraternity.

\* Living in Norwalk in 1826.

† U. S. Pension Office Records; "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 576.

‡ Family register from Selleck's "History of Norwalk." Descendants failed to answer the compiler's letters.

§ In that part now Bridgewater.

CHILDREN BORN IN LA FAYETTE, N. Y. :\*  
*By first marriage:*

- i. AMANDA, b. Mar. 28, 1807; m. ———, 1832, Hiram Curtis of Binghamton, N. Y.
- 275. ii. WILLIAM ELEUT, b. Mar. 19, 1809.
- iii. ABIGAIL, b. May 12, 1811; d. Nov. 14, 1885, in Toledo, Ohio; unm.
- iv. CAROLINE, b. Apr. 11, 1813; d. Apr. 1, 1837, in Pike, N. Y.; unm.
- 276. v. PHILANDER, b. Sept. 27, 1815.†

## CHILDREN BORN IN PIKE, N. Y.:

*By second marriage:*

- vi. MARY SOPHRONIA, b. Aug. 7, 1820; m. Oct. 5, 1841, Charles Stow Pierce of Wheatfield, N. Y., and resides in Toledo, Ohio.
- 277. vii. LYMAN, b. Dec. 3, 1822.
- 278. viii. DEMETRIUS NASH, b. July 2, 1825.
- ix. HELEN AUGUSTA, b. Mar. 10, 1828; d. Mar. 19, 1850, in Wheatfield; unm.
- 279. x. MORTIMER ASABEL, b. Jan. 18, 1834.

167. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>3</sup>), baptized November 17, 1782, in New Milford,‡ Conn.; died July 5, 1865,§ in Onondaga, N. Y.; married ———, 1813, in Preble, N. Y., Cornelia Trowbridge (No. 161, iv), daughter of Seth and Lucretia (Spoor) Trowbridge, born March 9, 1792, in Williston, Vt.; died August 9, 1870, in Onondaga.

William Trowbridge was engaged in farming all of his life. He lived for many years in Tully, Onondaga county, N. Y., whither he had come in boyhood with his father. He removed in his old age to the neighboring town of Onondaga.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TULLY, N. Y.:

- i. BARLOW, b. ———, 1814; d. in infancy.
- 280. ii. PHILETUS, b. ———, 1816.
- 281. iii. THERON, b. Mar. 1, 1818.
- 282. iv. SEYMOUR, b. May 11, 1819.
- v. HENRY, b. ———, 1821; unm.
- vi. LUCRETIA, b. ———, 1824; m., 1st, Joseph Owen; m., 2d, David Linderman of Cortland, N. Y.; m., 3d, James I. Lum of Kalamazoo, Mich.‖
- 283. vii. MARTIN LUTHER, b. Apr. 5, 1826.

168. SEYMOUR TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>3</sup>), born ———, 1788, in Williston, Vt.; died July 12, 1857,§ in Tully, N. Y.; married, first, ———, 1820, in Granville?, N. Y., Miriam Nichols, daughter of Charles and Abigail (Winslow) Nichols, who died February 19, 1840, in Tully, aged 47. He married, second, Lurancy ———.

Seymour Trowbridge lived in Tully, N. Y., in which town his father was an early settler. He was a farmer and an extensive dealer in live stock.

He was a soldier in the War of 1812. He was in the company commanded by Capt. Azel St. John, in the 98th Regiment of New York militia, Colonel Clark. He volunteered for a term of thirty days and continued in actual service for fourteen days. The company was organized at Manlius, N. Y., about October 18, 1814, and marched from there to Smith's Mills, where it was mustered into service. The distance was about one hundred and ten miles and the company was discharged there about December 22, 1814.\*\*

## NO CHILDREN.††

\* Then a part of Pompey.

† He was the authority for this family register.

‡ In that part now Bridgewater.

§ By Onondaga County Surrogate Records at Syracuse, N. Y., where his will is recorded.

‖ See No. 261, ix.

\*\* U. S. Pension Office Records.

†† "No children," wrote relatives, and none are mentioned in his will. No connection was proved between him and No. 1429, which see.

169. RALPH TROWBRIDGE (*Ralph*<sup>126</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1767 in New Fairfield?, Conn.; died about 1852\* in Olive, N. Y.; married ———, 1791, in Marblatown?, N. Y., Johannah De Voe, daughter of John De Voe.

Ralph Trowbridge was a farmer in that part of Marblatown which is now Olive, Ulster county, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN OLIVE,† N. Y.:

- i. ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 6, 1792; m. Cornelius Conaway of Hurley, N. Y.
- ii. MARGARET, b. ———, 1795; m. Elias Countryman of Marblatown, N. Y.
- iii. JOHN, b. ———, 1798; "of Sullivan Co., N. Y." in 1852.‡
284. iv. ISAAC, b. ———, 1802.
- v. JEMIMA, b. ———, 1806; m. Linus? Lockwood of Marblatown.
- vi. MARY, b. ———, 1809; m. James Hill of Manlius, N. Y.
285. vii. SIMEON, b. Feb. 10, 1812.
286. viii. JOSEPH, b. ———, 1815.
287. ix. HIRAM, b. Nov. 6, 1818.
- x. HANNAH, b. ———, 1820?; m. ——— Elmendorf of Olive.

170. ELISHA TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 16, 1770, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died January 9, 1860, in Ulysses, N. Y.;§ married June 5, 1802, in Ulysses, Susanna Pritchard,|| daughter of Nathaniel and Comfort (Gillette) Pritchard, born September 2, 1779, in ———, Conn.; died October 3, 1872, in Ulysses.

Elisha Trowbridge emigrated with his father to New York and, after a brief residence in Cooperstown, came to Tompkins county in 1798.\*\* He settled in that part of the county which three years later was organized as Ulysses township. His farm was in Ulysses township and about a mile west of the present village of Waterburgh.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ULYSSES, N. Y.††

- i. ELISHA, b. ———, 1803; d. young.
- 287a. ii. JOHN, b. May 13, 1805.
288. iii. CALEB, b. Nov. 5, 1808.
289. iv. HURON, b. July 12, 1812.
- v. NATHANIEL, } twins, d. young.
- vi. MARY, } b. ———, 181-; d. young.
- vii. ROSETTA, b. ———, 181-; m. ——— Freeman of Hector, N. Y.?
- viii. COMFORT, b. ———, 181-; m. ——— Rolison of Enfield, N. Y.
290. ix. MICHIGAN, b. Mar. 17, 1820.
291. x. WILLIAM EDGAR, b. Feb. 13, 1823.
292. xi. DAVID, b. Oct. 24, 1829.
- 292a. xii. LEVI HEADLY, b. Dec. 30, 1832.

171. SERENO TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1775? in New Fairfield, Conn.; died ———, 18—, in Whitehall?, N. Y.; married ———, 179—, in Whitehall, Susannah (Bartholomew) Beckwith,

\* He died intestate. The date of his death is not stated in the petition, dated Nov. 16, 1852, which names his children as above. [Ulster County Surrogate Records at Kingstown, N. Y.]

† Then a part of Marblatown. Dates and order of births uncertain.

‡ A MARGARET TROWBRIDGE, widow [of John, No. iii?], d. Nov. 12, 1873, in Marblatown, N. Y. Her will, dated Jan. 1, 1866, was proved Jan. 15, 1877, "on petition of her daughter, Jane Scott, formerly Jane Davis." [Ulster County, N. Y., Surrogate Records.] The heirs were this daughter (an only child) and several grandchildren. This daughter: SARAH JANE TROWBRIDGE, born Dec. 5, 1819, in Ulster county; m., 1st, Nov. 30, 1837, Reuben Davis [See "Burhans Genealogy," p. 524]; m., 2d, June 17, 1874, William Scott of Marblatown (Olive).

§ His will, dated Dec. 15, 1843, is recorded in Tompkins County Surrogate Records at Ithaca, N. Y., and from it and the petition of his sons i and iii his family register has been largely compiled.

|| A sister of the wife of No. 172.

\*\* "History of Tompkins County, N. Y."

†† There may have been one other child who died in infancy or childhood.

widow of Dyer Beekwith of Whitehall and daughter of Lemuel and Mary (Squire) Bartholomew.\*

Sereno Trowbridge probably emigrated to New York with his father. He appears to have been a farmer in Whitehall.

CHILDREN BORN IN WHITEHALL, N. Y.?:†

- 292b. i. ERASTUS,\* b. ———, 179—.
  - 293. ii. CYRENUS, b. July 15, 1797.
  - iii. MARY, b. ———, 180—; m. Eli Sparks of Whitehall.
  - iv. CALEB.
- Other children?‡

172. HEMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1779? in New Fairfield, Conn.; died about 1823 in Marietta, Ohio; married ———, 180—, in Ulysses?, N. Y., Abigail Comfort Pritchard,§ daughter of Nathaniel and Comfort (Gillette) Pritchard, born February 28, 1788, in ———, Conn.; died January 21, 1838, in Quincy, Ill.

Heman Trowbridge is supposed to have emigrated to Tompkins county, N. Y., with his father and to have lived a number of years after his marriage in Ulysses township. About 1815 he removed to Marietta, Ohio. He was a farmer and stock raiser. In politics he was a Whig and in religion a Methodist. It is said that his wife helped to organize one of the first union Sunday schools in Ohio.

CHILDREN :||

- i. MARY, b. ———, 180—.
- 293a. ii. DAVID, b. ———, 180—.
- 294. iii. NATHANIEL, b. ———, 180—.
- iv. ELIZA BLOOMFIELD, b. Oct. 28, 1807; m. July 24, 1831, George Washington Westgate of Quincy, Ill.
- v. HIRAM, b. ———, 180—; m. ———,\*\*
- vi. LUCINDA, b. Apr. 8, 1811; m. May 28, 1828, Elijah Frampton of Avon, Ill.
- 295. vii. THERON, b. Dec. 5, 1815.
- viii. HARRIET, b. ———, 181—; d. in infancy.
- ix. HARRIET ARIETTA, b. ———, 181—; m. John Burns Brown of Quincy.
- x. ADALINE REGINA, b. Dec. 27, 1821; m. Mar. 15, 1838, John B. Brown (above) and resides in Montrose, Colo.††
- 296. xi. WATSON, b. Aug. 10, 1823.

173. CALEB TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 4, 1782, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died August 9, 1854, in Angola, Ind.; married ———, 1808, in Seneca county, N. Y., Abigail Congdon, who died November 22, 1855, in Angola.

By family records‡‡ he also married Polly Congdon, her twin sister, who died in 1842.

Caleb Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to the town of Ulysses, Tompkins county, N. Y. He settled there after his marriage on a farm which was situated between Seneca and Cayuga lakes. "He served in the War of 1812

\* By "Bartholomew Genealogy," p. 99. Descendants give the name of i PROSPER.

† Names and order of birth in doubt. The names from "Bartholomew Genealogy."

Only descendants of No. ii answered the compiler's letters, and the town clerk of Whitehall and the surrogate of Washington county reported that their records contained no reference to No. 171, or his children. See footnote to No. 292b, ii.

‡ Perhaps John Trowbridge mentioned in the section "Miscellaneous Trowbridges" towards the end of this volume was one of these. A daughter is said to have m. Edmund P. Wood of Whitehall, N. Y.

§ A sister of the wife of No. 170.

|| i-vi born in Ulysses?, N. Y.; the others in Marietta, Ohio.

\*\* Descendants failed to answer the compiler's letters.

†† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

‡‡ Of those marked \*\* on the opposite page and a grandson, Clark Trowbridge.



and was with Jackson at New Orleans.\*\* "He came home on sick leave and later served seven years in the United States Navy."† "He was in the Indian Wars and was in actual service for his country for twelve years."‡

"He was the strongest man in all the country roundabout and could take 1,000 pounds in one hand and carry it. His weight was 210 pounds. On a bet of \$50. he carried a 'plate' to a barn raising in Tompkins county that a number of men could not draw. Men helped him to shoulder it and then he carried it to the barn and won his bet."‡

He emigrated to Washington county, Ohio, in 1817, and lived for many years on his farm near Marietta. In 1840 he removed to Steuben county, Ind., and settled near several of his children in Otsego township, near Angola, where he lived the rest of his life.

## CHILDREN : §

*By Abigail Congdon :*

- i. SARAH, b. Nov. 11, 1809; m. Jesse Walker.
- ii. WALTER, b. Oct. 11, 1810; m. Dorcas Burch.||
- iii. LUCY, b. July 12, 1812; m. Leonard Hall.||
- iv. FREELove, b. Feb. 21, 1814; m. S[uttle?] Driscoll.||
- v. MARY, b. May 10, 1816; m. Ellison Owens.||
297. vi. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. June 12, 1818.
298. vii. WATSON, b. Nov. 15, 1820.
- viii. RHODA,\*\* b. Apr. 18, 1824; m. Dec. 31, 1841, Jacob Waller and resides in Angola, Ind.
- ix. HEMAN, b. July 4, 1825; m.; d. in Metz, Ind.??

*By Polly Congdon :*

- i. LYDIA, b. ———, 1816; m. Orange Clay.||
299. ii. MORGAN, b. Apr. 6, 1818.
- iii. NANCY, b. Aug. 11, 1820; m. Daniel Merritt of Flint, Ind.||
- iv. ABIGAIL, b. ———, 182—; m. Hezekiah Burk.||
- v. MARIA, b. ———, 182—; m. Daniel Brooker.||
- vi. ROANNA, b. July 25, 1830; m. Christopher Petrie.||
- vii. MARTHA,\*\* b. Dec. 19, 1839; m., 1st, Apr. 15, 1860, Uriah N. Welch; m., 2d, Aug. 7, 1883, Barney McShane; m., 3d, June 15, 1889, Henry C. Norton and resides in Tustin, Mich.  
Other children? One family record credits him with 21 children living at one time, so five probably died young.

174. WATSON TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 26, 1789, in New Fairfield, Conn.;†† died January 11, 1866, in Clymer, Pa.; married May 1, 1834, in Clymer, Mary Blue, daughter of John and Mary (Runiou) Blue, born March 10, 1817, in Schuylkill county, Pa.; died April 6, 1876, in Clymer.

Watson Trowbridge was about ten years old when his father emigrated from Connecticut to Tompkins county, N. Y. About 1820 he went to Tioga county,‡‡ Pa., and took up a farm in Clymer township, near Mixtown, then a heavily wooded and sparsely settled country. He cleared his farm and lived there the remainder of his life. He was a famous nimrod and hunter, and shot bear, wolves, deer and panther, all of which were plentiful there in those days.

\* By his daughter Rhoda.

† By his daughter Martha.

‡ By his grandson Clark Trowbridge.

§ The children born prior to 1817 were born in Tompkins county, N. Y.; the others in Washington county, Ohio. Some of them may be credited to the wrong mother, as some descendants of No. 173 seemed to be in doubt as to which they descended from. Some place the eldest under Polly.

|| Descendants failed to answer the compiler's letters.

\*\* Authority for this family register.

†† By his eldest son, who sent this family register.

‡‡ Organized in 1804.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLYMER, PA. :

- i. ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 20, 1836; m. Lewis J. Stone and resides in Sabinsville, Pa.\*
- 300. ii. ASHER BLUE, b. Mar. 26, 1838.
- 301. iii. ONAN, b. Dec. 3, 1840.

**175.** RUFUS TROWBRIDGE (*Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 3, 1773, in Williamstown, Mass.; died April 25, 1822, in Shelburne, Vt.; married ———, 1803, in Shelburne?, Lydia Tracy, daughter of Hezekiah and Eunice (Rood) Tracy, born June 7, 1779, in Williamstown; died November 29, 1856, in Bangor, N. Y.

Rufus Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Shelburne, Vt. He settled there after his marriage, and was a farmer there the remainder of his life. He was elected overseer of highways there in 1807.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SHELBURNE, VT. :

- i. EUNICE ROOD, b. May 12, 1804; m., 1st, Jan. 8, 1823, Elijah Phillips of Ver-shire, Vt.; m., 2d, ———, 1835, Stephen Freeman Spencer of Keeseville, Vt.
- 302. ii. SAMUEL, b. Aug. 6, 1805.
- 303. iii. PROSPER, b. Oct. 15, 1807.
- iv. HAMILTON, b. Mar. 5, 1809; d. July 3, 1809.
- 304. v. PARDON, b. Oct. 7, 1811.
- vi. ZIPPORAH, b. Oct. 22, 1813; m. Samuel Kimball Flanders of Parishville, N. Y.†
- vii. DANIEL, b. Sept. 18, 1815; d. that day.
- viii. LOVINA, b. Nov. 30, 1816; m. Franklin Goodsell of Sheldon, Vt.‡
- ix. CORNELIA,‡ b. Jan. 11, 1820; m. Oct. 5, 1837, Ezra Stowell of Bangor, N. Y.

**176.** HENRY POTTS TROWBRIDGE (*Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 6, 1786, in Brattleboro, Vt.;§ died September 20, 1858, in Trowbridge, Pa.; married ———, 1817, in Kennebec county, Me., Hannah Brown, born July 13, 1786, in Kennebec county; died May 3, 1859, in Trowbridge.

Henry P. Trowbridge was brought by his father to Shelburne, Vt. "In his youth intended to become a physician, but when he began the study of medicine he discovered that his sense of smell was impaired, so he had to give it up, and returned to his home in Shelburne."§ He was elected hayward there in 1810. He is said to have served in the War of 1812, under a Captain Gleason. After the war he went to Kennebec county, Me., and settled near the town of Clinton. He married, and followed his trade of a painter there until 1850. In that year he and his wife and daughters returned with his son to Trowbridge, Jackson township, Tioga county, Pa., where his son had established himself two years before, and where Mr. Trowbridge passed the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLINTON, ME. :

- i. ELVIRA, b. ———, 1819; m. Thomas McKibbin of Trowbridge, Pa.
- ii. HANNAH, b. ———, 1821; m. William Gilbert of Canton Center, N. Y.
- iii. LUCY, b. ———, 1823; m. Samuel Sanford of Bath, Me.
- 305. iv. HENRY, b. June 29, 1824.
- v. ELIZA, b. ———, 1825; d. Jan. 20, 1892, in Canton Center; unm.
- vi. DANIEL, b. ———, 1828; d. in infancy.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† Descendants failed to answer the compiler's letters.

‡ Her daughter Roxa (Mrs. Edward Richardson of Kingston, Ontario, Can.) is the authority for this family register.

§ By family record of his eldest grandson.

177. HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>130</sup>, *John*<sup>112</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 1, 1776, in Hatfield, Mass.; died December 5, 1844, in Albany, N. Y.;\* married ———, 180—?, in ———, N. Y.?, Louise ———.

Henry Trowbridge when a young man came to Utica, N. Y., where he built and opened a tavern on the corner of Hotel and Liberty streets. After conducting it for a few years, he removed to Albany, N. Y.† “On September 18, 1809, he advertised a museum there, believed to have been the foundation of the Albany Museum.”‡ He continued managing his museum for many years. In 1824 he was treasurer of the Bible and Prayer Book Society of Albany. He resided in that city until his death.

## CHILD:§

- i. CATHARINE W., b. ———, 180—; m. Dec. 14, 1829, William Marvin Gregory of Albany, N. Y.

178. STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>131</sup>, *John*<sup>112</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 17, 1773, in Danbury, Conn.; died December 14, 1860, in Providence, R. I.; married, first, ———, 1816?, ——— ———.|| He married, second, Sarah Soules of Little Compton, R. I.

Stephen Trowbridge learned the hatter's trade from his father, and was in business with him in New York City. About 1830 he removed to Providence, R. I., and was engaged in the hat business in that city until his death.

## CHILD BORN IN NEW YORK CITY:

*By first marriage:\*\**

306. i. WILLIAM HENRY,†† b. Jan. 10, 1819.

179. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>131</sup>, *John*<sup>112</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 19, 1780, in Danbury, Conn.;‡‡ died ———, 1808,§§ in New York City; married May 19, 1800, in Danbury, Hannah Benedict, daughter of Joshua and Ruth (Westcott) Benedict, born May 4, 1781, in Danbury. She married, second, Benjamin Stiles of New York City and Clarksfield, Ohio, and died June 16, 1824, in Clarksfield.

Joseph Trowbridge was in the hat business with his father until the latter's removal from Danbury, Conn. He followed his father to New York, and kept the “Bull's Head” tavern in that city, a famous hotel for cattlemen in that day.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DANBURY, CONN.:

307. i. JOSHUA BENEDICT, b. Feb. 25, 1801.  
ii. REBECCA?, b. ———, 1803; d. a young girl.

180. JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 28, 1749, in Bethel, Conn.; died May 1, 1836, in Bethel; married, first, January 1, 1771, in Bethel, Abigail Davis, daughter of Eliakim

\* The will of Henry Trowbridge of Albany, dated Sept. 5, 1844, proved Feb. 10, 1845, leaves all his property to his wife Louise, to go at her death to daughter Catharine W. Gregory and Henry Trowbridge Gregory equally. [Albany Surrogate Records, vol. 12, p. 276.] The maiden name of his wife is given Lucy Meach in one family record.

† “Pioneers of Utica, N. Y.” p. 174.

‡ Munsell's “Annals of Albany,” vol. 5, p. 21.

§ It is supposed from his will; no children by “Woodbridge Genealogy.”

|| “Miss Dayton” by “Trowbridge Family,” which is in error in this branch of the family and may be in this instance as well.

\*\* No children by second marriage.

†† His widow is the authority for this family register. See abstract of the will of his grand father, page 142, footnote \*.

‡‡ Mr. Henry B. Betts of Danbury, whose grandfather was a step-son of No. 179, i, is the authority for this family register.

§§ Administration was granted on his estate June 27, 1808. [New York City Surrogate Records.] The “Trowbridge Family” states that No. 179 m. Oct. 15, 1806, Polly Wakely. (See footnote to No. 226.)

and Elizabeth (——) Davis?, born January 1, 1753, in Bethel?; died June 9, 1818, in Bethel. He married, second, Mrs. Rebecca Elwell, who died February 1, 1844, in Bethel, aged 67.

James Trowbridge settled as a farmer in his native place, the parish of Bethel in the town of Danbury, Conn., and was a considerable land owner at Grassy Plain. He was a member of the Episcopal church, and a highly respected citizen.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BETHEL, CONN.:

*By first marriage.\**

308. i. JABEZ, b. Mar. 2, 1772.  
 ii. ESTHER, b. Oct. 22, 1774; m. Nov. 1, 1792. Dea. Micajah Hoyt of Bethel.  
 309. iii. ELIAKIM DAVIS, b. June 21, 1776.  
 iv. DILLA, b. Jan. 25, 1778; m. July 24, 1799, Benjamin Hoyt of Bethel.  
 v. ELIZABETH, b. Apr. 6, 1782; m., 1st, Jesse Beers; m., 2d, Michael Russell of New York City.  
 vi. IRA, b. Aug. 4, 1783; d. Jan. 22, 1808, in Bethel; unm.

181. SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 19, 1752, in Bethel, Conn.; died February 15, 1845, in Newtown, Conn.; married May 31, 1779, in Newtown, Mary Turner, born March 21, 1754, in Newtown; died January 22, 1841, in Newtown.

Samuel Trowbridge lived for a time at Grassy Plain in his native place, the parish of Bethel in Danbury, Conn. He settled after his marriage in Newtown, Conn., where he resided the rest of his life. He was a blacksmith by trade, and was also occupied to some extent with farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTOWN, CONN.:

- i. SARAH, b. Apr. 19, 1790; m. William C. Hawley of Newtown.  
 310. ii. JEREMIAH TURNER, b. June 25, 1792.

182. STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 18, 1756, in Bethel, Conn.; died November 5, 1841, in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; married June 27, 1781, in Danbury, Conn., Elizabeth Barnum, daughter of Eliphalet and Elizabeth (Benedict) Barnum, born November 22, 1761, in Danbury; died April 20, 1822, in North East, N. Y.

Stephen Trowbridge at the age of nineteen enlisted in the army in the Revolution. In his application for a pension he declares that his war service was as follows: "He entered the service of the United States under the following named officers and served as herein stated. That at Danbury in Connecticut on first of May 1775, deponent enlisted as a private for seven months in a company of Connecticut militia, commanded by Capt. Noble Benedict, in a regiment commanded by Colonel Waterbury, and marched from Danbury to Horseneck, remained there a few weeks, thence went to New York, and encamped and remained there until some time in July, when they were ordered to Half Moon Point (now Waterford). Deponent thence went in a company of men detached forward to mend the road before the main army as far as Fort George; went thence across the lake and joined the army at Ticonderoga, then commanded by General Montgomery; from thence crossed Lake Champlain to Isle au Noix; from thence by water to St. John's; there had an engagement with the Indians; was in the siege of St. John's about six weeks; after taking of St. John's went to Montreal and was there when that place was given up to the American army, and stayed in Montreal until about the 20th of November; on his return home, was discharged at Fort George and arrived at home on the fifth day of December.

\* No children by second marriage.

1775. On the 1st of May, 1776, at Danbury aforesaid, enlisted for eight months in the Connecticut troops in Capt. Gailor Hubbell's company, and marched to Norwalk, thence to New York and joined the regiment commanded by Colonel Silliman; remained in New York until toward the last of July; thence went to Long Island; returned to New York with the army under General Washington, and was with the army on its retreat from New York to Kingsbridge and along the North River until the last of December, 1776, when he was discharged at Tarrytown. Deponent served under both engagements fifteen months.\*\*

Although he does not mention the following service in his pension application, he was, without doubt, the Stephen Trowbridge who is on the rolls of the Ninth Company, 16th Regiment of Connecticut militia, as ensign in May, 1777, and in Capt. Daniel Hickok's company, of the same, under Col. Nehemiah Beardsley, in the expedition to Fairfield, Conn., in July, 1779, at the time of Tryon's invasion.†

Stephen Trowbridge settled in his native town after his marriage, in 1781, but soon removed from there and settled on a farm in Amenia precinct, Dutchess county, N. Y. His homestead, built in 1800, was in North East, one mile south of Millerton, N. Y. He lived there until March, 1831, when he removed to the town of Washington in the same county. The closing years of his life were passed in the neighboring town of Poughkeepsie.

## CHILDREN :‡

- i. RHESA, b. July 17, 1782; m. Feb. 5, 1799, Abraham Bockeé Pugsley of North East.
- ii. SARAH, b. Jan. 20, 1784; m. Oct. 29, 1806, Calob Dakin of Amenia, N. Y.
- iii. ELIZABETH, b. June 12, 1786; d. Jan. 28, 1828, in North East; unm.
- iv. ELIPHALET BARNUM, b. Jan. 17, 1789; d. Oct. 31, 1792.
311. v. STEPHEN BARNUM,§ b. Mar. 19, 1799.
312. vi. ALEXANDER WALSTEIN, b. July 22, 1803.

183. ABEL TROWBRIDGE (*Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 28, 1751, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died September 23, 1815, in Great Bend, Pa.; married January 1, 1777, in New Fairfield?, Anna Mosier, born December 28, 1753, in New Fairfield?; died March 10, 1832, in Great Bend.

Abel Trowbridge was a soldier in the Revolution. His name appears in the roll of Capt. Peter Penfield's company in the 16th Regiment of Connecticut militia, Col. Nehemiah Beardsley, in the expedition to Fairfield and Norwalk, Conn., in July, 1779.||

He was engaged in farming in his native town, New Fairfield, Conn., until about 1785, when he removed to Albany county, N. Y. He settled on a farm in that part of Cossackie which became the town of Cairo, Greene county, about twelve miles from Catskill Landing. In the spring of 1813 he removed with his family to Great Bend, Susquehanna county, Pa., where he died two years later.

## CHILDREN :\*\*

- i. MERTABLE, b. Nov. 28, 1777; m. ———, 1794, Walter Munson of Orange, Pa.
- ii. POLLY, b. Dec. 1, 1779; m. Sept. 14, 1797, Abel Blackmar of Newark, N. Y.
- iii. SALLY, b. Sept. 30, 1781; m. Feb. 19, 1801, Peter Krum of Cherry Valley, Ohio.
- iv. ANNA, b. May 9, 1783; m.†† Thomas Smith of Freehold?, N. Y.

\* U. S. Pension Office Records; "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 68; "History of Danbury," p. 57.

† "Connecticut Historical Society's Collections," vol. 8, p. 199.

‡ i born in Bethel, Conn.; the others in North East, N. Y.

§ His daughter Miss Eliza Trowbridge is the authority for this family register.

|| "Connecticut Historical Society's Collections," vol. 8, p. 196.

\*\* i-iv born in New Fairfield, Conn.; the others in Cairo (then a part of Cossackie), N. Y. His grandson Edward N. Trowbridge contributed this family register.

†† Descendants failed to supply this date.

- v. SALMON, b. Nov. 15, 1785; d. Apr. 12, 1808, in Cairo, N. Y.; unm.  
 vi. LUCY, b. Sept. 4, 1787; m. Nov. 19, 1812, Luther Jackson of New York City.  
 vii. PHEBE, b. Sept. 3, 1790; m.\* Oliver Trowbridge Hatch of Great Bend, Pa.  
 313. viii. SEELEY, b. Aug. 22, 1792.  
 314. ix. DANIEL, b. Oct. 21, 1794.  
 315. x. WILLIAM, b. June 1, 1798.

184. SEELEY TROWBRIDGE (*Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1753, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died ———, 1804, in Chatham, N. Y.; † married ———, 1775, in Chatham, Margaret Foote, daughter of Ephraim and Margaret (Smith) Foote.

Seeley Trowbridge settled after his marriage in the Nine Partners district, N. Y. He is thought to have removed about 1782 to that part of the original Albany county, N. Y., which became the town of Chatham, Columbia county. He lived there the remainder of his life. He was a millwright by trade and a Quaker in religion.

## CHILDREN:§

- i. LUTHER, b. ———, 1777; d. ———, 1811, || in Claverack, N. Y.; unm.  
 316. ii. CALVIN, b. July 3, 1779.  
 iii. TIRZAH, b. July 28, 1781; m. Apr. 4, 1808, William Grant of Stillville, N. Y.  
 iv. POLLY, b. ———, 1783; m. Larry Patrick of Cayuga county, N. Y.  
 317. v. SEETH, b. ———, 1787.  
 318. vi. WILLIAM (BILLE), b. ———, 1788.  
 vii. MARGARET FOOTE,\*\* b. June 3, 1790; m. Sept. 20, 1819, Homer Chittenden of Adams, N. Y.  
 319. viii. JOHN FOOTE, b. July 21, 1791.

185. ELI TROWBRIDGE (*Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1755, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died ———, 179-?, †† in ———, ———; married ———. ‡‡

Eli Trowbridge settled in New Milford, Conn., where on September 5, 1778, he bought a dwelling-house and land on the road to Newberry parish, now Brookfield. He took the freeman's oath at New Milford on September 15, 1778. He was a soldier in the Revolution, and was sergeant in Capt. Joseph Smith's company, 16th Regiment of Connecticut militia, Col. Nehemiah Beardsley, in the expedition to Fairfield and Norwalk, Conn., in July, 1779.§§ He sold his property in New Milford on April 15, 1780, and is supposed to have removed to New York and to have settled near his brother in Cairo, Greene county.

## CHILDREN||| BORN IN CAIRO, N. Y.?:

320. i. ELI, b. ———, 1780?  
 321. ii. ZIRA, b. Aug. 19, 1785.

\* Descendants failed to supply this date.

† A son of No. 133, viii.

‡ His will, "of Chatham," dated Apr. 12, 1804, proved Nov. 10, 1804, mentions: "wife Peggy," and children, Luther, Calvin, Tirzah, Polly, Seth, Bille, Peggy and John. He signed his name *Seely* Trowbridge. The older spelling of this name was *Seelye*. [Columbia County Surrogate Records at Hudson, N. Y.]

§ i-iii born in Nine Partners, N. Y.; iv-viii in Chatham, N. Y.

|| His will, "of Montgomery Co., N. Y., now residing in Claverack," dated in Jan., 1811, proved May 23, 1811. [Columbia County Surrogate Records.]

\*\* Her daughter Margaret C. (Mrs. Robert) Bentley of Otsego, Mich., is authority for this family register.

†† Before Feb., 1798, when his father made his will.

‡‡ Perhaps she was the "Polly Trowbridge" who "m. Mar. 9, 1797, in New Milford, Nathaniel Stone of New Milford." This Polly is unknown to the descendants of Daniel Trowbridge (No. 121) of New Milford. See second paragraph of footnote § under No. 156.

§§ "Connecticut Historical Society's Collections," vol. 8, p. 196.

||| "Two only," wrote No. ii's grandson Mr. William T. Smith of Milwaukee, Wis.

**186. DANIEL TROWBRIDGE** (*Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 1, 1757, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died March 14, 1814, in Buckland, Mass.; married January 16, 1777, in New Fairfield, Mary Taylor, daughter of Rev. James and Mary (Field) Taylor, born June 29, 1758, in New Fairfield; died August 21, 1825, in Buckland.

Daniel Trowbridge while still a boy of seventeen became a soldier in the Revolution. He enlisted May 9, 1775, in the Ninth Company, Capt. Nehemiah Beardsley, 5th Regiment, Connecticut Line, Col. David Waterbury.\* This regiment was raised at the first call for troops, and marched under General Wooster to New York and then to the Northern Department. He was discharged September 17, 1775. He re-enlisted June 16, 1776, in Capt. Jonah Benedict's battalion, Wadsworth's brigade, and served at the defense of Fort Washington. He was discharged December 25, 1776.†

After his marriage Daniel Trowbridge settled in Deerfield, Mass., where he lived at the "Turnip Yard." About 1784 he removed to Buckland, Mass., where he resided the remainder of his life. He was a farmer.

## CHILDREN: ‡

322. i. RUFUS, b. Mar. 27, 1778.  
 ii. THIRZAH, b. July 30, 1779; m. Feb. 12, 1800, Joel Clapp of Southampton, Mass.  
 iii. JAMES, b. June 17, 1781; d. Nov. 22, 1787.  
 iv. POLLY, b. Mar. 10, 1783; m. Jan. 5, 1805, David Pitcher of Martinsburgh, N. Y.  
 v. BETSEY, b. Jan. 9, 1785; m. ———, 1807, Joseph Torrey of Southampton.  
 vi. ELECTA, b. Feb. 19, 1787; d. Mar. 21, 1788.  
 323. vii. JAMES TAYLOR, b. Mar. 4, 1789.  
 324. viii. SAMUEL EDWARD, b. Feb. 4, 1792.  
 ix. ELECTA, b. Mar. 7, 1794; d. Sept. 12, 1795.  
 325. x. DANIEL, b. Feb. 17, 1796.  
 326. xi. SILAS FAIRCHILD, b. Mar. 14, 1798.  
 xii. DOROTHY (DOLLY), b. Feb. 8, 1800; m., 1st, ———, 1822, Rev. Lewis Covell of Rochester, N. Y.; m., 2d, Mar. —, 1836, Arvin Nash of Goshen, Mass.

**187. MAJ. OLIVER TROWBRIDGE** (*Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 11, 1759, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died ———, 18—, in Castle Creek, N. Y.; married January 11, 1780, in New Milford, Conn., Anna Noble, daughter of Gideon and Martha (Prime) Noble, born September —, 1761, in New Milford. She married, second, Luther Mason, and died May 11, 1835, in Great Bend, Pa.

Oliver Trowbridge enlisted from his native town in the army in the Revolution. He was in Capt. Peter Penfield's company in the 16th Regiment of Connecticut militia, Col. Nehemiah Beardsley, in the expedition to Fairfield and Norwalk, Conn., in July, 1779.§

In 1780 he is supposed to have removed with his brother Eli to a farm near the present town of Cairo, Greene county, N. Y. In 1796 he removed with his family to Great Bend, Susquehanna county, Pa. "That year Horatio Strong had a license to keep a tavern. He had only a log house. This it appears was purchased by Oliver Trowbridge, who built in 1797 a frame part to it. An upper room was used by a Masonic lodge, and the walls of it were papered, the first instance of a papered room in the county. He was licensed in 1801."||

\* "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 70.

† Ditto, p. 422.

‡ i-iv born in Deerfield, Mass.; the others in Buckland, Mass.

§ "Connecticut Historical Society's Collections," p. 196.

|| "History of Susquehanna County, Pa."

Oliver Trowbridge was known in Great Bend as "Major Trowbridge." He was elected supervisor of Great Bend (then Willingborough) in 1797. In 1800 he was collector of state revenue for that place and Nine Partners. About this time he was one of the petitioners for a road from Red Rock by the river to the north line of the state. He later located on Section 4 of what was called "The Fan," just outside of Great Bend borough and extending about two miles on the river. He died from injuries in lifting a big stone in the Susquehanna river, and was buried on his farm in Castle Creek, Broome county, N. Y.

## CHILDREN:\*

- 327. i. NOBLE, b. ———, 1780?
- 328. ii. LYMAN, b. June 19, 1783.
- iii. BETSEY, b. ———, 1785?; m. Thomas? Hayes of Unadilla, N. Y.
- iv. PHILENA, b. Apr. 25, 1788; m. Oct. 5, 1808, William Buck of Great Bend, Pa.
- 329. v. AUGUSTUS, b. July 14, 1792.
- vi. SALLY, b. ———, 1795?; m. ——— Thayer of Palmyra, N. Y.
- 330. vii. HENRY, b. July —, 1798.
- viii. ORPHA, b. ———, 1800?; m. Allen Upson of Springville, Pa.

188. ABRAHAM TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 7, 1772, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died November 20, 1842, in New Fairfield; married February 15, 1795, in New Fairfield, Sarah Osborne, daughter of Eleazer and Sarah (Burr) Osborne, born March 6, 1768, in Fairfield, Conn.; died January 13, 1865, in New Fairfield.

Abraham Trowbridge was engaged in farming all of his life in his native town, New Fairfield, Conn. He was admitted a member of the Congregational church there on December 6, 1795.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW FAIRFIELD, CONN.:

- i. HANNAH, b. Nov. 19, 1795; m. Mar. 28, 1824, William Porter of Stepuey, Conn.
- 331. ii. BARLOW STURGES,† b. Nov. 11, 1797.
- iii. ABIAH, b. Jan. 16, 1800; d. Jan. 15, 1859, in New Fairfield; unm.
- iv. EUNICE, b. June 19, 1803; m. Dec. 13, 1835, Benjamin Porter of Easton, Conn.
- v. SARAH, b. Aug. 27, 1805; m. Dec. 31, 1833, Barrett A. Couch of Bethel, Conn.
- 332. vi. EPHRAIM BURR, b. Jan. 23, 1807.
- vii. MARY, b. Oct. 13, 1808; m. Nov. 26, 1827, William Beers Hawley of New Fairfield.
- 333. viii. JOHN STEVENS, b. Mar. 13, 1811.

189. REUBEN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 30, 1780, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died June 16, 1862, in New Lisbon, Wis.; married November —, 1800, in New Fairfield?,‡ Susannah Benedict, daughter of Eleazer and Jerusha (Crosby) Benedict, born April 16, 1784, in Danbury, Conn.; died March 11, 1855, in Chicago, Ill.

Reuben Trowbridge settled in Danbury, Conn., after his marriage. For a great many years he conducted a stage and goods-wagon route between Danbury and Ossining, N. Y., making the trip weekly. He was admitted a member of the King Street Baptist Church in Danbury on October 5, 1816. His wife was admitted on July 5, 1817. His old age was passed at the homes of several of the children, and he died at the home of one of them.

\* Some dates in doubt. If this arrangement is correct, i-vi were born in Cairo, N. Y. (see footnote to 183); the others in Great Bend, Pa.

† His daughter Mrs. Maria T. Gilbert of Danbury, Conn., is the authority for this family register.

‡ Recorded thus in New Fairfield Congregational Church Records.







*Billy Trowbridge*

## CHILDREN BORN IN DANBURY, CONN. :

334. i. TRUMAN, b. Apr. 27, 1802.  
 335. ii. ALVAH, b. Nov. 27, 1803.  
 iii. ELECTA, b. Jan. 20, 1806; m. Jan. 30, 1825, Francis C. Sherman of Newtown, Conn.  
 iv. SALOME, b. July 2, 1808; d. in infancy.  
 v. ELVIRA, b. Nov. 14, 1809; d. Apr. 24, 1833, in Danbury; unm.  
 vi. ALMEDA, b. Nov. 27, 1811; m. Jan. 18, 1829, Charles A. Johnson of New Lisbon, Wis.  
 vii. SARAH, b. Nov. 29, 1813; d. in infancy.  
 viii. SARAH MARIA, b. Feb. 5, 1815; m. Dec. 24, 1835, Thomas Shergold of Chicago, Ill.  
 ix. JERUSHA, b. Nov. 29, 1816; m. Jan. 12, 1840, Harrison\* H. Husted of Chicago.  
 336. x. ELEAZER BENEDICT, b. Dec. 20, 1818.  
 xi. MARY, b. Feb. 3, 1821; m. Aug. 10, 1836, Peter L. Updike of Chicago.  
 xii. ELIZA MOORE, b. Mar. 27, 1823; m. Dec. 25, 1845, David Augustus Foote of Chicago.  
 xiii. PATIENCE, b. Dec. 29, 1824; d. Mar. 1, 1833.  
 xiv. JANE, b. Nov. 29, 1827; m. Horatio James and resides in Michigan City, Ind.†  
 xv. IRA, b. Dec. 12, 1829; d. Feb. 13, 1855, in Chicago; unm.

190. ALVAH TROWBRIDGE (*Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 4, 1779, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died June 10, 1856, in South East, N. Y.; married November 30, 1797, in Carmel, N. Y., Sally Crane, daughter of Judge John and Tamar (Carpenter) Crane, born June 27, 1780, in Carmel; died April 6, 1833, in South East.

Alvah Trowbridge after his marriage settled on a farm in Carmel, N. Y. He was a soldier in the War of 1812, according to family records. About 1830 he removed to South East, N. Y., where he passed the remainder of his life. He was a member of the Gilead Presbyterian Church in Mahopac, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CARMEL, N. Y. :

337. i. PHINEAS BEARDSLEY, b. Dec. 4, 1798.  
 ii. ADAH ZILLAH, b. Oct. 18, 1800; m. Nov. 23, 1820, Levi Knox of South East, N. Y.  
 338. iii. ALLETON MONTGOMERY, b. Feb. 24, 1803.  
 iv. ARALINDA, b. Feb. 26, 1805; m. Nov. 19, 1828, Orrin Richards of South East.  
 339. v. WILLIAM CRANE, b. Apr. 15, 1807.  
 vi. CORNELIA ANN, b. Nov. 8, 1809; m. Feb. 18, 1846, Reynolds Platt (below).  
 vii. ARABELLA CAROLINE, b. June 28, 1812; m. Feb. 24, 1836, Reynolds Platt of North Castle, N. Y.  
 viii. SARAH BELDEN, b. Mar. 21, 1821; m. Oct. 21, 1840, David Baldwin Rogers of New Fairfield, Conn.

191. BILLY TROWBRIDGE (*Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 26, 1781, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died May 8, 1854, in Syracuse, N. Y.; married ———, 1802, in Colerain, Mass., Polly Stewart, daughter of John and Ann (McClellan) Stewart, born March 16, 1782, in Colerain; died December 4, 1859, in Syracuse.

Billy Trowbridge accompanied his parents when they emigrated from Carmel, N. Y., and, after his father's death while on the trip, he continued on with his mother to Truxton, Cortland county, N. Y. He settled in Truxton and lived there forty-nine years. He represented the county in the New York Assembly for three consecutive sessions, and was appointed to positions of high responsibility and honor in various departments of business and civil life. He was an intimate friend of Gov. De Witt Clinton, who frequently consulted him on the subject of building the Erie canal.

\* William H. in Danbury Town Records.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

In 1846 he removed to Syracuse, N. Y., where he resided the remainder of his life. He was engaged for many years in the milling business, in which he was highly successful. He afterward was owner and president of a plank road company, and managed most of its business himself. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Syracuse.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TRUXTON, N. Y.:

- i. ALVAH, b. Feb. 7, 1803; d. Feb. 10, 1843, in Truxton; unm.
- 340. ii. JOHN, b. Apr. 22, 1805.
- 341. iii. LEVI, b. May 8, 1807.
- 342. iv. SAMUEL, b. Sept. 14, 1809.
- 343. v. HUBBARD, b. Jan. 17, 1813.
- 344. vi. SMITH, b. May 12, 1819.
- vii. RHODA ANN, b. Mar. 3, 1822; m. Aug. 28, 1843, Edward H. Babcock of Syracuse, N. Y.
- viii. WILLIAM LA FAYETTE, b. May 3, 1825; d. Sept. 2, 1833.

192. LEVI TROWBRIDGE (*Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 16, 1783, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died September 28, 1846, in LeRoy, Ill.; married February 26, 1805,\* in Fabius, N. Y., Abigail Smith, born January 19, 1782, in Bennington, Vt.; died August 26, 1839, in Fayette county, Ind.

Levi Trowbridge came in boyhood with his mother to Truxton, N. Y. After his marriage he settled in Trumansburgh, N. Y., and engaged in farming. Family records show that he served in the War of 1812, and that in 1814 he was a captain of infantry in the army which operated against the British forces on the Canadian frontier. A descendant wrote the following anecdote about him while he was in this campaign. "While he was in camp, three men were killed on picket duty. He took that position, and while on post heard a noise, and it being too dark for him to see the object which caused it, he waited until it came closer and fired, killing an Indian. The guards had been stabbed in the back by Indians, who had then crept on. He was promoted for this service. His friends always spoke of him as 'Major Trowbridge,' but his letters that I have are addressed to him as Col. Levi Trowbridge."<sup>†</sup>

Colonel Trowbridge removed to Indiana in the fall of 1825 and settled near what is now the town of Harrisburgh in Fayette county. He was there engaged in farming and horse raising until a few years before his death, which occurred at the home of his son Doctor John in LeRoy, Ill. He and his wife were members of the Baptist church, and he was a Royal Arch Mason.

CHILDREN BORN IN TRUMANSBURGH, N. Y.:<sup>‡</sup>

- i. POLLY, b. Aug. 24, 1805; m. Aug. 23, 1827, William Winans Thomas of Harrisburgh, Ind.
- ii. SALLY, b. Jan. 1, 1807; m. Lester Ellis of Alexandria, Ind.
- 345. iii. BILLY SMITH, b. Aug. 22, 1808.
- iv. FRANKLIN YOUNG, b. Sept. 5, 1810; a physician; d. June 23, 1831, in Lebanon, Ohio; unm.
- 346. v. JOHN DEMOTT, } twins,
- vi. A son, } b. Aug. 28, 1816; d. Aug. 29, 1816.
- vii. SAMUEL, b. Jan. 4, 1818; d. Oct. 4, 1821.
- 347. viii. EDWIN NESTOR, b. Mar. 19, 1824.
- 348. ix. SILAS THOMPSON, b. Feb. 19, 1826.

193. SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 1, 1788, in Carmel, N. Y.; died September 19, 1817, in Homer, N. Y.; married, first, October 17, 1809, in Fabius?, N. Y., Achsah

\* By his mother's pension application papers; Dec., 1804, by "Trowbridge Family."

<sup>†</sup> Letter from his granddaughter Mrs. Augustus B. Branaman (No. 346, ii).

<sup>‡</sup> Except ix, who was born in Fayette county, Ind.

Smith, daughter of Matthew and Theodosia (Mead) Smith, born April 22, 1786, in ———; died January 27, 1812, in Homer?. He married, second, Jane [McKnight?].

Samuel Trowbridge came in boyhood with his mother to Truxton, Cortland county, N. Y., and settled in the neighboring town of Homer. He was a farmer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HOMER, N. Y.?:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. MATTHEW SMITH, b. Aug. 12, 1810; d. Aug. 29, 1812.
- ii. BILLY, b. Jan. 25, 1812; d. Mar. 25, 1812.

**194.** JOHN CRANE† TROWBRIDGE (*Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 18, 1798, in Truxton, N. Y.; died August 21, 1831, in Truxton; married February 21, 1821, in Truxton?, Ethalinda Melvin Smith, daughter of Brown and Patty (Donaldson) Smith, born March 28, 1803, in Burlington?, N. Y.; died June 20, 1855, in Knowlesville, N. Y.

John C. Trowbridge settled as a farmer in his native town, Truxton, N. Y., where he died while still a young man.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TRUXTON, N. Y.:

349. i. HARLEY, b. Sept. 21, 1822.
- ii. ELIZABETH BLANCHARD, b. Feb. 21, 1824; m. Apr. 20, 1844, Rev. William Branch of Gerard, Pa.
- iii. SOPHRONIA, b. July 30, 1830; d. Feb. 17, 1831.

**195.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 26, 1768, in Morristown, N. J.; died May 16, 1859, in Blountsville, Ind.; married, first, ———, 1788, in Morristown?, Hannah Beers, who died about 1820 in Cheriote, Ohio. He married, second, Catherine Dolph.

David Trowbridge was a weaver by trade, and was thus employed after his marriage in his native town. He was a member of Capt. Joseph Halsey's Morristown militia company in 1791. About 1796 he removed to Painted Post, Steuben county, N. Y., where he lived until 1818. In that year he emigrated to Ohio, and settled on the east fork of Taylor's creek, Green township, Hamilton county, near Cincinnati. He was there engaged in farming until 1832, when he removed to Milan, Ind. He later removed to Blountsville, Ind., where he died.

## CHILDREN:‡

*By first marriage:§*

350. i. HENRY BEERS, b. May 16, 1789.
- ii. A child, b. ———, 1791; d. in infancy.
- iii. CHLOE, b. ———, 1793; d. in infancy.
- iv. SARAH, b. Oct. 18, 1795; m. June 29, 1815, James Calkins of Corning, N. Y.
351. v. JOSEPH BEERS, b. Sept. 28, 1797.
352. vi. DAVID, b. Dec. 23, 1799.
- vii. PHILIP, b. ———, 1802; d. in infancy.
- viii. MINERVA, b. Mar. 30, 1804; m. Nov. 1, 1821, Ezekiel Lockwood of Cincinnati, Ohio.
353. ix. ARCHIBALD, b. Sept. 7, 1806.
- x. MIRIAM, b. ———, 1808; m. July 4, 1833, John Loudon of Cincinnati.

\* No child is mentioned in his will on file at Cortland, N. Y.

† The Lucy, wife of [Asa?] Merrells of Truxton, N. Y., perhaps was a child of his second wife by a previous marriage.

‡ Named for John Crane, of General Washington's staff, whose commission, signed by Washington, is in possession of the Trowbridge family.

§ i-iv born in Morristown, N. J.; the others in Painted Post, N. Y.

§ No children by second marriage.

354. xi. MATTHEW LINDLEY, b. Nov. 15, 1810.  
 xii. MARIA,\* } twins, m. Apr. 4, 1838, Comfort Lavius Fillmore  
                   } of Cincinnati.  
 xiii. ANN, } b. Nov. 22, 1812; d. in infancy.  
 355. xiv. WILLIAM LEWIS, b. Nov. 30, 1814.

196. SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1776, in Morristown, N. J.; died ———, 1807; † married ———, 1798, in Mendham, N. J., Sarah Denman, ‡ daughter of William Denman, born ———, 1777, in Mendham. She married, second, Ephraim Corwin, and died October —, 1862, in Chester, Morrow county, Ohio.

Samuel Trowbridge settled after his marriage on a farm in Mendham in his native county. In 1806, in company with his sister Mrs. Denman, her husband and his wife's parents, he started for the West, the then wilderness of Ohio. They lived one year in Pennsylvania and then resumed their journey. Not long after leaving Washington county, Pa., he was thrown from his horse by the limb of a tree and killed. His widow and children continued on with the Denmans, and in 1808 arrived at their destination, Knox (afterwards Morrow) county, Ohio. The country was a dense, unbroken wilderness, and the homestead was established on Owl creek, about two miles from Chesterville, the Denmans settling on the opposite side of the creek.

CHILDREN BORN IN MENDHAM, N. J.:

356. i. ABNER, b. Oct. 11, 1799.  
 357. ii. DAVID, b. Apr. 8, 1801.  
 358. iii. SAMUEL, b. Apr. 24, 1803.

197. ABNER TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1779, in Morristown, N. J.; died ———, 1858, in Troy, Mich.; married ———, 1802?, in Painted Post?, N. Y., Sally Castaline, § who died ———, 1834, in Painted Post.

Abner Trowbridge perhaps accompanied his elder brother, David, to Painted Post, Steuben county, N. Y. He was engaged in farming there for about thirty years. He is supposed to have accompanied his sons to Troy, Mich., among the early pioneers.

CHILDREN BORN IN PAINTED POST, N. Y. :||

359. i. BENJAMIN, b. ———, 1804.  
 360. ii. AMARIAH CASTALINE, b. Jan. 27, 1806.  
       iii. ELECTA, b. ———, 1808; m. Daniel Mahollan of Truittsburg, Pa.  
 361. iv. JOB, b. ———, 1811.  
       v. JAMES, b. ———, 1813; m. Harriet ———, who resides in Greenville, Mich.\*\*  
       vi. JULIA ANN, b. ———, 1815?; m. John Lennon of Shiawassee county, Mich.  
       vii. MARILLA, b. ———, 1816?; m. Hiram Rhodes of Shiawassee county.  
       viii. RACHEL, b. ———, 1818?; m. Uriah Masten of ———, Cal.  
       ix. ELIZA, b. ———, 1820?; m. George Hazen of Capac, Mich.

\* Her daughter Miss Ellen Phonetta Fillmore of Cincinnati was most diligent in collecting the records of the descendants of her grandfather (No. 195).

† "After leaving Washington Co., Pa., in the wilderness, while emigrating to Ohio," by a grandson, the late Mr. Judson Trowbridge, who contributed the biographical sketch of his grandfather (No. 196).

The early family records were destroyed by the burning of his widow's house.

‡ A sister of the husband of No. 136, vii.

§ Her birth and parentage are unknown to descendants.

|| Register from Mrs. Ida Trowbridge Butler (No. 360, vii), a granddaughter of No. 197 above.

\*\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

**198.** AUGUSTIN\* TROWBRIDGE (*Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 19, 1767, in Succasunna Plains, N. J.; died June 6, 1845, in Morris Plains, N. J.; married February 20, 1791, in Morristown, N. J., Elizabeth Freeman, born May 18, 1775, in Morristown?; died April 28, 1845, in Morris Plains.

Augustin Trowbridge settled as a farmer on Trowbridge Mountain† in Hanover township, Morris county, N. J. His farm in Morris Plains was two hundred acres in extent, and on it were situated sheds for charcoal burning as well as a blacksmith's and cooper's shop. He lived there all his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MORRIS PLAINS, N. J.:‡

362. i. SHUBAEL, b. Feb. 3, 1792.  
 363. ii. STEPHEN, b. Nov. 15, 1793.  
 iii. MARY, b. Nov. 28, 1795; m. Mar. 27, 1815, John Wheeler of Allamuchy, N. J.  
 iv. JOANNA, b. Oct. 8, 1797; m. June 13, 1822, Ebenezer Pierson of Morris Plains.  
 v. JOHN, b. June 13, 1799; d. Mar. 18, 1801.  
 vi. LYDIA, b. May 31, 1801; m. July 24, 1823, Nathaniel King Campfield of Morristown, N. J.  
 364. vii. ELIJAH FREEMAN, b. July 22, 1803.  
 365. viii. DAVID, b. Nov. 11, 1805.  
 ix. ELIZABETH, b. June 28, 1810; d. Apr. 17, 1811.  
 x. JANE LYDIA, b. July 14, 1813; m. June 11, 1834, William Harvey Williamson of Morris Plains.

**199.** JABEZ TROWBRIDGE (*Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 8, 1769, in Succasunna Plains, N. J.; died April 12, 1845, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; married ———, 1790, in Mendham?, N. J., Jane Lewis, daughter of Charles and Rebecca (Reeves) Lewis, who died February 10, 1855, in Mt. Freedom, aged 84.

Jabez Trowbridge settled on a farm on Trowbridge Mountain in the town of Randolph, Morris county, N. J. He lived there until late in life, when he removed to the home of his son David in Mt. Freedom, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN RANDOLPH, N. J.:

366. i. ELIPHALET, b. Dec. 15, 1792.  
 367. ii. DAVID, b. Nov. 8, 1795.  
 368. iii. JOHN, b. Aug. 2, 1798.  
 iv. LEWIS, b. ———, 180-?; d. in Succasunna, aged 21 years; unm.  
 369. v. AUGUSTIN, b. ———, 180-?.  
 vi. MARY, b. ———, 180-; m. Aaron Lee.  
 vii. BETSEY, b. ———, 180-; m. Daniel Wells.  
 viii. JANE, b. ———, 181-; m. Knapp Atno.  
 ix. CATHARINE, b. ———, 181-; m. Aaron Reeves of New York City.  
 x. RUTH, b. ———, 181-; d. in Boonton, N. J.; unm.

**200.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1772, in Frederick county, Va.; died April 7, 1864, in Kingwood, W. Va.; married ———, 1797, in Frederick county?, Mary Grady,§ daughter of Michael Grady, born ———, 1774, in Dunkard Bottom, W. Va.; died May 22, 1849, in Kingwood.

David Trowbridge is said to have left his home in Virginia about 1809 and to have settled on a farm near Kingwood, Preston county, W. Va. His farm adjoined those of his brothers Jesse and Samuel. In addition to farming he

\* Or Augustine. Known also as Austin.

† By the Morristown *Jerseyman*.

‡ By Mr. John T. Trowbridge, a son of No. viii.

§ A sister of the first wife of No. 202.

was also in business as a millwright and stone mason. He was one of the "Ram's Horn Brigade" and helped to organize the Methodist church in Kingwood. He became what was called at that time a local preacher in the Methodist Episcopal Church, and became quite noted in that capacity. His name is on a window of the church in Kingwood. He was a justice of the peace and county surveyor for many years.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. KATHERINE, b. Jan. 24, 1799; m. Apr. 8, 1819, James Buckalew of Kingwood.
370. ii. SAMUEL GRADY, b. July 2, 1801.
- iii. ELLEN, b. ———, 180—; m. Peter Gilmore of Gilmore, W. Va.
- iv. MARGARET, b. ———, 180—; m. Reuben Morris of Kingwood, W. Va.
- v. JONATHAN, b. ———, 181—; d. aged 14 years.
- vi. JANE BROWN, b. Aug. 21, 1814; m. May 16, 1833, Thomas Gregg of Terra Alta, W. Va.

201. JESSE TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 16, 1782, in Frederick county, Va.; died April 4, 1865, in Kingwood, W. Va.; married July 7, 1806, in Pugh Town, Va., Sarah Pugh, daughter of Malin and Hannah (Arnold) Pugh, born May 2, 1790, in Hampshire county, Va.; died August 5, 1870, in Kingwood.

Jesse Trowbridge after his marriage settled near Pugh Town, Hampshire county, Va., where he lived about three years. In November, 1809, he removed to Preston county, W. Va. His farm was near Kingwood, on the east side of the Cheat river and adjoined that of his brother Samuel. The locality was known as Trowbridge's Ferry. He was engaged in farming all his life. He took a prominent part in local affairs and was sheriff of Preston county for a number of years.

## CHILDREN :†

- i. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 15, 1807; m. Oct. 16, 1842, William Durant of Melvern, Kan.
371. ii. MALIN PUGH, b. June 28, 1801.
372. iii. DAVID LEWIS, b. Apr. 15, 1811.
373. iv. SAMUEL CUSHING, b. May 1, 1813.
- v. HANNAH, b. Oct. 16, 1815; m. 1st, Leander? Lewis‡ of Kingwood, W. Va.; m., 2d, Mar. 22, 1849, John Holzman of Meredith, Kan.
374. vi. THOMAS JEFFERSON, b. Oct. 21, 1817.
- vii. JANE ANN, b. June 7, 1820; m. Apr. 7, 1842, William Richards of Leavenworth, Kan.
- viii. JESSE PUGH, b. Apr. 2, 1823; was a carpenter and cabinetmaker; d. Apr. 14, 1851, in Reed's Landing, Minn.; unm.
- ix. JOHN WEST, b. May 29, 1825; was a farmer and stock dealer; d. Oct. 10, 1879, in Kansas City, Mo.; unm.
375. x. GEORGE McCLUSKY, b. July 12, 1827.
- xi. SARAH EMILY, b. Nov. 17, 1829; m. Jan. 3, 1861, George Rumsey Beatty of Terra Alta, W. Va.
- xii. CLARA ADDEEN, b. Dec. 24, 1831; d. Sept. 8, 1863, in Terra Alta; unm.

202. SAMUEL RUBLE TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1784, in Frederick county, Va.; died ———, 1864, in Kingwood, W. Va.; married, first, ———, 1808, in Kingwood?, Margaret Grady,§ daughter of Michael Grady, born ———, 1786, in Dunkard Bottom, W. Va.; died ———, 1813, in Kingwood. He married, second, ———, 1815, in Kingwood?, Susan Sheets.||

\* i-iii said to have been born in Frederick county, Va.; the others in Kingwood, W. Va.

† i-ii born in Hampshire county, Va.; the others in Kingwood, W. Va.

‡ Their son Leander Marion was brought up by his maternal grandfather and took the name of Trowbridge. He is No. 699.

§ A sister of the wife of No. 200.

|| Descendants failed to supply the missing data.



Samuel R. Trowbridge came with his elder brother to Preston county, W. Va., in November, 1809. He settled on a farm adjoining those of his brothers near Kingwood. His farm was known as the "Green farm," named for a family nearly all of whose members had been killed by the Indians. He served as sheriff of Preston county for fifteen years and later was elected associate county judge.

## CHILDREN BORN IN KINGWOOD, W. VA.:\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. CATHARINE, b. Nov. 25, 1809; m. John McGrew of Kingwood.  
376. ii. BOWEN GRADY, b. Aug. 19, 1811.

*By second marriage:*

377. iii. REESE, b. Aug. 17, 1816.  
iv. LOUISA, b. Dec. 11, 1818; m. William Stone of Kingwood.  
378. v. PRESTON, b. May 7, 1821.  
379. vi. COLLIN B.,† b. Mar. 2, 1823.  
vii. SUSAN, b. July 6, 1826; m. Isaac McCann of Millersburgh, Ind.  
viii. MARGARET JANE, b. Mar. 6, 1830; d. ———, 189—, in Kingwood; unm.  
ix. SAMUEL HETHERINGTON, b. Aug. 21, 1832; resides in East St. Louis, Ill.; unm.  
x. MARTHA ISABEL, b. Aug. 25, 1836; m. Burgess Garner Parks and resides in Kingwood.

203. BETHUEL?‡ TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1788 in Frederick county, Va.; died ———, 18—, in Frederick county;§ married Rachel? ———.

Bethuel Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life in his native place.§

## CHILDREN BORN IN FREDERICK COUNTY, VA.:||

- i.? SAMUEL, b. ———, 181—.  
380. ii. ISAAC SCOTT, b. ———, 1814.  
iii. LEWIS, b. ———, 181—; of Frederick county and Cincinnati?, Ohio.  
iv. LYDIA, b. ———, 181—; m. David Shane of Peoria?, Ill.  
Other children?

204. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 14, 1793, in Frederick county, Va.; died June 17, 1874, in London, Ohio; married ———, 1830, in Frederick county, Lydia Watson, daughter of William and Hannah (Armstrong) Watson, born January 14, 1807, in Frederick county; died September 14, 1887, in London.

William Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life. After his marriage he lived on a farm in Frederick county, near Winchester, Va., about seven years. In the fall of 1834, in company with his wife's parents and his brother Joseph, he emigrated to Ohio, and settled on a farm near South Charleston, Clarke county, where he lived on rented farms for fifteen years. He then removed to Madison county, the adjoining county, in the same state, where he bought a thirty acre farm near London, twenty-five miles west of Columbus. A few years later he bought twenty acres more. He resided there the remainder of his life. He and his wife were members of the Methodist Episcopal church, and were highly respected in the community where they lived.

\* No. ii was authority for this family register.

† Initial only.

‡ Possibly this should be his brother John.

§ By children of his son Isaac, but the christian name of their grandfather is unknown to them.

|| Order of births and further particulars unknown to descendants of No. ii.

## CHILDREN:\*

381. i. JONAH WATSON, b. Aug. 17, 1832.  
 382. ii. JOHN HOWELL, b. Feb. 13, 1834.  
 383. iii. SAMUEL WATSON, b. Apr. 20, 1836.  
 iv. MARY JANE, b. Oct. 16, 1839; resides on the homestead in London, Ohio; unm.  
 v. WILLIAM, b. Aug. 25, 1842; was a farmer near South Charleston, Ohio; d. there Jan. 12, 1895; unm.  
 384. vi. DAVID, b. Apr. 15, 1845.  
 385. vii. ALBERT, b. Aug. 10, 1848.  
 viii. LYDIA ANN, b. May 26, 1852; m. Apr. 23, 1878, George Mason of Somersford, Ohio.

**205.** JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 15, 1805, in Frederick county, Va.; died September 4, 1879, in Frankfort, Ind.; married November 26, 1835, in Winchester, Va., Lavina Light, daughter of Henry and Mary (Woolery) Light, born March 30, 1811, in Frederick county; died June 25, 1892, in Frankfort.

Joseph Trowbridge in the spring following his marriage, 1836, removed to Ohio. He settled on a farm four miles from Wilmington, Clinton county. In October, 1852, he removed with his family to Clinton county, Ind., and settled on a farm near Frankfort, where he resided the remainder of his life. He and his wife before their marriage united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, and remained consistent members of it during their whole lives. Mr. Trowbridge being a class leader for more than forty years.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WILMINGTON, OHIO:†

- i. MARIA DICK, b. Mar. 10, 1837; died Sept. 27, 1856; unm.  
 ii. LYDIA ANN, b. Jan. 27, 1839; m. Apr. 1, 1858, George Moore Spray and resides in Frankfort, Ind.  
 386. iii. AARON MOON, b. Apr. 15, 1841.  
 iv. PHEBE WOOLERY, b. Jan. 10, 1843; m., 1st, Oct. 23, 1863, Presley Thompson; m., 2d, June 23, 1881, George Washington Salmon of Sedgwick, Kan.  
 v. ROSANA, b. Dec. 28, 1844; d. Sept. 9, 1847.  
 387. vi. JOEL LUPTON, b. Dec. 26, 1846.  
 vii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 16, 1848; m. Oct. 14, 1880, Robert Dier Carscallen and resides in Frankfort.  
 viii. HARRIET JANE, b. Mar. 4, 1851; m. Aug. 4, 1869, Thomas Curry D'Albey of Frankfort.  
 ix. LILY BELL, b. Apr. 14, 1857; d. Mar. 4, 1880, in Frankfort; unm.

**206.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1770 in Frederick county, Va.?<sup>‡</sup>; died about 1840 in Salem, Ind.; married about 1793 in Frederick county?, Mary Emmett.§

David Trowbridge about the time of his marriage emigrated to Kentucky, and lived in Bourbon and Clark counties. About 1828 he removed to Indiana and settled in Washington county, six miles south of the present town of Salem. He lived there the remainder of his life, engaged in farming. "He and his wife were members of the Christian Church and were highly esteemed by all who knew them."

## CHILDREN:§

388. i. JOSEPH, b. Jan. 13, 1794.  
 ii. NANCY, b. ———, 179—; m. Michael Baker of Salem, Ind.  
 iii. JENNIE, b. ———, 179—; m. Robert Walker of ———, Tenn.

\* i-ii born in Frederick county, Va.; iii-vi in South Charleston, Ohio; the others in Fairfield township, Madison county, Ohio.

† Except ix, who was born in Frankfort, Ind.

‡ A sister of the first wife of No. 209?

§ Order of births uncertain. Descendants state that they were all born in Kentucky; i-v in Bourbon county and the others in Clark county.

- iv. POLLY, b. ———, 179-; m. Rollie Walker of Martinsburg, Ind.  
 389. v. DEMPSEY, b. Nov. 11, 1801.  
 390. vi. LINZEY, b. Aug. 20, 1803.  
 vii. PATTY, b. ———, 180-; m. Morris Denny of Jackson county, Ind.  
 391. viii. DAVID, b. Nov. 6, 1807.  
 ix. ABIGAIL, b. ———, 181-; m. Samuel Neal of ———, Ind.  
 x. BARSHEBA, b. ———, 181-; m. Levi G. Denny of Jackson county.  
 xi. JOHN?, b. ———, 1822; d. in Washington county, Ind.; unm.?

**207.** JONATHAN TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1772 in Frederick county, Va.?<sup>?</sup>; died about 1840 in Bourbon county, Ky.; married about 1794 in ———, Ky., Sarah Lampton.

Jonathan Trowbridge emigrated to Kentucky in company with his brother David. "He was a noted Indian fighter and a companion of Daniel Boone in his explorations in the wilds of Kentucky."\* He finally settled in Owen county, three miles south of Owenton, where he was engaged in farming the remainder of his life.

CHILDREN BORN IN ———† COUNTY, KY.:

- 391a. i. WILLIAM LAMPTON, b. Mar. 25, 1795.‡  
 ii. PATTY, b. ———, 1797; m. ——— Schooler of Clark county, Ky.  
 iii. POLLY, b. ———, 1800; m. Joel Duke of Owen county, Ky.  
 iv. NANCY, b. ———, 1803; m. Ulrich Haun of Harrison county, Ind.  
 392. v. JOSEPH, b. Oct. 31, 1805.  
 vi. JONATHAN, b. Oct. 14, 1809; was an undertaker in Winchester, Ky.; d. there Feb. 20, 1890.§  
 vii. JAMES, b. Nov. 24, 1811; was an undertaker in Winchester; d. there Aug. 7, 1884; unm.  
 392a. viii. ISAAC, b. Feb. 14, 1814.||

**208.** ISAAC TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1775 in Frederick county, Va.?<sup>?</sup>; died "about 1832" in Orangeville, Ind.; married ———, 1799, in ———, Ky.?, Nancy Campbell, who died ———, 1856, in Orangeville.

Isaac Trowbridge emigrated to Kentucky with his older brothers David and Jonathan. He first settled in Clark county, where he engaged in farming. He later lived in Washington, Lincoln and Owen counties. About 1820 he removed to Indiana and settled on a farm near Orangeville, Orange county.

CHILDREN BORN IN CLARK? COUNTY, KY.:\*\*

393. i. JONATHAN, b. May 30, 1800.  
 ii. MARY (POLLY), b. ———, 1802; m. ——— Singleton of Washington county, Ind.  
 394. iii. ALEXANDER, b. ———, 1804.  
 395. iv. EBENEZER, b. June 20, 1808.  
 v. MARGARET, b. Aug. 14, 1810; m. June 19, 1830, Thomas Talbert of Huron, Ind.  
 396. vi. JOSEPH, b. Feb. 24, 1812.  
 397. vii. MERRITT, b. ———, 181-.

**209.** SILAS TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born about 1780 in Frederick county, Va.?<sup>?</sup>; died about 1840 in Boone county, Ky.; married, first, ———, Emmett.†† He married second, ———.

\* By a letter from his great-granddaughter No. 735a. iii.

† Clark and Owen counties are given by some descendants.

‡ In Mount Sterling, Montgomery county, by his daughter.

§ He was married, but had no children.

|| In Bourbon county, Ky., by a granddaughter.

\*\* By descendants, i was born in Clark county, Ky.; vi in Lincoln county, Ky.

†† By her grandson Absalom (No. 742). Was she a sister of the wife of No. 206?

Silas Trowbridge emigrated to Kentucky, probably in company with his older brothers. He appears to have settled and lived in Boone county. He was a farmer.

CHILDREN BORN IN BOONE COUNTY, KY. :\*  
*By first marriage:*

398. i. JAMES, b. May 24, 1805.  
 ii. LEVINA, b. ———, 180—; m. Charles Dunn.  
 iii. NANCY, b. ———, 181—?; m. John Driesdale.  
 399. iv. ISAAC, b. June 9, 1814.  
 v. CALVIN, b. ———, 181—.†

*By second marriage:*

400. vi. JOHN, b. July 15, 1825.  
 401. vii. SILAS, b. ———, 182—?.  
 viii. SARAH, b. ———, 182—?; m. John Brown of Mays, Ind.

**210.** CHILION TROWBRIDGE (*Absalom*<sup>140</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 17, 1795, in Randolph, N. J.; died February 29, 1860, in Morristown, N. J.; married, first, ———, 182—, in ———, N. J., Mary ———. He married, second, ———. He married, third, January 2, 1837, in Morristown, Frances Guerin, who died May 24, 1845, in Morristown, aged 33 years. He married, fourth, December 19, 1845, in Morristown, Phebe (King) Harrison.‡ She married, fourth, Israel Purdy.§ and died September 24, 1907, in Morristown, aged 84 years and 4 months.

Chilion Trowbridge was engaged in farming in Morristown, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MORRISTOWN, N. J. :

*By second marriage:||*

- 401a. i. SILAS C., b. ———, 1833.  
 ii. SOPHIA, b. ———, 1834; d. unm.  
 iii. HARRIET, b. ———, 1836.

*By third marriage:*

- 401b. iv. JOSEPH, b. Dec. 5, 1837.  
 v. AMANDA, b. ———, 1839?; m. ——— and resides in Newark, N. J.  
 vi. SAMUEL, b. ———, 184—.

*By fourth marriage:*

- vii. MARGARET, b. ———, 184—; m. William Egbert of Newark.  
 401c. viii. GEORGE ABSALOM, b. Apr. 8, 1848.  
 ix. FREDERICK, b. ———, 1850; d. ———, 1863.  
 x. EMMA, b. ———, 1853; m. Dec. 7, 1869, Henry Prentice Greene Osborn and resides in Morristown.

**210a.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Job*<sup>141</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 23, 1789, in Morris county, N. J.; died September 10, 1813, in Hart county, Ky.; married ———.\*\*

David Trowbridge came in childhood with his father to Hart county, Ky., where he was engaged in farming at the time of his death.

## CHILD BORN IN HART COUNTY, KY. :

- i. DAVID, b. Feb. 25, 1814.\*\*

\* Order of births uncertain.

† "Settled in Illinois."

‡ It is said her first husband was William Stackhouse.

§ He was born Israel List, his step-father being Gabriel Purdy.

|| No children by first marriage.

\*\* Relatives failed to answer the compiler's letters.

**211.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>142</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 2, 1796, in Catawissa, Pa.;\* died July 22, 1873, in Poplar Ridge,† Ohio; married‡ March 15, 1819, in Sonora, Ohio, Margaret Harmon, daughter of Henry and Mary (Wikle) Harmon, born August 25, 1798, in Staunton, Va.; died November 10, 1891, in Poplar Ridge.

John Trowbridge was a soldier in the War of 1812. He enlisted from his native place as a substitute for one Foster Williams, February 10, 1814, and served in Capt. S. S. Allen's company, 9th U. S. Infantry, and was discharged at Sackett's Harbor May 17, 1815.§

In 1817 he emigrated to Ohio and became one of the early settlers in what was then Harrison township, Preble county. He engaged in farming there and was a hunter and woodsman of considerable fame. About 1832 he removed with his family to a farm in Poplar Ridge, Darke county, in the same state, where he resided the remainder of his life. He was supervisor of Van Beuren township for several years and many of the early roads were constructed by him.

## CHILDREN:‖

402. i. HENRY HARMON, b. Mar. 25, 1821.  
 ii. ELIZABETH, b. June 26, 1823; m. Apr. 9, 1840, Daniel Gower and resides in Greenville, Ohio.  
 iii. SARAH, b. Aug. 7, 1825; m. Apr. 7, 1847, John Culbertson of Ansonia, Ohio.  
 iv. RACHEL, b. Nov. 17, 1827; m. Sept. 20, 1849, Joseph Gordon Miller and resides in Greenville.  
 v. FERBY, b. June 6, 1830; m. Apr. 30, 1851, Joseph Williams of Arcanum, Ohio.  
 403. vi. DAVID, b. Sept. 19, 1834.  
 404. vii. FREDERICK, b. Feb. 14, 1836.  
 viii. PHILIP, b. Mar. 24, 1841; d. "in the spring of 1857."  
 405. ix. SIMON, b. Feb. 3, 1845.

**212.** WILLIAM CLARK TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>142</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1799, in Catawissa, Pa.; died September 1, 1881, in Twin Creek township, Preble\*\* county, Ohio; married ———, 1821, in Catawissa, Elizabeth Hanna, daughter of John Hanna, born ———, 1800, in Catawissa; died April 1, 1874, in Twin Creek.

William C. Trowbridge about 1823 followed his brother to Ohio. He settled in Twin Creek township, Preble (now Warren) county. He was a farmer all his life.

## CHILDREN:††

406. i. WALTER, b. Dec. 2, 1822.  
 ii. LOUISA, b. ———, 182-?; m. ———.  
 iii. JOHN, b. ———, 1829; is a farmer in Warren county, Ohio; unm.‡‡  
 iv. PHEBE, b. ———, 182-?; m. ———.  
 v. NATHANIEL SHARP, b. ———, 1835; is a farmer in Warren county; unm.‡‡

**213.** ELI TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>144</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 14, 1788, in West Haven, Conn.; died December 24, 1866, in New Haven, Conn.; married November 16, 1809, in New Haven,

\* By his widow's pension application papers.

† Now Greenville P. O., Darke county.

‡ Although his widow declared in her application for a pension that this was his first marriage, it is said he married previously in ———, Pa., and had one child: CHARLOTTE, b. ———, 1816; m. ——— Ruch and resides in Brookville, Ind. She failed to answer the compiler's letters.

§ U. S. Pension Office Records.

‖ i-v born in Harrison township, Preble county, Ohio; the others in Poplar Ridge, Greenville, Darke county, Ohio.

\*\* Now Warren.

†† i born in Catawissa, Pa.; the others in Twin Creek township, Ohio.

‡‡ Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

Lue\* Wheaton Lines, daughter of Ezra and Lue (Wheaton) Lines, born September 28, 1792, in New Haven; died January 25, 1858, in New Haven.

Eli Trowbridge after his marriage settled in Pittsfield, Mass., where he engaged in the boot and shoe business. He and his wife united with the Congregational church in that town in 1811. The following year he returned to New Haven, Conn., where he continued in the same business for over fifty years and up to his death. "He will be remembered for his kindness and Christian faithfulness."

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:†

- i. HENRY LINES, b. Feb. 28, 1811; d. Sept. 2, 1819.
- ii. HARRIET WHEATON, b. Dec. 11, 1813; m., 1st, Feb. 21, 1836, John Platt of Rockford, Ill.; m., 2d, Mar. 12, 1883, Robert Hutchinson Cotton of Rockford.
- iii. ELIZABETH LUE, b. June 5, 1815; d. Feb. 18, 1897, in New Haven; unm.
- iv. HENRY LINES, b. Apr. 28, 1821; was in business with his father; d. June 21, 1847, in New Haven; unm.
- v. EMILY AMELIA, b. Oct. 30, 1825; m., 1st, May 3, 1846, Anson T. Chidsey of East Haven, Conn.; m., 2d, Apr. 28, 1852, Heman B. Storer of New Haven.
407. vi. GEORGE ELI, b. Mar. 15, 1829.
- vii. CORNELIA AUGUSTA, b. Mar. 10, 1834; m. Sept. 11, 1868, Charles B. Crafts of Stonington, Conn.

214. THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>145</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 16, 1787, in New Haven, Conn.; died February —, 1850, in Chemung county, N. Y.; married ———, 1813.‡ in Litchfield?, Conn., Sally S. Marsh, daughter of Ashbel and Rachel (Shelter) Marsh, born ———, 1791, in Litchfield; died August 2, 1880, in Plainville, Conn.

Thomas Trowbridge settled in Litchfield, Conn. He served in the War of 1812 at New London, Conn., under Capt. Samuel Waugh from August 3 to September 16, 1813.§ He was employed in his father's tannery in Litchfield for some years, and then removed to Chemung county, N. Y.

CHILDREN BORN IN LITCHFIELD, CONN.:

408. i. JOHN PECK, b. Feb. 13, 1817.
- ii. A son, b. ———, 1819; d. in infancy.

215. ELISHA TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>145</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 22, 1789, in New Haven, Conn.; died ———, 18—, in ———; married February 4, 1819, in Dutchess county, N. Y.,|| Anna Minor.

Elisha Trowbridge settled in Litchfield, Conn. He served in the War of 1812 at Bridgeport, Conn., under Capt. Joseph H. Bellamy, from April 28 to May 31, 1814.§ He was employed in his father's tannery in Litchfield during his early manhood. He removed from that town and no further records of him were found.

CHILD BORN IN LITCHFIELD, CONN.:

- i. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 29, 1819; d. Dec. 29, 1891, in Litchfield; unm.

216. JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>145</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 1, 1794, in Litchfield, Conn.; died June 8, 1841, in Litchfield; married April 22, 1818, in Litchfield, Luey Parmelee,

\* By family records (correct); *Louisa* in Pittsfield, Mass., Congregational Church Records.

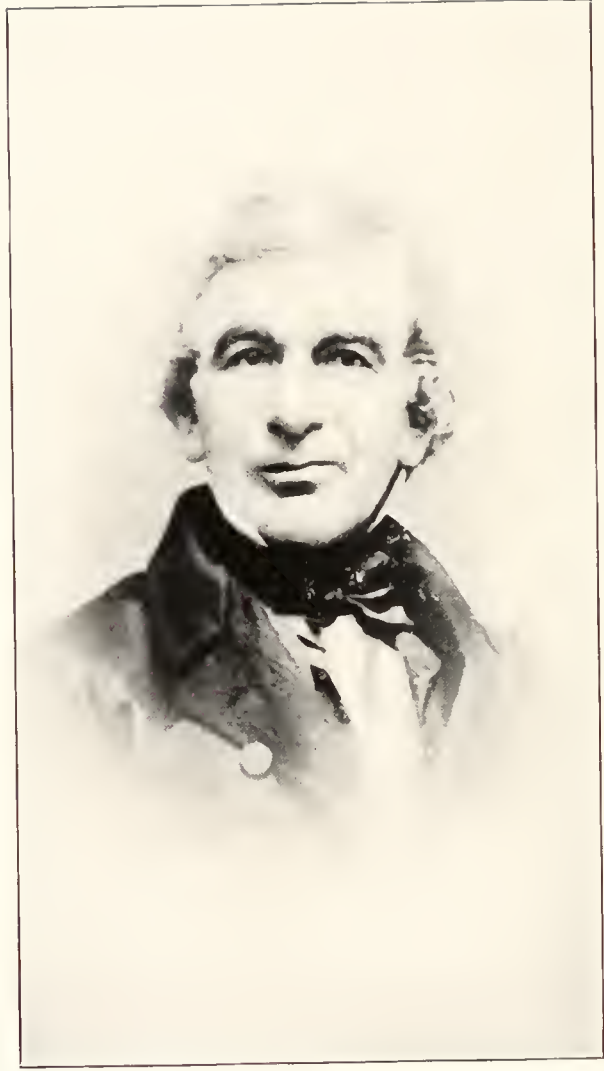
† Except i, who was born in Pittsfield, Mass.

‡ By the Woodruff MS.

§ "Connecticut in the War of 1812."

|| By Litchfield Town Records.





Stephen Hawbridge



daughter of Amos and Elizabeth (Gross) Parmelee, born December 27, 1796, in Litchfield; died February 12, 1875, in Thomaston, Conn.

James Trowbridge lived all his life in his native village, Litchfield, Conn. He was a painter by trade.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LITCHFIELD, CONN.:

409. i. JAMES, b. May 11, 1819.  
 ii. HELEN ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 8, 1821; m. Oct. 11, 1840, Robert Williams of Litchfield.  
 iii. HARRIET AMELIA, b. June 10, 1826; m. Nov. 28, 1844, David Moore of Litchfield.  
 iv. MARY JANE, b. Sept. 5, 1828; m. Oct. 22, 1847, Robert Alcott of Plymouth, Conn.  
 v. CORNELIA ELIZA, b. June 15, 1830; m. Nov. 24, 1851, George Benjamin Cook and resides in Winsted, Conn.  
 vi. LUCY ANN, b. Aug. 16, 1834; m. Sept. 3, 1854, Leonard Stoddard and resides in Tama,\* Iowa.

217. STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>145</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 13, 1798, in Litchfield, Conn.; died September 6, 1884, in Litchfield; married, first, August 31, 1823, in Guilford, Conn., Eliza Hart, daughter of Dea. Thomas and Mary (Parmelee) Hart, born March —, 1802, in Guilford; died May 5, 1841, in Litchfield. He married, second, June 27, 1848, in New Haven, Conn., Grace Ann Umberfield, daughter of Harvey and Grace (Smith) Umberfield, born March 12, 1822, in Orange, Conn.; died December 26, 1873, in Litchfield.

Stephen Trowbridge settled in Litchfield, Conn., his native place, where he was engaged in the tailoring business. After the death of his father he acquired the old homestead on West street, where he resided the remainder of his life.

He was appointed a grand juror in 1833, and served on that body three years. He was elected clerk of the borough in 1842, and held that office four years. In 1854 he was elected town treasurer. He was a justice of the peace for many years from 1844. He was elected vice-president of the Litchfield Savings Bank in 1836, and held that office two years. He was a member of the First Congregational Church of Litchfield.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LITCHFIELD, CONN.:

*By first marriage:†*

- i. MARIA HALL, b. Oct. 29, 1824; m. May 18, 1848, Frederick Goodwin of Stockbridge, Mass.  
 ii. FREDERICK HART, b. July 31, 1828; was in the dry goods business in New York City; d. there July 22, 1854: unm.  
 iii. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 12, 1834; m. Apr. 4, 1861, Samuel Gilbert Dickinson and resides in Northampton, Mass.  
 iv. JULIA CAROLINE, b. July 30, 1837; d. May 27, 1839.

218. CHARLES TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>145</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 1, 1801, in Litchfield, Conn.; died April 7, 1873, in New Haven, Conn.; married, first, December 31, 1827, in Troy, N. Y., Betsey Ann Van Volkenburgh, who died February 20, 1830, in Troy. He married, second, February 12, 1834, in Troy, Julia Maria Fuller, daughter of Stephen Chester and Elmira (Moses) Fuller, born April 29, 1813, in Amsterdam, N. Y.; died July 17, 1894, in New Haven.

Charles Trowbridge learned the trade of a carriage-maker in his native town. When a young man he went to Troy, N. Y., where he followed his trade for several years after his marriage. In 1837 he located in Albany, N. Y., and

\* Columbia township.

† No children by second marriage.

started in the business of building carriages and wagons. He also built many of the coaches for the Albany and Mohawk railroad, since merged in the New York Central. In 1861 he met with business reverses and removed with his family to New Haven, Conn. There he was engaged again at his trade for several years. His closing years were passed in the home provided by his youngest son for his parents in that city.

## CHILDREN :\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. THOMAS, b. Oct. 21, 1829; d. July 13, 1831.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. ARTHUR WILLIAM, b. Mar. 4, 1836; was a lumber surveyor in New Haven, Conn., and was considered one of the best mathematicians in the city. He d. there Feb. 6, 1888; unm.
- iii. JULIA MARIA, b. Dec. 25, 1838; d. Jan. 25, 1842.
- iv. EDWARD THOMAS, b. June 10, 1844; came with his father to New Haven and entered the Pease book store as a clerk. While working for Mr. Pease he attracted the attention of Matthew G. Elliott, who was then president of the National Tradesmen's Bank, and he offered the young man a position in the bank as clerk. He was attentive to business and was well liked and was promoted to be assistant bookkeeper, in which position he served for a number of years with high efficiency. He finally gave up his place in the bank to start in the real estate business. At about this time, it is stated, he was offered a place by Mr. Gage, since secretary of the United States Treasury, at Mr. Gage's bank in Chicago, but he did not accept, having fair local prospects. He d. Nov. 12, 1898, in New Haven; unm.

219. HENRY PECK TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>145</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>108</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 29, 1803, in Litchfield, Conn.; died August 4, 1870, in Litchfield; married July 12, 1841, in Litchfield, Maria Kilbourn, daughter of Benjamin and Amanda (Millard) Kilbourn, born November 15, 1823, in Litchfield. She married, second, December 9, 1889, in Thomaston, Conn., Joseph Howard, and died December 21, 1894, in Thomaston.

Henry P. Trowbridge, as he grew into young manhood, found a desire on the part of his family that he should study for the medical profession; but his plans were made to follow the business of his father in Litchfield. He was a thrifty young man, and in 1840 he built the house which he and his wife occupied after their marriage, the following year, and in which he lived until his death. He assumed the business of his father shortly after the latter's death.

His knowledge of skins and leather was that of a master, and he was the authority for all Litchfield county and beyond. He was always in funds for buying stock and frequently had a surplus, but he kept everything on the move, and the market opened for the finished product when it was ready. He was a good buyer, which meant half sold to him. He added to the structure built up and left him by his father until there was no more convenient land available in the rear. He built vats in the open space before the building, which were well utilized. If a tanner to-day put hundreds of dollars worth of skins and leather in vats outside his building, he would be considered as running some risk. His method of tanning was bark and cold water pickle, and fine leather was the result. His leather never came out of the vats for dressing until his individual eye and his handling assured him it was rightly cured. He was successful from the beginning and the years during the Civil War and a few years following were prosperous ones for him.‡

## CHILDREN BORN IN LITCHFIELD, CONN.:

410. i. GEORGE HENRY, b. Aug. 4, 1843.  
411. ii. THOMAS, b. Jan. 17, 1857.

\* i-ii born in Troy, N. Y.; iii in Watervleit, N. Y.; iv in Albany, N. Y.

† By family record and gravestone (correct); ‡ by town record.

‡ No good likeness of Mr. Trowbridge could be obtained.

**220.** CAPT. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>146</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 13, 1758, in New Haven, Conn.; died January 8, 1873, in Southington, Conn.; married, first, May 30, 1812, in Middletown, Conn., Maria Hall, daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Robinson) Hall, born April 16, 1788, in Middletown; died March 23, 1822, in Middletown. He married, second, August 23, 1834, in Southington, Sarah Smith,\* who died ———, 1843, in Southington. He married, third, December 22, 1844, in Southington, Anna Smith,\* born May —, 1780, in Woodbridge, Conn.; died February 27, 1864, in Southington.

William Trowbridge settled in Middletown, Conn., where he engaged in mercantile business with a Mr. Whiting. He was a soldier in the War of 1812, and served under Capt. Laban Smith, probably at New London, from June 13 to August 12, 1814.† He was appointed first lieutenant of the 3d Cavalry Troop in 1815 and captain of the Fourth Company, 1st Connecticut Artillery, in 1817. About 1833 he removed to Milldale in Southington, Conn., where he resided the remainder of his life.

Captain Trowbridge was admitted a member of the First Congregational Church of New Haven March 26, 1809, and was dismissed to the church in Middletown in 1813. He was always careful in his attendance at public worship, walking for that purpose two and one-half miles to the church in Plantsville, when over eighty years of age. "He was a good specimen of the cultured man, and of the dignity, courtesy and manners of a past generation."

## CHILDREN BORN IN MIDDLETOWN, CONN.:

*By first marriage:*\*

- i. SARAH ROBINSON, b. May 15, 1813; m. Sept. 10, 1834, William Gaston Fairchild of New Haven, Conn.
- ii. ANN MARIA, b. Aug. 7, 1815; m. June 21, 1836, Leander R. Sayre of Middlebury, Vt., and resides in Rochester, N. Y.
- iii. FRANCES JULIA, b. July 24, 1817; d. Nov. 10, 1821.
- iv. WILLIAM HALL, b. Oct. 28, 1819; d. May 28, 1822.

**221.** STEPHEN PECK TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>146</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 28, 1808, in New Haven, Conn.; died September 8, 1873,§ in Elmira, N. Y.; married March 22, 1855, in Colchester, Vt., Louisa Ann (Chase) Alexander, widow of Asahel W. Alexander of Colchester and daughter of Daniel and Sarah Ann (Sanders) Chase, born June 9, 1827, in Shelburne, Vt. She married, third, November 6, 1889, Ephraim Sawyer Smith of Charleston, N. H., and resides in Rutland, Vt.

Stephen P. Trowbridge learned the tailor's trade in his native town, where he resided for many years. He is said to have acted as chorister of one of the Congregational churches there for about twenty-five years. He located in Rutland, Vt., about 1860, and engaged in the clothing business with F. Chaffee. He continued in this connection until about 1872, when, owing to poor health, he took up outside work and traveled on the road for nearly a year. His death occurred from pneumonia while on one of his trips.

## CHILD BORN IN RUTLAND, VT.:

412. i. WILLIAM HALL, b. Feb. 12, 1862.

**222.** EDWARD RUSSELL TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph E.*<sup>147</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 18, 1800, in Skaneateles, N. Y.; died July 9, 1839, in Cincinnati, Ohio; married June 18, 1826, in Auburn, N. Y.,

\* Sisters.

† "Connecticut in the War of 1812."

‡ No children by the other marriages.

§ Rutland, Vt., Vital Records state his age 64, which his widow wrote was incorrect.

Martha Matilda Allen, born May —, 1812, in Auburn. She married, second, ——— Chapman.\*

Edward R. Trowbridge is thought to have been a clerk in the mercantile business, first in his native place and later in Cincinnati, Ohio.

## CHILDREN : †

- i. JANE RUSSELL, b. June 8, 1828; m. Jan. 7, 1852, Charles Wood Palmer and resides in Beverly, N. J.
- ii. FREDERICK, b. Feb. 28, 1833; d. Nov. 5, 1833.
- iii. FRANCES ISABELLA, b. Jan. 12, 1835; m. Oct. 18, 1858, Pierre Augustus Parsells of New York City. ‡

**223.** MORGAN JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph E.*<sup>147</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>). born December 21, 1808, in Skaneateles, N. Y.; died June 18, 1881, in Cazenovia, N. Y.; married, first, October 4, 1832, in Skaneateles, Hannah Platt, daughter of Daniel and Betsey (Higby) Platt, born April 2, 1809, in Milford, Conn.; died August 16, 1843, in Baldwinsville, N. Y. He married, second, August 18, 1845, in Augusta, N. Y., Clarinda Lucas, daughter of Amaziah and Nancy (Green) Lucas, who died April 8, 1851, in Cazenovia. He married, third, October 22, 1851, in Fitchburg, Mass., Harriet Phelps, daughter of Sewall and Catherine (Wright) Phelps, born May 16, 1817, in Auburn, N. Y.; died January 10, 1895, in Syracuse, N. Y.

Morgan J. Trowbridge was a cabinetmaker by trade. He was a member of the Episcopal Church and was active in church work while residing in Skaneateles, Baldwinsville and Cazenovia, N. Y., being lay reader in the latter place for a long time.

## CHILDREN : §

*By first marriage:*

- i. ANN ELIZA, b. Sept. 22, 1833; m. Jan. 29, 1874, Augustus Reed and resides in Syracuse, East Onondaga P. O., N. Y.
- ii. CAROLINE SIMPSON, b. Aug. 27, 1835; m. Oct. 25, 1860, Joel Perry White of Cazenovia, N. Y.
- iii. DANIEL PLATT, b. Dec. 3, 1837; served in the Civil War. He enlisted Dec. 12, 1861, in Company B, 1st Wisconsin Cavalry; and d. Feb. 7, 1865, in La Crosse, Wis.; unm.
- iv. RUSSELL HIGBY, b. July 4, 1843; d. Oct. 23, 1866, in Skaneateles, N. Y.; unm.

*By second marriage:*

413. v. AMAZIAH LUCAS, b. Apr. 12, 1847.

*By third marriage:*

- vi. MARY EMILY, b. July 29, 1852; d. Nov. 8, 1852.
- vii. HANNAH CLARA, b. Oct. 11, 1853; m. June 28, 1876, Edward Clark Hackley of Cazenovia and resides in Mayfield, Cal.
- viii. HARRIET PHELPS, b. May 30, 1859; m. May 17, 1888, Samuel Anderson and resides in Syracuse.

**224.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Justus*<sup>148</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>). born June 27, 1800, in New Haven, Conn.; died November 26, 1893, in Catskill, N. Y.; married March 5, 1826, in New Haven, Charity Cannon, daughter of James and Mary (Burritt) Cannon, born ———, 1801?, in Stratford?, Conn.; died February 10, 1860, in Catskill, aged 59.

\* "They removed to the South, taking her youngest daughter," by No. i.

† i born in Woodstock, Vt.; ii in Skaneateles, N. Y.; iii in Batavia, N. Y.

‡ "By "Strong Genealogy," which prints her father's name *Joshua Stilsbee* Trowbridge. Perhaps *Joshua S.* was Mr. Chapman's name. The "Trowbridge Family" states that she "married Robert Bear and went South."

§ i born in Auburn, N. Y.; ii in Skaneateles, N. Y.; iii-iv in Baldwinsville, N. Y.; the others in Cazenovia, N. Y.





*C. Frobridge*

James Trowbridge learned the trade of an umbrella maker and was engaged in that business on Chapel street in New Haven, Conn., until 1832. He then removed to Catskill, N. Y., to enter the employ of his brother Charles in the chandlery business. He resided in Catskill the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN :\*

414. i. MARCUS HENRY, b. Mar. 29, 1827.  
 ii. SARAH REBECCA, b. May 19, 1829; d. Mar. 18, 1887, in Catskill, N. Y.; unm.  
 iii. IMOGENE, b. Jan. 3, 1835; d. Apr. 22, 1889, in Catskill; unm.

**225.** CHARLES TROWBRIDGE (*Justus*<sup>148</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 28, 1805, in New Haven, Conn.; died December 21, 1880, in Catskill, N. Y.; married September 15, 1829, in Coventryville, N. Y., Emily Scott, daughter of Samuel and Melinda (Hurlbut) Scott, born November 1, 1805, in Coventryville; died January 15, 1890, in Catskill.

Charles Trowbridge early learned the printer's trade in his native city, New Haven, Conn., but did not adopt it. Soon after his marriage, in 1829, he removed to Catskill, N. Y., and bought into a tallow chandlery business there, in which he continued until his death.

Mr. Trowbridge held various offices in Catskill. He had a high reputation for honor and integrity, and was entrusted with the settlement of many estates. He was connected with St. Luke's Episcopal Church in Catskill for nearly fifty years, first as vestryman and afterwards as senior warden.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CATSKILL, N. Y. :

- i. SARAH MELINDA, b. Sept. 23, 1831; d. Aug. 10, 1856; unm.  
 ii. EMILY, b. June 15, 1834; resides in Catskill; unm.  
 415. iii. HOBART, b. Sept. 1, 1837.  
 416. iv. CHARLES, b. Sept. 24, 1840.  
 v. CAROLINE LOUISA, b. Mar. 8, 1845; resides in Catskill; unm.  
 vi. HARRIET AUGUSTA, b. Apr. 3, 1847; resides in Catskill; unm.

**226.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>149</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1784, in Woodbury, Conn.; died October 9, 1838, in Roxbury, Conn.; married October 15, 1806,† in New Milford, Conn., Sally Wakeley, daughter of Thomas and Anne (Smith) Wakeley, born May 5, 1788, in New Milford; died June 9, 1840, in Murraysville, Ohio.

James Trowbridge settled in Roxbury, Conn., where he was engaged in farming. He was elected a justice of the peace in 1824, and held that office until his death. He was elected a selectman in 1830 and was chosen first selectman in 1836.

## NO CHILDREN.

**227.** EDMUND TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>149</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 4, 1786, in Woodbury, Conn.; died July 3, 1873, in Woodbury; married May 4, 1809, in Roxbury, Conn., Esther Lavinia Mallory, daughter of Adna and Hauntal (Ward) Mallory, born September 13, 1790, in Woodbury; died March 8, 1875, in Woodbury.

Edmund Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to Roxbury, Conn., and lived there the remainder of his life. He was a well-to-do farmer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ROXBURY, CONN. :

417. i. PHILO MALLORY, b. Aug. 4, 1810.  
 418. ii. CHARLES SAMUEL, b. May 4, 1812.  
 iii. FANNY CAROLINE, b. June 18, 1817; d. Mar. 2, 1893, in Woodbury, Conn.; unm.  
 iv. FRANCIS FINCH, b. Aug. 14, 1830; d. Oct. 5, 1836.

\* i-ii born in New Haven, Conn.; iii in Catskill, N. Y.

† On this date the "Trowbridge Family," p. 127, states Joseph Trowbridge (No. 179) m. Polly Wakeley.

**228.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>149</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November —, 1788, in Woodbury, Conn.; died November 11, 1855, in Roxbury, Conn.; married November 14, 1808, in Bridgewater, Conn., Mahala Thompson, daughter of Samuel and Sally (Leavenworth) Thompson, born January 27, 1790, in Roxbury; died April 5, 1855, in Roxbury.

John Trowbridge was brought in childhood by his parents to Roxbury, Conn., where he settled and lived the remainder of his life. He conducted an iron foundry in Roxbury, where he manufactured plows and other farm implements and mill gearing. He served as a justice of the peace from 1821 to 1823 and represented Roxbury in the Connecticut General Assembly in 1844. He was a member of Woodbury Lodge, F. and A. M.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ROXBURY, CONN.:

- i. ELIZA, b. Mar. 18, 1814; d. May 3, 1814.
- ii. MARY ANN, b. Apr. 7, 1817; m. May 22, 1837, Enoch Ford of Bridgewater, Conn.
- 419. iii. JOHN, b. Dec. 25, 1819.
- iv. ELIZA, b. Feb. 5, 1823; m. Apr. 26, 1843, Jay Gregory and resides in Waterbury, Conn.
- v. GEORGE, b. Nov. 18, 1824; d. ———, 1849, in California; unm. He went to California during the mining excitement of 1849 and was never heard of again after reaching one of the small settlements.
- vi. CAROLINE, b. Jan. 13, 1828; m. Nov. 30, 1846, Samuel Thomas and resides in Roxbury.
- 420. vii. WILLIAM E.,\* b. Jan. 28, 1830.

**229.** CHARLES STRONG TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>149</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 19, 1798, in Roxbury, Conn.; died September 30, 1885, in Roxbury; married April 30, 1834, in Roxbury, Elizabeth Clark, daughter of David and Marinda (Turrill) Clark, born January 28, 1812, in New Milford, Conn.; died December 16, 1896, in Roxbury.

Charles S. Trowbridge lived all his life in his native town. At the age of fourteen he began work in a saw and grist mill, an occupation which he followed for twenty-eight years. He then bought the Weller farm, now occupied by his youngest son at Weller's bridge in Roxbury. He gradually added to his farm until he owned two hundred acres. Much of this land he devoted to general farming, the remainder being used for grazing cattle, the raising and fattening of which he made a specialty. He made many changes for the better in the homestead, built in 1790, enlarging and remodeling the buildings.

Mr. Trowbridge was one of the leading farmers of his day, dealing largely in grain and tobacco, and raising cattle, both for the market and teaming. He was regarded as one of the most enterprising and successful men in that part of the county. He made an ample fortune as a progressive and successful farmer, and filled a prominent position in the community. He was a Democrat in politics and was elected on that ticket to a number of town offices, such as selectman and a member of the board of relief. He served on the grand jury in 1851 and was elected town agent in 1865.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ROXBURY, CONN.:

- 421. i. CHARLES EDWIN, b. May 8, 1835.
- ii. MARY MARINDA, b. Nov. 20, 1836; m. June 3, 1861, Cyrus Elisha Prindle and resides in Roxbury.
- iii. ESTHER ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 10, 1838; d. July 5, 1842.
- iv. JAMES EDWARD, b. Oct. 18, 1840; d. Feb. 15, 1841.
- v. HENRY CANFIELD, b. Dec. 14, 1841; d. Feb. 19, 1852.
- 422. vi. ALBERT JOB, b. Aug. 14, 1843.
- vii. ESTHER ELIZABETH, b. July 12, 1845; m. Oct. 31, 1866, Pliny Horace Squire and resides in New Milford, Conn.

\* Initial only.







*Samuel Howbridge*

- viii. WILLIAM FREDERICK, b. Mar. 22, 1848; lives on his father's homestead in Roxbury, Conn., and is a prominent member of the farming community of that town. He has made many improvements to the homestead, where he is now prosperously engaged in general farming, growing a great deal of tobacco. He also raises cattle, and makes a specialty of fine steers of good pedigree and well-broken, of which he is a connoisseur and for which he has taken first premiums at every agricultural fair at which he has exhibited. He is a Democrat in politics. He is unmarried.
- ix. SARAH HARRIET, b. June 25, 1850; d. Oct. 6, 1851.
- x. SARAH, b. Feb. 10, 1853; m. Sept. 6, 1876, Harvey Thomas and resides in Roxbury.

**230.** SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>150</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 25, 1779, in Bedford, N. Y.; died April 21, 1853, in Albany, N. Y.; married August 14, 1807, in Albany, Rachel Mabie, daughter of Albert and Maria (Hoagen) Mabie, born October 8, 1781, in Manlius, N. Y.; died December 31, 1851, in Albany.

Samuel Trowbridge passed the early years of his life in his native town, Bedford, N. Y. After his marriage he settled in Ossining, N. Y., where he engaged in the tanning business. The latter years of his life were passed in Albany, N. Y., where his children resided.

"Samuel Trowbridge was a quiet and very unassuming man. He was a gentleman of the old school, very striking in his appearance, and a man very much respected where he lived. I do not think that the doors were ever opened for service that he did not attend; still, he never united with any church."<sup>\*</sup>

## CHILDREN BORN IN OSSINING, N. Y.:

- i. ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 5, 1809; m., 1st, July 16, 1825, Samuel Belden of Ossining; m., 2d, June 19, 1835, Henry Burhans Haswell of Albany, N. Y.
- ii. ALBERT, b. Sept. 19, 1810; d. Jan. 30, 1835, in Ossining; unm.
423. iii. ANN MARIA, b. Oct. 19, 1812; d. Feb. 18, 1829, in Ossining; unm.
- iv. SYLVESTER, b. Aug. 17, 1815.
- v. JAMES, b. Feb. 1, 1818; entered the employ of Gelston, Ladd & Co. in New York City. "He was a young man of strict virtue and sterling integrity, honorable in all his dealings, faithful to every trust, temperate, frugal, of bland disposition and manner, and untiring industry. With such virtues he soon recommended himself to his employer, acquired his full confidence, and at length on May 6, 1839, at the early age of twenty-one, he was taken into partnership in one of the most extensive and valuable stores on Broadway. He d. Sept. 9, 1839, in New York City; unm.
- vi. GEORGE, b. June 8, 1821; d. Oct. 11, 1824.
424. vii. JOHN HARRIS, b. Nov. 21, 1822.

**231.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>150</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 26, 1781, in Bedford, N. Y.; died July 28, 1818, in New York City; married September 6, 1807, in Bedford? † Ann Mead, daughter of Halsey and Hannah (Knapp) Mead, born February 9, 1788, in Bedford? † died June 30, 1862, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

John Trowbridge learned the trade of a tanner and shoemaker in his native village. After his marriage he removed to New York City, where he engaged in the shoe business, in which he continued until his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW YORK CITY:

- i. ADELIA, } twins, m. June 5, 1828, John A. Dayton of Brooklyn,  
N. Y.
- ii. MALVINA, } b. May 16, 1808; d. May 18, 1808.
- iii. ANN ELIZA, b. Jan. 17, 1810; m. Dec. 13, 1843, Jacob Mathews of New York City.

\* Letter from a descendant.

† Greenwich, Conn.? Not on record there.

- iv. JAMES HARRIS, b. Apr. 22, 1811; d. Aug. 6, 1812.
- v. HANNAH MEAD, b. July 22, 1812; m. Nov. 1, 1831, Frederick Louis Vulté of New York City.
- vi. JAMES HARRIS, b. Aug. 23, 1813; d. Sept. 8, 1814.
- vii. WILLIAM, b. Nov. 23, 1815; d. Mar. 11, 1819.
- viii. SAMUEL, b. June 4, 1817; d. Mar. 26, 1837, in New York City; unm.

**232.** STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 17, 1794, in Bedford, N. Y.; died April 3, 1874, in Monticello, N. Y.; married, first, December 31, 1815, in Bedford, Millicent Haight, daughter of John and Amy (Parks *née* Knapp) Haight, born August —, 1793, in Harrison, N. Y.; died August 25, 1867, in Monticello. He married, second, November 28, 1868, in Monticello, Mary (Bassett) Hall, widow of Asa Hall of Monticello and daughter of Ephraim G. and Abigail? (——) Bassett, born May 28, 1809, in Delaware county, N. Y.; died February 13, 1892, in Albion, Ind.\*

Stephen Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life. After his marriage he settled at Cross River, near South Salem, N. Y., where he resided about ten years. In 1826 he removed to a farm near Monticello, Sullivan county, N. Y., where he resided the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN:†

*By first marriage:‡*

- 425. i. BENJAMIN HAIGHT, b. Nov. 6, 1816.
- ii. JANE HAIGHT, b. Oct. 5, 1818; m. Dec. 6, 1838, Cornelius Hatch of Monticello, N. Y.
- iii. ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 10, 1821; d. Jan. 24, 1821.
- 426. iv. JOHN JAY, b. Oct. 1, 1822.
- v. MINERVA, b. Jan. 23, 1827; m. Aug. 12, 1852, John H. Divine of Ellenville, N. Y.
- vi. INDAMORA, b. Dec. 18, 1832; m. July 10, 1860, George Bronson Hamilton and resides in Dubuque, Iowa.
- vii. GEORGE HENRY, b. Apr. 11, 1837; d. Oct. 26, 1855.

**233.** JAMES HARVEY TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 21, 1795, in Bedford, N. Y.; died March 10, 1849, in Bedford; married September 9, 1818, in Bedford, Eliza Canfield, daughter of Amos and Theodosia (Palmer) Canfield, born January 9, 1800, in Bedford; died January 21, 1890, in Bedford.

James H. Trowbridge settled as a farmer in his native village, Bedford, N. Y., and lived there all his life. He was a prominent member of the Presbyterian church in Bedford.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BEDFORD, N. Y.:

- 427. i. ISAAC LEWIS, b. Feb. 6, 1820.
- 428. ii. JAMES HARVEY, b. Apr. 3, 1822.
- iii. GEORGE HENRY, b. Mar. 15, 1824; d. Aug. 5, 1824.
- iv. ELIZABETH CANFIELD, b. Dec. 23, 1828; m. Feb. 20, 1850, Arden V. Canfield of Bedford.

**234.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 28, 1797, in Bedford, N. Y.; died May 25, 1859, in New York City; married February 28, 1829, in New York City, Charlotte Purdy, daughter of Ebenezer and Eunice (Purdy) Purdy, born January 1, 1808, in New York City; died January 10, 1894, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

\* At the home of a sister.

† i-iv born in Salem, N. Y.; the others in Monticello, N. Y.

‡ No children by second marriage.



Henry Snowbridge



Henry Trowbridge removed to New York City in 1816. He entered upon a business career, and in due time he established himself in the dry goods business, in which he was uniformly prosperous until his death. His firm was first established under the name of Trowbridge & Nichols, which in 1844 became Henry Trowbridge & Co. and five years later Henry Trowbridge.

Mr. Trowbridge was one of the first directors of the Tradesmens Bank, Chatham square, in 1845, and held several private positions of trust for individuals and estates. "In purity of character and Christian benevolence, none stood higher, either in social or business life."

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW YORK CITY:\*

429. i. HENRY, b. Dec. 9, 1829.  
 ii. SARAH THOMSON, b. Mar. 15, 1831; m. May 8, 1850, Samuel Blackwell Bartow and resides in Fitchburg, Mass.  
 iii. HELENA LOUNDES, b. Aug. 22, 1832; d. Oct. 11, 1903, in Plainfield, N. J.; unm.  
 430. iv. WILLIAM STAPLES, b. Nov. 8, 1834.  
 431. v. MINER, b. Sept. 12, 1840.

**235.** JEREMIAH TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 12, 1801, in Bedford, N. Y.; died March 13,† 1843, in Bedford; married November 30, 1825, in Bedford, Harriet Fountain, daughter of Rev. Ezra and Jerusha (Tyler) Fountain, born March 18, 1804, in Bedford; died December 9, 1889, in ———, N. J.

Jeremiah Trowbridge lived the life of a well-to-do farmer in his native town, Bedford, N. Y. He was a member of the Methodist church in that place.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BEDFORD, N. Y.:

- i. ANN AUGUSTA, b. May 24, 1827; m., 1st, Feb. —, 1846, Frederick Requa Vredenburgh of Ossining, N. Y.; m., 2d, Isaac Carpenter.  
 ii. CLARISSA, b. ———, 1829; m., 1st, ——— Underwood; m., 2d, ———, 1851, M. Clement Yoe (below).  
 iii. JULIA, b. ———, 1830; m. ———, 1848, M. Clement Yoe.

**236.** ALEXANDER TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 15, 1803, in Bedford, N. Y.; died February 17, 1868, in Haverstraw, N. Y.; married October 30, 1828, in North Castle, N. Y., Elizabeth Heusted, daughter of David Dayton and Abigail (Waring) Heusted, born August 30, 1807, in North Castle; died January 22, 1888, in Haverstraw.

Alexander Trowbridge after his marriage settled as a farmer near Cross River, Westchester county, N. Y. In 1840 he removed to Peekskill, N. Y., where he resided until within a few years of his death, which occurred in Haverstraw, N. Y.

Mr. Trowbridge at an early age became a member of the Presbyterian church in Bedford, and on his removal to Peekskill became a member of the First Presbyterian Church of that town. He was an earnest and devoted Christian, and an active member of his church, in which he held the office of elder.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CROSS RIVER, N. Y.‡

- i. EMILY LUCINDA, b. Aug. 26, 1829; m. May 5, 1850, Judge Jackson O. Dykman of White Plains, N. Y.  
 ii. CLARISSA AMANDA, b. Jan. 28, 1831; m. Aug. 22, 1866, Michael Allison Archer and resides in Haverstraw, N. Y.  
 iii. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. May 18, 1838; m. Sept. 27, 1859, Francis Briggs and resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.  
 iv. JULIA KENT, b. Sept. 7, 1853; is an authoress; resides in White Plains; nm.

\* Except iii, who was born in White Plains, N. Y.

† By Westchester Surrogate Records; 19 by gravestone.

‡ Except iv, who was born in Peekskill, N. Y.

**237.** EDWIN TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 15, 1812, in Bedford, N. Y.; died July 18, 1873, in Bedford; married, first, November 29, 1844, in Bedford, Lavinia Mead, daughter of Zadoc and Nancy (Knapp) Mead, born ———, 1815, in Katonah, N. Y.; died July 6, 1859, in Bedford. He married, second, October 10, 1860, in Bedford, Mary Jane Scofield, daughter of Nehemiah and Hannah (McCormack) Scofield, born May 9, 1827, in Pound Ridge, N. Y.; died November 8, 1876, in Bedford.

Edwin Trowbridge was born and lived and died in the old Trowbridge homestead one mile east of Bedford village, Westchester county, N. Y., and was an energetic and prosperous farmer. He was a member of the Bedford Presbyterian church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BEDFORD, N. Y.:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. EMMA LAVINIA, b. Jan. 25, 1850; d. Dec. 15, 1901, in Cross River, N. Y.; unm.
- ii. HELEN, b. Oct. 10, 1855; m. Dec. 8, 1875, George Washington Reynolds and resides in Cross River.

**238.** SAMUEL RAYMOND TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 15, 1819, in Bedford, N. Y.; died May 17, 1882, in New York City; married March 11, 1843, in New York City, Cornelia Anne Oliver, daughter of Thomas and Mary Anne (Davie) Oliver, born November 8, 1823, in New York City; died March 26, 1907, in New York City.

Samuel R. Trowbridge in early manhood went to New York City and entered on a mercantile career. He was for a long time in the employ of A. T. Stewart, when the latter's store was on the corner of Broadway and Chambers street. He was later in business for himself.

Mr. Trowbridge resided in Brooklyn during most of his business life. He was a member of Holy Trinity Church in that city, and was later warden of the Church of the Evangelists, which afterwards united with St. John's Church.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. CHARLOTTE PURDY, b. Mar. 9, 1844; resides in New York City; unm.
- ii. ELIZA VAN ARSDALE, b. July 6, 1845; m. July 3, 1879, Frank Chauncey Markham and resides in New York City.
- iii. MARY LOUISE, b. Feb. 28, 1847; m. Nov. 5, 1873, Francis Irving Morris of New York City.
- iv. STELLA CARLTON, b. Jan. 3, 1849; d. Oct. 27, 1905, in New York City; unm.
- v. ADA, b. Aug. 23, 1853; d. Feb. 24, 1859.
432. vi. SAMUEL RAYMOND, b. Jan. 6, 1863.

**239.** ELIHU TROWBRIDGE (*Philemon*<sup>152</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>118</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 11, 1776, in Southbury, Conn.; died May 7, 1815, in Clinton, N. Y.; married October 18, 1802, in Southbury, Lois Curtis.

Elihu Trowbridge soon after his marriage settled on a farm in Clinton, Oneida county, N. Y. He served in the War of 1812. On June 26, 1813, he was brevetted lieutenant of a troop of cavalry raised in that county under Capt. Sanford Tracy, and which was later organized into a company of horse artillery to be used under Lieut.-col. James Lynch of the cavalry.‡

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLINTON, N. Y.:

- i. MARIA, b. ———, 1804; d. ———, 18[8-?], in Auburn, N. Y.?: unm.
- ii. CORNELIA, b. ———, 1812; d. Oct. 17, 1866, in Clinton; unm.

\* No children by second marriage.

† i-iii born in New York City; the others in Brooklyn, N. Y.

‡ "Military Papers of Gov. D. T. Tompkins," vol. 1, p. 444.







GEN. CYRUS FROWBRIDGE.

**240. GEN. CYRUS TROWBRIDGE** (*Philemon*<sup>152</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>118</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 16, 1786, in Southbury, Conn.; died January 31, 1861, in Lockport, N. Y.; married January 5, 1812, in Albany, N. Y. Nancy Whipple, daughter of Benjamin and Susanna (Hall) Whipple, born December 8, 1784, in Albany; died August 27, 1856, in Lockport.

Cyrus Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents from Connecticut to Clinton, Kirkland township, Oneida county, N. Y. After his marriage he settled in Lowville, Lewis county, N. Y.

In the June succeeding his marriage war with Great Britain was declared, and he enlisted in the army. He was appointed lieutenant of Capt. Caleb S. Clark's company, 101st Regiment of New York militia, Col. Zebree Carter. Captain Clark resigned his commission, and Cyrus Trowbridge then took command of the company as its captain, under his lieutenant's commission. He was in actual service as commander of the company from March 1 to March 21, 1813, when he was honorably discharged at Brownsville, N. Y. He was also in actual service as commander of the same company in the same regiment under command of Colonel Buck from July 30 to August 22, 1814, at Sackett's Harbor, N. Y., being honorably discharged at that place on the latter date.\* On March 27, 1819, he received from Gov. De Witt Clinton the commission of brigadier-general of the 26th Brigade of Infantry in the New York militia.

General Trowbridge in 1820 returned to the village of Clinton, where he resided about three years. In the fall of 1823 he removed to Lockport, N. Y., which was organized as a township the following year. In partnership with a Mr. Van Rensselaer, who came from Albany, he established a dry goods and grocery business there. The store was shortly afterwards burglarized and burned, and he lost everything. In 1840 he removed to Adams, N. Y., where he spent about eight years, being engaged in farming. He then returned to Lockport, where he passed the remainder of his life. He and his family were members of the Presbyterian church.

## CHILDREN :†

- i. BENJAMIN, b. Oct. 11, 1812; d. July 30, 1813, in Albany, N. Y.
- ii. SUSAN WHIPPLE, b. Jan. 9, 1814; d. Mar. 18, 1814, in Lowville, N. Y.
433. iii. GEORGE ELIHU, b. Jan. 19, 1815.
- iv. MARY AMELIA, b. Oct. 2, 1816; m. May 17, 1837, Emerson Brainard Harwood of Lockport, N. Y.
- v. JOSEPH LONDON, b. Apr. 26, 1818; was for some years in the jewelry business. In 1849 he went to California to dig for gold, and d. Jan. 15, 1850, at a camp on the fork of the American river; unm.
- vi. SUSAN WHIPPLE, b. Nov. 6, 1819; m. Nov. 23, 1846, Rev. William Dexter Wilson, D.D., of Syracuse, N. Y.
- vii. ANN ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 19, 1821; d. Mar. 1, 1822, in Clinton, N. Y.
- viii. FRANCES ELIZABETH, b. July 4, 1823; m. Nov. 1, 1854, Benjamin Gaylord Wright of Lockport.
- ix. CHARLES RANSOM, b. Dec. 11, 1825; d. May 23, 1826, in Lockport.
- x. CHARLOTTE MARIA, b. May 8, 1827; m. Dec. 13, 1855, Lewis Harmony and resides in Lockport.

**241. PHILEMON TROWBRIDGE** (*Philemon*<sup>152</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>118</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 28, 1793, in Southbury, Conn.; died March 19, 1881, in Clinton, N. Y.; married January 28, 1818, in Clinton, Betsey Bartlett, daughter of Ebenezer and Eunice (Warriner) Bartlett, born February 11, 1800, in Clinton; died December 30, 1884, in Mexico, N. Y.

Philemon Trowbridge was six months old when his parents removed from Connecticut to the village of Clinton in the town of Kirkland, Oneida county, N. Y.

\* U. S. Pension Office Records.

† i born in Albany, N. Y.; ii-vi in Lowville, N. Y.; vii-viii in Clinton, N. Y.; ix-x in Lockport, N. Y.

He is said to have enlisted in the War of 1812, but to have seen no service. He engaged in farming in Clinton, and resided on the farm where his father-in-law settled in 1790 and which is now occupied by his grandson Charles F. Trowbridge (No. 768). He was a well-to-do farmer, and highly respected in the community where he lived.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLINTON, N. Y.:

- i. PHEBE, b. Oct. 23, 1818; d. Nov. 23, 1847, in Clinton; unm.
- 434. ii. ELIHU, b. June 20, 1820.
- 435. iii. ELI BARTLETT, b. Sept. 6, 1823.
- iv. ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 6, 1826; m. May 12, 1875, Johnson Dunham of Valley Mills, N. Y.
- 436. v. GEORGE EDWARDS, b. June 14, 1834.

**242.** JASPER TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>154</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>119</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 27, 1798, in Skaneateles, N. Y.; died January 7, 1882, in Auburn, N. Y.; married, first, February 17, 1825, in Auburn, Maria Hall, daughter of Zadock and Sibyl (Parks) Hall, born September 14, 1800, in Auburn; died December 14, 1842, in Batavia, N. Y. He married, second, ———, 1847, in Auburn, Angeline Pitcher, daughter of Truman and Fanny (Loomis) Pitcher, born ———, 1814, in Middlefield, N. Y.; died May 3, 1888, in Auburn.

Jasper Trowbridge was bound out in boyhood to Major Olmstead of Auburn, N. Y., and lived with him until reaching his majority. He learned the mason's trade, and was a mason builder in Auburn practically all his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN AUBURN, N. Y.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. JANE MARIA, b. Jan. 6, 1826; m. Sept. 1, 1846, George E. Cornell of Buffalo, N. Y.
- ii. EDNA SIBYL, b. Aug. 24, 1829; m. May 1, 1850, Dwight C. Mellen of Auburn.

*By second marriage:*

- 437. iii. JOHN JASPER, b. June 4, 1848.
- 438. iv. JAMES HENRY, b. Mar. 15, 1850.

**243.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 13, 1786, in Fair Haven, Vt.; died March 14, 1868, in Swan Creek, Ohio; married March 7, 1813, in Marietta, Ohio, Sophronia Howe, daughter of Peter and Orinda (Fuller) Howe, born August 27, 1790, in Poultney, Vt.; died October 6, 1877, in Swan Creek.

David Trowbridge removed with his father in December, 1810, to the neighborhood of Marietta, Washington county, Ohio. He was a soldier in the War of 1812, and volunteered in Capt. James Flagg's company of Ohio militia September 10, 1812. His company marched to Mansfield, Ohio, and served on the northern frontier, where he was honorably discharged January 10, 1813.\*

After his marriage he settled in Amesville, Athens county, Ohio, where he resided for twenty years. In June, 1836, he removed with his family to Swan Creek, Gallia county, Ohio, seventeen miles below Gallipolis. He there passed the remainder of his life, engaged in farming. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity.

## CHILDREN BORN IN AMESVILLE, OHIO:

- i. SOPHRONIA ABIGAIL, b. Sept. 12, 1814; m. Nov. 9, 1856, John D. Kennedy of Mercerville, Ohio.
- 439. ii. ALONZO VICTOR, b. June 7, 1816.

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\* U. S. Pension Office Records.

- iii. AUGUSTA CAROLINE, b. Mar. 24, 1818; d. Nov. 18, 1845, in Swan Creek, Ohio; unm.
440. iv. CYRENUS CHAUNCEY, b. Feb. 26, 1820.
- v. LEVI MELVILLE, } twins, d. July 18, 1824.
- vi. LUCY MELCENA, } b. Aug. 13, 1823; m. Nov. 25, 1847, James Sutphin and resides in Albia, Iowa.
- vii. VESPER LORENZO, } twins, d. Oct. 25, 1825.
- viii. VESTA LORILLA, } b. Oct. 13, 1825; m. May 23, 1866, James McCormick of Fairfield, Ohio.
441. ix. FRANCIS MARION, b. Sept. 18, 1827.
442. x. ROLLIN MALLOY, b. July 5, 1829.
- xi. ELIZA ROWENA, b. July 22, 1833; m., 1st, July 22, 1860, John C. Wilson; m., 2d, Benjamin Henry Hathaway and resides in Bay City, Ore.\*
443. xii. DAVID STRONG, b. June 23, 1835.

**244.** PHILO TROWBRIDGE (*Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 6, 1788, in Fair Haven, Vt.; died March 20, 1856, in Moore's Prairie, Ill.; married ———, 1815,† in Marietta, Ohio, Martha Blake,‡ daughter of David and Martha (Daggett) Blake, born ———, 1790,‡ in Marietta?; died October 29, 1846, in Swan Creek, Ohio.

Philo Trowbridge emigrated with his father in December, 1810, to Washington county, Ohio. After his marriage he settled on a farm on the Muskingum river, about four miles above Marietta, Ohio, and later followed his elder brother to Amesville, Athens county. In 1836 he removed to Swan Creek, in the southern part of Gallia county, where he lived about seven years. He then removed to Southern Illinois and settled on a farm in Moore's Prairie, Jefferson county, where he lived the remainder of his life.

\* CHILDREN BORN IN AMESVILLE,§ OHIO:†

- i. CAROLINE, b. ———, 1818; d. ———, 1830; unm.
444. ii. FRANCIS MARION, b. ———, 1820.
- iii. MARY AMERICA, b. ———, 182—; m. Abram Hawkins of Leavenworth, Kan.
- iv. MARTHA LADOCIA, b. May 3, 1825; m. Nov. 13, 1849, Dr. Joel Allen of Pontiac, Ill.
- v. PAULINA, b. Feb. 14, 1830; d. July 14, 1844.
445. vi. ISRAEL DAGGETT, b. Mar. 22, 1837.

**245.** JACOB TROWBRIDGE (*Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 25, 1790, in Fair Haven, Vt.; died April 19, 1867, in Swan Creek, Ohio; married, first, ———, 1812, in Cincinnati?, Ohio, Sarah Shepard, daughter of Asa and Ellen (Hiland) Shepard, born ———, 1792, in ———, ———; died ———, 1822, in Washington county,|| Ohio. He married, second, February 29, 1824, in Washington county,|| Mary Boomer, daughter of Daniel and Ruth (Perkins) Boomer, born May 7, 1804, in Fall River, Mass.; died October 16, 1865, in Swan Creek.

Jacob Trowbridge was a carpenter by trade. He was the first of his family to emigrate to Ohio, going there in 1806 with a man named Carver, and with him building a flour mill at Marietta. He then went to Cincinnati, where he is said to have helped build the first mill, and have helped to erect and start the running of the first steam engine used west of the Alleghany Mountains.

His descendants say that he enlisted at Cincinnati during the War of 1812 and that he was the first to receive a commission signed by Governor Meigs of Ohio; that he was ensign, lieutenant, and for a short time a captain; that he was

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† Family register page from No. 244's bible was lost.

‡ A sister of the husband of No. 155, viii.

§ Except v and vi, who were born in Swan Creek, Ohio.

|| About four miles above Marietta.

taken prisoner at General Hull's surrender of Detroit, and was so angered that he ran his sword into the ground and broke it off at the hilt; that he participated in the battles of Chippewa, Lundy's Lane and New Orleans.

After his marriage, he settled on a farm in Washington county, about four miles above Marietta, on the banks of the Muskingum river. He was engaged in farming there until April, 1836, when he removed to a farm in Swan Creek, Ohio township, Gallia county, where he lived the remainder of his life.

CHILDREN BORN IN WASHINGTON COUNTY,\* OHIO:†

*By first marriage:*

446. i. LEVI, b. Apr. 18, 1814.  
 ii. HARRIET WARD, b. Apr. 13, 1816; m. Feb. 2, 1836, Robert Wanh of Swan Creek, Ohio.  
 iii. ELLEN, b. Nov. 1, 1818; m., 1st, Titan Kimball; m., 2d, ——— Sublet of Columbus, Ky.

447. iv. FERGUSON HILAND, b. Sept. 9, 1821.

*By second marriage:*

448. v. LEMUEL, b. Sept. 19, 1825.  
 vi. ANN ELIZA, b. May 11, 1827; m., 1st, June 18, 1848, Alonzo Victor Trowbridge (No. 439) of La Grange, Iowa; m., 2d, Nov. 22, 1886, Peter Youtsey and resides in Russell, Iowa.  
 vii. MARY HOPE, b. May 9, 1829; m. Aug. 26, 1855, James M. Defoor and resides in Miller, Ohio.  
 viii. ANN, b. Jan. 9, 1832; d. Oct. 20, 1838.
449. ix. ISAAC, b. Apr. 3, 1834.  
 x. AMY, b. Mar. 23, 1836; d. Apr. 14, 1858, in Swan Creek; unma.
450. xi. JOHN, b. July 13, 1838.  
 xii. CHARLES, b. Apr. 29, 1841; d. Dec. 23, 1842.
451. xiii. FRANCIS MARION, b. Feb. 2, 1844.  
 xiv. ELIZABETH CLARINDA, b. May 15, 1849; m. Sept. 26, 1867, Francis Marion Layne of Miller.

246. CHAUNCEY TROWBRIDGE (*Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 21, 1794, in Fair Haven, Vt.; died July 27, 1869, in Summerville, Mich.; married December 31, 1829, in Troy, N. Y., Catharine Fish, daughter of Henry and Anna (Maxfield) Fish, born January 21, 1807, in Montgomery county, ‡ N. Y.; died March 14, 1872, in Summerville.

Chauncey Trowbridge in his boyhood chose the occupation of paper-making and learned that trade in Vermont. In 1813 he enlisted in Captain Graham's company, 14th Regiment, Vermont volunteer militia, and was with his company during its service in the War of 1812. He expected to be in the battle of Plattsburgh, but got there just as it was over.

After the war he returned to his trade and followed it for several years. In the early 20's he went to Montreal, Canada, and was there engaged in the wholesale grocery business on Great St. Paul's street. He returned to New York and again took up paper-making, living in New Berlin, Newburgh and Ballston Spa. In 1855 he removed to Manlius, Onondaga county, N. Y., where he lived about fourteen years. In June, 1869, he left there to settle in Illinois, but while stopping at Summerville, Mich., for a visit at the home of his father-in-law, he was taken with heart disease and died after a few weeks' illness.

Mr. Trowbridge was noted for generosity, honesty and manliness, and was possessed of a good intellect. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity for fifty years, and at the time of his death was a member of Military Lodge No. 93, F. and A. M., of Manlius, N. Y. He and his wife were members of the Methodist Episcopal church.

\* About four miles above Marietta.

† Except last four, who were born in Swan Creek, Gallia county.

‡ Town unknown to her daughter.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. A son, b. Nov. 1, 1830; d. that day.
- ii. A son, b. Oct. 7, 1831; d. that day.
- iii. ANNA ELIZA, b. July 6, 1833; m. Mar. 16, 1868, Herman Lucius Ogden and resides in Flanagan, Ill.
- iv. CATHARINE, b. Feb. 17, 1839; resides with her sister; unm.

**247.** ARCHIBALD TROWBRIDGE (*Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 30, 1796, in Fair Haven, Vt.; died November 24, 1858, in Mendota, Minn.; married \_\_\_\_\_.

Archibald Trowbridge settled in Montreal, Canada, where he engaged in the grocery business and lived about forty years. In 1858, being affected with heart trouble, he went for the sake of his health to Mendota, Minn., but he was not benefited by the change, and died soon after reaching there.

## CHILDREN :†

- i. CHARLES, b. \_\_\_\_\_, 18—; m. in Chatfield, Minn., Ellen Rebecca \_\_\_\_\_, and had a son: *Charles Russell Trowbridge*, b. Mar. 8, 1866, in St. Paul, Minn., who was a traveling salesman from 1888 to 1898, and who had the following service under the U. S. Government. He was commissioned second lieutenant in the Minnesota Infantry Apr. 29, 1898; mustered out Aug. 12, 1899, and that day was commissioned first lieutenant in the 11th U. S. Cavalry; promoted captain Mar. 16, 1901; in charge of secret service department for the U. S. Military Government at Manila, P. I., from Feb. 22, 1899, to Apr. 1, 1901, and took part in the battle, Aug. 13, 1898, the fall of Manila. He m. June —, 1895, in Hudson, Wis., Mamie Hocanzen.
- ii. ALFRED P., b. \_\_\_\_\_, 18—.
- iii. EDWARD RUSSELL, b. \_\_\_\_\_, 18—; is supposed to be the "Edward R. Trowbridge, age 21, born in New York, of St. Paul, Minn., enrolled June 17, mustered July 5, 1861, as a private in Company D, 2d Minnesota Infantry; discharged for disability June 6, 1862; re-enlisted, age 23, as quartermaster sergeant and enrolled Sept. 27, 1861, in Company A, 1st Minnesota Heavy Artillery; discharged in 1865.
- iv. LOUIS, b. \_\_\_\_\_, 18—; was for many years agent in New York City of the Northwestern Railway of England. He was with the first "drawing-room" car sent abroad and traveled with it through England and the Continent.

**248.** STEPHEN BURRITT TROWBRIDGE (*Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 28, 1780, in Bridgewater, Conn.; died June 18, 1845, in Palmyra, Ohio; married June 30, 1799, in Bridgewater, Sarah Castle, daughter of Abraham and Johanna (Wildman) Castle, born July 13, 1777, in Bridgewater; died March 27, 1860, in Palmyra.

Stephen B. Trowbridge settled after his marriage in his native town, Bridgewater society in the town of New Milford, Conn. In 1815 he removed to Portage county, Ohio, and settled on a farm in Palmyra. He was there elected a justice of the peace, and held that office until his death. He was engaged in farming all his life. He and his wife were members of the Presbyterian church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BRIDGEWATER, CONN. :

- i. ELIZABETH ELVA, b. Dec. 21, 1800; m. June 30, 1816, Garry Ruggles of Palmyra, Ohio.
452. ii. CARLOS DAYTON, b. Dec. 25, 1804.

**249.** DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 2, 1786, in Bridgewater, Conn.; died October 22, 1858, in Pipestone, Mich.; married November 10, 1808, in Brookfield, Conn., Annis Northrop, daughter of Asa and Sarah (Hubbell) Northrop, born November 15, 1788, in Brookfield; died July 15, 1872, in Pipestone.

\* i-iii born in New Berlin, N. Y.; iv in Newburgh, N. Y.

† Order of births uncertain. It is said that there were four daughters, two of whom married Canadians. The sons settled in St. Paul, Minn. Descendants failed to answer the compiler's letters.

Daniel Trowbridge lived in Bridgewater, Conn., his native place, for a little over three years succeeding his marriage. In 1812 he emigrated to Portage county, Ohio, and settled on a farm in Palmyra. Three years later he went home to Connecticut to visit his parents, and brought them back to Ohio with him. On October 1, 1823, he was commissioned captain of the Ninth Company, 1st Regiment of the Ohio militia.

After living in Palmyra about twelve years, he removed in 1824 to Edinburg in the same county. He was one of the first trustees of Edinburg township, and held the office of justice of the peace for eighteen years. In 1850, in company with his four younger sons, he emigrated to Berrien county, Mich., then a wilderness. They settled in the present township of Pipestone, where they cleared the ground, and engaged in farming and stock raising. He lived there the remainder of his life. He was highly respected in the various communities with which he had been identified.

## CHILDREN :\*

453. i. ASA HIRAM, b. Aug. 14, 1809.  
 ii. SARAH, b. Apr. 22, 1811; m. May 11, 1830, Riley Gilbert of Palmyra, Ohio.  
 iii. MARIA, b. Oct. 14, 1814; m. Feb. 1, 1838, John Baldwin of Ravenna, Ohio.  
 454. iv. DANIEL HENRY, b. May 7, 1816.  
 v. LUCY LORINDA, b. Nov. 22, 1819; m. Apr. 10, 1839, Darius Ely of Dowagiac, Mich.  
 vi. ELIJAH, b. Feb. 20, 1822; d. Feb. 26, 1847, in Edinburg, Ohio; unm.  
 455. vii. RICHARD, b. Nov. 22, 1823.  
 456. viii. STEPHEN, b. Oct. 20, 1825.  
 ix. ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 20, 1827; m., 1st, June 27, 1849, Edward Lewis of Berrien Springs, Mich.; m., 2d, ———, 1869, Warren D. Wood of Berrien Springs; m., 3d, ———, 1881, Samuel C. Patton of Sarcxie, Mo.  
 457. x. HARRY, b. Sept. 10, 1829.

**250.** AMMI DAYTON TROWBRIDGE (*Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1790, in Bridgewater, Conn.; died in the War of 1812 near Cleveland, Ohio; is thought to have married, first, ———, 180—, in Bridgewater?, ———. He married, [second,?] ———, 181—, in ———, Abigail Totman. She married, second, Austin Purdy of Portage county, Ohio.

Ammi Dayton Trowbridge† emigrated to Ohio early in the summer of 1811. He was a soldier in the War of 1812, enlisting from New Lisbon, Ohio, in Lieut. Charles Gilbert's company, 2d Regiment of Ohio militia. He died of a fever contracted while in camp near Cleveland.

## CHILDREN :

*By first marriage:*

458. i. NELSON DAYTON, b. Nov. 13, 1809, in Bridgewater, Conn.‡

*By second marriage:*

- ii. CAROLINE LORINDA, b. Mar. 30, 1813, in Palmyra?, Ohio; m. Artemas Knight Fobes of Denmark, Iowa.§

**251.** WHEELER TROWBRIDGE (*Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1793, in Bridgewater, Conn.; died November 6, 1843, in Ravenna, Ohio; married, first, ———, 1819, in Palmyra.

\* i-ii born in Bridgewater, Conn.; iii-vii in Palmyra, Ohio; viii-x in Edinburg, Ohio.

† He is supposed to have been the Ammi Dayton Trowbridge who was made a voter in Bridgewater Apr. 8, 1811 (therefore born about 1790), and who signed: "Ammy D. Trowbridge," Daniel Trowbridge (supposed to be No. 249) signing as a witness.

‡ An only child according to his grandson No 788, who has no record of this child's parentage.

§ The husband of No. 336, vi is their son, who wrote that his mother was an only child. There seems to have been no other Trowbridge there except No. 250 who could have been his father.



Ohio, Anna Catharine Shaw, daughter of John and Ann (Stephens) Shaw, born September 11, 1804, in Palmyra; died October 12, 1828, in Palmyra. He married, second, Polly Pennoek, daughter of Ira and Polly (Trowbridge (No. 121, v)) Pennoek.

Wheeler Trowbridge followed his father and brothers to Portage county, Ohio, and settled near them in Palmyra, where he was engaged in farming. The latter years of his life were passed with his daughter in Ravenna, Ohio.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PALMYRA, OHIO:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. MARY ANN, b. Jan. 20, 1820; m. John Wigal and resides in Ravenna, Ohio.†
- 459. ii. JUNOT FILANDER, b. Jan. 7, 1822.
- 460. iii. JOHN, b. July 24, 1824.
- 461. iv. DANIEL, b. July 8, 1826.
- v. PHOEBE ANN, b. Aug. 25, 1828; d. in infancy.

**252.** BENJAMIN HICKOK TROWBRIDGE (*Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ————<sup>122?</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 9, 1797, in Bethel, Conn.; died February 3, 1862, in Pittsford, Vt.; married ————, 1815, in Pittsford?, Aminta Fisher, daughter of Beecher and Eleanor (Peet) Fisher, born ————, 1796, in Pittsford?; died August 29, 1868, in Pittsford.

Benjamin H. Trowbridge after his marriage settled as a farmer in Pittsford, Vt., where he lived the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PITTSFORD, VT.:

- i. ANN ELIZA, b. Aug. 10, 1816; d. Sept. 26, 1885, in Pittsford; unm.
- ii. RACHEL AMELIA, b. Feb. 19, 1818; m. ————, 1850, Eliab Randall of Pittsford.
- iii. MARIA LUCETTA, b. Apr. 5, 1821; m. Apr. 6, 1840, Rufus Frost of Rutland, Vt.
- iv. MARY ANN, b. Nov. 10, 1823; d. Oct. 1, 1847, in Pittsford; unm.
- v. EMMA MARIETTA, b. July 27, 1825; m. Oct. 10, 1850, Warren S. Guilford of Rutland.
- vi. CAROLINE ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 21, 1829; m. Mar. 21, 1853, William Brown Massey of Rutland.

**253.** THOMAS BENEDICT TROWBRIDGE (*Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ————<sup>122?</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 10, 1800, in Bethel, Conn.; died November 10, 1861, in Danbury, Conn.; married, first, May 23, 1822, in Weston, Conn., Laura Thorpe, born January 26, 1802, in Weston; died June 26, 1824, in Weston. He married, second, August 26, 1825,‡ in Weston, Sarah Hubbell Banks, daughter of Benjamin and Rachel (Nichols) Banks, born February 19, 1807, in Weston; died June 28, 1889, in Danbury.

Thomas B. Trowbridge settled in Weston, Conn., where he was engaged in farming until a few years before his death, which occurred in Danbury, Conn., at the home of a daughter with whom he had gone to reside after leaving his farm.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WESTON, CONN.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. A child, b. ————, 1823; d. in infancy.
- 462. ii. MATTHEW THOMAS, b. Apr. 19, 1824.

*By second marriage:*

- 463. iii. GEORGE BYRON, b. Feb. 1, 1827.
- 464. iv. EDWARD RODMAN, b. Sept. 23, 1828.

\* No children by second marriage.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

‡ By family records, which are said to be correct.

465. v. HENRY I.,\* b. Apr. 5, 1830.  
 466. vi. BENJAMIN HICKOK, b. Aug. 16, 1832.  
 vii. RACHEL ELIZA, b. Sept. 19, 1834; m. Apr. 16, 1868, Timothy Jones and resides in Danbury, Conn.  
 viii. CLARISSA ANN, b. Aug. 22, 1836; m. Sept. 22, 1863, Thomas Russell Hoyt and resides in Danbury.  
 ix. MARY JANE, b. June 27, 1839; resides in Danbury; unm.  
 x. AUGUSTUS SHEPARD, b. Jan. 9, 1843; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted in New York City, for two years, in Company G, 38th New York Infantry, May 11, 1861, and d. Sept. 16, 1861, in the U. S. hospital in Alexandria, Va.; unm.  
 xi. CYNTHIA DUNBAR, b. Apr. 3, 1845; m. Aug. 19, 1891, Samuel James Barlow and resides in Waterbury, Conn.  
 467. xii. WILLIAM PARSONS, b. Feb. 11, 1848.  
 xiii. SARAH AMELIA, b. Mar. 4, 1850; d. Aug. 4, 1857, in Danbury.

**254.** AUSTIN BENONI TROWBRIDGE (*Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ———<sup>122?</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 1, 1805, in Bethel, Conn.; died July 9, 1882, in New York City; married June 13, 1831, in New Milford, Conn., Mary Lucetta Noble, daughter of Ezra and Amelia (Hickok) Noble, born August 15, 1812, in New Milford; died February 16, 1871, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Austin B. Trowbridge settled in Danbury, Conn., where he was in business until 1834, when he removed to Northampton, Montgomery (now Fulton) county, N. Y. In 1840 he came to New York City, where he resided the remainder of his life, and was in business as an auctioneer and commission merchant.

CHILD BORN IN DANBURY, CONN.:

- i. MARY JANE, b. June 9, 1832; m. Oct. 18, 1854, Thomas Spencer Holman of Chicago, Ill.

**254a.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>158</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1803, in Great Barrington, Mass.; died ———, 185-?, † in ———, N. H.; married December 21, 1856, in Enfield, N. H., Cynthia Butman. ‡

James Trowbridge when a young man was a noted teamster and lumberman on the Connecticut river. He is said to have joined the Shakers§ in Enfield, N. H., where he also later engaged in farming for himself.

CHILD BORN IN CANAAN, N. H.:

- i. SYBYL BUTMAN, b. ———, 1836; d. Feb. 27, 1883,|| in Cornish, N. H.; unm.

**255.** ARCHIBALD SCOTT TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1783, in Montreal, Canada; died April 20, 1853, in East Virgil, N. Y.; married ———, 180-, in Virgil, N. Y., Hannah Rachel Perry.

Archibald S. Trowbridge was born while his father was held a prisoner by the British in Canada. He accompanied his father from Connecticut to New York, and settled after his marriage in the village of East Virgil, Cortland county, where he is said to have lived the remainder of his life. He was a farmer.

CHILDREN BORN IN VIRGIL, N. Y.?:\*\*

- i. ELIZA, b. ———, 180-; m. Marvin Turner of Lisle?, N. Y.  
 ii. JENNETTE, b. ———, 180-; m. Chauncey Smith of Newark, N. Y.

\* Initial only.

† "About 1860 in Enfield" by family records.

‡ "Age 49" at marriage.

§ He had probably left them prior to his marriage.

|| "Aged 47" by Cornish Town Records, which gives her mother's name as above.

\*\* "Family register lost," wrote a son of No. ii. Descendants of the other children failed to answer the compiler's letters.

- iii. POLLY, b. ———, 18—; m. Reuben Dean of Ketchumville, N. Y.
- iv. HANNAH, b. ———, 18—; m. Isaac Bloomer of Virgil.
- v. LUCRETIA, b. ———, 181—; m., 1st, ——— McVane; m., 2d, ——— Tucker of Ketchumville.

**256.** WILLIAM FRASIER TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 19, 1783, in Salisbury, Conn.?<sup>?</sup>; died October 15, 1821, in Berkshire, Vt.; married June 26, 1805, in Preble<sup>4</sup>, N. Y., Mary Hyatt, daughter of Minnah Hyatt, born November 26, 1787, in ———; died March 7, 1872, in Homer, N. Y.

William F. Trowbridge was a farmer. After his marriage he settled in Tully, Onondaga county, N. Y., where he remained until 1807, when he removed to the neighboring town of Pompey. He there enlisted in the army during the War of 1812. He enlisted October 29, 1814, as a musician in the band under the direction of Asa Otis Smith as bandmaster, which was attached to the 98th Regiment of New York militia, under the command of Lieut.-col. Christopher Clark. On October 28, 1814, the regiment, including the band, was called into service on the lines at Sackett's Harbor. The regiment rendezvoused at Manlius, and marched to Smith's Mills, where they remained in service for about a month, being discharged November 30, 1814.\* He resumed farming in Pompey, where he lived until shortly before his death, which occurred while on a visit to his brother in Berkshire, Vt.

## CHILDREN : †

- i. MARY, b. Dec. 5, 1806; m. Justin M. Pierce of Homer, N. Y.
- 468. ii. WILLIAM, b. Dec. 21, 1808.
- iii. PERMELIA, b. Nov. 3, 1811; m. David Beaman of Groton, N. Y.
- iv. ELIZA, b. June 2, 1814; m. Oliver Glover of Homer.
- v. RACHEL, b. Feb. 5, 1817; m. Chauncey Hiccock of Truxton, N. Y.
- vi. STEPHEN, b. June 12, 1820; d. a youth; unm.

**257.** DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January —, 1787, in Preble, N. Y.?<sup>?</sup>; died December 25, 1841, in Berkshire, Vt.; married, first, ———, 180—, in Pompey?, N. Y., Jane Menzie, a native of Scotland. He married, second, ———, 1818, in St. Armand, Canada, Phebe Olmstead, daughter of Eames and Sarah (Whitlock) Olmstead, born ———, 179—, in ———; died November 16, 1846, in St. Armand.

Daniel Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Pompey Hill, N. Y. After his second marriage he removed to Berkshire, Vt., where he lived the remainder of his life. He was a tailor by trade. He was a well-educated man and was considered an excellent violinist.

## CHILDREN BORN IN POMPEY HILL, N. Y. :

*By first marriage :*

- i. ISABEL, b. ———, 1805?<sup>?</sup>; d. aged 14 in Oneida, N. Y.
- 469. ii. JOHN, b. Aug. —, 1808?<sup>?</sup>
- 470. iii. HARRY, } twins,
- iv. HARRIET, } b. Feb. 1, 1810; m. Mar. 4, 1832, George W. Trowbridge (No. 274). ‡
- 471. v. STEPHEN, b. ———, 1812.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BERKSHIRE, VT. :

*By second marriage :*

- vi. DANIEL, b. May 6, 1819; was a farmer; d. Nov. 15, 1880, in Sheldon, Vt.; unm.
- vii. ORISSA HARRIET, b. Apr. 24, 1821; m. Oct. 16, 1840, Hazen Tracy of Newport Centre, Vt.

\* U. S. Pension Office Records.

† i born in Tully, N. Y., and the others in Pompey, N. Y., it is thought. Descendants failed to make this register complete.

‡ She sent this register. See footnote to No. 469.

472. viii. ALONZO, b. Jan. 12, 1823.  
 ix. SARAH ISABEL, b. Oct. 20, 1826; m. Feb. 9, 1848, Tolman Tracy and resides in Newport Centre.  
 x. LORENZO, b. Feb. 24, 1828; d. May 5, 1848, in Leicester, Mass.; unm.  
 473. xi. SEYMOUR, b. Mar. 4, 1829.

258. STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1795, in Preble, N. Y.?<sup>?</sup>; died ———, 18—, in Preble?<sup>?</sup>; married ———.

Stephen Trowbridge was a farmer in his native town, Preble, N. Y.

CHILDREN BORN IN PREBLE, N. Y.:

- i. MARY, b. ———, 18[2-?].
- ii. MALVINA, b. ———, 18[2-?].
- iii. WILLIAM, b. ———, 18[2-?].
- iv. NORMAN, b. ———, 18[2-?].

259. SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1798, in Preble, N. Y.?<sup>?</sup>; died ———, 18—, in Noble county, Ind.; married ———, 182—, in Preble, N. Y., Bethiah Winslow, daughter of Ira and Tryphena (Waterman) Winslow, born February 2, 1802, in Florida, N. Y.; died ———, 18—, in Noble county.

Samuel Trowbridge after his marriage settled as a farmer in his native town. In middle life he removed with his wife and sons to Noble county, Ind., where he was engaged in farming near the town of Kendallville the remainder of his life.

CHILDREN BORN IN PREBLE, N. Y. :\*<sup>\*</sup>

- i. DAVID DUNNING, b. ———, 182—.
  - ii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. ———, 182—.
  - iii. GEORGE, b. ———, 182—.
  - iv. JEROME, b. ———, 183—; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted at Kendallville, Ind., for three years and was mustered November 22, 1861, as a private in Company G, 44th Indiana Infantry, and was discharged for disability January 7, 1864.
  - v. ADDISON, b. ———, 183—.
- Others?

260. ELI TROWBRIDGE (*Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1786,† in Sheffield, Mass.; died "in the winter" of 1872 in Solon, Ohio; married, first, ———, 1817, in Lyons?, N. Y., Deborah Dunwell, daughter of Stephen Dunwell, who died October 1, 1865, in Warrensville, Ohio. He married, second, Mrs. Wealthy Mason.

Eli Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to New York. He was a soldier in the War of 1812, and was called out at the time of the burning of Sodus by the British in June, 1813. He enlisted in Ontario county in Capt. Michael Mussleman's company, Colonel Bannister's regiment of New York militia, and after an independent company of minutemen was formed in the regiment he served in Capt. Charles McNeil's company. He served the full period of sixty days and was discharged at New York.† He then returned to Ontario county, where a few years later he married and settled as a farmer. In 1832 he emigrated to Ohio and settled on a farm near Solon, Cuyahoga county, where he passed the remainder of his life.

\* Descendants in Kendallville, Ind., and Fort Wayne, Ind., failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† U. S. Pension Office Records.





MINOR TROWBRIDGE.

CHILDREN BORN IN PHELPS, N. Y. :\*  
By first marriage: †

474. i. STEPHEN DUNWELL, b. June 15, 1818.  
 ii. PHEBE TENNANT, b. ———, 182-; m., 1st, ——— Wells; m., 2d, Addison Smith; m., 3d, Freeman Western; m., 4th, ——— Kibby; m., 5th, ———.  
 iii. CORNELIA ELVIRA, b. Feb. 14, 1826; m., 1st, James A. Griswold of Warrensville, Ohio; m., 2d, Robert Gallig.  
 iv. SAMUEL ADDISON, b. ———, 182-; m. Mary Waters. They removed to Midland county [Lee's Corners?], Mich., where, it is thought, they both died, leaving a daughter: *Mary*.  
 v. LUCRETIA ZYRIA, b. ———, 182-?; m. Argalous Cooper of Hemlock, Mich.

**261.** MINOR TROWBRIDGE (*Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 29, 1787, in Williston, Vt.; died November 6, 1876, in Newark, N. Y.; married, first, ———, 1808, in Tully, N. Y., Deborah Smith, born August 19, 1787, in Tully; died August 15, 1826, in Newark. He married, second, October —, 1826, in Cortland, N. Y., Frances Galusha, daughter of Benjamin and Mary (Trowbridge (No. 123, viii)) Galusha, born May 22, 1797, in Florida, N. Y.; died October 25, 1881, in Newark.

Minor Trowbridge came in childhood with his father to New York. He lived in Tully until a little over a year after his marriage. On February 4, 1810, he left there for that part of Ontario county later set off as Wayne county. He and his wife and babe made the journey on an ox-sled. On his arrival in his new home he built a log cabin, using for a time blankets in place of doors. He was a man of untiring energy, and cleared and farmed two hundred acres, although in those days there was no machinery for uprooting trees or for sowing or harvesting grain. There were no canals or railroads for transportation and the nearest market was Albany. He made frequent journeys there in his springless lumber wagon. He also visited his brothers in other parts of the state and in Ohio in the same conveyance. His farm was three miles from the village of Newark, of which he was one of the first settlers and which was in that part of the county which became the town of Arcadia. He resided there the remainder of his life, a period of sixty-six years.

Mr. Trowbridge was converted to Christ in the year 1812 and immediately connected himself with the Methodist Episcopal Church, in which he served for many years in various official relations, being a class leader for more than thirty years. He was one of the first Methodists formed into a class in the town, and one of the original members of the Methodist church in Newark. He was identified with this church for sixty-four years, and was zealous in all good works. As a citizen, neighbor and Christian he commanded the respect and confidence of all who knew him.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWARK, ‡ N. Y. :

## By first marriage:

475. i. ORRIN, b. Oct. 29, 1809.  
 476. ii. SETH, b. July 28, 1811.  
 477. iii. SEYMOUR, b. May 20, 1813.  
 iv. HARRIET, b. Apr. 29, 1815; m. Daniel Cartright of County Line, N. Y.  
 v. LUCRETIA, b. Aug. 15, 1817; m. George Probasco of Syracuse, N. Y.  
 vi. DEBORAH, b. Sept. 1, 1819; m. Nov. 8, 1838, Harrison Van Auker of Newark.  
 478. vii. ALPHEUS SMITH, b. Sept. 4, 1821.  
 viii. MERCY, b. May 25, 1823; m. Oct. 25, 1850, John Wesley of Lyons, N. Y.  
 ix. MARY, b. Mar. 28, 1825; m. Mar. 6, 1847, James I. Lum of Kalamazoo, Mich. §

\* By children of No. i.

† No children by second marriage.

‡ Near Newark Village, town of Arcadia, except No. i, who was born in Tully, N. Y.

§ See No. 167, vi.

*By second marriage:*

- x. CAROLINE, b. June 27, 1827; d. May 15, 1828.
- xi. ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 10, 1828; m. Sept. 21, 1870, William Vosburgh of Newark.
- 479. xii. NOBLE PALMETER, b. Sept. 22, 1830.
- xiii. LYDIA ANTOINETTE, b. Oct. 21, 1833; m. Oct. 16, 1866, Avery Martin Phelps and resides in Newark.
- xiv. HELEN MAR, b. Jan. 19, 1838; m. Jan. 29, 1857, Edward Chadwick and resides in Galesburg, Mich.
- xv. CHARLOTTE, b. June 1, 1840; m. Sept. 8, 1863, Eliab Thompson Grant of Newark.

**262.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 31, 1790, in Williston, Vt.; died November 19, 1885, in Morganville, Kan.; married ———, 1817?, in Preble, N. Y., Lydia Russell, born ———, 1800, in Preble; died ———, 1862, in Greeley, Iowa.

John Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to New York. He settled after his marriage in Preble, N. Y., and engaged in farming. In 1833 he followed his elder brother to Solon, Ohio, where he was engaged in farming for twenty years. In 1854 he again took up his journey westward, and with some of his children made his home near Greeley in Elk township, Delaware county, Iowa. After the death of his wife, in 1862, he went to live with his son P. D. Trowbridge in Manchester, Iowa, where he lived until late in life. His old age was passed in the homes of several of his daughters, and he died at the home of his youngest daughter in Morganville, Kan.

"His life had been the busy, practical life of the common American citizen—a life which enters into the warp and woof of our civilization and elevates it. For eighty years he had been a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, cherishing an abiding faith in the virtues of the Christian religion. His life will long remain in the remembrance of all who knew him, as an incentive to holy living and an impetus toward building up a character which shall become a portion of the social wealth."

## CHILDREN:\*

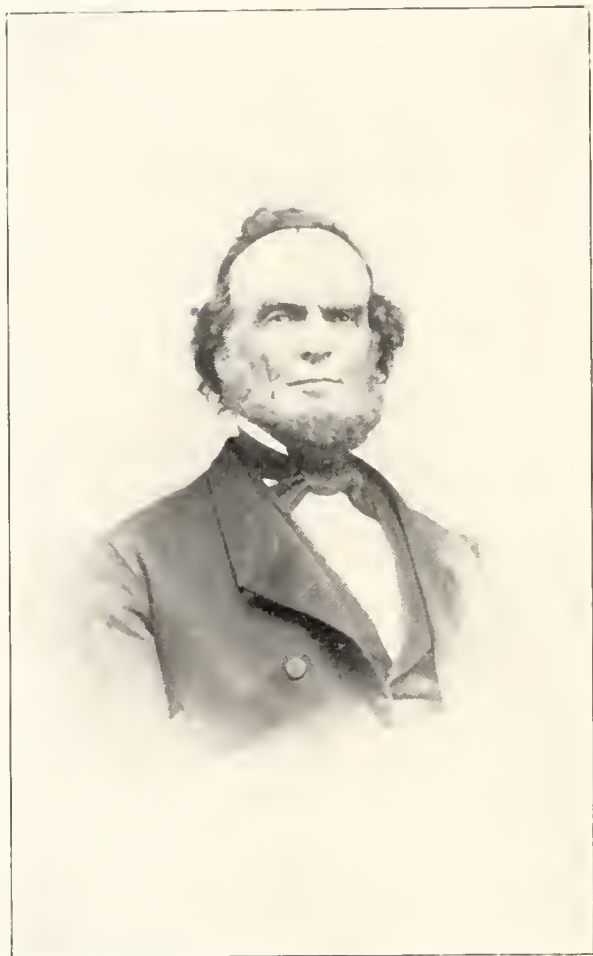
- i. ROXIA, b. ———, 1818?; m. Henry Johnson of Peninsula, Ohio.
- ii. PAMELIA, b. ———, 1820?; m. Horace Merry of Solon, Ohio.
- 480. iii. HIRAM, b. Sept. 15, 1821.
- iv. RACHEL, b. ———, 1823?; m. John Morse of Solon.
- 481. v. MARVIN, b. May 2, 1825.
- vi. MARCIA, b. ———, 1827; unm.
- 482. vii. HENRY, b. Oct. 7, 1830.
- 483. viii. PHILANDER DAWLEY, b. Sept. 2, 1832.
- ix. SARAH, b. ———, 1834; m. Benjamin Franklin Lakin and resides in Morganville, Kan.
- x. RUSSELL, b. ———, 183-?; d. young.
- xi. HUBBARD, b. ———, 183-?; d. young.
- xii. AMANDA MALVINA, b. Jan. 26, 1837; m. June 3, 1856, Oliver Hardman Smith of Morganville.

**263.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 4, 1794, in Florida, N. Y.; died October 16, 1851, in Cedar Rapids, Iowa; married, first, ———, 1816, in Preble, N. Y., Hannah Van Camp, daughter of Tunis and Elizabeth (Lagrange) Van Camp, born April 11, 1798, in Preble; died October 24, 1837, in Preble. He married, second, July 24, 1838, in Tully, N. Y., Nancy Darling, daughter of Daniel and Nancy (Edmond) Darling, born October 27, 1821, in Rochester, N. Y. She married, second, ——— Bolander of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and died December 16, 1906, in Cheyenne, Wyo.

\* i-viii born in Preble, N. Y.; ix-xii in Solon, Ohio.







MILO TROWBRIDGE.

James Trowbridge soon after his marriage settled in Arcadia, Wayne county, N. Y., and about five years later removed to Preble, N. Y. In 1833 he removed to the adjoining town of Tully. In the fall of 1846 he emigrated to Wisconsin and located on a farm on the prairie twelve miles east of Beloit. In the following year he started with his family for Iowa, and in February, 1848, he arrived at Cedar Rapids, where he died three years later. He was engaged in farming all his life. He was a member of the Presbyterian church.

## CHILDREN :\*

*By first marriage:*

484. i. MILO, b. Sept. 21, 1817.  
 ii. ELIZABETH CORDELIA, b. June 28, 1820; m. Mar. 6, 1842, Charles Henry Tuttle of Oberlin, Ohio.  
 iii. LURINDA, b. June 1, 1825; m. Dec. 26, 1845, Seymour Comstock† and resides in Oberlin.
485. iv. SETH, b. July 1, 1828.  
 486. v. ALEXANDER DAVIS, b. May 3, 1835.

*By second marriage:*

- vi. JAMES RILEY, b. ———, 1839; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted at Merengo, Iowa, Aug. 1, 1862, as a private in Company B, 28th Iowa Infantry. He died of measles, Aug. 2, 1863, on the steamer *City of Memphis*, while on his way up the Mississippi from Helena, Ark., to a general hospital; unm.
- vii. HANNAH, b. ———, 184-; d. ———, 1892, in Des Moines, Iowa.  
 viii. CHARLES TUTTLE, b. ———, 1843; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted at Merengo, Iowa, Sept. 27, 1861, as a private in Company G, 8th Iowa Infantry, and was discharged at the expiration of his term of service. He located in business in Des Moines, Iowa, where he d. ———, 1883.
- 486a. ix. WILLIAM HENRY, b. June 29, 1845.  
 x. LUTHER, b. ———, 184-; d. ———, 1852, in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.  
 xi. STEPHEN, b. ———, 184-; d. ———, 185-?, in Oberlin.

**264.** MILO TROWBRIDGE (*Seth*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 3, 1795, in Florida, N. Y.; died August 25, 1882, in Tully, N. Y.; married, first, November 15, 1820, in Preble, N. Y., Phebe Cravath, daughter of Samuel Cravath, born November 19, 1798, in Preble; died November 1, 1838, in Tully. He married, second, April 18, 1839, in Preble, Lucy Holmes Cone,‡ daughter of Ichabod and Anna (Holmes) Cone, born August 16, 1800, in Berne, N. Y.; died November 10, 1860, in Tully. He married, third, April 4, 1861, in Tully, Electa Cone, a sister of his second wife, born ————1798, in Berne; died May 4, 1873, in Tully. He married, fourth, May 25, 1875, in Tully, Sylvia Maria (Hodge) Smith, widow of Darius Chapin Smith of Tully and daughter of Isaac and Alvah (McDonald) Hodge, born March 27, 1819, in Greenfield, N. Y.; died March 27, 1894, in Tully.

Milo Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Tully, N. Y., and was engaged in farming there all his life. He and his wife Phebe were members of the Presbyterian church in Preble, and were actively engaged in religious exercises and revival meetings so popular in those times. He was one of the first deacons in the church, and held that office for many years. In politics he was an old-time Whig, but at a later date a Republican, taking a great interest in the welfare of his country. After the busy period of his life was past, he left the farm that he had helped to clear up and moved to the village, where he spent his declining years among relatives and friends. By strict attention to business, and owing to a reputation for integrity, he accumulated his share of worldly effects.

\* i-ii born in Arcadia, N. Y.; iii-iv in Preble, N. Y.; v-ix in Tully, N. Y.; x-xi in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

† His sister Almada m. Stephen Trowbridge (No. 266).

‡ A sister of the wife of his brother Hiram Trowbridge (No. 265).

"The country was new in southern Onondaga county; few settlers, and help was scarce, and self reliance was necessary for existence. The family had to have a new house, and the lumber was got out winters. Milo and his father, Seth, went often without shoes, and wore cloth or home made coverings, and many times when their feet were cold they would sit down in the woods and wrap them in their long tail coats to warm them. This experience was not altogether new with Seth, because he had been a Revolutionary soldier and knew something about hardship.

"Money being scarce, Milo found employment summers with a Canadian lumber company on the St. Lawrence river, rafting logs down the famous rapids. One season, when he was about twenty-five years old, for some reason the last raft for that year was several days late in making a start. The river was unusually high and most of the men refused to ride the logs through the rapids. The company called for men, and finally nine were on hand for the undertaking. Milo being a large man, and having had experience, was given charge of the float and took his position on the front end with a good supply of pike-poles. It was a large raft and only nine men aboard. A large crowd came to see it off. It was let loose, and the current soon had it under way. When it was twenty or thirty rods from the shore, Milo saw all his men except one had deserted and were swimming for the shore. They were as a rule Canada-French. Only one man was now with him, a plucky little Frenchman. The company never expected the raft to go through after the men left it, but it did. It was the first time such an amount of logs ever went down in charge of two men, and no doubt the last. The ride was very exciting and he thought on several occasions the raft was going onto the rocks. For this extraordinary duty the company gave him and the Frenchman 37 cents each. This company paid him 8 dollars per month."\*

## CHILDREN BORN IN TULLY, N. Y.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. PARTHENA, b. Aug. 9, 1822; m. Sept. 3, 1842, Garret A.† Hollenbeck of Tully.
487. ii. ROBERT CRAVATH, b. Oct. 14, 1823.
- iii. PROSPER BISHOP, b. May 28, 1825; d. Feb. 16, 1840.
- iv. PHILURA MAMRE, b. Feb. 26, 1827; m. Sept. 3, 1847, George Hollenbeck of Little York, N. Y.
488. v. OREN CLINTON, b. Aug. 15, 1829.
489. vi. MINOR STEPHEN, b. Jan. 21, 1832.
- vii. MARY PARMELIA, b. Apr. 30, 1835; m. Jan. 26, 1852, Philo G. Miles of Apulia, N. Y.

*By second marriage:‡*

490. viii. SAMUEL CONE, b. Apr. 12, 1842.

**265.** HIRAM TROWBRIDGE (*Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1799, in Florida, N. Y.; died January 21, 1860, in Tully, N. Y.; married October 27, 1822, in Preble, Anna Patterson Cone,§ daughter of Ichabod and Anna (Holmes) Cone, born ———, 1800,|| in Berne,|| N. Y.; died October 11, 1850, in Glen Haven, N. Y.

Hiram Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Preble, N. Y., where he was engaged in farming until late in life, when he came to the neighboring village of Tully. He was a member of the Presbyterian church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PREBLE, N. Y.:

491. i. LORENZO DOW, b. July 29, 1823.
- ii. LAURA ANNA, b. Aug. 1, 1826; m., 1st, May 1, 1847, Cicero Fowler of Preble; m., 2d, Feb. 11, 1881, Charles H. Ferry of Syracuse, N. Y.
- iii. ESTHER, b. June 25, 1831; m. Apr. 6, 1849, Jared Cone Williams of East Onondaga, N. Y.
492. iv. NEWTON, b. July 1, 1832.
- v. LUCY MANDANA, b. Nov. 24, 1834; m. Jan. 1, 1851, Miles Burghart Hackett and resides in Onondaga Valley, N. Y.

\* Reminiscences of Milo Trowbridge, told to his grandson Mr. Charles F. Trowbridge.

† Initial only. His sister Henrietta married Philetus Trowbridge (No. 280).

‡ No children by third and fourth marriages.

§ A sister of the second and third wives of his brother Milo Trowbridge (No. 264).

|| By family record; 1797 in Catskill by "Cone Genealogy."

**266.** STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 14, 1804, in Preble, N. Y.; died January 5, 1895, in Elgin, Ill.; married ———, 1825, in Preble, Almeda Comstock,\* daughter of Jason and Philura (Cravath) Comstock, born January 10, 1806, in Tully, N. Y.; died February —, 1864, in Henrietta township, Ohio.

Stephen Trowbridge soon after his marriage settled in Sparta, Livingston county, N. Y. He there built a log house and cleared a farm, and there in later years he built a fine house for those times. About 1847 he emigrated with his family to Ohio, where he bought a large tract of wild timberland near what is now Wakeman, Huron county, about eight miles west of Oberlin. His house was reached by a road that led for miles through heavy timber, and he cleared a fine large farm where he planted an orchard and raised a large number of live stock of various kinds. The latter years of his life were passed at the home of his youngest daughter in Elgin, Ill.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SPARTA, N. Y.:†

- i. HELEN AMELIA, b. ———, 1827; d. aged 18 months.
493. ii. BARLOW, b. Oct. 30, 1829.
- iii. ASENATH AMELIA, b. May 21, 1831; m. ———, 1852, Granville Hudson Sherwood of Oberlin, Ohio.
494. iv. GARDNER CLARK, b. Nov. 1, 1835.
495. v. STEPHEN, b. May 14, 1839.
496. vi. LEVERETT HULL, b. Jan. 10, 1841.
- vii. CHARLES FINNEY, b. Oct. 1, 1843; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted June 6, 1861, for three years in Company A, 24th Ohio Infantry, and was killed in the battle of Shiloh, Apr. 7, 1862; unm.
- viii. PHILURA COMSTOCK, b. Oct. 28, 1846; m. Sept. 26, 1872, Judge David Burbon Sherwood of Elgin, Ill.
- ix. QUINCY ADAMS, b. ———, 1849; d. aged 4 months.

**267.** RICHARD TROWBRIDGE (*Aaron*<sup>162</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 29, 1799, in Windsor, Vt.; died July 4, 1850, in Climax Prairie, Mich.; married February 20, 1820, in Alloway?, N. Y., Adaline Wilder, daughter of Erastus Wilder, born June 11, 1805, in Seneca, N. Y.; died December 24, 1851, in Climax Prairie.

Richard Trowbridge after his marriage settled in Alloway, then a small manufacturing village in the town of Lyons, N. Y. About 1850 he emigrated with his family to Kalamazoo county, Mich., where he cleared a farm in Climax Prairie and lived the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ALLOWAY, N. Y.:

- 496a. i. AARON ERASTUS, b. Jan. 20, 1825.
- ii. ALLEN, b. Apr. 22, 1827; d. June 6, 1827.
- iii. LEVI, b. June 2, 1828; d. Apr. 19, 1844, in Alloway.
- iv. SEYMOUR, b. July 28, 1830; d. Oct. 25, 1854, in Climax Prairie, Mich.; unm.
- v. LYDIA, b. Aug. 13, 1834; m. Sept. 26, 1852, Charles Rosbrooke of Augusta, Mich.
- vi. KEZIAH, b. Dec. 1, 1836; m. Apr. 17, 1855, Andrew Young of Augusta.
- vii. JULIA SUSANNA, b. Dec. 7, 1842; d. July 2, 1843.

**268.** ADONIS TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 14, 1795, in Whitesborough, N. Y.; died December 21, 1880, in Adams Centre, N. Y.; married August 21, 1817, in Rodman, N. Y., Fanny Taylor, daughter of Gilbert and Clarissa (Gibbs) Taylor, born November 20, 1800, in Mexico, N. Y.; died May 20, 1882, in Adams Centre.

\* A sister of the husband of No. 263, iii, and of the wives of Nos. 484 and 485.

† Except No. ix, who was born in Wakeman, Ohio.

Adonis Trowbridge came in childhood with his father to Adams, Jefferson county, N. Y. He was a soldier in the War of 1812. He was enrolled at Rodman, N. Y., in Capt. Samuel C. Kennedy's company September 8, 1812, and was honorably discharged at Sackett's Harbor after a service of twelve days, nine of which were passed at the latter place. He again enlisted, in Capt. Peter Yendee's company, Colonel Tuttle's regiment of New York militia, in November, 1813, in which he served about ten days at Jewettsville, near Sackett's Harbor, and then was honorably discharged. He received for his services a land warrant of 160 acres, and drew a pension.\*

Mr. Trowbridge in his youth learned the trade of a wool carder and cloth dresser, which he followed for a few years. After his marriage he took up farming and became an extensive dairy farmer and stock raiser. He settled in Adams after his marriage and lived there about twenty years, then moving to Pinckney, Lewis county, N. Y., where he lived about ten years. He then, in 1847, removed to a farm two miles east of Watertown, N. Y., where he was engaged in dairying on a large scale, owning a very large herd of cows. He was thus occupied until late in life, when he went to Adams Centre to pass his remaining years.

## CHILDREN : †

- 497. i. GILBERT, b. July 10, 1818.
- ii. SARAH, b. June 5, 1820; m. Mar. 23, 1843, Job Clark Gardner of Pinckney, N. Y.
- 498. iii. JOHN, b. June 28, 1822.
- 499. iv. GOULD, b. Aug. 16, 1824.
- 500. v. DWIGHT, b. June 10, 1828.
- 501. vi. SAMUEL FARWELL, b. May 3, 1830.
- vii. PHILOMELA, b. Sept. 13, 1835; m. Sept. 11, 1882, John Constant Woodward and resides in Adams Centre, N. Y.
- 502. viii. JAMES FARWELL, b. June 26, 1839.
- 503. ix. GEORGE PERKINS, b. June 25, 1841.

269. LORIN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 9, 1811, in Rodman, N. Y.; died January 16, 1876, in Washington, Ill.; married October 7, 1835, in Solon, Ohio, Martha Hale, daughter of John Sparford and Martha (———) Hale, born April 16, 1811, in Berkshire, Mass.; died March 19, 1882, in Washington.

Lorin Trowbridge in his youth lived with his eldest brother, Adonis, in Adams, N. Y. In 1831 he emigrated to Solon, Ohio, where he lived for twenty years. In 1851 he removed to Washington, Ill., where he resided until his death. He was engaged in farming all of his life.

## CHILDREN : ‡

- i. ELMINA ELIZA, b. Sept. 27, 1836; m. Nov. 7, 1860, William Payn Johnson of Eldorado, Kan.
- ii. JOHN SPARFORD, b. June 9, 1838; d. Mar. 5, 1840.
- iii. LUCINDA, } twins, d. Jan. 5, 1842.
- iv. LORINDA, } b. July 23, 1841; d. June 4, 1842.
- 504. v. JAMES LORIN, b. Mar. 17, 1843.
- vi. EMILY ALMIRA, b. Dec. 23, 1845; m. ———, 1864, William Haley of Concord, Ill.
- vii. THANKFUL VICTORIA, b. Dec. 29, 1847; m. Oct. 31, 1863, Robert Richard Bamber and resides in Washington, Ill.
- viii. ALBERT, b. June 10, 1849; d. Apr. 10, 1850.
- ix. ELLA LEFA, b. Nov. 19, 1850; m. ——— Ambeck of San Francisco, Cal.
- 505. x. CHARLES RILEY, b. July 28, 1853.
- xi. LOUISA JANE, b. Feb. 6, 1855; d. July 1, 1859.

\* U. S. Pension Office Records.

† i-vii born in Adams, N. Y.; viii-ix in Pinckney, N. Y.

‡ i-ix born in Solon, Ohio; x-xi in Washington, Ill.

**270.** ORRIN ALONZO TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 19, 1819, in Pinekney, N. Y.; died September 23, 1900, in Adams Centre, N. Y.; married, first, ———, 1842, in Pinekney, Henrietta Jones, daughter of William and Betsey (Randall) Jones, born ———, 1819, in Berlin, N. Y.; died June 23, 1862, in Adams Centre. He married, second, April 24, 1863, in Pinekney, Esther Cornelia (Jones) Stoddard, widow of Philo Stoddard of Pinekney and daughter of Zebulon and Abigail (Brown) Jones, born June 23, 1834, in Berlin. She resides in Adams Centre.

Orrin A. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his father to Adams, N. Y., and lived in that town the remainder of his life, engaged in farming. In 1838 he was a private in Capt. Archibald Webb's company, 55th Regiment of New York militia, Col. Abel Redway, and was ordered out at Adams on February 28, for the term of twenty-three days, at the time of the threatened invasion from Canada and to enforce neutrality laws of the United States during the frontier disturbances. He continued in actual service for the term of fourteen days and was honorably discharged at French Creek, N. Y., March 16, 1838.\*

## CHILDREN BORN IN ADAMS CENTRE, N. Y.:

*By first marriage:*

- 506. i. JOHN RILEY, b. Feb. 18, 1844.
- 507. ii. WILLIAM RANDALL, b. Dec. 26, 1847.
- 508. iii. LOREN JONES, b. Mar. 30, 1849.
- iv. EMMA ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 31, 1852; d. Apr. 8, 1862.
- 509. v. ELI SEELEY, b. Aug. 10, 1854.
- 510. vi. CHARLES JAMES, b. Oct. 26, 1856.
- 511. vii. THOMAS PHILANDER, b. Apr. 17, 1859.

*By second marriage:*

- 512. viii. FRANK, b. Apr. 1, 1864.
- 513. ix. SETH SAMUEL, b. Jan. 9, 1866.
- x. HENRIETTA, b. July 9, 1868; m. Dec. 18, 1894, Ernest Vincent Stevens and resides in Henderson, N. Y.
- xi. MARGARET ANN, b. Aug. 6, 1871; m. Feb. 19, 1896, Edward Alva Whitford and resides in Rodman, N. Y.

**271.** AARON SEYMOUR TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>164</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 1, 1800, in Tully, N. Y.; died February 29, 1864, in Erie, Pa.; married, first, ———, 1820, in Ithaca?, N. Y., Achsa Phinney, daughter of Joseph and Rachel (———), Phinney, born ———, 1795, in Cooperstown?, N. Y.; died September —, 1840, in Richfield Springs, N. Y. He married, third,† October 5, 1845, in Guilford, N. Y., Zilpha Irene Wheaton, daughter of Silas and Esther (Balcon) Wheaton, born August 21, 1823, in Masonville, N. Y. She married, second, February 28, 1866, Nelson Bixby of Laingsburgh, Mich., where she resides.

Aaron S. Trowbridge before he was twelve years old enlisted in the War of 1812. He volunteered in the fall of 1812 as a substitute for one month for L. Grey of Jamesville, N. Y., and was mustered into service at Manlius, Onondaga county, in Capt. Charles B. Bristol's company, 176th Regiment of New York militia, a rifle company commanded by Colonel Clark. His company was in the battalion commanded by Col. Solomon Van Rensselaer and went to Oswego and then to Lewiston, Niagara county. Aaron Trowbridge was with his company at this place and participated with it in the battle of Queenston. He was honorably discharged with his company November 25, 1812.\*

After his marriage he was engaged in farming in Canandaigua and later at Schuyler's Lake, near Richfield Springs, N. Y. Soon after his second marriage

\* U. S. Pension Office Records.

† "He had a second wife who died soon after their marriage."

he emigrated to Shiawassee county, Mich., where his younger brother Daniel had also gone, and settled near Laingsburgh. He lived there about ten years, engaged in tanning and later in harness-making. In 1855 he removed to Harford, Susquehanna county, Pa., and died a few years later in Erie. He was a member of the Baptist church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CANANDAIGUA, N. Y.:

*By first marriage:*

514. i. MILO DANIEL, b. Nov. 7, 1822.  
 ii. SARAH, b. Mar. 1, 1824; d. aged 2 years in Monticello, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LAINGSBURGH, MICH.:

*By third marriage:\**

- iii. FRANKLIN ASBURY, b. Aug. 1, 1846; d. June 25, 1848.  
 iv. GEORGE SEYMOUR, b. Mar. 15, 1848; d. Sept. 15, 1848.  
 v. GEORGE FRANKLIN, b. Sept. 1, 1849; d. Sept. 25, 1852.  
 vi. AARON DELOS, b. Mar. 16, 1852; is a harness maker in Howell, Mich.†  
 vii. BENJAMIN ADELBERT, b. May 20, 1856; d. Sept. 3, 1859.  
 viii. CARRIE ESTELLE, b. Feb. 28, 1862; m. Oct. 24, 1883, James Andrew Briggs and resides in Laingsburgh.

272. DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>164</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1802, in Tully, N. Y.; died March 8, 1867, in Owosso, Mich.; married, first, ———. He married, second, Susan Althous.

Daniel Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life. He lived in Tully and Ripley, N. Y., until a few years after his second marriage and then emigrated to Shiawassee county, Mich., and settled on a farm about two miles from Owosso, where he lived the rest of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TULLY, N. Y.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. SARAH, b. ———, 1823; d. ———, 1833.  
 515. ii. JAMES THOMAS, b. Aug. 5, 1825.  
 iii. MARGARET, b. ———, 1827?; m. John Kendall of ———, Wis.  
 iv. MARYETTE, b. Dec. 19, 1828; m. Apr. 22, 1846, Corydon Hitchcock of Jamestown, N. Y.  
 v. CATHARINE, b. ———, 183—; m. Isaac Greenman of Owosso, Mich.  
 vi. ELLEN, b. ———, 183—; d. Feb. 19, 1872.

## CHILDREN BORN IN OWOSSO, MICH.:‡

*By second marriage:*

516. vii. AARON, b. ———, 184—.  
 517. viii. AUSTIN, b. ———, 184—.  
 ix. SARAH MALONA, b. Mar. 12, 1852; m. Feb. 21, 1869, Peter Moody and resides in Morrice, Mich.  
 x. CAROLINE, b. ———, 185—?; m. (twice).  
 xi. GEORGE, b. ———, 186—?; d. Mar. 1, 1866.  
 xii. LEONARD, b. Mar. 3, 1865; removed about 1883 to ———, Cal.

273. REV. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>164</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1809, in Tully, N. Y.; died ———, 1846, in Alleghany,§ N. Y.; married, first, Eliza ———.¶

John Trowbridge is said to have been a carpenter by trade in his early youth. He became a minister of the Baptist or Methodist Church, and is said to have lived in Darien, North Parma, Delphi and Randolph, N. Y., and in Corry, Erie county, Pa.

\* No child by second marriage.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

‡ Except, perhaps, vii-viii, who may have been born in Ripley, N. Y.

§ Or Randolph?

¶ He married a second and third time, it is said.



## CHILDREN BORN IN TULLY, N. Y.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. NELSON, b. ———, 183—.
  - ii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. ———, 183—.
  - iii. ELIZA JANE, b. ———, 184—.
- Others?\*

**274.** GEORGE WASHINGTON TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>164</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 15, 1812, in Tully, N. Y.; died May 22, 1872, in Port Hope, Ontario, Canada; married March 4, 1832, in Preble, N. Y., Harriet Trowbridge (No. 257, iv), daughter of Daniel and Jane (Menzie) Trowbridge, born February 1, 1810, in Pompey Hill, N. Y.; died April 5, 1899, in Syracuse, N. Y.

George W. Trowbridge was a millwright by trade. He lived in Morganville, Ripley and Preble, N. Y., and in Port Hope, Ontario.

## CHILDREN :†

- i. MARY ANN, b. Apr. 1, 1834; m. Charles Johnson of Preble.
- ii. A child, b. Nov. 1, 1837; d. Nov. 3, 1837.
- iii. ELEANOR MELISSA, b. Sept. 13, 1841; m., 1st, ———, 1849, Jay Bates of Groton, N. Y.; m., 2d, ———, 1869, Milton Sherwood of Syracuse, N. Y.
518. iv. GEORGE DUANE BAKER, b. Apr. 29, 1844.
- v. JENNIE MENZIE, b. Oct. 15, 1848; m., 1st, George Poiser of Syracuse; m., 2d, Irving Combs of Syracuse; m., 3d, Capt. Edward Napier of St. Joseph, Mo.
519. vi. FRANK CLARK, b. June 15, 1851.

**275.** WILLIAM ELECU TROWBRIDGE (*Asahel*<sup>166</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 19, 1809, in LaFayette, N. Y.; died April 11, 1888, in Decatur, Mich.; married March 20, 1834, in LaFayette, Catharine Louisa Hoyt, daughter of Isaac and Mary (Weed) Hoyt, born January 21, 1816, in LaFayette. She resides in Decatur.

William E. Trowbridge after his marriage settled on a farm in Wheatfield, near Tonawanda, N. Y., where he lived about seven years. He then lived in Lewiston and Lockport until 1849, when he emigrated to Kalamazoo, Mich. In 1855 he moved to Decatur, Mich., where he resided until his death, with the exception of a short time spent in Grand Rapids, Mich., and North Baltimore, Ohio.

Mr. Trowbridge in his early life was a farmer, but in his latter years and up to his death he was chiefly engaged in the grocery business. Through all his life he maintained a character for integrity and benevolence. He was a life-long Christian, and for the period of seventy years a steadfast member of the Presbyterian Church and for nearly half a century a ruling elder.

## CHILDREN :‡

- i. MARY ANN ELIZA, b. Jan. 17, 1836; m. Jan. 24, 1856, William Heury Neapass and resides in San Diego, Cal.
- ii. CAROLINE AMANDA, b. May 10, 1838; m. June 11, 1857, Carlton Wheeler of Decatur, Mich.
- iii. FANNIE CORDELLA, b. Apr. 29, 1842; d. Nov. 10, 1847.
- iv. EMMA LOUISE, b. Mar. 20, 1844; m. Aug. 19, 1862, William Henry White of Decatur.
- v. ELIZABETH JANE, b. Jan. 15, 1849; d. Dec. 9, 1854.
- vi. FANNIE LAVILLA, b. Sept. 18, 1851; m. Jan. 1, 1877, Lewis Gilbert Stewart and resides in Decatur.
- vii. IDA MAY, b. Nov. 23, 1854; resides with her mother; unm.

\* A daughter, it is said, married D. E. Seaver and resides in Olean, N. Y. She failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† 1 born in Morganville, N. Y.; ii in Ripley, N. Y.; iii-vi in Preble, N. Y.

‡ 1-ii born in Wheatfield, N. Y.; iii in Lewiston, N. Y.; iv-v in Lockport, N. Y.; vi-vii in Kalamazoo, Mich.

**276.** PHILANDER TROWBRIDGE (*Asahel*<sup>166</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 27, 1815, in LaFayette, N. Y.; died November 4, 1900, in Decatur, Mich.; married December 8, 1842, in Jamesville, N. Y., Rebecca Anderson Hadley, daughter of Jacob and Sabra (Northrup) Hadley, born September 19, 1817, in Jamesville; died January 4, 1898, in Decatur.

Philander Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life. He settled after his marriage in his native town, where he lived until 1848, moving in that year to Tully, N. Y. About 1852 he followed his elder brother to Decatur, Mich., where he resided the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. SABRA AMANDA, b. Mar. 16, 1844; d. Apr. 14, 1844.
- 520. ii. EDWARD HADLEY, b. Jan. 19, 1846.
- iii. CAROLINE SABRA, b. Sept. 1, 1847; m. Dec. 31, 1867, Lewis Davis Roberts and resides in Decatur, Mich.
- 521. iv. THEODORE, b. June 23, 1849.
- 522. v. HARVEY, b. Oct. 17, 1851.

**277.** LYMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Asahel*<sup>166</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 3, 1822, in Pike, N. Y.; resides in Defiance, Ohio; married January 30, 1845, in Cambria, N. Y., Olive Cushing, daughter of Charles and Hannah (Morris) Cushing, born July 21, 1822, in Truxton, N. Y.; died May 29, 1884, in Napoleon, Ohio.

Lyman Trowbridge attended the country school in his native town and after his father's removal to Niagara county he attended the academy at Lewiston for six months. He then returned to his father's farm. In 1848 he left the farm and moved to Lockport and, with his brother D. N. Trowbridge, purchased an interest in a shingle mill. In 1852 they engaged in the manufacture of staves at the same place. In 1861 he was elected to the city council in Lockport. He also joined the lodge of the I. O. O. F. in that city.

In 1863 he removed with his family to Toledo, Ohio, and continued in the stave business. In 1864 their brother Mortimer became a partner, from which date the firm was known as Trowbridge Brothers. In 1867 another mill was built by them at Napoleon, Ohio, and Mr. Trowbridge removed there. In 1869 he was elected a councilman of that city and was later elected for several years school director. He was a member and elder of the Presbyterian church in Napoleon. In 1896 he removed to Defiance, Ohio, where he at present resides. He has retired from active business and is occupied with the care of his property, which is mostly invested in farms.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LOCKPORT, N. Y.:

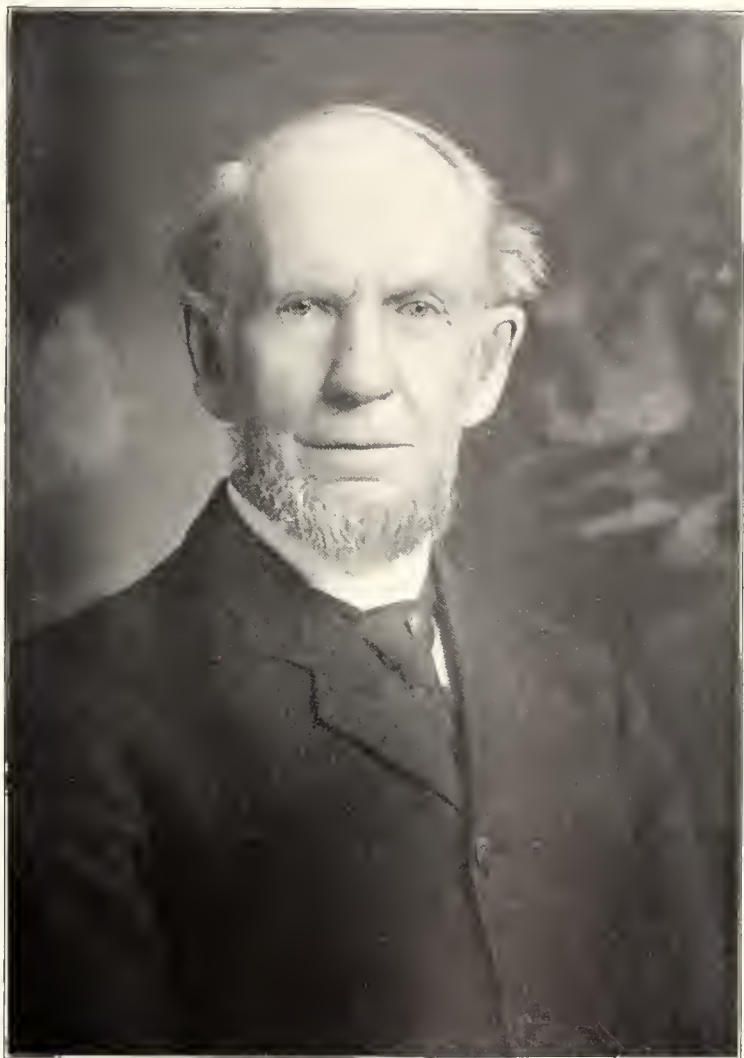
- i. ELMA, b. Jan. 22, 1856; d. Feb. 27, 1857.
- ii. CORA, b. Dec. 3, 1859; m. Jan. 26, 1881, Maximus Eugene Loose and resides in Napoleon, Ohio.

**278.** DEMETRIUS NASH TROWBRIDGE (*Asahel*<sup>166</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 2, 1825, in Pike, N. Y.; resides in Toledo, Ohio; married April 30, 1849, in Youngstown, N. Y., Dorothy Ann Moag, daughter of Samuel and Dorothy (Mack) Moag, born May 1, 1826, in county Down, Ireland.

Demetrius N. Trowbridge, on account of the poor health of his father, remained on the farm assisting his parents until his twenty-first year. In the fall of 1848, in connection with his brother Lyman, he purchased an interest

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\* i-iii born in LaFayette, N. Y.; iv-v in Tully, N. Y.



*D. A. Frowbridge*



in a shingle mill at Lockport, N. Y., in which business he was engaged until 1852. At the latter date he began with the same brother the manufacture of staves at the same place, which was continued until 1863, when they came to Toledo, Ohio, and continued the same business. Another brother, Mortimer, became a partner in 1864, from which date the firm was known as Trowbridge Brothers. Another mill was built by them at Napoleon, Ohio, in 1867. In 1874 he bought out his brothers' interest in the Toledo mill and sold them his interest in the Napoleon mill.

Mr. Trowbridge then took his son as a partner, and from that time until 1880 the business was conducted under the firm name of D. N. Trowbridge & Son. In 1878 the mill was removed to Le Moyne, twelve miles from Toledo. In 1880 the son formed a partnership with Joseph M. Spencer, the firm name becoming Trowbridge & Spencer. Mr. Trowbridge continued the business at Le Moyne until 1885, when he removed to Dunbridge, fourteen miles from Toledo, where he has established a stave and heading mill, sawmill, and hoop mill. In 1883 he built an additional mill at Luckey and in 1884 purchased a mill at Defiance. In the former his brother Mortimer was partner for a short time, but at the present time his son-in-law Mr. N. B. Eddy is a partner in both concerns under the firm name of Trowbridge & Eddy. Mr. Trowbridge is at the present time one of the largest stave manufacturers in that section, furnishing at his three mills employment to 150 men. The general business office is located on Summit street, Toledo.

Politically Mr. Trowbridge has always been guided by his convictions of right, and no man is stronger in his allegiance to his convictions of duty and the course his conscience approves. A measure or principle he believes to be founded in the right would receive his support regardless of what other men might do. Moral courage has never been lacking in him to desert any party whom he believed in the wrong. He cast his first vote as a Democrat, but when the Free Soil party came into existence he attached himself to that organization, a step which brought upon him the ridicule and almost personal persecution of his former party friends.

Upon the formation of the Republican party he joined that organization and remained with it until 1872, when the question of the legal suppression of the liquor traffic became a prominent issue. This cause appealed to him as one of the objects most desired for the well-being of society. Accordingly he joined the ranks of the Prohibition party, and from that day to this has been one of its most active members in his section of the country. He has ever been ready at whatever sacrifice of time and money to aid in promulgating and instilling in the minds of the people the aims and purposes of a cause he firmly believes will yet be crowned with success.

The firm position taken by Mr. Trowbridge on this question in the early organization of the Prohibition party made him at the time one of the very few advocates of the cause in Toledo; but the idea which was then ridiculed and denounced he since has had the satisfaction of seeing develop into one of the most commanding questions before the people of this country. While men may differ with Mr. Trowbridge on questions of expediency and methods of carrying out desired reforms, still, it is not too much to say that no man who knows him ever questioned the honesty and sincerity of his motives in any position he assumes, either of a political, social, or moral nature. The rare quality of moral courage is the strongest element in his character and this naturally enlists the confidence, respect and esteem of all good men.

In all that pertains to religious affairs, Mr. Trowbridge has always been a zealous worker. Ever since he came to Toledo he has been a member of the First Congregational Church, in which for over twenty years he has been a prominent office bearer, and he is still serving as a deacon. For over thirty years

he has been superintendent of the Allen Street Mission, where his unremitting labors have materially assisted in the building up of that worthy institution. Every deserving work of charity in Toledo finds in him an earnest, liberal supporter, while on all questions affecting the public prosperity he ever evinces the spirit which should actuate a progressive citizen and wellwisher of the public good.\*

## CHILDREN BORN IN LOCKPORT, N. Y.:

- i. HELEN AUGUSTA, b. Mar. 2, 1850; m. Dec. 6, 1870, Nicholas Bennett Eddy and resides in Toledo, O.
523. ii. FRANK EDGAR, b. Nov. 10, 1852.
- iii. ELSORA ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 16, 1857; resides with her parents; unm.
- iv. MARY ETTA, b. May 3, 1860; m. Dec. 6, 1887, Jacob Cotner of Detroit, Mich.

**279.** MORTIMER ASAHEL TROWBRIDGE (*Asahel*<sup>66</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 18, 1834, in Pike, N. Y.; resides in Saginaw, Mich.; married December 28, 1858, in Tully, N. Y., Lovina Carr, daughter of Jamin and Lana (Van Etta) Carr, born January 22, 1839, in Tully.

Mortimer A. Trowbridge entered the employ of his elder brothers in Lockport, N. Y. He removed with them to Ohio, and in 1864 was admitted a partner in the business, the manufacture of staves, the firm then becoming Trowbridge Brothers. In 1874 he sold to his brother D. N. Trowbridge his interest in the Toledo mill, and with his brother Lyman continued in business at their Napoleon mill. This brother retired, and Mr. Trowbridge moved his business to Saginaw, Mich., where he is still actively engaged in the same line of manufacturing. He united with the Presbyterian Church in 1868 and was made a Mason in 1874.

## CHILDREN :†

- i. ALTA MAY, b. July 14, 1861; m. Aug. 31, 1892, Hamilton Watson and resides in Saginaw, Mich.
- ii. BERTHA ABBY, b. Feb. 28, 1864; m. Mar. 31, 1891, Harry Lyman Chandler and resides in Saginaw.
- iii. MELVA ANNA, b. Mar. 17, 1876; resides with her parents; unm.

**280.** PHILETUS TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>167</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1816, in Tully, N. Y.; died October 9, 1872, in Tully; married January 11, 1854, in Tully, Henrietta‡ Hollenbeck, who died September 5, 1872, in Tully.

Philetus Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life in his native town, Tully, N. Y.

## NO CHILDREN.

**281.** THERON TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>167</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 1, 1818, in Tully, N. Y.; died February 19, 1881, in Plainwell, Mich.; married February 20, 1845, in Tully, Mary Elizabeth French,§ daughter of Ephraim and Marana (Parmalee) French, born August 27, 1829, in Otisco, N. Y.; died July 8, 1904, in Topeka, Kan.

Theron Trowbridge was engaged in farming in Tully, N. Y., his native place, until about 1858, when he removed to a farm in Plainwell, Mich., where he resided the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TULLY, N. Y.:

- i. GEORGE FRANKLIN, b. Nov. 23, 1845; d. Apr. 2, 1848.
524. ii. WILLIAM BURDICK, b. June 23, 1847.

\* "History of Lucas county, Ohio."

† i-ii born in Lockport, N. Y.; iii in Perrysburg, Ohio.

‡ "Hannah." A sister of the husband of No. 264, i.

§ A sister of the wife of his brother No. 283.

- iii. FRANCELIA, b. Mar. 19, 1850; m. May 21, 1868, Samuel Byron Way and resides in Palmyra, N. J.  
 iv. FRANK SEYMOUR, b. July 14, 1854; d. Mar. 8, 1855.  
 v. EDWIN, } twins, d. July 21, 1858.  
 525. vi. IRVING, { b. Oct. 2, 1856;

**282.** SEYMOUR TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>167</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 11, 1819, in Tully, N. Y.; died March 12, 1855, in Dundee, Mich.; married December 20, 1846, in Milwaukee, Wis., Julia Bissell, daughter of John Miner and Louisa (Smith) Bissell, born January 2, 1824, in Marcellus, N. Y. She resides in Dundee.

Seymour Trowbridge was a painter by trade and was also engaged in farming. He emigrated to Wisconsin in early manhood, and settled after his marriage in Clinton in that state. In 1851 he removed to Michigan and lived in London for about four years, removing to Dundee not long before his death.

## CHILDREN :\*

526. i. ALONZO SMITH, b. Jan. 27, 1850.  
 ii. ADELBERT THERON, b. Mar. 22, 1852; resides in Dundee, Mich.†  
 iii. SEYMOURETTE, b. Oct. 27, 1856; m., 1st, Mar. 18, 1872, Dewitt Gage Rathbun of Dundee; m., 2d, Sept. 15, 1878, Robert George Walker and resides in Muskegon, Mich.

**283.** MARTIN LUTHER TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>167</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 5, 1826, in Tully, N. Y.; died May 11, 1898, in Syracuse, N. Y.; married February 20, 1858, in Tully?, Martha Lueretia French,‡ daughter of Ephraim and Marana (Parmalee) French. She resides in Syracuse.

Martin L. Trowbridge is said to have been the proprietor of a hotel.

## CHILDREN :

- i. LUCRETIA, b. Sept. 9, 1859.  
 ii. MARY, b. Oct. 10, 1861.

**284.** ISAAC TROWBRIDGE (*Ralph*<sup>169</sup>, *Ralph*<sup>126</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1802, in Olive, N. Y.; died November —, 1866, in Olive; married ———, 183–?, in Olive?. Elizabeth Longdyke.§

Isaac Trowbridge was a farmer all his life in his native town.

## CHILDREN BORN IN OLIVE, N. Y.:||

- i. JOHN PETER, b. ———, 183–.\*\*  
 ii. MARY JANE, b. about 1840; m. Gilbert Van De Mark and resides in Olive.  
 iii. LUCAS, b. ———, 184–; "of Marbletown, N. Y.," in 1886.  
 527. iv. ISAAC LONGDYKE, b. ———, 184–.  
 v. ELIZA ANNA, b. ———, 184–; m. ——— Bogart and resides in Marbletown.  
 vi. JACOB E[LMENDORF?], b. ———, 1850; d. Mar. 23, 1876, in Marbletown; unm.

**285.** SIMEON TROWBRIDGE (*Ralph*<sup>169</sup>, *Ralph*<sup>126</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 10, 1812, in Olive, N. Y.; died January 5, 1885, in Stone Ridge, N. Y.; married ———, 1840, in Marbletown, N. Y., Mary Smith,

\* 1 born in Clinton, Wis.; ii in London, Mich.; iii in Dundee, Mich.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

‡ A sister of the wife of his brother No. 281. She failed to answer the compiler's letters.

§ She survived him, but died before Mar., 1876.

|| Known from their father's will, on file at Kingston, N. Y. None of the family answered the compiler's letters.

\*\* A "Peter Trowbridge" is reported as a private in Company B, 1st New York ("Lincoln") Cavalry and as a prisoner on Nov. 1, 1861. [U. S. Government Report.]

No. i was "of Newburgh, N. Y.," in 1867, and "of New York City" in 1876. He d. there June 5, 1878, leaving a widow Margaret and children: *Frederick* and *Frank* (Mark?).

daughter of Isaac and ——— (Conner) Smith, born March 20, 1819, in Kripple Bush, N. Y.; died April 9, 1889, in Kripple Bush.

Simeon Trowbridge was a farmer in his native town all his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN STONE RIDGE, N. Y. :

528. i. LUTHER, b. Mar. 17, 1843.  
 ii. SIMEON, b. ———, 184-; d. in Marbletown, N. Y.\*  
 iii. ALONZO, b. ———, 184-; resides in Marbletown (The Vly).\*  
 iv. MELISSA, b. ———, 185-; m. Lewis Van De Mark and resides in The Vly.\*  
 v. ELLEN, b. ———, 185-; m. Lewis Palen and resides in Olive Bridge, N. Y.\*

286. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Ralph*<sup>169</sup>, *Ralph*<sup>126</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1815, in Olive, N. Y.; died November 9, 1883, in Marbletown, N. Y.; married ———, 183-, in Olive?, Lydia TEAS.

Joseph Trowbridge was a farmer all his life in his native town.

## CHILDREN BORN IN OLIVE, N. Y. :†

- i. WILLIAM HENRY, b. ———, 183-.  
 ii. JOHN, b. ———, 183-.  
 iii. ELISHA, b. ———, 184-‡  
 iv. JOSIAH, b. ———, 184-.  
 v. FREEMAN, b. ———, 184-.  
 vi. MARY ANN, b. ———, 184-; m. ——— Wynkoop of Marbletown, N. Y.  
 vii. SARAH C., b. ———, 184-.  
 viii. LOUISA, b. ———, 185-; m. H. DeWitt Lyons of Olive.

287. HIRAM TROWBRIDGE (*Ralph*<sup>169</sup>, *Ralph*<sup>126</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 6, 1818, in Olive, N. Y.; died April 22, 1898, in Marshalltown, Iowa; married August 26, 1841, in Olive, Maria Avery, daughter of Samuel and Sally (Batey?) Avery, born November 30, 1821, in Sampsonville, N. Y.; died December 13, 1900, in Toddville, Iowa.

Hiram Trowbridge settled as a farmer in his native town and lived there until 1856. In the spring of that year he emigrated to Illinois and settled on a farm near Freeport. About two years later he removed to Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where he made his home for many years.

He was a soldier in the Civil War and enlisted September 27, 1862, as a private in Company A, 37th Iowa Infantry, known as the "Graybeard Volunteers." He was not in active service, but served as a guard. The last few years of his life were passed at the National Soldiers' Home in Marshalltown, Iowa.

## CHILDREN :‡

- i. SARAH ELLEN, b. July 23, 1842; m. Jan. 4, 1864, Rev. Isaac Bliss and resides in Pepperwood, Cal.  
 ii. JOHANNA, b. Dec. 13, 1843; d. Mar. 7, 1863, in Cedar Rapids, Iowa; unm.  
 iii. LOENA, b. Sept. 1, 1845; m. Jasper Usher and resides in Toddville, Iowa.\*  
 iv. LOUISA, b. Jan. 29, 1848; d. ———, 1850.  
 v. ADELIA, b. Jan. 19, 1850; m. Richard Coleman and resides in Cedar Rapids.\*  
 vi. SIMON, b. Jan. 20, 1852; d. ———, 1856.  
 vii. JACOB BENJAMIN, b. Mar. 15, 1855; d. ———, 1857.  
 528a. viii. ALONZO, b. Sept. 3, 1856.  
 ix. CHRISTIANNA, b. Jan. 24, 1858; m. James Pollock and resides in Cedar Rapids.\*

287a. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 13, 1805, in Ulysses, N. Y.; died in the fall of 1891, in Ulysses; married ———, 1832, in Ulysses, Survila Williams.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† Decade of birth estimated from Ulster County Surrogate Records at Kingston, N. Y. Several reside in Olive, Olive Bridge and The Vly, N. Y., and failed to answer the compiler's letters.

‡ i-vii born in Olive, N. Y.; viii-ix in Freeport, Ill.



John Trowbridge settled in his native town and lived near the village of Waterburgh. He was a lumberman, and was a power mentally and physically in his community. He was always a Democrat in politics, and was liberal-minded and progressive.

## CHILD BORN IN WATERBURGH, N. Y.:

529. i. EDWARD ALEXANDER, b. Aug. 3, 1835.

**288.** CALEB TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 5, 1808, in Ulysses, N. Y.; died March —, 1890, in Knoxville, Pa.; married ———, 1842, in Clymer, Pa., Ann Eliza Losey, daughter of Samuel Munn and Olivia (Phoenix) Losey, born May 8, 1821, in Pike Mills, Potter county, Pa.; died ———, 185—, in Clymer.

Caleb Trowbridge followed his uncle Watson from Tompkins county, N. Y., to Clymer, near Mixtown, Tioga county, Pa. He took up a claim of 240 acres in one place and owned several other pieces of land. He was an expert fiddler, and it is said that he cleared his farm by money earned from his violin. He was one of the earliest settlers in that section and underwent many hardships. He was a noted hunter and killed nearly one hundred wolves near his own door, besides many deer and bear, which were also very numerous near his farm. He accumulated quite a fortune during the Civil War, being engaged in loaning money, farming and selling stock. \*

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLYMER, PA.:

- i. ELISHA, b. ———, 184—; d. in childhood.
- ii. TITUS, b. ———, 184—; d. in childhood.
- 530. iii. JOHN CALEB, b. Apr. 14, 1847.
- 531. iv. SAMUEL DOW, b. ———, 1850.
- v. WILLIAM, b. ———, 185—; d. in infancy, with his mother.

**289.** HURON TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 12, 1812, in Ulysses, N. Y.; died February 26, 1896, in Waterburgh, N. Y.; married October 25, 1838, in Waterburgh, Jane Wyckoff, daughter of Peter and Elizabeth (Smith) Wyckoff, born August 19, 1818, in Jacksonville, N. Y. She resides in Waterburgh.

Huron Trowbridge settled in the village of Waterburgh in his native township, Ulysses, N. Y., and lived there all his life. He was a successful farmer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WATERBURGH, N. Y.:

- i. MARTHA ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 1, 1840; m. Jan. 20, 1870, Albert Florentine Mosher and resides in Trumansburgh, N. Y.
- ii. IRVIN A., b. Apr. 22, 1848; is a farmer in Waterburgh.\*

**290.** MICHIGAN TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 17, 1820, in Ulysses, N. Y.; died November 10, 1880, in Meadville, Pa.; married December 21, 1853, in Meadville, Amanda Dunn, daughter of William and Sarah (Thompson) Dunn, born June 19, 1833, in Sheakleyville, Pa. She resides in Meadville.

Michigan Trowbridge settled in Meadville, Pa., where he was engaged in the wholesale and retail oyster business.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MEADVILLE, PA.:

- i. FRANK LESLIE, b. Oct. 19, 1855; is a painter in Meadville; unm.
- ii. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. May 25, 1858; was a clerk for his father; d. Feb. 26, 1884, in Meadville; unm.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

- iii. HENRIETTA, b. Oct. 5, 1861; m. Feb. 17, 1889, Charles Francis Bieder and resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.  
 iv. ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 19, 1863; m. Jan. 7, 1880, Horace Edwin Lane and resides in Meadville.  
 532. v. WILLIAM SHERMAN, b. Feb. 7, 1865.

291. WILLIAM EDGAR TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 13, 1823, in Ulysses, N. Y.; died December 25, 1887, in Ulysses; married June 1, 1848, in Covert, N. Y., Susan Gonong, daughter of Riley Gonong, born July 22, 1828, in Covert; died February 7, 1899, in Ulysses.

William E. Trowbridge inherited the old homestead of his father in Ulysses, N. Y., near the village of Perry City. He lived there all his life and was engaged in farming.

CHILDREN BORN IN ULYSSES, N. Y. :\*  
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- i. MARY, b. July 16, 1853; m. 1st, Mar. 19, 1874, Charles Boyle of Ulysses; m., 2d, May 7, 1895, James Leroy Easling and resides in Trumansburgh, N. Y.  
 ii. ELLEN, b. July 8, 1861; m., 1st, Dec. 18, 1884, Ogden C. Smith of Trumansburgh; m., 2d, Dec. 27, 1899, J. A. Longfellow and resides in Ridgeley, Md.  
 iii. JENNIE, b. May 16, 1864; m. Nov. 11, 1886, Peter J. Hausner and resides in South Apalachin, N. Y.  
 iv. CHARLES FREMONT, b. July 4, 1867; is a farmer in his native place; unm.  
 533. v. FRANK, b. MAR. 22, 1869.

292. DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 24, 1829, in Ulysses, N. Y.; died October 29, 1882, in Waterburgh, N. Y.; married May 13, 1854, in Ulysses, Joanna Doyle, daughter of Owen and Mary (Donahue) Doyle, born March 23, 1834, in county Wexford, Ireland; died October 15, 1884, in Saugatuck, Mich.

David Trowbridge is said to have received the best education of his father's children, and he taught in the district school for some years. He had a good reputation as a mathematician and was gifted as an astronomer, and was generally studiously inclined. He learned the trade of a wagon-maker and settled after his marriage in his native town, living there about five years, then removing to the neighboring town of Hector in Schuyler county. He later returned to his native town, where he lived for the remainder of his life in the village of Waterburgh.

CHILDREN :†

534. i. EDWARD GILBERT, b. Feb. 7, 1855.  
 535. ii. ELISHA OWEN, b. Jan. 9, 1859.  
 536. iii. DANIEL ELLSWORTH, b. Oct. 22, 1863.

292a. LEVI HEADLY TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 30, 1832, in Ulysses, N. Y.; died June 9, 1889, in Cortland, N. Y.; married October 29, 1857, in Trumansburgh, N. Y., Harriette Ann Langdon, daughter of John and Ann (De Lano) Langdon, born July 25, 1838, in Seneca Falls, N. Y. She resides in Middleville, Mich.

L. Headly Trowbridge was a contractor and builder. He was in business in Seneca Falls, N. Y., for the five years succeeding his marriage. He went South during the Civil War in the employ of the government, but he became very ill and was brought home. He never fully regained his health. He returned to the village of Waterburgh in his native town. "He was quite noted as a violinist, and gave the greater part of his life to the study of music and taught it for years." The latter part of his life he lived in Cortland, N. Y.

\* Except i, who was born in Mecklenburgh in the town of Hector, N. Y.

† i-ii born in Ulysses, N. Y.; iii in Hector, N. Y.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. CORA ADASTEEN, b. May 24, 1859; m. Dec. 17, 1902, Albertis Flagler and resides in Lyons, N. Y.
- ii. MARY LUELEA, b. Nov. 24, 1862; m., 1st, Dec. 4, 1884, Henry Hubble Watrous of Syracuse, N. Y.; m., 2d, July 26, 1905, Aaron Hufford and resides in Middleville, Mich.
- iii. CARRIE VIOLA, b. Sept. 17, 1865; m. Oct. 30, 1882, Leland L. Richmond and resides in Syracuse, N. Y.
- 536a. iv. FRED CARLTON, b. Nov. 10, 1868.

**292b.** ERASTUS TROWBRIDGE (*Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 179—, in Whitehall?, N. Y.; died ———, 18—, in Whitehall?; married ———, 182—, in ———, Susan [Avis?] Pratt. Erastus Trowbridge was a farmer. It is thought that he lived in Whitehall, N. Y., all his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WHITEHALL?, N. Y.:

- i. PROSPER, b. ———, 182—; resided in ———, Mich.
- 536b. ii. ISAAC WIXOM, b. Sept. 22, 1825.†
- iii. MARY, b. ———, 182—.
- iv. HENRIETTA CELIA, b. Jan. 21, 1829; m. Calvin Z. Trowbridge (No. 538).
- v. BETSEY, b. ———, 183—; m. ——— Sartsfield of ———, Ill.

**293.** CYRENUS TROWBRIDGE (*Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 15, 1797, in Whitehall, N. Y.; died September 3,‡ 1880, in Howard, N. Y.; married January 18, 1820, in Howard, Mary Bartholomew, daughter of Joseph and Clarissa (Norton) Bartholomew, born October 26,§ 1803, in Whitehall; died April 3, 1872, in Howard.

Cyrenus Trowbridge settled in Howard, Steuben county, N. Y., where he engaged in farming and lived the rest of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HOWARD, N. Y.:

- i. JOSEPH, b. May 23, 1822; d. Aug. 25, 1822.
- ii. CLARISSA LOVINA, b. Apr. 9, 1824; m. Sept. 3, 1840, Hiram Howland of Andover, N. Y.
- 537. iii. CALEB DYER, b. June 17, 1826.
- 538. iv. CALVIN ZIBA, b. Mar. 5, 1829.
- 539. v. BYRON HARLOW, b. Jan. 3, 1832.
- 540. vi. ERASTUS BURL, b. Mar. 15, 1834.
- vii. LUCY SUSANNAH, b. Aug. 26, 1839; m., 1st, Aug. 4, 1856, William Smith; m., 2d, July 13, 1861, James Cooper; m., 3d, Mar. 11, 1886, Henry Stormes of Prattsburgh, N. Y.
- 541. viii. JOSEPH BARTHOLOMEW, b. Oct. 20, 1842.

**293a.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Heman*<sup>172</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 180—, in Ulysses?, N. Y.; died ———, 18—, in ———, Ohio?; married ———, 18—, in ———, Elizabeth Knight.

David Trowbridge is said to have been a farmer.

## CHILDREN :||

- i. HIRAM, b. ———, 18—; d. ———, 188—.
- ii. JOHN HENRY, b. ———, 18—; d. Feb. —, 1905.
- iii. A daughter, b. ———, 18—; d. ———, 18—.
- iv. ISABELLE, b. ———, 18—; m. ——— Miller and resides in Bellevue, Ill.?
- v. PARTHENIA, b. ———, 18—; m. ——— Foiles and resides in Bellevue.
- 541a. vi. WILLIAM, b. July 14, 1846.

\* i-ii born in Seneca Falls, N. Y.; iii-iv in Waterburgh, N. Y.

† He is the only child living. He failed to answer the compiler's letters, thereby making the records of at least three generations imperfect.

‡ By family record, correcting 2 in the surrogate record.

§ By family bible of No. 293; Nov. 24 by "Bartholomew Genealogy."

|| Order of births unknown. Those living failed to answer the compiler's letters.

**294.** NATHANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Heman*<sup>172</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 180—, in Ulysses?, N. Y.; died ———, 1838,\* in Lawrence county, Ohio; married ———, 1838, in Lawrence county, Zelda Miller, daughter of Abraham and Rebecca (Hughes) Miller, born September 1, 1818, in Lawrence county; died January 7, 1902, in Guyandotte, W. Va.†

Nathaniel Trowbridge was a farmer near Proctorville, Lawrence county, Ohio

CHILD BORN IN LAWRENCE COUNTY, OHIO:

- i. HARRIET N., b. Dec. 15, 1838; m. Oct. —, 1863, Ansel Wood and resides in Guyandotte, W. Va.

**295.** THERON TROWBRIDGE (*Heman*<sup>172</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 5, 1815, in Marietta, Ohio; died July 6, 1904, in Denmark, Iowa; married, first, March 22, 1841, in Denmark, Annis Chappel Case, daughter of Asahel and Cynthia (Chappel) Case, born June 2, 1818, in Ashtabula, Ohio; died November 5, 1891, in Denmark. He married, second, April 10, 1893, in Denmark, Mrs. Emma Carpenter. She resides in Denmark.

Theron Trowbridge was a mason contractor and was in the building business for fifty years.

CHILDREN BORN IN DENMARK, IOWA:

*By first marriage:‡*

542. i. WATSON, b. Dec. 23, 1842.  
 543. ii. JOHN BROWN, b. Aug. 23, 1850.  
 iii. MARY ELIZA, b. Oct. 23, 1852; m. Apr. 30, 1873, William Enos Wright and resides in Newark, N. J.  
 iv. CELIA ABIGAIL, b. Apr. 10, 1857; m., 1st, Aug. 31, 1886, John Francis Brown of Quincy, Ill.; m., 2d, Nov. 13, 1906, William Francis Cunningham and resides in Elgin, Utah.

**296.** WATSON TROWBRIDGE (*Heman*<sup>172</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 10, 1823, in Marietta, Ohio; died March 11, 1907, in Quincy, Ill.; married September 14, 1846, in Cincinnati, Ohio, Suzanne Krummel, daughter of Godfriedt and Juliana (Wolf) Krummel, born June 15, 1827, in Zweibregan, Bavaria, Germany. She resides in Quincy.

Watson Trowbridge came in boyhood to live with his sister Mrs. Frampton in Burlington, Lawrence county, Ohio. At the age of sixteen he went "on the river" and became steward of a steamboat plying on the Ohio and Mississippi rivers. He gave up steamboating not long before his marriage and located in Cincinnati, Ohio, where he began work as a machinist. In September, 1851, he removed to Quincy, Ill., which was his home from that time until his death.

CHILDREN:§

544. i. CHARLES HENRY, b. June 15, 1847.  
 ii. ALICE REGINA, b. Apr. 13, 1851; m. Apr. 4, 1872, Charles Frank Hodgdon and resides in Hannibal, Mo.  
 iii. RHINETTE, b. Dec. 22, 1854; m. July 12, 1894, Charles Henry Morrell and resides in San Francisco, Cal.  
 iv. ELIZA MATILDA, b. Jan. 16, 1858; m. Feb. 28, 1884, Walter E. Brown and resides in St. Louis, Mo.  
 545. v. EDWARD WATSON, b. Apr. 15, 1860.  
 vi. LETITIA, b. Jan. 21, 1866; m. Nov. 17, 1885, Lorin Bennett Bartlett of Quincy, Ill.

\* "Eight months after his marriage."

† It is said that she married twice after Nathaniel Trowbridge's death.

‡ No children by second marriage.

§ i born in Cincinnati, Ohio; ii born in Lawrence county, Ind.; the others in Quincy, Ill.

**297.** GEORGE WASHINGTON TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>173</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 12, 1818, in Washington county, Ohio; died December 17, 1888, in Bristol, Mich.; married September 22, 1844, in Otsego township, Steuben county, Ind., Juliann Carll, daughter of Stephen and Betsey (Hardy) Carll, born August 9, 1828, in Niagara Falls, N. Y.; died January 21, 1903, in Bristol.

George W. Trowbridge emigrated with his father to Otsego township, Steuben county, Ind. He was engaged in farming there until April, 1870, when he removed with his family to Northern Michigan and settled on a farm in Bristol, Dover township, Lake county, near the present town of Luther. At that time that part of the country was all woods and the nearest trading points were Paris and Big Rapids, Mecosta county. The farm that he located at that time is now owned and cultivated by his son.

CHILDREN BORN IN OTSEGO TOWNSHIP, STEUBEN COUNTY, IND. :\*  
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- i. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 30, 1846; m. 1st, Dec. 20, 1865, Samuel Reuben Stafford of Scott, Ind.; m., 2d, Oct. 20, 1901, Franklin Somerlott and resides in Angola, Ind.
- ii. ISAAC HARDY, b. Mar. 28, 1849; d. June 28, 1854.
- iii. CALEB, b. Oct. 28, 1850; d. June 28, 1854.
- iv. STEWART HEMAN, b. Nov. 28, 1852; d. July 2, 1854.
- v. HANNAH ALMA, b. July 22, 1855; m. June 30, 1872, George Sumner Clark and resides in Elmira, Mich.
- 546. vi. CLARK, b. Mar. 17, 1857.

**298.** WATSON TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>173</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 15, 1820, in Washington county, Ohio; died January 1, 1895, in Metz, Ind.; married December —, 1840, in Metz, Sarah Hanna, daughter of John and Catharine (Holdes) Hanna, born August —, 1826, in Fairfield county, Ohio. She resides in Metz.

Watson Trowbridge came with his father to Steuben county, Ind., and settled there after his marriage in the town of Metz. He was a farmer.

## CHILD BORN IN METZ, IND.:

- 547. i. MORGAN, b. July 3, 1857.  
Other children?

**299.** MORGAN TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>173</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 6, 1818, in Washington county, Ohio; died March 2, 1871, in Lagrange, Ind.; married ———, 1838, in Washington county, Mary Fairley Mariette, daughter of John and Polly (Waller *née* Fairley?) Mariette, born ———, 1821, in Washington county; died March 9, 1880, in Lagrange.

Morgan Trowbridge was a farmer all his life. He settled after his marriage in Morgan county, Ohio, removing about 1845 to Lagrange county, Ind., where he lived the rest of his life.

## CHILDREN : †

- i. MARY, b. Nov. 27, 1839; m. Feb. 20, 1871, Edwin Bilbrough of Lagrange, Ind.
- 548. ii. JOHN M., ‡ b. May 10, 1843.
- iii. NANCY JANE, b. Apr. 19, 1849; m. Oct. 29, 1873, Herman Plaisted and resides in Lagrange.
- iv. MARTHA ANN, b. Dec. 20, 1851; m. Nov. 12, 1871, William Sylvester Davis and resides in Hopkins Station, Mich.

**300.** ASHER BLUE TROWBRIDGE (*Watson*<sup>174</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 26, 1838, in Clymer, Pa.; resides in Clymer township (Westfield P. O.); married January 4, 1871, in Sabinsville, Pa..

\* Except i, who was born in Lagrange county, Ind.

† i-ii born in Morgan county, Ohio; iii in Ontario, Ind.; iv in Lagrange, Ind.

‡ Initial only.

Augusta Sawyer, daughter of Albert and Minerva (Chaffee) Sawyer, born December 10, 1853, in Long Run, Pa.

Asher B. Trowbridge has always lived on his present farm, which was his father's homestead, in Clymer township, near Westfield, Pa. He and his son conduct together a very prosperous farm of 180 acres, where they have a herd of registered Holstein-Friesian cattle and Oxford down sheep. They own a feed mill and cheese factory.

## CHILD BORN IN CLYMER, PA.:

549. i. ALBERT DORR, b. Oct. 16, 1871.

**301.** ONAN TROWBRIDGE (*Watson*<sup>174</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 3, 1840, in Clymer, Pa.; died December 19, 1893, in Clymer; married December 3, 1867, in Potter Brook, Pa., Mary Anna Little, daughter of William and Margaret (Sammis) Little, born September 9, 1844, in Woodhull, N. Y.; died January 16, 1888, in Clymer.

Onan Trowbridge lived in Clymer township on a farm adjoining that of his brother, his farm being nearly 400 acres in extent. He was an extensive raiser of and dealer in cattle and sheep, making large shipments to New York City.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLYMER, PA.:

- i. FREDERICK WATSON, b. Dec. 9, 1868; was graduated from the Elmira (N. Y.) Business College. He formed a partnership with his brother-in-law Mr. Little in the general merchandise business in Hector, Pa., subsequently buying him out, and is at present conducting a prosperous business under his own name in Hector. He is unmarried.
- ii. EMMA ARMINTA, b. Sept. 24, 1872; m. June 20, 1897, Leroy Lemuel Little and resides in Hector.
550. iii. RAY ROBERT, b. Aug. 7, 1874.
551. iv. JOHN ERNEST, b. Jan. 5, 1876.
552. v. WILLIAM EZRA, b. Sept. 14, 1877.
- vi. CLARA BESSIE, b. May 18, 1880; m. May 9, 1900, George Larrison Mahon and resides in Sunderlinville, Pa.
- vii. BERT MITCHELL, b. July 11, 1884; is in business with his brother John in Potter Brook, Pa.; unm.
- viii. JENNIE, b. Sept. 27, 1886; m. Aug. 6, 1905, Prof. Royal Lionel Predmore and resides in Potter Brook.

**302.** SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 6, 1805, in Shelburne, Vt.; died February 2, 1890, in Waupun, Wis.; married November 11, 1837, in Shoreham, Vt., Ann Robinson, born March 5, 1806, in Shoreham; died August 19, 1888, in Waupun.

Samuel Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Bombay, Franklin county, N. Y., removing in a few years to Canton, St. Lawrence county. In 1855 he removed with his brother Pardon to Janesville, Wis., locating the following year in Chester township, near the present village of Waupun, where he passed the remainder of his life. "He was a farmer by occupation and a good farmer. He took great pride in raising fine cattle, the Durham breed being his choice for the last forty years of his life. In politics he was strongly Republican and was elected to many town offices by that party."

## CHILDREN:\*

553. i. HENRY HARRISON, b. Sept. 16, 1840.
554. ii. EDGAR LUCIUS, b. July 24, 1845.
555. iii. SIDNEY SAMUEL, b. Aug. 1, 1852.

**303.** PROSPER TROWBRIDGE (*Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 15, 1807, in Shelburne, Vt.; died July 14, 1850, in Edwardsville, N. Y.; married March 20, 1831, in Morristown, N. Y., Margaret

\* i born in Bombay, N. Y.; ii-iii in Canton, N. Y.

Sharp, daughter of John and Sally (Ranny) Sharp, born April 12, 1813, in Potsdam, N. Y. She married, second, January —, 1856, in Malone, N. Y., Chauncey M. Wood of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and died July 29, 1904, in Carroll, Iowa.

Prosper Trowbridge came in early manhood to St. Lawrence county, N. Y., and after his marriage he settled on a farm at Brier Hill, on Black Lake, about one and one-half miles from the village of Edwardsville, in the township of Morris-town. He continued farming there the remainder of his life. His widow after her second marriage removed with her husband and children in 1859 to Waterloo, Iowa.

## CHILDREN BORN IN EDWARDSVILLE, N. Y.:

- i. SARAH ANN, b. Mar. 31, 1835; m. Nov. 19, 1858, Hon. William Morris and resides in Cedar Falls, Iowa.
- 556. ii. RUFUS, b. Apr. 4, 1838.
- iii. LUDIA, b. Sept. 4, 1841; m. Oct. 28, 1860, George Herbert Eastman of Waterloo, Iowa.
- iv. ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 11, 1843; m. Oct. 18, 1862, Theodore Hamilton Filkins of Waterloo.
- 557. v. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 20, 1847.
- 558. vi. JOHN SHARP, b. Aug. 3, 1848.
- 559. vii. NELSON, b. May 8, 1850.

304. PARDON TROWBRIDGE (*Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 7, 1811, in Shelburne, Vt.; died November 10, 1856, in Waupun, Wis.; married February 8, 1838, in Malone, N. Y., Sarah Catharine Wood, daughter of John and Clarinda (Child) Wood, born November 14, 1815, in Malone; died January 29, 1857, in Waupun.

Pardon Trowbridge was ten years old when his father died and he was placed in the family of a maternal uncle, Cyrus Tracy, who promised to give him three months' schooling, at least, every year; but he did not keep his promise, giving Pardon but three months' schooling in all, and making him work very hard. But Pardon had such a strong desire for an education, that he improved every opportunity to learn, even acquiring a knowledge of the French language by questioning a Frenchman who worked with him on the farm and writing out the words as he learned them on scraps of paper. He read everything that he could get to read, and became a man well informed on all important questions of his day. He lived with his uncle until he was twenty-one. He settled after his marriage in Bombay, N. Y., where he was engaged in farming for seventeen years. In 1855, in company with his elder brother Samuel, he emigrated to Janesville, Wis., locating the following year in Chester township, near Waupun, where he and his wife died a few months later.

Mr. Trowbridge was a Christian man, and one who commanded the love and respect of his friends and acquaintances, judging from what they said and wrote of him after his death. He was much interested in education and was most anxious that his children should be well educated, feeling keenly his own lack of early advantages for study. He was also interested in religious movements and was a strong temperance man, when it meant something to be a total abstainer. He took keen interest in the agitation against slavery and, had he lived a few years longer, he undoubtedly would have been active for its abolishment. "He left a legacy to his children more valuable than money or lands."

## CHILDREN BORN IN BOMBAY, N. Y.:

- i. SARAH ELIZA, b. Nov. 12, 1838; m., 1st, Oct. 22, 1857, Edwin Miller of Waupun, Wis.; m., 2d, James Myers and resides in Waupun.
- ii. LUCY CLARINDA, b. July 13, 1840; m. May 12, 1864, James Duer and resides in Waupun.

\* Except ix, who was born in Janesville, Wis.

- iii. MARY JANE, b. Mar. 27, 1842; m. Dec. 2, 1868, Jacob Tewksbury Holmes of Santa Barbara, Cal.
- 560. iv. SAFFORD WOOD, b. Jan. 18, 1845.
- v. HARRIET MARIA, b. Dec. 2, 1846; d. June 2, 1852.
- 561. vi. CHARLES JOHN, b. Sept. 10, 1849.
- vii. EUNICE CATHARINE, b. July 28, 1851; d. Sept. 2, 1851.
- 562. viii. FRANKLIN HENRY, b. Jan. 14, 1853.
- 563. ix. ALFRED JAY, b. Oct. 5, 1855.

**305.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Henry P.*<sup>176</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 29, 1824, in Clinton, Me.; died June 10, 1896, in Trowbridge, Pa.; married February 19, 1849, in Elmira, N. Y., Sarah Jane Hunter, daughter of Lorin and Huldah Ann (Lee) Hunter, born June 5, 1825, in Sharon, Conn. She resides in Millerton, Pa.

Henry Trowbridge was born on the banks of the Kennebec river, and there grew to manhood. In 1846 he came to Elmira, N. Y., where he was employed in running circular saws. While living there, he sent to Boston for a steam railroad whistle and attached it to a boiler at Henny Hollow, near Elmira, completing the job at four o'clock in the morning. When he pulled the valve and the strange startling sound aroused the people from their slumbers, and they came to the mill in a hurry to learn what the trouble was, they were agreeably surprised to find themselves in no danger. After his marriage he purchased the farm at Trowbridge, Jackson township, Tioga county, Pa., where he lived forty-seven years. He was the first person in that vicinity to receive a deed for his property. He returned to Maine the following year and brought out his father, mother and three sisters to share his home with him.

Mr. Trowbridge always took an active interest in educational matters and was also a firm supporter of the government during the dark days of civil strife. When the railroad was built he deeded to the company a site for a station as well as the right-of-way through his land, and in his honor the station was named Trowbridge. A post office was also established there bearing the same title. Although not active in politics, he served as school director for nine years and always fulfilled the duties of a good citizen. He was kind and charitable, and, while enjoying the fruits of his early industry, he also enjoyed the confidence and esteem of the community up to the time of his death.

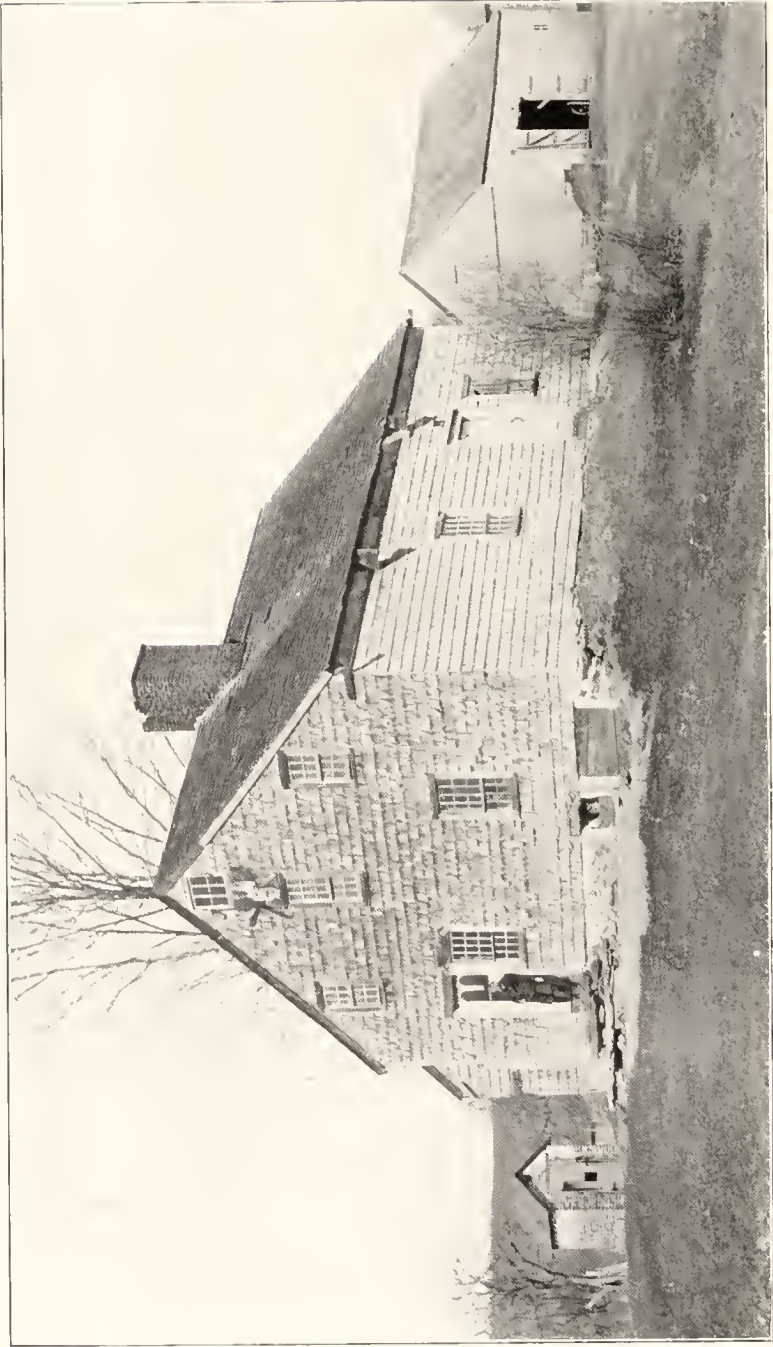
CHILDREN BORN IN JACKSON TOWNSHIP, TIOGA COUNTY, PA.:

- 564. i. HENRY OLIVER, b. Feb. 15, 1850.
- ii. SARAH ALICE, b. Aug. 30, 1851; m. Jan. 29, 1870, Frank Morely Beeman and resides in Elmira, N. Y.
- iii. LORIN EDWIN, b. Jan. 23, 1853; d. Oct. 11, 1874, in Trowbridge, Pa.; unm.
- iv. ROANNA AGNES, b. June 4, 1855; m. Sept. 1, 1891, Daniel Schuyler Horton and resides in Millerton, Pa.
- v. FANNIE ARABELLE, b. Jan. 2, 1857; m. Aug. 9, 1879, Elliot Sheives and resides in Webbs Mills, N. Y.
- vi. GEORGE EDWARD, b. July 15, 1858; d. Apr. 21, 1863.
- vii. SAMUEL EGBERT, b. Feb. 2, 1861; d. Apr. 26, 1863.
- viii. GEORGIANNA, b. Nov. 5, 1863; m. Sept. 8, 1886, Clarence Wylie Ferguson and resides in Elmira.
- 565. ix. LEMUEL ALBERT, b. Apr. 13, 1866.
- x. HANNAH ETTA, b. Sept. 19, 1869; d. Jan. 19, 1880.

**306.** WILLIAM HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>178</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>131</sup>, *John*<sup>112</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 10, 1819, in New York City; lost at sea in September, 1845; married May 29, 1844, in Providence, R. I., Eliza Thurber, daughter of William and Eliza (Cogswell) Thurber, born October 16, 1820, in Providence. She married, second, October 13, 1853, in Providence, Stephen Colwell of Syracuse, N. Y., and resides in Pawtuxet, R. I.







JABEZ TROWBRIDGE HOUSE, BETHEL, CONN.

The oldest Trowbridge house in the town and one of its oldest buildings. It was built by Jabez Trowbridge (No. 308), in 1800, and was occupied by the family until a few years ago, when a modern residence was erected in its rear. In the door-way stands George Trowbridge, No. 980, III, of the sixth generation which has lived on the old homestead.

William H. Trowbridge took up a seafaring life and was captain of a sailing vessel. His home was in Providence, R. I. In September, 1845, he took his ship to New York and from there sailed for Charleston, but nothing was ever heard of him, his vessel, or her crew after leaving port.

## CHILD BORN IN NEWPORT, R. I.:

566. i. WILLIAM HENRY, b. June 25, 1845.

**307.** JOSHUA BENEDICT TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>179</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>131</sup>, *John*<sup>112</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 25, 1801, in Danbury, Conn.; died February 22, 1870, in Danbury; married May 2, 1839, in Danbury, Amelia (Benedict) Knapp, widow of Francis Knapp of Canaan, Conn., and daughter of Francis Knapp and Phebe (Northrup) Benedict, born December 29, 1792, in Danbury; died September 30, 1879, in Danbury.

Joshua B. Trowbridge in early life emigrated to Norwalk, Ohio. It is said that he drove a yoke of oxen there, going by way of Philadelphia and being five weeks on the road. He also, it is said, walked from Ohio to Danbury, when he returned to his old home. He was chiefly engaged in farming and cattle raising.

## NO CHILDREN.

**308.** JABEZ TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 2, 1772, in Bethel, Conn.; died November 27, 1861, in Bethel; married September 27, 1797, in Bethel, Lucy Hoyt, daughter of James and Rebecca (Taylor) Hoyt, born April 6, 1775, in Bethel; died August 15, 1855, in Bethel.

Jabez Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life. His farm was at the south end of Grassy Plain street in Bethel, Conn., and is now owned and occupied by his great-grandson Myron J. Trowbridge. He was admitted a member of the Episcopal church in Danbury on September 2, 1838.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BETHEL, CONN.:

- 567. i. JAMES HOYT, b. July 27, 1799.
- 568. ii. DANIEL DAVIS, b. May 18, 1801.
- 569. iii. ELI TAYLOR, b. Oct. 2, 1803.
- iv. ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 22, 1806; d. Nov. 9, 1858, in Bethel; unm.
- 570. v. HORACE, b. Jan. 17, 1812.
- vi. LAURA, b. Oct. 21, 1813; m. May 12, 1840, Rufus L. Couch of Bethel.
- vii. REBECCA, b. Sept. 16, 1817; d. Aug. 9, 1830.

**309.** ELIAKIM DAVIS TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 21, 1776, in Bethel, Conn.; died February 11, 1858, in Bethel; married, first, August 13, 1800, in Bethel, Amelia Taylor, daughter of Ebenezer and Sarah (Dibble) Taylor, born October 10, 1782, in Bethel; died May 28, 1819, in Bethel. He married, second, February 21, 1821, in Washington, Conn., Phebe (Wildman) Taylor, daughter of Matthew and Margaret (Reed) Wildman, born December 25, 1785,\* in Washington; died July 3, 1875, in Bethel.

Eliakim D. Trowbridge lived all his life in his native town, Bethel, Conn. In 1800 he built a hat shop at the lower end of Grassy Plain street, and conducted that business successfully there for many years. He was highly respected in the community where he resided. He was admitted a member of the Episcopal church in Danbury in May, 1838, and was a Mason for many years.

\* By family record; 1786 by Cothren's "History of Woodbury."

## CHILDREN BORN IN BETHEL, CONN.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. BETSEY DIBBLE, b. Dec. 27, 1800; m. Jan. 15, 1823, Thomas Coan of Bethel.
- ii. ALMERA, b. Jan. 13, 1803; m. Jan. 15, 1823, Almon Barnum of Bethel.
- iii. A child, b. Mar. 1, 1805; d. Mar. 29, 1805.
- iv. ABIGAIL, b. Feb. 3, 1806; m. May 29, 1825, Matthew Keeler Gilbert of Bethel.
- 571. v. IRA, b. Nov. 5, 1808.
- vi. EMILY, b. Feb. 8, 1811; m. Nov. 23, 1831, William Coley Shepard of Bethel.
- vii. LUCY, b. July 15, 1813; m. Jan. 5, 1834, Street Hull Keeler of New Haven, Conn.
- viii. MARIA, b. Dec. 16, 1816; m. Apr. 2, 1836, Reuben S. Boland of New York City.
- ix. STEPHEN, b. June 29, 1818; d. July 2, 1819.

*By second marriage:*

- 572. x. GEORGE STEPHEN, b. Jan. 15, 1822.
- xi. AMELIA, b. Mar. 11, 1824; m. Oct. 23, 1842, Horace Ebenezer Hickok and resides in Bethel.
- xii. CATHARINE AMANDA, b. Nov. 5, 1827; m. June 6,\* 1848, Ammon Green of Bethel.

**310.** JEREMIAH TURNER TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>181</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>182</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 25, 1792, in Newtown, Conn.; died August 28, 1849, in Newtown; married December 10, 1817, in Brookfield, Conn., Lucy Sturdevant, daughter of Asher and Elizabeth (Stevens) Sturdevant, born January 16, 1793, in Brookfield; died May 23, 1863, in Newtown.

Jeremiah T. Trowbridge lived all his life in his native town, Newtown, Conn. He received a common school education and learned the trade of a blacksmith, which he followed up to his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTOWN, CONN.:

- 573. i. SAMUEL WILLIAM, b. Sept. 4, 1819.
- ii. TIMOTHY LEGRAND, b. Jan. 26, 1825; learned the hatter's trade and worked at it in Bethel, Conn., until about 1860, when he left there to follow it in Millburn, N. J. He returned to Bethel and in a few years removed to Waterbury, Conn., where he lived with his eldest brother until 1878, when he left again for New Jersey, promising to write home after he got settled. He never wrote and his relatives could never trace him. He was then unmarried.
- 574. iii. EDWIN BOOTH, b. Aug. 21, 1831.

**311.** STEPHEN BARNUM TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>182</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 19, 1799, in North East, N. Y.; died March 25, 1884, in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; married August 15, 1820, in North East, Eliza Conklin, daughter of Nathan and Amy (Mulford) Conklin, born August 29, 1802, in North East; died April 21, 1885, in Poughkeepsie.

Stephen B. Trowbridge in early life engaged successfully in farming in his native town. In 1834 he settled in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., where he was an energetic, enterprising merchant and a public-spirited man. He was associated in business with his brothers-in-law Nathan and Mulford Conklin. He served several terms as supervisor, and was for many years and until his death a member of the First Presbyterian Church.

## CHILDREN:†

- 575. i. NEHEMIAH CONKLIN, b. July 21, 1821.
- ii. MARY ELIZA, b. July 13, 1823; m. Sept. 1, 1842, William Wilkinson and resides in Andover, Mass.

\* By Danbury, Conn., Town Records; Jan. 9 by her sister.

† i-iii born in North East, N. Y.; iv-v in Washington, N. Y.; vi-viii in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.





TROWBRIDGE HOMESTEAD, NORTH EAST, N. Y.

The house was built in 1860. It was bought by Alexander W. Trowbridge in 1872 and occupied by him and his family until 1897.

- iii. NATHAN, b. Mar. 10, 1826; was educated at Williams College and at New York University, from which he was graduated in 1848. "He was a young man of culture and refinement, and of an affectionate and gentle nature, which attracted many friends." He d. May 3, 1850, in New York City; unm.
576. iv. JOHN, b. July 20, 1829.
- v. PHEBE EMMA, b. Jan. 3, 1833; m. Sept. 9, 1852, John Gary Boyd of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
- vi. CORNELIA BOWNE, b. Sept. 8, 1835; m. Dec. 9, 1858, Henry Seymour of New York City.
- vii. JULIA, b. Dec. 29, 1837; d. Mar. 11, 1899, in Poughkeepsie; unm.
- viii. ELIZA, b. Jan. 29, 1844; resides in Poughkeepsie; unm.

**312.** ALEXANDER WALSTEIN TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>182</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 22, 1803, in North East, N. Y.; died November 30, 1882, in North East; married, first, January 24, 1826, in North East?, Sarah Clark, daughter of Douglas and Sarah (—) Clark, born January 12, 1799, in North East?; died May 27, 1843, in North East. He married, second, October 4, 1843, in North East, Sarah Case Rudd, daughter of Reuben and Elizabeth (Smith) Rudd, born October 29, 1815, in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; died March 13, 1902, in Ansonia, Conn.

Alexander W. Trowbridge passed all his life in his native town, North East, N. Y. He was a wealthy farmer and lived about a mile from the village of Millerton. He was a well-known and highly respected resident of the town. He was captain of a militia company and was always called "Captain" by his old associates.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NORTH EAST, N. Y.:

*By first marriage:*

577. i. PERRY CLARK, b. Jan. 25, 1827.
- ii. ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 10, 1828; m. Oct.\* 6, 1850, Russell Searle Eggleston and resides in Gaines, N. Y.
578. iii. WALTER, b. July 9, 1830.
- 578a. iv. CHARLES BARNUM, b. Oct. 5, 1832.
- v. SARAH CLARK, b. July 6, 1836; d. July 29, 1845.
- vi. CORNELIA, b. Dec. 12, 1839; m. Sept. 12, 1860, Smith W. Merrifield of Sheffield, Mass.
- vii. MARY, b. Jan. 3, 1841; m., 1st, Sept. 2, 1868, Silas D. Merrifield of West Winsted, Conn.; m., 2d, Edward C. Storm and resides in West Winsted.

*By second marriage:*

- viii. JULIA MERRIT, b. Feb. 23, 1845; m. Oct. 11, 1865, Hoffman Sweet and resides in Millerton, N. Y.
- ix. RUTH RUDD, b. Mar. 2, 1849; m. Oct. 9, 1873, Stephen West Patterson and resides in Bridgeport, Conn.
579. x. HELEN, b. July 8, 1852.

**313.** SEELEY TROWBRIDGE (*Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 22, 1792, in Cairo, N. Y.; died April 27, 1864, in Des Moines, Iowa; married ———, 181—, in Great Bend, Pa.?, Pamela Brush, daughter of Capt. Jonas and Tamar (—) Brush, born October 25, 1794, in Great Bend?; died August 19, 1851, in Great Bend.

Seeley Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Great Bend, Pa. After his marriage he settled there on a farm near that of his brother Daniel and lived there many years. In 1852 he emigrated with his son to Des Moines, Iowa, where he lived the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GREAT BEND, PA.:

- i. SARAH ANN, b. Sept. 15, 1818; d. Sept. 19, 1824.
580. ii. WILLIAM DANIEL, b. Sept. 2, 1825.

\* Nov. by "History of Windsor, Conn."

**314.** DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 21, 1794, in Cairo, N. Y.; died December 5, 1863, in Trempealeau, Wis.; married August 7, 1828, in Meadville, Pa., Elizabeth Barker, daughter of Joseph and Betsey (Washburn) Barker, born May 22, 1803, in ———, Mass.; died October 11, 1859, in Trempealeau.

Daniel Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Great Bend, Pa. After his marriage he settled on a farm near his brother Seeley on the south, or west, side of the river. He was appointed coroner of Susquehanna county in 1821. He was a surveyor by profession and after his removal to Meadville, Pa., he held the office of county surveyor. He left Meadville for the West in 1838. He settled at Belvidere, Ill., and was there appointed surveyor of Boone county and also served as a member of the school board for some time. In 1855 he emigrated with his family to Trempealeau, Wis., where he resided the remainder of his life. He there held the offices of county surveyor, justice of the peace and other town offices. He was a member of the Presbyterian church, in which he held the office of deacon.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. ANN REBECCA, b. May 3, 1829; d. Dec. 27, 1854, in Belvidere, Ill.; unm.
- ii. ELIZABETH WASHBURN, b. Apr. 28, 1831; m. Mar. 28, 1855, Hiram Zenas Smith of Trempealeau, Wis.
581. iii. HENRY RANSOM, b. Feb. 20, 1833.
582. iv. EDWARD NEWELL, b. Dec. 25, 1834.
583. v. HIRAM IRENEUS, b. May 15, 1837.

**315.** WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 1, 1798, in Cairo, N. Y.; died August 31, 1840, in Napoleonville, La.; married ———, 182—, in Cairo?, Marinda Mitchell, who died March 1, 1841, in Napoleonville.

William Trowbridge went to Louisiana in early manhood. The sugar industry was then in its glory, and he, being a fine mechanic, superintended the putting up of steam mills, which were then beginning to supersede the horse mills. His home was in Napoleonville, where he died during an epidemic of cholera.

## CHILDREN :†

- i. PHOEBE ANN, b. Oct. 31, 1828; m. Mar. 21, 1844, Francis William Pike of Napoleonville, La.
- ii. LAVINIA, b. May 27, 1834; m. July 31, 1854, Hon. Ebenezer Davis Sawyer of San Francisco, Cal.
584. iii. WILLIAM, b. July 6, 1836.
- iv. MARINDA, b. Jan. 13, 1839; resides in San Francisco; unm.

**316.** CALVIN TROWBRIDGE (*Seeley*<sup>184</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 3, 1779, in Nine Partners, N. Y.; died July 30, 1859, in Milwaukee, Wis.; married, first, Zylphia Beebe,‡ daughter of Philo and Sarah (Nichols) Beebe, who died soon after her marriage. He married, second, December 20, 1807,§ in Chatham, N. Y., Margaret Packard,|| daughter of Abner and Elizabeth (Salisbury) Packard, born April 25, 1788, in Conway, Mass.; died April 16, 1874, in Milwaukee.

Calvin Trowbridge was a millwright by trade. He settled in New Hartford, then a part of Whitestown, Oneida county, N. Y., and lived there until 1822. He then emigrated to the West. He lived for a few years in localities which are

\* i-iii born in Great Bend, Pa., iv-v in Meadville, Pa.

† i born in Cairo?, N. Y.; ii in St. James parish and iii-iv in Assumption parish, Napoleonville, La.

‡ A sister of the first wife of his brother No. 317.

§ By Pittsfield, Mass., *Sun* of Jan. 2, 1808.

|| A sister of the wife of his brother No. 319.



now Eugene and Princeton, Ind., and in June, 1837, he finally settled on a farm about three miles from the present city limits of Milwaukee, Wis. He lived there the remainder of his life. The homestead is located on Trowbridge avenue in the northeast corner of the township of Greenfield.

## CHILDREN :\*

*By second marriage:†*

- i. HORACE STARR, b. May 27, 1809; d. Sept. 21, 1821, in New Hartford, N. Y.  
 ii. ZYLPHIA BEEBE, b. Mar. 18, 1811; d. Jan. 20, 1890, in Milwaukee, Wis.; unm.  
 585. iii. WILLIAM SALISBURY, b. Dec. 25, 1812.  
 iv. ABIGAIL JANE, b. Sept. 14, 1814; d. Sept. 20, 1824, in Princeton, Ind.  
 v. ELISHA PACKARD, b. Jan. 5, 1817; is a farmer near Milwaukee; unm.  
 586. vi. MARTIN LUTHER, b. Dec. 10, 1818.  
 vii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 28, 1821; d. in childhood.  
 587. viii. JOHN CALVIN, b. Sept. 6, 1823.  
 ix. NANCY ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 18, 1825; is a school-teacher in Milwaukee; unm.  
 x. MARGARET PACKARD, b. Nov. 30, 1827; m. Nov. 20, 1847, Nathaniel Souther of Milwaukee.

**317. SETH TROWBRIDGE** (*Seeley*<sup>184</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1787, in Chatham, N. Y.; died October 3, 1859, in Oneida Castle, N. Y.; married, first, Wealthy Beebe,‡ daughter of Philo and Sarah (Nichols) Beebe, who died ———, 1844, in New Hartford, N. Y. He married, second, ———, 1846, in Utica, N. Y., Martha Maria Perry, daughter of Robert and Ruth Christina (Beebe) Perry, born July 13, 1826, in Chatham. She married, second, December 24, 1860, in Oneida Castle, George Forbes of Oneida Castle, where she died March 10, 1896.

Seth Trowbridge is said to have been a soldier in the War of 1812. He lived most of his life in Oneida county, N. Y., and was engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN :§

*By second marriage:†*

588. i. FRANK PERRY, b. Aug. 6, 1847.  
 ii. OPDELIA BEEBE, b. June 6, 1849; m. Dec. 8, 1874, Wallace M. Faulkner and resides in Cazenovia, N. Y.  
 iii. SOPHIA BEEBE, b. June 28, 1853; m. Apr. 26, 1874, Charles F. Forbes and resides in Canton, N. Y.  
 589. iv. ROBERT PERRY, b. Sept. 18, 1855.

**318. WILLIAM|| TROWBRIDGE** (*Seeley*<sup>184</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1788, in Chatham, N. Y.; died April 13, 1814, in New Hartford, N. Y.; married ———, 1810<sup>2</sup>, Louisa ———, who died July 4, 1813, in New Hartford, aged 24 years.

William Trowbridge was a millwright and lived in New Hartford, N. Y.

## NO CHILDREN.

**319. DR. JOHN FOOTE TROWBRIDGE** (*Seeley*<sup>184</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 21, 1791, in Chatham, N. Y.; died February 18, 1872, in Syracuse, N. Y.; married May 7, 1817, in New Hartford, N. Y., Rosamond Arabella Packard,\*\* daughter of Abner and Elizabeth (Salisbury) Packard, born June 29, 1790, in Conway, Mass.; died April 17, 1869, in Syracuse.

\* i-vii born in New Hartford (then a part of Whitestown), N. Y.; viii in Eugene, Ind.; ix-x in Princeton, Ind.

† No children by first marriage.

‡ A sister of the first wife of his brother No. 316.

§ i born in New Hartford, N. Y.; ii-iii in Vernon, N. Y.; iv in Wampsville, N. Y.

|| *Bille* in his father's will.

\*\* A sister of the second wife of his brother No. 316.

John F. Trowbridge was educated at the district schools, with a term or two at Hudson Academy. He studied medicine with Dr. Pugsley in his native town, and then became a student in the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York City, from which he was graduated with the degree of M.D. in 1812. He was then assistant in Bellevue Hospital for a short period, after which he came to New Hartford, Oneida county, N. Y., and began the practice of his profession. He remained there only a few years, however, and then removed to Bridgewater, a few miles south, in the same county.

"In 1819 my father went to Horse Heads, N. Y., built an 'ark' as it was called, on a tributary of the Alleghany river, and taking on board his wife and baby, a relative of her's named Leonard, and a black boy, Titus, whom he had bought for \$100 (slavery then existed in New York), together with household effects, team and wagon, floated down the Alleghany to Pittsburg, and thence down the Ohio to Evansville, Ind.; their destination being the Wabash country, the then Eldorado of the whole country. Thence they proceeded by land sixty miles northward up the Wabash valley to the present site of Princeton, where they settled to make a home. Here my father expected to establish himself in the practice of his profession, but, instead of practice, he became a permanent patient and was ill with malarial fevers for the entire year. The next year, 1820, as soon as the weather settled, he returned, wagoning the whole distance and camping out, my mother and the baby in the farm wagon, fording streams often bed deep, and crossing the Alleghany Mountains by very steep and dangerous trails. They arrived at his former home, Bridgewater, in the fall and settled themselves for a permanent stay."

Doctor Trowbridge immediately took an active interest in all schemes for improvement of the community about him, and soon became an acknowledged and honored leader in public affairs, though known as a "free thinker" and not a member of any religious body. This, too, at a time when such an attitude was wont to produce ostracism; but that did not disturb him. He lived a pure, earnest, and charitable life, and had the public esteem of church members as well as others, and was always and everywhere popular with the clergy. He never denied his professional services to anyone at any time of night or day, winter or summer, stormy or fair, pay or no pay. Many and many a time he was known to get up at midnight in a cold winter night, harness his own horse, and start off in a driving snowstorm, over unbroken roads, to go some miles to attend a sick person, from whom he was so certain that no payment was to be expected that he never even noted the visit in his account book; but he never left such an abode without seeing that the occupants had everything necessary to the recovery of the sick. His practice soon became exclusive, and no rival physician could gain a foothold. He always took great interest in boys who manifested an interest in books and study and seemed desirous of self-improvement. He encouraged all such, and lent them books and advised them in their studies. His office had always several students, who, as was then the custom, were also inmates of his family. Among them several rose to distinction, notably, Asa Gray, the eminent botanist.

He took a leading part in establishing the Bridgewater Academy, which early became one of the best and most widely known schools in the state, when such institutions were more rare than are the lesser colleges of the present day. In 1831 he was elected a member of the New York Assembly, and during the winter session at Albany he selected and purchased the first village library with funds which he had helped to collect for the purpose. There were very few public libraries then in the state, and none in any of the neighboring villages. By means of that and the academy, the community and the surrounding farming population became eventually noted for intelligence. He was appointed postmaster by President Jackson and continued in office until he removed to

Syracuse. In 1841 he was again elected a member of the assembly. Meantime he had been several times elected supervisor of the town, which made him a member of the county board of supervisors. He assisted in raising the first military company in the town and was elected its first captain. He soon resigned, as his Quaker training had been too impressive to permit his participation in military affairs in time of peace. But, when real war came in 1861, he was a "War Democrat" and supported the administration strenuously throughout. He was an active Free Mason, rising to be master of his lodge and finally a Knight Templar.

In 1843 Doctor Trowbridge removed to Syracuse, N. Y. There, in a much larger and more populous community, he quickly attained to an extensive professional practice and became equally as popular as in Bridgewater, and again especially with the clergy. He was there also elected a supervisor of the city. He continued to reside and practice his profession in that city until he died. In all his professional life he never sued any person for services, or, in fact, for any cause. He lived well, almost affluently, for his time and surroundings, and gave his children a good education. Although he lost his entire fortune when seventy years of age through a dishonest bank failure, it was scarcely missed, as his professional income was then more than necessary for his requirements; and when he died ten years later, he had again accumulated a small competency. He was stricken with paralysis in November, 1871, when still in full practice, and died in the following February. He was buried with full Masonic honors.\*

## CHILDREN:†

590. i. ALEXANDER HAMILTON, b. Oct. 18, 1818.  
 ii. ROBERT FULTON, b. May 4, 1821; was graduated from Hamilton College in 1842. He practiced law in Syracuse, N. Y., until a few months before his death, which occurred in Milwaukee, Wis., where he had removed and opened a law office. He d. Sept. 1, 1873; unm.  
 591. iii. JOSEPH MOTT, b. Apr. 26, 1824.  
 iv. FRANCES, b. Aug. 14, 1830; d. ———, 1878, in Milwaukee; unm.  
 v. MARIA LOUISE, b. Oct. 10, 1831; m. Oct. 9, 1857, Arabert Brown Blanchard of Milwaukee.

**320.** ELI TROWBRIDGE (*Eli*<sup>155</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1780?, in Cairo, N. Y.?<sup>?</sup>; died ———, 181—, in Cairo;? married ———, 1815, in Cairo?, Mabel Webster, daughter of Timothy and Hannah (Lumm) Webster, born October 30, 1800, in Cairo; died ———.

Eli Trowbridge appears to have been a farmer in Cairo, Greene county, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CAIRO, N. Y.?:

592. i. ELI AUGUSTUS, b. Dec. 22, 1815.  
 ii. OLIVER AUGUSTUS, b. ———, 1817; d. crossing the Isthmus on his way to California in 1849; unm.  
 iii. SARAH, b. ———, 1819; m. Ira Morrison of Cairo.

**321.** ZIRA TROWBRIDGE (*Eli*<sup>155</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 19, 1785, in Cairo, N. Y.?<sup>?</sup>; died August 2, 1863, in Lawn Ridge, Ill.; married September 21, 1807, in Great Barrington, Mass., Betsey Dewey, daughter of Hugo and Hannah (Sprague) Dewey, born October 3, 1790, in Great Barrington; died July 9, 1837, in Coventry, N. Y.

Zira Trowbridge learned the trade of a blacksmith and followed it in Great Barrington, Mass., until 1815. He then removed to Lenox, Mass., where he followed his trade until 1818. In the spring of that year he sold his shop in Lenox and removed to Coventry, about five miles from Greene, N. Y., where he

\* The compiler regrets that he could obtain no portrait of Doctor Trowbridge.

† i born in New Hartford, N. Y.; the other in Bridgewater, N. Y.

adopted farming as his occupation. He lived there for many years. From Coventry, in company with his son-in-law Mr. Smith, he moved to Rockland county, N. Y., where, for a few years, he was engaged in a large milk business. About 1850 he removed with Mr. Smith to Lawn Ridge, Ill., where he resumed farming and subsequently died.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GREAT BARRINGTON, MASS.:

- i. MARY ADELINE, b. June 10, 1812; m. Jan. 14, 1834, William Eaton Smith of Lawn Ridge, Ill.
- ii. HANNAH JANE, b. Apr. 16, 1815; m. May 6, 1840, Rev. John Visger VanIngen, D.D., of Rochester, N. Y.

**322.** RUFUS TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 27, 1778, in Deerfield, Mass.; died September 14,\* 1865, in Buckland, Mass.; married, first, ———, 1800, in Southampton?, Mass., Hannah Clapp,† daughter of Joel and Mercy (Pomeroy) Clapp. He married, second, March 13, 1804, in Southampton, Deborah Pomeroy, daughter of Isaac and Deborah (Torrey) Pomeroy, born July —, 1786, in Southampton; died September 22, 1876, in Buckland.

Rufus Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life. His home was in Buckland, Mass.

## NO CHILDREN.

**323.** JAMES TAYLOR TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 4, 1789, in Buckland, Mass.; died February 6, 1846, in Ravenna, Ohio; married May 17, 1810, in Phelps, N. Y., Hannah Taylor, daughter of John James Stewart and Mary Elizabeth (Hawks) Taylor, born May 9, 1788, in Buckland; died January 11, 1872, in Ravenna.

James T. Trowbridge settled in Phelps, N. Y., soon after reaching his majority. He enlisted there in the War of 1812. He is said to have been in service from June 16 to 24, 1813, in Capt. Seth Swan's company, serving on the Niagara frontier and at Sodus, when the latter place was assaulted by the British. He enlisted again September 1, 1814, and was sergeant of Capt. Elias Cost's company, 71st Regiment, New York militia. He served at Buffalo, Lewiston and Black Rock under Lieut. James Woden. He served fourteen days and was honorably discharged with the company.‡ He was engaged in farming in Phelps until 1833, when he removed to Ravenna, Ohio, where he passed the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PHELPS, N. Y.:

- i. SILAS, b. ———, 1811.§
- ii. ALMEDA, b. ———, 1813; d.:|| umm.
- iii. MARY ANN, b. Apr. 12, 1815; m., 1st, Oct. 26, 1836, George Robinson of Ravenna, Ohio; m., 2d, Martin Bloomer of Ravenna.
- iv. ADELINE, b. ———, 1816; d.:|| umm.
- v. ELIZABETH, b. ———, 1819; m. William [Jonas?] Bond of Ravenna.

**324.** SAMUEL EDWARD TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 4, 1792, in Buckland, Mass.; died June 3, 1863, in Dearborn, Mich.; married, first, Abigail Baker of Phelps, N. Y. He married, second, ———, 1825, in Phelps, N. Y., Betsey Sheldon, daughter of

\* By family record; 13 by town record.

† A sister of the husband of No. 186, ii.

‡ U. S. Pension Office Records contain testimony to the above service from his widow and fellow soldiers. His name not on the rolls of the above companies.

§ Untraced by relatives. Descendants of his sisters failed to answer the compiler's letters.

|| Before her father.





*Daniel Groube*

Elisha and Elizabeth (Wells) Sheldon, born ———, 1796, in ———; died ———, 1831, in Phelps. He married, third, ———, 1832, in Phelps, Frances E. Reed, born ———, 1791, in ———; died November 9, 1855, in Dearborn.

Samuel E. Trowbridge settled as a farmer in Phelps, N. Y., and lived there for many years. He removed in November, 1852, to Dearborn, Mich., where he resided until his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PHELPS, N. Y.:

*By second marriage:\**

- i. JANE, b. ———, 1826; m. Ebenezer H. Sennett of Auburn?, N. Y.
- ii. HANNAH, b. ———, 1828.
- iii. ELIZABETH, b. ———, 1831.

*By third marriage:*

- 593. iv. OLIVER, b. Aug. 5, 1833.
- 594. v. MILES, b. Apr. 19, 1837.
- 595. vi. WILLIAM HARRISON, b. Nov. 9, 1840.
- 596. vii. JOSEPH WARREN, b. Oct. 6, 1845.

**325.** DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 17, 1796, in Buckland, Mass.; died February 20, 1881, in Hudson, Ohio; married December 18, 1817, in Phelps, N. Y., Sally Blakely, daughter of Obed and Mary (Murphy) Blakely, born January 11, 1797, in Genoa, N. Y.; died May 3, 1887, in Hudson.

Daniel Trowbridge was a cooper by trade. In November, 1816, he settled in Phelps, N. Y., where he married and resided many years. He organized the first Sunday school in the town of Phelps, in the First Presbyterian Church, which had been organized a few years previously at Oaks Corners, it being the first house of worship built in the town. He was chosen on September 20, 1819, a member of the committee to supply its pulpit and one of its elders on March 23, 1820. In 1833 he emigrated to Portage county, Ohio, and lived at Ravenna and Shalersville for some years. The last years of his life were passed at Hudson, Summit county, which was also the home of two of his sons. While he lived in Ohio he was a very active member of the Congregational Church, and held the office of deacon at his death. There is a memorial window to him in the First Congregational Church in Ravenna.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. FLORELLA, b. Mar. 28, 1819; d. Feb. 4, 1846, in Ravenna, Ohio; unm.
- ii. MARY, b. July 26, 1820; m. Aug. 23, 1840, William Eames Richards of Garrettsville, Ohio.
- iii. SALLY ELIZA, b. Nov. 9, 1821; m. May 16, 1870, William Hall Peck of Shelburne Falls, Mass.
- 597. iv. THOMAS SCOTT, b. Nov. 11, 1823.
- v. SOPHIA PRESCOTT, b. Mar. 14, 1825; m. Oct. 11, 1849, Andrew Jackson Jennings of Ravenna.
- 598. vi. ZENAS RIGGS, b. June 4, 1827.
- vii. CAROLINE, b. Mar. 17, 1829; m. Mar. 27, 1867, Carleton Henry Mills of Detroit, Mich.
- viii. SUSAN ANGELINE, b. Sept. 2, 1831; m. Aug. 2, 1853, William Hobson Shain and resides in Cleveland, Ohio.
- 599. ix. JAMES TAYLOR, b. May 4, 1834.
- x. FRANCES LORINDA, b. July 20, 1836; is librarian of Western Reserve University in Cleveland; unm.
- xi. PERCIE ALMEDA, b. Nov. 3, 1838; is a school-teacher in Cleveland; unm.

**326.** SILAS FAIRCHILD TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 14, 1798, in Buckland, Mass.; died November 3, 1888, in Buckland; married April 26, 1821, in Buckland, Electa Pomeroy,

\* No children by first marriage, it is said.

† i-viii born in Phelps, N. Y.; ix in Ravenna, Ohio; x-xi in Shalersville, Ohio.

daughter of Enos and Lucy (Smith) Pomeroy, born February 8, 1801, in Buckland; died January 22, 1872, in Buckland.

Silas F. Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life in his native town, Buckland, Mass. He was esteemed in that community, and was a deacon of the Congregational church there for twenty-four years and up to his death.

CHILDREN BORN IN BUCKLAND, MASS.:

600. i. LUTHER POMEROY, b. Apr. 6, 1822.  
 601. ii. JAMES, b. May 16, 1824.  
 iii. RUFUS, b. July 14, 1826; d. May 6, 1848, in Boston, Mass.; unm.  
 iv. MARY TAYLOR, b. Sept. 4, 1828; m. Aug. 12, 1849, James Palmer and resides in North Topeka, Kan.  
 v. LUCY SMITH, b. Jan. 16, 1831; m. Feb. 16, 1882, Col. Roger Hook Leavitt and resides in Shelburne Falls, Mass.  
 602. vi. JOHN, b. Jan. 1, 1833.  
 vii. ELECTA POMEROY, b. Dec. 3, 1835; m. June 6, 1867, Eber Elisha Stratton and resides in Shelburne Falls.

**327.** NOBLE TROWBRIDGE (*Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1780?, in Cairo, N. Y.?; died August 5, 1829, in Great Bend, Pa.; married ———, 180—, in Great Bend?, Rebecca Blair,\* daughter of Samuel Blair, born ———, 1779, in ———; died February 25, 1849, in Great Bend.

Noble Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Willingborough township, now Great Bend, Pa. He settled there after his marriage and lived there the remainder of his life. "In 1810 he built the wing of the present large house occupied by his son Oliver, about a mile and a quarter from the state line. The old barroom, kitchen and dining room of this once noted tavern are well preserved; also the old sign of the Indian and his arrows, though it no longer invites the traveler to rest. Here were seen the old tester bedsteads with blue and white linen hangings such as some of us now cherish as the handiwork of our grandmothers. From the porch views of river, hills and meadows of great beauty are obtained, and pleasure seekers much frequent this locality. Trowbridge's creek reaches the river just below."† He was elected poor-master of the township in 1813. Willingborough was named Great Bend in 1814, and on February 10 of that year he was elected one of the first board of managers of the first Great Bend Bridge Company. He was active in town affairs and held the office of justice of the peace for many years.

CHILDREN BORN IN GREAT BEND, PA.‡

603. i. OLIVER, b. Jan. 1, 1805.  
 ii. PARMELIA, b. ———, 180-?; d. ———, 1840, in Great Bend; unm.  
 iii. ROXY ANN, b. ———, 180-?; m. Henry Langley of Great Bend.  
 iv. MARIA, b. ———, 181-?; d. ———, 18—, in Great Bend; unm.  
 604. v. GRANT BALDWIN, b. June 6, 1812.  
 605. vi. HENRY, b. Mar. —, 1815.  
 vii. ELIZA, b. ———, 181-?; d. ———, 18—, in Great Bend; unm.  
 viii. HARRIET, b. ———, 181-?; m. Henry Baker of Newburgh, N. Y.  
 ix. SALLY JANE, b. May —, 1821; d. ———, 1897, in Beaver Dam, Wis.; unm.

**328.** LYMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 19, 1783, in Cairo, N. Y.?; died September 30, 1848, in Great Bend, Pa.; married ———, 1803, in Great Bend?, Asenath Blair,§ daughter of Samuel Blair, born ———, 1782, in ———; died May 13, 1825, in Great Bend.

\* A sister of the wife of his brother No. 328.

† "History of Susquehanna County, Pa."

‡ Order of births somewhat uncertain.

§ A sister of the wife of his brother No. 327.



Lyman Trowbridge came with his father to what is now Great Bend, Pa. He settled in the southern part of the township, near Salt Lick creek, and kept the tollgate there for some years. He later engaged in farming, his farm being 400 acres in extent. He was known as "Squire" Trowbridge.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GREAT BEND, PA.:

- i. EVALINE, b. May 30, 1804; m., 1st, Charles Chandler of Lenox, Pa.; m., 2d, Azel Carpenter of Sodus Centre, N. Y.
- 606. ii. AMASA THAYER, b. June 13, 1807.
- iii. AUGUSTUS, b. July 13, 1809; d. June 17, 1828.
- iv. ALZINA, b. Feb. 25, 1811; m., 1st, Charles Smith of Great Bend; m., 2d, Judge Davis Dimmock Warner of Montrose, Pa.
- 607. v. CHARLES HATCH, b. Dec. 11, 1813.
- vi. SYLVINA, b. Oct. 24, 1818; d. Sept. 14, 1844, in Great Bend; unm.
- 608. vii. LAFAYETTE, b. June 11, 1824.

**329.** AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*Oliver*<sup>157</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 14, 1792, in Cairo, N. Y.; died June 7, 1869, in Lee Centre, Ill.; married, first, ———, 1812, in Claverack, N. Y., Lucy Bierce, daughter of Austin Bierce, born November 7, 1795, in Claverack; died May 24, 1863, in Lee Centre. He married, second, Luvena Lewis,\* daughter of Rev. Nathaniel and Sarah (Stowe) Lewis, born December 22, 1798, in Harmony, Pa.; died December 7, 1867, in Lee Centre.

Augustus Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life. He settled after his marriage in Windsor, Broome county, N. Y., and lived there until 1845. In that year he emigrated with his family to Lee county, Ill., settling on a farm in Lee Centre, where he lived the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WINDSOR, N. Y.:

*By first marriage:†*

- i. ZERVIAH, b. Nov. 9, 1813; m. Wesley Stevens of Windsor.
- 609. ii. AUSTIN BIERCE, b. June 6, 1816.
- iii. HARRIET, b. Feb. 15, 1819; d. Jan. 19, 1834.
- 610. iv. SABIN HATCH, b. Feb. 7, 1821.
- 611. v. REUBEN, b. Oct. 4, 1823.
- vi. MARY ANN, b. Jan. 18, 1826; m. Joseph Cary of Selma, Cal.
- 612. vii. HENRY AUGUSTUS, b. Mar. 20, 1828.
- 613. viii. ROYCE DICKINSON, b. Apr. 4, 1830.
- 614. ix. NOBLE ALEXANDER, b. Mar. 21, 1832.
- 615. x. LYMAN BENJAMIN, b. Aug. 22, 1834.
- 616. xi. BRADFORD CORNELIUS, b. Sept. 20, 1836.

**330.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Oliver*<sup>157</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July —, 1798, in Great Bend, Pa.; died April 2, 1862, in Woodstock, Ill.; married, first, ———, 1822, in Lisle?, N. Y., Betsey Lockwood, born January 9, 1801, in ———; died January 16, 1844, in Lisle. He married, second, October 16, 1844, in Lisle, Sally Hoyt, daughter of Daniel and Abigail (Raymond) Hoyt, born February 29, 1812, in Norwalk, Conn.; died December 18, 1897, in Woodstock.

Henry Trowbridge settled after his marriage near the village of Killawog in the town of Lisle, Broome county, N. Y., where he was a boot and shoe dealer. About 1846 he emigrated to Woodstock, McHenry county, Ill., where he continued in the boot and shoe business and lived the remainder of his life.

\* A sister of the wives of his sons Nos. 609 and 610.

† No children by second marriage.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LISLE, N. Y.:

*By first marriage:\**

617. i. IRA COOKE, b. Mar. 16, 1823.  
 ii. ELIZA, b. ———, 1825; m. Daniel Pierce of Waseca, Minn.  
 iii. HENRY, b. Aug. 22, 1827; d. Oct. 22, 1847, in Marathon, N. Y.; unm.  
 iv. BETSEY, b. ———, 1830; m. Alvin Judd of Dubuque, Iowa.  
 v. HARRIET, b. May 24, 1832; d. July 27, 1852, in Marathon; unm.  
 vi. EVALINE, b. ———, 183—; d. in Great Bend, Pa.; unm.  
 vii. JULIA, b. ———, 183—; d. aged 19 in Woodstock, Ill.; unm.  
 618. viii. ADOLPHUS, b. Oct. 5, 1841.

**331.** BARLOW STURGES TROWBRIDGE (*Abraham*<sup>188</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 11, 1797, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died March 14, 1877,† in New Fairfield; married September 5, 1819, in New Fairfield, Polly Nash, daughter of James and Dorcas (Brush) Nash, born March 23, 1798, in New Fairfield; died December 7, 1881,† in Danbury, Conn.

Barlow S. Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life in his native town, New Fairfield, Conn. He and his wife were members of the Methodist Episcopal church at Beaver Bogs for nearly sixty years, he being a class leader for over thirty years.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW FAIRFIELD, CONN.:

- i. HANNAH AMANDA, b. Nov. 22, 1822; m. Nov. 6, 1850, George Gillett Wildman and resides in Danbury, Conn.  
 ii. MARTHA ELVIRA, b. Oct. 8, 1827; m. Apr. 16, 1850, Horace Elwell of Sherman, Conn.  
 619. iii. WILLIAM BURR, b. Jan. 5, 1829.  
 620. iv. JAMES OSBORNE, b. June 10, 1830.  
 v. SARAH MARGARET, b. Dec. 31, 1831; m. Dec. 1, 1865, Edwin Pierce and resides in Botsford, Conn.  
 vi. JOHN STEVENS, b. June 18, 1833; was a soldier in the Civil War. He was enrolled at South East, N. Y., Aug. 22, 1862, for three years in Company G, 135th New York Infantry. He was captured and confined in Andersonville, where he d.; unm.  
 vii. MARIA AMELIA, b. May 6, 1835; m. Oct. 12, 1858, Elijah Morehouse Gilbert and resides in Danbury.  
 viii. ABRAHAM BRUSH, b. Mar. 19, 1837; was a soldier in the Civil War. He was enrolled at South East, N. Y., Aug. 22, 1862, for three years in Company G, 135th New York Infantry. He was killed in the battle of Spottsylvania, May 10, 1864; unm.  
 621. ix. HENRY WILSON, b. Feb. 21, 1839.  
 622. x. THEODORE MONSON, b. Dec. 11, 1841.

**332.** EPHRAIM BURR TROWBRIDGE (*Abraham*<sup>188</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 23, 1807, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died April 12, 1895, in Newark, N. J.; married, first, December 9, 1829, in Troy, N. Y., Anna (Wilgus) Husted, widow of William H. Husted of Vergennes, Vt., and daughter of Nathaniel and Mary Ann (Hoadley) Wilgus, born June 7, 1800, in Vergennes; died August 9, 1856, in Buffalo, N. Y. He married, second, ———, 1864, in Buffalo, Annie Marie Sinclair, daughter of Capt. James and Catherine (Schultz) Sinclair, born ———, 18—, in Kingston, Canada; died December 12, 1890, in Buffalo.

Ephraim B. Trowbridge in 1830 settled in Buffalo, N. Y., then a place of a little over 2,000 inhabitants. He engaged in the paint and oil business on South Division street, and continued in it for many years. In the early days of the city he served ten years in the volunteer fire department. In politics he was a

\* No children by second marriage.

† The age given on the gravestone in Beaver Bogs cemetery differs by a few days from the date of birth.

stanch Republican, and he was proud of the fact that he was one of a club of forty in Buffalo who voted for William H. Harrison in 1840 and forty-eight years later cast his vote in the same state for Benjamin Harrison.

Mr. Trowbridge lived to become one of Buffalo's oldest citizens and was always keenly interested in his city's welfare. He had a high reputation for business integrity, and being of a genial disposition made friends wherever he went. He was a well-read man and able to converse on any subject. He loved a good story or a joke, and kept his memory throughout his long life. After the death of his wife he went to reside with his daughter in Newark, N. J., where he subsequently died.

CHILDREN BORN IN BUFFALO, N. Y. :\*  
*By first marriage:*

623. i. CHARLES BURR, b. Oct. 23, 1837.

*By second marriage:*

ii. EDITH SINCLAIR, b. Dec. 10, 1871; m. Jan. 29, 1891, Albert Jay Atterbury and resides in Newark, N. J.

**333.** JOHN STEVENS TROWBRIDGE (*Abraham*<sup>188</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 13, 1811, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died November 21, 1891, in New Canaan, Conn.; married November 14, 1837, in New Canaan, Betsey Ann Waterbury, daughter of Harry and Anna (——) Waterbury, born January 31, 1818, in New Canaan; died April 6, 1883, in New Canaan.

John S. Trowbridge settled in New Canaan, Conn., and was a tanner and currier.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW CANAAN, CONN.:

624. i. ADELBERT BURR, b. Aug. 21, 1838.

ii. ELIZA JANE, b. Oct. 27, 1839; resides in New Canaan; unm.

iii. AMELIA NASH, b. Dec. 20, 1841; d. Sept. 20, 1861, in New Canaan; unm.

iv. BESSIE ANNA, b. Apr. 21, 1847; resides in New Canaan; unm.

**334.** TRUMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Reuben*<sup>189</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 27, 1802, in Danbury, Conn.; died February 14, 1884, in Danbury; married, first, December 5, 1822, in Danbury, Rebecca Stone, born June 23, 1804, in Danbury; died June 3, 1865, in Danbury. He married, second, February 12, 1866, in South Norwalk, Conn., Mary M. Ferris, daughter of Seth and Mary (Keeler) Ferris, born August 10, 1818, in Wilton, Conn.; died May 18, 1903, in East Norwalk, Conn.

Truman Trowbridge lived in his native town, Danbury, Conn. He was a hat manufacturer, employing a number of hands, and acquired a substantial property. In later life he traveled extensively in Europe. He was appointed a grand juror in 1862. He and his wife were members of the First Congregational Church in Danbury.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DANBURY, CONN.:

*By first marriage:†*

625. i. OLIVER EDWARD, b. Dec. 20, 1823; d. Sept. 12, 1831.

ii. SAMUEL AUGUSTUS, b. Nov. 12, 1825.

iii. MYRA ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 24, 1830; d. Sept. 27, 1831.

626. iv. WILLIAM EUGENE SUTPHIN, b. Oct. 13, 1832.

v. CLARA ANN, b. Oct. 8, 1834; m. Dec. 25, 1856, George Perry Smith of Bridgeport, Conn.

vi. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 1, 1839; d. June 13, 1864, in Danbury; unm.

627. vii. FRANCIS HENRY, b. Feb. 20, 1841.

628. viii. OLIVER EDWARD, b. Dec. 3, 1843.

\* There were six more children by his first marriage and one by his second who died in infancy.

† No children by second marriage.

**335.** ALVAH TROWBRIDGE (*Reuben*<sup>189</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 27, 1803, in Danbury, Conn.; died February 12, 1884, in Chicago, Ill.; married, first, ———, 1824, in Patterson, N. Y., Marcia Birch, daughter of Samuel and Mary (Sabin) Birch, born March 11, 1805, in Patterson; died August 22, 1854, in Waukegan, Ill. He married, second, April 20, 1856, in Avon, Ill., Leonora Kellogg, daughter of Leonard and Sally (French) Kellogg, born May 3, 1817, in Watertown, N. Y.; died ———, 1877, in Vineland, N. J.

Alvah Trowbridge on coming of age in 1824 engaged for himself in the carpentry and contracting business in Danbury, Conn. He continued there until 1842, when he sold his business and removed with his family to Chicago, Ill., where he remained two years. He then bought a farm in the village of Libertyville, Lake county. He sold this, however, in a short time and went to Waukegan, Ill., where he entered again into business, getting the contract for and building a plank road between that town and McHenry, Ill. He then removed to Muskegon, Mich., and built a sawmill there in 1852. He left his brother and son in charge of the mill and returned to Waukegan. In 1856 he sold his property there and returned to Chicago, where he entered the lumber business, which he followed in connection with his sawmill until 1869, at which time he retired into private life.

CHILDREN BORN IN DANBURY, CONN.:\*

*By first marriage:†*

- i. DELIA MARCIA, b. June 8, 1825; m., 1st, Oct. 17, 1844, Dr. Charles S. White of Montpelier, Vt.; m., 2d, Sept. 28, 1856, Samuel Morrison of Barre, Vt.
- ii. MARY EMILY, b. Jan. 21, 1827; m. June 1, 1847, James Hurlbut Swan of Chicago, Ill.
629. iii. THEODORE FRANCIS, b. Sept. 28, 1829.
- iv. HARRIET AUGUSTA, b. May 31, 1832; m. Jan. 2, 1853, Thomas Wing of Pontiac, Ill.
- v. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 14, 1836; d. ———, 1878, in Chicago; unm.
- vi. ANNA MARIA, b. May 5, 1839; d. ———, 1878, in Chicago; unm.
- vii. ELLEN ALMEDA, b. Feb. 17, 1847; d. Oct. 10, 1847.
- viii. NONA ELVIRA, b. June 21, 1849; m. ———, 1888, Anton Rathgeber and resides in Diessen, Bavaria, Germany.

**336.** ELEAZER BENEDICT‡ TROWBRIDGE (*Reuben*<sup>189</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 20, 1818, in Danbury, Conn.; died June 4, 1889, in Hull, Iowa; married, first, September 6, 1842, in Danbury, Sarah Almira Thomas, daughter of Albert and Sarah (Gregory) Thomas of South Dover, N. Y., who died January 17, 1848, in Danbury. He married, second, August 6, 1849, in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Adelia Broas, daughter of Peter Isaac and Hannah (Ostrander) Broas, born January 6, 1831, in Poughkeepsie; died September 27, 1899, in Hull.

Benedict Trowbridge after his first marriage engaged in business as a carpenter and joiner in Danbury, Conn., his native town. He was an architect as well as a carpenter and was noted for his first-class workmanship. Soon after his second marriage he located in Waukegan, Ill., where his elder brother was then living and where he continued in business. In 1852 he accompanied his brother to Muskegon, Mich., where his brother built a sawmill. He remained in charge of the mill for a few years and then removed to New Lisbon, Wis. In the early '70s he removed to Wheeler township, eight miles northeast of Hull, Lyon county, Iowa, where he was engaged in farming for the remainder of his life.

Mr. Trowbridge was noted far and wide for his strict temperance principles, those and his honesty being the things in which he most prided himself, and which won him the respect and esteem of his fellow townsmen.

\* Except vii and viii, who were born in Waukegan, Ill.

† No children by second marriage.

‡ Known as Benedict Trowbridge.





ALLERTON M. TROWBRIDGE.

## CHILDREN :\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. ALBERT REUBEN, b. Aug. 5, 1843; d. Jan. 9, 1845.
- ii. CLARK THOMAS, b. Oct. 10, 1846; was a soldier in the Civil War, enlisting Aug. 12, 1864, from LaCrosse, Wis., where he was preparing for college. He was a member of the Permanent Guard, and d. Dec. 31, 1864, at Camp Douglas, Chicago, Ill.; unm.
- iii. SARAH MIRA, b. Jan. 9, 1848; m. Aug. 23, 1867, Cyrus Stephen Hollister and resides in Sherman, S. D.

*By second marriage:*

630. iv. CHARLES BROAS, b. Jan. 26, 1852.
- v. EMMA AMELIA, b. Apr. 18, 1854; m. Apr. 20, 1874, Frank Gay of Vermillion, S. D.
- vi. IDA ANN, b. Aug. 14, 1858; m. Oct. 8, 1876, Alva Day Fobes† and resides in Cedonia, Wash.
- vii. HETTIE JANE, b. Aug. 10, 1861; d. Oct. 18, 1861.
631. viii. FRED CLARK, b. July 5, 1866.
- ix. FRANK ALBERT, b. Aug. 10, 1870; taught school and farmed in Hull, Iowa. He owns a fruit ranch in Cedonia, Wash.; is a member of the Knights of Pythias; unm.

**337.** PHINEAS BEARDSLEY TROWBRIDGE (*Alvah*<sup>190</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 4, 1798, in Carmel, N. Y.; died September 7, 1880, in Dover, N. Y.; married October 28, 1823, in Carmel, Sally Betsy Raymond, daughter of William Raymond, born October 22, 1803, in Carmel; died December 31, 1881, in Dover.

Phineas B. Trowbridge settled in his native town, Carmel, N. Y., where he was engaged in farming until about 1846. He then removed to South East township, where he followed his trade, that of a blacksmith, until September, 1853, when he removed to Dover, N. Y., in which town he was engaged in farming until his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CARMEL, N. Y.:

632. i. EDWIN MONTGOMERY, b. Nov. 1, 1824.
- ii. AMANDA, b. Dec. 5, 1826; d. Aug. 8, 1885, in Dover, N. Y.; unm.
- iii. JOHN CRANE, b. Sept. 24, 1828; is a farmer in Dover, N. Y. While his father was living he worked with him for about ten years at the blacksmith trade. Since the family removed to Dover, N. Y., he has been engaged in farming. He united with the Methodist Episcopal church at South East, N. Y., Apr. 1, 1853, and with that church in Dover after his removal there. He is unmarried.
- iv. CORNELIA ANN, b. Apr. 1, 1831; d. Aug. 26, 1848, in South East, N. Y.; unm.
633. v. WILLIAM RAYMOND, b. May 6, 1833.
- vi. GEORGE PLATT, b. July 19, 1840; d. Sept. 15, 1845.

**338.** ALLERTON MONTGOMERY TROWBRIDGE (*Alvah*<sup>190</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 24, 1803, in Carmel, N. Y.; died February 28, 1894, in East Orange, N. J.; married February 15, 1843, in Patterson, N. Y., Selina Coe, daughter of Austin Bebee and Susan (Moony) Coe, born September 24, 1818, in Patterson; died February 12, 1900, in East Orange.

Allerton M. Trowbridge came with his father to South East, N. Y., and settled there as a farmer. After his marriage he was engaged in farming there and in Patterson, N. Y. His declining years were passed at the home of his eldest son in East Orange, N. J.

Mr. Trowbridge was a staunch Whig and Republican all his life, voting at sixteen presidential elections, and casting his first vote for John Quincy Adams. He was a man of deep sentiment, and in exercising his right to a franchise did

\* i-iii born in Danbury, Conn.; iv in Waukegan, Ill.; v in Muskegon, Mich.; vi-ix in New Lisbon, Wis.

† A son of No. 250, ii.

so with the deepest and most patriotic motives. He became a Christian at an early age and maintained a consistent and conscientious life. Although he spent his life until over seventy years of age in the conduct of his farm, he had a wide circle of friends and acquaintances, and was universally esteemed as a man of the highest integrity, of generous sympathies, and one whose influence was always on the side of temperance and purity in life.

## CHILDREN :\*

634. i. AUSTIN COE, b. Jan. 4, 1844.  
 ii. SUSAN, b. Apr. 22, 1846; m. June 8, 1876, Abraham Van Valin and resides in East Orange, N. J.  
 iii. SARAH AUGUSTA, b. Mar. 2, 1848; d. Apr. 20, 1901, in East Orange; unm.  
 iv. CAROLINE AURELIA, b. Oct. 6, 1850; d. Sept. 12, 1881, in Tarrytown, N. Y.; unm.  
 635. v. CHARLES ALLERTON, b. June 15, 1860.

**339.** WILLIAM CRANE TROWBRIDGE (*Alvah*<sup>190</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 15, 1807, in Carmel, N. Y.; died January 31, 1875, in New York City; married January 19, 1831, in North Salem, N. Y., Mary Elizabeth Ann Hobby, daughter of Jonathan and Annis (Hobby) Hobby, born October 31, 1809, in Somers, N. Y.; died December 16, 1905, in Hackensack, N. J.

William C. Trowbridge accompanied his father to South East, N. Y., and settled there after his marriage. He was a prosperous farmer and merchant there for more than forty years. He owned a sawmill and lumber yard at Brewster, N. Y., and also conducted a large feed business. He was an elder in the Presbyterian church from 1835 until his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SOUTH EAST, N. Y.:

636. i. JOSEPH ALLERTON, b. Jan. 22, 1832.  
 637. ii. ALVAH, b. June 8, 1835.  
 638. iii. BELDEN CRANE, b. Jan. 14, 1838.  
 iv. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Sept. 15, 1839; d. Jan. 12, 1840.  
 v. ANNIS HOBBY, b. Jan. 7, 1842; resides in Hackensack, N. J.; unm.  
 vi. WILLIAM, b. Sept. 23, 1848; d. Mar. 10, 1849.

**340.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Billy*<sup>191</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 22, 1805, in Truxton, N. Y.; died April 9, 1893, in Detroit, Mich.; married, first, October 19, 1829, in Baldwin Place,† N. Y., Jane Meyrick, daughter of Samuel S. and Sarah (Smith) Meyrick, born February 5, 1809, in Putnam Valley, N. Y.; died June 13, 1856, in Detroit. He married, second, November 21, 1872, in Methuen, Mass., Mary Tenny Butler, daughter of Manly and Sarah (Hamblet) Butler, born July 14, 1829, in Pelham, N. H. She resides in Somerville, Mass.

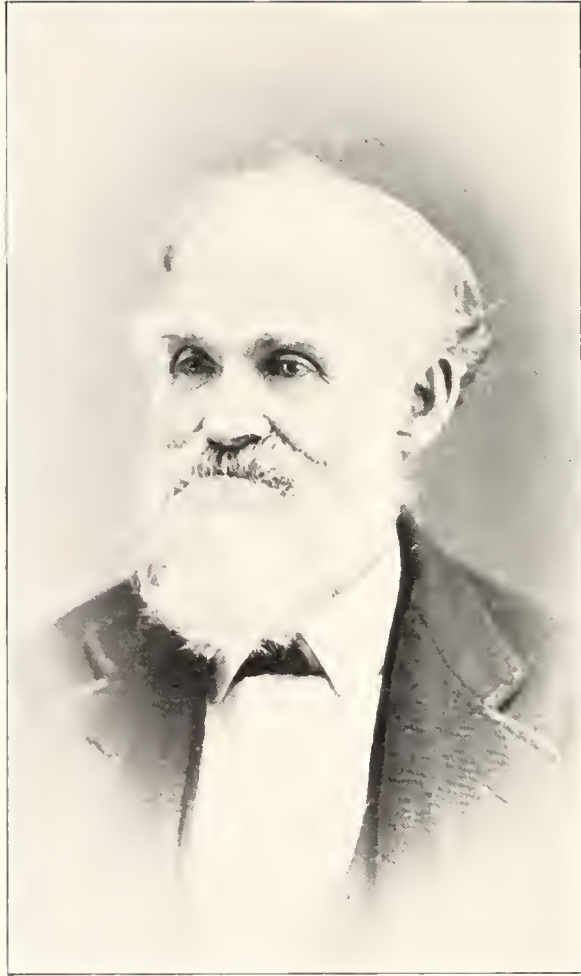
John Trowbridge and his brothers Levi and Hubbard emigrated from Truxton, N. Y., to Michigan in the early '30s and settled on a farm in Southfield, Oakland county, sixteen miles northwest of Detroit, where they each cleared up a farm and were among the early pioneers in that section. They were also active in organizing a Presbyterian society and class in that township. John Trowbridge also owned and operated a grist mill and a store. In 1852 he joined his above brothers, who had previously removed to Detroit. They purchased property on the river front, built a dock, and handled lumber, stone and lime, the firm becoming Trowbridge & Co. About 1856 they engaged in locating pine lands in the region around Thunder Bay, near the present city of Alpena. About three or four years later their youngest brother, Smith, joined them, under the firm name of John Trowbridge & Bros.

\* i-ii born in South East, N. Y.; iii-v in Patterson, N. Y.

† Then Phillipsburgh.







*Levi Trowbridge*

They operated a lumber yard in Detroit and a water power and steam sawmill at Alpena. They were the pioneers in the lumber business at the latter place and bought thousands of acres of pine land a few miles from what is now the center of the city. They built two sawmills; one on Trowbridge Point on the lake and the other six miles out on Thunder Bay river, a railroad being built from the latter place to the landing for shipping purposes. The brothers divided their work in a way, as the firm of John Trowbridge & Bros. John, being the elder, attended mostly to the outside negotiations, sales, purchases, negotiating funds, etc.; Levi and Hubbard attended to the land looking, cutting and driving of logs, manufacture of the lumber, etc.; and Smith to the details of the retail yard, office work, books, etc.; but they were always in close touch when possible. The firm continued in business until 1869, when it was dissolved by mutual consent soon after the death of their brother Hubbard. In 1870 John Trowbridge retired from active business life, but continued to reside in Detroit until his death. He was a man of strict moral and religious principles.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SOUTHFIELD, MICH.:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. SARAH, b. Aug. 28, 1832; d. Jan. 5, 1835.
- ii. ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 4, 1838; m. Oct. 2, 1861, Martius Tilly Lynde of Brooklyn, N. Y.
- iii. EMILY, b. Sept. 14, 1842; d. Oct. 13, 1859, in Detroit, Mich.; unm.
- iv. MARY, b. June 15, 1845; d. Sept. 20, 1848.
639. v. JOHN, b. Aug. 27, 1847.

**341.** LEVI TROWBRIDGE (*Billy*<sup>191</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 8, 1807, in Truxton, N. Y.; died April 28, 1883, in Council Bluffs, Iowa; married, first, September 10, 1840, in Troy, Mich., Eunice Sophia (Hastings) Smith, widow of Dr. Washington Smith of Paris Hill, N. Y., and daughter of Dr. Seth and Eunice (Parmelee) Hastings, born September 22, 1809, in Clinton, N. Y.; died October 14, 1849, in Southfield, Mich. He married, second, about 1856 in Southfield, Sarah Louisa (Forsyth) Fisher, widow of William Fisher of New Orleans, La., and daughter of Dr. Elisha? Forsyth of that city, born June 8, 1816, in ———; died April 9, 1874, in Detroit, Mich.

Levi Trowbridge emigrated with his brothers John and Hubbard to Southfield, Mich., sixteen miles northwest of Detroit, where he cleared up a farm and later opened a general store. About 1850 he removed to Detroit, and kept a grocery store and milk depot in that city, meantime running his farm of 300 acres. In the course of a year his younger brother Hubbard moved from his farm and joined in Levi's enterprises under the firm name of Levi Trowbridge & Co. In 1852 they were joined by their brother John and the firm of Trowbridge & Co. was organized. They purchased property on the river front, where they built a dock and handled lumber, stone and lime. About 1856 they engaged in locating pine lands and building mills near the present city of Alpena, Mich. About 1859 or 1860 they were joined by their brother Smith, the firm name becoming John Trowbridge & Bros., and from that time until 1869, when the firm was dissolved, they operated a lumber yard in Detroit and the mills at Alpena. In 1872 Levi Trowbridge turned his attention to locating mineral and timber lands and estimating pine timber, looking over locations as an expert, and performing other work connected with that line of business. The last two or three years of his life were passed visiting at the homes of his children. He died at the home of his daughter in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

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\* No children by second marriage.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SOUTHFIELD, MICH.:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. WILLIAM HASTINGS, b. May 16, 1842; was a manufacturer of smoking tobacco; d. Dec. 22, 1889, in Danville, Va.; unm.
640. ii. FRANK CHARLES, } twins,  
iii. FREDERICK SMITH, } b. June 7, 1844; d. July 7, 1844.
- iv. MARY SEYMOUR, b. May 31, 1846; m. June 7, 1871, John W.† Laing of Council Bluffs, Iowa.
- v. SOPHIA EUNICE, b. Sept. 29, 1849; d. Oct. 2, 1849.

**342.** SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Billy*<sup>191</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 14, 1809, in Truxton, N. Y.; died October 12, 1854, in Charleston, S. C.; married, first, ———, 1836, in Greenwood, S. C., Julia Wilson, daughter of Littleberry and Eliza Powell (Smith) Wilson, born ———, 1814, on the Ocmulgee river, Ga.; died January 16, 1842, in Greenwood. He married, second, September 1, 1844, in Greenwood, Margaret Ann Cunningham, daughter of David and Eliza (Lessenhoff) Cunningham, born December 12, 1830, in Rosemond plantation, S. C. She married, second, E. P. Jamness. She married, third, Lieut. Amos James Andrews, U. S. A., and died January 11, 1897, in Chicago, Ill.

Samuel Trowbridge received a college education in New York. He went to South Carolina, where he taught school for a few years. After his marriage he removed to Montgomery, Ala., where he engaged in mercantile business. A few years later he returned to South Carolina, finally settling in Charleston, where he was also in business and lived until his death. He and his family were members of the Presbyterian church in that city.

## CHILDREN:‡

*By first marriage:*

641. i. JOSEPH WILSON, b. Jan. 3, 1838.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. SAMUEL, b. ———, 1846; d. Oct. 9, 1848, in Hamburgh, S. C.
- iii. ANNA ELIZA, b. Oct. 16, 1847; m. Apr. 5, 1871, Abram Bernard Prell and resides in Constitution, Ga.
- iv. JULIA WILSON, b. Oct. 16, 1848; m. Nov. 29, 1865, Joseph Peter De Grandchamp of Detroit, Mich.
- v. ROBERTA AUGUSTA, b. ———, 1850; m. R. A. Blanchard and resides in Rock Island, Ill.

**343.** HUBBARD TROWBRIDGE (*Billy*<sup>191</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 17, 1813, in Truxton, N. Y.; died February 16, 1869, in Detroit, Mich.; married, first, May 17, 1835, in Truxton, Sarah Ann Stiles, daughter of Otis and Deborah (Wood) Stiles, born ———, 1813, in Colerain, Mass.‡; died May 10, 1845, in Southfield, Mich. He married, second, October 21, 1847, in Palmyra, N. Y., Edna Jane West, daughter of Peletiah and Huldah (Green) West, born July 8, 1820, in Palmyra; died April 10, 1863, in Detroit.

Hubbard Trowbridge emigrated with his older brothers John and Levi to Southfield, Mich., where he operated a nursery in connection with the farm which he cleared up. About 1851 he left his farm and became identified with the business interests of his brother Levi in Detroit, under the firm name of Levi Trowbridge & Co. Their brother John joined with them in 1852, the firm becoming Trowbridge & Co., and they engaged in the lumber business, later extending their operations to the pine lands near the present city of Alpena, Mich. A few years

\* No children by second marriage.

† Initial only.

‡ i born in Wetumpka, Ala.; ii in Abbeville county, S. C.; the others in Charleston, S. C.



GROWBRIDGE BROTHERS OF DETROIT, MICH.

John  
(No. 310)

Hubbard  
(No. 313)

Levi  
(No. 311)

Samuel  
(No. 312)

Smith  
(No. 314)



later their brother Smith joined with them, and, under the firm name of John Trowbridge & Bros., they operated a lumber yard in Detroit and the sawmills at Alpena. The firm continued until 1869, when it was dissolved on the death of Mr. Hubbard Trowbridge.

## CHILDREN:\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. LUCRETIA, b. Dec. 18, 1837; d. Mar. 2, 1842.
- ii. WILLIAM, b. June 4, 1841; d. Mar. 4, 1842.
- iii. FRANCES STILES, b. Mar. 7, 1843; m. Oct. 8, 1868, Henry Benson and resides in Reno, Nev.
- iv. EDWARD, b. May 4, 1845; d. Aug. 4, 1845.

*By second marriage:*

- v. SARAH MARIA, b. May 4, 1850; d. July 18, 1852.
- vi. ALVAH, b. July 15, 1852; d. Oct. 10, 1854.
- vii. ELLA EVERETT, b. July 31, 1856; m. Apr. 21, 1875, Henry Zerah Potter of Detroit, Mich.
- viii. MARIA WEST, b. Dec. 7, 1859; d. Mar. 4, 1887, in Buffalo, N. Y.; unm.

**344.** SMITH TROWBRIDGE (*Billy*<sup>191</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 12, 1819, in Truxton, N. Y.; died March 31, 1884, in Chicago, Ill.; married, first, June 10, 1847, in Truxton, Jane Trowbridge James, daughter of Dea. Nathaniel and Betsey (Ingersoll) James, born April 18, 1823, in Truxton; died August 9, 1852, in Syracuse, N. Y. He married, second, January 25, 1855, in Utica, N. Y., Temperance Heatley Green, daughter of Henry and Mary (Clark) Green, who died ———, 1905, in Chicago.‡

Smith Trowbridge after his marriage settled in Syracuse, N. Y., where he became the owner of a lumber yard. About 1859 he joined his older brothers in Detroit, under the firm name of John Trowbridge & Bros. The firm operated a lumber yard in Detroit and a water power and steam sawmill at Alpena, Mich. The firm was dissolved in 1869, at the death of one of the Trowbridge brothers, Hubbard. In 1870 Smith Trowbridge engaged in the lumber business in Princeton, Ill., which he later removed to Chicago. He retired from business a few years later on account of ill health. He continued to reside in Chicago until his death.

## CHILDREN:†

*By first marriage:*

642. i. CHARLES JAMES, b. Feb. 6, 1851.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. WILLIAM HEATLEY, b. Feb. 6, 1856; d. July 4, 1866.
- iii. HENRY GREEN, b. Oct. 16, 1861; d. June 10, 1861.
- iv. EMILY, b. July 4, 1865; d. Jan. 9, 1866.
- v. EDITH, b. Sept. 20, 1867; d. Aug. 28, 1868.
- vi. EDWARD B., b. Aug. 5, 1869; resides in Chicago, Ill.‡

**345.** BILLY SMITH TROWBRIDGE (*Levi*<sup>192</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 22, 1808, in Trumansburgh, N. Y.; died June 20, 1872, in Fayette county, Ind.; married January 20, 1831, in Fayette county, Asenath D. Hall, daughter of James and Lydia (Scott) Hall, born March 16, 1812, in Trumansburgh?; died June 4, 1889, in Gibson City, Ill.

Billy S. Trowbridge came with his father to Fayette county, Ind., and settled on a farm near the village of Harrisburgh. He was throughout the remainder of his life a farmer and stock raiser there, except for a few years in the early '60s when he was overseer and manager of a large farm in Shelby county.

\* i-iii born in Truxton, N. Y.; iv-v in Southfield, Mich.; vi in Palmyra, N. Y.; vii-viii in Detroit, Mich.

† i-ii born in Syracuse, N. Y.; iii-vi in Detroit, Mich.

‡ Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

Mr. Trowbridge was a Republican in politics, and a Free Mason. He joined the Baptist church in 1850. He always led an exemplary Christian life, being a conscientiously truthful and strictly honest man. His wife became a member of the Lick Creek Baptist church at the age of eleven and retained her membership there until her death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FAYETTE COUNTY, IND.:

- i. ALVAH, b. June 3, 1833; d. Aug. 31, 1833.
643. ii. IRVIN CAMP, b. May 30, 1837.
- iii. EDWIN, b. Sept. 25, 1838; d. Nov. 10, 1838.
- iv. ANN ELIZA, b. Aug. 23, 1843; d. Feb. 3, 1844.
- v. HENRY HERBERT, b. May 7, 1845; d. Feb. 23, 1852.
- vi. ELBERT MORTIMER, b. Sept. 13, 1847; d. Sept. 12, 1850.
- vii. SILAS FRANKLIN, b. Nov. 1, 1849; d. Feb. 27, 1852.
- viii. MINOR THOMAS, b. Mar. 14, 1855; d. Aug. 10, 1855.

**346.** DR. JOHN DE MOTT TROWBRIDGE (*Levi*<sup>132</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 28, 1816, in Trumansburgh, N. Y.; died December 27, 1891, in Sullivan, Ill.; married October 1, 1837, in Harrisburgh, Ind., Harriet Robinson, daughter of Jeremiah and Martilla (Kelly) Robinson, born June 13, 1820, in Painted Post, N. Y.; died March 3, 1888, in Lovington, Ill.

John D. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Fayette county, Ind. He worked on a farm and studied medicine. After his marriage he practiced his profession for a few years in Harrisburgh, Ind., and in 1843 removed to LeRoy, McLean county, Ill. He enlisted there in the Civil War and was mustered August 20, 1862, as a private in Company C, 94th Illinois Infantry. He was soon after promoted to be hospital steward in that regiment and performed the duties of that position until his discharge, December 2, 1864. Early in 1865 he removed to Decatur, Ill., where he resided nearly thirty-five years, and where he was in practice and at one time conducted a drug store. About 1889 he removed to Sullivan, Ill., and opened a drug store there, residing with his son Silas in that town. Doctor Trowbridge was a Free Mason for twenty years and was a member of Dunham Post, No. 141, G. A. R., of Decatur, Ill.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. LEVI ROBINSON, b. Jan. 22, 1839; d. Feb. 20, 1840.
- ii. CAROLINE, b. Apr. 5, 1841; m. Sept. 3, 1867, Augustus Babb Branaman and resides in Bruce, Ill.
- iii. EMELINE, b. Apr. 15, 1843; m. Jan. 24, 1867, James Wesley House of Decatur, Ill.
644. iv. BILLY, b. Dec. 31, 1844.
- v. CLINTON, b. May 31, 1847; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted May 6, 1864, in Company I, 145th Illinois Infantry, and was mustered out Sept. 23, 1864. About three weeks later he received wounds from the accidental discharge of his gun at his home in Le Roy, Ill., from which he d. Oct. 17, 1864; unm.
645. vi. SILAS, b. Feb. 27, 1849.
- vii. STEPHEN NESTOR, b. Feb. 9, 1851; d. June 21, 1875, in Eugene, Ind.; unm.
- viii. CHARLES, b. Oct. 20, 1852; d. Jan. 20, 1854.
- ix. FRANKLIN, b. June 11, 1856; is a surveyor, at present in Alaska; unm.
- x. AUSTIN, b. Jan. 7, 1859; d. May 12, 1865, in Decatur.

**347.** EDWIN NESTOR TROWBRIDGE (*Levi*<sup>132</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 19, 1824, in Trumansburgh, N. Y.; died April 8, 1881, in Marion, Ind.; married March 19, 1848, in Harrisburgh, Ind., Susan Longwell Carver, daughter of Elijah and Susannah (Longwell) Carver, born February 18, 1827, in Harrisburgh. She resides in Marion.

\* i-iii in Harrisburgh, Ind.; the others in Le Roy, Ill.







DR. SILAS T. FROWBRIDGE.

Edwin N. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his father to Fayette county, Ind., and passed the remainder of his life in Indiana. He was engaged in farming. He held several township offices in the towns in which he lived, and for several years prior to 1864 he held the office of postmaster at Alexandria, Ind. He and his wife were members of the Missionary Baptist Church.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. MARY ANN, b. Jan. 29, 1849; m. Nov. 18, 1868, John Ferris Campbell and resides in Banquo, Ind.
646. ii. ELMER HYATT, b. Sept. 17, 1850.
- iii. CHARLES EVERETTE, b. Aug. 16, 1854; d. Dec. 31, 1861, in Alexandria, Ind.
- iv. EMMA BELLE, b. Nov. 7, 1856; d. Sept. 29, 1870, in Banquo.
- v. EVA LOUISA, b. Aug. 29, 1858; m. Nov. 10, 1880, Thomas Jefferson Hyatt and resides in Banquo.
- vi. SARAH ADALINE, b. Dec. 10, 1860; m. Oct. 9, 1884, Lothlin King and resides in Huntington, Ind.
- vii. SUSAN KATE, b. Dec. 17, 1863; m. June 23, 1886, John Marshall Clingenpeel and resides in Banquo.
- viii. ABBIE GRACE, b. Apr. 17, 1866; m. Dec. 25, 1884, Charles Rufus Moore and resides in Oxford, Ind.

**348.** DR. SILAS THOMPSON TROWBRIDGE (*Levi*<sup>192</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>194</sup>, *William*<sup>109</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 19, 1826, in Fayette county, Ind.; died June 29, 1893, in Napa, Cal.; married February 11, 1851, in Chicago, Ill., Emeline (Rockwell) Henderson, widow of Francis Henderson of Edinburgh, Scotland, and daughter of John Haskett and Jane Desire (Tousley) Rockwell, born February 5, 1831, in Sharontown,† Ohio; died February 10, 1899, in Napa.

Silas T. Trowbridge after the death of his mother in 1839 went to live with his brother-in-law Mr. Thomas and enjoyed good schooling. At the age of sixteen he commenced teaching in the district school in the same district where he was born, being thus engaged for several seasons. In the fall of 1843 he went to McLean county, Ill., and taught school in Heyworth. While there, he commenced the study of medicine, simply as a pastime, in the winter of 1845-6, reading at the farm residence of Mr. Joseph Noble, father of Dr. Stephen W. Noble, near Heyworth. He was also occupied in illustrating "Turner's Inorganic Chemistry," save the manufacture of strychnia and sulphuric acid, for which he did not have the requisite machines. Early in his reading he laid down the rule for himself, that he would never pass a word of which he could not give the definition and root, and he faithfully observed it, at the expense of much laborious research. In June he returned to Fayette county, Ind., to the home of his brother-in-law Mr. Thomas. His father was opposed to his entering the medical profession and urged him to turn his attention to the study of law, but on February 24, 1848, he determinedly recommenced the study of medicine with Dr. David Cheney of Heyworth. That fall he went to study with Dr. Harrison Noble, where he finished his studies, and began practice at what is now Atlanta, Ill., on July 4, 1849. On October 28 of that year he located at Decatur, Ill. In October, 1850, he entered Rush Medical College, Chicago, from which he was graduated the day of his marriage. He then returned to Decatur and re-engaged in practice.

Doctor Trowbridge was the first physician in Illinois to offer his services as regimental surgeon. He responded to President Lincoln's call of April 17, 1861, and was commissioned on April 25, 1861, surgeon of the 8th Illinois Infantry, and was stationed at Cairo and Bird's Point until his three months' enlistment had expired. He re-enlisted July 25 in the same regiment and served in its campaigns, being stationed at the hospital at Cairo until February, 1862. He

\* i-ii born in Harrisburgh, Ind.; iii-vii in Alexandria, Ind.; viii in Banquo, Ind.

† Near Mansfield.

was at Fort Henry, and acted as aide for Col. R. J. Oglesby, and captured a Confederate flag and horse. He was at Fort Donelson under fire, when the enemy surrounded two of his field hospitals, but no surgeon left his post nor was a wounded man captured. After this campaign he was offered by Col. John A. Logan the commission of surgeon-in-chief of the Third Division, 17th Army Corps, but declined, in order to become medical director with the forces to be assigned to his old commander, Major-general Oglesby, but this was not possible as the latter was assigned to a new command outside that corps. He was brigade surgeon until October, 1862, and was in the battle of Shiloh, the siege of Corinth, the occupation of Jackson, Tenn., and the battle of Britton's Lane, and went with his old regiment to the siege of Vicksburg. He was appointed surgeon-in-chief of the Third Division and chief of the Board of Operations. He was in the battles of Magnolia Church, Raymond, Champion's Hill, Big Black River, ending with the siege of Vicksburg, and being afterwards on garrison duty there. He served three years and three months in the army, being at the "cleaning up" of twenty-three battles and one hundred nineteen days under fire, winning the highest praise from the officers of the command. He was mustered out July 27, 1864. He delivered the oration at Decatur on Decoration Day, 1869.

Doctor Trowbridge was the chief organizer and one of the founders in 1853 of the Macon County Medical Society. He was offered the office of its president, which he declined, but accepted that of its secretary and treasurer. He joined the American Medical Association in 1854. He was elected a member of the Illinois State Medical Society in 1854; was elected its second vice-president in 1859; was appointed chairman of its committee on the practice of medicine in 1860; and was the originator of the medical practice act of the state of Illinois. In 1866 he was elected first vice-president, and filled the office of president, owing to the absence of that officer. In 1867 he was appointed chairman of its committee to memorialize the legislature to pass laws prohibiting incompetent persons from practicing medicine and to grant dissecting privileges to medical men. In 1868 he was elected president.

Doctor Trowbridge was made a Mason on May 5, 1850, in Macon Lodge, No. 8, at Decatur, Ill., and before June 24 of that year he was raised to the degree of Master Mason. In 1855 a chapter of Royal Arch Masons was established in Decatur, and he was one of the first three persons exalted to the Royal Arch degree in Macon Chapter, No. 21. In June following he was elected high priest of the chapter, and at the convocation of the grand chapter of the state at Jacksonville in September of the same year he was elected grand scribe, and the following year at Springfield was chosen grand king. This office entitled him to membership, by delegation, in the General Grand Chapter of the United States, held that year at Hartford, Conn., but he could not well leave his practice, and sent a deputy.

Doctor Trowbridge was appointed consul at Vera Cruz, Mexico, on April 19, 1869. On July 11 of that year he entered upon his official duties as consul. This was soon after the withdrawal of Maximilian's forces, which had attempted to establish an empire in Mexico, just at the close of the Civil War, and a treaty between the United States and Mexico was just then coming into force. Mexico had cut off all diplomatic and consular relations with France, England and Spain, and the United States government had been asked to take charge of the archives, and to transact the consular services of these countries, through the U. S. consulate at Vera Cruz. In this manner Doctor Trowbridge acted in the capacity of French, English and Spanish consul for many years, to the perfect satisfaction of these countries. Several of his consular reports to the State Department were published in the City of Mexico, by orders from Washington. He was beloved and respected by all who knew him, and upon his retirement from the consulate at Vera Cruz, after thirteen years of arduous labors, upon the





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appointment of Hon. E. H. Rodgers as consul, who died of yellow fever thirteen days after his arrival in Vera Cruz, the citizens without distinction, petitioned the United States government to re-appoint him. Doctor Trowbridge's researches, studies, and observations upon yellow fever were very extensive, some of them being published in Mexico, while others were sent to Washington in his diplomatic correspondence.

On September 2, 1886, he sailed with his family from Vera Cruz, and arrived at Los Angeles, Cal., via New Orleans, October 12. After three months' residence there he removed to San Francisco, where he remained one year. He then entered into partnership with Dr. J. W. Hostetler at Napa, Cal., and in February, 1887, removed his family to that place, and continued there until his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DECATUR, ILL.:

- i. LEWIS EDWIN, b. Nov. 27, 1851; d. Oct. 2, 1852.
- ii. ADA BELL, b. Aug. 10, 1853; m. May 4, 1873, Hon. Frederick Meredin Petersen of Vera Cruz, Mex., and resides in Napa, Cal.
647. iii. CHARLES, b. Sept. 16, 1855.
- iv. MATTIE MAY, b. May 15, 1858; m. Nov. 27, 1894, Frank Sylvester Van Valkenburgh and resides in Napa.
- v. MARY ELLEN, b. Sept. 1, 1860; m. Aug. 8, 1883, George Francis Ritter of Vera Cruz and resides in Napa.
- vi. LILLIAN HATTIE, b. July 17, 1863; resides in Napa; unm.
- vii. FREDERICK, b. July 20, 1868; d. that day.
- viii. A son, b. June 1, 1869; d. that day.
- ix. MAUD BEATRICE, b. Nov. 28, 1870; m. Oct. 6, 1895, Edward Windsor Bales and resides in Napa.

**349.** HARLEY TROWBRIDGE (*John C.*<sup>194</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>194</sup>, *William*<sup>109</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 21, 1822, in Truxton, N. Y.; resides in Viroqua, Wis.; married May 9, 1850, in Barre Centre, N. Y., Delia Maria Hatch, daughter of Solomon and Esther (Dryer) Hatch, born October 6, 1827, in Brighton, N. Y.

Harley Trowbridge attended the academy at Clinton, N. Y., and spent part of one year at the preparatory department of Knox College. Owing to poor health, he had to leave school and turn to out-of-door life on the farm. After his marriage he settled in Knowlesville, N. Y., where he lived about seven years. He was in the carriage and wagon business. In June, 1857, he removed to Viroqua, Wis., where he continued in the same business until 1863, and was the first wagon maker in the town. He then became the agent for several fire insurance companies and canvassed a territory of about fifty miles around Viroqua. In later years he confined the business to Viroqua and is now retired.

Since coming to Viroqua in 1857, where he has since resided, Mr. Trowbridge has been among the foremost citizens in every good work. He united with the Congregational church in Clinton, N. Y., on January 1, 1837, and transferred his membership to the Congregational church in Viroqua, of which he has been a deacon for nearly fifty years. For over thirty-five years he has been a member of the Masons and the Odd Fellows. Deacon Trowbridge and his wife celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on May 9, 1900, fully one hundred of their family, neighbors and friends participating in the happy event.

## CHILDREN BORN IN VIROQUA, WIS.:\*

648. i. JOHN BERTHIER, b. Nov. 12, 1853.
- ii. WILLIAM HARLEY, b. July 25, 1857; d. Dec. 1, 1863.
649. iii. CHARLES HENRY, b. July 26, 1859.
- iv. HELEN ELIZABETH, b. July 29, 1861; d. Nov. 25, 1863.
- v. LOUISE KATE, b. June 13, 1866; d. Nov. 26, 1901, in Viroqua; unm.
- vi. MARY AMELIA, b. Mar. 9, 1871; d. May 2, 1871.

\* Except i, who was born in Knowlesville, N. Y.

**350.** HENRY BEERS TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 16, 1789, in Morristown, N. J.; died May 16, 1853, in Newton, Ill.; married May 19, 1812, in Corning,\* N. Y., Mary Calkins,† daughter of Frederick and Polly (Keeler) Calkins, born March 8, 1793, in Corning; died August 9, 1854, in Newton.

Henry B. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Painted Post, N. Y., and settled there after his marriage. In 1821 he removed to Tioga county, Pa., and settled in the recently organized township of Westfield, being appointed its first justice of the peace. He resided there many years, removing late in life to Newton, Ill. He was a farmer by occupation.

## CHILDREN :‡

- i. PHEBE, b. Apr. 9, 1813; m. about 1830 John Roberts of Salamanca, N. Y.
650. ii. WILLIAM BONHAM, b. Apr. 14, 1815.
651. iii. JAMES LAWRENCE, b. Feb. 11, 1817.
- iv. MARY, b. Jan. 14, 1819; m. about 1838 Julius Scott of Osceola, Pa.
652. v. DAVID KNOX, b. Dec. 1, 1820.
653. vi. CHARLES WOLCOTT, b. Oct. 4, 1822.
- vii. HARRIET, b. Feb. 22, 1824; m. Nov. 3, 1844, William Ford and resides in Peoria, Ill.
- viii. MINSERVA, b. Nov. 14, 1825; d. Nov. 26, 1893, in Peoria; unm.
- ix. MARINDA, b. Feb. 27, 1827; m. Feb. 15, 1853, William Nelson Jones of Maroa, Ill.
654. x. HENRY OSSIAN, b. Apr. 4, 1829.
655. xi. GEORGE, b. Aug. 26, 1832.

**351.** REV. JOSEPH BEERS TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 28, 1797, in Painted Post, N. Y.; died November 6, 1883, in Muncie, Ind.; married, first, February 4, 1819, in Hamilton county, Ohio, Mary Chancey, daughter of Roswell Chancey, born September 5, 1800, in ———; died August 30, 1826, in Greene township,§ Hamilton county. He married, second, December 20, 1826, in Hamilton county, Ruhamah Riley,|| daughter of Dickerson and Sarah (Hand) Riley, born September 16, 1808, in Morris?, N. J.; died January 1, 1905, in Muncie, Ind.

Joseph B. Trowbridge came to Ohio in 1818 with his parents, who located in Greene township, on the east fork of Taylor's creek, Hamilton county, and there he also settled on a farm. At this time the religious reformation under B. W. Stone and co-laborers was waking up the people, and he, having been raised a strict Calvinist-Presbyterian, got into several religious controversies, especially with Father Shumaker, and always came off second best. He became satisfied that the Bible only would do to tie up to as infallible, and, dropping all his creed ideas, he began to study the Scriptures with an interest he had not hitherto known; and from his studies he learned how to become a Christian and submitted himself to the Lord, fully determined to follow the teachings of the Scriptures. He soon became an exhorter and in a few years was ordained an evangelist. His first labors were in the western part of Hamilton county, Ohio, and in Boone county, Ky. The church, now known as White Oak Church, was founded by him. He also preached for the Carthage, Mount Pleasant, Cumminsville and Miamitown congregations; also in many places in Indiana, where the greater part of the last forty-three years of his life were spent. Many are there who have obeyed the gospel under his preaching during the fifty-three years he

\* At that time a village in Painted Post township.

† A sister of the husband of his sister No. 195, iv.

‡ i-v born in Painted Post, N. Y.; the others in Westfield township, Tioga county, Pa.

§ Now Taylor's Creek P. O.

|| A sister of the first wife of his brother No. 354.



spent in preaching. During all that time he supported a large family by his physical labor on his farm. Thus has passed from us a man full of years, filled up in labor, not only for this life but in preparation of the life to come.\*

## CHILDREN:†

*By first marriage:*

656. i. LORENZO SIDNEY CASSET, b. Dec. 18, 1819.  
 657. ii. WILLIAM ALONZO, b. Oct. 26, 1821.  
 iii. DANIEL, b. June 14, 1823; was a farmer; d. Apr. 5, 1879, in Pleasant Grove, Minn.; unm.  
 iv. JOHN MCKNIGHT, b. Feb. 1, 1825; was a farmer; d. Sept. 8, 1903, in Muncie, Ind.; unm.

*By second marriage:*

- v. ANN MARIA, b. July 14, 1829; m., 1st, Aug. 6, 1854, Daniel C. Shively of Bluntsville, Ind.; m., 2d, Apr. 16, 1868, Jonathan Parks of Pleasant Grove.  
 vi. MIRIAM BEERS, b. Nov. 6, 1831; m. Mar. 29, 1854, John Alfred Campbell of Anderson, Ind.  
 658. vii. DAVID LINLEY, b. Feb. 1, 1834.  
 viii. HANNAH LILLIAN, b. July 8, 1836; m. Dec. 26, 1869, John Sparks and resides in Muncie.  
 ix. BARTLETTE HENRY, b. Dec. 22, 1837; was a soldier in the Civil War. He was mustered July 29, 1861, for three years in Company E, 19th Indiana Infantry, and d. Oct. 4, 1861, in the army; unm.  
 x. MINERVA LINLEY, b. Apr. 6, 1841; m. Dec. 25, 1863, George A. Hupp of Daleville, Ind.  
 659. xi. JOSEPH BEERS, b. Jan. 22, 1844.  
 xii. LAURA MAY, b. May 8, 1846; m. Aug. 22, 1866, Thomas J. Lindley of Elk county, Kan.  
 660. xiii. JASPER J.‡ MOSS, } twins.  
 xiv. JAMES G.‡ MITCHELL, } b. Sept. 15, 1849; was a farmer; d. Nov. 15, 1881, in Anderson; unm.

**352.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 23, 1799, in Painted Post, N. Y.; died November 23, 1887, in Craig, Ind.; married March 24, 1831, in Delhi, Ohio, Hannah Davison, daughter of George and Sarah (Brannan) Davison, born February 24, 1813, in Newberry, Clermont county, Ohio; died February 4, 1881, in Craig.

David Trowbridge went to Cincinnati, Ohio, in 1820. He taught school a number of years and was considered a good teacher. Prior to his marriage he removed to the town of Delhi, Hamilton county, and engaged in farming. He lived there until November, 1837, when he settled on a farm in Craig, Switzerland county, Ind., where he lived the remainder of his life. He acted in a fiduciary capacity for a great many estates that were settled there and was appointed guardian for orphans in several instances, and was held in good esteem.

## CHILDREN:§

- i. SARAH, b. Mar. 8, 1832; resides in Craig, Ind.; unm.  
 ii. MINERVA, b. Apr. 24, 1834; m. Apr. 28, 1853, Martin Madary of Vevay, Ind.  
 iii. OLIVE, b. June 4, 1836; m. July 25, 1861, James Cowan of Craig.  
 iv. HANNAH MARY, b. Sept. 24, 1838; resides in Cleveland, Ohio; unm.  
 v. NANCY, b. Feb. 4, 1841; m. Oct. 2, 1861, James R. Allan and resides in Norwalk, Ohio.  
 vi. MARIA, b. Dec. 12, 1843; d. July 20, 1864, in Cincinnati, Ohio; unm.  
 vii. CHARITY, b. Oct. 14, 1846; m. Mar. 20, 1864, Dallas Banta of Craig.  
 viii. DAVID LEWIS, b. June 3, 1850; d. Apr. 2, 1860.  
 ix. HARRIET EMMA, b. Aug. 12, 1852; d. Mar. 29, 1874, in Craig; unm.

\* From *The Christian Standard* of Dec. 29, 1883.

† i-vi born in Taylor's Creek, Ohio; vii in Boone county, Ky.; the others in Milan, Ind.

‡ Initial only.

§ i-iii born in Delhi, Ohio; the others in Craig, Ind.

**353.** ARCHIBALD TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 7, 1806, in Painted Post, N. Y.; died May 20, 1853, in Cincinnati, Ohio; married May 14, 1829, in Cincinnati, Ann Maria Barbara Heaffer, daughter of Joel and Mary Ann (Zell) Heaffer, born February 7, 1811, in Baltimore, Md.; died November 24, 1899, in Union township, Butler county, Ohio.

Archibald Trowbridge settled in Cincinnati, Ohio, soon after reaching his majority, and lived there the remainder of his life. He learned the trade of plastering, which he followed for a number of years. He was then for several years in the grocery business. He sold this out and engaged in the business of pork packing, in which he was still interested at the time of his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CINCINNATI, OHIO:

661. i. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. June 4, 1830.  
 ii. LOUIS HENRY, b. Mar. 22, 1833; d. June 5, 1835.  
 iii. MARY ELIZA, b. Oct. 14, 1835; m. Oct. 28, 1856, Robert Amos Sims of Cincinnati.  
 iv. EMMA, b. May 1, 1838; d. Dec. 16, 1839.  
 v. ADALINE DELIA, b. Mar. 17, 1841; resides with her brother in Union township, Butler county, Ohio; unm.  
 vi. ALBERT ARCHIBALD, b. Jan. 21, 1845; was a farmer; d. May 11, 1891, in Union township; unm.

**354.** MATTHEW LINDLEY TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 15, 1810, in Painted Post, N. Y.; died February 1, 1885, in Chicago, Ill.; married, first, ———, 1838, in Hamilton county, Ohio, Hannah Riley,\* daughter of Dickerson and Sarah (Hand) Riley, born March —, 1820, in Hamilton county; died March —, 1844, in Hamilton county. He married, second, ———, 1846, in Hamilton county?, Phebe Hand, who died August 16, 1882, in Indianapolis, Ind.†

Matthew L. Trowbridge settled in Cincinnati, Ohio, in early manhood and learned the trade of bricklaying. He spent a few years in Vicksburg, Miss., and then returned to Cincinnati, where he followed his vocation until advancing years caused him to give up active work, and he then went to his son's home in Chicago, Ill.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CINCINNATI, OHIO:

*By first marriage:*

- i. EMMA, b. Mar. 3, 1839; d. Dec. 19, 1839.  
 ii. RUFAMAH, b. ———, 1840; m. ———, 1862, John Layman of Cincinnati.  
 iii. IMOGENE, b. Feb. 29, 1844; d. Sept. —, 1865.

*By second marriage:*

662. iv. ARCHIBALD C. b. Aug. 18, 1852.  
 v. SUSAN, b. Aug. 24, 1854; d. Apr. 28, 1876, in Cincinnati; unm.

**355.** WILLIAM LEWIS TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 30, 1814, in Painted Post, N. Y.; died July 25, 1860, in Vicksburg, Miss.; married December 16, 1841, in Vicksburg, Katharine Kleinman, daughter of William Kleinman, born June 10, 1825, in Germany; died December 20, 1897, in Vicksburg.

William L. Trowbridge went to Cincinnati, Ohio, and learned the trade of plastering with his older brother Archibald. Soon after his apprenticeship was over he decided to carry on that business for himself and chose Vicksburg, Miss., as the city in which to make his start. He settled there and carried on that business successfully there until his death.

\* A sister of the second wife of his brother No. 351.

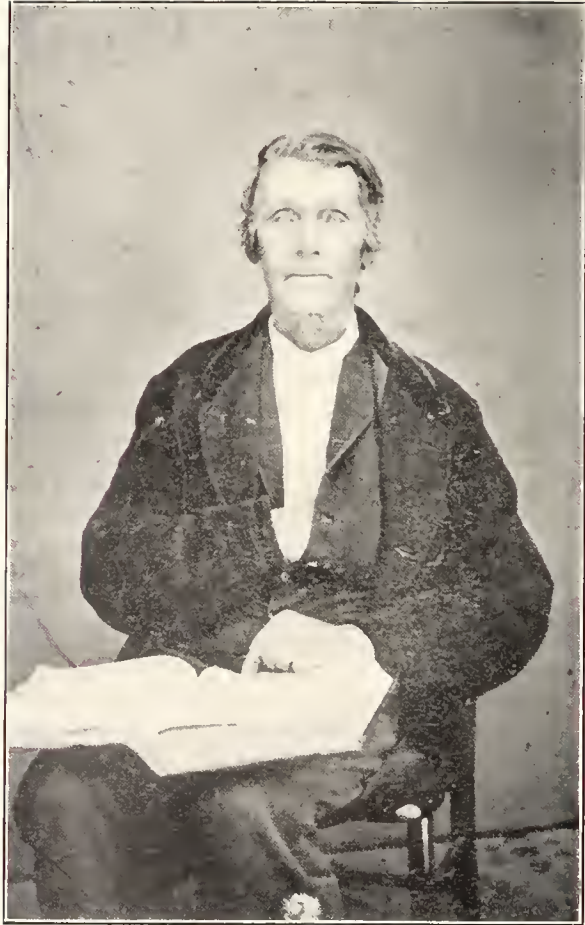
† Her son failed to send fuller particulars.



*A. Frawbridge*







COL. ABNER TROWBRIDGE.

## CHILDREN BORN IN VICKSBURG, MISS.:

- i. ALBERT BROWN, b. Nov. 6, 1842; was a Confederate soldier and was killed May 22, 1863, in Vicksburg, during the siege; unm.
- ii. JOSEPHINE ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 1, 1845; m. Nov. 1, 1866, Alfred Lawrence Jaquith of Vicksburg.
663. iii. WILLIAM LEWIS, b. Oct. 20, 1847.
664. iv. HENRY JAMES, b. Apr. 1, 1851.
- v. ARCHIBALD, b. Nov. 3, 1854; was graduated from St. Louis University; d. Sept. 15, 1886, in Vicksburg; unm.
- vi. KATHARINE, b. Nov. 17, 1855; d. Nov. 28, 1855.

356. COL. ABNER TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>196</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 11, 1799, in Mendham, N. J.; died May 19, 1875, in Fayette, Ohio; married October 24, 1822, in Chester township, Knox<sup>#</sup> county, Ohio, Eliza Lyon, daughter of Simeon and Hannah (Sherrin) Lyon, born June 3, 1804, in Mendham; died May 18, 1884, in Fayette.

Abner Trowbridge came in 1808 with his mother and maternal grandfather, William Denman, to what was known as the Owl Creek valley, in what is now Chester township, Morrow county, Ohio. That part of the country was the Eldorado of the "Great West," as it was then known, and was a very rich and productive locality. He was taken into the home of his grandfather Denman and brought up by him. He had no time for school, and, even if he had had, there was no school for him to attend, as it was many years after that before a school was established near there. He grew to manhood surrounded on all sides by environments that called for physical rather than mental development. The whole country around was densely timbered and required an immense amount of hard work to clear up so that the rich, virgin soil could be cultivated, and every hand, no matter how small, of Mr. Denman's family had to be put to work. Being naturally industrious, he early learned almost every kind of mechanical work. He learned the cooper's trade and it was said, that when Abner Trowbridge made a barrel, neither wind nor water could get out when in, nor get in when out; and of the thousands of barrels which he made none ever came back to be reconstructed. He was a conscientious workman in whatever he did and his business watchword was, "Be honest."

He became a wagon-maker and built many of them at a time when six-horse wagons were in great demand, and when very few orders were placed for less than four-horse wagons; but he also built light one-horse buggies and other vehicles. He followed carpentering, and was a contractor for many large (at that time) buildings and flour mills of the largest size. He was a good superintendent of construction and was never happier than when building some large structure. There was a saying about his buildings, that the wind might roll them over, but could never blow them down or to pieces. He was in the carpenter business for many years and had many men in his employ. He was always kind to his employes, and many warm attachments grew out of that business. In 1838 and the early part of 1839 he built a water-power sawmill in Middlebury township, Knox county, and retired from the carpenter business. He started his mill in February, 1839, and continued to run it until 1850, when he sold out. In September, 1851, he removed to the northwestern part of Ohio, where he bought eighty acres of dense woodland in Williams county, near the village of West Unity. Four years later he sold that, and in August, 1855, bought eighty acres in Gorham township, Fulton county, close to the site of the present city of Fayette, where he resided the remainder of his life.

Abner Trowbridge was a born military man and took great interest in military affairs. He was commissioned ensign of the Second Company, 2d Regiment,

\* Now Morrow.

Ohio state troops, August 10, 1824; was promoted lieutenant October 9, 1826; and commissioned lieutenant colonel of that regiment June 1, 1830. He was a good commander, and, being a tall, straight, well-proportioned man, he made a fine-looking officer. He and his brothers were what were called Jackson Democrats in politics. Their church affiliations were with the Old Close Communion Baptist Church. Colonel Trowbridge was a manly man, a man of invincible integrity, strictly honest, kind-hearted and generous. He was kind to his family, a good husband, and his home was always a sunshiny place.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. CEMANTHA, b. Jan. 9, 1824; m. Dec. 29, 1859, William J. Havens of Knox county, Ohio.
665. ii. BENJAMIN, b. Dec. 31, 1826.
- iii. HANNAH, b. Jan. 27, 1829; d. Apr. 27, 1832.
666. iv. WILLIAM, b. Apr. 19, 1833.
- v. LUCY, b. June 14, 1836; d. Mar. 7, 1840.
667. vi. JUDSON, b. Apr. 30, 1839.

**357.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>196</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 8, 1801, in Mendham, N. J.; died August 24, 1878, in Waterloo, Ind.; married, first, May 27, 1825, in Chester township, Knox† county, Ohio, Mary Evans,‡ daughter of William and Elizabeth (Jones) Evans, born August 1, 1806, in ———, Pa.; died July 6, 1848, in Richland township, Steuben county, Ind. He married, second, August 12, 1849, in Stafford township, De Kalb county, Ind., Lydia (Deforest) Hicks, widow of Dewitt Hicks and daughter of David Deforest, who died February 12, 1863, in Butler, Ind., aged 45.

David Trowbridge came in childhood with his mother to what is now Chester township, Morrow county, Ohio, and early in life commenced helping to clear the farm in the rich Owl Creek valley. By the time he had arrived at the age of twenty-one, he had succeeded in learning the cabinet trade and was a fine workman. He settled after his marriage in Chester township, and lived there until 1848. He then removed to Richland township, Steuben county, Ind., where he continued to work at his trade. After his second marriage he settled in Butler, De Kalb county, Ind. After the death of his second wife, he gave up business and lived among his children until the year 1878, when he made his permanent home with his eldest daughter in Waterloo, Ind., where he died a few months later. In politics he was a Democrat and in religion he was an "Old School Baptist." He was a very kind-hearted man and a strictly honest one, and gave his very large family all the advantages his means permitted.

## CHILDREN :§

*By first marriage :*

- i. JANE, b. Dec. 29, 1825; m., 1st, July 1, 1849, Cyrus O. Lawrence of Waterloo, Ind.; m., 2d, Mar. 16, 1879, Robert Spear and resides in Waterloo.
- ii. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 29, 1827; d. Jan. 27, 1828.
- iii. CYRENA, b. Apr. 17, 1829; m. Aug. 26, 1849, Baker Burch of Metz, Ind.
- iv. SARAH, b. Nov. 4, 1831; m. May 1, 1853, Norman Perry Smith of Omaha, Neb.
- v. JOHN EVANS, b. Nov. 20, 1833; was a soldier in the Civil War. He was mustered May 24, 1861, for three years in Company E, 13th Illinois Infantry. He participated in the battles and skirmishes of Wet Glaze, Chickasaw Bayou, Arkansas Post, the siege of Vicksburg, skirmishes in Alabama, Lookout Mountain and Missionary Ridge, and Ringgold, Ga., and was honor-

\* i-iv born in Wayne township, Knox (now Morrow) county, Ohio; vi in Middlebury township, Knox county.

† Now Morrow.

‡ A sister of the wife of his brother No. 358.

§ i-x born in Chester township, Knox (now Morrow) county, Ohio; xi-xv in Butler, Ind.



ably discharged with his regiment June 8, 1864. He resided in Montgomery, Ill., five years in Chicago, Ill., two and a half years in Nebraska, and then came to Metz, Ind., his present address. He is a carpenter. He is a member of Mt. Pleasant Lodge, No. 239, I. O. O. F., and D. of R., No. 466, of Metz. He also has an honorable discharge from B. I. Crosswait Post, No. 150, G. A. R., of Angola, Ind. He is unmarried.

- vi. LOUISA, b. Aug. 25, 1836; m. July 24, 1860, Henry Smith of Waterloo.
- vii. SAMUEL HAMILTON, b. Nov. 23, 1838; was a teacher of mathematics and Latin in an Illinois college at the outbreak of the Civil War. He enlisted at Dixon, Ill., May 24, 1861, for three years and was appointed corporal of Company E, 13th Illinois Infantry. He shared the service of his company up to his last illness. He died of smallpox in the military hospital in Memphis, Tenn., Apr. 21, 1863; unm. His captain wrote of him: "I have lost a very valuable man, always ready for duty and willing and anxious to do it. I valued him much as a friend and companion. He was truly a noble young man. He was beloved and respected by all the company and we greatly feel his loss both as a soldier and much valued friend."\*
- viii. JULIA ANN, b. Dec. 29, 1840; m. Dec. 23, 1862, William Denison Scoville of Richland, Ind.
- ix. EXOCH GEORGE, b. Jan. 8, 1843; was a soldier in the Civil War, enlisting at Bement, Ill., Aug. 13, 1862, for three years in Company H, 107th Illinois Infantry. He d. Jan. 31, 1863, in Woodsonville, Ky.; unm.
- x. MARY ELLEN, b. Apr. 3, 1845; m. Mar. 3, 1867, Henry Lloyd Jones of Newville, Ind.

*By second marriage:*

- xi. LUCY ANN, b. June 9, 1850; m. William Haight and resides in Hillsdale, Mich.†
- xii. MARTHA ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 27, 1852; m., 1st, July 1, 1871, Frank M. Ather-ton of Newville; m., 2d, Mar. 7, 1888, James Earl Towne and resides in Auburn, Ind.
- xiii. ELMER, b. May 24, 1854; d. May 1, 1865, in Fayette, Ohio.
- 668. xiv. ALVA DARWIN, b. Mar. 23, 1856.
- xv. FRANKLIN DEFOREST, b. Sept. 21, 1858; is a carpenter; resides in Newville; unm.

**358.** SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>196</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 24, 1803, in Mendham, N. J.; died December 27, 1892, in Mt. Gilead, Ohio; married June 12, 1826, in Chester township, Knox‡ county, Ohio, Eliza Evans,§ daughter of William and Elizabeth (Jones) Evans, born July 10, 1804, in ———, Pa.; died June 12, 1879, in Mt. Gilead.

Samuel Trowbridge came in childhood with his mother to Chester township, Knox (now Morrow) county, Ohio, and grew to manhood in the wilderness of the Owl Creek valley. He learned the trade of a carpenter and was noted for good workmanship. He was naturally good at mathematics and could easily figure out any contracts that were let out to him in business. Hard problems in arithmetic were sent from all sides to him to be solved, as he was considered a prodigy in that line. He followed his business for many years, but finally bought a small farm in Mt. Gilead, Ohio, and devoted his attention to farming the remainder of his life. He served as treasurer of Morrow county, and had a high reputation in the community. He was a good musician in his day and was fife major in the 2d Regiment, Ohio state troops, for many years. He had a good natural gift of language and as a descriptive talker was second to none in his neighborhood.

NO CHILDREN.

**359.** BENJAMIN TROWBRIDGE (*Abner*<sup>197</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1804, in Painted Post, N. Y.; died ———, 18—, in Royal Oak, Mich.; married, first, ———, 182—, in Painted

\* "History of the 13th Illinois Volunteers," p. 521.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

‡ Now Morrow.

§ A sister of the first wife of his brother No. 357.

Post<sup>2</sup>, Mary Ann Snow, daughter of John and Julia (Brigham) Snow. He married, second, Huldah Ward.

Benjamin Trowbridge lived for some years after his marriage in his native place, Painted Post, N. Y. He and his brothers emigrated to Oakland county, Mich., among the early pioneers. He was a farmer by occupation and lived for many years near Royal Oak, Mich.

CHILDREN BORN IN PAINTED POST, N. Y.?:\*

*By first marriage:†*

669. i. AMARIAH, b. June 4, 1830.  
 ii. ABNER, b. ———, 183-?: was a farmer; d. Apr. —, 1896, in Rochester, Mich.‡  
 iii. AMOZI,§ b. ———, 183-?: d. July —, 1879, in Muskegon, Mich.‡  
 iv. ———; m. William Smith.  
 v. ———; m. Louis King.  
 vi. ———; m. Thomas Strong.  
 vii. ———; m. Reuben? Gillette.  
 viii. RACHEL, b. ———, 184-?: m. Robert Pollock of Rochester.

**360.** AMARIAH CASTALINE TROWBRIDGE (*Abner*<sup>197</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 27, 1806, in Painted Post, N. Y.; died September 8, 1886, in Troy, Mich.; married February 27, 1836, in Avon, Mich., Rhoda Moore Postle, daughter of George and Polly (Fulham) Postle, born November 9, 1815, in Herrington, N. Y.; died July 18, 1889, in Troy.

Amariah C. Trowbridge received his early education in the common schools of his native place at times when his services were not required on his father's farm. He led the life of a farmer in New York until September, 1831, when he resolved to go to Michigan and seek his fortune in its wilds. He arrived at Detroit on September 20 and at once proceeded to Troy, in which vicinity he passed the rest of his life. He at first entered the store of E. W. Peck, where he acted as clerk for several years. But always having a strong desire to return to farming, he bought and cleared a farm in Troy, with the management of which he was occupied until his death.

CHILDREN BORN IN TROY, MICH.:

- i. SARAH CASTALINE, b. May 28, 1837; m. Dec. 24, 1865, John Chadcey Frank and resides in Pontiac, Mich.  
 ii. CHARLES POSTLE, b. Jan. 22, 1839; d. Aug. 2, 1839.  
 iii. LUCY PECK, b. Oct. 29, 1841; d. Sept. 8, 1842.  
 670. iv. JAMES HENRY, b. Jan. 10, 1843.  
 671. v. GEORGE WILLARD, b. Jan. 6, 1845.  
 vi. FRANK EDWARD, b. July 8, 1847; d. Jan. 8, 1850.  
 vii. IDA MOORE, b. Nov. 6, 1849; m. Nov. 24, 1875, Samuel Butler and resides in Troy.  
 viii. ELLA JANE STARKWEATHER, b. Jan. 11, 1853; m. Nov. 26, 1879, Charles Aspinwall of Troy.

**361.** JOB TROWBRIDGE (*Abner*<sup>197</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1811, in Painted Post, N. Y.; died October 10, 1862, in Disco, Mich.; married December 22, 1833, in Steuben county, N. Y., Betsey Robbins, daughter of Benjamin and Sally (Bailey) Robbins, born March 13, 1815, in Ovid, N. Y. She married, second, June 12, 1870, in Disco, D. Bowers Andrews of Lakeville, Mich., and resides in Evart, Mich.

\* Order and dates of births uncertain.

† No children reported by second marriage.

‡ Descendants failed to answer the compiler's letters.

§ No. 335 and not he was the "A. Trowbridge," mentioned in the "History of Macomb County, Mich.," who early settled in Muskegon and there put in operation the first sawmill. He may be the AMOS TROWBRIDGE who served in the Civil War in Company A, 3d Michigan Infantry, and was mustered out May 25, 1866. The name of Peter C. Strobridge appears in the roster of this company.

Job Trowbridge, like his brothers, was brought up to a farmer's life. He was engaged in farming, first in his native town, Painted Post, N. Y., but in a few years he followed his brother Amariah to Oakland county, Mich. He was engaged in farming in Rochester in that county until late in the '50s, when he removed to Disco, Macomb county, where he died a few years later.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. JULIETTA, b. July 18, 1835; m. Jan. 1, 1857, Francis J. Forton of Sterling, Mich.
- ii. SARAH, b. ———, 183—; m. David Owen of Romeo, Mich.
- iii. GEORGIANA, b. ———, 184—; d. about 1863, aged 18 years.
- 672. iv. ALMOND CAREY, b. Sept. 13, 1849.

**362.** SHUBAEL TROWBRIDGE (*Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 3, 1792, in Morris Plains, N. J.; died November —, 1871, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; married, first, November 25, 1813, in Morristown, N. J., Huldah Beers, daughter of Joseph and Miriam (Hathaway) Beers, born February 20, 1795, in Morristown; died January 20, 1846, in Brooklyn. He married, second, August —, 1847, in Brooklyn, Emeline (Bonnell) Sturges, who died August —, 1885, in Brooklyn.

Shubael Trowbridge settled in Morristown, N. J., after his marriage and lived there until 1841, when he removed to Brooklyn, N. Y. During his first years of residence in that city he was employed in the lumber business. The latter part of his life he was a clerk in the Central Bank of Brooklyn. He was a Democrat until the election of President Lincoln, when he became a Republican. From 1852 until his death he held the office of deacon in the Dutch Reformed Church on Harrison street.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MORRISTOWN, N. J.:

*By first marriage:†*

- i. MARY ANN, b. May 23, 1814; m. Feb. 24, 1835, William Muchmore of Madison, N. J.
- 673. ii. AUGUSTUS‡ BAILEY, b. Mar. 2, 1816.
- iii. EMILY BANKER, b. Apr. 4, 1818; m. May 23, 1839, Charles Pierson of Honesdale, Pa.
- iv. MARIHA CLAYTON, b. Feb. 22, 1822; m. Sept. 14, 1846, William Muchmore (above).

**363.** STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 15, 1793, in Morris Plains, N. J.; died December 13, 1853, in Dover, N. J.; married May 9, 1816, in Dover, Julia Coe, daughter of Jared and Bethia (Dickison) Coe, born August 11, 1794, in Dover; died July 29, 1853, in Dover.

Stephen Trowbridge was engaged in farming near Dover, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DOVER, N. J.:

- 674. i. ALVAH ARVEN, b. Apr. 4, 1817.
- ii. ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 26, 1819; m. Feb. 14, 1838, John Dunham Mills of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
- iii. MARY BETHIA, b. June 11, 1821; m. Feb. 1, 1844, Miller Smith of Port Oram, N. J.
- 675. iv. GEORGE WILLIAM, b. May 1, 1825.
- v. PIERRE ANN, b. Oct. 27, 1827; m. Sept. 13, 1848, John Scott of Toulon, Ill.
- vi. ANNA MARIA, b. May 2, 1832; m. Mar. 17, 1859, Ziba Osmun of Hackettstown, N. J.
- vii. CATHERINE, b. Apr. 1, 1835; m. Mar. 3, 1861, Sedgwick Rusling Osmun of Morristown, N. J.

\* i-ii born in Painted Post, N. Y.; iii-iv in Rochester, Mich.

† No children by second marriage.

‡ Known as *Augustin* in his youth.

**364.** ELIJAH FREEMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 22, 1803, in Morris Plains, N. J.; died December 4, 1851, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; married December 30, 1830, in Madison, N. J., Temperance Ludlow Muchmore, daughter of John Tyler and Phebe (Donnington) Muchmore, born April 7, 1808, in Madison; died April 25, 1885, in Brooklyn.

Elijah F. Trowbridge after his marriage settled on a farm at Trowbridge Mountain, three and a half miles from Morristown and one and a half miles from Morris Plains, N. J. In 1849 he moved to Brooklyn, N. Y., where he was engaged in the wood business for the next two years and up to his death. He attended a Congregational church and was a Republican in politics.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MORRIS PLAINS, N. J.:

- i. WILLIAM HARVEY, b. Feb. 17, 1832; d. Dec. 28, 1843.
- ii. PHEBE ELIZABETH, b. May 27, 1833; resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.; unm.
- 676. iii. CHARLES TYLER, b. Jan. 10, 1835.
- 677. iv. FRANCIS GRANGER, b. Apr. 7, 1836.
- v. JAMES HENRY, b. Nov. 12, 1837; d. Nov. 12, 1849.
- 678. vi. JOHN AUGUSTIN, b. May 28, 1839.
- vii. JOANNA LYDIA, b. Apr. 8, 1841; m. Dec. 15, 1864, George Perkins and resides in Brooklyn.

**365.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 11, 1805, in Morris Plains, N. J.; died April 22, 1874, in Morris Plains; married December 2, 1830, in New Vernon, N. J., Nancy Lindsley, daughter of John and Martha (Tompkins) Lindsley, born February 22, 1812, in New Vernon; died November 14, 1883, in Boonton, N. J.

David Trowbridge was a farmer and lived from the time he was married until his death on a farm on what is known as the Lake road, about two miles out from Morristown, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MORRIS PLAINS, N. J.:

- 679. i. EDWIN LINDSLEY, b. Apr. 23, 1832.
- ii. SARAH LOUISA, b. Aug. 28, 1834; m. Oct. 27, 1858, James Fairchild of Morris Plains.
- 680. iii. JOHN THOMPSON, b. July 7, 1841.

**366.** ELIPHALET TROWBRIDGE (*Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 15, 1792, in Randolph, N. J.; died May 11, 1859, in Utica, Ohio; married ———, 1821, in Randolph, N. J., Mary Montanye, daughter of Burgoine and Rebecca (Chips) Montanye, born September 6, 1798, in Randolph; died April 21, 1849, in Utica.

Eliphalet Trowbridge is said by descendants to have been a soldier in the War of 1812. After his marriage he emigrated to Utica, Licking county, Ohio, where he lived the remainder of his life. He was a farmer and carpenter.

## CHILDREN BORN IN UTICA, OHIO:

- 681. i. LEWIS, b. Nov. 12, 1822.
- 682. ii. JOSEPH MONTANYE, b. Aug. 16, 1824.
- iii. REBECCA JANE, b. Sept. 3, 1826; m. Mar. 15, 1858, Moses Kime of Chesterville, Ohio.
- iv. KATHERINE ANN, b. Dec. 19, 1828; m. Aug. 14, 1859, Harvey Cox of Mt. Vernon, Ohio.
- 683. v. DAVID KIRKPATRICK, b. Dec. 22, 1830.
- 684. vi. ELIPHALET AUGUSTUS, b. Dec. 31, 1832.
- vii. JOHN SYLVESTER, b. Feb. 4, 1834; was a farmer; killed by lightning July 19, 1864, in Green Valley, Ill.; unm.
- 685. viii. CHARLES STINSON, b. July 11, 1836.
- ix. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 21, 1838; d. Mar. 17, 1855, in Utica; unm.
- x. ELECTA CONDIT, b. July 26, 1840; m. Oct. 20, 1870, Thomas Jackson Thatcher and resides in Utica.
- 686. xi. SAMUEL WOODROW, b. Aug. 15, 1842.

**367.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 8, 1795, in Randolph, N. J.; died October 11, 1861, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; married April 2, 1818, in Mt. Freedom, Anna Youngs, daughter of David and Anna (Evans) Youngs, born February 10, 1800, in Mt. Freedom; died December 31, 1885, in Mt. Freedom.

David Trowbridge in 1819, the year following his marriage, built a house in Mt. Freedom, N. J., where he lived the remainder of his life. He was chiefly engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MT. FREEDOM, N. J.:

- 687. i. JOHN JABEZ, b. May 10, 1819.
- 688. ii. CHARLES LEWIS, b. Aug. 21, 1821.
- iii. REBECCA ANN, b. May 11, 1823; m. Oct. 6, 1842, Paul Garrison of Mt. Freedom.
- iv. JANE LEWIS, b. Nov. 26, 1825; m. Oct. 9, 1844, Levi Dalrymple Jarrard of Perryville, Pa.
- 689. v. DAVID AUSTIN, b. Feb. 21, 1828.
- vi. MARY ELIZABETH, b. June 29, 1830; resides in Morristown, N. J.; unm.
- 690. vii. EDWARD YOUNGS, b. May 16, 1832.
- viii. SARAH B., b. June 18, 1834; m. Apr. —, 1858, William Hugbson of Mt. Freedom.
- ix. MEDITABLE YOUNGS, b. Apr. 24, 1836; d. June 17, 1837.
- x. ELIPHALET WELLS, b. Apr. 29, 1838; d. Mar. 10, 1898; unm.

**368.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 2, 1798, in Randolph, N. J.; died September 17, 1881, in Summit, N. J.; married February 19, 1820, in New Providence, N. J., Clarissa Hand, daughter of Robert and Rachel (Whitehead) Hand, born October 30, 1799, in New Providence; died October 27, 1883, in Newark, N. J.

John Trowbridge was a farmer in New Providence, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW PROVIDENCE, N. J.:

- i. MARY JANE, b. Sept. 20, 1821; m. Francis Woodruff of Elizabeth, N. J.
- ii. MARGARET, b. Aug. 2, 1823; m., 1st, John Cowper of Rahway, N. J.; m., 2d, ——— Avery; m., 3d, Daniel Clark of West Haven, Conn.
- iii. ANNA MARIA, b. Apr. 23, 1826; m. Apr. 7, 1850, James Freer Lansing of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
- 691. iv. JOHN LEWIS, b. Oct. 30, 1827.
- v. ELIZABETH ANTOINETTE, b. Feb. 14, 1831; m. May 25, 1853, George W. Rhoades and resides in Bloomfield, N. J.
- vi. HENRIETTA, b. Oct. 5, 1833; m. Henry Howard of Rahway.
- 692. vii. HENRY AUGUSTUS, b. July 17, 1835.
- viii. UZAL HAND, b. June 3, 1839; was a soldier in the Civil War. He was enrolled May 16, 1861, for three years in Company A, 1st New Jersey Infantry, and was killed in the battle of Gaines Mill, Va., June 27, 1862; unm.
- ix. FRANCIS EVERETT, b. Oct. 12, 1842; d. ———, 1861, in Elizabeth; unm.
- x. HARRIET, b. Dec. 6, 1844; m. May 3, 1868, Ira Austen Oakley and resides in Vailsburg, N. J.

**369.** AUGUSTIN TROWBRIDGE (*Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 180-?, in Randolph, N. J.; died ———, 184-?, in ———; married February 15, 1838, in New Providence, N. J., Phebe M. Parrott, daughter of Joseph and Martha (Cory) Parrott.

Augustin Trowbridge lived in New Providence, N. J., and was a cattle dealer. He left home on one occasion to make a journey to purchase stock, but was never heard from again, and it is supposed he was murdered for the purpose of robbing him of the large sum of money which he carried.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW PROVIDENCE, N. J.:

- i. MARTHA JANE, b. ———, 1839.
- ii. JOANNA, b. ———, 1841.

**370.** SAMUEL GRADY TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>200</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 2, 1801, in Frederiek county, Va.; died April 26, 1872, in Kahoka, Mo.; married February 17, 1825, in Brandonville, W. Va., Jane McGrew, daughter of Col. James and Isabella (Clark) McGrew, born April 3, 1805, in Brandonville; died October 30, 1883, in Cecil, W. Va.

Samuel G. Trowbridge was a farmer and miller. He settled after his marriage near Kingwood, W. Va. He removed in 1836 to Evansville, and again in 1840 to Tunnelton, both in the same state. After the close of the Civil War he sold his property in West Virginia and removed to Kahoka, Mo., where he passed the remainder of his life.

He was from an early age a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church and was one of its local preachers, but never traveled in that capacity. "He was an energetic, hard-working man, and made his family comfortable and contented. He was an earnest Christian, a good neighbor, a friend to the poor and distressed, and a kind father to his children, to whom he gave a good education."

## CHILDREN :\*

- 693. i. JAMES MCGREW, b. Jan. 24, 1826.
- ii. MARY ANN, b. Feb. 4, 1828; m. Feb. 14, 1849, Daniel Allen Darby† of Bruce-ton Mills, W. Va.
- 694. iii. DAVID BOYD, b. Jan. 15, 1830.
- iv. ISABELLA, b. Feb. 3, 1832; m. Jan. 20, 1859, Joseph A.‡ Matlick of Cecil, W. Va.
- 695. v. EDGAR CLARK, b. June 13, 1834.
- vi. MINERVA, b. Apr. 1, 1837; d. aged 2 years.
- vii. MARTHA ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 16, 1839; m. Mar. 29, 1860, Samuel Wesley Jackson and resides in Bellaire, Ohio.
- viii. HARRIET VIRGINIA, b. Dec. 10, 1842; d. Sept. 15, 1860, in Tunnelton, W. Va.; unm.
- ix. SUSANNAH, b. Dec. 17, 1846; d. Sept. 7, 1850.
- x. SAMUEL HENRY, b. Apr. 3, 1850; d. Apr. 18, 1857.

**371.** MALIN PUGH TROWBRIDGE (*Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 28, 1809, in Hampshire county, Va.; died January 25, 1892, in Kingwood, W. Va.; married March 17, 1836, in Geneva, Fayette county, Pa., Elizabeth Barker, daughter of William and Mary (Omitt) Barker, born January 12, 1816, in Fayette county; died March 16, 1852, in Kingwood.

Malin P. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Kingwood, W. Va., where he lived the remainder of his life. He was a farmer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN KINGWOOD, W. VA. :

- 696. i. JOHN WILLIAM BARKER, b. Dec. 22, 1836.
- ii. JUELDA, b. Apr. 13, 1838; m. Mar. 21, 1859, William D. Posten of Kingwood.
- iii. MINERVA HAMILTON, b. Feb. 23, 1840; m. Apr. 5, 1863, George Washington Thomas and resides in Burton, W. Va.
- iv. ELMIRA, b. Dec. 6, 1841; d. Oct. 19, 1849.
- v. OLIVER JESSE, b. June 23, 1843; was in the Union army in the Civil War;§ d. ———, 1868, in Philadelphia, Pa.; unm.
- vi. MARY CATHARINE, b. Dec. 4, 1844; m. Joseph Roach and resides in Baltimore, Md.
- vii. SYLVANUS LAMB, b. Nov. 26, 1846; was a soldier in the Civil War. He was mustered July 4, 1863, as a private in Company I, 6th West Virginia Infantry. He was captured in action at Bulltown, W. Va., and confined in Andersonville military prison, where he d. July 16, 1864; unm.
- viii. CLEMENTINE, b. May 16, 1849; m. Elisha James of Berkeley county, W. Va.
- ix. THOMAS GRADY, b. Oct. 25, 1851; d. Dec. 25, 1852.

\* i-v born in Kingwood, W. Va.; vi-vii in Evansville, W. Va.; viii-x in Tunnelton, W. Va.

† See No. 376, i.

‡ Initial only.

§ Regiment not found by the compiler.

**372.** DAVID LEWIS TROWBRIDGE (*Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 15, 1811, in Kingwood, W. Va.; died January 16, 1894, in Lonetree, Mo.; married, first, April 17, 1831, in Gladesville, W. Va., Jane Martin, daughter of Thomas and Ollie (Van Meter) Martin, born September 26, 1810, in Gladesville; died March 14, 1858, in Lonetree. He married, second, ———, 1860, in Iowa City, Iowa, Mary Elizabeth Wildman, born ———, 181—, in Green county, Pa.; died ———, 1864, in Lonetree. He married, third, April 12, 1865, in Iowa City, Sarah Ann Devine, daughter of James and Martha (Laraby) Devine, born ———, 1830, in Toledo, Ohio. She resides in Lonetree.

David L. Trowbridge settled after his marriage in his native place, Kingwood, W. Va., where he lived about twenty years. He then removed to Cass county, Mo., and settled on a farm about two miles west of Lonetree, and seven and a half miles southwest of Springfield, the county seat. He was a farmer and teamster by occupation. He was a great admirer of fine horses and owned and raised a large number of them.

## CHILDREN BORN IN KINGWOOD, W. VA.:

*By first marriage:\**

697. i. JESSE MONROE,† b. Feb. 29, 1832.  
 ii. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Apr. 18, 1834; m. Jan. 22, 1852, Capt. Joshua Hickman Cale and resides in Tunnelton, W. Va.  
 698. iii. SAMUEL ORRIN, b. June 3, 1836.

**373.** SAMUEL CUSHING TROWBRIDGE (*Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 1, 1813, in Kingwood, W. Va.; died October 28, 1888, in Iowa City, Iowa; married ———, 1843, in Newark, Ohio?, Sarah (Shaw) Willis, born ———, 1819, in Newark; died ———, 1896, in Iowa City.

Samuel C. Trowbridge emigrated from West Virginia to Johnson county, Iowa, and became one of the founders of Iowa City, where he lived the remainder of his life. He was the first sheriff of Johnson county, and filled various other county and state offices during a period of fifty years. He also served as postmaster of Iowa City.

## NO CHILDREN.

**374.** THOMAS JEFFERSON TROWBRIDGE (*Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 21, 1817, in Kingwood, W. Va.; died June 28, 1889, in Kingwood; married April 22, 1869, in Kingwood, Mary Schaeffer, daughter of Israel and Jane (Feather) Schaeffer, born April 28, 1837, in Cranesville, W. Va. She resides in Kingwood.

Thomas J. Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life in his native place. For a number of years he kept Trowbridge's Ferry, on Cheat river, about three miles from Kingwood.

## CHILDREN BORN IN KINGWOOD, W. VA.:

- i. JENNIE ETTA, b. Feb. 6, 1870; m. June 29, 1887, William Guy Miller and resides in Tunnelton, W. Va.  
 ii. NORA NANCY, b. Dec. 22, 1872; m. May 22, 1895, Thomas Franklin Menefee and resides in Kingwood.  
 iii. ISRAEL SCHAEFFER, b. Apr. 10, 1875; is a farmer in Kingwood; unm.  
 iv. LULU JANE, b. July 24, 1881.

**375.** GEORGE MCCLUSKY TROWBRIDGE (*Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 12, 1827, in Kingwood, W. Va.; died February 27, 1890, in Tunnelton, W. Va.; married December 24, 1848, in Selbysport, Md.

\* No children by second or third marriages.

† Formerly Jesse Martin.

Drusilla Boyer, daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Merrill) Boyer, born April 25, 1826, in Frostburg, Md.; died October 20, 1904, in Tunnelton.

George M. Trowbridge settled in Tunnelton, W. Va., after his marriage and was engaged in farming there the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TUNNELTON, W. VA.:

- i. CLARA SATORA, b. Apr. 2, 1850; m. Sept. 30, 1871, William Bromhall and resides in Howesville, W. Va.
- ii. MARGARET ELLEN, b. Nov. 12, 1851; resides in Tunnelton; unm.
700. iii. ALBERT GALLATIN, b. May 17, 1853.
701. iv. SHERMAN SEDON, b. Dec. 18, 1854.
- v. SARAH COLUMBIA, b. Feb. 26, 1857; m. Apr. 17, 1881, James Kiles Roby and resides in Gladesville, W. Va.
702. vi. JOHN THOMAS, b. Oct. 30, 1863.
- vii. WILLIAM HARVEY, b. Aug. 4, 1866; is a coal miner in Tunnelton; unm.
- viii. LAURA BELLE, b. Oct. 4, 1869; m. ———, 1898, Luther Sheets and resides in Independence, W. Va.
- ix. CHARLES LESY, b. Feb. 27, 1872; is a coal miner in Tunnelton; unm.

**376.** BOWEN GRADY TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 19, 1811, in Kingwood, W. Va.; died March 19, 1901, in Union Furnace, Ohio; married March 2, 1834, in Bruceon Mills, W. Va., Mary Armstrong, daughter of Isaac and Frances (Chidester) Armstrong, born November 30, 1815, in Bruceon Mills; died November 27, 1878, in Union Furnace.

Bowen G. Trowbridge settled in his native county on a farm three miles south of Bruceon Mills, W. Va. In March, 1866, he removed with his family to Hoeking county, Ohio, and settled on a farm in Union Furnace. He was engaged in farming all his life. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church and was one of its local preachers.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BRUCETON MILLS, W. VA.:

- i. LUHAMA JANE, b. May 20, 1835; m. Mar. 2, 1862, Daniel Allen Darby\* of Union Furnace, Ohio.
- ii. FRANCES LORETTA, b. July 24, 1836; d. Mar. 19, 1847.
- iii. SUSANNAH, b. Dec. 31, 1837; d. Oct. 1, 1839.
- iv. MELISSA ANN, b. Oct. 29, 1839; m. July 16, 1865, George Clifford Hoey and resides in Garden City, Mo.
- v. MARY CATHARINE, b. Dec. 30, 1841; d. Nov. 23, 1906, in Union Furnace; unm.
703. vi. ISAAC ARMSTRONG, b. Nov. 17, 1843.
704. vii. SAMUEL NEWTON, b. June 25, 1846.
- viii. SARAH ALICE, b. Oct. 21, 1848; unm.
705. ix. GEORGE COLLIN, b. Mar. 4, 1851.
706. x. WILLIAM HENRY, } twins,
- xi. MARTHA MARIA, { b. Oct. 15, 1853; m. Aug. 11, 1891, John Fletcher Walker and resides in Union Furnace.
- xii. MARGARET VIRGINIA, b. Nov. 15, 1855; d. Dec. 2, 1882; unm.
- xiii. ISALAH EDWARD, b. June 15, 1858; d. May 19, 1885; unm.

**377.** DR. REESE TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 17, 1816, in Kingwood, W. Va.; died November 22, 1898, in Centre Point, Ind.; married ———, 1846, in Winchester, Ind., Harriet Morgan, daughter of William and Martha (Raines) Morgan, born August 12, 1823, in ———, W. Va.; died January 10, 1888, in Jamestown, Ind.

Reese Trowbridge emigrated to Indiana in 1843. He studied medicine, and after his marriage he settled in Winchester, Ind. He lived there and in other towns in the state the remainder of his life. He was one of the best known physicians in his section of Indiana. He was a well-educated man and one able to converse on any subject. He was a staunch Democrat and prominent in local politics. He and his wife were members of the Christian Church.

\* See No. 370, II.



## CHILDREN :\*

707. i. SAMUEL REESE, b. Dec. 5, 1847.  
 ii. CASSIE, b. ———, 1848; m. George Kernade of Jamestown, Ind.  
 iii. JOSEPH, b. ———, 1851; resides in Lebanon, Ind.; unm.  
 iv. HATTIE, b. Sept. 16, 1854; m. Dec. 27, 1876, William H. Roberts and resides in Indianapolis, Ind.  
 v. MATTIE, b. Aug. 6, 1856; m., 1st, ———, 1872, John Baringer of Waynetown, Ind.; m., 2d, ———, 1885, William T. Ward and resides in New York City.

**378.** PRESTON TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 7, 1821, in Kingwood, W. Va.; died September 15, 1864, in Andersonville, Ga.; † married ———, 184—, in Kingwood?, W. Va., Christiana Menear, daughter of John and Mahala (McAlroy) Menear, born October 30, 1819, in Reedsville, W. Va.; died November 9, 1906, in Kingwood.

Preston Trowbridge settled as a farmer in his native place, Kingwood, W. Va. He was a soldier in the Civil War and enlisted in his county February 23, 1864, in Company B, 14th West Virginia Infantry. During the battle of Cloyd's Mountain, May 9, 1864, he was captured by the enemy and confined in Andersonville, where he died the following September.

## CHILDREN BORN IN KINGWOOD, W. VA. :

- i. LOUISA RACHEL, b. ———, 184—; m. ——— Teets and resides in Kingwood. ‡  
 ii. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. ———, 185—; m. ——— Stonebreaker.  
 iii. MARY CLARISSA, b. ———, 185—; m. ——— Freed and resides in Columbus, Ohio. ‡  
 iv. AMANDA MELVINA, b. ———, 185—; m. ——— Lour and resides in Columbus. ‡  
 v. ANNIE REBECCA, b. Mar. 6, 1857; m. Sept. 7, 1876, William Alvin Gallanton and resides in Jefferson, Pa.  
 708. vi. JOHN ALLEN, b. May 8, 1859.  
 vii. MAHALA JANE, b. Dec. 12, 1861; m. Dec. 2, 1882, James B. Braham and resides in Kingwood.

**379.** COLLIN B. § TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 2, 1823, in Kingwood, W. Va.; died October 31, 1895, in Ludlow, Ill.; married March 9, 1854, in North Salem, Ind., Caroline Gardner, daughter of Anthony and Elizabeth (Yates) Gardner, born June 20, 1834, in Rushville, Ind.; died August 11, 1903, in Ludlow.

Collin B. Trowbridge lived on his father's farm near Kingwood, W. Va., until he was a man grown. He was captain of a company of cavalry in the Virginia militia and served during a labor riot incident to the building of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad. About 1852 he removed to North Salem, Ind., where he followed his trade, that of a builder. He was a justice of the peace there and postmaster of the town. In 1865 he moved to Millersburgh, Ind., where he remained four years. He then bought a farm near Ludlow, Champaign county, Ill., where he settled and lived until his death. He was a justice of the peace for Champaign county for several years.

## CHILDREN :||

709. i. WILLIAM BOWEN, b. Mar. 18, 1855.  
 710. ii. EDGAR COLLIN, b. Nov. 28, 1856.  
 711. iii. OLIVER R., § b. May 26, 1860.  
 iv. PERLINA LOUISA, b. Mar. 31, 1868.

\* i, ii and iv born in Winchester, Ind.; iii and v in Salem, Ind.

† While a Union military prisoner (see biographical sketch above).

‡ Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

§ Initial only.

|| i-iii born in North Salem, Ind.; iv in Millersburgh, Ind.

**380.** ISAAC SCOTT TROWBRIDGE (*Bethuel*<sup>203</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1814, in Frederick county, Va.; died November 10, 1876, in Amboy, Ind.; married ———, 1845, in Clinton county, Ohio, Mary (Lynn) Vinyard, widow of Ambrose Vinyard and daughter of Richard and Elizabeth (Hawes) Lynn, born September 26, 1821, in Clinton county; died January 21, 1888, in Ridge Farm, Ill.

Isaac S. Trowbridge settled in Clinton county, Ohio, and lived there nearly twenty-five years. About 1868 he removed to Amboy, Miami county, Ind., where he made his home until his death. He was engaged in farming all his life. He and his wife were members of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLINTON COUNTY, OHIO:

- i. LYDIA JANE, b. July 7, 1846; m. Nov. 7, 1869, Samuel Spears and resides in Ridge Farm, Ill.
712. ii. RICHARD, b. May 25, 1848.
713. iii. AARON, b. Sept. 5, 1850.
- iv. FRANCES, b. Apr. 22, 1853; m., 1st, Sept. 13, 1875, William Speece of Cass county, Ind.; m., 2d, John Jones and resides in Marion, Ind.
- v. LEWIS WILLIAM, b. July 26, 1857; d. in infancy.
- vi. AMANDA ADALINE, b. Dec. 21, 1862; d. in infancy.
- vii. JOHN WESLEY, b. June 19, 1865; d. Nov. 10, 1886, in Ridge Farm; unm.

**381.** JONAH WATSON TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>204</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 17, 1832, in Frederick county, Va.; died November 8, 1896, in Madison county, Ohio; married September 18, 1856, in Clark county, Ohio, Margaret Ann Delaney, daughter of Joseph and Mary Ann (Lloyd) Delaney, born July 23, 1837, in Jefferson county, Va. She resides in Madison county (London P. O.), Ohio.

Jonah W. Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life. He settled soon after his marriage near London, Madison county, Ohio, and lived there until his death. During the Civil War he was in a militia company at Camp Chase in June, 1863. He was an industrious farmer and led an honest Christian life, becoming a member of the Methodist Episcopal church in London a short time before his death.

## CHILD BORN IN MADISON COUNTY, OHIO:

714. i. HENRY BRUSH, b. Aug. 12, 1859.

**382.** JOHN HOWELL TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>204</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 13, 1834, in Frederick county, Va.; resides in Madison county (London P. O.), Ohio; married September 18, 1862, in London, Lucinda Allen, daughter of Wesley and Rebecca (McCollum) Allen, born August 7, 1842, in London; died July 10, 1898, in Madison county.

John H. Trowbridge has always been a farmer. In early manhood he removed to Ohio and has since lived in that state, his present home being in Oakrum township, five miles south of London, Madison county. During the Civil War, at the time of Morgan's raid, he was called out with the militia to Camp Chase, near Columbus. He is respected in his community and has held the office of rural school director. He has been a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church for nearly fifty years. He has helped to build two churches and a school-house, was church trustee for five years, and also for a short time served as Sunday school treasurer. His wife was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church for about thirty-five years.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. BARTLETT, b. Oct. 20, 1866; is farming with his father; unm.
- ii. BERTHA, b. Oct. 9, 1868; d. Mar. 14, 1870.

\* i-ii born in Harmony township, Clark county, Ohio; iii-iv in Fairfield township, Madison county, Ohio; v-vii in Pleasant township, Franklin county, Ohio.

- iii. ALICE, b. Aug. 10, 1872; m. Jan. 9, 1895, Kimball Clark and resides in London, Ohio.
  - iv. EDITH, b. Aug. 29, 1874; m. Oct. 16, 1897, Joseph Morris and resides in London.
  - v. LYDIA REBECCA, b. Aug. 15, 1876; m. Sept. 29, 1897, William Morris and resides in Springfield, Ohio.
715. vi. WESLEY ALLEN, b. July 19, 1878.
- vii. WILLIAM REEDER, b. Aug. 28, 1884; d. Feb. 6, 1885.

**383.** SAMUEL WATSON TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>204</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 20, 1836, in South Charleston, Ohio; died July 3, 1892, in South Charleston; married May 5, 1861, in South Charleston. Prudence Thomas, daughter of Samuel and Mary (St. John) Thomas, born January 27, 1813, in Lebanon, Ohio. She resides in South Charleston.

Samuel W. Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life in his native place. His farm was three miles east of South Charleston, Ohio. During the Civil War, he was a member of what was known as the "home guard" and was called out for service two or three weeks at a time at different periods. He later served a one hundred day enlistment.

NO CHILDREN.

**384.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>204</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 15, 1845, in South Charleston, Ohio; resides near London, Ohio; married December 22, 1881, in Urbana, Ohio, Bena Bauer, daughter of Peter and Katharina (—) Bauer, born in Bingen, Germany.

David Trowbridge is engaged in farming four miles west of London, Ohio. He has served on the petit-jury several times and has also been district school director. He is a member of the Methodist Episcopal church in London.

NO CHILDREN.

**385.** ALBERT TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>204</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 10, 1848, in Fairfield township, Madison county, Ohio; resides in Springfield, Ohio; married December 16, 1872, in Springfield, Mary Frances Le Crone, daughter of George and Mary Ann (Daron) Le Crone, born March 31, 1851, in Clarke county, Ohio.

Albert Trowbridge has been engaged in farming in Ohio all his life. He lived near New Carlisle, Clarke county, 1873-7; near London, Madison county, 1878-83; near Husted, Clarke county, 1884-9; and since then near Springfield.

CHILDREN:\*

- 716. i. ERNEST NELSON, b. Dec. 16, 1873.
- 716a. ii. HAROLD LE CRONE, b. Aug. 2, 1875.
- iii. LYDIA OLIVE, b. Jan. 19, 1878; m. Nov. 16, 1895, Edward Stockwell and resides in Springfield, Ohio.
- iv. JENNIE IMO, b. Aug. 25, 1881.
- v. MARY CAPTOILA, b. May 12, 1884.
- vi. VESTA BLANCHE, b. Aug. 4, 1886.
- vii. GLENNA MARIE, b. Jan. 29, 1889.
- viii. HAZEL MAY, b. Aug. 3, 1891.
- ix. RUTH LUCILE, b. Mar. 5, 1893; d. July 12, 1894.

**386.** AARON MOON TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>205</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 15, 1841, in Wilmington, Ohio; died July 1, 1905, in St. Mary's, Ohio; married November 2, 1869, in Oxford, Ind., Rebecca

\* i born near New Carlisle, Ohio; ii near Vienna, Ohio; iii near London, Ohio; iv, vi-vii near Husted, Ohio; v near Clifton, Ohio; viii-ix in Springfield, Ohio.

Jane Snethen, daughter of Joseph and Rhoda Lawrence (Mumford) Snethen, born May 14, 1845, in Merrittstown, Warren county, Ohio. She resides in St. Mary's.

Aaron M. Trowbridge at the age of twenty-one enlisted from Frankfort, Ind., in the Union army in the Civil War. He enlisted for three years August 15, 1862, as a private in Company K, 72d Indiana Infantry. A history of his regiment says that it participated in fifty-two battles, exclusive of many skirmishes and picket fights, and Mr. Trowbridge wrote: "I was present and played my part in all of them. The most notable of our battles was Chickamauga. My brigade was known as Wilder's Lightning Brigade of Mounted Infantry." He was discharged as a sergeant July 6, 1865. After the war he engaged in farming, retiring from active life some years prior to his death.

NO CHILDREN.

**387. JOEL LUPTON TROWBRIDGE** (*Joseph*<sup>205</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 26, 1846, in Wilmington, Ohio; resides in Furley, Kan.; married December 23, 1875, in Clinton county, Ind., Emily Catharine Merritt, daughter of Andrew and Mary Ann (Swadner) Merritt, born April 20, 1855, in Clinton county.

Joel L. Trowbridge has been engaged in farming all his life. He lived in Clinton county, Ind., until 1882, when he moved to his present home in Furley, Sedgwick county, Kan. He and his wife united with the Methodist Episcopal church in Clinton county in 1881, and have taken an active part in church and Sunday school work. He has acted as Sunday school superintendent and is steward of his class in church.

CHILDREN :\*

- i. LILY MAUDE, b. Feb. 12, 1877; d. Nov. 8, 1877.
- ii. ELGE BEATRICE, b. Oct. 13, 1878; m. Mar. 6, 1898, Martin L. Tremain and resides in Sedgwick county, Kan.
717. iii. SHERMAN MERRITT, b. Mar. 10, 1881.
- iv. MINNIE LAVINA, b. Oct. 19, 1883; m. Oct. 19, 1902, Ira B. Fleek and resides in Sedgwick county.
- v. LEROY AARON, b. Oct. 22, 1887.
- vi. MARY LUETTA, b. Apr. 8, 1893.

**388. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE** (*David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 13, 1794, in Bourbon county?, Ky.; died July 12, 1833, in Salem, Ind.; married January 2, 1814, in Frankfort?, Ky., Rachel Battershell, born December 28, 1795, in ———, Ky.; died April 27, 1862, in Tampico, Ind.

Joseph Trowbridge lived in Kentucky for fifteen years succeeding his marriage, and followed the trade of a blacksmith. He was successful in this business, being a very large, strong and active man. In 1828 he removed to a small farm two miles southeast of Salem, Washington county, Ind., where he lived the remainder of his life.

CHILDREN :†

718. i. DAVID, b. Jan. 12, 1815.
719. ii. JAMES WALKER, b. Jan. 28, 1817.
- iii. NANCY, b. June 13, 1819; m. July 24, 1836, Charles G. Trueblood of Maysville, Mo.
- iv. MELINDA, b. Apr. 7, 1822; m. Matthew Haun of Bradford, Ind.
- v. MARY ANN, b. Aug. 3, 1824; m. Jacob Trusner and resides in Salem, Ind.
720. vi. DILLARD, b. Jan. 30, 1827.
721. vii. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 10, 1829.
- viii. AMANDA MELVINA, b. Aug. 24, 1832; m., 1st, Aug. 25, 1853, Thomas W. Mitchell of Nashville, Tenn.; m., 2d, May 22, 1867, Andrew Brown of Jackson county, Ind.

\* i-iii born in Clinton county, Ind.; iv-vi in Sedgwick county, Kan.

† i-v born in Frankfort, Ky.; vi near Winchester, Ky.; vii-viii in Salem, Ind.

**389.** DEMPSEY TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 11, 1801, in Bourbon county, Ky.; died March 30, 1839, in Salem, Ind.; married November 27, 1823, in Washington county, Ind., Edith Skelton, daughter of John and Elizabeth (McCarty) Skelton, born October 12, 1807, in ———, Va.; died November 1, 1866, in Rutland, Ill.

Dempsey Trowbridge was quite well educated for his times. He married and settled on a farm seven miles south of Salem, the county seat of Washington county, Ind. Besides cultivating his farm, he taught school, and in May, 1836, he received a license to preach from the Liberty (Disciple's) Church of Washington county. In the fall succeeding his death, his widow removed with her children and her parents to Martinsville, Morgan county, Ind.

"He and his wife were of the sturdy, hard-working people who labored to establish their home amid the forests of Indiana, and the principles of honor and integrity of the parents were found exemplified in their children. The father was laying broad and deep the foundation for the culture and development of his family, but was called away to his eternal reward, leaving the mother with the family of children to care for. This great sorrow came in 1839, just at the time of the great panic, when many people were subjected to bitter poverty. The mother's executive ability, with the cheerful assistance of the children, tided them over the difficult shoals, and launched them out on the sea of life to success and prosperity."

## CHILDREN BORN IN SALEM, IND.:

- i. SAMUEL WARDER, b. Aug. 19, 1824; was a teacher of singing and composed a number of pieces; d. Jan. 3, 1851, in Gosport, Ind.; unm.
722. ii. ALLEN HARVEY, b. Apr. 13, 1826.
- iii. ROBERT TILFORD, b. Nov. 2, 1827; was a school and music teacher; d. Oct. 21, 1851, in Gosport; unm.
- iv. ELIZABETH ANN, b. Feb. 19, 1829; m. Dec. —, 1849, Jefferson Gray of Francesville, Ind.
- v. MARY JANE, b. Aug. 26, 1830; m. Aug. —, 1853, Washington Bennington of Marshall county, Ind.
- vi. BARSHEBA EMELINE, b. Jan. 23, 1832; m. Mar. 1, 1855, James F. Bourne and resides in Minonk, Ill.
- vii. MARTHA EMILY, b. May 5, 1833; m. Dec. 22, 1851, William Hinton Potts and resides in Glen Elder, Kan.
723. viii. JAMES MARTIN, b. Dec. 13, 1834.
- ix. SANFORD, b. Mar. 2, 1836; d. in infancy.
- x. MELINDA ANGELINE, b. July 6, 1837; m. Sept. 10, 1854, John Hume Brown of Jasper county, Ind.
724. xi. DEMPSEY HARRIS, b. Apr. 6, 1839.

**390.** LINZEY TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 20, 1803, in Clark county, Ky.; died May 28, 1863, in West Liberty, Mo.; married April 14, 1831, in Washington county, Ind., Catherine Collins, daughter of William Karnes Collins, born April 7, 1814, in ———, Ind.?.; died May 20, 1879, in Terre Haute, Ind.

Linzey Trowbridge came to Washington county, Ind., with his father in 1828. He settled there after his marriage and lived there until 1835, when he removed to Putnam county. In 1842 he removed to Davis county, Iowa, after making a stay of about one year in Henry county. He lived there until 1855, when he removed to West Liberty, Mo., where he lived the remainder of his life. He was always engaged in farming. He and his family were members of the Christian Church, in which he was a local preacher and elder.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. SARAH JANE, b. Sept. 2, 1832; m. Apr. 1, 1849, Chester Carpenter Taylor and resides in Drakesville, Iowa.

\* i-ii born in Washington county, Ind.; iii-iv in Putnam county, Ind.; v in Henry county, Iowa; vi-viii in Drakesville, Iowa; ix-x in West Liberty, Mo.

- ii. CASSANDRA ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 26, 1835; m. June 17, 1856, John Standfield of West Liberty, Mo.
- iii. MARY ANGELINE, b. Apr. 6, 1837; m. Oct. 9, 1856, Asbury Coffey Davis and resides in Alva, Okla.
- 725. iv. WILLIAM HARRISON, b. Jan. 21, 1840.
- 726. v. DAVID KARNES, b. Sept. 27, 1842.
- vi. MINERVA EMELINE, b. June 8, 1845; m. Apr. 23, 1863, Melville Kidwell and resides in Garfield, Wash.
- vii. A daughter, b. Jan. 21, 1848; d. Feb. 3, 1848.
- viii. ROBERT STANLEY, b. Aug. 13, 1849; d. Oct. 9, 1851.
- ix. JOSEPH HAMILTON, b. Feb. 1, 1852; d. Nov. 9, 1880, in Central City, Mo.; unm.
- 727. x. FRANKLIN HAMILTON, b. Oct. 25, 1855.

**391.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 6, 1807, in Clark county, Ky.; died July 12, 1892, in Jackson county, Ind.; married, first, September 18, 1828, in Washington county, Ind., Margaret Hinkle, born September 24, 1808, in ———; died July 12, 1845, in Sidney, Jackson county, Ind. He married, second, April 30, 1846, in Jackson county, Elizabeth Ann Haun,\* daughter of Henry and Barbara (Hunt) Haun, born May 30, 1818, in Utica, Clark county, Ind.; died January 18, 1905, in Jackson county.

David Trowbridge came with his father about 1828 to near Salem, Washington county, Ind., and settled there after his marriage. About 1842 he removed to the southeastern part of Jackson county, finally settling near Tampico, where he passed the remainder of his life. He was a farmer by occupation and owned a farm of 120 acres. He was a member of the Christian church in Tampico.

CHILDREN :†

*By first marriage:*

- i. MARTHA, b. Sept. 1, 1829; m. Oct. 5, 1845, Robert W. Prince of Warsaw, Iowa.
- ii. WILLIAM, b. Mar. 7, 1831; d. in infancy.
- 728. iii. ROBERT WALKER, b. Oct. 14, 1832.
- iv. LUCRETIA, b. Oct. 5, 1834; m. John Kiley of Tampico, Ind.
- v. MELINDA, b. Apr. 15, 1836; d. in infancy.
- vi. SERENA ANGELINE, b. Aug. 2, 1839; m. Joseph Demores of Lone Tree Station, Iowa.
- 728a. vii. NEWTON CRAWFORD, b. Mar. 29, 1842.
- viii. PHEBE ANN, b. Aug. 23, 1844; m. Feb. 14, 1864, William Dudley Bell and resides in Kingman, Kan.

*By second marriage:*

- 729. ix. DAVID FREEMAN, b. July 1, 1847.
- x. MARY ABELINE, b. Jan. 23, 1849; m., 1st, Dec. 11, 1870, John Miller; m., 2d, June 11, 1880, John Christian Gissman and resides in Brownstown, Ind.
- xi. ELIZA EMELINE, b. Feb. 29, 1850; m. Aug. 11, 1872, Theodore Orr and resides in Crothersville, Ind.
- xii. NANCY MELVINA, b. Sept. 23, 1851; m. Dec. 24, 1885, Michael Waskom and resides in Brownstown.
- xiii. HENRY LEONTIDAS, b. May 29, 1854; d. Sept. 20, 1873.
- 730. xiv. ERASTUS LINSEY, b. Oct. 12, 1856.
- 731. xv. CHARLES WESLEY, b. Aug. 17, 1860.

**391a.** WILLIAM LAMPTON TROWBRIDGE (*Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 25, 1795, in Mount Sterling, Ky.; died May 24, 1858, in Wayne township, Marion county, Ind.; married ———, 1818, in Lexington, Ky., Elizabeth Welch, daughter of Benjamin and Betsy (Ellis) Welch, born ———, 1796, in Lexington; died March 18, 1865, in Wayne township.

\* A sister of the second wife of his nephew No. 719.

† i-vii born in Salem, Ind.; viii in Sidney, Ind.; the others in Jackson county, Ind.

William L. Trowbridge was successively a captain on a river steamboat, a plantation overseer, a school-teacher, a farmer, and a carpenter. He settled after his marriage in Owen county, Ky., three miles south of Owenton. About 1854 he removed with his family to Indianapolis, going the following year to Wayne township, Marion county, and settling on a farm on the Crawfordsville road five miles northwest of Indianapolis, where he lived the remainder of his life. He was killed in a storm that swept over that locality. He was a man of excellent habits and had a great knowledge of the Bible, on which he loved to talk and from which he read more than from any other book. He had been reading aloud from the Bible to his family a few hours before his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN OWEN COUNTY, KY.:

- 731a. i. BENJAMIN ELLIS, b. ———, 1819.  
 ii. NANCY, b. ———, 1821; m. Thomas West of Pope county, Mo.  
 iii. ELIZA ANN, b. ———, 1823; m. William Bibb.  
 iv. THOMAS, b. ———, 1825; d. June 23, 1832.  
 v. ELIZABETH, b. ———, 1827; d. in infancy.
- 731b. vi. JOSEPH F., b. Oct. 29, 1829.  
 vii. ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 25, 1831; m. William Henry Smith and resides in West Line, Mo.\*  
 viii. MARTHA LOUISA, b. ———, 183—; m. Jan. 27, 1857, Aaron Patten of Dade county, Mo.  
 ix. WILLIAM VIRGIL, b. ———, 183—; d. in White county, Ind.; was a physician; m., 1st, about 1857, Emeline Dickerson, who d. June 28, 1876, in Pana, Ill.; m., 2d, ———.\*  
 x. AMERICA B., b. ———, 183—; m. Daniel D. Slyder and resides in Indianapolis, Ind.\*
- 731c. xi. JAMES HENRY, b. Jan. 15, 1841.
- 731d. xii. JOHN WILLIAM, b. Oct. 21, 1844.  
 xiii. SALLIE JANE, b. ———, 184—; m. ——— Best and resides in Indianapolis.\*  
 xiv. POLLY A., b. Mar. 1, 1850; m. Mar. 1, 1874, Solomon Curry and resides in Indianapolis.

**392.** JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 31, 1805, in Clark county, Ky.; died March 15, 1868, in Palmyra, Ind.; married February 2, 1832, in Byrneville, Ind., Julia Ann Sears, daughter of George and Catherine (Haun) Sears, born July 12, 1815, in Lexington?, Ky. She resides in Palmyra.

Joseph Trowbridge in early manhood removed from Kentucky to Indiana. He settled in Palmyra, Harrison county, in the latter state after his marriage and lived there the remainder of his life, which was occupied with farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PALMYRA IND.:

- i. ELIZABETH, b. May 31, 1833; m., 1st, Daniel Berryman; m., 2d, Eric Raynes; m., 3d, James Cronk and resides in Campbell, Tex.\*
732. ii. POLLY ANN, b. Jan. 8, 1835; m. John Clark and resides in Palmyra.\*
732. iii. GEORGE JACOB, b. Mar. 19, 1837.
- iv. ENOCH, b. Feb. 23, 1839; was a soldier in the Civil War. He was mustered Aug. 22, 1861, for three years in Company C, 3d Indiana Cavalry, and d. Oct. 12, 1862, in Washington, D. C.; unm.
- v. JAMES, b. Mar. 29, 1841; d. Nov. 12, 1854.
- vi. WILLIAM, b. June 20, 1843; was a soldier in the Civil War. He was mustered Aug. 19, 1862, for three years in Company C, 66th Indiana Infantry, and was mustered out June 3, 1865. He is a farmer in Kemp, Ill.\*
733. vii. HENRY, b. Apr. 7, 1845.
734. viii. JONATHAN, b. Oct. 16, 1846.
- ix. SARAH CATHERINE, b. Dec. 12, 1848; m., 1st, Robert Mott; m., 2d, Hiram Babcock and resides in Harrison county, Ind.\*
735. x. DAVID, b. Mar. 18, 1851.  
 xi. MARTHA JANE, b. May 18, 1853; d. Feb. 6, 1854.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

xii. PETER, b. Nov. 28, 1854; is a farmer in ———, Kan.

xiii. JULIA ANN, b. Nov. 27, 1856; m. Oct. 20, 1877, Jacob Dietrich and resides in Belleville, Kan.

**392a.** ISAAC TROWBRIDGE (*Jonathon*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 14, 1814, in Bourbon county, Ky.; died November 23, 1853, in Pendleton county, Ky.; married November, —, 1833, in Kenton county, Ky., Margaret (Hudson) Yeager, widow of Simeon Yeager of Kenton county and daughter of Benjamin and Mary Ann (Arnold) Hudson, born ———, 1796, in Pulaski county, Ky.; died August 28, 1870, in Pendleton county.

Isaac Trowbridge at the age of nineteen went to Kenton county, Ky., and went to work on the farm of Mrs. Margaret Yeager, whose husband had died in 1832, and a few months later married her. He continued farming there for some years and then removed to a farm in Pendleton county, Ky., where he died.

CHILD BORN IN KENTON COUNTY, KY.:

735a. i. JONATHAN DILLARD, b. Sept. 25, 1834.

**393.** JONATHAN TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 30, 1800, in Clark county, Ky.; died July 8, 1860, in Greencastle, Ind.; married ———, 1820, in Lincoln county, Ky., Louise Singleton, daughter of Matthew and Nancy (Brown) Singleton, born April 14, 1804, in Lincoln county; died November 1, 1856, in Greencastle.

Jonathan Trowbridge for a number of years after his marriage lived on a farm near where he was born in Clark county, Ky. In 1828 he removed to Putnam county, Ind., settling on a farm near the county seat, Greencastle, where, being a carpenter as well as a farmer, he built his own house. He was always a Republican in politics. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church in Greencastle, in which he was a steward and class leader for ten years, and led the life of a consistent Christian.

CHILDREN:\*

- i. NANCY, b. Nov. 7, 1821; d. in infancy.
- ii. WILLIAM MONROE, b. Aug. 1, 1823; d. aged 5 months.
736. iii. GRANVILLE GASTON, b. Mar. 28, 1825.
- iv. ELIZABETH, b. May 31, 1827; m. Dec. 28, 1863, Robert Call of Putnam county, Ind.
- v. MELINDA JANE, b. Apr. 11, 1830; m. Nov. 19, 1862, Samuel Washington Call and resides in Garden City, Kan.
- vi. LUCINDA DOVE, b. July 4, 1832; m. Oct. 18, 1849, Christopher Samuel Perkins and resides in Emporia, Kan.

**394.** ALEXANDER TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1804, in Clark county, Ky.; died ———, 18—, in Springfield?, Ky.; married ———.†

Alexander Trowbridge is believed to have been a farmer all his life near Springfield, Ky.

CHILDREN BORN IN SPRINGFIELD?, KY.:‡

- i. NANCY, b. ———, 182—; m. ——— Waters of Springfield.
- ii. JANE, b. ———, 182—.
- iii. MARGARET, b. ———, 183—.

**395.** EBENEZER TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 20, 1808, in Clark county, Ky.; died September 22, 1875, in Clay county, Ill.; married February 22, 1836, in Mackville, Ky., Lucy Noel.

\* i, ii and iv born in Clark county, Ky.; iii in Montgomery county, Ky.; v-vi near Greencastle, Ind.

† Descendants failed to answer the compiler's letters.



daughter of Muscar and Elizabeth (Smith) Noel, born June 8, 1818, in Garret county, Ky.; died February 23, 1902, in Ingraham, Ill.

Ebenezer Trowbridge settled in Mackville, Washington county, Ky., after his marriage and lived there nearly fifteen years. In October, 1850, he removed with his family to Orangeville, Ind., where he lived until May, 1860, then removing to Pixley township, Clay county, Ill., where he lived the remainder of his life. He was a stone mason and farmer.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. JAMES, b. Feb. 10, 1837; d. Sept. 17, 1864, in Clay county, Ill.; unm.
- ii. ARRATY, b. Dec. 23, 1839; m. Mar. 4, 1866, Johnson W. Brant and resides in Ingraham, Ill.
- iii. NANCY, b. Sept. 20, 1842; d. in infancy.
- iv. ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 11, 1844; m., 1st, Mar. 5, 1864, Aaron Hanna of Noble, Ill.; m., 2d, Oct. 10, 1866, Joshua Arnold of Noble.
- v. MARGARET, b. May 14, 1847; m. May 3, 1866, Francis Marion Shore and resides in Milan, Kan.
- 737. vi. GORDON, b. Sept. 29, 1849.
- vii. MARY, b. Aug. 5, 1852; m. Mar. 5, 1881, Samuel Bateman and resides in Noble.
- viii. AMERICA, b. Oct. 25, 1855; d. in infancy.
- 738. ix. CALVIN, b. Apr. 22, 1857.
- x. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 4, 1859; d. Dec. 25, 1860.

**396.** JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 24, 1812, in Stanford, Ky.; died January 1, 1894, in Huron, Ind.; married, first, February 16, 1837, in Lincoln county, Ky., Jane Goode, daughter of Joseph and Nancy (Camby) Goode, born August 23, 1816, in Lincoln county; died November 6, 1863, in Washington county, Ky. He married, second, October 1, 1864, in Mercer county, Ky., Maria Taylor, born ———, 1848, in Orange county, Ind.; died September 25, 1900, in Huron, Ind.

Joseph Trowbridge was a school-teacher and farmer in Mercer and Boyle counties, Ky., for a few years. In 1841 he settled in Washington county, Ky., where he lived about twenty-five years. During the Civil War he and two of his sons fought in the battle of Perryville. About 1866 he removed to Huron, Lawrence county, Ind., where he lived the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN :†

*By first marriage:*

- 739. i. GEORGE MERRITT, b. Jan. 6, 1838.
- 740. ii. JOHN ALEXANDER, b. Feb. 7, 1840.
- 741. iii. JOSEPH TERRY, b. July 29, 1842.
- iv. LAWRENCE DOW, b. Jan. 5, 1845; d. Feb. 7, 1846.

**397.** MERRITT TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 181—, in Stanford?, Ky.; died ———, 18—, in ———; married, first, Deborah Burns. He married, second, Priscilla (Head) Sorles.

Merritt Trowbridge was a stone mason and farmer. After the death of his father he removed with his mother to Orangeville, Ind., and after her death he removed to King's Point, Dade county, Mo., where he joined the Methodist Episcopal church and became a class leader. He removed from Missouri, since which time his relatives have not heard from him.

## CHILD BORN IN LINCOLN COUNTY?, KY.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. MARGARET, b. ———, 183-?; m. ——— Bates.

\* i-vi born in Mackville, Ky.; the others in Orangeville, Ind.

† i born in Mercer county, Ky.; ii in Perryville, Boyle county, Ky.; iii-iv in Washington county, Ky.

**398.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 24, 1805, in Boone county, Ky.; died December 15, 1865, in Hancock county, Ind.; married, first, ———, 1822, in Scott county, Ky., Sarah Wiggins, daughter of John Wiggins, born ———, 1806, in Scott county; died February 10, 1855, in Hancock county. He married, second, September —, 1855, in Rush county, Ind., Susan (House) Leisure, widow of Benjamin? Leisure, born March 4, 1811, in Lexington, Ky.; died August 17, 1897, in Grant county, Ind.

James Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Boone county, Ky., and lived there until about 1854, when he removed to Hancock county, Ind., where he passed the remainder of his life. He was a farmer.

## CHILDREN :\*

*By first marriage:*

742. i. ABSALOM, b. May 25, 1823.  
 743. ii. WILLIAM BRADFORD, b. Jan. 28, 1827.  
 744. iii. JAMES, b. ———, 1830.  
 iv. SARAH LOUISA, b. ———, 1833; m. James Frost of Hancock county, Ind.

*By second marriage:*

745. v. FRANCIS MARION, b. Aug. 28, 1856.

**399.** ISAAC TROWBRIDGE (*Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 9, 1814, in Boone county, Ky.; died February 17, 1892, in Dunreith, Ind.; married, first, ———, 1837, in Scott county, Ky., Tabitha Morgan, daughter of Charles and Polly (Osborn) Morgan, born September 1, 1800, in Scott county; died October 16, 1878, in Rush county, Ind. He married, second, ———, 1855, Lydia Adams.

Isaac Trowbridge after his marriage settled in Scott county, Ky. In 1844 he removed to Hancock county, Ind., and finally settled in Dunreith, Henry county, Ind., where he lived until his death. He was engaged in farming all his life.

## CHILDREN :†

*By first marriage:‡*

- i. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. Feb. 27, 1838; was a farmer; d. Feb. 23, 1898, in Rush county, Ind.; unm.  
 ii. CALVIN HENRY, b. ———, 1839; d. ———, 1841.  
 746. iii. JAMES WILLIAM, b. June 9, 1841.  
 747. iv. JOHN CALVIN, b. Feb. 7, 1843.  
 v. LOUISA ANN, b. June 9, 1845; m. May —, 1879, Charles Linsey of Rush county.

**400.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 15, 1825, in Boone county, Ky.; died August 8, 1865, in Center township, Rush county, Ind.; married ———, 1858, in Rush county?, Phebe Cook, daughter of Giles and Martha (Brown) Cook, born March 10, 1836, in Cass county, Ind. She married, second, John C. Trowbridge (No. 747).

John Trowbridge came from Kentucky to Center township, Rush county, Ind., and was engaged in farming there the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN RUSH COUNTY, IND.:

- i. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 15, 1859; m. John J. Trowbridge (No. 973).  
 ii. LAURA, b. ———, 1862; m. Aaron Reeves and resides in Knightstown, Ind. §  
 748. iii. FRANK, b. June 16, 1864.

\* i born in Scott county, Ky.; ii-iv in Boone county, Ky.; v in Rush county, Ind.

† i-iv born in Scott county, Ky.; v in Hancock county, Ind.

‡ No children by second marriage.

§ Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

**401.** SILAS TROWBRIDGE (*Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 182–?, in Boone county, Ky.; died October 23, 1867, in Center township, Rush county, Ind.; married ———, 1860, in Rush county?, Polly Ann Dimmick, daughter of Cordial and Sarah (Brown) Dimmick.

Silas Trowbridge probably came with his elder brother from Kentucky to Rush county, Ind., where he lived the remainder of his life. He was a farmer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CENTER TOWNSHIP, RUSH COUNTY, IND.:

- i. MARY ELLEN, b. ———, 1862; m. Edward Reeves and resides in Knightstown, Ind.\*
- ii. SARAH MANORA, b. Oct. 25, 1864; m. Dec. 28, 1882, Alva Azariah Apple and resides in Willow Branch, Ind.

**401a.** SILAS C. TROWBRIDGE (*Chilion*<sup>210</sup>, *Absalom*<sup>140</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1833, in Morristown, N. J.; died December 28, 1887, in Morristown; married, first, ———, 1860, in Morristown?, Louisa Masker,† daughter of Charles Byrum and Jane (List) Masker, born August —, 1842, in Morristown?; died October 18, 1861, in Morristown. He married, second, ———, 186–, in Morristown?, Cordelia Cameron, born May 18, 1842, in Morristown?; died June 13, 1880, in Morristown.

Silas C. Trowbridge was a farmer in Morristown, N. J. He was a soldier in the Civil War. He was enrolled July 11, 1862, for three years as a private in Company C, 15th New Jersey Infantry, and was mustered out June 22, 1865.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MORRISTOWN, N. J.:

*By second marriage:‡*

- i. HARRIET, b. ———, 186–; m., 1st, George Redding of Morristown; m., 2d, Scott McGowan and resides in Morristown.§
- ii. WILLIAM, b. ———, 186–; resides in Morristown.§
- iii. SAMUEL, b. ———, 186–; resides in Morristown: unm.§
- iv. EMMA, b. ———, 187–; m. Frank Force and resides in Brookside, N. J.§
- v. SARAH, b. ———, 187–; d. unm.
- vi. FREDERICK N., b. Sept. —, 1875; d. Mar. 15, 1876.
- vii. BELLE, b. ———, 187–.

**401b.** JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Chilion*<sup>210</sup>, *Absalom*<sup>140</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 5, 1837, in Morristown, N. J.; died December 10, 1888, in Brookside, N. J.; married July 19, 1863, in Morristown, Mary Jane Masker,|| daughter of Charles Byrum and Jane (List) Masker, born August 10, 1848, in Morristown. She resides in Dover, N. J.

Joseph Trowbridge was a farmer, living most of his life in Morris county, N. J., and the last years in Brookside, N. J. He was a soldier in the Civil War. He was enrolled September 3, 1862, for nine months as a private in Company I, 27th New Jersey Infantry, and was mustered out July 2, 1863. He re-entered the army and was enrolled September 2, 1864, as a recruit in Company A, 2d New Jersey Cavalry, and was discharged at Vicksburg, Miss., May 8, 1865.

## CHILDREN:\*\*

- i. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 12, 1866; resides in Dover, N. J.; unm.
- 748a. ii. GEORGE HENRY, b. Dec. 13, 1867.
- iii. CHARLES EDMUND, b. Oct. 27, 1868; d. Jan. 29, 1886, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.
- iv. WILLIAM AUGUSTUS, b. Jan. 6, 1872; d. Oct. 1, 1876.
- v. FRANKLIN, b. May 13, 1873; d. Oct. 5, 1876.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† A sister of the wife of his brother No. 401b.

‡ No children by first marriage.

§ Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

|| A sister of the first wife of his brother No. 401a.

\*\* i-ii born in Hackettstown, N. J.; iii in Pleasant Grove, N. J.; the others in Morristown, N. J.

- vi. MINNIE, b. Apr. 1, 1875; d. Apr. 22, 1878.
- vii. WILBERT FRANCIS, b. Jan. 29, 1877; d. Dec. 5, 1890.
- viii. AMANDA AUGUSTA, b. Nov. 30, 1880; m. Jan. 29, 1898, Albert Jeremiah Wiggins\* and resides in Washington, N. J.
- ix. EDITH, b. June 4, 1882; d. Mar. 15, 1888.

**401c.** GEORGE ABSALOM TROWBRIDGE (*Chilion*<sup>210</sup>, *Absalom*<sup>140</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 8, 1848, in Morristown, N. J.; resides in Morristown; married April 24, 1871, in Madison, N. J., Hannah Caroline Armstrong, daughter of John and Jane (McCollum) Armstrong, born July 16, 1850, in Morristown.

George A. Trowbridge resides in Morristown, N. J., and is janitor of the public school on Liberty street.

CHILDREN BORN IN MORRISTOWN, N. J.:

- i. MAUDE MULLER, b. July 4, 1872.
- ii. LUTRELL, b. May 22, 1874.
- iii. FLORENCE ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 16, 1876.
- 748b. iv. GEORGE HENRY, b. May 25, 1883.
- v. OLIVE MYRTLE, b. June 8, 1889.

**402.** HENRY HARMON TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>211</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>142</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 25, 1821, in Harrison township, Preble county, Ohio; died July 31, 1873, in Franklin township, Darke county, Ohio; married April 9, 1854, in Van Buren township, Darke county, Catherine Wogerman, daughter of Jacob and Polly (Overly) Wogerman, born July 27, 1836, in Wayne township, Darke county; died July 25, 1873, in Franklin.

Henry H. Trowbridge settled in Franklin township, near Poplar Ridge, Darke county, Ohio, and was a farmer. He tried to enlist as a soldier during the Civil War, but was rejected because he had broken his right forefinger.

CHILDREN BORN IN POPLAR RIDGE, DARKE COUNTY, OHIO:†

- i. MARY JANE, b. Jan. 27, 1856; m. July 18, 1874, William Weaver of Greenville, Ohio.
- ii. MARGARET ANNE, b. Sept. 10, 1857; m. Jan. 1, 1881, John Frederick Miller and resides in Greenville.
- 749. iii. JOSEPH GORDON, b. May 25, 1859.
- iv. PHILIP RILEY, b. Jan. 8, 1861; is a farmer in Monroe township (Laura P. O.), Miami county, Ohio; unm.
- 750. v. EMMANUEL HENRY, b. Nov. 23, 1862.
- vi. SIMON WILLIAM, b. May 24, 1865; d. Aug. 2, 1873.
- 751. vii. SIMEON ALLSWORTH, b. Apr. 17, 1868.
- viii. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. May 23, 1871; m. Mar. 28, 1891, James Edward Weaver and resides in Van Buren township, Darke county, Ohio.
- ix. JOHN WESLEY OSCAR, b. Apr. 20, 1873; d. July 25, 1873.

**403.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>211</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>142</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 19, 1834, in Poplar Ridge, Greenville, Ohio; resides in Gettysburgh township (Greenville P. O.), Ohio; married December 29, 1853, in Gettysburgh township, Darke county, Ohio, Rachel Rebecca Miller,‡ daughter of Philip and Rachel (Baldwin) Miller, born March 12, 1832, in Taneytown, Md.

David Trowbridge has been engaged in farming all his life in his native county. He lives at present in Gettysburgh township, near Greenville, Ohio.

\* A son of No. 689, iii.

† Except iii, who was born in Van Buren township, Darke county.

‡ A sister of the husband of his sister No. 211, iv.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. RACHEL MARGARET, b. Dec. 22, 1855; m. Harvey Vanatta and resides in Jaysville, Ohio.
752. ii. JOHN, b. Feb. 28, 1858.
- iii. NANCY JANE, b. Apr. 8, 1861; m. Sept. 20, 1877, Charles Fremont Best and resides in Jaysville.
- iv. MARY ELENORA, b. Mar. 11, 1863; m. Jan. 18, 1880, George Riley Schneck and resides in Landis, Ohio.
- v. SARAH KEZIAH, b. Nov. 1, 1865; m. Oct. 6, 1883, Isaac Vanatta and resides in Greenville, Ohio.
- vi. WILLIAM, b. Aug. 23, 1868; was a farmer; d. Feb. 22, 1905, in Gettysburgh, Ohio; unm.
- vii. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. Feb. 5, 1871; is farming with his father; unm.
- viii. SAMUEL HARVEY, b. Aug. 22, 1873; is farming with his father; unm.

404. FREDERICK TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>211</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>142</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 14, 1836, in Poplar Ridge, Greenville, Ohio; died July 6, 1898, in Arcanum, Ohio; married December 4, 1864, in Poplar Ridge, Clara Stoup, daughter of Ezra and Margaret (Meblett) Stoup, born October 17, 1846, in Cincinnati, Ohio. She resides in Arcanum.

Frederick Trowbridge was a cooper by trade. He lived for a few years after his marriage in his native place and then moved to the neighboring town of Arcanum, where he lived the rest of his life. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church and of the Knights of Pythias.

## CHILDREN :†

- i. IDA MAX, b. Nov. 3, 1865; m. Mar. 31, 1885, Jacob Allison Kepner and resides in Lima, Ohio.
- ii. SARAH ABBY, b. Dec. 11, 1866; m. Jan. 25, 1887, Rufus Ogden and resides in Columbus, Ohio.
- iii. ETTIE SUSAN, b. Nov. 29, 1869; m. Nov. 23, 1888, Henry Christopher Ropp and resides in Arcanum, Ohio.
- iv. VINIE LEATIE, b. Jan. 21, 1872; d. Aug. 12, 1873.
- v. ANDREW DARRE, b. June 7, 1874; is in the automobile business in Arcanum; unm.
- vi. CARRIE BELLE, b. May 12, 1877; m. Aug. 25, 1896, Daniel North and resides in Ludlow Falls, Ohio.
- vii. SURILDA VASHTIE, b. Oct. 14, 1879; m. June 29, 1902, John H. Porter and resides in Pittsburg, Ohio.
- viii. EZRA ARTHUR, b. Feb. 5, 1883; d. Mar. 2, 1885.
- ix. MARY MARIA, b. June 29, 1886; d. Dec. 28, 1886.
- x. JENNIE LOUISA, b. Oct. 27, 1889.
- xi. DAVID WALTER, b. Mar. 2, 1891.

405. SIMON TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>211</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>142</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 3, 1845, in Poplar Ridge, Greenville, Ohio; resides in Center, Ind.; married April 20, 1871, in Greenville, Sarah Ann Butts, daughter of Jacob and Rachel (Fox) Butts, born February 22, 1851, at Kenton (or Clinton) Furnace on the Ohio river.

Simon Trowbridge at the age of nineteen became a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted near his home February 23, 1864, for three years in Company G, 8th Ohio Cavalry. On January 11, 1865, he was taken prisoner and confined in Libby Prison and the Pemberton House. He was mustered out July 30, 1865. After his marriage he settled in Center, Ind., where he at present lives, being head sawyer in a mill there. He is a member of the Christian Church and of the I. O. O. F., which he joined in 1871.

## CHILD BORN IN CENTER.‡ IND. :

753. i. WILLIAM OSSIE OLA, b. May 28, 1875.

\* i, iii-v born in Gettysburgh township, Darke county, Ohio; ii near Arcanum, Ohio; vi-viii in Poplar Ridge, Darke county.

† i-ii born in Poplar Ridge, Ohio; the others in Arcanum, Ohio.

‡ A railroad station, originally Tampico.

**406.** WALTER TROWBRIDGE (*William C.*<sup>212</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>142</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 2, 1822, in Catawissa, Pa.; died November 6, 1905, in Dayton, Ohio; married July 2, 1846, in Louisville, Ky., Frances Olivia Gambrall, daughter of Benjamin and Mary Bradley (Essender) Gambrall, born January 12, 1829, in Baltimore, Md. She resides in Dayton.

Walter Trowbridge learned the shoemaker's trade and was in the boot and shoe business in Dayton, Ohio.

## CHILD BORN IN DAYTON, OHIO:

- i. THESEUS EMMETT, b. Sept. 23, 1850; is a draughtsman in Dayton; unm.

**407.** GEORGE ELI TROWBRIDGE (*Eli*<sup>213</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>144</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 15, 1829, in New Haven, Conn.; resides in New Haven; married December 17, 1854, in West Haven, Conn., Emily Amanda Platt, daughter of Nathan and Mary (Meloy) Platt, born January 8, 1833, in West Haven; died October 13, 1902, in New Haven.

George E. Trowbridge resides in his native city, New Haven, Conn., where he was engaged for many years in the bookbinding business, but has been retired from active business for several years past. In his boyhood he attended the old Lancasterian School under Mr. Lovell, and takes pride in anything relating to the associations of those days. He was later a member of the volunteer fire department and he still has his old helmet and fire bucket. He always has been of a modest and retiring nature, and has taken his chief pleasure in his home and in reading.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW HAVEN, CONN.:

754. i. FREDERICK LOUIE, b. Oct. 25, 1857.
- ii. HARRIET EMILY, b. Dec. 22, 1868; m. June 20, 1895, Robert Pierpont and resides in New Haven.

**408.** JOHN PECK TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>214</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>145</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 13, 1817, in Litchfield, Conn.; died July 20, 1899, in Wallingford, Conn.; married July 3, 1851, in Litchfield, Laura M. Crossman, daughter of Jacob and Celesta (Perry) Crossman, born June 8, 1829, in Falls Village, Conn.; died April 19, 1885, in Plainville, Conn.

John P. Trowbridge learned the trade of a painter in his native town, Litchfield, Conn., and followed it for some years. It was during this period that he was a member of the Litchfield Blues, a noted local military company of that day. From 1847 to 1849 he was in New Haven, Conn. After his marriage he kept a grocery store in Litchfield for some years, and then removed to Plainville, Conn., where he lived until shortly before his death. After the death of his wife he lived alone in his own well-furnished house on Canal street. He was sexton of the Episcopal church in Plainville until his health failed, and the ladies' guild of that church met every week at his home until it built a house near the church. The infirmities of old age caused him to go to live in the Masonic Home in Wallingford the year previous to his death. He was made a Master Mason in 1860 and was charter member of Frederick Lodge, No. 14, F. and A. M., of Plainville, and served twelve years as secretary of that lodge.

## NO CHILDREN.

**409.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>216</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>145</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 11, 1819, in Litchfield, Conn.; died January 16, 1885, in Columbia township, Iowa; married June 20, 1852, in Litchfield, Julia Ann Munger, daughter of Truman and Margaret (Hart) Munger, born December 18, 1826, in Litchfield; died July 16, 1892, in Columbia township.

James Trowbridge learned the tailoring trade, and was engaged in that business in his native town, Litchfield, Conn., until his removal to the West in

the spring of 1856. He settled in Columbia township, near Tama, Iowa, then a wild and desolate plain. He in time had a farm under cultivation, and he there passed the remainder of his life, being assisted in the farm duties by his son. He served several terms there as township trustee. He was very fond of reading and was a well-informed man, and, although not a member of any church, he was held in good esteem in the community where he lived.

## CHILDREN :

755. i. CHARLES HERBERT, b. May 11, 1853, in Litchfield, Conn.  
 ii. LILLIAN EMILY, b. Nov. 12, 1864, in Toledo, Iowa; m. Oct. 2, 1890, Henry Dumas Cory and resides in Columbia township (Tama P. O.), Iowa.

**410.** GEORGE HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Henry P.*<sup>219</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>145</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 4, 1843, in Litchfield, Conn.; died April 18, 1896, in Litchfield; married October 13, 1868, in Washington, Conn., Ellen Gillette, daughter of Henry Stebens and Laura Ann (Baldwin) Gillette, born January 15, 1845, in Brookfield, Conn. She resides in Litchfield.

George H. Trowbridge passed his boyhood and young manhood in his native town, and assisted his father in his hide and leather business. In the spring of 1864 he went to New Haven, Conn., where he took a position as a clerk in the grocery store of Charles H. Oaks, being later advanced to be bookkeeper for that concern. Early in 1866 he returned to Litchfield, and accepted the position of clerk and bookkeeper in the First National Bank. He was later advanced to be teller in the bank, and also became secretary and treasurer of the Litchfield Savings Society. He filled these positions until the fall of 1875, when he resigned and formed a partnership with Almon E. Fuller in the furniture business, under the firm name of Fuller & Trowbridge. This business was successfully carried on until May, 1890, when he sold his interest in it to Mr. Fuller and resumed his former positions in the bank and savings society, which he held until his death.

Mr. Trowbridge was a member of the First Congregational Church in Litchfield, and was treasurer of the First Ecclesiastical Society for a number of years. In 1885 he bought his father's homestead from the heirs of his uncle Stephen Trowbridge and, after putting in some modern conveniences, resided there until 1892, when he sold it as a site for the Litchfield Club. Mr. Trowbridge was highly esteemed by his business associates and by his fellow townspeople. The Rev. John Hutchins, the officiating clergyman at the funeral services held over Mr. Trowbridge's remains, in the course of his remarks, said: "I can add nothing to the high estimation in which our deceased brother was held, save the presence of this large concourse of friends to pay the last tribute to his memory, for his record is with you."

## CHILDREN BORN IN LITCHFIELD, CONN. :

756. i. EDWARD GILLETTE, b. Feb. 26, 1870.  
 ii. CLARA ELLEN, b. Dec. 4,\* 1871; d. June 28, 1895, in Litchfield; unm.  
 iii. OTIS HENRY, b. Oct. 31, 1874; d. Dec. 5, 1874.

**411.** THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Henry P.*<sup>219</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>145</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 17, 1857, in Litchfield, Conn.; died March 28, 1900, in North Grafton, Mass.; married August 31, 1880, in Paxton, Mass., Ellen Maria Kilbourn, daughter of Lewis Sherwood and Martha Ann (Kingsbury) Kilbourn, born January 2, 1862, in Litchfield; died April 5, 1900, in North Grafton.

Thomas Trowbridge was a painter and paper hanger by trade and was in that business in Watertown, Conn., and North Grafton, Mass.

\* By family record (correct); 5 by town record.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WATERTOWN, CONN. :\*

- i. RUBY MARIA, b. Sept. 18, 1881; m. Aug. 7, 1907, George M. Fox and resides in Watertown.
- ii. GERTRUDE RUTH, b. Aug. 9, 1885; m. Mar. 14, 1906, Robert Taft Hall and resides in Worcester, Mass.
- iii. EDNA MAY, b. May 8, 1887.
- iv. HENRY LEWIS, b. July 19, 1890; is in business in Upton, Mass.; unm.
- v. JULIA ELIZABETH, b. July 12, 1896.

**412.** WILLIAM HALL TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen P.*<sup>221</sup>, *William*<sup>146</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 12, 1862, in Rutland, Vt.; resides in Springfield, Mass.; married July 2, 1889, in Griffin's Mills, N. Y., Daisy Jane Finney Horsford, daughter of Myron Hinsdale and Sarah Ann (Stearns) Horsford, born February 9, 1864, in East Charlotte, Vt.

William H. Trowbridge attended the public schools in his native place until the age of twelve years, when, his health not being good, he spent two years on the farm of his maternal uncle, Horatio N. Chase, in Rutland, Vt. He then entered the Waterbury Seminary at Waterbury, Vt., where he took a three-year college preparatory course, and later was graduated from the Minard Commercial School at Waterbury. That year he secured the position of assistant postmaster at Waterbury, under Justin W. Moody, in which he continued until 1884, when they both resigned, owing to the election of Grover Cleveland to the presidency. He then returned to Rutland to take care of his mother, who was living alone there at the time. He engaged in the grocery business and continued in it for about ten years, when, finding his health becoming impaired by close confinement, he removed to Charlotte, Vt. After a rest, he formed a partnership with O. T. Briggs, under the firm name of Briggs & Trowbridge, dealers in bicycles and electrical supplies in Waterbury. He remained there until December 7, 1904, when he removed to Springfield, Mass., and became secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, which position he still holds.

Mr. Trowbridge became a member of the Congregational church in Rutland, Vt., when ten years of age and has always taken active part in church work. He was an active member of the Y. M. C. A. in Rutland, being chairman of the Christian work committee for a long time, and was pianist for the association for a number of years. He became a member by letter in the Congregational churches in the other towns in which he has resided.

## CHILDREN :

- i. ELIZABETH HORSFORD, b. Aug. 28, 1893, in Rutland, Vt.
- ii. PAULINE, b. Apr. 15, 1897, in East Charlotte, Vt.

**413.** AMAZIAH LUCAS TROWBRIDGE (*Morgan J.*<sup>223</sup>, *Joseph E.*<sup>147</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 12, 1847, in Cazenovia, N. Y.; resides in Cazenovia; married June 30, 1874, in Chittenango, N. Y., Frances Metcalf, daughter of John and Asenath (Richards) Metcalf, born April 15, 1849, in Chittenango; died May 4, 1875, in Chittenango.

A. Lucas Trowbridge is a prosperous farmer in his native town, Cazenovia, N. Y.

## CHILD BORN IN CHITTENANGO, N. Y. :

- i. BENJAMIN LUCAS, b. May 3, 1875; d. May 7, 1875.

**414.** MARCUS HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>224</sup>, *Justus*<sup>148</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 29, 1827, in New Haven, Conn.; died January 28, 1891, in Catskill, N. Y.; married May 7, 1854, in Catskill, Harriet Gunn, daughter of Medad Hunt and Anne (Decker) Gunn, born August 27, 1831, in Lawrenceville, Pa.; died February 21, 1907, in Catskill.

\* Except i, who was born in Boylston, Mass.







*Mr. H. Trowbridge*

Marcus H. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Catskill, N. Y. After leaving school he learned the printing trade with John R. Sylvester in the *Recorder* office, afterwards working for Joseph Joesbury in the *Democrat* office. In 1845, when only eighteen years of age, with Ward Gunn, who later became his brother-in-law, he bought the Catskill *Messenger*, the local organ of the Whig party. The name of the paper was changed to the Greene County *Whig* in 1849, and finally, in 1857, to the Catskill *Examiner*. The paper has been Republican in politics ever since the birth of that party. The partnership of Trowbridge & Gunn ceased on January 1, 1864, from which time the business was continued by Mr. Trowbridge alone. At the times of these various changes the paper was enlarged and improved in its different departments as the increasing business warranted. Beginning before he had attained his majority, he was a publisher for over forty-five years and died literally in the harness. He was frequently solicited to accept public office, but always declined, preferring to devote his whole time to the editing of his paper.

"Loyal to his party, he was not offensively aggressive. Preferring peace with all men, and submissive to discourtesies which most men would resent, when pressed to return an assault his pen cut to the blood line. No one deplored more than he these occasions, and no one welcomed more than he the advent of impersonal journalism, bringing in broader views of men and politics. With him, friendship was more than friendliness—it was devotion. Only his most intimate friends knew and felt the strength of this trait. It was not paraded as a rare quality, but was shown in the every-day uses of life. And doubtless it was largely due to this feature of his character, that many of those who had at one time and another been estranged by the animosities of partisan warfare became his steadfast friends.

"In one point especially his editorial work deserves notice and emulation. His columns were kept *clean*. Good taste and good principle ruled there, to a degree seldom seen in this fast and flippant age; no doubtful jests or floating bits of scandal were admitted. He paid great attention to the literary tone of his selections, and a piece of good verse was a treasure-trove to him. He took great interest in literature, and liked nothing so well as a talk upon literary topics. The refinement of his mind was notable. To some extent, these pages have always reflected the purity and honesty of their owner's character; but only those who have known him well in private relations are aware how fully his life bore out this favorable witness. His mind seemed to be of a natural cleanness that was impervious to low temptations; he simply did not know or understand them, and had no occasion for 'overcoming' in that respect. In every personal relation he was admirable; his integrity was blameless, his kindness untiring, and his forbearance was sometimes even too great; it was so hard to find fault, that no word of complaint would come unless with the sudden rush of a long-pent avalanche."\*

## CHILDREN BORN IN CATSKILL, N. Y.:

- i. ADELAIDE, b. Mar. 7, 1855; m. June 2, 1875, Rev. Algernon Sidney Crapsey and resides in Rochester, N. Y.
- ii. ARTHUR HUNT, b. Oct. 24, 1858; d. Aug. 3, 1883, in Catskill; unm.

**415.** HOBART TROWBRIDGE (*Charles*<sup>225</sup>, *Justus*<sup>148</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 1, 1837, in Catskill, N. Y.; died November 9, 1869, in Hudson, N. Y.; married April 5, 1867, in Hudson, Katherine Van Wagenen Miller, daughter of Cornelius and Mary (Van Wagenen) Miller, born August 13, 1849, in Hudson. She married, second, June 15, 1881, in Hudson, Charles Field Livermore of Chicago, Ill., where she died March 8, 1902.

\* From the Catskill *Examiner*.

Hobart Trowbridge held clerical positions in a store in Catskill and in the commission business in Albany, N. Y. A short time before his death he had established himself in the general grocery trade in Hudson, N. Y.

## CHILD BORN IN HUDSON, N. Y.:

757. i. CORNELIUS MILLER, b. Jan. 21, 1869.

416. CHARLES TROWBRIDGE (*Charles*<sup>225</sup>, *Justus*<sup>148</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 24, 1840, in Catskill, N. Y.; resides in Catskill; married November 19, 1873, in Coventryville, N. Y., Mary Joesbury, daughter of Joseph and Eliza (West) Joesbury, born March 17, 1853, in Birmingham, England.

Charles Trowbridge resides in his native place, Catskill, N. Y. He learned the watchmaking trade when a young man, but never followed it. He was for a short time established in the grocery trade in Catskill, but retired and entered the employ of his father in the chandlery business, and on the death of his father became his successor in that business.

## CHILD BORN IN CATSKILL, N. Y.:

i. FRANK WEST, b. Sept. 20, 1874; is a proprietor of a drug store in New York City; unm.

417. PHILO MALLORY TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>227</sup>, *John*<sup>149</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 4, 1810, in Roxbury, Conn.; died January 11, 1875, in Woodbury, Conn.; married September 18, 1837, in Norfolk, Conn., Sarah Earl Aiken, daughter of Lemuel and Sally (Thompson) Aiken, born December 11, 1818, in Norfolk; died March 18, 1895, in Norfolk.

Philo M. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in Roxbury, Conn., and settled there after his marriage. He removed to Woodbury, Conn., in 1849, and became one of its most prominent and useful citizens, and held many offices of trust in the town. He served on the board of education in Woodbury and was school director for many years. At the age of eighteen he joined the Congregational church in Roxbury, then under the pastoral care of an uncle, Rev. Fosdic Harrison. After his removal to Woodbury he united by letter with the First Congregational Church, of which for the last nine years of his life he was the senior acting deacon. He was active in every good enterprise, visiting the sick and the poor, advising with those in trouble, and endeavoring to heal all differences among the brethren. He was singularly modest and unobtrusive in all his ways, and, thoroughly understanding the varied phases of human nature, he was able to speak the acceptable word at the right time, carrying conviction of the right to the most reluctant mind. He was tireless in his efforts to do good. He was an ardent lover of music, and for many years gave instruction in singing schools and was the leader of church choirs and musical societies, having amid his other duties found time to perfect himself in the theory and practice of music. As a teacher, visitor and superintendent in district and Sunday schools he was largely useful in his influence for good. As an antiquary, he greatly aided the authors in the histories of Woodbury and Waterbury, Conn., particularly in the genealogical portions. He was admitted a member of the New England Historic Genealogical Society April 16, 1853. He made researches among families of his branch of the Trowbridges, descended from his grandfather, for "The Trowbridge Family," published in 1872.

## NO CHILDREN.

418. CHARLES SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>227</sup>, *John*<sup>149</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 4, 1812, in Roxbury, Conn.; died October 7, 1886, in Auburn, N. Y.; married, first, July 30, 1834, in Woodbury,



Wm. M. Rowbridge



Conn., Annjennette Hurlburt, daughter of John and Laura (Pond) Hurlburt, born February 3, 1812, in Woodbury; died October 15, 1835, in Woodbury. He married, second, September 5, 1836, in Auburn, Julia Ann Mills, daughter of Dea. David and Anna Rose (Leonard) Mills, born August 11, 1814, in Parsippany, N. J.; died February 13, 1895, in Auburn.

Charles S. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in Roxbury, Conn. He lived there and in the adjoining town of Woodbury until 1836. He then removed to Auburn, N. Y., where he resided the remainder of his life, except for a few years' residence in Tecumseh, Mich. He was engaged in mercantile business, and made an excellent record both as a business man and citizen.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TECUMSEH, MICH.:\*

*By second marriage:†*

- i. HELEN MILLS, b. Jan. 27, 1840; m. Apr. 5, 1882, John Hurlbut Allen and resides in Auburn, N. Y.
758. ii. CHARLES AUGUSTUS, b. Jan. 30, 1843.
- iii. JULIA FRANCES, b. Oct. 24, 1844; d. Apr. 28, 1898, in Auburn; unm.
759. iv. DAVID HENRY, b. Aug. 29, 1851.

**419.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>228</sup>, *John*<sup>149</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 25, 1819, in Roxbury, Conn.; died April 7, 1897, in Atlanta, Ga.; married, first, December 3, 1846, in Orange, Conn., Louisa Julia Treat, daughter of David and Hannah (Woodruff) Treat, born ———, 1825, in Orange;‡ died March 25,§ 1868, in Bethlehem, Conn. He married, second, September 21, 1869, in Bethlehem, Emily (Peck) Peck, widow of Sanford Peck of Stamford, Conn., and daughter of George Whitfield and Hannah (Lockwood) Peck, born July 29, 1826, in Sharon, Conn.; died October 31, 1907, in Watertown, Conn.

John Trowbridge in company with his brother William conducted for several years an iron foundry in Roxbury, Conn., his native town, the business having been carried on successfully by their father until his death. In 1873 he removed to Atlanta, Ga., and with his son established the J. & H. Trowbridge Furniture Co., which was afterwards incorporated as the Trowbridge Furniture Co., with himself as president and his son as manager. He held this office until 1893, when he retired from business.

## CHILD BORN IN ROXBURY, CONN.:

*By first marriage:||*

760. i. HENRY TREAT, b. Mar. 8, 1852.

**420.** WILLIAM E.\*\* TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>228</sup>, *John*<sup>149</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 28, 1830, in Roxbury, Conn.; died September 30, 1906, in Waterbury, Conn.; married January 18, 1857, in Roxbury, Nancy Maria Meramble, daughter of Bronson and Eunice (Elderkin) Meramble, born April 14, 1836, in Roxbury; died April 3, 1888, in Waterbury.

William E. Trowbridge spent his early days on a farm in Roxbury, Conn., and later, in company with his elder brother John, conducted an iron foundry there until 1867. For the following eight years he continued to reside in his native town, being engaged in the carpentry business. In 1875 he removed to Waterbury, Conn., and entered the employ of the Holmes, Booth & Haydens Company.

\* Except iv, who was born in Auburn, N. Y.

† No children by first marriage.

‡ North Milford section.

§ By family record; 24 by town record.

|| No children by second marriage.

\*\* Initial only.

with which he remained until 1880. He then entered the employ of the Scoville Manufacturing Company, with which firm he remained for a period of over twenty years, retiring from active business a few years prior to his death. He was a member of the First Methodist Episcopal Church in Waterbury.

## CHILD BORN IN ROXBURY, CONN.:

- i. CARRIE ELIZA, b. Sept. 21, 1858; m. Oct. 24, 1884, Charles Sherman Chapman and resides in Waterbury, Conn.

**421.** CHARLES EDWIN TROWBRIDGE (*Charles S.*<sup>229</sup>, *John*<sup>149</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 8, 1835, in Roxbury, Conn.; resides in Woodbury (Hotchkissville P. O.), Conn.; married January 11, 1871, in Roxbury, Sarah Moulthrop Weller, daughter of Elisha Andrews and Maria (Peck) Weller, born November 1, 1840, in Roxbury.

Charles E. Trowbridge received his education in the district and select schools of his native town. At an early age he began to assist his father in the cattle business. In 1872, the year following his marriage, he bought the William Lambert farm of 200 acres, situated in Hotchkissville in the town of Woodbury, Conn., and proceeded to make various improvements, both upon the land and the buildings. He engaged extensively in the cattle business. At first he bought native stock from the farmers, collecting them in droves; later, however, he went to Buffalo, N. Y., where he purchased grazing cattle by the carload and shipped them to his farm. He is one of the largest and most successful farmers and cattle dealers of his section of the state, keeping a large number of head on hand. He is also engaged to some extent in tobacco raising, and is a dealer in that product with success. He is an able and industrious business man, and his prosperity is a result of steady perseverance and upright methods. He is well esteemed in his community and has been elected to several local offices.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WOODBURY, CONN.:

- i. ALICE ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 4, 1872; d. June 29, 1891, in Woodbury; unm.
- ii. GERTRUDE ISABEL, b. July 6, 1875; m. June 6, 1907, Harry G. Northrop and resides in New Milford, Conn.
- iii. FANNY MARIA, b. Oct. 23, 1877.

**422.** ALBERT JOB TROWBRIDGE (*Charles S.*<sup>229</sup>, *John*<sup>149</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 14, 1843, in Roxbury, Conn.; died January 14, 1889, in Roxbury; married June 2, 1874, in Roxbury, Sarah Elizabeth Garlick, daughter of Edmund E. and Elizabeth A. (Hawley) Garlick, born November 4, 1850, in Roxbury. She resides in Roxbury.

Albert J. Trowbridge received his education in the district schools. He passed his youth upon his father's farm, where he acquired familiarity with agricultural operations. When a young man he bought the Burritt place, a farm of 104 acres, situated upon the flats bordering the Shepaug river in Roxbury, Conn., his native place, and added to it later by the purchase of some adjoining woodland. He improved the land to a high state of fertility, enlarged and remodeled the residence and other buildings, thereby greatly increasing the value of the farm. He engaged in tobacco raising and dairying, raising a large quantity of the former product and keeping a herd of fifteen cows, the milk of which he shipped to New York. He was one of the leading farmers of Roxbury, ambitious, progressive, and successful. His life was brought to a close at a time when he was most useful to himself, his family, and his fellowmen.

\* Except i, who was born in Roxbury, Conn.







*John H. Townbridge*

Mr. Trowbridge was a Democrat in politics. He always took an active interest in local questions and at the time of his death was rendering valuable service to the town as a member of the board of selectmen. In his religious views he was a Congregationalist and had been an attendant at the church of that denomination for several years. He was a well-known and highly esteemed resident of Roxbury.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ROXBURY, CONN. :

- i. HENRY WILLIAM, b. Apr. 5, 1876.
- ii. CHARLES ALBERT, b. Apr. 26, 1878.
- iii. CLARENCE EDMUND, b. June 13, 1882.

**423.** SYLVESTER TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>230</sup>, *James*<sup>150</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 17, 1815, in Ossining, N. Y.; died May 21, 1851, in Albany, N. Y.; married November 21, 1836, in Bethlehem, N. Y., Sarah Angelica\* Haswell,† daughter of John and Margaret (Burhans) Haswell, born June 24, 1815, in Bethlehem; died February 13, 1897, in San Francisco, Cal.

Sylvester Trowbridge settled in Albany, N. Y., where he was in business as a shoe dealer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ALBANY, N. Y. : †

- i. SARAH BURHANS, b. Dec. 11, 1837; d. July 1, 1843.
761. ii. JAMES, b. Aug. 21, 1839.
- iii. ANNA MAY, b. May 8, 1841; d. July 23, 1842.
- iv. MARGARET EVELINE, b. July 29, 1844; d. Feb. 9, 1858.
- v. BARENT STAATS, b. May 8, 1846; d. July 22, 1846.

**424.** JOHN HARRIS TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>230</sup>, *James*<sup>150</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 21, 1822, in Ossining, N. Y.; died May 17, 1886, in Albany, N. Y.; married August 14, 1850, in Albany, Catharine Louise Wilkinson, daughter of Jacob and Lydia (Judson) Wilkinson, born December 26, 1822, in Albany; died May 16, 1906, in Jersey City, N. J.

John H. Trowbridge entered the United States navy in 1846, during the Mexican War. On June 6 of that year he sailed from New York on the warship *Dale* for the Pacific, and was 173 days at sea before arriving at San Francisco. They stopped at Rio Janeiro, Valparaiso, Callao and Mazatlan. On the way around Cape Horn they ran into a gale of snow and wind on August 23; the weather became very cold, their decks were covered with ice, and many of the officers and men were badly frozen. He participated in the battle on shore at Mulege and had a very sharp fight for about two hours. The Mexicans, being taken by surprise, lost quite a number killed and many were wounded. He resigned from the navy at San Francisco late in 1848. He decided to remain there and engage in business, and became a general merchant, investing largely in real estate in both San Francisco and Sacramento. At the time of the big fire in Sacramento he lost everything he had there, the insurance companies taking no risks there at that time. He returned East, secured more goods and capital, and returned to California almost immediately. Fortune again came to his aid, and he acquired wealth very rapidly. In 1855 he concluded to return East to remain, as he had at that time about \$75,000. He made four trips to California, two around the Cape and two by the Isthmus. On settling in Albany, he went into the wholesale provision business and remained in it until 1864, when he retired to enter into the flour, grain and feed trade, in which he was very successful. He was a man universally respected for his many excellent qualities.

\* By "Burhans Genealogy"; *Augusta* by the late widow of No. 424.

† A sister of the husband of No. 230, i.

‡ Except i, who was born in Bethlehem, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ALBANY, N. Y.:

762. i. JOHN PLUME, b. May 24, 1852.  
 ii. KATE WILKINSON, b. June 1, 1855; m. Oct. 19, 1881, William Barrett Perkins and resides in New York City.  
 iii. GRACE LYDIA, b. Aug. 8, 1857; m. July 7, 1886, Calvin R. Cheever, Esq., and resides in Jersey City, N. J.
763. iv. HENRY WILKINSON, b. Sept. 6, 1859.  
 v. ISABELLA, b. Dec. 24, 1861; m. Jan. 14, 1880, William Cranston Rose and resides in Albany.  
 vi. FRANK RANDALL, b. Jan. 25, 1864; was a clerk in mercantile business in Jersey City, where he d. Feb. 3, 1905; unm.  
 vii. GEORGE MOWE, b. Feb. 23, 1866; is in business in Newark, N. J.; unm.

425. BENJAMIN HAIGHT TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>232</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 6, 1816, in Salem, N. Y.; died February 28, 1852, in Buffalo, N. Y.; married ———, 1847, in Buffalo, Caroline Hawley, daughter of Myron and Susan (Mitchell) Hawley.

Benjamin H. Trowbridge settled in Buffalo, N. Y., where he was engaged in mercantile business up to the time of his death.

## NO CHILDREN.

426. JOHN JAY TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>232</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 1, 1822, in Salem, N. Y.; died April 11, 1901, in Monticello, N. Y.; married February 5, 1863, in Woodbourne, N. Y., Abigail Gray, daughter of Henry Carpenter and Elizabeth (Daulson) Gray, born December 27, 1834, in Greenfield, N. Y. She resides in Monticello.

John J. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his father to Monticello, N. Y., and lived there the remainder of his life. His home was situated about three miles from Monticello on Lake Kiamesha. He there in time established Trowbridge Farm, the oldest summer resort and hotel on the lake. The hotel was conducted by Mr. Trowbridge until his death, when his eldest son took the management.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MONTICELLO, N. Y.:

- i. WILLIAM JAY, b. Apr. 27, 1864; conducted Trowbridge Farm, a well-known summer hotel on Lake Kiamesha, from the time his father died until May, 1907, when the property was sold to New York parties. He is now engaged in farming in Monticello; unm.
- ii. ADA, b. Nov. 25, 1866; m. May 14, 1902, John Tatlock Heath and resides in Monticello.
764. iii. STEPHEN, b. May 20, 1869.  
 iv. CARRIE MINERVA, b. Sept. 12, 1876.

427. DR. ISAAC LEWIS TROWBRIDGE (*James II.*<sup>233</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 6, 1820, in Bedford, N. Y.; died August 19, 1882, in Hammonton, N. J.; married November 1, 1849, in New York City, Caroline Euphemia Baldwin, daughter of David and Susan (De Klyn) Baldwin, born July 10, 1828, in New York City. She resides in Hammonton.

Isaac L. Trowbridge studied medicine, and practiced his profession in his native town and in Hammonton, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BEDFORD, N. Y.:

- i. LEILA BALDWIN, b. Aug. 25, 1850; m. Oct. 16, 1878, William Colwell of Hammonton, N. J. (See No. v.)  
 ii. LOUIS PAULDING, b. Aug. 17, 1852; d. Feb. 8, 1870, in Tom's River, N. J.

\* Except v, who was born in Tarrytown, N. Y.

- iii. HENRY MORTIMER, } twins, resides in Hammonton; unm.  
 iv. HUBERT CANFIELD, } b. Apr. 24, 1856; d. Aug. 13, 1856.  
 v. CAROLINE EUPHEMIA, b. Oct. 21, 1862; m. Feb. 24, 1892, William Colwell and  
 resides in Hammonton.

**428.** JAMES HARVEY TROWBRIDGE (*James H.*<sup>233</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 3, 1822, in Bedford, N. Y.; died September 21, 1895, in Manlius, N. Y.; married July 13, 1848, in Vernon, N. Y., Caroline Amanda Butler, daughter of Rev. Charles Frederic and Amanda (Rundle) Butler, born July 10, 1820, in South Salem, N. Y.; died March 27, 1897, in Fayetteville, N. Y.

James H. Trowbridge settled in his native town and lived there until five years before his death. He united with the Bedford Presbyterian church in 1837, before he was sixteen years of age. For more than forty years he was leader of the choir and for many years was clerk of the society. He was ordained an elder in 1875, and he discharged the duties of that office for fifteen years with faithfulness and fidelity. He was a man of deep religious convictions and led a most consistent life. His character in public and in private life was most exemplary.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BEDFORD, N. Y.:

- i. JAMES FREDERIC, b. May 15, 1849; d. Aug. 6, 1864.  
 ii. ELIZABETH AMANDA, b. July 31, 1851; d. Sept. 20, 1851.  
 iii. CHARLES BUTLER, b. Sept. 18, 1853; d. Oct. 6, 1854.  
 iv. ARTHUR BUTLER, b. July 16, 1856; d. Aug. 28, 1856.

**429.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>234</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 9, 1829, in New York City; resides in Astoria, N. Y.; married March 14, 1854, in Astoria, Anna Evelina Blackwell, daughter of Robert Moore and Eliza Willing (Paynter) Blackwell, born March 24, 1830, in Astoria; died April 26, 1902, in Astoria.

Henry Trowbridge attended Flushing Institute in Flushing, N. Y. After leaving school he became a clerk in his father's business, Henry Trowbridge & Co., dry goods dealers, in New York City. He remained in the employ of the firm until it was dissolved sometime after the death of his father. A few years later he took the agency of the Cheeseborough estate, a position which his father had also held for many years. He has continued to hold that position ever since, and is in the real estate and insurance business in New York City. He resides in the old Blackwell mansion, Astoria, Long Island.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ASTORIA, N. Y.:

- i. ROBERT BLACKWELL, b. July 20, 1855; d. Sept. 20, 1898, in Astoria; unm.  
 ii. HENRY, b. May 10, 1857; d. Jan. 30, 1892, in Astoria; unm.  
 iii. FREDERICK CLARK, b. Nov. 14, 1859; is in the real estate and insurance business in Long Island City and resides in Astoria; unm.  
 iv. ELIZA BLACKWELL, b. June 30, 1863; m. Oct. 3, 1902, Pliuy Freeman and resides in Astoria.  
 v. ADELE, b. July 9, 1865; m. May 18, 1887, Henry Irving Harris and resides in Astoria.  
 vi. ALICE, b. Apr. 19, 1870; d. Feb. 28, 1876.

**430.** WILLIAM STAPLES TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>234</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 8, 1834, in New York City; died December 8, 1896, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; married June 29, 1871, in Astoria, N. Y., Caroline Augusta Harris, daughter of Rev. Dr. Robert William and Caroline Augusta (Marshall) Harris, born March 25, 1847, in White Plains, N. Y.; died February 11, 1875, in Astoria.

William S. Trowbridge attended Flushing Institute in Flushing, N. Y., and then took a clerkship with Winston & Seaman, merchants, in New York City, where he remained only a few years. He then became entry clerk with Hadden & Co., importers of matting, and held this position for over twenty-five years. He then entered the employ of Browning, King & Co., clothiers, continuing with them until his death. His residence was at the home of his mother nearly all his life, first in New York City and later in Astoria, Long Island, and during his last years in Brooklyn, N. Y.

## CHILD BORN IN ASTORIA, N. Y.:

- i. RUTH, b. Feb. 1, 1875; m. Feb. 24, 1897, Saurin Durell Lounsbery and resides in Plainfield, N. J.

**431. MINER TROWBRIDGE** (*Henry*<sup>234</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 12, 1840, in New York City; resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.; married October 23, 1863, in New York City, Charlotte Fox Tiffany, daughter of Francis Alphonso and Mary Lydia (Fox) Tiffany, born September 1, 1843, in Fox Corners, West Farms, N. Y.

Miner Trowbridge attended Trinity School, Varick street, New York City, for one year and was then sent to Flushing Institute, Flushing, N. Y., where he remained until he entered Columbia College in 1858. He became a member of the Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity. Through the death of his father he was obliged to go to work for a living, and left Columbia in 1860, at the end of his sophomore year, and took a clerkship with the old-established firm of Williams & Guion of the Black Star line of Liverpool packets. He remained with them until December 10, 1861, on which date he received an appointment as master's mate on board the U. S. S. *Monticello*. He started for the front December 11, 1861, and joined his vessel at Fortress Monroe. He was stationed off Cape Fear on the blockading squadron, and generally harbored on the north side of the Cape at New Inlet, where his vessel was watching and surveying during the building of the famous Confederate bomb-proof, afterwards called Fort Fisher. He personally figured up at that time most of the triangulation surveys then made and that were used later in the war in the capture of this fort. When the *Monticello* came north to New York in December, 1862, he resigned on December 12, having served just one year and one day. He then took a clerkship with the banking firm of De Launay, Iselin & Clarke on Wall street. Some years afterward he returned to the Guion line office, where he remained until his retirement from active business life. His home is in Brooklyn, N. Y. He has assisted the compiler by furnishing much data of his branch of the family.

## CHILDREN:\*

765. i. CLARENCE MORTIMER, b. Sept. 11, 1864.
- 765a. ii. GUION, b. Dec. 30, 1867.
- iii. VAUGHAN, b. Dec. 3, 1869; was educated at Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute; in banking, 1889; clerk with the Susquehanna railroad, 1889-97; then left business life to study art in Paris, where he at present has a studio. He is unmarried.
- iv. MARY ETHEL, b. Nov. 16, 1870; d. July 17, 1892, in Mt. Washington, Mass.
- v. CHARLOTTE FOX, b. Nov. 23, 1872; d. Jan. 24, 1876.
- vi. MINER, b. Oct. 25, 1873; d. Nov. 23, 1873.
- vii. ELLA, b. Nov. 30, 1879; d. Dec. 1, 1879.
- viii. CHESTER MARCH, b. Feb. 15, 1881; d. Sept. 16, 1881.
- ix. CONSTANCE, b. Oct. 12, 1883.

**432. SAMUEL RAYMOND TROWBRIDGE** (*Samuel R.*<sup>238</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 6, 1863, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; resides in New York City; married July 26, 1897, in Jersey City, N. J.,

\* i-vi born in Astoria, N. Y.; vii in Quogue, N. Y.; ix in Brooklyn, N. Y.



*Miner Fredrick*





Clara May Wentworth, daughter of Charles and Jennie (Malcolm) Wentworth, born May 31, 1874, in Brooklyn.

Samuel R. Trowbridge makes his home in New York City. His summer residence is in Allerton, Mass.

NO CHILDREN.

**433.** GEORGE ELIHU TROWBRIDGE (*Cyrus*<sup>240</sup>, *Philemon*<sup>152</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>118</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 19, 1815, in Lowville, N. Y.; died September —, 1860, in Denver, Colo.; married, first, April 23, 1840, in Lockport, N. Y., Lydia B. Richards, daughter of Charles? Richards, born July 5, 1820, in Lockport?; died March 3, 1843, in Lockport. He married, second, ———, 1843, in St. Louis, Mo., Sarah Amette McCartin, daughter of Thomas and Judith (Smith) McCartin. She resides in St. Louis.

George E. Trowbridge was engaged in the jewelry and watch business in Lockport, N. Y., and later in St. Louis, Mo. In 1855 he went to San Francisco, Cal., and a few years before his death he had located in business in Denver, Colo.

CHILDREN :

*By first marriage:*

- i. CHARLES RICHARDS, b. Sept. 1, 1841, in Buffalo, N. Y.; d. Sept. 21, 1841.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. ELEANOR, b. May 4, 1854, in St. Louis, Mo.; d. Jan. 12, 1855.

**434.** ELIHU TROWBRIDGE (*Philemon*<sup>241</sup>, *Philemon*<sup>152</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>118</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 20, 1820, in Clinton, N. Y.; died June 16, 1890, in Mexico, N. Y.; married, first, December 25, 1844, in Marshall, N. Y., Mary Louise Moore, daughter of Amos and Betsey (Atherton) Moore, born ———, 1822, in Marshall; died January 9, 1848, in Marshall. He married, second, September 25, 1848, in Marshall, Lydia Ann Moore, a sister of his first wife, born ———, 1825, in Marshall; died September 9, 1859, in Marshall. He married, third, October 20, 1860, in New Haven, N. Y., Lydia Ann (Nichols) Lee, widow of Ira Lee of Fulton, N. Y., and daughter of Charles and Betsey (Moore) Nichols, born July 21, 1826, in New Haven. She resides in Mexico, N. Y.

Elihu Trowbridge learned and followed the mason's trade in early life. He inherited the Moore homestead in Marshall, Oneida county, N. Y., and gave up his trade and engaged in farming. He lived there until after his third marriage, when he sold his farm and went to live in Mexico, Oswego county, N. Y.

Mr. Trowbridge was a man of strict integrity, and his genial, social nature made him a universal favorite with all who knew him. He was a member of the Baptist church in Waterville, N. Y., while he lived in Marshall, but joined the Presbyterian church after his removal to Mexico. He was a trustee of the Presbyterian church and of the academy in Mexico, and was an officer of the Oswego County Agricultural Society.

CHILDREN BORN IN MARSHALL, N. Y. :

*By second marriage:\**

- i. MARY LOUISE, b. May 5, 1850; m. June 18, 1878, Rev. John H. Sammis and resides in St. Paul, Minn.
766. ii. EDWIN MOORE, b. Feb. 23, 1854.
- iii. LYDIA ANN, b. July 25, 1858; m. Mar. 19, 1879, Menzo Herbert Manwarren of Mexico, N. Y.

**435.** ELI BARTLETT TROWBRIDGE (*Philemon*<sup>241</sup>, *Philemon*<sup>152</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>118</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 6, 1823, in Clinton, N. Y.; died December 30, 1892, in Clinton; married October —, 1846, in Williamsburg,

\* No children by first or third marriages.

Mass.,\* Hannah Maria Taylor, daughter of Ariel and Hannah Maria (Bartlett) Taylor, born July 22, 1818, in Granby, Mass.; died May 1, 1898, in Clinton.

Eli B. Trowbridge inherited his father's farm in the village of Clinton in the town of Kirkland, N. Y. Soon after his marriage he was afflicted with total blindness, from which he never recovered, and the entire management of the farm devolved upon his wife until her sons were old enough to take charge.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLINTON, N. Y.:

767. i. WILLIAM TAYLOR, b. Jan. 18, 1849.  
768. ii. CHARLES FRANCIS, b. May 14, 1853.

**436.** GEORGE EDWARDS TROWBRIDGE (*Philemon*<sup>241</sup>, *Philemon*<sup>152</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>118</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 14, 1834, in Clinton, N. Y.; died June 6, 1903, in Clinton; married September 19, 1860, in Clinton, Abbie Celestia Green, daughter of George and Waity (Palmer) Green, born October 24, 1834, in Middlefield, N. Y. She resides in Clinton.

George E. Trowbridge was engaged in farming in his native town, Kirkland, N. Y., until 1891, when he sold his farm and moved to Clinton village, where he resided until his death.

## NO CHILDREN.

**437.** JOHN JASPER TROWBRIDGE (*Jasper*<sup>242</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>154</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>119</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 4, 1848, in Auburn, N. Y.; resides in East Orange, N. J.; married December 26, 1870, in Auburn, Emma Russell Jennings, daughter of Daniel and Harriet (James) Jennings, born March 15, 1850, in New Bedford, Mass.

John J. Trowbridge for about thirty years was a merchant in fine art and wall paper, in the firm of Trowbridge & Jennings, in Auburn, N. Y. During this period he served the city four years as commissioner of charities and police, being elected twice for terms of two years. He has been a lifelong Republican, and in recognition of his services to his party he received the appointment as deputy United States revenue collector. He also served in several different offices of the Young Men's Christian Association and the First Methodist Episcopal Church at Auburn, of which he was a member. He is at present traveling for the Gledhill Wall Paper Company of New York City. His home is in East Orange, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN AUBURN, N. Y.:

- i. GRACE, b. Feb. 10, 1872; is a school-teacher in East Orange, N. J., where she resides with her parents; unm.  
ii. CHARLES JASPER, b. June 27, 1875; is a commercial traveler and resides in East Orange; unm.  
iii. EMMA JENNINGS, b. May 20, 1879; resides with her parents; unm.

**438.** JAMES HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Jasper*<sup>242</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>154</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>119</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 15, 1850, in Auburn, N. Y.; resides in East Orange, N. J.; married June 10, 1871, in Auburn, Helen Elizabeth Wight, daughter of George and Almada (Hughes) Wight, born April 14, 1852, in Geneva, N. Y.; died February 3, 1892, in Chicago, Ill.

James H. Trowbridge was engaged for many years in the real estate business in Auburn, N. Y. He is now retired from business and makes his home with his brother in East Orange, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN AUBURN, N. Y.†

- i. CAROLINE ALMEDA, b. July 21, 1872; m. June 15, 1896, Rev. Newman Hall Burdick and resides in Omaha, Neb.

\* The exact date is not in the town records.

† Except i, who was born in Chicago, Ill.

- ii. HELEN ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 9, 1875; m. June 15, 1896, Henry Raby Bidgood, M.D., late of Chihuahua, Mexico, and resides in Chicago Heights, Ill.
- iii. FANNY, b. Feb. 1, 1876; d. Oct. 4, 1881.
- iv. EDNA, b. Oct. 26, 1882; m. Apr. 30, 1902, Richard John Ryerson and resides in Chicago Heights.

**439.** ALONZO VICTOR TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>243</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 7, 1816, in Amesville, Ohio; died April 27, 1885, in La Grange, Iowa; married June 18, 1848, in Swan Creek, Ohio, Ann Eliza Trowbridge (No. 245, vi), daughter of Jacob and Mary (Boomer) Trowbridge, born May 11, 1827, in Washington county, Ohio. She married, second, November 22, 1886, in Chariton, Iowa, Peter Youtsey of Russell, Iowa, and died July 2, 1900, in Weldon, Iowa.\*

Alonzo V. Trowbridge came with his father to Swan Creek, Gallia county, Ohio, and settled on a farm there after his marriage. In 1852 he removed to Monroe county, Iowa, and early in 1853 to La Grange, Lucas county, Iowa, where he was engaged in farming until 1864. From then until 1884 he was in the drug and grocery business in La Grange village. In 1884 he moved back to his farm again, and was living there at the time of his death. He served twelve years as postmaster of La Grange.

## CHILD BORN IN SWAN CREEK, OHIO:

- i. MARY ABIGAIL, b. Mar. 20, 1849; d. Sept. 11, 1853.

**440.** CYRENUS CHAUNCEY TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>243</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 26, 1820, in Amesville, Ohio; died March 10, 1894, in Iconium, Iowa; married June 25, 1857, in Dayton, † Ky., Calpurnia Caesar Wood, daughter of Jesse Mattocks and Ledotia (Foster) Wood, born August 26, 1820, in Gallipolis, Ohio; died February 13, 1899, in Iconium.

Cyrenus C. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Swan Creek, Gallia county, Ohio, and lived there until a few years after his marriage. He then settled in Iconium, Iowa, where he was engaged in farming the rest of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ICONIUM, IOWA:‡

- i. CATHARINE AMERICA, b. Nov. 18, 1858; m. Mar. 20, 1879, Edward Payson Miller and resides in Tyrone, Iowa.
- ii. LEDOTIA ANN, b. Mar. 7, 1861; m. Mar. 15, 1885, Edward Jay Turner and resides in Albia, Iowa.
- iii. FRANCIS MARION, b. Sept. 21, 1863; was a farmer; d. Aug. 16, 1888, in Iconium; unm.

**441.** FRANCIS MARION TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>243</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 18, 1827, in Amesville, Ohio; resides in Merrimaek, Fla.; married September 13, 1855, in Halfway Prairie, Iowa, Mary Jane Kells, daughter of Robert Marshall and Lavina (Bay) Kells, born July 27, 1837, in Guernsey county, Ohio.

Francis M. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Swan Creek, Ohio. He studied law in Cincinnati, Ohio, and then settled on a farm near La Grange, Iowa, where he was engaged in farming and also practiced his profession. During the Civil War he enlisted for three years from Lucas county July 30, 1861, in Company B, 2d Iowa Cavalry. He was with his regiment when it made the Farmington charge while advancing on Corinth and was with Sheridan at

\* While visiting friends.

† Then Brooklyn.

‡ Except i, who was born in Swan Creek, Ohio.

the battle of Rienzi. He was discharged from service October 3, 1864. He became a member of the Methodist Episcopal church in La Grange. A few years ago he removed to Merrimack, Fla., his present residence.

NO CHILDREN.

**442.** ROLLIN MALLORY TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>243</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 5, 1829, in Amesville, Ohio; died July 27, 1901, in Dayton, Ore.; married April 27, 1861, in Albia, Iowa, Nancy Elinor Swift, daughter of Myron and Rachel (Anderson) Swift, born August 27, 1844, in Milan, Ind.; died April 5, 1878, in Dayton.

Rollin M. Trowbridge remained on his father's farm in Swan Creek, Gallia county, Ohio, until he was twenty-two years of age. He studied law in Cincinnati, Ohio, and settled in La Grange, Iowa, where he was engaged in teaching school until his removal to Oregon in 1873. He engaged in farming in Dayton. He was there elected county supervisor and justice of the peace. He held the latter office until he considered himself too old to attend to its duties, when he resigned; and it is said that no decision of his was ever reversed by the higher courts. His death was the result of injuries received from the overturning of a mail coach, driven by an inexperienced driver, while crossing the Coast Range, July 4, 1901, twenty miles east of Tillamook, near the line of Yam Hill county, Ore.

CHILDREN BORN IN LA GRANGE, IOWA:\*

769. i. DAVID FRANCIS, b. Mar. 12, 1862.
- ii. ALTAMIRA ERNESTINE, b. Feb. 11, 1864; m. Oct. 15, 1890, Almond Fletcher and resides in Lafayette, Ore.
770. iii. MYRON CYRENUS, b. Feb. 20, 1867.
- iv. LAURA ADALINE, b. June 24, 1870; m. Sept. 16, 1885, August Anderson and resides in San Francisco, Cal.
- v. IDA MAX, b. Jan. 4, 1874.

**443.** DAVID STRONG TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>243</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 23, 1835, in Amesville, Ohio; died July 4, 1901, in Tillamook county,† Ore.; married November 12, 1868, in Columbus, Ohio, Margaret Elizabeth Shrum, daughter of William Sullivan and Margaret McLean (Flemmiken) Shrum, born May 9, 1846, in Columbus. She resides in Pacific Grove, Cal.

David S. Trowbridge was reared on his father's farm in Gallia county, Ohio. He attended an academy at Albia, Iowa, in the year 1855, and then pursued the course at Mt. Pleasant University, Iowa. He was then engaged in teaching until the outbreak of the Civil War. He enlisted for three years July 27, 1861, and was appointed first sergeant of Company G, 4th West Virginia Infantry. He was with the Fifteenth Army Corps at Vicksburg and marched with Sherman through Tennessee to Chattanooga. He was three days in the battle of Resaca and four days in the battle of Dallas, and was in many other similar engagements. He was discharged August 24, 1864.

After returning home to Swan Creek, Ohio, where he was engaged in mercantile business, he was elected to the office of township clerk, in which he served several years. He was then elected township treasurer for several successive years, and also at the same time held the office of postmaster there. In 1879 he was appointed first deputy sheriff of Gallia county, in which office he served four years. He was elected county treasurer for two terms and at the same time was elected to the office of treasurer of the city of Gallipolis, Ohio, for

\* Except v. who was born in Dayton, Ore.

† He was killed by the overturning of a stage coach in which he was traveling.

two terms. In October, 1888, he went to California and settled at Fowler, Fresno county, where he bought a ranch and engaged in fruit growing. Samples of his dried fruits were exhibited at the Paris Exhibition in 1900 and were in the list of those that drew gold medals. He resided there until shortly before his death. He was killed while driving with his brother Rollin in a mail coach in Tillamook county, Ore.

Mr. Trowbridge joined the Masonic fraternity in the early '70s and was master of Morning Dawn Lodge, No. 7, of Gallipolis, Ohio, at the time of his removal to California. He was never a member of any church, but while living in Gallipolis was appointed and served as vestryman and treasurer of the Episcopal church in that city.

## CHILDREN :

771. i. DWIGHT HOWE, b. Sept. 1, 1870, in Columbus, Ohio.  
 ii. FRANCIS MARION, b. July 1, 1876, in Swan Creek, Ohio; d. Sept. 12, 1891, in Fowler, Cal.

**444.** FRANCIS MARION TROWBRIDGE (*Philo*<sup>244</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1820, in Amesville, Ohio; died September —, 1844, in Moore's Prairie, Ill.; married March —, 1844, in Millersport, Ohio, Nancy Fowler. She married, second, John Wyatt.

Francis M. Trowbridge settled in Moore's Prairie, Jefferson county, Ill., and was a farmer. He died a few months after his marriage.

## CHILD :

- i. A daughter, b. ———, 1845; d. in infancy.

**445.** ISRAEL DAGGETT TROWBRIDGE (*Philo*<sup>244</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 22, 1837, in Swan Creek, Ohio; resides in Haxtum, Colo.; married May 24, 1860, in Nebraska township, Ill., Betsey Pringle, daughter of Andrew and Elizabeth (Pringle) Pringle, born April 9, 1840, in Selkirk, Scotland.

Israel D. Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Illinois and engaged in farming. He enlisted during the Civil War August 11, 1862, for three years in Company H, 77th Illinois Infantry, and was mustered out with his regiment July 10, 1865. After the war he settled on a farm in Chenoa, Ill. In 1886 he removed to Haxtum, Colo., where he has since been engaged in raising cattle and horses.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. JENNIE, b. Mar. 2, 1861; m. Mar. 9, 1880, Warren Cash Myers and resides in Chicago, Ill.  
 ii. ROBERT FRANCIS, b. Dec. 28, 1862; is a switchman in Chicago; unm.  
 iii. LEDOTIA, b. July 4, 1869; m. Dec. 24, 1895, George Leo Neuert and resides in Haxtum, Colo.  
 iv. LIZZIE, b. Feb. 4, 1872; resides with her father; unm.  
 v. WILLIAM ALVIN, b. Sept. 15, 1874; is in business with his father in Haxtum; unm.  
 vi. CHAUNCEY JAMES, b. Dec. 13, 1878; is in business with his father in Haxtum; unm.

**446.** LEVI TROWBRIDGE (*Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 18, 1814, in Washington county, Ohio; died May 12, 1857, in La Grange, Iowa; married January 18, 1838, in Swan Creek, Ohio, Permelia Ross, daughter of William and Nancy (Knowlin) Ross, born September 14, 1816, in Swan Creek; died October 6, 1900, in Carbondale, Ill.

\* i born in Long Point, Livingston county, Ill.; ii in La Prairie, Marshall county, Ill.; iii-vi in Chenoa, McLean county, Ill.

Levi Trowbridge served three years in the regular army during the Black Hawk War, being with his command in Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa and Indiana. After his marriage he settled in Gallia county, Ohio, where he lived until 1856, when he removed to La Grange, Lucas county, Iowa. It is said that he helped to build the first house erected in Keokuk, Iowa. He was engaged in farming all his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GALLIA COUNTY, OHIO:\*

- i. NANCY ELLEN, b. Feb. 1, 1839; m., 1st, Mar. 22, 1857, John Moak; m., 2d, Sept. 18, 1905, Gideon Wilbur Palmer and resides in Long Beach, Cal.
- ii. SARAH PERMELIA, b. Nov. 24, 1840; m. Alford Mason Clark of Corinth, Ill.
- iii. SOPHRONIA BELLE, b. Sept. 21, 1842; m. Augustus Morgan and resides in Boulder, Colo.
772. iv. WILLIAM ALLEN, b. Sept. 10, 1844.
- v. PALO ALTO, b. Oct. 11, 1846; m. Michael Gill of Corinth.
- vi. JACOB STERLING, b. May 12, 1850; left home when a boy and went West, where he drove a stage in the early days of the settlement. He is interested in gold mines in Mexico and Arizona, and resides in Tombstone, Ariz.; unm.
- vii. LEVI DENIS, b. Jan. 15, 1852; left Iowa at the age of nine years and went West. He drove a stage coach for some years and took part in several Indian battles. Later he was appointed sheriff of Pinal county, Ariz. He then served three years in the United States navy on the *Pensacola* and *Lackawanna*. He was for three years in Melbourne, Australia, and then on two whaling expeditions. He then returned to his mother's home in Carbondale, Ill., where he lived until her death, after which he joined his brother in the West; unm.
- viii. AMANDA VICTORIA, b. Feb. 18, 1855; resides in Carbondale; unm.
- ix. HANNAH FITA, b. Dec. 30, 1856; m. Dec. 24, 1877, William T. Grant of Carbondale.

447. FERGUSON HILAND TROWBRIDGE (*Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 9, 1821, in Washington county, Ohio; died December 1, 1862, in Gallia county, Ohio; married February 4, 1844, in Swan Creek, Ohio, Ruth Crawford, daughter of William and Elizabeth (Marshall) Crawford, born April 9, 1825, in Culpepper, W. Va.; died May 12, 1891, in Crown City, Ohio.

Ferguson H. Trowbridge served in the Black Hawk Indian War. After his marriage he settled in Crown City, Gallia county, Ohio. He was a boatman on the Kanawha, Ohio and Mississippi rivers, and was also during part of that time engaged in farming. He enlisted during the Civil War August 22, 1862, for three years in Company G, 117th Ohio Infantry, which company became Company G, 1st Ohio Heavy Artillery. He contracted fever in the army, and was ordered home; but was too ill to reach there, and died at the home of an uncle, Anselm T. Blake, five miles east of Crown City.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CROWN CITY, OHIO:

- i. ADELAIDE, b. June 16, 1846; m. Feb. 19, 1864, Sampson Johnson and resides in Gallipolis, Ohio.
773. ii. ASA HILAND, b. June 20, 1848.
- iii. SAMANTHA ADELIA, b. Jan. 1, 1851; m. Mar. 22, 1871, Albert Gallatin Thomas of Crown City.
- iv. ESTHER EVALINE, b. Feb. 27, 1853; m. Dec. 10, 1870, Hugh Wilson Caldwell and resides in Northrup, Ohio.
774. v. ZEBULON HENRY, b. Jan. 10, 1856.
- vi. IMOGENE, b. Mar. 2, 1858; m. Joseph Thomas Caldwell of Mercerville, Ohio.
- vii. JEFFERSON DAVIS, b. June 10, 1860; is a carpenter by trade in Crown City; unm. He was a soldier in the Spanish-American War, enlisting in Company C, 7th Ohio Infantry, in which he was promoted corporal.
- viii. ALICE SELINA, b. Apr. 16, 1863; m. Sept. 18, 1881, Albert Eugene Pickett† and resides in Crown City.

\* Except ix, who was born in La Grange, Lucas county, Iowa.

† A brother of the two wives of No. 773.

**448. LEMUEL TROWBRIDGE** (*Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>100</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 19, 1825, in Washington county, Ohio; died April 10, 1890, in West Plains, Mo.; married, first, August 1, 1854, in Paris, Ill., Matilda Emeline Johnson, daughter of Madison and Maria (Kimball) Johnson, born June 22, 1837, in Paris; died June 24, 1870, in Paris. He married, second, July 4, 1871, in Dudley, Ill., Margaret McCaull, daughter of Anthony and Lean (Anderson) McCaull, born June 6, 1846, in Straunraer, Scotland. She resides in West Plains, Mo.

Lemuel Trowbridge was a carpenter by trade. He settled after his marriage in Paris, Ill. During the Civil War he enlisted from that town September 10, 1861, for three years in Company E, 66th Illinois Infantry. He re-enlisted as a veteran December 26, 1863, and was mustered out as a corporal July 7, 1865. After leaving the army he returned to Paris, where he lived until his removal to West Plains, Mo., a few years before his death.

## CHILDREN :\*

*By first marriage:*

775. i. ALMON CARROLL, b. Jan. 29, 1857.

*By second marriage:*

ii. ROY, b. Nov. 19, 1872; d. Dec. 10, 1890, in West Plains, Mo.; unm.  
776. iii. HUGH HERBERT, b. Jan. 2, 1880.

**449. ISAAC TROWBRIDGE** (*Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>100</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 3, 1834, in Washington county, Ohio; died March 2, 1898, in Swan Creek, Ohio; married, first, September 4, 1860, in Gallia county, Ohio, Sarah Cottrell. He married, second, Marie E. Long. She resides in Huntington, W. Va.†

Isaac Trowbridge was a farmer in Swan Creek, Gallia county, Ohio, whither he had been brought in infancy by his father.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SWAN CREEK, OHIO :†

*By first marriage:*

- i. AMY.
- ii. LAURIE.
- iii. EDWARD.
- iv. ETTIE.

*By second marriage:*

776a. v. JAMES THOMAS, b. May 1, 1878.  
vi. HOMER.  
vii. SARAH.  
viii. LAUNTIE.  
ix. NELLIE.  
x. ELIZA.  
xi. ELMA.  
xii. BERT.

**450. JOHN TROWBRIDGE** (*Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>100</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 13, 1838, in Swan Creek, Ohio; died June 2, 1895, in Bush's Mill, Ohio; married, first, September 9, 1858, in Swan Creek, Mary Elliott, daughter of William and Susan (Dray) Elliott, born March 13, 1839, in Jefferson county, Ohio; died December 23, 1893, in Bush's Mill. He married, second, October —, 1894, Susan Stewart?. She resides in Gallia county (Lincoln P. O.), Ohio.†

John Trowbridge settled in his native place, Swan Creek, Ohio township, Gallia county, Ohio. He was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted April 4, 1862, as a recruit in Company G, 4th West Virginia Infantry, and served three

\* i and iii born in Paris, Ill.; ii in Lovington, Ill.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

years in the army. After the war he returned to Swan Creek, where he lived the rest of his life. He was a carpenter by trade.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SWAN CREEK, OHIO:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. SUSAN FRANCES, b. Sept. 16, 1859; m. Sept. 25, 1883, Andrew James Hale and resides in Bladen, Ohio.
- ii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 29, 1861; m. Mar. 8, 1881, John Henry Rodimer and resides in Eureka, Ohio.
- iii. VIRRINDA JOHN, b. Jan. 4, 1865; m. Dec. 3, 1882, Thomas Willey Gilmore and resides in Bladen.
- iv. ETTIE HOPE, b. Aug. 25, 1867; m. Aug. 30, 1885, Andrew Phillips and resides in Bladen.
- v. HATTIE VIOLA, b. Sept. 24, 1869; m. Feb. 19, 1892, Richard Wilson Warden and resides in Leaper, Ohio.
- vi. JOHN CORYDON, b. Feb. 29, 1872; d. Nov. 8, 1874.
- vii. MARGARET SOPHRONIA, b. Jan. 18, 1874; d. Mar. 16, 1875.
777. viii. WESLEY, b. Mar. 5, 1876.
- ix. ALBERT, b. July 19, 1878; d. Aug. 18, 1879.
- 777a. x. JACOB, b. Nov. 20, 1882.
- xi. JAMES ERNEST, b. July 9, 1884; is a machinist in Bladen; unm.

451. DR. FRANCIS MARION TROWBRIDGE (*Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 2, 1844, in Swan Creek, Ohio; resides in Washburn, Mo.; married May 6, 1874, in La Grange township, Lucas county, Iowa, Celia Ann Turner, daughter of Jesse and Eveline (Tomlinson) Turner, born February 3, 1854, in Greencastle, Ind.

Francis M. Trowbridge at the age of twenty became a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted February 29, 1864, for three years in Company F, 2d Ohio Heavy Artillery. He was mustered out August 23, 1865. During the winter of 1872-3, after about four years of preliminary study, he attended a full course of medical lectures at Keokuk, Iowa. He practiced medicine at La Grange† and Humeston, Iowa, until the spring of 1883. He then removed to Maple, Carroll county, Ark., where he resided about eighteen years, then removing to Washburn, Mo., his present residence.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HUMESTON, IOWA:‡

- 777b. i. ALBERT ROY, b. Mar. 27, 1875.
- ii. LILLIAN, b. Aug. 4, 1876; d. Aug. 29, 1878.
- iii. CLARA MAY, b. June 22, 1880; m. Mar. 31, 1907, George H. Cox and resides in Woodward, Okla.
- iv. JOHN HAROLD, b. Nov. 4, 1891.

452. CARLOS DAYTON TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen B.*<sup>248</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 25, 1804, in Bridge-water, Conn.; died July 24, 1833, in Palmyra, Ohio; married February 26, 1823, in Deerfield, Ohio, Mary Strong, daughter of Frank and Jane (Smith) Strong, born August 27, 1800, in Harrisburgh, Pa. She married, second, January 13, 1853, in Palmyra, Capt. Charles Gilbert of Palmyra, and died October 11, 1873, in Edinburg, Ohio.

Carlos D. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Palmyra, Ohio, and lived there the remainder of his life. He was engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PALMYRA, OHIO:

- i. OLIVE, b. Dec. 11, 1824; m. July 4, 1843, Ora Howard Corbett of Fowlersville, Mich.
- ii. ELVA ELIZABETH, b. July 26, 1826; m. Feb. 12, 1852, Daniel Her and resides in New York City.

\* No children by second marriage.

† Once a flourishing village and post office (now discontinued) twelve miles east of Chariton, the county seat of Lucas county.

‡ Except i, who was born in La Grange, Iowa.



- iii. STEPHEN ADDISON, b. May 12, 1828; was a farmer; d. Nov. 28, 1852, in Laporte, Ind.; unm. He was buried with Masonic honors.
778. iv. ROYAL DAYTON, b. May 31, 1831.
- v. CARLOS JEHIEL, b. May 1, 1833; d. Oct. 9, 1835.

**453.** ASA HIRAM TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 14, 1809, in Bridgewater, Conn.; died March 16, 1870, in Cleveland, Ohio; married February 7, 1835, in Edinburg, Ohio, Elizabeth Kelley, born June 12, 1818, in ———, N. H.; died August 3, 1877, in Cleveland.

Asa H. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his father to Portage county, Ohio. He was engaged in farming in Edinburg until about 1840, when he removed to Elyria, Ohio. About 1852 he settled in Cleveland, Ohio, where he resided the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN :\*

779. i. DANIEL, b. Feb. 5, 1837.
- ii. ANNIS, b. Nov. 22, 1839; m. Feb. —, 1863, William Caldwell and resides in Cleveland, Ohio.
- iii. RILEY, b. July 22, 1842; d. Feb. 10, 1844.
- iv. HARRIET, b. June 4, 1845; m. Apr. 17, 1865, William Allen and resides in North Elyria, Ohio.
- v. CLARA, b. July 17, 1848; d. Oct. 20, 1878, in Cleveland; unm.
- vi. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 7, 1851; m. Sept. 17, 1876, Clarence A. Brown of Elyria.
- vii. LIZZIE, b. Apr. 7, 1854; d. Mar. 11, 1875, in Cleveland; unm.
- viii. NELLIE, b. Sept. 14, 1857; d. July 21, 1875, in Cleveland; unm.
- ix. IDA, b. Sept. 19, 1860; d. Oct. 17, 1881, in Cleveland; unm.

**454.** DANIEL HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 7, 1816, in Palmyra, Ohio; died March 18, 1881, in Pipestone, Mich.; married February 9, 1842, in Edinburg, Ohio, Lorette Hanchett, daughter of Loren and Harriet? (Suttle) Hanchett, born March 2, 1822, in Cayuga, N. Y.; died July 26, 1897, in Schuyler, Neb.

Daniel H. Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Edinburg, Ohio, and was engaged in farming there until about 1850, when he emigrated to Michigan. He bought land near Pipestone, Berrien county, then a wilderness, where he cleared a farm and lived the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN :†

- i. ELIJAH HENRY, b. July 15, 1843; d. Sept. 13, 1843.
780. ii. CHARLES DANIEL, b. Nov. 27, 1844.
781. iii. OLIVER DAYTON, b. Feb. 25, 1847.
782. iv. JOHN WORDSWORTH, b. Mar. 15, 1849.
- v. HARRIET, b. Mar. 25, 1851; d. Aug. 30, 1862.
- vi. EMILY MARIA, b. Feb. 11, 1855; d. Sept. 1, 1862.
783. vii. STEPHEN DOUGLAS, b. Nov. 1, 1857.

**455.** RICHARD TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 22, 1823, in Palmyra, Ohio; died ———, 1860, in Cleveland, Ohio; married, first, October 21, 1846, Louisa Wormett. He married, second, ———, 1850, Mahala Standish, who died in Watervliet, Mich.

Richard Trowbridge emigrated with his father and brothers to Berrien county, Mich., where he cleared a farm and settled.

## NO CHILDREN.

\* i-ii born in Edinburg, Ohio; iii-vi in Elyria, Ohio; vii-ix in Cleveland, Ohio.

† i-iv born in Edinburg, Ohio; v-vii in Pipestone, Mich.

**456.** STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 20, 1825, in Edinburg, Ohio; died October 13, 1864, in Pipestone, Mich.; married May 29, 1847, in Portage county, Ohio, Olive Daniels Corbett, daughter of Chiron and Susan (Daniels) Corbett, born September 22, 1829, in Portage county; died March 1, 1891, in Pipestone.

Stephen Trowbridge was engaged in farming in Portage county, Ohio, for a few years after his marriage. He then followed his father and brothers to Berrien county, Mich., where he cleared a farm in Pipestone and lived the remainder of his life.

CHILDREN BORN IN PORTAGE COUNTY, OHIO:\*

- i. ANNIS ELIZA, b. Sept. 5, 1849; m. July 20, 1900, John B. Lybrook and resides near Eau Claire, Mich.
- 784. ii. ARTEMON RICHARD, b. June 9, 1852.
- 785. iii. WALLACE NORTHROP, b. Sept. 10, 1859.

**457.** HARRY TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 10, 1829, in Edinburg, Ohio; died August 24, 1862, in Pipestone, Mich.; married, first, ———, 1852, in Pipestone, Eunice Marsh, who died ———, 1855, in Pipestone. He married, second, June 20, 1856, in Pipestone, Lydia Eveline Lewis,† daughter of Jesse and Esther (Gallup) Lewis, born August 23, 1837, in Columbia, Ohio; died February 2, 1898, in Pipestone.

Harry Trowbridge in company with his father and several of his brothers emigrated to Berrien county, Mich., which was then a wilderness. He cleared a farm in Pipestone and lived there the remainder of his life, engaged in farming and stock raising. He held several township offices and was a member of the Church of Christ.

CHILDREN BORN IN PIPESTONE, MICH.:

*By first marriage:*

- 786. i. THOMAS RUSSELL, b. Feb. 14, 1853.
- ii. ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 1, 1855; d. in infancy.

*By second marriage:*

- iii. ALICE ISADORA, b. Aug. 26, 1857; m. Oct. 29, 1879, Milton Preston and resides in Pipestone.
- 787. iv. GEORGE RANDOLPH, b. Feb. 22, 1859.
- v. HARRY EUGENE, b. Feb. 2, 1861; lived for a time in Benton Harbor, Mich., and came to Tower, Mich., in the fall of 1899, since which time he has been engaged in building operations there and in Onaway, Mich. He resides in Tower; unm.
- vi. EDWARD LEWIS, b. Oct. 23, 1862; d. Mar. 1, 1864.

**458.** NELSON DAYTON TROWBRIDGE (*A. Dayton*<sup>250?</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 13, 1809, in Bridgewater, Conn.; died May 27, 1865, in Bridgewater; married January 10, 1833, in Bridgewater, Flora Sherman, daughter of Sylvester and Mercy (Peck) Sherman, born April 5, 1815, in Newtown, Conn.; died March 30, 1893, in South Norwalk, Conn.

Nelson D. Trowbridge received an education in the schools in his native town. With the exception of a few years after his marriage, during which he lived in Woodbury, Conn., he resided all his life in Bridgewater, Conn. He was a builder and farmer. He was elected a grand juror at the first town meeting held in Bridgewater on July 14, 1856. He represented that town in the Connecticut Assembly in 1859.

CHILDREN BORN IN WOODBURY, CONN.:

- 788. i. CHARLES SHERMAN, b. Feb. 10, 1834.
- 789. ii. HENRY GEORGE, b. Jan. 5, 1841.

\* Except iii, who was born in Pipestone, Mich.

† A sister of the wife of his nephew No. 779.

**459. JUNOT FILANDER TROWBRIDGE** (*Wheeler*<sup>251</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 7, 1822, in Palmyra, Ohio; died December 10, 1861, in Fowler, Ohio; married February 22, 1846, in Fowler, Emily Beach, daughter of Dr. Harry and Mary (Chew) Beach, born March 16, 1830, in Fowler. She married, second, September 11, 1872, in Fowler, Ephraim Post\* of Cortland, Ohio, where she resides.

Junot F. Trowbridge settled in Fowler, Ohio, where he was engaged in farming. He dealt largely and successfully in stock, buying cattle and driving them to the Pittsburg and Philadelphia markets. He was a moral, upright man, of strictly temperate habits.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FOWLER, OHIO:

790. i. CHARLES ARTHUR, b. July 20, 1848.  
 ii. EDWARD MONROE, b. Nov. 19, 1859; d. Nov. 14, 1877, in Onalaska, Wis.; unm.  
 iii. FRANK BEACH, b. Jan. 21, 1854; d. Feb. 13, 1864, in Fowler.  
 iv. NOBA ALICE, b. Dec. 11, 1857; m. Dec. 9, 1880, Charles Cowden Craft and resides in Columbus, Ohio.

**460. JOHN TROWBRIDGE** (*Wheeler*<sup>251</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 24, 1824, in Palmyra, Ohio; died about 1851 in ———; married Orpha (Hawley) Abels of Bazetta, Ohio, daughter of Chandler and Rebecca (Veits) Hawley, born ———, 182—, in Fowler, Ohio. She married, third, May 10, 1855, Ephraim Post† of Cortland, Ohio, where she died September —, 1870.

John Trowbridge settled in Fowler, Ohio, and became one of the largest stock dealers in the county. He died while making one of his business trips.

## NO CHILDREN.

**461. DANIEL TROWBRIDGE** (*Wheeler*<sup>251</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 8, 1826, in Palmyra, Ohio; died December 8, 1902, in Fowler, Ohio; married June 22, 1852, in Warren, Ohio, Ann Baldwin, daughter of Ephraim and Celestia (Wheeler) Baldwin, born March 26, 1835, in Fowler. She resides in Fowler.

Daniel Trowbridge settled in Fowler, Ohio, and was engaged in farming there the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FOWLER, OHIO:

791. i. JOHN FITSLAND, b. Sept. 19, 1853.  
 ii. FREDERICK DAYTON, b. Sept. 21, 1856; is in the lumber business in Fowler; unm.  
 iii. CELESTIA ANN, b. Apr. 25, 1860; m. Sept. 12, 1894, Abner Webb Murphey of Fowler.  
 792. iv. ERNEST ADDISON, b. Dec. 27, 1863.  
 v. JESSIE MINNIE, b. June 17, 1865; m. June 22, 1889, Ernest Lock of New-castle, Pa.  
 792a. vi. CARLTON EUGENE, b. Aug. 30, 1872.

**462. MATTHEW THOMAS TROWBRIDGE** (*Thomas B.*<sup>253</sup>, *Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ———<sup>122?</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 19, 1824, in Weston, Conn.; died April 29, 1903, in Rockford, Ill.; married November 4, 1844, in Danbury, Conn., Agnes Keziah Sherman, daughter of Gould and Aehsah (Benedict) Sherman, born November 5, 1824, in Danbury. She resides in Evanston, Ill.

Matthew T. Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Danbury, Conn., and engaged in the manufacture of boots and shoes. In the spring of 1861 he removed to Rockford, Ill., when that city had a population of about 7,000, and

\* His first wife was the widow of No. 460.

† He next married the widow of No. 459.

engaged in the insurance business with the old Rock River Insurance Company. Towards the close of the Civil War he enlisted March 4, 1865, and was appointed corporal of Company D, 15th Illinois Infantry. He saw service in the field and was mustered out with his regiment September 16, 1865. He then resumed the insurance business, in which he was engaged until he retired from active business on account of impaired health. For many years he had lived a retired life at his home on Lafayette avenue, East Rockford.

"Mr. Trowbridge had lived in the present homestead or immediate vicinity during his entire residence in Rockford, a period of forty-two years. It has been a home of hospitality, especially to the membership of the State Street Baptist Church. This home may be said to be a landmark in the history of the church, and around its genial hearth have been held many conferences to consider various interests of church work. Mr. Trowbridge was a gentleman of the old school. His nature was genial; he treated all men with courtesy. In his life the elements were gently mixed. He was a neighbor in the true sense of the word. His helpfulness in sickness and trouble will be remembered by many who received his ministrations. On occasion, when no other help was available, he would act as a volunteer nurse for the sick. He was an attendant at the State Street Baptist Church, and a member of Nevius Post, No. 1, Department of Illinois, Grand Army of the Republic. His only public office was that of commissioner of the East Side Park, which he held at the time of his death."

## CHILDREN BORN IN DANBURY, CONN.:

- i. LUCY ALTHEA, b. Sept. 3, 1845; m. Dec. 30, 1880, Robert S. Ewing of Rockford, Ill.
793. ii. LUCIUS ATWATER, b. Apr. 19, 1847.

463. GEORGE BYRON TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas B.*<sup>253</sup>, *Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ———<sup>122</sup>?, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 1, 1827, in Weston, Conn.; resides in Fishkill, N. Y.; married February 12, 1857, in Cambridge, N. J., Adeline Fassett Fenton, daughter of Zalmon and Parnel (Hickok) Fenton, born March 28, 1828, in Cambridge; died August 27, 1905, in Fishkill.

George B. Trowbridge has been engaged in railroading for many years, serving in various positions. He is at present assistant superintendent of the Hudson River division of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company. He is a member of the Episcopal Church.

## NO CHILDREN.

464. EDWARD RODMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas B.*<sup>253</sup>, *Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ———<sup>122</sup>?, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 23, 1828, in Weston, Conn.; died ———, 18—, in ———; married February 17, 1856, in Sunbury, Pa., Rachel Wynn, daughter of Samuel Dalbies and Elizabeth (Shipman) Wynn, born November 3, 1831, in Sunbury. She resides in Philadelphia, Pa.

Edward R. Trowbridge was in the railroad contracting business, in which he was actively and constantly employed for a number of years. During the Civil War he was residing in Sunbury, Pa., and was engaged in railroad building. He left home on May 15, 1864, to attend to his contract, and was last heard of on June 10; and is supposed to have been killed during one of the Confederate raids into the territory where he was filling his railroad contract.

## CHILDREN:

- i. WILLIAM BURR, b. Dec. 12, 1856, in Port Treverton, Pa.; d. June 2, 1862, in Danbury, Conn.
- ii. EDWARD CLARENCE, b. Aug. 14, 1859, in Georgetown, Pa.; was a graduate of the Sunbury, Pa., high school and was a railroad engineer; d. Nov. 17, 1893, in Sunbury; unm.

**465.** HENRY I.\* TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas B.*<sup>253</sup>, *Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ————<sup>122</sup>?, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 5, 1830, in Weston, Conn.; died October 6, 1878, in Weston; married June 10, 1855, in Weston, Abigail (Merwin) Sturges, widow of Edmund Ogden Sturges of Weston and daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Wakeman (Fanton) Merwin, born September 21, 1825, in Weston. She resides in Westport, Conn.

Henry I. Trowbridge made his home in his native place, Weston, Conn. He was a soldier in the Civil War, enlisting February 20, 1862, in Company K, 5th Connecticut Infantry. He was promoted corporal July 25, 1862. He was captured August 9, 1862, at the battle of Cedar Mountain, where the 5th Connecticut, with the 28th New York and the 46th Pennsylvania, broke entirely through the Confederate line, scattered ten of the enemy's regiments, and occupied a commanding position, but were driven back for want of support. He was confined in Libby Prison until he was paroled September 13, 1862. He was discharged for disability March 4, 1863. He re-enlisted February 19, 1864, in the 2d Connecticut Light Battery, and was with it at Fort Gaines, Fort Morgan, and before Blakeley, Ala. He was promoted corporal May 2, 1865, and was mustered out on August 8 following. After his return from the war, his health not being good, he lived a very quiet life in Weston. During his latter years he was employed as a foreman at C. W. Bradley & Sons' edge tool factory, until failing health made it necessary for him to cease all active labor.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WESTON, CONN.:

794. i. GUYTHEL B.,\* b. Dec. 4, 1857.  
 ii. CORA MAY, b. May 30, 1860; m. Dec. 22, 1881, Edward Arthur Beers and resides in Westport, Conn.  
 iii. INA VIRGINIA, b. Aug. 3, 1862; m. Nov. 16, 1887, Frederick Clifford Peet of Bridgeport, Conn.

**466.** BENJAMIN HICKOK TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas B.*<sup>253</sup>, *Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ————<sup>122</sup>?, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 16, 1832, in Weston, Conn.; died January 6, 1904, in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; married August 20, 1861, in Poughkeepsie, Mary Eliza Wainwright, daughter of Alfred and Maria (Manny) Wainwright, born November 22, 1831, in Poughkeepsie; died April 5, 1891, in Poughkeepsie.

Benjamin H. Trowbridge came to Poughkeepsie, N. Y., in 1855 and secured a position with Daniels, Briggs & McNeil. He continued with that firm until 1865, when he formed a copartnership with Samuel Budd, in the general plumbing business, under the firm name of Budd & Trowbridge, and they erected a building on Main street. In 1868 the firm was dissolved, Isaac W. Sherrill purchasing the interest of Mr. Budd. Later Peter Adriance was taken in as a member of the firm and the firm name was changed to Trowbridge, Sherrill & Adriance. In 1875 Mr. Sherrill retired, and the business was continued by Messrs. Trowbridge and Adriance until 1895, when Mr. Trowbridge retired. He subsequently purchased the business of Allen Bros., which he continued until his death. His son was associated with him in this business, the firm being B. H. Trowbridge & Son, and they carried on a tinning, plumbing and heating business.

Mr. Trowbridge was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted June 27, 1863, for thirty days in Company A, 21st New York State Militia, and was discharged August 6, 1863, at the expiration of his term of service. He was a Republican in politics. He served several terms as water commissioner and at one time represented his ward in the board of supervisors. He was a member of David B. Sleight Post, No. 331, Department of New York, G. A. R. He was an honored and respected citizen of Poughkeepsie, where he had a wide circle of friends and acquaintances.

\* Initial only.

## CHILDREN BORN IN POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.:

- i. GEORGE WAINWRIGHT, b. Dec. 20, 1865; d. Aug. 11, 1866.
- ii. MARY ELIZA, b. Aug. 27, 1867; m. Dec. 30, 1891, Joseph Edwin Cochran and resides in Elkhart, Ind.
- iii. GEORGE CASE, b. Feb. 16, 1869; was in business with his father and succeeded him at his death; resides in Poughkeepsie; unm.

467. WILLIAM PARSONS TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas B.*<sup>253</sup>, *Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ———<sup>122</sup>?, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 11, 1848, in Weston, Conn.; resides in Carnegie, Pa.; married May 1, 1875, in Mount Pleasant, Pa., Mary Susan Shaffer, daughter of David and Eliza (Martin) Shaffer, born June 25, 1854, in Dawson, Pa.

William P. Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Laurelville, Pa., removing four years later to Kecksburg, Pa., being engaged in the lumber business. On March 1, 1905, he came to Carnegie, Pa., his present residence, where he is foreman and superintendent of the lumber yard of the Carnegie Mill and Lumber Company.

## CHILDREN:\*

795. i. THOMAS ARTHUR, b. June 25, 1876.
- ii. CLARA HOYT, b. Apr. 5, 1878; resides with her parents; unm.
- iii. MINNIE ALICE, b. Sept. 7, 1880; m. Nov. 22, 1904, C. C. Monticue of Rochester, Pa.
796. iv. FRANK ANDREW, b. Nov. 30, 1882.
797. v. JOHN MARTIN, b. Sept. 25, 1884.

468. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*William F.*<sup>253</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 21, 1808, in Pompey?, N. Y.; died ———, 18—, in Lawrenceville, Pa.?: married ———, 18—, in ———, Lavinia ———.

William Trowbridge was a tailor by trade. He is said to have lived in Lawrenceville, Pa.†

469. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>257</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>150</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August —, 1808?‡ in Pompey Hill, N. Y.; died January 31, 1892, in Windham township, Wyoming county, Pa.; married May —, 1830, in Browntown, Bradford county, Pa., Anna Brown, daughter of Josiah and Lydia (Phillips) Brown, born May 10, 1815, in Browntown; died September —, 1902, in Windham.

John Trowbridge when about fifteen years old went to Pennsylvania. After his marriage he lived in Wilkesbarre, Pa., about six years and then moved to Tunkhannock and from there to Windham township in the same county, Wyoming. He there bought a piece of woodland, built a log house and cleared a farm. He was engaged in farming there the remainder of his life.

He was a soldier in the Civil War. Stating his age as younger than he was, in order to be allowed to enlist, he was mustered March 30, 1864, into Company K, 143d Pennsylvania Infantry. He continued in the service until he was taken ill, when he was discharged in July, 1864.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WINDHAM TOWNSHIP, WYOMING COUNTY, PA.:§

- i. DANIEL, b. July 25, 1831; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted Mar. 30, 1864, in Company L, 6th Pennsylvania Cavalry and was mustered out June 6, 1865. He m. ———; d. July 3, 1904, in Windham.
- ii. RUTH, b. Oct. 17, 1836; m. Lorenzo W. Myers of Windham.

\* i-ii born in Laurelville, Pa.; iii-v in Kecksburg, Pa.

† Persons thought to be his descendants failed to answer the compiler's letters.

‡ By his sister Harriet (since deceased); 1812 by his youngest daughter. The former sent the list of children of No. 257 by his first wife and gave her name as printed on page 205.

§ Except i, who was born in Wilkesbarre, Pa. None answered except vii.

- iii. HARRIET, b. Mar. 27, 1839; unm.
- iv. ABBIE LUCRETIA, b. Mar. 31, 1841; m. Aug. 8, 1858, Samuel G. Robinson and resides in Strong City, Kan.
- 797a. v. JOSHUA, b. Mar. 30, 1843.
- vi. JOSIAH, b. July 25, 1845; m. ———; d. Nov. 11, 1886, in Windham.
- vii. HANNAH JANETTE, b. May 1, 1850; m. Dec. 11, 1867, William Brown and resides in Windham (Jenningsville P. O.).
- 797b. viii. JOHN, b. Sept. 23, 1852.
- ix. ELISHA HARRISON, b. Oct. 11, 1854.

470. HARRY TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>257</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 1, 1810, in Pompey Hill, N. Y.;\* died May 10, 1888, in Syracuse, N. Y.; married ———.

Harry Trowbridge lived for some years in Jersey City, N. J., before removing to Syracuse, N. Y., where he died.

CHILDREN BORN IN JERSEY CITY, N. J.?:

- i. HENRY JOHN,† b. ———, 184-?; resided in Linden, Pa.
- ii. MARY JANE, b. ———, 184-?; m. ——— Hunsinger and resides in Linden.

471. STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>257</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1812, in Pompey Hill, N. Y.; died July 4, 1864, in Syracuse, N. Y.; married in New Hartford, N. Y., Mary Dunlap, born ———, 1824, in New Hartford; died January 19, 1896, in Roosevelt, N. Y.

Stephen Trowbridge settled in Oswego county, N. Y., and was a farmer. His farm was one and a half miles from the village of Caughdenoy. He lived there about twenty years. The last three years of his life were passed in Palermo Center in the same county. He sold his farm there, and went to Michigan for the purpose of buying a farm. He was not suited, and, while on his way home, died at the home of a niece‡ in Syracuse, N. Y.

NO CHILDREN, but adopted:

- i. CORNELIA,§ b. Aug. 8, 1845, in Palermo, N. Y.; m., 1st, July 21, 1869, Theodore Pickard of Sebrouppé, N. Y.; m., 2d, June 14, 1893, Augustus Durgan and resides in Fulton, N. Y.

472. ALONZO TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>257</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 12, 1823, in Berkshire, Vt.; died January 15, 1897, in Bakersfield, Vt.; married ———, 1850, in Enosburgh, Vt., Elvira Tracy, daughter of Daniel and Hannah (———) Tracy, born ———, 1829, in Enosburgh?; died May 15, 1882, in Montgomery, Vt.

Alonzo Trowbridge was a farmer in Enosburgh, Montgomery and Bakersfield, Vt.

CHILDREN BORN IN ENOSBURGH, VT.:||

- 798. i. ORRIN SYLVESTER, b. ———, 1851.
- ii. LORENZO, b. ———, 185-; d. young.
- iii. PHOEBE, b. ———, 185-; d. young.
- iv. CYNTHIA, b. ———, 185-; d. aged about 18 years.
- v. EUNICE, b. ———, 186-; d. very young.
- vi. ORVILLE, b. ———, 186-; d. aged about 13 years.
- vii. OTIS, b. ———, 186-; d. aged about 18 years.
- viii. EDWARD, b. Aug. 10, 1869; is farming in Bakersfield, Vt.; unm.

\* It is possible that the remainder of what is printed under this number refers to No. 167, v. Descendants failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† "Henry J. Trowbridge, otherwise *Williams*, of Linden, Pa.," at the time his father's estate was settled. [Onondaga County, N. Y., Surrogate Records.]

‡ No. 274, ll.

§ Daughter of Francis and Sally (Denton) Perren.

|| Except viii, who was born in Montgomery, Vt.

**473.** SEYMOUR TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>257</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 4, 1829, in Berkshire, Vt.; died April 5, 1902, in Newport Centre, Vt.; married January 4, 1856, in Enosburgh, Vt., Hannah H. Martin, daughter of Anthony and Nancy (Brown) Martin, born March 11, 1833, in North Bolton, Canada. She resides in Newport Centre.

Seymour Trowbridge settled in Enosburgh, Vt., and engaged in farming. He was a soldier in the Civil War, enlisting June 3, 1862, for three years in Company A, 9th Vermont Infantry. He was transferred to Company B, and back again to Company A on September 1, 1864. He was wounded in the left hand while on duty at Harper's Ferry. He was taken prisoner in 1864; was paroled and sent back to his regiment September 14; and was discharged for disability June 5, 1865.\* Some years after the war he removed to Newport Centre, Vt., where he owned a nice farm near the railroad station.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ENOSBURGH, VT.:

799. i. EDMUND SEYMOUR, b. Oct. 22, 1856.  
 ii. CLINTON DANIEL, b. Apr. 10, 1860; was engaged in farming with his father until he was nineteen years old, when he entered the employ of the Boston and Lowell Railroad Company, with which he remained until his death. He d. Oct. 7, 1893, in Lowell, Mass.; unm.  
 800. iii. WILLIAM CARL, b. Mar. 11, 1862.

**474.** STEPHEN DUNWELL TROWBRIDGE (*Eli*<sup>260</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 15, 1818, in Phelps, N. Y.; died March 9, 1893, in Solon, Ohio; married June 30, 1837, in Chagrin Falls, Ohio, Mehetabel Ballou Garfield,† daughter of Abram and Elizabeth (Ballou) Garfield, born January 28, 1821, in Independence, Ohio. She resides in Solon.

Stephen D. Trowbridge came to Ohio when a young man and taught school for a number of years prior to his marriage. He settled in Solon, Ohio, and was a farmer. During the Civil War he enlisted August 24, 1861, for three years and was appointed a corporal of Company K, 2d Ohio Cavalry. He was transferred to be corporal of Company H on February 17, 1863. He had much illness while in the army and participated in no battle, and was discharged after eighteen months' service. After leaving the army he returned to his farm in Solon, where he lived the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SOLON, OHIO:

- i. ANNA ELIZA, b. Sept. 12, 1839; m. Dec. 15, 1883, William Olds and resides in Solon.  
 ii. MARY ELVIRA, b. Mar. 4, 1842; m. Jan. 1, 1862, Firman Bradford McConner and resides in Bedford, Ohio.  
 iii. MELVIN MILTON, b. Oct. 14, 1845; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted, giving his age as eighteen, Aug. 24, 1861, as bugler in Company K, 2d Ohio Cavalry. He was discharged for disability June 20, 1862. He re-enlisted in Company E, 1st Michigan Engineers, and was taken sick and died in a field hospital in Bridgeport, Ala., Mar. 11, 1864; unm.  
 iv. ALTIE ESTELLA, b. Sept. 11, 1860; m. Dec. 23, 1880, John R. Hawkins of Sundance, Wyo.

**475.** REV. ORRIN TROWBRIDGE (*Minor*<sup>261</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 29, 1809, in Tully, N. Y.; died April 5, 1891, in Newark, N. Y.; married June 14, 1842, in Dix, N. Y., Martha Ann Ganung, daughter of John Ganung, born December 22, 1819, in Somerstown, N. Y.; died April 6, 1892, in Newark.

Orrin Trowbridge was a minister of the Central New York Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.‡

\* By his own account; May 11, 1865, by the adjutant general's report.

† A sister of the late President James A. Garfield.

‡ No data furnished for a biographical sketch.







*Seymour Troubridge*

## CHILDREN :

- 800a. i. FRANCIS EMORY, b. Apr. 13, 1843, in Painted Post, N. Y.  
 ii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. June 9, 1846, in Sardinia, N. Y.; m. Nov. 20, 1867, Wilbur F. Nutton, M.D., of Newark, N. Y.  
 iii. ELLA LOUISA, b. May 25, 1848, in Aurora, N. Y.; m. Aug. 9, 1876, Hon. Warren M. Bateman of Glendale, Ohio.

**476.** SETH TROWBRIDGE (*Minor*<sup>261</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 28, 1811, in Newark, N. Y.; died November 22, 1883, in Lima, N. Y.; married April 15, 1839, in Shelby, N. Y., Nancy Minerva Jackson, daughter of Philip Burr and Sarah (Christie) Jackson, born September 18, 1811, in Plattsburgh, N. Y.; died July 16, 1902, in Kirksville, Mo.

Seth Trowbridge for the ten years succeeding his marriage lived in the village of Newark in Arcadia, N. Y., his native town. He then removed to Shelby, N. Y., and in 1861 to Lima, N. Y., where his children were put in college and where he resided the remainder of his life. He was a farmer in early life and in later years a merchant. He was an active member of the Methodist Episcopal church in Lima.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWARK, N. Y. :

- i. SARAH, b. May 9, 1841; m. Aug. 13, 1863, Rev. Edwin Walter Hall of Greenville, Ky., and resides in Kirksville, Mo.  
 801. ii. BURE JACKSON, b. July 28, 1843.

**477.** SEYMOUR TROWBRIDGE (*Minor*<sup>261</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 20, 1813, in Newark, N. Y.; died June 8, 1899, in Cleveland, Ohio; married February 6, 1834, in Newark, Sally Maria Johnson, daughter of Henry and Sally (Taylor) Johnson, born February 12, 1816, in Newark; died March 2, 1902, in Cleveland.

Seymour Trowbridge and his wife lived near their childhood's home until September, 1835, when they emigrated to Ohio and settled near Solon in Cuyahoga county. When they first settled there the surrounding country was a wilderness, and on the farm of 200 acres which they bought not a tree had been cut. "The farm was so dense a forest that Mr. Trowbridge was compelled to call his uncle to his assistance to locate his farm. They spent nearly one day and finally found it by a line of blazed trees made by the surveyors. Here he built his log house and felled the mighty forest with his strong and sturdy arm, until he had cleared it to raise crops for himself and young wife." He lived there until April, 1863, when he sold his farm and removed to Brooklyn village, now included in the limits of the city of Cleveland. He purchased a farm near the Calvin Institute on Pearl street, and lived in the house near the corner of Trowbridge avenue which is now standing. He lived there four years, and then he sold his farm and purchased the residence at the corner of Pearl street and Archwood avenue where he lived until he died.

Mr. Trowbridge was progressive and was for many years actively engaged in enterprises having for their object the improvement of the incorporated village of Brooklyn. He was several times elected to positions of trust, serving as mayor of Brooklyn village for two terms, township trustee, etc., positions he always filled to the satisfaction of the people and honor to himself. He was one of the organizers of the Brooklyn Street Railroad Company, and was its only president until the purchase of the same by Hon. Tom L. Johnson, the deal being negotiated by Mr. Trowbridge.

He and his wife were members of the Methodist Episcopal Church, with which Mr. Trowbridge united in 1836, ever since which time he had been a consistent member and had served on its official board for a number of years. He and his wife were in all probability the oldest married couple in Cuyahoga county, having celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary at their home on Pearl street the February preceding his death.

## CHILDREN :

802. i. WESLEY, b. Nov. 28, 1834, in Newark, N. Y.  
 ii. DEBORAH, b. Feb. 28, 1837, in Solon, Ohio; m. Jan. 1, 1860, John Thompson and resides in Solon.

478. ALPHEUS SMITH TROWBRIDGE (*Minor*<sup>261</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>). born September 4, 1821, in Newark, N. Y.; died March 10, 1895, in Rutland, Vt.; married January 15, 1846, in Sodus, N. Y., Ann Isabella Fellows, daughter of John Nicholas and Mariah (Coleman) Fellows, born November 5, 1825, in Livingston Manor, N. Y. She resides in Chicago, Ill.

Alpheus S. Trowbridge followed the occupation of farming all his life. He settled after his marriage near the village of Newark in his native town, Arcadia, N. Y. In 1855 he moved to Clinton Junction, Wis., and in 1860 to Janesville, Wis. He enlisted in the Civil War September 14, 1861, for three years or during the war, in Company A, 13th Wisconsin Infantry. He acted in the capacity of hospital nurse the greater part of his time of service, and was greatly beloved by the sick and dying, ministering not only to their bodily needs, but also to their spiritual welfare. He was promoted August 24, 1864, to be second lieutenant of Company L, 1st Wisconsin Heavy Artillery, but, on account of failing health, he only served with that command for three months and was discharged January 30, 1865.

Mr. Trowbridge removed in 1868 to St. James, Minn., which was then the frontier, and took a homestead near that town. While living there he held the office of justice of the peace. He was unable to endure the hardships of frontier life and, therefore, in 1881 he left his farm and went to Minneapolis, where two of his daughters resided at that time. In 1888 he decided to try the South for the sake of his health, and he located in Lawtey, Fla. He died while on a visit at the home of his youngest daughter in Rutland, Vt. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church and served as class leader, trustee and Sunday school superintendent. He was loyal to his church and led the life of a Christian.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWARK, N. Y. :\*

- i. CHARLOTTE LOUISA, b. Apr. 10, 1847; m. Dec. 30, 1867, Horace Clark Smith and resides in Chicago, Ill.
- ii. LEONIDAS HAMLIN, b. Oct. 5, 1849; was named for Bishop Hamline of the M.E. Church. He was a high school graduate, and at the time of his death was employed in the bookstore and bindery of Dearborn & Co. in Janesville, Wis. He d. there Oct. 5, 1866.
- iii. ALICE AMELIA, b. Aug. 15, 1851; m. Dec. 26, 1870, Willis Greenleaf Bundy and resides in Minneapolis, Minn.
- iv. HATTIE CEDELIA, b. Dec. 5, 1854; m. Mar. —, 1872, Charles R. Bacon, M.D., of Minneapolis.
- v. NELLIE, b. Oct. 8, 1859; m. Nov. 16, 1880, William Porter Cady and resides in Rutland, Vt.

479. NOBLE PALMETER TROWBRIDGE (*Minor*<sup>261</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>). born September 22, 1830, in Newark, N. Y.; died February 22, 1883, in Newark; married December 5, 1850, in Sodus Point, N. Y., Mary Robinson, daughter of Gideon and Hannah (Coleman) Robinson, born June 8, 1828, in Greenfield, Pa. She resides in Lyons, N. Y.

Noble P. Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life near the village of Newark in his native town, Arcadia, N. Y. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, of which his widow is also a member.

## NO CHILDREN.

\* Except v. who was born in Clinton Junction, Wis.

**480.** HIRAM TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>262</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>100</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 15, 1821, in Preble, N. Y.; died November 22, 1896, in Mount Pleasant, Mich.; married November 24, 1843, in Kirtland, Ohio, Laura L. Stannard, daughter of Henry and Margaret (Hoffman) Stannard, born November 26, 1822, in Kirtland; died January 22, 1897, in Cleveland, Ohio.

Hiram Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Solon, Ohio. After his marriage he settled in Chagrin Falls, near Cleveland, Ohio, and passed the latter years of his life in that city. He died while on a visit at Mount Pleasant, Mich.

## CHILD BORN IN CHAGRIN FALLS, OHIO:

- i. FRANCELIA M. b. Mar. 5, 1850; m. Nov. 11, 1869, George B. Huston and resides in Cleveland, Ohio.

**481.** MARVIN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>262</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 2, 1825, in Preble, N. Y.; died October 10, 1900, in Bluffton, Minn.; married ———, 1847, in Solon, Ohio, Mary Eliza Daniels, daughter of Sylvester Daniels, born March 24, 1827, in Solon; resides in Williston, N. D.

Marvin Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Solon, Ohio, where he learned the trade of a blacksmith. He lived in Solon until 1854, when he emigrated with his family to Elk township, Delaware county, Iowa. During the Civil War he enlisted from that town May 18, 1864, for "100 days" in Company F, 46th Iowa Infantry. He moved to Bluffton, Minn., some years prior to his death.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. PAMELIA, b. May 24, 1849; m. May 12, 1867, Samuel Royer Taylor of Millbank, S. D.
803. ii. PHILANDER MARVIN, b. June 25, 1851.
- iii. CHARLES ARTHUR, b. May —, 1853; resides in Esmond, S. D.†
- iv. ELLA, b. Oct. 12, 1854; m. Jan. 17, 1870, John Barnhart and resides in Bluffton, Minn.
804. v. HORACE S., b. July 25, 1856.
- vi. NELLIE, b. Mar. —, 1858; m. ———, 1883, Alexander Shaw and resides in South Seattle, Wash.†
- vii. MARCIA, b. Mar. —, 1861; m. ———, 1889, Patrick L. Devine and resides in Milwaukee, Wis.†
- viii. HOWARD, b. July —, 1865; resides in South Seattle.†

**482.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>262</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 7, 1830, in Preble, N. Y.; resides in Solon, Ohio; married December 14, 1849, in Chagrin Falls, Ohio, Lavinia Bissell,‡ daughter of Enos and Corinthia (Phelps) Bissell, born November 5, 1827, in Aurora, Ohio; died August 12, 1903, in Solon.

Henry Trowbridge was brought in childhood by his parents to Solon, Ohio, where he has since made his home, leading the life of a farmer. He was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted August 7, 1862, for three years in Company D, 103d Ohio Infantry. He was captured in action November 13, 1863, and sent to Belle Isle and later to Andersonville; being finally exchanged November 24, 1864, after being a prisoner for over a year. He was mustered out June 5, 1865. He then returned to his farm in Solon, where he has since resided.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SOLON, OHIO:

- i. GEORGIANNA MARCIA, b. Aug. 2, 1852; m. Mar. 8, 1876, George A. Robertson and resides in Cleveland, Ohio.

\* i-iii born in Solon, Ohio; iv-viii in Delaware county, Iowa.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

‡ A sister of the wife of his brother No. 483.

- ii. MAY ESTELLE, b. Sept. 14, 1857; is in the Cuyahoga County Probate Office in Cleveland; resides with her father; unm.  
 805. iii. ELMER ELLSWORTH, b. May 27, 1863.

**483.** PHILANDER DAWLEY TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>262</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 2, 1832, in Preble, N. Y.; resides in Holtville, Cal.; married September 12, 1852, in Solon, Ohio, Augusta Bissell,\* daughter of Enos and Corinthia (Phelps) Bissell, born January 15, 1832, in Aurora, Ohio.

Philander D. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Solon, Ohio, and engaged in farming there after his marriage. In the spring of 1854 he emigrated with his wife and infant son to Elk township, Delaware county, Iowa, and bought a farm near the village of Greeley. In the spring of 1895 he sold his farm there and removed to Manchester, the county seat, where he resided until November, 1906, when he removed to his present home in Holtville, Cal. He and his wife joined the Methodist Episcopal church in Greeley in 1857, in which they still hold their membership.

CHILDREN BORN IN ELK TOWNSHIP, DELAWARE COUNTY, IOWA:†

806. i. GRANVILLE SHERWOOD, b. Sept. 9, 1853.  
 ii. ALENA GERTRUDE, b. Oct. 22, 1854; m. Oct. 27, 1872, Marcellus Sargent and resides in Holtville, Cal.  
 iii. LILLIE BELLE, b. Sept. 29, 1865; m. Sept. 18, 1884, Philip H. Ausman and resides in Earlville, Iowa.  
 806a. iv. JOHN BISSELL, b. July 3, 1868.  
 807. v. ELBERT PHILANDER, b. Oct. 22, 1875.

**484.** MILO TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>263</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 21, 1817, in Areadia, N. Y.; died November 4, 1887, in Oberlin, Ohio; married, first, December 27, 1843, in Tully, N. Y., Harriet Comstock,‡ daughter of Jason and Philura (Cravath) Comstock, born January 25, 1814, in Tully; died January 15, 1867, in Oberlin. He married, second, July 28, 1868, in Oberlin, Emma Czarina Smith, daughter of John Mesler and Emeline (Rowland) Smith, born March 26, 1836, in Clarksfield, Ohio; died November 3, 1906, in Wakeman, Ohio.

Milo Trowbridge a few years after his marriage emigrated to Lorain county, Ohio, then the Far West. He settled in Oberlin, where he remained all his life, engaged in farming. He was a member of the First Congregational Church of Oberlin.

CHILDREN BORN IN OBERLIN, OHIO:§

*By first marriage:*

808. i. JAMES LUCULLUS, b. Nov. 22, 1845.  
 ii. PHILURA SALOMA, b. July 13, 1850; d. Aug. 8, 1852.  
 iii. SALOMA LUELLA, b. May 23, 1853; m. Nov. 16, 1876, Silas Wright Weaver and resides in Oberlin.

*By second marriage:*

- iv. GEORGE HENRY, b. Oct. 24, 1870; d. Nov. 8, 1873.  
 809. v. FREDERICK NELSON, b. June 4, 1871.

**485.** SETH TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>263</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 1, 1828, in Preble, N. Y.; resides in Madelia, Minn.; married, first, August 18, 1850, in Preble, Angeline Electa Comstock,||

\* A sister of the wife of his brother No. 482.

† Except i, who was born in Solon, Ohio.

‡ A sister of the wives of Nos. 485 and 266, and of the husband of No. 263, iii.

§ Except i, who was born in Tully, N. Y.

|| A sister of the wife of No. 484. See footnote ‡ above.

daughter of Jason and Philura (Cravath) Comstock, born March 22, 1831, in Tully, N. Y.; died October 22, 1894, in Independence, Kan. He married, second,\* January 8, 1868, in Saratoga, Minn., Clarissa Augusta Brown, daughter of Jonathan Corydon and Harriet Louisa (Hurlbut) Brown, born June 3, 1836, in Spring Hill, Pa.

Seth Trowbridge was thrown on his own resources when very young. At the age of seventeen he left his native place for the West and finally settled in Oberlin, Lorain county, Ohio, in 1850. In 1856 he removed to Saratoga, Winona county, Minn., and from there in 1870 to Madelia, Watonwan county, where he at present resides. He has always been engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN :†

*By first marriage:*

- i. AZULA, b. Nov. 9, 1851; d. Oct. 1, 1867.
- ii. ZENELLA LURINDA, b. June 5, 1859; m. Oct. 27, 1887, George Clay Lawson and resides in East Townsend, Ohio.
- iii. ELIZABETH CORNELIA, b. Apr. 21, 1861; d. Apr. 13, 1896, in Elgin, Ill.; unm.
- iv. ALICE NEVA, b. Feb. 19, 1863; m. Feb. 18, 1897, George Henry Adams and resides in Madelia, Minn.

*By second marriage:*

- v. MINNIE, b. June 27, 1869; m. May 26, 1888, James Joseph Manning and resides in St. James, Minn.
- vi. HATTIE MAY, b. May 12, 1872; m. Aug. 27, 1891, Charles L. Anderson and resides in Chicago, Ill.
- vii. JOHN JAMES, b. July 15, 1877; is in the restaurant business in Madelia; unm.

486. ALEXANDER DAVIS TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>263</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 3, 1835, in Tully, N. Y.; resides in Winona, Minn.; married Sarah Shelton.‡

Alexander D. Trowbridge emigrated with his brother Seth to Winona county, Minn., in 1856, since which time he has lived near Winona, the county seat. He is a farmer.

## NO CHILDREN.

486a. WILLIAM HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>263</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 29, 1845, in Tully, N. Y.; resides in Des Moines, Iowa; married, first, September 9, 1867, in Marengo, Iowa, Mary Ann Metcalf, daughter of George Atwood and Mary Ann (Ransted) Metcalf, born September 7, 1851, in Bremen, Ind. He married, second, ———, 1902, Mrs. Laura Ann Stroup.‡

William H. Trowbridge came in early childhood with his father to Cedar Rapids, Iowa. He enlisted from there in the Civil War October 1, 1861, as a private in Company D, 12th Iowa Infantry. He was captured at the battle of Shiloh, being later exchanged and returned home. He re-enlisted December 25, 1863, in Company D, 12th Veteran Iowa Infantry, and was mustered out at Memphis, Tenn., January 20, 1866. He is a driver for a business firm in Des Moines, Iowa.

He is believed to have had the following

## CHILDREN :§

- i. STELLA, b. ———, 18—; m. ——— Gilbert and resides in Follis, Okla.‡
- ii. A daughter, b. ———, 18—; m. J. E. Benton and resides in Oklahoma City, Okla.‡  
Others?

\* Having been divorced from his first wife, who married, second, James Avery.

† i born in Oberlin, Ohio; ii-iv in Saratoga, Minn.; v in Feldon, Minn.; vi in St. James, Minn.; vii in Madelia, Minn.

‡ Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

§ Order and dates of births unknown to the compiler.

**487. ROBERT CRAVATH TROWBRIDGE** (*Milo*<sup>264</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 14, 1823, in Tully, N. Y.; resides in Tully; married March 2, 1850, in Tully, Betsey Richardson Wooster,\* daughter of Murray and Betsey (Richardson) Wooster, born January 6, 1828, in Middlebury, Conn.; died November 17, 1905, in Tully.

Robert C. Trowbridge was raised on his father's farm in Tully and was educated in the common schools of that town. He has chiefly followed farming, but for a time was engaged in the lumber business. He served more than five years as one of the keepers of the Onondaga County Penitentiary at Syracuse, N. Y., under Superintendent J. J. Williams, and served as supervisor of Tully for one year. He came to reside in the village of Tully in 1868, and the following year built a house there, in which he is passing his declining years very quietly. The death of Mrs. Trowbridge, two years ago, terminated a married life of over fifty-five years. Five years previously their golden wedding anniversary was the occasion of a large gathering of their friends and neighbors to express the friendship and esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Trowbridge were held in Tully.

Mr. Trowbridge is a Republican in politics, taking a deep interest in his nation's welfare, and has strong faith in protection to American industries. He is not a member of any church; but believes that right doing, right living, and just dealing between man and man, is the rule by which one should conduct his life. He has been of great assistance to the compiler of this genealogy by his indefatigable efforts to gather the information that has made so complete the records of the branch of the Trowbridges who descend from his grandfather.

CHILDREN BORN IN TULLY, N. Y.:

- i. ROLLIN SANFORD, b. Sept. 14, 1851; d. Aug. 18, 1853.
- ii. MURRAY WOOSTER, b. Sept. 20, 1852; d. Aug. 17, 1853.
810. iii. CHARLES FREMONT, b. Aug. 3, 1854.
- iv. A son, b. June 20, 1858; d. July 6, 1858.

**488. OREN CLINTON TROWBRIDGE** (*Milo*<sup>264</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 15, 1829, in Tully, N. Y.; died August 16, 1872, in Council Grove, Kan.; married January† 26, 1851, in Preble, N. Y., Lucy Ann Cummings, daughter of Edward and Abigail (Robertson) Cummings, born May 20, 1830, in Preble; died September 27, 1906, in Truxton, N. Y.

Oren C. Trowbridge settled in his native town, Tully, N. Y., where he was engaged in farming nearly all his life.

CHILDREN BORN IN TULLY, N. Y.:

- i. MILNOR CUMMINGS, b. Feb. 22, 1853; d. Jan. 13, 1869.
- ii. ROSELLA BURNETTE, b. Sept. 28, 1858; m. Jan. 18, 1882, Frederick Irving Woodward and resides in Truxton, N. Y.

**489. MINOR STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE** (*Milo*<sup>264</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 21, 1832, in Tully, N. Y.; resides in Lancaster, Wis.; married, first, October 5, 1854, in Tully, Emmarancy Eliza Carpenter, daughter of Samuel Salisbury and Prudence (Cummings) Carpenter, born March 19, 1838, in Tully; died April 1, 1884, in Lancaster. He married, second, October 14, 1885, in Ellenboro, Wis., Irene Lucretia Alling, daughter of Almon and Almeda? (——) Alling, born August 15, 1847, in Ellenboro; died January 28, 1908, in Lancaster.

Minor S. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in Tully, N. Y. In the spring following his marriage, that of 1855, he emigrated with his wife to La Fayette county, Wis., and settled on a farm near Darlington, the county

\* A half-sister of the wife of No. 492.

† By family record; June by "Cummings Genealogy," which spells his name *Orrin*.





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seat. He had received a good education, which he put to a practical use as a school-teacher during several of the first winters that he passed there. Political offices were offered to him, but he always declined, preferring to devote himself entirely to his home; and his time was thus occupied until the spring of 1869, when he moved with his family to Platteville, Wis., so that his older children might attend the state normal school located there. This necessitated a change in various ways, and he finally became interested in the handling of butter and eggs on a large scale, a business with which his name has since been associated. He returned to Darlington in 1878, where he spent one year, and in 1879 removed to Lancaster, Wis., his present residence, where, besides dealing in the aforesaid commodities, he owns a grocery business, in the management of which he is actively engaged.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DARLINGTON, WIS.:\*

*By first marriage:†*

- i. PHEBE EMMARANCY, b. July 15, 1855; m. Apr. 15, 1878, N. Rube Black and resides in Long Beach, Cal.
- ii. AELINA ROSALIA, b. Mar. 12, 1858; m. Sept. 4, 1878, John Jay Reway and resides in Platteville, Wis.
111. iii. WILL SALISBURY, b. Dec. 22, 1860.
- iv. LAURA LAVILLA, b. Mar. 7, 1869; m. July 3, 1890, Frederick Chase Miles and resides in Fennimore, Wis.
- v. VELMA VENA, b. Mar. 22, 1872; m. Mar. 18, 1896, Dana Gardner Curtis and resides in Long Beach.

**490.** SAMUEL CONE TROWBRIDGE (*Milo*<sup>264</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 12, 1842, in Tully, N. Y.; died September 12, 1892, in Brown's Valley, Minn.; married June 18, 1868, in Syracuse, N. Y., Lydia Perry Knapp, daughter of Joel Edwin and Mary (Smith) Knapp, born November 8, 1844, in Edwardsburg, Mich. She resides in Camillus, N. Y.

Samuel C. Trowbridge passed his youth on his father's farm in Tully, N. Y. He was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted August 8, 1862, for three years, and was appointed first sergeant in Company K, 122d New York Infantry, and served until the expiration of his term of service. Soon after his marriage he emigrated to Platteville, Wis., where his elder brother, Minor, was then living. He was engaged in farming there until his removal to Brown's Valley, Minn., a few years previous to his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PLATTEVILLE, WIS.:

- i. MARY SARA, b. Oct. 12, 1870; m. Aug. 1, 1895, Frederick Hiram Watkins and resides in Brandt, Pa.
- ii. FLORENCE EDWINA, b. Nov. 8, 1872.

**491.** LORENZO DOW TROWBRIDGE (*Hiram*<sup>265</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 29, 1823, in Preble, N. Y.; died August 13, 1884, in Tully, N. Y.; married ———, 184—, Esther Elizabeth Fuller,‡ who died August 12, 1896, in Tully, aged 69 years.

Lorenzo D. Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life. At an early age he joined the Presbyterian church in Tully. After the removal of that church, which occurred after his marriage, he joined the Church of Christ in Tully, of which his wife and her family were members. He was esteemed in his neighborhood for his Christian life and character.§

\* Except v, who was born in Platteville, Wis.

† No children by second marriage.

‡ Her relatives failed to answer the compiler's letters.

§ He is said to have had children: IRVING, ANNIE and JENNY, who all died in early youth.

**492.** DR. NEWTON TROWBRIDGE (*Hiram*<sup>265</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 1, 1832, in Preble, N. Y.; died December 12, 1902, in Tully, N. Y.; married November 17, 1853, in Tully, Eliza Mahetabel Wooster,\* daughter of Murray and Eliza (Richardson) Wooster, born September 22, 1834, in Bethlehem, Conn. She resides in Kansas City, Mo.

Newton Trowbridge first began the study of medicine at Palmyra, N. Y., under Dr. Melvin, with whom he remained two years. At the age of nineteen he began to study at Rush Medical College, Chicago, Ill., at the same time being assistant in the office of Dr. Evans, who was a professor in the college. He entered into practice in Tully, N. Y., where he remained one year, and then spent two terms in the Cincinnati Medical College, where he was graduated with an honorary degree. He then resumed practice in Tully, and met with marked success for several years. About the year 1858, when the diphtheria was so fatal in adjoining towns, only one case under the doctor's charge proved fatal out of more than seventy which he treated. His health failing, he took a trip west to the mountains, crossing the plains several times, which restored in a measure his health, when he again returned to Tully, where he continued to practice for some years. In 1870 his health failed him again and he moved with his family to Kansas, where he was engaged in farming and stock raising for fifteen years. He then moved to Council Grove, Kan., and engaged in the drug business. He built several fine buildings there and continued in active business life until the spring of 1900, when he returned to his old home in Tully to spend his remaining days.

As a physician, Doctor Trowbridge was an intelligent, conscientious and careful practitioner, whose services were in great demand by a large majority of people of his own and adjoining towns. He received great honor from these patients; and it is not an unusual thing now to hear some one tell what Doctor Trowbridge did more than forty years ago for him or some member of his family. He had a well-cultivated mind and took pleasure in research and investigation. His mind was unusually clear, and his reasoning powers of the highest order. He was a man more noted for good deeds than for many words. He was fair and candid to an eminent degree, courteous and respectful to all, and attentive to all who had claims on him. He was a kind and indulgent husband, and a watchful and affectionate parent. He was a correct and conscientious citizen, and a lover of his country, being much interested in the reforms and improvements of the age in which he lived. He was a just and faithful friend, one by whose deeds and services this world is made better for his having lived in it. He leaves a memory behind him that can be most fondly cherished.

#### CHILDREN BORN IN TULLY, N. Y.:

- i. ELLA, b. Jan. 8, 1855; d. Aug. 8, 1855.
- ii. MURRAY WOOLSTON, b. Jan. 25, 1858; d. Jan. 24, 1861.
- iii. HELEN BLANCHE, b. Jan. 1, 1862; m., 1st, Aug. 16, 1885, John M. Henson of Council Grove, Kan.; m., 2d, Jan. 6, 1903, Albert B. Rose and resides in Kansas City, Mo.

**493.** BARLOW TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>266</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 30, 1829, in Sparta, N. Y.; died February 12, 1897, in Big Valley, Tex.; married May 1, 1859, in San Saba, Tex., Adeline Matilda Harkey, daughter of Matthias and Catharine (Furr) Harkey, born January 3, 1841, in Dardanelle, Ark. She resides in Big Valley.

Barlow Trowbridge was about eighteen years of age when his father emigrated to Ohio. He received his education in Oberlin College, working during his vacations on his father's farm which was eight miles away. He studied survey-

\* A half-sister of the wife of No. 487.



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ing, and with his brother Gardner went into Texas and settled in San Saba county in 1856. He resided in Texas, with the exception of a few years when he lived in Arkansas, the rest of his life, and was engaged in farming and stock raising in Big Valley, near Goldthwaite. He was a Free Mason.

## CHILDREN :\*

812. i. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. Feb. 21, 1860.  
 813. ii. GRANVILLE SHERWOOD, b. June 21, 1862.  
 iii. STEPHEN MATTHIAS, b. Aug. 12, 1864; was a farmer in Big Valley, Tex., where he d. Oct. 29, 1891; unm.  
 814. iv. WILLIAM BARLOW, b. Apr. 16, 1867.  
 815. v. CHARLES FAIRCHILD, b. Nov. 27, 1869.  
 vi. ALMEDA CATHARINE, b. Nov. 9, 1871; m. Nov. 13, 1890, Henry Ezzell and resides in Big Valley.  
 vii. MARY ASENATH, b. Apr. 23, 1875; m. Nov. 15, 1891, Keith Ezzell and resides in Big Valley.  
 viii. SAMUEL HAYS, b. July 4, 1878; is a farmer in Lawton, Okla.; unm.  
 ix. ROXY OLLIE, b. Feb. 29, 1884; d. Apr. 9, 1884.

**494.** GARDNER CLARK TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>266</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 1, 1835, in Sparta, N. Y.; died December 2, 1897, in Prairie Plains, Tenn.; married December 8, 1866, in Henrietta, Ohio, Mary Elisabeth Barhyte, † daughter of Richard Van Rensselaer and Rosella (Mapes) Barhyte, born March 7, 1839, in Birmingham, Ohio; died February 29, 1904, in Prairie Plains.

Gardner C. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to a farm near Oberlin, Ohio, and he was educated at Oberlin College. A few years previous to the outbreak of the Civil War he went to Texas with his brother Barlow. After the war broke out, he could not get back home and, as he would not fight against the North, he took up school-teaching, with which, and with assisting his brother in farming and stock raising, he was occupied until 1866. He returned home that year, married, and taught school in Americus, Kan., for two years, and then in Bloomfield, Ark., until the fall of 1873. He then removed to Tahlequah, Indian Territory, where he was a district teacher in the Cherokee Nation, and later became principal of the male seminary there. In 1876 he removed to Oberlin, Ohio. In 1882 he went to Elgin, Ill., where he was connected with the watch factory for about two years. In 1884, feeling the need of a more healthful occupation, he removed to a farm near Prairie Plains, Tenn., where he resided until his death. He became a Free Mason in early manhood. He and his wife were confirmed in the Protestant Episcopal church in Oberlin, Ohio, by Bishop Bedell in 1877.

## CHILDREN :

- i. RICHARD BARHYTE, b. Oct. 19, 1867, in Americus, Kan.; d. that day.  
 816. ii. WALTER STEPHEN, b. Dec. 12, 1869, in Bloomfield, Ark.  
 817. iii. DAVID BARLOW, b. Nov. 14, 1873, in Tahlequah, Ind. Ter.

**495.** DR. STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>266</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 14, 1839, in Sparta, N. Y.; resides in Independence, Mo.; married November 27, 1864, in Henrietta, Ohio, Margaret Ann Barhyte, ‡ daughter of Richard Van Rensselaer and Rosella (Mapes) Barhyte, born June 4, 1841, in Birmingham, Ohio.

Stephen Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Wakeman, Ohio. He was educated at Oberlin College, which was about eight miles from his father's farm. He studied dentistry and in 1862 began the practice of that

\* i-iii and vii-ix born in San Saba, Tex.; iv-vi in Maysville, Ark.

† A sister of the wife of his brother No. 495.

‡ A sister of the wife of his brother No. 494.

profession, in which he continued most of the time for thirty-five years, at Oberlin, Ohio; Davenport, Iowa; Leavenworth, Kan.; Bloomfield, Ark.; Galveston, Tex.; and Parsons, Kan. He then moved to Green Cove Springs, Fla., where he was engaged in farming, small fruit culture and bee-keeping for several years. He is at present retired and lives with his oldest son in Independence, Mo.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. ASENATH ROSELLA, b. Dec. 17, 1866; m. Apr. 8, 1896, John W. Buchert and resides in Arcadia, Kan.
- ii. BERTHA ALMEDA, b. Nov. 22, 1870; m. June 17, 1897, Whittier C. Mitchell and resides in St. Louis, Mo.
- S18. iii. RICHARD BARHYTE, b. Sept. 3, 1872.
- iv. WILLIAM STEPHEN, b. June 12, 1876; is a draughtsman in St. Louis; unm.
- S19. v. GRANVILLE SHERWOOD, b. Nov. 22, 1878.
- vi. LOUIS EDWARD, b. Aug. 28, 1882; is a clerk in the offices of the Wabash Railroad Company in St. Louis; unm.

496. LEVERETT HULL TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>266</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 10, 1841, in Sparta, N. Y.; resides in Dunseith, N. D.; married July 2, 1860, in Pittsfield, Ohio, Sarah Ann Smith, daughter of John and Lydia (Coller) Smith, born July 28, 1838, in Wellington, Ohio.

Leverett H. Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to Wakeman, Ohio. While his brothers were attending Oberlin College, it remained for Leverett to help his father in the management of the farm. He continued on the farm until he entered the army soon after the outbreak of the Civil War. He enlisted August 21, 1861, for three years in Edgerton's Battery, Company E, 1st Ohio Light Artillery. He assisted in the capture of Bowling Green, Ky., and was in numerous engagements with the Army of the Ohio through Tennessee and Alabama, including the bombardment of Chattanooga, where he received injuries in the head, causing deafness. He marched back to Louisville, Ky., under General Buell, commanding the Army of the Ohio, and then to Nashville. He was in the Army of the Cumberland, under General Rosecrans, at the battle of Stone River, and was discharged for sickness and general disability February 2, 1863, at Nashville, Tenn.

In the fall of that year he emigrated with his family to the Northwest and settled on a farm in Saratoga, Minn. He re-enlisted there in the army April 9, 1865, as a private in Company I, 1st Minnesota Infantry, and was discharged by general order July 14, 1865, at Fort Snelling. In 1885 he removed to Dunseith, Russell township, Rolette county, N. D., where he became a farmer and ranchman, and at present resides. He owns 640 acres of land there, but has withdrawn from active business and is taking life easily, having sold most of his cattle and rented out his farms.

Mr. Trowbridge was ordained a teacher in the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in 1877 and was ordained a priest in that church in 1881. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity and the Grand Army of the Republic. He has given every possible advantage to his children and they are all in most prosperous circumstances.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. CORA LEVERETTA, b. May 10, 1861; m. Dec. 26, 1880, John Wesley Ganfield and resides in Leeds, N. D.
- S19a. ii. WILLIAM SHERWOOD, b. Mar. 17, 1864.

\* i born in Leavenworth, Kan.; ii-iii in Bloomfield, Ark.; iv-v in Galveston, Tex.; vi in Parsons, Kan.

† i born in Wakeman, Ohio; ii-iii in Saratoga, Minn.; iv in Worthington, Minn.; v in Grand Prairie, Minn.





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- iii. ROSETTA ADELLA, b. Oct. 21, 1867; m. Dec. 23, 1893, Samuel Howery and resides in Delta, Colo.
- iv. FRANCES JOSEPHINE, b. Apr. 21, 1876; m. Dec. 5, 1897, Joseph Darling and resides in Dunseith, N. D.
- v. ASENATH ALMEDA, b. Apr. 8, 1882.

**496a.** AARON ERASTUS TROWBRIDGE (*Richard*<sup>267</sup>, *Aaron*<sup>162</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 20, 1825, in Alloway, N. Y.; died April 26, 1848, in Alloway; married ———, 1847, in ———, Elizabeth Maxted.

Aaron E. Trowbridge is supposed to have been a mechanic in his native village.

## CHILD BORN IN ALLOWAY, N. Y.:

- i. LOUANIA, b. ———, 1848.

**497.** GILBERT TROWBRIDGE (*Adonis*<sup>268</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 10, 1818, in Adams, N. Y.; died July 10, 1904, in Watertown, N. Y.; married July 25, 1857, in Maysville, Mo., Hannah Catherine (Truex) Mellott, widow of Jacob Mellott of Macon, Ill., and daughter of Benjamin and Eleanor (Cramer) Truex, born June 25, 1826, in Licking county, Ohio. She married, third, September 30, 1904, in Battle Creek, Mich., Samuel Wilson and resides in Battle Creek.

Gilbert Trowbridge when a young man went on a three years' whaling voyage around the Horn and up to Behring Sea. He went West, and after his marriage engaged in farming near Maysville, De Kalb county, Mo. In the summer of 1858 he removed to Buchanan county, where he was farming until the summer of 1869. He then took up a homestead right in Washington, Kan., arriving there on September 9, about three hours before the death of his infant daughter. He lived there until about 1884, when he returned to his old home in Tully, N. Y. He died at the hospital in the city of Watertown.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BUCHANAN COUNTY, MO.:

- i. SARAH VIOLA, b. June 3, 1858; m., 1st, Mar. 13, 1878, William Henry Harrison Humphrey; m., 2d, ———, 1889, John Willoughby and resides in Fort Dodge, Kan.
- ii. SILVESTER BURDETT, b. Sept. 7, 1859; worked on a farm during most of his youth and early manhood. In 1885 he went into railroad work, and was employed in the construction of the Wahoo and Schuyler branch of the Burlington and Missouri River railroad and the Loup City branch in Nebraska. He was on a railroad contract in Reno, Neb., and was then engaged in farming and working on the Union Pacific railroad. He then engaged in freighting by wagon from different railroad points to Gering, Neb. He enlisted in the Spanish-American War at Cheyenne, Wyo., in April, 1898, in Company G, 1st Wyoming Infantry. He left for the Philippines with General Merritt's expedition, June 29, and participated in the first battle, August 6, resulting in the capitulation of Manila. He was invalided home to San Francisco hospital, reaching there July 24, 1899. Since being discharged he has been engaged in farming, first in West Berkeley, Cal., and at present in Richmond, Cal. He is unmarried.
- iii. MARY ANGELETT, b. Sept. 10, 1861; d. Nov. 10, 1861.
- iv. MARGARET ANN, b. Feb. 15, 1863; m., 1st, Alexander McNeal; m., 2d, ———, 1887, Sylvester S. Wells and resides in Fairbury, Neb.
- v. JOHN GILBERT, b. May 13, 1865; is a mining stationary engineer; resides in Gracemont, Okla.; unm.
- vi. CHARLES VIRGIL, b. June 9, 1866; is farming in Maysville, Kan.; unm.
- vii. PHILOMELA JANE, b. Dec. 5, 1868; d. Sept. 9, 1869.

**498.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Adonis*<sup>268</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 28, 1822, in Adams, N. Y.; died June 26, 1862,

\* Except i, who was born in DeKalb county, Mo.

in Farmington, Miss.; married January 4, 1854, in Adams Centre, N. Y., Aurelia Fanny Burdick, daughter of Perry Burdick, who died ———, 1879, near Saginaw, Mich.

John Trowbridge after his marriage emigrated to Michigan and settled on a farm about eight miles from Saginaw. He enlisted in the Civil War in Company E, 14th Michigan Infantry. He was discharged on account of illness and died on his way home, at Farmington, Miss. He was buried in the United States National cemetery at Shiloh.\*

NO CHILDREN.

**499.** GOULD TROWBRIDGE (*Adonis*<sup>268</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 16, 1824, in Adams, N. Y.; died July 11, 1903, in Adams; married October 18, 1849, in Pinekney, N. Y., Mary Alzina Corey, daughter of Parley and Polly (Babbitt) Corey, born August 7, 1831, in Pinekney. She resides in Adams.

Gould Trowbridge remained on his father's large homestead farm in Adams, N. Y., which he inherited at the latter's death. He was a member of the Seventh Day Baptist church in Adams Centre and was one of its deacons from 1877 until his death.

CHILDREN BORN IN ADAMS, N. Y.:

- i. MADORA ADELAIDE, b. July 21, 1850; m. Feb. —, 1874, Albert Merrills Crandell of Lorraine, N. Y.
  - ii. CLARISSA LUNETT, b. Jan. 28, 1852; d. Apr. 7, 1863.
- S20. iii. FRANK ADONIS, b. Sept. 21, 1855.
- iv. EVA FANNY, b. Sept. 10, 1857; m. Nov. 20, 1898, Herbert Herman Eastman and resides in Rodman, N. Y.

**500.** DWIGHT TROWBRIDGE (*Adonis*<sup>268</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 10, 1828, in Adams, N. Y.; died May 30, 1870, in Odell, Ill.; married November 11, 1848, in Pinekney, N. Y., Rosanna Nichols, daughter of George and Serena (Colvin) Nichols, born April 30, 1833, in Bennington, Vt. She married, second, December 20, 1885, in Odell, Nicholas Hayes† of Odell, where she resides.

Dwight Trowbridge after his marriage settled in Verona, N. Y. He was a mason by trade, but had considerable talent as a musician and also taught music. He was a soldier in the Civil War and enlisted at Rodman, N. Y., October 20, 1862, for three years as a musician in Company F, 94th New York Infantry. He was a fifer and held the nominal rank of fife major. The regiment was stationed at Sackett's Harbor and from there went to Alexandria, near Washington. While carrying building material there, he met with injuries from which he never entirely recovered. He was later taken prisoner, but was paroled six days later and, being then unfit for duty, was sent to the hospital at Columbus, Ohio, where he was discharged for disability and sent home, having been in the service about one year. A year later he was drafted and sent back to his old regiment, which was then near Fredericksburg. He was with the regiment only a short time, during which he performed twenty-four hours picket duty, when he was sent to a hospital in Washington, where he remained until the close of the war. After leaving the army he went to Odell, Ill., where he lived the rest of his life.

CHILDREN BORN IN VERONA, N. Y.:

- S21. i. PHILANDER ADDISON, b. Mar. 15, 1852.
- S22. ii. JAMES LEANDER, b. Mar. 11, 1854.

\* "U. S. Roll of Honor," vol. 20, pp. 109, 141.

† A brother of the first wife of No. 502.

**501.** SAMUEL FARWELL TROWBRIDGE (*Adonis*<sup>268</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 3, 1830, in Adams, N. Y.; resides in Minooka, Ill.; married January 6, 1857, in Joliet, Ill., Emily Adline McCloud, born November 20, 1831, in ———, Vt.; died September 14, 1884, in Morris, Ill.

Samuel F. Trowbridge was brought up on a large dairy and stock farm. He came at the age of seven to the town of Pineknay, N. Y., where he lived until he was seventeen, when he moved to a farm two miles east of Watertown, N. Y., and assisted his father in the management of his large dairy farm. The fall after he was seventeen he showed some stock at the Jefferson county fair, held at Watertown, that won him the blue ribbon, which he has ever since kept. At the age of twenty-two he went to Grundy county, Ill., and hired out at farm work for a year, at twelve dollars a month. He then worked land on shares for four years, raising big crops for which he obtained big prices. In the spring of 1856 he bought 80 acres of land in Kendall county, Ill., where he settled after his marriage and lived two years. He then sold this farm and moved into Minooka, Grundy county, Ill., where he was for one year proprietor of an hotel.

In the spring of 1862 he moved to Livingston county, Ill., near Odell. He there engaged in farming on his 160 acre farm in Odell township. He also handled stock on a large scale, having at one time over 1400 head, and bought and shipped stock to the Chicago market for a good many years. He sold out and moved into Odell where he lived about four years, and then moved back to Minooka. He lived there about two years, during which time he went over to Paris, France, in 1880, and bought some fine-blooded Norman horses for his stock farm. He then moved to Morris, the county seat of Grundy county, where he lived until after the death of his wife.

Mr. Trowbridge has been residing in Minooka for a number of years past. For years he has fitted up and shown car loads of horses and cattle at the state fairs and fat stock shows, from which he has always carried off the blue ribbon; and, although now over seventy-seven years of age, is still doing business. Mr. Trowbridge has been elected at different times to nearly all the offices in Minooka and the other towns where he has resided. At the present time he is filling the office of justice of the peace and notary public for Grundy county. He was made a Mason in Odell in 1866 and in 1889 joined the Universalist church in Minooka.

## CHILD BORN IN ODELL, ILL.:

S23. i. CHARLES ADONIS, b. Sept. 13, 1867.

**502.** JAMES FARWELL TROWBRIDGE (*Adonis*<sup>268</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 26, 1839, in Pineknay, N. Y.; resides in Argentine, Kan.; married, first, July 5, 1862, in New Albany, Ind., Ellen Josephine Hayes,\* daughter of John and Margaret (Yake) Hayes, born March 17, 1844, in Milford, Ohio; died January 22, 1883, in Rich Hill, Mo. He married, second, October 27, 1884, in Sprague, Mo., Emily Augusta (Stoddard) Gardner, widow of Alvin O. Gardner† of Adams Centre, N. Y., and daughter of Samuel P. and Polly (Cary) Stoddard, born October 5, 1846, in Pineknay.

James F. Trowbridge left home at the age of fourteen to make his own way in life and went to Illinois. He became a soldier in the Civil War, enlisting August 5, 1862, for three years in Company M, 1st Illinois Artillery, serving until June 3, 1865, when he was discharged for disability. He had previously settled in Odell, Ill., where in 1865 he entered the Illinois militia. He served one year as first lieutenant and was then promoted to captain, and served in that capacity for four years. He removed to Missouri, and was commissioned captain of Company H, 7th Regiment M. N. G., in which he served one year. Some years

\* Her brother married the widow of No. 500.

† Son of No. 268, ii.

later he removed to Argentine, Kan., his present residence. He was there elected a justice of the peace and conducted a collection agency for some years. At present he is police judge of the city of Argentine.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ODELL, ILL.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. HENRY BOYD, b. Apr. 15, 1863; d. Sept. 30, 1883, in Rich Hill, Mo.; unm.
- ii. HERBERT ROXIE, b. Jan. 11, 1865; is in business in Atlanta, Ga.
- iii. BERTON ADONIS, b. Nov. 16, 1866; d. Mar. 14, 1884.
- iv. CASPAR ALVIN, b. Aug. 8, 1868; was a member of the Houston, Tex., Fire Department and d. there Aug. 15, 1906.
- v. CORA ADELE, b. July 10, 1870; resides in Fresno, Cal.; unm. She has been for ten years deputy-treasurer of Fresno county.
824. vi. FREDERICK ORLANDO, b. Jan. 19, 1875.

## CHILDREN BORN IN RICH HILL, MO.:

*By second marriage:*

- vii. CARL BOYD, b. Jan. 24, 1886; is studying mining engineering in Kansas University.
- viii. NELLIE MAUDE, b. Aug. 3, 1887; d. Sept. 23, 1887.
- ix. JAMES WYCLIFFE, b. Nov. 6, 1890; is with a wholesale jewelry house in Argentine, Kan.; unm.

**503.** GEORGE PERKINS TROWBRIDGE (*Adonis*<sup>268</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 25, 1841, in Pinckney, N. Y.; resides in San Francisco, Cal.; married May 7, 1867, in Pontiac, Ill., Sarah Jane Hoover, daughter of Francis Benton and Mary (Mathews) Hoover, born August 13, 1844, in Newry, Pa.

George P. Trowbridge, like his preceding brothers, went as a youth to Illinois. He became a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted at Minooka, Ill., for three years June 13, 1861, and was appointed corporal of Company F, 20th Illinois Infantry. He was discharged for disability before the period of his service expired. He later served in Company I, 10th (reorganized) Illinois Cavalry, and was mustered out November 22, 1865. He settled in Odell, Ill., after his marriage, moving from there to Wilmington, Ill., near Joliet. In 1902 he removed to San Francisco, Cal., where he engaged in the real estate business. His family are all members of the Roman Catholic Church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ODELL, ILL.:

- i. FRANCIS BENTON, b. Feb. 5, 1868; resides in Joliet, Ill.\*
- ii. FRANCES, b. Dec. 8, 1869.
- iii. AUGUSTA ANASTASIA, b. Mar. 22, 1871; m. Sept. 29, 1892, Truman George Hart and resides in Fresno, Cal.
- iv. JOSEPH ALOYSIUS, b. Apr. 9, 1873; resides in Terre Haute, Ind.\*
- v. CHESTER LAWRENCE, b. Mar. 20, 1876; resides in Milwaukee, Wis.\*
- vi. MARY AGNES, b. Oct. 26, 1879.
- vii. BERTHA CECELIA, b. Sept. 14, 1881.
- viii. CLARE LOUISE, b. Aug. 27, 1884.

**504.** JAMES LORIN TROWBRIDGE (*Lorin*<sup>260</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 17, 1843, in Solon, Ohio; resides in Washington, Ill.; married December 23, 1869, in Washington, Nancy Ann McCullough, daughter of George and Jane (Hillis) McCullough, born August 9, 1847, in Washington.

James L. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Washington, Tazewell county, Ill., and was brought up on his father's farm there. He was a soldier in the Civil War, enlisting in that town August 9, 1862, for three years in Company G, 86th Illinois Infantry. He lost the sight of his left eye at the battle of Kenesaw Mountain, Ga., June 27, 1864, and was mustered out June 6,

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

1865. After leaving the army he engaged in farming again in Washington and was thus occupied until about twenty years ago, when he retired from active business.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WASHINGTON, ILL.:

- S25. i. LORIN, b. Sept. 14, 1870.
- S26. ii. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. Sept. 23, 1872.
- S27. iii. ROBERT WILSON, b. July 20, 1875.
- iv. ELSIE MARIE, b. Dec. 23, 1889.
- v. PRUDENCE LAGORA, b. Sept. 10, 1891.

**505.** CHARLES RILEY TROWBRIDGE (*Lorin*<sup>269</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 28, 1853, in Washington, Ill.; resides in Washington; married, first, February 28, 1872, in Washington, Eva Andrews. He married, second, December 30, 1887, in Walla Walla, Wash., Tillie Robbins.\* Charles R. Trowbridge is a farmer in his native place, Washington, Ill.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WASHINGTON, ILL.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. WILLIAM, b. May 16, 1875; d. July 3, 1875.
- ii. ANNIE MAY, b. May 17, 1876.

*By second marriage:*

- iii. ROY LEE, b. Dec. 7, 1889.
- iv. JAMES LORIN, b. June 4, 1891.
- v. EDITH LEVERNE, b. Dec. 22, 1897.
- vi. BESSIE VIOLA, b. July 29, 1899.
- vii. A daughter, b. Feb. 5, 1901.

**506.** JOHN RILEY TROWBRIDGE (*Orrin A.*<sup>270</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 18, 1844, in Adams Centre, N. Y.; resides in Adams, N. Y.; married March 19, 1864, in Adams Centre, Adelaide Loomis, daughter of Sylvester and Louisa (Greene) Loomis, born October 29, 1845, in Albion, N. Y.; died February 1, 1882, in Dexter, N. Y.

John R. Trowbridge is a farmer in Adams, Jefferson county, N. Y.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. EMMA ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 3, 1865; m. Dec. 15, 1886, William Henry Archer and resides in Lowville, N. Y.
- ii. NETTIE ADELE, b. Nov. 14, 1867; m. David Jones and resides in Adams Centre, N. Y.
- iii. MARY CINDERILLA, b. Nov. 5, 1870; d. Sept. 18, 1897, in Dexter, N. Y.; unm.
- iv. ANNA LOUISA, b. Apr. 12, 1873; m. Sidney Zufelt and resides in Watertown, N. Y.
- v. VIOLA ESTHER, b. May 13, 1875; m. Menzo Fillmore and resides in Woodville, N. Y.
- vi. ESTHER ALICE, b. Dec. 24, 1878; m. Feb. 1, 1897, Alden McLean and resides in Dexter, N. Y.
- vii. JOHN RILEY, b. Mar. 1, 1881; d. July 5, 1885, in Watertown.

**507.** WILLIAM RANDALL TROWBRIDGE (*Orrin A.*<sup>270</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 26, 1847, in Adams Centre, N. Y.; resides in Adams Centre; married January 15, 1872, in Adams Centre, Vandelia Adell Greene, daughter of Franklin Joseph and Cordelia Ann (Sweet) Greene, born June 28, 1853, in Adams Centre.

William R. Trowbridge settled in his native place, Adams Centre, N. Y., where he engaged in the business of buying and shipping stock. In March, 1888, he removed with his family to Hinsdale, Ill., and took charge of E. M. Borton's

\* He failed to complete his family register.

† i-v born in Adams, N. Y.; vi-vii in Hounsfield, N. Y.

large stock farm. In February, 1894, he returned to Adams Centre and re-engaged in his former business there, in which his son is associated with him at the present time.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ADAMS CENTRE, N. Y.:

828. i. SHERMAN RANDALL, b. Apr. 18, 1874.  
ii. CORDELIA ANN, b. May 21, 1879.

508. LOREN JONES TROWBRIDGE (*Orrin A.*<sup>270</sup>, *John*<sup>103</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 30, 1849, in Adams Centre, N. Y.; resides in Chicago, Ill.; married, first, November 16, 1873, in Wood River, Neb., Anastasia McCormick, daughter of Peter and Margaret (Murphy) McCormick, born December 25, 1851, in Durell, Pa.; died April 29, 1884, in Chicago, Ill. He married, second, May 6, 1885, in Chicago, Johannah Griffin, daughter of John and Mary (O'Brien) Griffin, born January 22, 1852, in Towanda, Pa.

Loren J. Trowbridge as a young man followed the trade of a carpenter and later that of a millwright. He has lived in Chicago, Ill., since soon after his first marriage, except for a few years when he kept a general store in Spring Valley, Ill. He is at present in the ice business in Chicago.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CHICAGO, ILL.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. A son, } twins, d. Mar. 30, 1875.  
ii. A daughter, } b. Mar. 29, 1875; d. Mar. 30, 1875.  
iii. THOMAS, b. Mar. 16, 1876; is a machinist in Chicago; unm.  
iv. MARGARET, b. Nov. 16, 1877; d. June 15, 1901, in Chicago; unm.  
v. ANASTASIA, b. Nov. 27, 1879; d. May 30, 1907, in Chicago; unm.  
vi. CHARLES RICHARD, b. Sept. 12, 1881; is a teaming contractor in Chicago; unm.  
829. vii. LOREN FRANK, b. Apr. 24, 1884.

*By second marriage:*

- viii. WILLIAM EDWARD, b. Sept. 4, 1886; is a machinist in Chicago; unm.  
ix. JOHN EUSTASIA, b. May 7, 1895.

509. ELI SEELEY TROWBRIDGE (*Orrin A.*<sup>270</sup>, *John*<sup>103</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 10, 1854, in Adams Centre, N. Y.; resides in San José, Cal.; married February 22, 1876, in Jackson, Cal., Sarah Helen Leventon, daughter of John Josiah and Sarah Elizabeth (Weldon) Leventon, born October 7, 1858, in Plymouth, Cal.

Eli S. Trowbridge left his father's farm in May, 1871, for the West. After being variously employed in Oswego, N. Y., and Cleveland and Cincinnati, Ohio, he came to Brookfield, Mo., where he was employed as a carpenter. In the spring of 1873 he got the gold fever and went to Austin, Nev. He continued to work at the carpenter's trade, however, as it paid better than gold mining. In the fall of 1874 he went to Ione, Amador county, Cal., where he was stockman for Doctor Moss in the winter and kept a hotel in the mountains in the summer. He then went to Plymouth, where he worked for the Phoenix Gold Mining Company for about three years, and then tried placer mining on his own account for one year. He then moved with his family to Sacramento, where he followed the carpenter's trade for about two years. In July, 1883, he came to Lookout, Modoc county, Cal., and bought a general merchandise store. He was thus engaged until recently, when he sold out and removed to San José, Cal., where he is carrying on a general merchandise business.

## CHILD BORN IN PLYMOUTH, CAL.:

830. i. ORRIN ALONZO, b. Oct. 23, 1877.



**510.** CHARLES JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Orrin A.*<sup>270</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 26, 1856, in Adams Centre, N. Y.; resides in Chicago, Ill.; married September 17, 1885, in Adams Centre, Emily Stoodley, daughter of Amos and Harriet (White) Stoodley, born October 24, 1865, in Brideville Farm, Devon, England.

Charles J. Trowbridge is a carpenter in Chicago, Ill.

## CHILDREN :

- i. LLOYD STOODLEY, b. Mar. 17, 1892, in Lorraine, N. Y.
- ii. LULA MARIAN, b. Oct. 11, 1895, in Chicago, Ill.

**511.** THOMAS PHILANDER TROWBRIDGE (*Orrin A.*<sup>270</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 17, 1859, in Adams Centre, N. Y.; resides in Adams Centre; married March 2, 1898, in Adams, Nellie Washburne, daughter of George and Jane (Moulton) Washburne, born June 20, 1869, in Dowagiac, Mich.

Thomas P. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in his native place, Adams Centre, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ADAMS CENTRE, N. Y. :

- i. GEORGE ELI, b. Apr. 27, 1902.
- ii. CHARLES ORRIN, b. Nov. 1, 1903; d. July 30, 1907.

**512.** FRANK TROWBRIDGE (*Orrin A.*<sup>270</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 1, 1864, in Adams Centre, N. Y.; died January 22, 1899, in Adams Centre; married February 17, 1886, in Adams Centre, Dora Jane Chase, daughter of Henry Stephen and Laura Ursula (Maxson) Chase, born August 26, 1869, in Sackett's Harbor, N. Y. She resides in Adams Centre.

Frank Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life in Adams Centre, N. Y., his native place.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ADAMS CENTRE, N. Y. :

- i. LAURA ESTHER, b. Oct. 3, 1886.
- ii. ARTHUR MAXSON, b. June 3, 1888.
- iii. HELEN ELECTA, b. Apr. 29, 1890.
- iv. HAROLD, b. Apr. 23, 1892.
- v. ELSIE, b. Jan. 23, 1896.
- vi. JOHN HENRY, b. Mar. 27, 1898; d. Mar. 12, 1899.

**513.** SETH SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Orrin A.*<sup>270</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 9, 1866, in Adams Centre, N. Y.; resides in Adams Centre; married September 5, 1888, in Adams, Minnie Romelia Thomas, daughter of Charles Warren and Cornelia (Oatman) Thomas, born October 16, 1872, in Adams.

Seth S. Trowbridge has always been engaged in farming in his native place, Adams Centre, N. Y.

## CHILD BORN IN ADAMS CENTRE, N. Y. :

- i. EDNA CORNELIA, b. July 24, 1894.

**514.** MILO DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Aaron S.*<sup>271</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>164</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 7, 1822, in Canandaigua, N. Y.; died April 3, 1895, in Syracuse, N. Y.; married September 19, 1847, in Syracuse, Minerva Wilcox Morey, daughter of Alanson and Sarah (Ryder) Morey, born July 7, 1826, in Exeter, N. Y. She resides in Syracuse.

Milo D. Trowbridge was brought up on a farm near Richfield Springs, N. Y. He then learned the blacksmith's trade, at which he worked in Syracuse and Phoenix, N. Y. After being thus employed for about ten years he became a

fireman on the Syracuse and Binghamton railroad, then in the course of construction. Afterwards he was given a position as engineer, continuing as such in the employ of this railroad company forty years and until eleven months prior to his death.

## CHILDREN :\*

- S31. i. GEORGE ALEXANDER, b. May 22, 1849.  
 S32. ii. LORIN LEE, b. July 18, 1851.  
 iii. OTIS ADELBERT, b. Aug. 25, 1855; is a locomotive engineer; resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; unm.  
 iv. FLORA ADELIA, b. Jan. 11, 1858; d. Aug. 6, 1858.  
 v. ELLEN MINERVA, b. Aug. 18, 1860; resides in Syracuse; unm. She assisted the compiler by gathering data of her branch of the family.  
 vi. MILES LUCIUS, b. Sept. 26, 1863. He and his twin brother were pharmacists in Syracuse, N. Y., from 1885 through 1894. He then entered the University of Michigan, where he was graduated with the degree of Pharmaceutical Chemist in 1896. He was manager of a pharmacy on the corner of Sixth avenue and West 42d street, New York City, until 1899, when he became assistant chemist and bacteriologist for Merk & Co. on 8th street in that city. On June 1, 1905, he accepted a position with the Cutter Chemical Company in Berkeley, Cal., which he has since held. He is unmarried.  
 vii. MILTON LYMAN, b. Sept. 26, 1863; twin; was graduated from the University of Michigan with the degree of Pharmaceutical Chemist in 1896. He was in the pharmacy business with his twin brother for about eight and a half years and then became chemist for a water filter company in Cincinnati, Ohio. He recently returned to his home in Syracuse, in which city he is at present in business as a chemist in the laboratory of the Solvay Process Company. He is unmarried.

515. JAMES THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>272</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>164</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 5, 1825, in Tully, N. Y.; died December 24, 1884, in Cockrum, Miss.; married, first, ———, 1850, Margaret O'Neil, who died ———, 187—, in Memphis, Tenn. He married, second, July 22, 1878, in Cockrum, Sallie (Stallings) Coleman, widow of James Coleman and daughter of Green and Amy (Jones) Stallings, born March 1, 1845, in Raleigh, N. C. She married, third, September 22, 1887, in Cockrum, James Odom and resides in Buntyn Station, Tenn.

James T. Trowbridge in his youth went to sea as a sailor. He then learned the painter's trade, and in 1852 engaged in it in Chicago, Ill., and later in Cairo, Ill. During the Civil War he was employed in the navy yard at Memphis, Tenn. From the time of his second marriage until his death he was engaged in farming in Cockrum, Miss. He and his family were all members of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

## CHILDREN :†

*By first marriage:*

- i. A child, b. ———, 185—; d. in infancy.  
 ii. DANIEL, b. ———, 185—; d. young.  
 iii. THOMAS, b. ———, 185—; d. young.  
 iv. WILLIAM, b. ———, 185—; d. young.  
 v. MARYETTE, b. ———, 186—; m. ———, 1882, Thomas Perryman and resides in Robinsonville, Miss.  
 vi. CAROLINE, b. ———, 186—; d. young.  
 vii. GEORGE, b. ———, 186—; d. young.

*By second marriage:*

- viii. ELLA ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 22, 1880; m. Dec. 8, 1896, John H. Perryman and resides in Robinsonville.  
 ix. FLORENCE LOUISE, b. June 8, 1882; resides in Memphis, Tenn.; unm.

\* i, iii, v-vii born in Syracuse, N. Y.; ii in Phoenix, N. Y.; iv in Binghamton, N. Y.  
 † i-vii born in Memphis, Tenn.; viii-ix in Cockrum, Miss.

**516.** AARON TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>272</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>164</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 184—, in Ripley, N. Y.?<sup>\*</sup>; died December 23, 1884, in Sacramento, Cal.; married Helen ———.\*

Aaron Trowbridge was brought in childhood by his parents to Owosso, Mich. He lived on a farm there until February, 1866, when he went to California.

## CHILDREN :

- i. NELLIE, b. ———, 186-?.
- ii. CARRIE, b. ———, 186-?.
- iii. GEORGE, b. ———, 187-?.
- iv. MARY, b. ———, 187-?.
- v. ELIZABETH, b. ———, 187-?.

**517.** AUSTIN TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>272</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>164</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 184—, in Ripley, N. Y.?<sup>\*</sup>; resides in Perry township (Morrice P. O.), Mich.; married, first, Louisa Waters. He married, second, Adelaide I. Waters, a sister of his first wife.\*

Austin Trowbridge was brought by his parents to Owosso, Mich., and was reared on his father's farm near there. He is supposed to be the man of his name who enlisted from Shiawassee county during the Civil War in Company H, 23d Michigan Infantry, and was mustered out June 28, 1865. He is a farmer near Morrice, Perry township, in that county.\*

## CHILD BORN IN MORRICE, MICH. :

*By first marriage:*

- i. EDITH ELLEN, b. ———, 187-?.

**518.** GEORGE DUANE BAKER TROWBRIDGE (*George W.*<sup>274</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>164</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 29, 1844, in Preble, N. Y.; resides in Conneaut, Ohio; married January 29, 1887, in Gananaqua, Canada, Margaret Lyons, daughter of John and Mary (Murray) Lyons, born September 1, 1854, in Kingston, Canada.

George B. Trowbridge when a little over seventeen years of age became a soldier in the Civil War. He was enrolled† at Elmira, N. Y., May 13, 1861, for three months as a private in Company D, 12th New York Infantry, which had been organized April 23 at Homer, N. Y. He was in the first battle of Bull Run and received a cut in the face from a sabre. He re-enlisted at Homer November 1, 1861, for three years in Company E, 76th New York Infantry, and participated in the battles of Fredericksburg, where he was shot in the right knee, Stone River and Gettysburg, where he was shot in the breast. He was also in many other engagements. He is proprietor of the Travelers' Hotel in Conneaut, Ohio.

## NO CHILDREN.

**519.** FRANK CLARK TROWBRIDGE (*George W.*<sup>274</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>164</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 15, 1851, in Preble, N. Y.; resides in Hamilton, N. Y.; married January —, 1880, in Syracuse, N. Y., Elizabeth Hull, daughter of Perry and Elizabeth (———) Hull, born November 14, 1854, in Syracuse.\*

Frank C. Trowbridge is proprietor of a sanitarium in Hamilton, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SYRACUSE, N. Y. :

- i. HARRIET, b. July 29, 1883.
- ii. JENNIE, b. Sept. 21, 1885.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† He was called simply Duane Trowbridge at his enrollment.

**520.** EDWARD HADLEY TROWBRIDGE (*Philander*<sup>276</sup>, *Asahel*<sup>166</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 19, 1846, in LaFayette, N. Y.; resides in Dowagiac, Mich.; married December 25, 1867, in Decatur, Mich., Athelia Edith Frances Rogers, daughter of Stillman Mansfield and Sarah Ellen (Runkle) Rogers, born August 3, 1845, in Monterey, N. Y.

Edward H. Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to Decatur, Mich. Most of his life has been spent in a store, and he is at present a meat and provision dealer in Dowagiac, Mich.

## CHILD BORN IN LAKE STATION, IND.:

- i. EVA LAVERNE, b. June 26, 1874.

**521.** THEODORE TROWBRIDGE (*Philander*<sup>276</sup>, *Asahel*<sup>166</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 23, 1849, in Tully, N. Y.; resides in Decatur, Mich.; married January 7, 1880, in Perry, N. Y., Sarah Emily Bartlett, daughter of John Waters and Betsey L. (Bliss) Bartlett, born February 28, 1848, in Homer, N. Y.

Theodore Trowbridge came in early childhood with his parents to Decatur, Mich., where he has since resided, and where he is at present engaged in the grain and commission business.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DECATUR, MICH.:

- i. BESSIE REBECCA, b. Sept. 16, 1881.
- ii. CHARLES BARTLETT, b. Jan. 16, 1884.

**522.** HARVEY TROWBRIDGE (*Philander*<sup>276</sup>, *Asahel*<sup>166</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 17, 1851, in Tully, N. Y.; resides in Los Angeles, Cal.; married August 27, 1873, in Macedon, N. Y., Mary Lydia Chase, daughter of Benjamin and Lucretia (Lapham) Chase, born August 8, 1849, in Stillwater, N. Y.

Harvey Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Decatur, Mich. He was for many years in the general merchandise business and is at present a grocer in Los Angeles, Cal. He and his family are members of the Presbyterian Church.

## CHILDREN:

- i. HARVEY LORENZO CHASE, b. July 24, 1874, in Lake Station, Ind.
- ii. CARRIE ADELAIDE, b. Dec. 27, 1883, in Jackson, Mich.

**523.** FRANK EDGAR TROWBRIDGE (*Demetrius N.*<sup>278</sup>, *Asahel*<sup>166</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 10, 1852, in Lockport, N. Y.; resides in Toledo, Ohio; married February 9, 1875, in Lockport, Myra Knowles, daughter of Jailey Philotus and Almira (Perry) Knowles, born August 29, 1856, in Lockport.

Frank E. Trowbridge was in the lumber and stave business in Northwestern Ohio from 1874 until 1905, being associated with his father in that business. In 1880, upon the exhaustion of the timber, he engaged in life insurance business and is at present special agent of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company of Milwaukee, Wis. He resides in Toledo, Ohio.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TOLEDO, OHIO:

- i. MYRA CHARLOTTA, b. Nov. 30, 1876.
- ii. HELENE HELEN, b. Feb. 1, 1880; m. Sept. 1, 1906, Hal Bailey Brownell, M.D., and resides in Buffalo, N. Y.
- iii. DONALD NETTLETON, b. Aug. 2, 1890.

**524.** WILLIAM BURDICK TROWBRIDGE (*Theron*<sup>281</sup>, *William*<sup>167</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 23, 1847, in Tully, N. Y.; resides in Topeka, Kan.; married December 29, 1869, in McLean, N. Y., Laura Aylesworth Clark, daughter of Charles Volney and Eliza Ann (Hogeland) Clark, born December 4, 1850, in Buffalo, N. Y.; died February 21, 1903, in Topeka.

William B. Trowbridge attended the public school in his native town until he was fourteen years old. He was then for two terms at Cortland Academy and took a course at Eastman's Business College in Poughkeepsie, N. Y. He then went into railroading in Syracuse, N. Y. In 1873 he removed with his family to Topeka, Kan., his present residence. He is a baggage master on the Santa Fé railroad. He is a member of the I. O. O. F., the A. O. U. W. and the K. and L. of S.

CHILD BORN IN ONONDAGA VALLEY, SYRACUSE, N. Y.:

S33. i. CHARLES R.,\* b. Oct. 2, 1871.

**525.** IRVING TROWBRIDGE (*Theron*<sup>281</sup>, *William*<sup>167</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 2, 1856, in Tully, N. Y.; resides in Topeka, Kan.; married February 17, 1884, in Carbondale, Kan., Amelia Hile, daughter of John and Nancy Ransom (Smith) Hile, born January 6, 1850, in Groton, N. Y.

Irving Trowbridge for some years engaged in office work for the Railroad Association at Topeka, Kan. He then bought a half-interest in a grocery business in that city, with which he has since been occupied. He is a member of the I. O. O. F., the Woodmen and the A. O. U. W. In January, 1893, he united with the Westminster Presbyterian Church of Topeka.

NO CHILDREN.

**526.** ALONZO SMITH TROWBRIDGE (*Seymour*<sup>282</sup>, *William*<sup>167</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 27, 1850, in Clinton, Wis.; died January 12, 1898, in Syracuse, N. Y.; married October 15, 1872, in Tully, N. Y., Ella Amelia Jones, daughter of Edmund Gillett and Eunice Ann (Holly) Jones, born February 12, 1853, in Fabius, N. Y. She resides in Syracuse.

Alonzo S. Trowbridge after his marriage went to live in Syracuse, N. Y. He was employed as a bookkeeper in that city until his death.

NO CHILDREN.

**527.** ISAAC LONGDYKE TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>284</sup>, *Ralph*<sup>169</sup>, *Ralph*<sup>126</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 184—, in Olive, N. Y.; died February 25, 1885, in Shandaken, N. Y.; married ———, 186—, in Olive, Emily Smith, who resides in Chichester, N. Y.†

Isaac L. Trowbridge was a farmer in his native town.

CHILDREN:

- i. EDITH, b. ———, 1869.
- ii. EDWIN, b. ———, 187—.
- iii. MINNIE, b. ———, 187—.
- iv. KATE, b. ———, 187—.
- v. ISAAC, b. ———, 188—.

\* Initial only.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

**528.** LUTHER TROWBRIDGE (*Simeon*<sup>285</sup>, *Ralph*<sup>169</sup>, *Ralph*<sup>126</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 17, 1843, in Stone Ridge, N. Y.; resides in Stone Ridge; married July 3, 1869, in Stone Ridge, Elizabeth Palen, daughter of Hiram and Jane Maria (Wood) Palen, born September 13, 1853, in Stone Ridge.

Luther Trowbridge is a farmer in his native town, Stone Ridge, N. Y.

CHILDREN BORN IN STONE RIDGE, N. Y.:

- i. RUSSELL, b. Sept. 6, 1870; resides in Kingston, N. Y., where he is district manager for the Equitable Life Assurance Company of New York; unm.
- ii. LIZZIE, b. Mar. 27, 1872; d. Mar. 15, 1875.
- iii. LEVINA, b. July 18, 1874; d. Sept. 27, 1876.
- iv. HAZZIE JOHN, b. Jan. 2, 1882.
- v. DORY, b. July 29, 1887.

**528a.** ALONZO TROWBRIDGE (*Hiram*<sup>287</sup>, *Ralph*<sup>169</sup>, *Ralph*<sup>126</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 3, 1856, in Freeport, Ill.; resides in Toddville, Iowa; married April 5, 1885, in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Ruby Mills.

Alonzo Trowbridge is a farmer in Toddville, Iowa.\*

CHILDREN:

- i. JOHN, b. ———, 188—.
- ii. A daughter, b. ———, 188—.

**529.** EDWARD ALEXANDER TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>287a</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 3, 1835, in Waterburgh, N. Y.; died December 31, 1905, in Englewood, N. J.; married May 4, 1868, in East Bloomfield, N. Y., Helen Amelia Crooks, daughter of William Knox and Phebe Levisa (Fisher) Crooks, born August 6, 1844, in Warsaw, N. Y. She resides in New York City.

Edward A. Trowbridge was a school-teacher forty years. He was a graduate of the first advanced class of the Oswego, N. Y., normal school in 1868, and taught in the Oswego public schools. He married and went to Keokuk, Iowa, where he and his wife were for a number of years principal and preceptress, respectively, of the Keokuk high school. He also studied under Dr. Lowell Mason and taught vocal music and violin in the East.

CHILDREN:

834. i. JOHN WILLIAM, b. Aug. 18, 1870, in Keokuk, Iowa.
- ii. EDWARD CROOKS, b. May 8, 1876, in Waterburgh, N. Y.; resides in New York City; unm.

**530.** JOHN CALEB TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>288</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 14, 1847, in Clymer township,† Pa.; died February 28, 1879, in Elk township,† Pa.; married January 4, 1871, in Elk, Carrie Eliza Maynard, daughter of Dr. John and Abigail (Whitney) Maynard, born December 12, 1852, in Shippen township,† Pa. She married, second, February 27, 1884, in Wellsborough, Pa., John Marion Purhen and resides in Marshfield, Pa.

John C. Trowbridge received his education at the high school in Westfield, Pa., and the Union Academy in Knoxville, Pa. He was a lumberman in his younger days, but later in life was a farmer in Clymer and Elk townships, Pa. He inherited his father's musical talent and like him was a good violinist.

CHILDREN BORN IN ELK TOWNSHIP,† PA.:

835. i. EDWARD CALEB, b. Nov. 21, 1871.
- ii. GRACE ANNA, b. Mar. 16, 1878; d. Oct. 20, 1878.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† Tioga county.

**531. SAMUEL DOW TROWBRIDGE** (*Caleb*<sup>288</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1850, in Clymer township,\* Pa.; died November 1, 1885, in Clymer; married May 17, 1880, in Sabinsville, Pa., Cora Putnam, daughter of James W. and Julia Ann (Melon) Putnam, born December 10, 1859, in Woodhull, N. Y. She resides in Knoxville, Pa.

Samuel D. Trowbridge was a farmer in Clymer, Pa. He was fond of music and was considered a good violinist.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLYMER, PA.:

- i. MABEL GERALDINE, b. Mar. 21, 1881.
- ii. ANNA DOLORES, b. Nov. 1, 1885.

**532. WILLIAM SHERMAN TROWBRIDGE** (*Michigan*<sup>200</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 7, 1865, in Meadville, Pa.; resides in Meadville; married October 2, 1891, in Meadville, Ella McLaughlin, who died September 8, 1906, in Meadville.

William S. Trowbridge is the proprietor of a large candy business in Meadville, Pa., and manufactures the confection known as "Trowbridge's Chocolate Chips."

## NO CHILDREN.

**533. FRANK TROWBRIDGE** (*William E.*<sup>291</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 22, 1869, in Ulysses, N. Y.; resides in Ulysses (Perry City P. O.); married May 19, 1895, in Mecklenburgh, N. Y., Elizabeth M. Bryan, daughter of Eugene and Hattie (Havens) Bryan, born June 4, 1877, in Mecklenburgh.

Frank Trowbridge is a farmer and lives on the old Trowbridge homestead in Ulysses, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ULYSSES, N. Y.:

- i. CLARA ALIENE, b. Aug. 31, 1896.
- ii. WILLIAM EUGENE, b. Dec. 9, 1897.
- iii. NELLIE MAY, b. Aug. 30, 1899.

**534. DR. EDWARD GILBERT TROWBRIDGE** (*David*<sup>292</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 7, 1855, in Ulysses, N. Y.; resides in Chicago, Ill.; married April 26, 1898, in Chicago, Lydia Hayes Jones, daughter of William Patterson and Mary Elizabeth (Hayes) Jones, born August 28, 1859, in Evanston, Ill.

Edward G. Trowbridge during his youth lived at home in Tompkins county, N. Y., where he attended school winters and worked on a farm by the month during the summer. In 1876 he taught his first term of school, and during the winters of 1876-7 and 1877-8 he taught in district schools. In the spring of 1879 he began attending the state normal school in Cortland, N. Y. He left that institution in February, 1881, and went to the state normal school in Ypsilanti, Mich., where he was graduated the following June. For the next ten years he taught as principal in the graded schools of Michigan. In 1891 he went to St. Paul, Minn., where he remained until 1894, a portion of the time being engaged in the stationery business. In the autumn of 1894 he entered the Bennett Medical College in Chicago, Ill., where he was graduated in 1897, and then became house physician in Bennett Hospital. He is at present engaged in the practice of his profession in Chicago.

## NO CHILDREN.

\* Tioga county.

**535.** ELISHA OWEN TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>292</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 9, 1859, in Ulysses, N. Y.; resides in St. Paul, Minn.; married July 7, 1885, in Newark Valley, N. Y., Matie Evangeline Cole, daughter of William Henry and Bessie Rounselle (Watson) Cole, born July 7, 1867, in Owego, N. Y.

Elisha O. Trowbridge began teaching a district school near his native place in Tompkins county, N. Y., in 1876. In 1878 he entered the state normal school in Cortland, N. Y., and was graduated from that institution in 1881. He was principal of the public school at McLean, N. Y., 1881-2; principal of the Newark (N. Y.) Academy, 1882-5; and principal of the public school at Smithboro, N. Y., 1886-8. In 1889 he entered the United States army as quartermaster's agent at St. Paul, Minn., and served there until August, 1898. He was ordered to Santiago, Cuba, August 15, 1898, and served in the quartermaster's department, establishing a system of records for the new Department of Santiago. He was on duty there until November 1, 1898, when he was taken ill with fever and returned to St. Paul on November 10. He was ordered to Chickamauga Park January 15, 1899, and toured all the Southern military camps as chief clerk to inspector, U. S. A. He was ordered to Cuba with Secretary of War Alger, accompanying him on his inspection tour of Cuba, Jamaica and Porto Rico, from March 6 to May 15, 1899. On July 1, 1899, he returned to his former position at St. Paul, Minn., where he at present resides and holds the position of chief clerk, United States army.

## CHILDREN:

- i. ELISHA HAYDN, b. June 7, 1886, in Meadville, Pa.; was graduated from the St. Paul high school in 1903 and from Minnesota State University in 1907. While at the latter institution he was elected a member of the Alpha Tau Omega fraternity. He is studying for the medical profession.
- ii. WILLIAM KENNETH, b. Jan. 30, 1898, in St. Paul, Minn.

**536.** DANIEL ELLSWORTH TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>292</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 22, 1863, in Hector, Schuyler county, N. Y.; resides in Ganges, Mich.; married October 25, 1887, in Ganges, Zelda Allen Johnson, daughter of Capt. Alexander Allen and Lucretia (Cook) Johnson, born September 8, 1867, in Ganges.

D. Ellsworth Trowbridge came to Michigan when he was a young man. He is at present a provision dealer in Ganges, Mich.

## NO CHILDREN.

**536a.** FRED CARLTON TROWBRIDGE (*Levi H.*<sup>292a</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 10, 1868, in Waterburgh, N. Y.; resides in Rochester, N. Y.; married July 4, 1906, in Rochester, Lillian Bundy (Deyo) Cortright, daughter of Jeremiah M. and Emeline A. (Bundy) Deyo, born July 12, 1875, in Rochester.

Fred C. Trowbridge is in business as a decorator and paper hanger in Rochester, N. Y.

## CHILD BORN IN ROCHESTER, N. Y.:

- i. GEORGE CARLTON, b. Mar. 13, 1907.

**536b.** ISAAC WIXOM TROWBRIDGE (*Erastus*<sup>292b</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 22, 1825, in Whitehall, N. Y.; resides in Hornellsville, N. Y.; married Mary Jane Miller, daughter of Philip Miller, born ———, 1829, in ———; died May 21, 1907, in Hornellsville.



Isaac W. Trowbridge was for many years engaged in the blacksmith's business. He has now retired and is residing at the home of his daughter in Hornellsville, N. Y. He is a veteran of the Civil War.\*

## CHILDREN BORN IN ADRIAN, N. Y.:

536. i. HIRAM, b. May 5, 1862.  
 ii. OLIN, b. ———, 186-?: is lumbering in Wallowa county, Ore.  
 iii. MARY, b. ———, 186-?: m. George M. Everett and resides in Hornellsville, N. Y.  
 Nine more children are deceased.

**537.** CALEB DYER TROWBRIDGE (*Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 17, 1826, in Howard, N. Y.; died March 13, 1865, in Andover, N. Y.; married March 5, 1846, in Howard, Elizabeth Morgan, daughter of Reuben and Mary (Springer) Morgan, born September 19, 1821, in Andover?; died April 13, 1874, in Avoca, N. Y.

Caleb D. Trowbridge was a farmer first in Howard and later in Andover, N. Y.

## CHILDREN:

537. i. JAMES LABROIT, b. June 8, 1848, in Howard, N. Y.  
 ii. MARY, b. May 12, 1851, in Andover, N. Y.; m. Apr. 5, 1868, John H. Salmon and resides in Corning, N. Y.

**538.** CALVIN ZIBA TROWBRIDGE (*Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 5, 1829, in Howard, N. Y.; resides in Howard; married October 1, 1849, in Howard, Henrietta Celia Trowbridge (No. 292b, v), daughter of Erastus and Susan? (Pratt) Trowbridge, born January 21, 1829, in Whitehall, N. Y.; died March 21, 1872, in Howard.

Calvin Z. Trowbridge has always engaged in farming, following that occupation in Allegany and Steuben counties, N. Y. He is at present residing with his youngest daughter in Howard, N. Y.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. LUCY DRUCILLA, b. Aug. 4, 1850; m., 1st, Mar. 5, 1872, Frank P. Rider of Neils Creek, N. Y.; m., 2d, Sept. 21, 1882, Holman Morgan; m., 3d, Dec. 30, 1905, Ezra Smith and resides in East Charleston, Pa.  
 ii. AUGUSTA ACELIA, b. Dec. 7, 1854; m. July 13, 1882, Joshua W. Culver and resides in Howard, N. Y.  
 538. iii. LAVERN, b. Feb. 7, 1862.  
 iv. FERRADO FREMONT, b. Dec. 9, 1865; is a carpenter in Buffalo, N. Y.; unm.

**539.** BYRON HARLOW TROWBRIDGE (*Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 3, 1832, in Howard, N. Y.; died November 3, 1899, in Hornellsville, N. Y.; married October 12, 1856, in Howard, Byanca Conderman, daughter of Abraham and Mahaley (Sweet) Conderman, born October 28, 1840, in Howard. She resides in Hornellsville.

Byron H. Trowbridge was a farmer and teamster for many years in Howard, N. Y. The latter part of his life he lived in Hornellsville, N. Y.

## CHILDREN:‡

539. i. ROBERTSON FAY, b. July 12, 1858.  
 ii. CAROLINE, b. June 3, 1861; d. Oct. 13, 1871, in Hornellsville, N. Y.  
 540. iii. RAY, b. Feb. 26, 1862.  
 541. iv. JAMES, b. Jan. 20, 1865.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters, thus making it impossible to complete the records of several generations of this branch of the family.

† i born in Burns, N. Y.; ii in Wellsville, N. Y.; iii-iv in Howard, N. Y.

‡ i, ii and iv born in Howard, N. Y.; iii in Anderson, N. Y.

**540.** ERASTUS BURL TROWBRIDGE (*Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 15, 1834, in Howard, N. Y.; resides in Wellsville, N. Y.; married February 10, 1861, in Almond, N. Y., Mary Maria Cooper, daughter of James and Olive (Barnes) Cooper, born August 20, 1844, in Williamsville, Pa.

Erastus B. Trowbridge is a carpenter and joiner. He is working at his trade in Allegany and Steuben counties, N. Y., and resides at present near Wellsville in the former county.

## CHILDREN :\*

- S42. i. WILLIAM ELLSWORTH, b. Mar. 29, 1862.  
 ii. IDA MAY, b. Jan. 12, 1865; m. Aug. 6, 1882, Harry Wightman and resides in Wellsville, N. Y.  
 iii. FLORA BELL, b. May 20, 1868; m. Oct. 20, 1884, Richard Welch and resides in Scio, N. Y.  
 S43. iv. JAMES CYRENUS, b. Aug. 12, 1871.  
 S43a. v. CALEB BURL, b. Oct. 26, 1873.  
 vi. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 6, 1883; m. ———, 1902, Frederick Elvins and resides in Polivar, N. Y.†

**541.** JOSEPH BARTHOLOMEW TROWBRIDGE (*Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 20, 1842, in Howard, N. Y.; resides in Hornellsville, N. Y.; married January 1, 1862, in Cohocton, N. Y., Calista Arabell Palmer, daughter of James Hamilton and Lucia Abigail (Peck) Palmer, born May 13, 1846, in Howard.

Joseph B. Trowbridge is a carpenter and lives in Hornellsville, N. Y.

## CHILDREN :

- S44. i. DELL HAMILTON, b. Aug. 5, 1865, in Howard, N. Y.  
 ii. ANNA BELL, b. Feb. 17, 1868, in Hornellsville, N. Y.; m. July 5, 1884, Hawley Solomon Pettibone and resides in Hornellsville.

**541a.** WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>292a</sup>, *Heman*<sup>172</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 14, 1846, in ———, Va.; resides in Mozier, Ill.; married ———, 1871, in Carrollton, Ill., Nancy Lavinia Middaugh, daughter of Benjamin and Anna (Hildreth) Middaugh, born September 1, 1855, in Brown county, Ill.

William Trowbridge was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted March 10, 1865, as a private in Company G, 15th Illinois Infantry, and was mustered out September 16, 1865. He resides in Mozier, Ill.‡

## CHILDREN :

- i. ELMER, b. ———, 18—; m. ———, 1896, Susie Barues and resides in Mozier, Ill.  
 ii. ALTIE, b. ———, 18—; m., 1st, ———, 1892, Wesley Clendenny of Mozier; m., 2d, ———, 1901, Thomas Barnes and resides in Mozier.

**542.** WATSON TROWBRIDGE (*Theron*<sup>295</sup>, *Heman*<sup>172</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 23, 1842, in Denmark, Iowa; resides in Denmark; married November 22, 1882, in Quincy, Ill., Clara Barbara (Lutenberg) Fell, widow of James Fell and daughter of Charles and Margaret (Clem?) Lutenberg, born October 1, 1846, in St. Louis, Mo.; died July 12, 1902, in Quincy.

\* i born in Wellsville, N. Y.; ii in Andover, N. Y.; iii in Howard, N. Y.; iv-v in Alfred, N. Y.; vi in Ward, N. Y.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

‡ He failed to complete his family record.

Watson Trowbridge was a soldier in the Civil War, enlisting at the age of nineteen from his native place in Company I, 30th Iowa Infantry. Prior to his marriage he came to Quincy, Ill., where he lived until recently, when he removed to his present residence, Denmark, Iowa, where he is in business as a machinist.

## CHILD BORN IN QUINCY, ILL.:

- i. EDWARD WATSON, b. Sept. 18, 1883: is a draughtsman in Newark, N. J.

**543.** JOHN BROWN TROWBRIDGE (*Theron*<sup>295</sup>, *Heman*<sup>172</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 23, 1850, in Denmark, Iowa; resides in Denmark; married, first, March 23, 1876, in McAlester, Ind. Ter., Daisy Larry Jones, who died August 23, 1878, in Denmark. He married, second, May 18, 1879, in West Point, Iowa, Elizabeth Christina Krehbiel, daughter of John Charles and Katherine Barbara (Raber) Krehbiel, born May 15, 1855, in West Point.

John B. Trowbridge has always lived in his native town, Denmark, Iowa, and is engaged in the well-drilling business.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DENMARK, IOWA:

*By second marriage:\**

- i. CHARLOTTA ANNIS DORA, b. Apr. 11, 1881; m. Mar. 25, 1903, Charles Henry Wilson and resides in West Point, Iowa.
- ii. EDITH MARIA, b. Feb. 4, 1883.
- iii. LEROY JOHN, b. Jan. 23, 1886.
- iv. MYRTLE AGNES, b. June 11, 1898.

**544.** CHARLES HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Watson*<sup>296</sup>, *Heman*<sup>172</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 15, 1847, in Cincinnati, Ohio; resides in Hannibal, Mo.; married April 6, 1869, in Quincy, Ill., Nancy Jane Duffy.

Charles H. Trowbridge was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted from Quincy, Ill., May 10, 1864, for "100 days" in Company A, 137th Illinois Infantry. He was mustered out May 21, 1865, as a prisoner of war. He is a member of the Duffy & Trowbridge Stove Manufacturing Company of Quincy, Ill., makers of the "Golden Rule" stoves and ranges. His residence is in Hannibal, Mo.†

**545.** EDWARD WATSON TROWBRIDGE (*Watson*<sup>296</sup>, *Heman*<sup>172</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 15, 1860, in Quincy, Ill.; resides in Quincy; married November 19, 1886, in Quincy, Lucy Wells Benneson.

Edward W. Trowbridge resides in Quincy, Ill., and is secretary of the Quincy Towing and Coal Company.‡

**546.** CLARK TROWBRIDGE (*George W.*<sup>297</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>173</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 17, 1857, in Otsego township, Steuben county, Ind.; resides in Dover township (Luther P. O.), Mich.; married October 21, 1893, in Cadillac, Mich., Carrie Ketcham, daughter of Eugene and Jane (Irwin) Ketcham, born March 24, 1875, in Wexford county,‡ Mich.

Clark Trowbridge came at the age of thirteen with his father to Dover township, Lake county, Mich., near the present town of Luther, and is entitled to be ranked as one of the pioneers of that county. He has lived there ever since.

\* No children by first marriage.

† He failed to answer the compiler's letters, so it is not known whether they had any children.

‡ Near Cadillac.

engaged in farming. He has a good farm of eighty acres, forty of which are cleared and in fine state of cultivation, producing all the ordinary crops usually grown on first-class land. He was a surveyor for two years in Minneapolis, Minn., and has also been in the real estate business.

Mr. Trowbridge is regarded by his friends as a good neighbor and is considered a valuable citizen. He has held a number of town and county offices. He has been a grand juror, highway commissioner, justice of the peace for eight years, and is at present treasurer of Dover township and county health officer. He is also at present chairman of the Lake County Board of County Commissioners and a member of the Lake County Republican Committee. He is also candidate for the office of county sheriff, to which he will probably be elected. He has always been fond of and prominent in athletics, and he is considered the best boxer in his section of Michigan.

CHILDREN BORN IN DOVER, LAKE COUNTY, MICH.:

- i. JOHN LAWRENCE, b. Aug. 18, 1894.
- ii. SAMUEL J.,\* b. Dec. 11, 1895.
- iii. EDWARD, b. July 24, 1897.
- iv. BERTHA ELIZABETH, ♀, May 15, 1899.
- v. IRWIN, b. Feb. 15, 1901.
- vi. GERTRUDE, b. Nov. 9, 1905.

**547.** MORGAN TROWBRIDGE (*Watson*<sup>298</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>173</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 3, 1857, in Metz, Ind.; resides in Angola, Ind.; married December 16, 1883, in Metz, Althea Ann Sharp, daughter of John and Polly (Peters) Sharp, born May 21, 1862, in Metz.

Morgan Trowbridge is a farmer in Angola, Ind.†

**548.** JOHN M.\* TROWBRIDGE (*Morgan*<sup>299</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>173</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 10, 1843, in Morgan county, Ohio; resides in Wolcottville, Ind.; married, first, May 25, 1864, in Lagrange, Ind., Margaret M.\* Davidson, daughter of Ephraim and Priscilla (Pitman) Davidson, born March 5, 1842, in Stark county, Ohio; died April 12, 1868, in Lagrange. He married, second, May 25, 1870, in Flint, Ind., Mary W.\* Keasey, daughter of David and Margaret (Miller) Keasey, born June 15, 1844, in Franklin county, Pa.; died October 15, 1896, in Flint. He married, third, February 28, 1897, in Hamilton, Ind., Susan (Hackett) Roan, widow of Philip Roan and daughter of John and Polly (Yockey) Hackett, born March 5, 1842, in Stark county, Ohio.

John M. Trowbridge attended the high school in Ontario, Lagrange county, Ind., at that time the best school in Northern Indiana. He was a soldier in the Civil War and was mustered in at Indianapolis May 28, 1864, as a recruit in Company E, 100th Indiana Infantry. He marched 4,000 miles during his term of service. He was in Sherman's march and was on the skirmishing line about one-quarter of the time. He was sunstruck July 4, 1864, while on a forced march between Marietta and the Chattahoochee river, Ga., and was struck on the head by a musket ball at the battle of Atlanta, July 22, 1864. He was transferred to Company A, 48th Indiana Infantry, May 30, 1865, and was mustered out July 15, 1865. After leaving the army he returned to his farm in Lagrange county. After his second marriage he settled in Flint, Steuben county, where he lived a number of years. He at present resides in Wolcottville, Lagrange county, Ind.

\* Initial only.

† He failed to answer the compiler's letters, so it is not known whether they had any children.

## CHILDREN :\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. MORGAN E., † b. May 26, 1866; resides in Wolcottville, Ind.
- ii. JOHN M., † b. Feb. 28, 1868; d. Oct. 30, 1889.

*By second marriage: ‡*

- iii. SYLVIA ELLEN, b. Jan. 23, 1872.
- iv. NANCY JANE, b. Oct. 25, 1874; d. Jan. 12, 1899, in Flint, Ind.; unm.
- v. FLORA, b. Sept. 5, 1876.
- vi. WATSON, b. Aug. 8, 1880.

**549.** ALBERT DORR TROWBRIDGE (*Asher B.*<sup>300</sup>, *Watson*<sup>174</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 16, 1871, in Clymer, Pa.; resides in Clymer (Westfield P. O.); married July 3, 1894, in Corning, N. Y., Grace Wright, daughter of James and Anna (Barlow) Wright, born October 9, 1875, in Burdette, N. Y.

Albert D. Trowbridge is associated with his father in conducting their farm of 180 acres near Westfield, Pa., and their herd of registered cattle and sheep. He and his father also own a feed mill and cheese factory there.

## NO CHILDREN.

**550.** RAY ROBERT TROWBRIDGE (*Onan*<sup>301</sup>, *Watson*<sup>174</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 7, 1874, in Clymer, Pa.; resides in Clymer (Lausing P. O.), Pa.; married August 24, 1895, in Troupsburgh, N. Y., Nora Belle Gamet, daughter of Albert and Arsula (Baker) Gamet, born September 17, 1877, in Westfield, Pa.

Ray R. Trowbridge is a well-to-do farmer in Clymer township, near Westfield, Tioga county, Pa.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLYMER, PA.:

- i. MERLE ONAN, b. June 17, 1897.
- ii. CARL, b. Aug. 24, 1900.

**551.** JOHN ERNEST TROWBRIDGE (*Onan*<sup>301</sup>, *Watson*<sup>174</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 5, 1876, in Clymer, Pa.; resides in Potter Brook, Pa.; married January 5, 1897, in Penn Yan, N. Y., Iva May Havens, daughter of David Wilber and Rosetta (Gibson) Havens, born June 1, 1879, in Sunderlinville, Pa.

John E. Trowbridge lived on a farm in Clymer until he was married, and then moved to a farm in Hector, Pa., where he lived two years. In 1899 he removed to Potter Brook, Tioga county, Pa., where he is at present engaged as a speculator and dealer in live stock, hay and grain.

## NO CHILDREN.

**552.** WILLIAM EZRA TROWBRIDGE (*Onan*<sup>301</sup>, *Watson*<sup>174</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 14, 1877, in Clymer, Pa.; resides in Clymer township (Westfield P. O.); married December 24, 1898, in Mixtown, Pa., Fannie Ida Barber, daughter of Myron Patrick and Ida Margarita (Davis) Barber, born May 14, 1883, in Mixtown.

William E. Trowbridge is a farmer in Clymer township, near Westfield, Pa.

## CHILD BORN IN CLYMER, PA.:

- i. BASIL EDWIN, b. June 22, 1901.

\* i-ii born in Lagrange, Ind.; iii-vi in Flint, Ind.

† Initial only.

‡ No children by third marriage.

**553.** HENRY HARRISON TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>302</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 16, 1840, in Bombay, N. Y.; resides in Chester (Waupun P. O.), Wis.; married, first, September 21, 1867, in Burnett Corners, Wis., Marianna Jones, daughter of John Jones, a native of England. He married, second, April 25, 1875, in Burnett, Wis., Martha Schmaling, daughter of ——— and Johannah (Stock) Schmaling, born November 30, 1854, in Milwaukee, Wis.

Henry H. Trowbridge came in 1855 to Wisconsin with his father, who settled the following year near the present village of Waupun. Soon after the outbreak of the Civil War he enlisted August 30, 1861, in Company G, 1st Wisconsin Infantry. He served with the regiment until September 20, 1863, when he was captured at the battle of Chickamauga. He was confined in Libby, Pemberton, Danville, Andersonville (from March until September), Charleston and Florence; and was exchanged December 13, 1864, having been a prisoner of war for 450 days. He received his discharge December 30, 1864. After leaving the army he settled near Waupun, where he has since been engaged in farming. He is a member of the I. O. O. F. and the G. A. R.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CHESTER, WIS.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. HENRY LIONEL, b. Sept. 21, 1868; is a stationary engineer and electrician and travels extensively installing engines and machinery in different parts of the world; resides in Waupun, Wis.; unm.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. LYDIA ANN, b. June 1, 1876; m. Oct. 3, 1900, Adolph Frederic Schnasse and resides in Boyd, Wis.
- iii. MADEL JOHANNAH, b. Mar. 16, 1881; m. Apr. 9, 1903, Harvey James Haskins and resides in Muscoda, Wis.
- iv. BERTHA ALICE, b. Mar. 3, 1883; d. May 17, 1899; unm.
- v. ANAH TRACY, b. Nov. 12, 1889.
- vi. MILDRED VIVIEN, b. Aug. 1, 1891.

**554.** EDGAR LUCIUS TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>302</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 24, 1845, in Canton, N. Y.; resides in Waupun, Wis.; married April 4, 1871, in Waupun, Mary Hamilton, daughter of Joseph and Lydia (Cook) Hamilton, born May 6, 1848, in Winhall, Bennington county, Vt.

Edgar L. Trowbridge when he was ten years old came with his father to a farm near the village of Waupun, Wis., where he married and has lived ever since. He is a farmer.

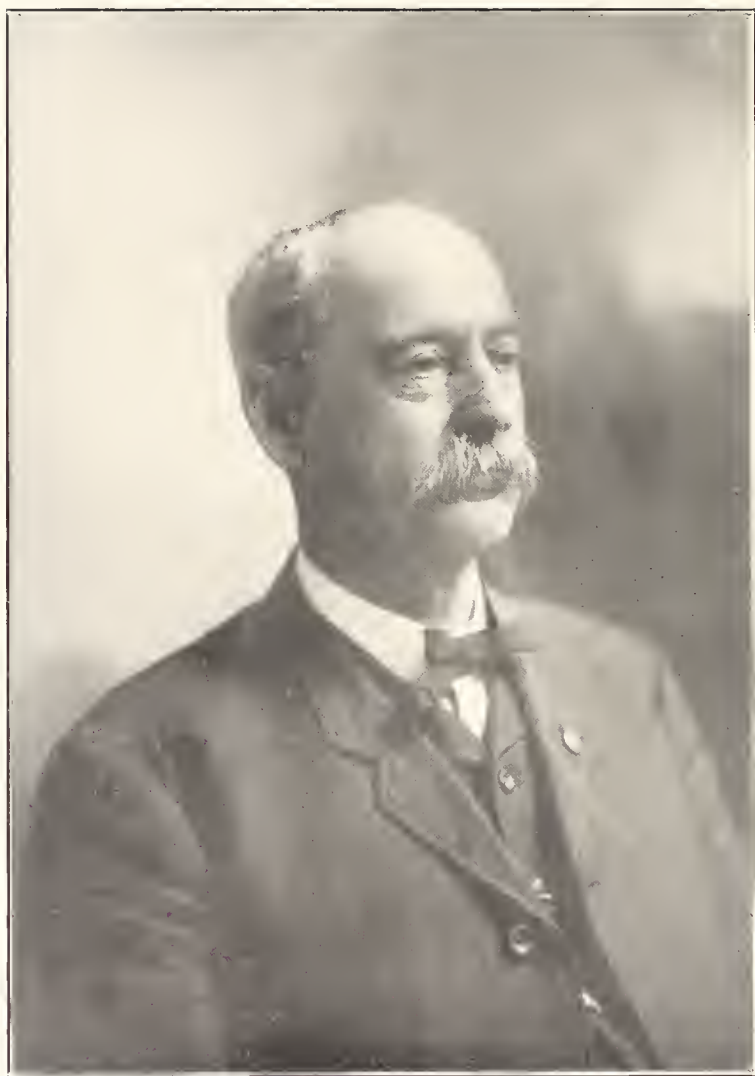
## CHILDREN BORN IN WAUPUN, WIS.:

- i. ALONZO, b. Feb. 15, 1880.
- ii. FRANK, b. Aug. 20, 1883.

**555.** SIDNEY SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>302</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 1, 1852, in Canton, N. Y.; resides in Seymour, Wis.; married November 28, 1876, in Beaver Dam, Wis., Henrietta De Young, daughter of Joseph and Levina (Horn) De Young, born October 15, 1853, in Beaver Dam; died December 26, 1902, in Seymour.

Sidney S. Trowbridge came in childhood to Wisconsin with his father, who settled on a farm in Chester township, near the present village of Waupun. He grew to manhood, married, and settled in that township. He was engaged in farming there until a few years ago. He then bought a farm near Seymour, seventeen miles west of Green Bay, Wis., where he lives at present. His farm is near the town, in which he also owns other property.





*Wm. Trowbridge*



## CHILDREN BORN IN CHESTER, WIS.:

- i. ELMER JAY, b. June 27, 1878.
- ii. LUCY ANN, b. Mar. 11, 1884.
- iii. SHERMAN SAMUEL, b. Jan. 22, 1891.

**556.** RUFUS TROWBRIDGE (*Prosper*<sup>303</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 4, 1838, in Edwardsville, N. Y.; resides in Beaver City, Neb.; married October 11, 1861, in Waterloo, Iowa, Nancy Jane McCutcheon, daughter of George and Elizabeth Baird (Fram) McCutcheon, born May 29, 1848, in Onarga, Ill.; died November 26, 1898, in Wilsonville, Neb.

Rufus Trowbridge has always been engaged in farming. When about twenty-one years of age he went with his mother and step-father to Waterloo, Iowa. He settled there after his marriage, removing in 1873 to Wilsonville, Neb., where he lives at present.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. LEVI ALVARO, b. Oct. 13, 1862; is farming with his next brother in Decatur, Neb.; unm.
- S45. ii. PROSPER FRANKLIN, b. Jan. 27, 1865.
- S46. iii. SOCIAL SHERIDAN, b. Jan. 21, 1867.
- iv. CLARISSA ORVILLA, b. Jan. 31, 1870; d. Apr. 1, 1890, in Wilsonville, Neb.; unm.
- v. WINNIE, b. Dec. 31, 1872; d. Mar. 17, 1873.
- vi. MILLICENT AMY, b. Jan. 19, 1874; m. Apr. 9, 1902, Albert DeWitt and resides in South Omaha, Neb.
- vii. WILLIAM TRACY, b. Jan. 29, 1877; d. Nov. 27, 1882.
- viii. RUFUS RAY, b. Dec. 24, 1879; d. Sept. 2, 1883.
- ix. WALTER ADELBERT, b. Sept. 27, 1882; d. Apr. 7, 1884.
- x. GRACE ANNABEL, b. Sept. 23, 1885.
- xi. EDITH HOPE, b. Mar. 20, 1889.

**557.** WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Prosper*<sup>303</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 20, 1847, in Edwardsville, N. Y.; resides in Carroll, Iowa; married September 17, 1879, in Carroll, Ida Faey Gilley, daughter of William and Leah (Mohler) Gilley, born October 1, 1860, in Carrollton, Iowa.

William Trowbridge was about twelve years old when he went with his mother to Waterloo, Iowa, and he worked on the farm near there up to 1862. On September 6, 1862, he tried to enlist in the army, but was rejected as too young, he not being quite fifteen years old. He cooked for the soldiers, however, until they were ordered to the front, and then came home and worked on the farm until February 24, 1864. He enlisted that day for three years in Company C, 32d Iowa Infantry. He served seventeen months, and was then promoted to corporal and was transferred to Company H, 8th Iowa Infantry. He was in all the battles, skirmishes and marches in which his command participated during the last eighteen months of the war, among which were Tupelo, Miss., Old Town Creek, the battle of Nashville, Price's raid and the siege of Mobile, being in the charge on Fort Blakely.

After returning home, he again took up farming. In 1873 he engaged in the hardware business in Carroll, Iowa, and conducted it until 1893. Since then he has been in the general real estate and fire insurance business in Carroll. He was elected for three terms to the city council of Carroll. He was then elected county treasurer for two terms, four years, on the Republican ticket, his county at that time having a Democratic majority of five hundred. He recently completed a three-year term as a member of the board of supervisors of Carroll county. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity. He has taken much interest in the compilation of this genealogy.

\* i-v born in Waterloo, Iowa; the others in Wilsonville, Neb.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CARROLL, IOWA:

- i. BLANCHE LEAH, b. Aug. 19, 1880; m. June 26, 1907, Jonathan Edward Bruner, M.D., and resides in Carroll.
- ii. EMMA MARGARET, b. Aug. 29, 1882; m. June 7, 1905, Clarence Orlo Dawson and resides in Mason City, Iowa.
- iii. WILLIAM HARRISON, b. Mar. 13, 1893.

558. JOHN SHARP TROWBRIDGE (*Prosper*<sup>303</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 3, 1848, in Edwardsville, N. Y.; died August 6, 1900, in Carroll, Iowa; married July 24, 1879, in Des Moines, Iowa, Melissa Viola Townsend,\* daughter of Jonathan and Rachel (Ridgeway) Townsend, born January 14, 1854, in Monrovia, Ind.; died June 1, 1901, in Carroll.

John S. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his mother to Waterloo, Iowa, and was brought up on his step-father's farm. After his marriage he engaged in the restaurant business in Hampton, Iowa, until 1887, when he returned to Waterloo, where he continued in the same business for one year. He then sold out, and lived on a farm near Waterloo until his removal to Lake City, Iowa, in 1897. He was there engaged in farming at the time of his death, which occurred at the home of his brother William in Carroll, Iowa. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

## CHILDREN: †

- i. NELSON CLAUD, b. June 7, 1880.
847. ii. CLIFFORD JOHN, b. Aug. 13, 1882.
- iii. CLYDE MORRIS, b. Oct. 8, 1884.
- iv. CLAYTON GEORGE, b. Jan. 27, 1888.
- v. WILLIAM CLARENCE, b. Sept. 15, 1891.

- 559. NELSON TROWBRIDGE (*Prosper*<sup>303</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 8, 1850, in Edwardsville, N. Y.; resides in Sanborn, Iowa; married August 5, 1883, in Hartley, Iowa, Priscilla Thomas, daughter of Rev. Thomas and Marie (Owens) Thomas, born January 9, 1854, in Wales.

Nelson Trowbridge came in childhood with his mother and step-father to Waterloo, Iowa, and he grew to manhood on their farm. He learned the barber's trade and has been in that business for about thirty-five years in Sanborn, Iowa.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SANBORN, IOWA:

- i. ROBERT, b. June 8, 1885.
- ii. TRACY, b. Sept. 11, 1888.
- iii. IDA, b. Aug. 19, 1891.
- iv. FARLEY, b. Mar. 12, 1894.
- v. GEORGE, b. June 18, 1897.

560. SAFFORD WOOD TROWBRIDGE (*Pardon*<sup>304</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 18, 1845, in Bombay, N. Y.; died February 1, 1890, in Highland Station, Kan.; married November 12, 1872, in Muscotah, Kan., Ellender Wills, daughter of Alexander and Sarilda (Abeney) Wills, born August 14, 1853, in Irvine, Ky. She married, second, November 29, 1899, in White Cloud, Kan., William Tracy. She married, third, March 19, 1907, in Troy, Kan., Isaac Jackson and resides in Seibert, Colo.

Safford W. Trowbridge at the age of ten years went with his parents to Wisconsin. He was brought up on his father's farm in Chester township, near

\* A sister of the wife of No. 1377, the latter and No. 558 not being related by Trowbridge blood.

† i-iii born in Hampton, Iowa; iv-v in Waterloo, Iowa. They are all farming in Seneca township (Bancroft P. O.), Kossuth county, Iowa, and all but ii are unmarried.

Waupun. He enlisted there for three years during the Civil War in Company A, 32d Wisconsin Infantry. He was with his regiment during its term of service and was mustered out June 12, 1865. He learned the trade of a blacksmith in Waupun. In the fall of 1868, in company with his brother Charles, he went to Highland Station, Kan., where he settled after his marriage. He followed his trade in that town until his death. He united with the Methodist Episcopal Church when he was about seventeen years of age. He was a member of the I. O. O. F. and the Encampment.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HIGHLAND STATION, KAN.:

- i. ALFRED JAMES, b. Sept. 10, 1873; d. Aug. 12, 1874.
- ii. KATIE ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 2, 1875; m. Aug. 11, 1891, Loren Peabody Myre and resides in Highland Station.
548. iii. WILLIAM THOMAS, b. Oct. 24, 1877.
- iv. SARAH ELIZA, b. Sept. 19, 1879; m. Mar. 14, 1894, David Guy and resides in Highland Station.
- v. EFFIE MAE, b. Mar. 2, 1881; m. Oct. 31, 1899, Marvin Wesley Blackmer and resides in Center, Colo.
- vi. MABEL CLARA, b. Apr. 19, 1883; m. July 4, 1899, John Nowles and resides in Highland Station.
- vii. JOHN SAFFORD, b. Apr. 24, 1885; is a dry goods clerk in St. Joseph, Mo.; nm.
- viii. HESTER ELLEN, b. Aug. 5, 1890; m. Mar. 9, 1907, Albert Zimmerman and resides in Highland Station.

**561.** CHARLES JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Pardon*<sup>304</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 10, 1849, in Bombay, N. Y.; died March 3, 1905, in York, Neb.; married July 4, 1877, in Hopkins, Mo., Rebecca Susan Dilley, daughter of Noah and Judy (Montgomery) Dilley, born February 20, 1857, in Kirksville, Mo. She resides in York.

Charles J. Trowbridge went in boyhood with his parents to their farm near Waupun, Wis. His parents died when he was a little past seven years of age, and shortly after their death he went to live with Luther Butts, about two and one-half miles from Waupun. He lived with him until February, 1866, when he and his brother Safford went to Minnesota and spent that summer in the little town of Plainview. In the fall the latter returned to Waupun and he went to work on the farm of his sister Mrs. Duer near Trempealeau, Wis. He remained there until the fall of 1868, when he and Safford went to Troy, Kan. He learned the blacksmith's trade and lived in Kansas and Nebraska until April, 1875, when he went to Hopkins, Mo., remaining there until September. He then went to Conway, Iowa. He continued to live there after his marriage and until March, 1884, when he came back to Nebraska and entered the employ of the Burlington and Missouri River Railroad Company. He and his family lived at Tecumseh, Neb., until the spring of 1885, when they moved to Humboldt. He removed from there to McCool, York county, Neb., in January, 1888, and from there in October, 1891, to York, Neb., where he made his home the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN:\*

549. i. ALBERT PETE, b. May 12, 1878.
- ii. JAMES, b. Feb. 4, 1880; d. Sept. 21, 1880.
- iii. HERMAN, b. Aug. 3, 1881; is a locomotive fireman. He was for one year in the employ of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway Company, before going to Two Harbors, Mich., three years ago, where he has since been in the employ of the Duluth and Iron Range Railroad Company. He is a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen. He is unmarried.
- iv. BLANCHE, b. May 1, 1885.

\* i-iii born in Conway, Iowa; iv in Humboldt, Neb.

**562.** FRANKLIN HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Pardon*<sup>304</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 14, 1853, in Bombay, N. Y.; resides in Kanawha, Iowa; married March 11, 1877, in Stratford, Iowa, Jessie Love Ross, daughter of Huitt and Sarah (Sargent) Ross, born September 17, 1855, in Attiea, Ind.

Franklin H. Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to Waupun, Wis. In early manhood he went to Iowa, and married and settled in Stratford, Hamilton county. He moved from there to Renwick, Humboldt county, and from there to Kanawha, Hancock county, where he lives at present. He has always been a farmer.

## CHILD BORN IN STRATFORD, IOWA:

- i. LENA WOOD, b. Mar. 23, 1879; m. May 17, 1897, Edward Loobey and resides in Renwick, Iowa.

**563.** ALFRED JAY TROWBRIDGE (*Pardon*<sup>304</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 5, 1855, in Janesville, Wis.; resides near Yates Center, Kan.; married December 12, 1876, in Booneville, Iowa, Rachel Black, daughter of William and Mary (Bernhart) Black, born October 12, 1858, in Van Meter, Iowa.

Alfred J. Trowbridge left Wisconsin at the age of sixteen years and went to Highland Station, Kan., where he worked one year at the blacksmith's trade with his brother Safford. He then went to Iowa, where he remained until his marriage. After his marriage he went back to Highland Station and was for a year in partnership with his brother, but then, for the sake of his wife's health, he returned to Iowa. He lived close to Booneville for four or five years, then in Stratford two years, and then, in 1886, came to Patterson, where he engaged in blacksmithing and wagon-making. He held the office of city marshal there for several years. On November 30, 1907, he removed to Woodson county, Kan., and bought a house with three acres of land and a blacksmith shop nine miles northeast of Yates Center, where he is carrying on his former business. He is a member of the Modern Woodmen of America.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. MARY JANE, b. Dec. 18, 1877; m. Nov. 23, 1897, L. Butler Phillips and resides in Woodson county (Yates Center P. O.), Kan.
- ii. FLORENCE ELIZA, b. May 7, 1880; d. Aug. 7, 1881.
- iii. RACHEL EFFIE, b. Jan. 14, 1882; m. Sept. 19, 1906, Carl E. Bell and resides in Madison county (Winterset P. O.), Iowa.
- iv. MINNIE FRANK, b. Mar. 6, 1884; d. Mar. 28, 1886.
- v. DALLY IOMA, b. Dec. 23, 1887.
- vi. CLARA EMMA, b. May 3, 1889.
- vii. CARRIE AMY, b. June 3, 1891.
- viii. EDNA MAY, b. July 1, 1893.
- ix. ALFRED HAROLD, b. July 15, 1895; d. May 25, 1896.
- x. FAITH ALFREDA, b. Dec. 15, 1896.
- xi. JESSIE LENORE, b. Nov. 4, 1899.
- xii. REBECCA MARION, b. May 9, 1904.

**564.** HENRY OLIVER TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>305</sup>, *Henry P.*<sup>176</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 15, 1850, in Jackson township, Tioga county, Pa.; resides in Jackson township (Millerton, Pa., P. O.); married February 9, 1880, in Millerton, Elvira Seeley, daughter of George and Hannah (Miller) Seeley, born April 8, 1847, in Millerton.

Henry O. Trowbridge grew to manhood and settled in the township in which he was born. A year after his marriage he was appointed station agent and postmaster at Trowbridge, Jackson township, Pa., and held those positions for

\* i born in Highland Station, Kan.; ii in Washington county, Kan.; iii near Booneville, Madison county, Iowa; iv in Stratford, Iowa; the others near Patterson, Madison county, Iowa.

eight years. He then purchased two farms one and one-half miles from Trowbridge, where he now resides and is engaged in farming and dairying, giving also some attention to the subject of invention.

## CHILD BORN IN JACKSON TOWNSHIP, TIoga COUNTY, PA.:

- i. CANDACE, b. Apr. 11, 1883; m. Harry Hill and resides in Jackson township.

**565. LEMUEL ALBERT TROWBRIDGE** (*Henry*<sup>305</sup>, *Henry P.*<sup>176</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 13, 1866, in Jackson township, Tioga county, Pa.; resides in Jackson township; married November 28, 1893, in Elmira, N. Y., May Harriet Bailey, daughter of Harrison and Minerva (Stoddard) Bailey, born September 19, 1870, in Middlebury, Pa.

Lemuel A. Trowbridge was brought up on the old homestead near Trowbridge, Jackson township, Pa., where he at present resides. He was appointed postmaster there in 1895, and held that position until recently, when that office was discontinued. He is secretary of the Jackson Center Creamery Company (Limited).

## CHILDREN BORN IN JACKSON TOWNSHIP, TIoga COUNTY, PA.:

- i. SARA, b. Oct. 15, 1894.
- ii. MINERVA, b. May 18, 1896.
- iii. GEORGE, b. Oct. 24, 1898.

**566. WILLIAM HENRY TROWBRIDGE** (*William H.*<sup>306</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>178</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>131</sup>, *John*<sup>112</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 25, 1845, in Newport, R. I.; died December 28, 1886, in Syracuse, N. Y.; married May 24, 1866, in Syracuse, Eliza Bail, daughter of John and Elizabeth (West) Bail, born September 1, 1844, in Syracuse. She resides in Syracuse.

William H. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his mother and step-father to Syracuse, N. Y. He went to sea at the age of eleven and made a two years' voyage. He returned to Syracuse, where he passed through the grammar schools and at the same time learned the silversmith's trade under his step-father, Stephen Colwell. At the age of sixteen he became a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted August 31, 1861, in Company H, 14th New York Infantry. He served in the Army of the Potomac and was in all those great battles in which his regiment participated, and was discharged August 30, 1863.

On reaching home he immediately re-enlisted September 14, 1863, in Company I, 15th New York Cavalry, in which he was appointed sergeant. He served in the Shenandoah and adjacent valleys, and participated in all the battles and skirmishes from Upperville to Lacy's Springs in 1864, including Winchester, and was with Sheridan from Winchester to Five Forks. He was in all the engagements up to Lee's surrender, his regiment receiving the first truce sent out from Lee's headquarters on April 9, 1865. He was in the grand review at Washington, after which his regiment and the 6th New York were consolidated into the 2d New York Provisional Cavalry and were sent to Louisville, Ky., to do provost duty. He was mustered out August 9, 1865.

He returned to Syracuse, learned the machinist's trade, and entered the shops of the New York Central Railroad Company in that city, where he was employed until his death. He was a member of the Fourth Presbyterian Church of Syracuse and of Root Post, No. 151, G. A. R., of which he was an officer of the guard at the time of his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SYRACUSE, N. Y.:

- i. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Apr. 13, 1867; d. July 18, 1867.
- ii. STEPHEN ALONZO, b. Mar. 5, 1870; d. Nov. 16, 1874.
550. iii. CHARLES WILLIAM, b. Nov. 16, 1875.

**567.** JAMES HOYT TROWBRIDGE (*Jabez*<sup>308</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 27, 1799, in Bethel, Conn.; died May 3, 1877, in Bethel; married August 17, 1820, in Bethel, Mary Banks, daughter of Joseph and Hannah (Hoyt) Banks, born July 4, 1799, in Bethel; died November 21, 1859, in Stamford, Conn.

James H. Trowbridge in early life was a hatmaker in Bethel, Conn., his native place. He later engaged in the grocery business in Stamford, Conn., in which he continued for a number of years. He then returned to Bethel, where he was engaged in farming up to the time of his death.

## CHILDREN :\*

- S51. i. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Feb. 2, 1822.  
 ii. MARY JANE, b. Sept. 19, 1823; resides in Bethel, Conn.; unm.  
 iii. SAMUEL HOYT, b. Nov. 22, 1827; d. Feb. 15, 1838.  
 S52. iv. JAMES AUGUSTUS, b. Aug. 26, 1834.

**568.** DANIEL DAVIS TROWBRIDGE (*Jabez*<sup>308</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 18, 1801, in Bethel, Conn.; died November 29, 1884, in Bethel; married August 4, 1859, in Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Sarah Stone Judd, daughter of Sherman and Naomi (Hoyt) Judd, born April 6, 1813, in Milton, N. Y.; died September 20, 1881, in Bethel.

Daniel D. Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life in his native place, Bethel, Conn.

## NO CHILDREN.

**569.** ELI TAYLOR TROWBRIDGE (*Jabez*<sup>308</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 2, 1803, in Bethel, Conn.; died March 3, 1871, in Bethel; married October 4, 1843, in Bethel, Betsey Eliza Judd, daughter of Phineas and Sarah (Silliman) Judd, born December 23, 1804, in Bethel; died July 4, 1868, in Bethel.

Eli T. Trowbridge lived all his life in Bethel, Conn., his native place. He was a farmer.

## NO CHILDREN.

**570.** HORACE TROWBRIDGE (*Jabez*<sup>308</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 17, 1812, in Bethel, Conn.; died October 10, 1881, in Bethel; married, first, July 17, 1836, in Newtown, Conn., Amanda Benedict, daughter of Elam and Lydia (Beebe) Benedict, born November 26, 1810, in Newtown; died March 29, 1864, in Bethel. He married, second, August 28, 1864, in Bethel, Jennette Babbitt, daughter of Isaac and Eunice (Dunning) Babbitt, born April 26, 1819, in Brookfield, Conn.; died December 20, 1872, in Bethel. He married, third, April 17, 1873, in New York City, Mary Ann (Baldwin) Hipwell, widow of William Hipwell and daughter of Ambrose and Abigail (Camp) Baldwin, born August 2, 1812, in Troy, N. Y.; died February 27, 1888, in Bridgeport, Conn.

Horace Trowbridge resided all of his life in his native place, Bethel, Conn. He was a hatmaker by trade and was also engaged in farming. He and his first wife and sister Laura Trowbridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Benedict, composed the first Methodist class in Bethel in the winter of 1837. He was unremitting in the efforts he put forth to build up the Methodist Episcopal Church in Bethel. He had a great love for nature and knew every tree, flower and bird, at least by their common names. He rarely returned from a walk or drive without wild

\* i-ii born in Bethel, Conn.; iii-iv in Stamford, Conn.

flowers and branches of trees, something that had caught his fancy; and it was a pleasure to go out with him, as nothing escaped his eye. If he had been trained he would have been a naturalist. He was especially fond of roses, cultivating almost every variety. He liked solid reading and his library consisted mostly of religious books, books of travel, history and biography. He lived a quiet, modest life and his influence was always for good.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BETHEL, CONN.:

*By first marriage:\**

853. i. OSCAR, b. July 13, 1838; d. Sept. 15, 1859, in Bethel; unm.  
 ii. SAMUEL HOYT, b. Sept. 12, 1840.  
 iii. CAROLINE AMANDA, b. Dec. 14, 1850; d. aged 14 months.

*Adopted child BORN IN DANBURY, CONN.:*

- iv. CAROLINE BENEDICT,† b. June 17, 1852; is a well-known landscape artist; resides in Phoenix, Ariz.; unm.

**571.** IRA TROWBRIDGE (*Eliakim D.*<sup>309</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 5, 1808, in Bethel, Conn.; died July 19, 1874, in Bethel; married November 1, 1831, in Bethel, Mary Susan Beacham, daughter of George and Lydia (Durant) Beacham, born September 13, 1813, in New York City; died March 7, 1883, in Bethel.

Ira Trowbridge resided all of his life in Bethel, Conn., his native place. He was a hatter.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BETHEL, CONN.:

- i. LYDIA ALMERA, b. Aug. 14, 1833; m. Nov. 19, 1851, Lowell Mason Nichols of Williamsburgh, N. Y.  
 ii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. June 19, 1836; d. Jan. 12, 1856, in New York City; unm.  
 iii. HELEN AMELIA, b. Sept. 10, 1838; m. Nov. 19, 1856, Joseph Treadwell of Danbury, Conn.  
 iv. LEONORA ADELAIDE, b. Oct. 18, 1842; resides in Bethel; unm.  
 v. JEROME BONAPARTE, b. May 12, 1846; was a hatter; d. Apr. 6, 1876, in Bethel; unm.  
 vi. JULIA ELLIS, b. Jan. 14, 1849; m. May 14, 1867, David Munson Wood of Danbury.  
 vii. KATE GREEN, b. Feb. 2, 1855; m. Nov. 26, 1875, Edson Joel Hunt of Bethel.

**572.** GEORGE STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Eliakim D.*<sup>309</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 15, 1822, in Bethel, Conn.; died April 9, 1882, in Bethel; married November 5, 1851, in Ridgefield, Conn., Elizabeth Keeler, daughter of Thomas Smith and Mary Emily (Gilbert) Keeler, born October 3, 1833, in Ridgefield. She married, second, September 16, 1884, in Malta, Ill., James Orput, and died October 5, 1892, in Malta.

George S. Trowbridge was a hatter. He resided all his life in his native place, Bethel, Conn.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BETHEL, CONN.:

854. i. CHARLES KEELER, b. Oct. 10, 1852.  
 855. ii. FRANK GREEN, b. Mar. 15, 1856.  
 iii. LEROY GILBERT, b. June 11, 1863; d. June 2, 1874.

**573.** SAMUEL WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Jeremiah T.*<sup>310</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>181</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 4, 1819, in Newtown, Conn.; died June 17, 1900, in Waterbury, Conn.; married November 26,

\* No children by second or third marriages.

† She was Ella Jane Benedict and is a daughter of Luke and Mary H. (Porter) Benedict, and niece of No. 570's first wife, who adopted her in infancy after the death of her daughter No. iii. Mrs. Mary H. (Porter) Benedict was a daughter of No. 188, i.

1844, in Newtown, Mary Prindle, daughter of Lewis Beers and Betsy (Ferris) Prindle, born February 23, 1820, in Newtown; died October 21, 1900, in Waterbury.

Samuel W. Trowbridge married and settled in his native place, Newtown, Conn. In 1855 he removed with his family to Waterbury, Conn., and resided in that city the remainder of his life. He was a bookkeeper.

## CHILDREN:

- i. JULIA FRANCES, b. Feb. 27, 1847, in Newtown, Conn.; d. Oct. 7, 1855.
- ii. CHARLES HENRY, b. Jan. 3, 1849, in Newtown; d. Mar. 23, 1854.
556. iii. FRANK HENRY, b. June 4, 1856, in Waterbury, Conn.

**574.** EDWIN BOOTH TROWBRIDGE (*Jeremiah T.<sup>310</sup>, Samuel<sup>151</sup>, Stephen<sup>132</sup>, Samuel<sup>113</sup>, Samuel<sup>104</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born August 21, 1831, in Newtown, Conn.; died August 25, 1869, in Danbury, Conn.; married November 3, 1852, in Bethel, Conn., Susan Clarissa Hyatt, daughter of Daniel and Hannah (——) Hyatt, born ———, 183—, in Bethel; died June 18, 1863, in Newtown.

Edwin B. Trowbridge learned the hat trade in Bethel, Conn. During the Civil War he enlisted in the 16th New York Cavalry and was employed principally in scouting. It was a detachment of Company L of this regiment that captured John Wilkes Booth, the assassin of President Lincoln. After his discharge from the army he returned home and resumed his trade, which he followed until his death.

## CHILD BORN IN NEWTOWN, CONN.:

- i. SUSAN CLARISSA, b. June 18, 1863; m. R. S. Cusack and resides in Orange, N. J.\*

**575.** NEHEMIAH CONKLIN TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen B.<sup>311</sup>, Stephen<sup>152</sup>, Stephen<sup>132</sup>, Samuel<sup>113</sup>, Samuel<sup>104</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born July 21, 1821, in North East, N. Y.; died April 19, 1897, in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; married September 5, 1843, in Poughkeepsie, Phebe Wilkinson, daughter of George and Rhoda (Doughty) Wilkinson, born March 22, 1826, in Beekman, N. Y. She resides in Poughkeepsie.

N. Conklin Trowbridge came at the age of thirteen with his father to Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and grew to manhood in that city. He became a member of the firm which was established in 1810 by his uncles Nathan and Mulford Conklin. After the retirement of his father, he was associated with his brother John for some years in the firm of Trowbridge & Co.

Mr. Trowbridge was a man of gentle and retiring disposition and never held public office. During his business career he was widely known throughout Dutchess county, and was esteemed by all for his integrity and purity of life. He was a merchant in Poughkeepsie for over half a century and was one of its oldest residents at his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.:

- i. GEORGE WILKINSON, b. July 25, 1844; d. May 13, 1845.
- ii. ELIZA CONKLIN, b. May 20, 1846; resides in Poughkeepsie; unm.
- iii. MARY, b. Feb. 22, 1848; m. July 28, 1874, Charles Henry Kirby and resides in Poughkeepsie.
- iv. PHEBE DOUGHTY, b. Dec. 15, 1857; resides in Poughkeepsie; unm.

**576.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen B.<sup>311</sup>, Stephen<sup>152</sup>, Stephen<sup>132</sup>, Samuel<sup>113</sup>, Samuel<sup>104</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born July 20, 1829, in Washington, N. Y.; died June 18, 1903, in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; married January 18, 1853, in

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.



Fishkill, N. Y., Eliza Robinson, daughter of Duncan and Mary (Van Voorhis) Robinson, born April 18, 1828, in Fishkill; died May 11, 1901, in Poughkeepsie.

John Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and was educated in the schools there and at College Hill. He became a merchant in that city, being associated for some years with his brother N. Conklin Trowbridge, under the firm name of Trowbridge & Co. He retired from business in 1857.

Mr. Trowbridge was prominent in Masonic orders for many years, having been presiding officer of lodge, chapter and commandery. He was a member of the Second Reformed Church of Poughkeepsie for nearly forty years.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. MARY ROBINSON, b. Aug. 9, 1854; m. June 6, 1876, John Woodruff Pelton and resides in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
- ii. ELLA, b. July 11, 1856; m. Oct. 31, 1882, Samuel Crawford Nightingale and resides in Wellesley Hills, Mass.
- iii. GEORGE SHREVE, b. Aug. 24, 1858; d. Jan. 25, 1861.

577. PERRY CLARK TROWBRIDGE (*Alexander W.*<sup>312</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>182</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 25, 1827, in North East, N. Y.; died October 24, 1887, in Salisbury, Conn.; married October 10, 1849, in Amenia, N. Y., Sarah Esther Mead, daughter of John King and Jane Amanda (Sutherland) Mead, born September 11, 1829, in Amenia. She married, second, May 6, 1869, in Amenia, Edward William Simmons, Esq., of Millerton, N. Y., where she resides.

Perry C. Trowbridge was engaged in farming nearly all of his life in his native town, North East, N. Y.

## CHILD BORN IN NORTH EAST, N. Y. :

- i. MARY MEAD, b. May 31, 1855; m. June 16, 1880, John Rossman Collins and resides in Tarrytown, N. Y.

578. WALTER TROWBRIDGE (*Alexander W.*<sup>312</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>182</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 9, 1830, in North East, N. Y.; died November 24, 1878, in North East; married January 29, 1854, in Ancram, N. Y., Abbie Engoles, daughter of Peter and Julia (Wood) Engoles, born November 3, 1830, in Ancram. She resides in Lansingburgh, N. Y.

Walter Trowbridge attended Amenia College, Amenia, N. Y. After his marriage he removed to Pontiac, Mich., and took up farming, which was his occupation throughout the remainder of his life. He lived for some years on a farm near Pontiac, and then returned to his native place, North East, N. Y., where he died a few years later. He joined Pontiac Lodge, No. 21, F. and A. M., in 1866. He was postmaster at Hnsted's, Dutchess county, N. Y., from 1876 to 1878.

## CHILD BORN IN PONTIAC, MICH. :

- i. IDA ELIZABETH, b. June 20, 1861; m. Sept. 7, 1893, William Henry Dennin and resides in Lansingburgh, N. Y.

578a. CHARLES BARNUM TROWBRIDGE (*Alexander W.*<sup>312</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>182</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 5, 1832, in North East, N. Y.; died ———, 18—, in Salt Lake City, Utah; married Anna Ottinger, daughter of William and Elizabeth (Martin) Ottinger, born in Philadelphia,† Pa. She resides in Philadelphia.

\* 1 born in Fishkill, N. Y.; ii-iii in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

† Or White Marsh.

Charles B. Trowbridge was what was known as a "freighter" across the plains, and through Utah and Montana in 1864 and 1865. He became interested to a considerable extent in real estate in Salt Lake City, and had a high reputation for honesty as a business man.

NO CHILDREN.

**579. HILEN TROWBRIDGE** (*Alexander W.*<sup>312</sup>; *Stephen*<sup>152</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 8, 1852, in North East, N. Y.; resides in Lincoln, Neb.; married May 24, 1883, in Onarga, Ill., Anna Belle Ludwick, daughter of Jacob Biglow and Elizabeth Catharine (Lithgow) Ludwick, born April 27, 1860, in Rimersburg, Pa.

Hilen Trowbridge remained on his father's farm, near Millerton, N. Y., until he was twenty years of age. He then attended Riverview Military Academy in Poughkeepsie, N. Y. After leaving school he commenced railroading, first as a brakeman and later as baggage master on the Connecticut Western railroad, running out of Hartford, Conn. In the year 1878 he was on an excursion train which was wrecked by going through the bridge over the Farmington river at Tariffville, Conn., when many passengers were killed and injured, he escaping by climbing onto the roof of the car in which he was riding.

In 1881 he went to Illinois and entered the employ of the Illinois Central Railroad Company. He later became messenger for the American Express Company and ran on three divisions of that road, most of the time between Gilman and Springfield. In 1884 he went to McCook, Neb., and in partnership with his brother-in-law engaged in the furniture business, the firm being known as Ludwick & Trowbridge. In 1889 he sold out and received an appointment in the railway mail service as a postal clerk, with a run out of Lincoln, Neb., on the Burlington system. Starting in Class 1, in less than ten years he was promoted to Class 5 and was clerk-in-chief of a full railway post office.

Mr. Trowbridge is a Republican in politics and has always voted that ticket. While he resided in McCook, Neb., he was elected a member of the board of education, on which he served for two years. He is a member of the Odd Fellows, the Knights of Pythias and the Ancient Order of United Workmen. He is also a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church. His home is in Lincoln, Neb.

CHILDREN :

- i. STEPHEN BARNUM, b. Mar. 22, 1884, in Millerton, N. Y.; d. May 3, 1890.
- ii. CHARLES, b. Jan. 29, 1886, in McCook, Neb.; d. Apr. 16, 1890.
- iii. DOROTHY BLANCHE, b. June 9, 1897, in Lincoln, Neb.

**580. WILLIAM DANIEL TROWBRIDGE** (*Seeley*<sup>313</sup>, *Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 2, 1825, in Great Bend, Pa.; died April 4, 1899, in Des Moines, Iowa; married May 20, 1851, in Salona, Pa., Frances Ann Furst, daughter of John and Barbara (Shuman) Furst, born August 20, 1829, in Salona; died September 7, 1901, in Des Moines.

William D. Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life, first in Pennsylvania and from 1855 on the outskirts of Des Moines, Iowa.

CHILDREN :\*

- S57. i. JOHN FURST, b. May 14, 1852.
- S58. ii. LEWIS SEELEY, b. Nov. 29, 1853.
- S59. iii. SHUMAN ARTHUR, b. June 17, 1857.
- S60. iv. HARRY RICHARD, b. Aug. 10, 1859.
- v. JOSEPH ELMER, b. Sept. 1, 1861; d. June 10, 1865.
- vi. CHARLES WALLACE, b. Nov. 24, 1866; d. Jan. 13, 1880.
- vii. ROBERT MCCLURE, b. Jan. 19, 1870; d. July 31, 1879.

\* i born in Great Bend, Pa.; ii in Jacksonville, Centre county, Pa.; vi in Salona, Pa.; the others in Des Moines, Iowa.





*E. N. Brownridge*

**581.** HENRY RANSOM TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>314</sup>, *Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 20, 1833, in Great Bend, Pa.; resides in Little Rock, Ark.; married July 14, 1891, in Little Rock, Sarah Ann (Apperley) Oakley, widow of Frank Roe Oakley of New York City and daughter of William and Sarah Ann (Wood) Apperley, born July 29, 1846, in London, England.

Henry R. Trowbridge went with his father to Trempealeau, Wis., and learned the trade of a machinist. He went to Minnesota, where he became an engineer in a steam sawmill and was so employed at the outbreak of the Civil War. He enlisted from Jackson, Minn., at Fort Snelling October 23, 1861, and was appointed a corporal in Company B, Bracket's Battalion, Minnesota Light Cavalry. He was soon afterwards attached to Company I, 5th Iowa Cavalry. He was at the siege of Fort Donelson and the battle of Shiloh. Shortly after this he was detailed to serve with the United States Telegraph Military Corps. In the course of his duties in the telegraph service he was through most of the Southern States and the West. He was wounded several times although not seriously enough to incapacitate him from duty. He remained with that branch of the service until the expiration of his term of enlistment and was mustered out November 29, 1864, at Fort Snelling.

After leaving the army Mr. Trowbridge continued in the telegraph business some two or three years, first with the Western Union and later with other private telegraph constructing companies. He then went into railroading, in which he continued until he was compelled to give it up on account of poor health about 1895. He resides at present in Little Rock, Ark., where he is engaged in the fruit business.

NO CHILDREN.

**582.** EDWARD NEWELL TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>314</sup>, *Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 25, 1834, in Meadville, Pa.; died January 1, 1900, in Whitehall, Wis.; married June 25, 1866, in Trempealeau, Wis., Mary Pine Booth, daughter of Franklin Ephraim and Hannah (Pine) Booth, born December 6, 1842, in Medina, Ohio. She resides in Whitehall.

Edward N. Trowbridge went with his father to Trempealeau, Wis. He became a school-teacher at the age of nineteen, and followed teaching as his profession, interrupted at short intervals, for over twenty years. He served three years in the Civil War, enlisting September 7, 1861, in the 1st Battery, Wisconsin Light Artillery. During his term of service he was engaged in the battle of Chickasaw Bayou, the capture of Arkansas Post, the actions at Port Gibson and Black River Bridge, and the siege of Vicksburg, and was promoted corporal. He was discharged October 11, 1864.

After leaving the army he resumed school-teaching. He settled after his marriage in Trempealeau, and engaged in the lumber business. He was thus occupied until December, 1881, when he removed to Whitehall, Wis. He was there elected county clerk and held this office for eight years. He then engaged in the real estate, insurance and collection business, which he followed the remainder of his life. He was chosen vice-president of the Whitehall National Bank and held that office until his death. He also served as a member of the school board and of the village board, and held the office of town clerk. He was a member of the Baptist church in Whitehall, of which he was a deacon, and also held the office of treasurer and superintendent of the Sunday school.

Mr. Trowbridge expressed much interest in the subject of this genealogy and gave valuable assistance to the compiler by collecting records of his branch of the family.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TREMPEALEAU, WIS.:

- S61. i. WILLIAM MARSHALL, b. Aug. 21, 1867.  
 S62. ii. HARRY HERBERT, b. Oct. 10, 1869.  
 iii. GRACE, b. Apr. 25, 1872; d. June 18, 1873.  
 iv. EDWARD NEWELL, b. Aug. 23, 1874; d. Feb. 7, 1892, in Whitehall, Wis.  
 v. MARY, b. July 19, 1881; resides with her mother; unm.

583. HIRAM IRENEUS TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>314</sup>, *Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 15, 1837, in Meadville, Pa.; died November 23, 1900, in Trempealeau, Wis.; married April —, 1875, in Trempealeau, Eliza Jane Brown, daughter of Robert and Margaret (Burgoin) Brown, born July 30, 1849, in Brooklyn, N. Y. She resides in Trempealeau.

Hiram I. Trowbridge went with his father to Trempealeau, Wis. He served three years in the Civil War, enlisting in 1862 in Company C, 30th Wisconsin Infantry. He was promoted to corporal and served until the expiration of his term of enlistment. After leaving the army he settled in Trempealeau, where he lived the remainder of his life. He was several times elected to membership on the school board there and occupied various positions of trust in his neighborhood. He was chiefly engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TREMPEALEAU, WIS.:

- i. ROBERT DANIEL, b. Mar. 16, 1876; is a farmer in Trempealeau.  
 S62a. ii. HENRY RAYMOND, b. Oct. 20, 1877.  
 iii. GUY EARL, b. Aug. 13, 1883.  
 iv. MYRTLE, b. May 31, 1889.

584. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>315</sup>, *Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 6, 1836, in Assumption parish, La.; resides in New Orleans, La.; married March 1, 1868, in New Orleans, Wilhelmina Martens. William Trowbridge is engaged in mercantile business in New Orleans, La.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW ORLEANS, LA.:

- i. WILLIAM SEYMOUR, b. Dec. 4, 1868; d. aged 4 years.  
 ii. JOHN CHARLES FREDERICK, b. May 17, 1870; d. Aug. 22, 1883.  
 iii. MARINDA LAVINIA, b. Oct. 1, 1872; d. aged 3 years.  
 iv. PHOEBE ANN, b. Jan. 7, 1875; d. that year.  
 v. FRANCIS NICHOLS, b. Aug. 19, 1876.

585. WILLIAM SALISBURY TROWBRIDGE (*Calvin*<sup>316</sup>, *Seeley*<sup>184</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 25, 1812, in New Hartford,\* N. Y.; died September 10, 1886, in Milwaukee, Wis.; married February 4, 1837, in New Hartford, Abigail C.† Richardson, born February 3, 1816, in New Hartford; died February 6, 1869, in Milwaukee.

William S. Trowbridge learned the profession of a civil engineer. He went to Milwaukee, Wis., in 1834 and in that year made the first survey of Milwaukee. In the winter and spring of 1835-6 he surveyed and platted the site of the city of Sheboygan for the proprietors. In 1836 he entered the Trowbridge homestead, which his father later purchased from the government, near what became the city limits of Milwaukee. He was appointed the first civil engineer of the county and city, and held the latter office until an ordinance was passed which required the holder of that office to reside within the city limits, when, declining to change his residence, he resigned. He continued to pursue his profession on his own private account until the end of his active life. He was also a successful farmer

\* Then a part of Whitestown.

† Initial only.

and horticulturist, and acquired ample means. He held a high rank in his profession, and enjoyed the respect and confidence of the entire community. In politics he was a Republican of the staunchest kind. He resided until his death on the farm which he located in 1836.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MILWAUKEE, WIS.:

- i. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Apr. 2, 1838; m. June 17, 1879, John L.\* Millis and resides in Milwaukee.
- ii. WILLIAM EDWARD, b. Nov. 15, 1841; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted Aug. 15, 1862, in Company B, 24th Wisconsin Infantry, and was appointed third sergeant. He joined the Army of the Cumberland and was thereafter in all of its battles, being wounded at Missionary Ridge. He was promoted Feb. 18, 1864, second lieutenant of Company B, 16th Wisconsin Infantry, and was with Sherman in his march through Georgia, acting as forage master. He was mustered out July 12, 1865, at the expiration of his term of service. After leaving the army he was for some time engaged in mining in Montana. He then returned to his father's farm near Milwaukee, Wis., where he has since resided, engaged in farming. He is unmarried.
- iii. HARRIET RICHARDSON, b. Mar. 2, 1844; d. July 5, 1899, in Milwaukee; unm.
- iv. LUCY ABIGAIL, b. Mar. 7, 1846; d. June 6, 1857.
- v. HENRY, b. Sept. 28, 1848; is farming near Milwaukee; unm.
- vi. ALICE, b. Jan. 8, 1851; d. July 6, 1866.

586. MARTIN LUTHER TROWBRIDGE (*Calvin*<sup>316</sup>, *Seeley*<sup>184</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 10, 1818, in New Hartford, N. Y.; died September 10, 1900, in Milwaukee, Wis.; married, first, December 9, 1845, Lucinda Snell. He married, second, April 1, 1856, Minnie L. Page, daughter of Greenleaf and Lucy Ehnira (Powers) Page, born in Augusta, Me. She resides in Milwaukee.†

Martin L. Trowbridge took possession of his father's claim in Milwaukee, Wis., in the fall of 1836, and began to clear the place, his father and other members of the family arriving in 1837. He was engaged in farming there most of his life, with the exception of some years when he conducted a ranch near San José, Cal.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MILWAUKEE, WIS.:

*By second marriage.‡*

- i. GRACE DARLING, b. Apr. 6, 1857.
- ii. LUCY ADELE, b. Oct. 12, 1859.
- iii. JOSEPHINE PAGE, b. May 12, 1860.
583. iv. PARKER THEODORE, b. Sept. 10, 1862.
- v. LINCOLN, b. Feb. 9, 1866; resides in Milwaukee.†

\* 587. JOHN CALVIN TROWBRIDGE (*Calvin*<sup>316</sup>, *Seeley*<sup>184</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 6, 1823, in Eugene, Ind.; died August 21, 1884, in Prairie du Chien, Wis.; married September 12, 1847, in Milwaukee, Wis., Louisa C. Hastings, daughter of Jonathan and Elizabeth (McKillip) Hastings, born October 26, 1823, in Rupert, Vt. She resides in Milwaukee.

John C. Trowbridge came with his father to a farm near Milwaukee, Wis. He went to work in the *Sentinel* printing office as soon as it was started and is thought to have been the first printer's "devil" in Milwaukee. He became a farmer and was occupied with farming the remainder of his life.

\* Initial only.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters. Family register dates as printed in "Trowbridge Family."

‡ No children by first marriage.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. MARTHA ANN, } twins, m. July 2, 1871, Warren Foster Cook of  
 Prairie du Chien, Wis.  
 ii. MARY ANN, } b. Aug. 11, 1848; d. Nov. 8, 1848, in North Prairie, Wis.  
 iii. ZYLPHIA BEEBE, b. Nov. 21, 1851; resides in Milwaukee, Wis.; unm.  
 iv. MARGARET ELIZABETH, b. May 29, 1853; m. Apr. 22, 1880, James Peter  
 McKillip and resides in Bard, S. D.  
 864. v. PAUL JONES, b. Dec. 2, 1856.

588. FRANK PERRY TROWBRIDGE (*Seth*<sup>317</sup>, *Seeley*<sup>184</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 6, 1847, in New Hartford, N. Y.; resides in Oneida, N. Y.; married March 17, 1890, in Peterboro, N. Y., Clara Phillips, daughter of John Herbert and Frances (Sherman) Phillips, born March 14, 1872, in Oneida.

Frank P. Trowbridge is a farmer in Oneida, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ONEIDA, N. Y.:

- i. HARRY PHILLIPS, b. Jan. 12, 1892.  
 ii. RUTH, b. June 10, 1901.

589. ROBERT PERRY TROWBRIDGE (*Seth*<sup>317</sup>, *Seeley*<sup>184</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 18, 1855, in Wampsville, N. Y.; died July 30, 1892, in Oneida, N. Y.; married, first, November 20, 1880, in Oneida, Katherine Crimmins, who died January —, 1887, in Oneida. He married, second, May 12, 1888, in Oneida, Lillian Ada Collins, daughter of Alfred and Elizabeth (Doty) Collins, born July 26, 1870, in Higginsville, N. Y. She resides in Perryville, N. Y.

Robert P. Trowbridge was a farmer in Oneida, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ONEIDA, N. Y.†

*By first marriage:*

- i. KATHERINE ALBERTINE ESTHER, b. May 23, 1882; m. Abner Black and resides in Philadelphia, Pa.  
 ii. GROVER CLEVELAND, b. Apr. 20, 1884; is in the U. S. navy.  
 iii. FRANCES FOLSOM, b. Sept. 12, 1886; d. Dec. 9, 1886.

*By second marriage:*

- iv. FRANCIS, b. May 16, 1890.  
 v. ESTELLA, b. Aug. 16, 1892.

590. ALEXANDER HAMILTON TROWBRIDGE (*John F.*<sup>310</sup>, *Seeley*<sup>184</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 18, 1818, in New Hartford, N. Y.; died June 10, 1903, in Surprise, Neb.; married August 16, 1849, in Lafayette, Wis., Harriet Bentley, daughter of Robert and Maria (Burse) Bentley, born August 16, 1831, in Goshen, Conn. She resides in Surprise.

Alexander H. Trowbridge at the age of twenty-three went to Milwaukee, Wis., where for seventeen years he was engaged in business. He then engaged in farming in Walworth, Wis. In the spring of 1869 he emigrated to Butler county, Neb., and located on a farm where he continuously resided until his death.

Mr. Trowbridge was for nine years postmaster at Cottonwood, Neb., but, with the founding of Surprise, Neb., the post office was transferred to that village. He was a man of sympathetic nature, ever compassionate toward the suffering and distressed. He was a kind and helpful neighbor, a loving husband, and a man who made strong friendships—in fact he was a model citizen.

\* i-ii born in Sugar Creek, Wis.; iii-iv in Milwaukee, Wis.; v in Mapleton, Wis.

† Except i, who was born in Durhamville, N. Y.



NO CHILDREN, *but adopted:*

- i. NELLIE,\* b. June 14, 1854, in Penn Yan, N. Y.; m. June 13, 1874, James Patterson and resides in Hotchkiss, Colo.
- ii. ROBERT HAMILTON,† b. Jan. 16, 1871, in Wayne county, Mich.; resides in Surprise, Neb.; unm.

**591.** CAPT. JOSEPH MOTT TROWBRIDGE (*John F.*<sup>319</sup>, *Seeley*<sup>184</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 26, 1824, in Bridgewater, N. Y.; died April 9, 1901, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; married, first, November 9, 1854, in Columbus, Ohio, Adele Henrietta Brockway, who died February 13, 1858, in Chicago, Ill. He married, second, February 1, 1859, in Lawrenceburgh, Ind., Ada Josephine McCormick, daughter of James and Amanda Clendenning (Young) McCormick, born February 1, 1842, in Greensburgh, Ind. She resides in Wayne, Pa.

Joseph M. Trowbridge was educated at West Point Military Academy. After his graduation he followed the profession of a civil engineer until the outbreak of the Civil War. He volunteered at the first call for troops and was appointed from Ohio captain in the 16th U. S. Infantry on May 14, 1861. He was for some months aid to General Rosecrans, in the engineering department in the Army of Tennessee, and was mustering and disbursing officer at Milwaukee for a year and a half. He participated in several smaller engagements, and in the general battle of Chickamauga he had the honor to obtain special mention for meritorious conduct. He was entrusted at that battle, by the commanding general, with the delivery of the last order, directing General Sheridan, commanding the reserves, "to bring forward all his troops with the utmost possible dispatch." The execution of this order involved special peril—being exposed, mounted and alone, to the fire of the enemy's sharpshooters, at short range. He delivered the order, saw it executed, and escaped unhurt, his clothes much cut; and had in his possession a sword, the scabbard of which bears the indentation of a rifle ball received at that time. After this, his health failing, he resigned in the spring of 1864. He resided in Milwaukee, Wis., Staten Island, N. Y., and Brooklyn, N. Y.

## CHILDREN :‡

*By second marriage:§*

- i. ADELE, b. Sept. 28, 1861; m. Jan. 10, 1889, Commander George Roberts Salisbury, U. S. N., and resides in Wayne, Pa.
- ii. JOHN FOOTE, b. Mar. 7, 1863; d. June 3, 1863.
- iii. ANITA ROSAMOND, b. Sept. 23, 1870; d. Apr. 13, 1874.
- iv. ETHEL CLENDENNING, b. Feb. 9, 1875; m. June 20, 1900, Lieut. Commander Thomas Gaines Roberts, U. S. N., at present stationed at New Orleans, La.

**592.** ELI AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*Eli*<sup>320</sup>, *Eli*<sup>185</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 22, 1815, in Cairo, N. Y.‡; died March 3, 1876, in Greene, N. Y.; married April 9, 1840, in Coventry, N. Y., Maria W. Cornish, daughter of Whiting and Temperance (Wylie) Cornish, born May 26, 1812, in Coventry; died January 29, 1893, in Greene.

Eli A. Trowbridge was engaged in farming most of his life in Coventry, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN COVENTRY, N. Y.:

- i. SARAH MARIA, b. Nov. 13, 1842; m. Oct. 2, 1873, LeRoy D. Race and resides in Greene, N. Y.
- ii. OLIVER AUGUSTUS, b. June 26, 1846.
- iii. FRANK W., b. Sept. 17, 1853; is a proprietor of a hotel in Greene; unm.

\* Name so changed from Ella Snyder.

† Name so changed from Oliver Francis Dolg.

‡ i-ii born in Milwaukee, Wis.; iii-iv in Ettingville, Staten Island, N. Y.

§ No children by first marriage.

**593.** OLIVER TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel E.*<sup>324</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 5, 1833, in Phelps, N. Y.; resides in Dearborn, Mich.; married December 31, 1854, in Nankin, Mich., Jane Hix, daughter of Benjamin and Electa (Fester) Hix, born September 15, 1832, in Orleans, N. Y.

Oliver Trowbridge went as a young man to Michigan. He settled soon after his marriage in Dearborn, Wayne county, where he at present resides. He is a farmer.

CHILD BORN IN DEARBORN, MICH.:

866. i. OLIVER ADIN, b. Oct. 17, 1855.

**594.** MILES TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel E.*<sup>324</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 19, 1837, in Phelps, N. Y.; resides in Olive (Merlebeach P. O.), Mich.; married November 13, 1867, in Lansing, Mich., Ellen (Harger) Wixom, widow of Grover B. Wixom and daughter of Seeley and Arvilla (Seeley) Harger, born February 10, 1834, in Wilson, N. Y.

Miles Trowbridge went to Michigan at the age of fifteen with his father and has been engaged in farming in that state ever since. He is a practical farmer and conducts a farm of 290 acres in the town of Olive, Clinton county, Mich.

NO CHILDREN.

**595.** WILLIAM HARRISON TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel E.*<sup>324</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 9, 1840, in Phelps, N. Y.; resides in Cohoctah, Mich.; married July 25, 1863, in Brighton, Mich., Mary Susanna Anstberry, daughter of Joseph and Josephine (———) Anstberry, born October 6, 1816, in Germany.

William H. Trowbridge at the age of twelve went with his father to Dearborn, Mich. In 1855 he went to Livingston county, Mich., where he was engaged in farm work for several years. After his marriage he bought a sawmill in Genoa township and lived there fifteen years. In 1878 he removed with his family to Cohoctah, where he at present resides. He there owns a sawmill, cider mill, feed and general merchandise store, and is postmaster of the town.

CHILDREN:\*

- i. CHARLES ELMER, b. Apr. 14, 1867.
- ii. FANNY, b. Dec. 26, 1869; d. Jan. 1, 1870.
- iii. JENNY TERESSIA, b. July 29, 1871; d. Oct. 3, 1873.
- iv. WILLIAM HARRISON, b. Sept. 30, 1875.
- v. SEELEY JOSEPH, b. Aug. 11, 1878.
- vi. BERTHA SUSANNA, b. Sept. 30, 1886.

**596.** JOSEPH WARREN TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel E.*<sup>324</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 6, 1845, in Phelps, N. Y.; resides in Dearborn (Inkster P. O.), Mich.; married March 22, 1868, in Wayne county, Mich., Ann Moynahan, daughter of Peter and Mary (Moynahan) Moynahan, born ———, 1846, in Dearborn.

J. Warren Trowbridge came in childhood with his father to Dearborn, Mich., which has been his home since that time. He served for nearly four years in the Civil War. He enlisted in August, 1861, in Company E, 16th Michigan Infantry, participated in the engagements of the Army of the Potomac, and was discharged December 21, 1863. He re-enlisted as a veteran and was mustered out July 8, 1865. He engaged in farming after he returned home from the war and has been thus occupied ever since. He has served as school officer, highway commissioner and constable of the town.

\* i-iv born in Genoa, Mich.; v-vi in Cohoctah, Mich.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TAYLOR, MICH.:

- i. FLORENCE, b. Apr. 23, 1869; m. Apr. 8, 1891, Arthur Harrison and resides in Inkster, Mich.
- 866a. ii. FRANK, b. Sept. 5, 1871.
- iii. JENNIE, b. May 16, 1874; m. Aug. 24, 1897, Norval Hoagland and resides in Detroit, Mich.
- iv. DAISY, b. Aug. 6, 1876.
- v. FANNIE, b. Nov. 30, 1878; m. Jan. 13, 1898, John Osborne and resides in Ford City, Wyandotte Nation.
- 866b. vi. SAMUEL, b. Sept. 1, 1882.

**597.** THOMAS SCOTT TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>325</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 11, 1823, in Phelps, N. Y.; died March 22, 1856, in Hudson, Ohio; married October 8, 1851, in Ravenna, Ohio, Luthera Taft Day, daughter of David and Rhoda (Wheelock) Day, born September 29, 1826, in South Granville, N. Y.; died May 15, 1862, in Ravenna.

Thomas S. Trowbridge came as a young man with his father to Ravenna, Ohio. After his marriage he settled in Hudson, Ohio, where he lived the remaining years of his life. He was a cooper by trade. The last two years of his life he held the position of engineer in the Hudson Flouring Mills Company.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HUDSON, OHIO:

- i. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Mar. 18, 1853; d. Aug. 12, 1853.
- ii. CHARLES HENRY, b. Sept. 8, 1854; was a machinist; d. Apr. 19, 1884, in Chicago, Ill.; unm.

**598.** ZENAS RIGGS TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>325</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 4, 1827, in Phelps, N. Y.; resides in Hudson, Ohio; married August 31, 1852, in Akron, Ohio, Sarah Ann Perkins, daughter of Allen T. and Asenath (Cobb) Perkins, born January 13, 1833, in Hudson.

Zenas R. Trowbridge came in early boyhood with his father to Ravenna, Ohio. He settled after his marriage in Hudson, Ohio, which is his present residence. He is a carpenter by trade.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HUDSON, OHIO:

- i. HELEN MARIA, b. Aug. 18, 1853; m. July 3, 1877, George Parsons Denman and resides in Hudson.
- 867. ii. CHARLES WALTER, b. Jan. 22, 1855.
- iii. MARY PAULINE, b. Mar. 14, 1861; is a milliner in Hudson; unm.
- iv. SARAH LUCILE, b. June 23, 1876; is a school-teacher in Hudson; unm.

**599.** JAMES TAYLOR TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>325</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 4, 1834, in Ravenna, Ohio; resides in Akron, Ohio; married October 12, 1860, in Akron, Harriet Eliza Spicer, daughter of Avery and Harriet (King) Spicer, born April 13, 1836, in Akron; died February 24, 1900, in Akron.

James T. Trowbridge at the age of sixteen went to Salem, Ohio. He was apprenticed to learn the machinist's trade, after completing which he went into railroading and for twelve years was a locomotive engineer. He was running a train in Alabama on the Memphis and Charleston railroad when the Civil War broke out. He then came North and went on the Atlantic and Great Western railroad. He left that road in 1864 to take charge of the Toplin, Rice & Co. machine shop in Akron, Ohio. Since 1868 he has been in business for himself, excepting for one year, 1880, when he had charge of the Akron Iron Company works in the Hoeking valley. He is a dealer in pumps, farm implements, seeds, etc., in Akron.

Mr. Trowbridge served six years, 1876-82, as trustee of Buchtel College in Akron. He also held for a short time the office of assistant fire chief and was a member of the equalizing board in Akron. He was an honorary member for

a number of years of the Akron City Guards. He has had several inventions in farm machinery patented. He is one of the charter members of the First Universalist Church in Akron.

NO CHILDREN.

**600.** LUTHER POMEROY TROWBRIDGE (*Silas F.<sup>326</sup>, Daniel<sup>186</sup>, Seth<sup>133</sup>, Samuel<sup>113</sup>, Samuel<sup>104</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born April 6, 1822, in Buckland, Mass.; died January 29, 1897, in Buckland; married March 12, 1868, in Buckland, Rhoda Cordelia Purinton, daughter of Marcus and Sarah (Smith) Purinton, born October 10, 1840, in Colerain, Mass.; died April 14, 1875, in Sublette, Ill.

Luther P. Trowbridge removed after his marriage to a farm in Sublette, Lee county, Ill. After the death of his wife he returned to his father's farm in his native town, Buckland, Mass., where he lived the rest of his life.

CHILD BORN IN SUBLETTE, ILL.:

- i. MARCUS SILAS, b. June 22, 1870; d. Aug. 26, 1888, in Iveyville, Iowa; unm.

**601.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Silas F.<sup>326</sup>, Daniel<sup>186</sup>, Seth<sup>133</sup>, Samuel<sup>113</sup>, Samuel<sup>104</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born May 16, 1824, in Buckland, Mass.; resides in East Charlemont, Mass.; married January 15, 1850, in Shelburne, Mass., Olive Ann Wilder, daughter of Joshua and Lovina (Long) Wilder, born March 1, 1824, in Conway, Mass.

James Trowbridge is a farmer in East Charlemont, Mass.

NO CHILDREN, but adopted:

- i. ELLA LAVINIA, b. Apr. 1, 1854, in Springfield, Mass.; m. Nov. 27, 1879, James Duncan and resides in East Charlemont, Mass.

**602.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Silas F.<sup>326</sup>, Daniel<sup>186</sup>, Seth<sup>133</sup>, Samuel<sup>113</sup>, Samuel<sup>104</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born January 1, 1833, in Buckland, Mass.; died March 12, 1862, in the army; married October 1, 1861, in Sublette, Ill., Ellen Halbert.

John Trowbridge went in early manhood to Sublette, Ill., and was engaged in farming up to the time he volunteered as a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted for three years September 15, 1861, and was appointed corporal of Company D, 46th Illinois Infantry. He participated in the attacks on Fort Henry and Fort Donelson. His death was the result of a cold which he contracted during this campaign. He died in an army hospital on the Tennessee river and was buried in Savannah, Tenn.

NO CHILDREN.

**603.** OLIVER TROWBRIDGE (*Noble<sup>327</sup>, Oliver<sup>187</sup>, Seth<sup>133</sup>, Samuel<sup>113</sup>, Samuel<sup>104</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born January 1, 1805, in Great Bend, Pa.; died October 30, 1888, in Chicago, Ill.; married March 22, 1848, in Great Bend, Laura (Braisted) Trowbridge, widow of Henry Trowbridge (No. 605) and daughter of Benjamin and Betsey (Beardsley) Braisted, born August 20, 1820, in Howard, N. Y. She resides in Wapwallopen, Pa.

Oliver Trowbridge was a merchant in Great Bend, Pa., for several years. He then moved to the old farm that his father had owned, buying out the other heirs. He kept a hotel and stage house for the stages that ran between Newburgh and Binghamton. In 1871 he sold out his interests in Great Bend and removed to Chicago, Ill., where he resided the remainder of his life. He was a Mason and a member of the Episcopal Church.

CHILDREN BORN IN GREAT BEND, PA.:

- i. NOBLE, b. June —, 1849; d. Oct. 10, 1850.  
 868. ii. FRANK LOGAN, b. June 5, 1851.

**604.** GRANT BALDWIN TROWBRIDGE (*Noble*<sup>327</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 6, 1812, in Great Bend, Pa.; died October 24, 1891, in Great Bend; married April 22, 1840, in Kirkwood, N. Y., Love Lee Ensign, daughter of Charles and Selina (Clark) Ensign, born June 18, 1819, in Salisbury, Conn.; died March 2, 1902, in Great Bend.

Grant B. Trowbridge lived in his native place, Great Bend, Pa. He carried on the old Trowbridge farm for some time and then began manufacturing wagons in the town. Later on his son Frederick was admitted to partnership, under the firm name of G. B. Trowbridge & Son, and they continued in this line and afterwards added the lumber business. The firm continued in business until the failing health of Mr. Grant Trowbridge caused it to be discontinued a short time prior to his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GREAT BEND, PA.\*

- i. CHARLES ENSIGN, b. Apr. 14, 1842; enlisted at the first call for troops during the Civil War, Apr. 24, 1861, from Walton, Wis., in Company H, 2d Wisconsin Infantry, and was transferred to the regimental band. He was captured at the first battle of Bull Run and was confined in Libby Prison, where he d. Oct. 8, 1861; unm.
- ii. GRANT LEE, b. Feb. 17, 1844; d. Aug. 16, 1846.
- iii. LOUISA JANE, b. Dec. 28, 1845; m. Nov. 8, 1866, Richard S. Clark and resides in Great Bend.
- iv. MARTHA PARMELIA, b. Apr. 7, 1848; m. Nov. 9, 1870, Philander Herbert Lines and resides in Great Bend.
- v. MARY LOVE, b. Jan. 26, 1850; d. Jan. 22, 1852.
869. vi. FREDERICK GOODRICH, b. June 16, 1854.
870. vii. HERBERT LEE, } twins,  
viii. ALBERT HERMAN, } b. July 1, 1856; d. Feb. 24, 1874, in Great Bend; unm.
871. ix. WILLIAM GRANT, b. Mar. 7, 1861.

**605.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Noble*<sup>327</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March —, 1815, in Great Bend, Pa.; died June 9, 1845, in Great Bend; married July 1, 1840, in New Milford, Pa., Laura Braisted, daughter of Benjamin and Betsey (Beardsley) Braisted, born August 20, 1820, in Howard, N. Y. She married, second, Oliver Trowbridge (No. 603).

Henry Trowbridge was engaged in mercantile business in Great Bend, Pa. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Great Bend.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GREAT BEND, PA.:

- i. PARMELIA ELIZABETH, b. June 1, 1841; d. Mar. 21, 1842.
- ii. HENRIETTA REBECCA, b. Jan. 6, 1843; m. Nov. 12, 1861, Samuel Henderson Dotterer of Carbondale, Pa.
- iii. LYDIA JANE, b. Dec. 20, 1844; d. July 28, 1845.

**606.** AMASA THAYER TROWBRIDGE (*Lyman*<sup>328</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 13, 1807, in Great Bend, Pa.; died December 18, 1888, in Great Bend; married, first, ———, 1833, in Great Bend?, Mandana Blanding, who died March 10, 1852, in Great Bend. He married, second, May 27, 1856, in Florida, N. Y., Mary Elizabeth (Goble) Scoville, widow of Henry Scoville and daughter of William and Martha Mary (Price) Goble, born May 21, 1824, in ———, N. J. She resides in Great Bend.

Amasa T. Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life in Great Bend, Pa. About 1832 he bought a farm of 160 acres adjoining his father's farm, where he built a house and lived until his death.

\* Except 1, who was born in Wyatusing, Pa.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GREAT BEND, PA.:

*By first marriage:*

872. i. LYMAN AUGUSTUS, b. Mar. 29, 1834.  
 ii. JANE ELLEN, b. Mar. 19, 1836; m. John Broadfoot of Great Bend.  
 873. iii. THEODORE BURR, b. Dec. 23, 1837.  
 iv. JAMES MELVIN, b. Jan. 3, 1842; during the Civil War enlisted in the fall of 1861 in Company E, 56th Pennsylvania Infantry, but on account of poor health was only on duty one night, when he was taken ill and was sent to a hospital, from which he returned home and d. Sept. 1, 1862, in Great Bend; unm.  
 v. JULIETTE, b. Nov. 22, 1844; d. Nov. 25, 1849.  
 vi. AMELIA, b. Apr. 11, 1847; is a school-teacher; resides in New Milford, Pa.; unm.  
 vii. EMMA, b. Aug. 30, 1848; m. Nov. 4, 1875, Eugene L. Aldrich and resides in New Milford.  
 874. viii. WILLIAM BLAIR, b. Mar. 4, 1852.

*By second marriage:*

875. ix. HENRY PRICE, b. May 3, 1858.  
 876. x. CHARLES AMASA, b. June 16, 1862.

607. CHARLES HATCH TROWBRIDGE (*Lyman*<sup>328</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 11, 1813, in Great Bend, Pa.; died October 31, 1890, in Great Bend; married October 17, 1838, in Great Bend, Rosina Brown, daughter of Ebenezer and Catharine (Clark) Brown, born June 25, 1812, in Great Bend; died May 30, 1873, in Great Bend.

Charles H. Trowbridge was engaged in farming in his native town, Great Bend, Pa.

## CHILDREN :\*

877. i. CHESTER MUNSON, b. Aug. 21, 1841.  
 ii. HIRAM OSCAR, b. Oct. 14, 1845; was a soldier in the Civil War. He was mustered Aug. 25, 1862, in Company F, 141st Pennsylvania Infantry, and was killed in the battle of Chancellorsville, May 3, 1863; unm.†  
 878. iii. CHARLES RANSOM, b. July 24, 1846.  
 iv. SYLVINA AUGUSTA, b. Apr. 21, 1849; d. Nov. 13, 1867, in Great Bend, Pa.  
 v. ELIZABETH MARIA, b. July 25, 1851; m. June 12, 1875, Frank Lukene Brown and resides in Elmira, N. Y.  
 vi. SARAH ELMA, b. Sept. 30, 1853; m. May 29, 1880, Richard Oliver and resides in Elmira.  
 vii. KATIE LOUISE, b. Nov. 21, 1857; m. Feb. 13, 1877, George Young Preston and resides in Hallstead, Pa.

608. LA FAYETTE TROWBRIDGE (*Lyman*<sup>328</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 11, 1824, in Great Bend, Pa.; died September 3, 1890, in New York City; married, first, Sarah Brandt of New Milford, Pa. He married, second, Mrs. Annie E. Wood.

La Fayette Trowbridge was proprietor of a restaurant in New York City at the time of his death.

## CHILD:

*By first marriage:*

- i. LYMAN AUGUSTUS, b. ———, 185—,‡

609. AUSTIN BIERCE TROWBRIDGE (*Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 6, 1816, in Windsor, N. Y.; resides in Lee Centre, Ill.; married May 7, 1837, in Harmony, Pa., Ann Lewis,§ daughter

\* i-ii and v-vii born in Great Bend, Pa.; iii-iv in Tioga, N. Y.

† His name is given as *Oscar* in the roll of the regiment, and as *Oscar C.* in the regimental history.

‡ Only child mentioned in his father's will, which states that he is also known as *Lyman Brandt*, residing in Detroit, Mich., at the time of the testator's death. [New York City Surrogate's Records, Liber 448, p. 70.]

§ A sister of his step-mother and of the first wife of his brother No. 610.

of Rev. Nathaniel and Sarah (Stowe) Lewis, born February 4, 1814, in Harmony; died February 11, 1880, in Lee Centre.

Austin B. Trowbridge was engaged in farming in his native town, Windsor, N. Y., until 1845, when in company with his parents and other members of his family he emigrated to Lee Centre, Ill., where he has since been engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. NATHANIEL AUGUSTUS, b. Nov. 3, 1838; was engaged in school-teaching until 1859, when he went to California with three of his uncles to dig for gold. His health failing, he gave up mining and turned to speculation in mines, buying and selling with great success up to the time of his death. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church and an earnest Christian. He d. Jan. 23, 1864, in San Francisco, Cal.; unm.
- ii. SARAH JANE, b. June 16, 1844; m. June 5, 1873, Elijah Lyman King and resides in Lee Centre, Ill.
- iii. FLORA ARUBA, b. Sept. 29, 1851; d. July 2, 1856.
- iv. FRANK MILES, b. Apr. 15, 1854; d. Apr. 15, 1864.

**610.** SABIN HATCH TROWBRIDGE (*Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 7, 1821, in Windsor, N. Y.; died February 5, 1884, in Lee Centre, Ill.; married, first, April 23, 1839, in Harmony, Pa., Sarah Lewis, † daughter of Rev. Nathaniel and Sarah (Stowe) Lewis, born May 1, 1805, in Harmony; died December 8, 1861, in Lee Centre. He married, second, December 16, 1862, in ———, Sarah M. Bodine, widow of Capt. Vincent Bodine of Staten Island, N. Y., who died July 16, 1873, in Lee Centre. He married, third, November 6, 1875, in Lee Centre, Catalina Wendell Clapp, daughter of Alfred and Anna Lansing (Wendell) Clapp, born March 4, 1857, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; died August 10, 1907, in St. Louis, Mo.

Sabin H. Trowbridge was engaged in farming all his life. He lived after his marriage in his native place, Windsor, N. Y., until October, 1842, when he emigrated to Lee Centre, Ill. He was engaged in farming there the remainder of his life. He was postmaster at Lee Centre for twenty-one years. He was a prominent Mason and was buried with Masonic honors.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LEE CENTER, ILL. :‡

*By first marriage:*

- i. LUNIRA, b. Dec. 23, 1839; m. Mar. 21, 1858, Lyman Randall of Lee county, Ill.
- ii. LUCY ANN, b. July 14, 1843; m. June 18, 1868, Gustave Weimer of Dixon, Ill.
- iii. LEWIS AUGUSTUS, b. Sept. 5, 1845; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted June 4, 1862, for three months in Company K, 69th Illinois Infantry. He re-enlisted Mar. 2, 1863, for three years, and was appointed corporal of Company M, 16th Illinois Cavalry. He was taken prisoner and confined for two months at Belle Isle, and then on Jan. 3, 1864, was transferred to Andersonville, where he died of starvation Apr. 26, 1864; nmm.

*By third marriage:§*

- 878a. iv. PRENTISS SABIN, b. June 24, 1878.  
 878b. v. CHARLES WATERBURY, b. Feb. 26, 1881.  
 vi. LUCY CATALINA, b. May 23, 1882; d. Aug. 16, 1882.

**611.** REUBEN TROWBRIDGE (*Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 4, 1823, in Windsor, N. Y.; died November 3, 1901, in Eldena, Ill.; married April 1, 1855, in Dixon, Ill., Mary

\* i born in Binghamton, N. Y.; ii in Windsor, N. Y.; iii-iv in Lee Centre, Ill.

† See footnote § on preceding page.

‡ Except i, who was born in Windsor, N. Y.

§ No children by second marriage.

Ann Warner, daughter of David and Mary (Shaw) Warner, born October 23, 1835, in Washington county, Md. She resides in Eldena (Dixon P. O.).

Reuben Trowbridge when about twenty years old went with his parents and other members of his family to Lee county, Ill. He lived on his father's farm in Lee Centre until his marriage and then settled on a farm in Eldena, six miles south of Dixon, Ill. He was engaged in farming there the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ELDENA, ILL.:

- i. HARRIET ZERVIAH, b. Aug. 13, 1856; m. Jan. 31, 1877, Frank Stewart Cortright and resides in Dixon, Ill.
- 879. ii. REUBEN HOLBROOK, b. July 18, 1858.
- 880. iii. HENRY BRADFORD, b. Mar. 16, 1860.
- iv. MARY LUELLA, b. Nov. 30, 1863; m. Sept. 3, 1884, Casimir Perrier Jackson and resides in DeKalb, Ill.
- 881. v. AUSTIN LEE, b. Mar. 26, 1868.
- vi. CLARA MAY, b. Apr. 25, 1873; m. June 6, 1895, Albert Henry Hammarstrom and resides in Parker, S. D.

**612.** HENRY AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 20, 1828, in Windsor, N. Y.; died April 24, 1876, in Lee Centre, Ill.; married August 31, 1848, in Dixon, Ill., Anna Doan, daughter of John and Charlotte (Odell) Doan, born January 3, 1827, in Wayne county, Ind.; died June 11, 1906, in Purdin, Mo.

Henry A. Trowbridge accompanied his father to Lee Centre, Ill. He lived there until about three years after his marriage and then moved to a farm about ten miles southeast of Mendota, in Ophir township, La Salle county, Ill. In 1868 he removed with his family to a farm near Linneus, Linn county, Mo. A few years later he removed to Linneus where he was engaged in mercantile business for three years and up to the time of his death, which occurred at Lee Centre while he was on a business trip.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LA SALLE COUNTY,\* ILL.†

- i. ALICE ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 5, 1850; m. Sept. 11, 1867, James Washington Dodge and resides in Purdin, Mo.
- 882. ii. NELSON BRADFORD, b. Nov. 23, 1854.
- 883. iii. NOBLE HENRY, b. Sept. 2, 1857.
- 884. iv. ELMER SCOTT, b. Mar. 7, 1861.
- 885. v. JOHN FREDERICK, b. Dec. 20, 1863.

**613.** ROYCE DICKINSON TROWBRIDGE (*Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 4, 1830, in Windsor, N. Y.; died July 25, 1865, in Dixon, Ill.; married April —, 1852, in Eldena, Ill., Delia Newcomb Shew, daughter of Tunis and Electa (Newcomb) Shew, born December 4, 1834, in Shew Hollow, Schoharie county, N. Y. She married, second, December 11, 1867, in Dixon, Frank Babbitt of Dixon, where she died August 9, 1887.

Royce D. Trowbridge went in boyhood with his parents to Lee Centre, Ill. He learned the trade of a joiner and carried on that business for many years in Dixon, Ill. He was a member of Dixon Lodge, No. 39, I. O. O. F.

## CHILDREN:

- i. ELLA MARY, b. Dec. 6, 1852, in Eldena, Ill.; m. May 4, 1871, Oscar Adelbert Webb and resides in Fairhope, Ala.
- ii. ROYCE ELWOOD, b. Aug. 15, 1855, in Dixon, Ill.; d. July 3, 1865.
- iii. CHARLES HENRY, b. Oct. 23, 1857, in Dixon; d. July 28, 1864.

\* Ophir township.

† Except i, who was born in Lee Centre, Ill.







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**614. REV. NOBLE ALEXANDER TROWBRIDGE** (*Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 21, 1832, in Windsor, N. Y.; died January 12, 1894, in Longmont, Colo.; married December 2, 1868, in Seward, Ill., Maria Louise (Holmes) Alyea, widow of Isaiah Alyea of New Boston, Ill., and daughter of John How and Rhoda Louise (Bennett) Holmes, born June 8, 1834, in Syracuse, N. Y. She resides in Longmont.

Noble A. Trowbridge went at the age of thirteen years with his parents to Lee county, Ill. He spent some years on his father's farm in Lee Centre and then attended Rock River Seminary at Mt. Morris, Ill., after which he again engaged in farming. In 1859 with his brothers Lyman and Bradford he crossed the plains with ox-teams to the Pacific coast. He and his brothers were engaged in mining in Yreka, Cal., until the summer of 1862, when they started for Oregon. They arrived in what is now Grant county and Noble took up what is known as the Trowbridge farm on July 19. He taught school in John Day and also singing school at Canyon City, and was superintendent of the Sunday school for some time at that place. He was also interested in mining. He was elected justice of the peace, when honesty and capability were demanded by the hardy mining population. He was soon after appointed deputy sheriff by Nate Olney, then sheriff of Wasco county, and in the winter of 1863 he was appointed by Governor Gibs as enrolling officer. This position, as well as that of deputy sheriff, during the early mining days and while the battles of the Civil War were being fought, called for a cool head, a brave heart, and an honest and conscientious man, and Noble Trowbridge had these qualities.

While he was acting as enrolling officer, a committee waited on him and acquainted him with the fact that they had been appointed at a meeting held for that purpose to demand the enrollment papers. On his refusing to surrender them, one of the committee told him that the streets would run with blood and that he would probably lose his own life, if he did not accede to the request. His answer came quick and firm: "My life and blood are no better than thousands that have laid down their lives for this cause, and when called to lay it down in defense of my country it is ready." His firm but courteous action, the immediate call to friends of the cause, the cooler judgment of afterthought, and the organization of a body of men to act in an emergency, saved bloodshed. By riding day and night, he reached The Dalles, two hundred miles away, and thence rode on to Portland and Salem. Governor Gibs issued his proclamation, proclaiming that peace and quiet would be enforced by the militia, if necessary; but the firm action taken at the commencement had borne its fruit, and the proclamation was, we believe, the only one of its kind issued in Oregon during that eventful period. Mr. Trowbridge refused office when Grant county was organized in October, 1864. He closed up his business in 1866 and went back to his old home in Illinois.

Mr. Trowbridge had joined the Methodist Church when he was about sixteen years old. He had been licensed as an exhorter in that church in 1859, and when he crossed the plains to the coast he carried with him a well-established Christian character. He sought out the few followers of Christ wherever he dwelt, and organized Sunday schools and held religious services as occasion offered. While thus engaged, he felt called to the ministry and, in order to be better fitted for the work, returned to Illinois and entered the theological department of the Northwestern University at Evanston. He joined the Rock River Conference in 1868. He was at once appointed to Courtland and the next year to Byron. In 1870 he was left without appointment, at his own request, that he might try the climate of Minnesota. He served Fairmont, Minn., as a supply, and in 1871 was transferred to the Minnesota Conference. He there served Fairmont three years and Madelia and St. James three years. For personal reasons, he took a supernumerary relation and went into business in Fairmont. The next year he

was made effective and appointed to Shakopee. On account of throat trouble, he took a certificate of location at the close of this year. He soon after went into the railway postal service, but after more than four years' work he relinquished his place, and in 1886 removed with his family to Longmont, Colo., and was engaged for a few years in the furniture business. He continued preaching occasionally, and was always active in the Sunday school and prayer meeting. During the last three years of his life he was a great sufferer, but he endured all with Christian fortitude.

An intimate friend of Mr. Trowbridge writes of him thus: "Noble Trowbridge showed his Christian character in everyday life. He was an honest, upright citizen, a loyal friend, a noble son and brother, an affectionate husband, and a true Christian, who never tired of telling of his Maker's love and goodness. Being an intimate friend of his, I can say for truth he was one of God's noblemen."

## NO CHILDREN.

**615.** LYMAN BENJAMIN TROWBRIDGE (*Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 22, 1834, in Windsor, N. Y.; died September 16, 1902, in Portland, Ore.; married, first, June 29, 1854, in Homer, Ill., Elizabeth R. Gillette, daughter of Thomas Gillette, born January —, 1834, in Hartford, Conn.; died April 28, 1857, in Lee county, Ill. He married, second, Susan Baughman, daughter of Samuel Baughman, born in Mount Sterling, Ill.

Lyman B. Trowbridge was eleven years of age when he accompanied his parents to Lee county, Ill. He settled after his marriage on a farm six miles south of Dixon, Ill. In 1859 with his brothers Noble and Bradford he crossed the plains with ox-teams to California. They settled in Yreka and lived there until 1862, when they emigrated to Oregon, arriving in Grant county on July 19, 1862, and taking up what is known as the Trowbridge farm. He resided in Canyon City for a good many years, removing from there to Montavilla, Ore., and afterwards to Portland, Ore., where he died. He was engaged in farming and mining, and practiced medicine to some extent.

## CHILDREN :

*By first marriage:*

SS6. i. WILBUR EUGENE, b. Apr. 24, 1857, in Amboy township, Lee county, Ill.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. NOBLE ALEXANDER, b. Aug. 7, 1866, in Canyon City, Ore.; was a sailor; d. Aug. 23, 1890, in Tacoma, Wash.; umm.

SS7. iii. HENRY HOWARD, b. Mar. 4, 1869, in Canyon City.

**616.** BRADFORD CORNELIUS TROWBRIDGE (*Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 20, 1836, in Windsor, N. Y.; resides in John Day, Ore.; married January 1, 1888, in Canyon City, Ore., Marjory Milnie, daughter of James Alexander and Marjory (McGilvray) Milnie, born August 10, 1850, in Bedivochal, Glenlivet, Scotland.

Bradford C. Trowbridge went in boyhood with his parents to Lee county, Ill., and grew up on his father's farm in Lee Centre. In 1859 he accompanied his elder brothers, Noble and Lyman, to California. They started for Pike's Peak, but as they went along the Platte river they heard so many discouraging reports that they kept on to California. They were six months by ox-team on the road from Illinois to Siskiyou county, Cal. Mr. Trowbridge was there engaged in gold mining in Yreka until the spring of 1862. He then went with his brothers to Grant county, Ore., where they arrived July 19, and where he has since been engaged in farming and stock raising. He resides in John Day, Ore.





*Ira C. Tombridge*

## CHILDREN :

- i. CARRIE BEATRICE, b. May 26, 1891, in Grant county, Ore.; d. Jan. 4, 1893.
- ii. CHARLES AUGUSTUS, b. Aug. 26, 1892, in John Day, Ore.

**617.** IRA COOKE TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>330</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 16, 1823, in Lisle, N. Y.; died October 3, 1893, in Waseca, Minn.; married August 31, 1846, in Lisle, Judith Church, daughter of James Blakslee and Sarah (Matthews) Church, born September 28, 1826, in Marathon, N. Y.; died May 6, 1906, in Waseca.

Ira C. Trowbridge went to Chicago, Ill., in 1844, at the age of twenty-one, and engaged in the boot and shoe trade on Lake street. Chicago seemed to him such a swamp that it could never be a progressive town, so after one year there he went on by stage to Woodstock, Ill., fifty miles northwest of Chicago, where he located. He went back to New York to be married and immediately returned to Woodstock, where he owned a shoe store and was also in the real estate business. In July, 1866, he purchased of Mr. Meyers a farm which is the present site of Waseca, Minn., and removed his family there in 1867. He was virtually the father of the town, having seen it grow from a wheat field to its present condition. He was three times its mayor and always manifested a deep interest in its welfare and advancement.

Mr. Trowbridge was an active man, rarely failing in any project he undertook. As an instance of this, the people of the county retired one night with the county seat in a neighboring town and woke up to find it had been moved in the night to Waseca, owing to the efforts of Ira Trowbridge. He had large interests in Waseca, and was very well known in the country round about. He was a good friend, warm-hearted, and generous to the unfortunate. He was upright in all his dealings and his word was as good as his bond.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WOODSTOCK, ILL. :

- i. AUGUSTA MARIA, b. Sept. 27, 1847; m. Dec. 9, 1867, Joseph Henry Jenkins and resides in Waseca, Minn.
  - ii. HENRY ADOLPHUS, b. Apr. 24, 1849; d. Apr. 21, 1873, in Waseca; unm.
  - iii. ELLA CORBIN, b. Jan. 13, 1851; m. Dec. 9, 1867, William Grosvenor Ward and resides in Waseca.
888. iv. EDGAR CHURCH, b. Apr. 6, 1853.

**618.** ADOLPHUS TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>330</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 5, 1841, in Lisle, N. Y.; died June 13, 1873, in Cedar Falls, Iowa; married April 20, 1864, in Waterloo, Iowa, Helen Aurelia Chapman, daughter of Hon. Leander and Caroline (Pray) Chapman, born September 3, 1841, in Jackson, Mich. She married, second, August 29, 1878, in Chicago, Ill., Col. Oliver Stevens Musser and resides in Chicago.

Adolphus Trowbridge was about five years old when he went with his father to Woodstock, Ill. He located in the early '60s in Cedar Falls, Iowa, where he did a large business as a wholesale and retail boot and shoe dealer, and was in this line up to the time of his death. For the three years preceding his death he was a commercial traveler in the boot and shoe trade, and made a great success in this business, making many friends in the states he traveled through.

Mr. Trowbridge was a capable business man, and was considered an honorable and upright citizen. He was a great sportsman, a fine singer, and a lover of jokes, and was a very popular man. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity and was a Knight Templar, and was buried with Masonic honors, his remains being followed to the cemetery by the largest concourse ever assembled up to that time in Cedar Falls.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CEDAR FALLS, IOWA :

- i. HARRIET CHAPMAN, b. Feb. 17, 1865; d. Sept. 28, 1865.
- ii. HARRY CHAPMAN, } twins, d. Nov. 24, 1866.
- iii. MERTA LELLE, } b. Mar. 26, 1866; resides in Chicago, Ill.; unm. "She is a New Thought woman, highly gifted and with a mind richly endowed. She is a worker for humanity and represents in Chicago the Battle Creek Sanitarium. She fills her position with grace and rare judgment, and many are there that bless her for her timely assistance and advice which have restored them to perfect health. From the maternal side she inherits the gift of the sixth sense and has wonderful powers to read the physical condition of those who come to her place of business, diagnoses with the best of physicians, and never studied a medical book, more than to read one, in her life. She is quite a musician, as is her mother, who is a composer of music and a New Thought woman to the fullest degree."<sup>\*</sup>

**619.** WILLIAM BURR TROWBRIDGE (*Barlow S.*<sup>331</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>188</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>194</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 5, 1829, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died June 6, 1901, in Danbury, Conn.; married Frances E. Landon.

William B. Trowbridge lived for many years in his native town, New Fairfield, Conn., where he was in business as a shoemaker. The latter part of his life was passed in the King Street district in Danbury, Conn.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW FAIRFIELD, CONN. :

- i. A son, d. young.
- ii. A daughter, d. young.

**620.** JAMES OSBORNE TROWBRIDGE (*Barlow S.*<sup>331</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>188</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>194</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 10, 1830, in New Fairfield, Conn.; died January 6, 1873, in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; married, first, May 10, 1852, in Danbury, Conn., Celia Ferguson, daughter of Edward and Mary (Osborne) Ferguson, born October 14, 1829, in Danbury; died November 23, 1868, in Poughkeepsie. He married, second, ———, 1869, Mrs. Sarah Palmer.†

James O. Trowbridge was a shoemaker by trade. He followed that business for a few years after his marriage in Danbury, Conn., and then returned to his native town, New Fairfield, Conn., where he was also in business for a number of years. He then removed with his family to South East, N. Y., a short time before the commencement of the Civil War. He enlisted there August 12, 1862, for three years in Company G, 135th New York Infantry, and was with his regiment until the expiration of his term of service. In September, 1865, he removed to Poughkeepsie, N. Y., where he resided until his death. He was a member of the First Methodist Church of that city.

## CHILDREN :

*By first marriage:‡*

- i. EDWARD OSBORNE, b. Mar. 29, 1854, in Danbury, Conn.; is a cigar-maker in Hudson, N. Y.; unm.
- SS9. ii. GEORGE ORLANDO, b. Apr. 11, 1856, in New Fairfield, Conn.
- iii. ESTELLA OLIVIA, b. ———, 1862, in New Fairfield; d. ———, 1876.

**621.** HENRY WILSON TROWBRIDGE (*Barlow S.*<sup>331</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>188</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>194</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 21, 1839, in New Fairfield, Conn.; resides in Roxbury, Conn.; married April 25, 1877, in Roxbury, Cordelia Ann (Evans) Adams, daughter of John and Sally Sophronia (Squire) Evans, born June 24, 1851.

\* Letter from Mrs. Helen A. Musser, her mother.

† It is thought that she married a third time and removed to New Jersey.

‡ No children by second marriage.



Henry W. Trowbridge came to Roxbury, Conn., in the fall of 1862 and engaged in the wagon-making business, with which he is still occupied, but of late years his work has been principally repairing.

Mr. Trowbridge united with the First Methodist Episcopal Church in Roxbury in the spring of 1876. He has held the office of steward of the church since 1884 and that of trustee since 1897, and has been superintendent of the Sunday school since 1889. He has also been prominent in town affairs, having been grand juror, registrar of voters and justice of the peace, each for two terms. He represented the town of Roxbury in the Connecticut General Assembly in 1885.

## CHILD BORN IN ROXBURY, CONN.:

- i. JENNIE EVANS, b. Mar. 26, 1878.

**622.** THEODORE MONSON TROWBRIDGE (*Barlow S.*<sup>331</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>188</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 11, 1841, in New Fairfield, Conn.; resides in Bridgeport, Conn.; married September 28, 1878, in New Milford, Conn., Eliza Alzora Schultz, daughter of Asa and Nancy (Cummins) Schultz, born February 17, 1847, in New Milford.

Theodore M. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in New Fairfield, Conn. In the spring of 1865 he went to New Milford, Conn., where he was engaged in the carriage painting business about ten years. He then went to work as a toolmaker in the ivory button factory of Bostwick Bros., and when that firm removed to Bridgeport, Conn., in 1884 he went with them and continued in the same position until the business was sold to Massachusetts parties. He then went to Stratford, Conn., where he lived about ten years, working for five years at carriage painting there and then five years in Bridgeport. He moved his family to that city in April, 1907, and at the present time is employed at the factory of the American & British Manufacturing Company, manufacturers of Ordnance, in Bridgeport.

Mr. Trowbridge during his residence in New Milford was master of St. Peter's Lodge, No. 21, F. and A. M., in 1879; esteemed knight of Ousatonie Chapter, No. 33, R. A. M., in 1882; and secretary of The Good Shepherd's Lodge, No. 65, I. O. O. F., in 1882. He was also in 1882 secretary of Water Witch Hose Company of New Milford.

## CHILD BORN IN NEW MILFORD, CONN.:

- i. THEODORE ERWIN, b. Apr. 18, 1881; is electrician with the American Tube & Stamping Company in Bridgeport, Conn.; unm.

**623.** CAPT. CHARLES BURR TROWBRIDGE (*Ephraim B.*<sup>332</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>188</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 23, 1837, in Buffalo, N. Y.; resides at the National Soldiers' Home in Milwaukee, Wis.; married June 18, 1869, in Hannibal, Mo., Anna Hazzard Taft Cottrell, daughter of Simon Smith and Amy Gardner (Emis) Cottrell, born July 12, 1843, in Narragansett, R. I. She resides in Minneapolis, Minn.

Charles B. Trowbridge received his early education in the grammar and high schools in his native city. At the age of seventeen he was sent to the academy at East Bloomfield, N. Y., from which he was graduated three years later. He then became bookkeeper for a commission house in Buffalo. This proved too confining, and it was finally decided that he should learn a trade. He took naturally to painting, and was soon at work learning that trade. He served an apprenticeship of about two years with R. G. Buchanan and then went to New Orleans to work on boat work. This was in 1859. He remained there that winter, returning to Buffalo in the early spring of 1860. He remained there until after the election of President Lincoln, when he returned to New Orleans and resumed

work on boat painting. After the Louisiana legislature passed the ordinance of secession, he decided to return to the North. The embargo on all persons trying to leave was very strict, but he finally made his escape in the coal hole of the old steamboat *Olive Branch*, which carried him to St. Louis, and from there he returned to his home in Buffalo.

About the time of his arrival home the 21st New York Infantry was being organized and he at once offered to enlist, but he was rejected by the surgeon as lacking in physical ability. He remained in Buffalo, however, until July, 1862, when he again offered himself as a volunteer and was accepted. He enlisted for the term of three years, or during the war, and was enrolled at Buffalo July 31, 1862, in Company E, 116th New York Infantry. His regiment was ordered to the front, and he soon found himself again in New Orleans with his regiment. They wintered at Baton Rouge and early in the spring of 1863 were ordered to Port Hudson under Gen. N. P. Banks. He was in the fight at Plains Store, near Port Hudson, on May 9, 1863, and in the two assaults on the fort proper on May 21 and June 14. He later participated in the battle of Donelsonville. With the exception of a few skirmishes, this was the end of their engagements for that year. He was at this time offered, and he accepted, a commission as lieutenant in a colored regiment, which was being organized by the adjutant of his regiment, and of which the latter was made colonel. While acting as enlisting officer for this regiment, he had an exciting experience with a squad of Confederates and only escaped on account of the superior speed of his horse. He then resigned his commission as lieutenant and returned to his old regiment. In the spring of 1864 he was in the army of the Department of the Gulf and was in the disastrous raid up the Red river, and was engaged in the battle of Sabine Cross Roads, Pleasant Hill and Cane River, which were the principal battles of that campaign. His regiment was then transferred to Virginia, and was with General Sheridan at the battles of Winchester and Cedar Creek. He later received his discharge at Fort Porter, Buffalo, June 28, 1865, having participated in nine battles, besides a number of skirmishes. He was never excused from duty on account of sickness but one day during his two years and ten months of service.

Mr. Trowbridge resided in Buffalo until 1867, when he went with the tide of emigration towards the South. He passed the winter at Quincy, Ill., and the following spring went down the river twenty-five miles to Hannibal, Mo. He there met his future wife, who at that time was a mission teacher in the free colored schools of Missouri. They resided in Hannibal only about two years after their marriage, when, because of the failure of Mrs. Trowbridge's health, they were advised to go North, which they did, going at once to Mankato, Minn., where they lived until about 1895, when they came to Minneapolis, Minn. In May, 1900, he removed to Anoka, Minn., seventeen miles from Minneapolis, where he began poultry raising on a large scale. He continued in that business until a few years ago, when he entered the National Soldiers' Home in Milwaukee, Wis. He has been captain of a company at the home for the past two years and still holds that position, with a prospect of its indefinite continuance. Captain Trowbridge voted for Stephen A. Douglas in 1860 and has been a consistent Democrat ever since. He has never allied himself with any church denomination, but has always believed in and practiced the Golden Rule.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. ANNA PEARL, b. June 12, 1870; d. Nov. 4, 1870.
- ii. COTTRELL BURR, b. May 4, 1872; is a painter in Minneapolis, Minn.; unm.
- iii. BESSIE GARDNER, b. Apr. 27, 1873; d. Jan. 9, 1880.

\* i born in Hannibal, Mo.; ii and vii-viii in Mankato, Minn.; iii-v in Decorah, Iowa; vi in Sleepy Eye, Minn.

890. iv. FRANK WILGUS, b. Nov. 27, 1874.  
 v. ROLF CARTER, b. Feb. 4, 1875; is a compositor in Minneapolis; unm.  
 vi. BERTHA ENNIS, b. Nov. 26, 1878.  
 890a. vii. SMITH COTTBELL, b. Aug. 28, 1880.  
 viii. BEULAH MARVIN, b. Nov. 26, 1882; m. Charles Kjelstrup and resides in Minneapolis.

**624.** ADELBERT BURR TROWBRIDGE (*John S.*<sup>333</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>188</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 21, 1838, in New Canaan, Conn.; died January 10, 1868, in Willimantic, Conn.; married December —, 1864, in Willimantic, Ellen F. Turner. She resides in Willimantic.\*

Adelbert B. Trowbridge is thought to have been a clerk in mercantile business in Willimantic, Conn.

## CHILD BORN IN WILLIMANTIC, CONN.:

- i. ADELBERT, b. ———, 1865; is a clerk in Willimantic.\*

**625.** SAMUEL AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*Truman*<sup>334</sup>, *Reuben*<sup>189</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 12, 1825, in Danbury, Conn.; died August 4, 1858, in Muscatine, Iowa; married June 1, 1847, in Danbury, Mary Amelia Moore, daughter of Alfred and Amelia (Ferry) Moore, born April 1, 1827, in North Salem, N. Y.; died March 2, 1895, in Danbury.

Samuel A. Trowbridge was by trade a hat finisher and was so engaged in Danbury, Conn. A few years prior to his death he removed to Muscatine, Iowa, where he was a member of the firm of Trowbridge & Anthony, dealers in hats, caps, furs, etc.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DANBURY, CONN.:

- i. ALFRED AUGUSTUS, b. Apr. 17, 1848; is a hatmaker; resides in Danbury; unm.  
 891. ii. CHARLES WILLIAM, b. Sept. 14, 1851.

**626.** WILLIAM EUGENE SUTPHIN TROWBRIDGE (*Truman*<sup>334</sup>, *Reuben*<sup>189</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 13, 1832, in Danbury, Conn.; resides in Downers Grove, Ill.; married October 20, 1858, in Rockford, Ill., Harriett Lorain Utter, daughter of Isaac and Eliza (Smith) Utter, born May 24, 1838, in Angelica, N. Y.

William E. S. Trowbridge has resided in or near Chicago for over fifty years. He came to that city from Rockford about May 1, 1872, and his present residence is in Downer's Grove, Ill. He has devoted more time to art work than to any other business.

## CHILDREN:

892. i. WILLIAM AUGUSTUS, b. July 28, 1859, in Chicago, Ill.  
 893. ii. CHARLES UTTER, b. June 20, 1868, in Rockford, Ill.

**627.** FRANCIS HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Truman*<sup>334</sup>, *Reuben*<sup>189</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 20, 1841, in Danbury, Conn.; died December 25, 1874, in Hudson, N. Y.; married February 15, 1863, in Hudson, Elizabeth McCabe, daughter of Henry and Jane (Johnson) McCabe, born April 26, 1845, in Peekskill, N. Y. She married, second, October 16, 1878, in Danbury, Arthur Reed of Danbury, where she resides.

Francis H. Trowbridge was a traveling salesman in the dry goods business.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DANBURY, CONN.:

- i. MARY ELIZABETH, b. May 1, 1864; d. Sept. 4, 1864.  
 ii. EDITH ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 11, 1865; d. July 15, 1878.  
 iii. WILLIAM FRANK, b. Mar. 25, 1867; d. Nov. 2, 1874.  
 iv. JULIA STEVENS, b. Dec. 16, 1872; d. Mar. 2, 1898, in New York City; unm.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

**628.** OLIVER EDWARD TROWBRIDGE (*Truman*<sup>324</sup>, *Reuben*<sup>189</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 3, 1843, in Danbury, Conn.; resides in South Norwalk, Conn.; married, first, December 3, 1863, in Danbury, Julia Ann Hoyt, daughter of Henry Andrew and Rebecca Starr (Banks) Hoyt, born June 12, 1843, in Newtown, Conn.; died November 8, 1885, in South Norwalk. He married, second, June 30, 1887, in Fairfield, Conn., Mary Alice Green, daughter of Samuel and Susan (Stow) Green, born November 18, 1848, in Milford, Conn.

Oliver E. Trowbridge learned the hatter's trade as a youth in his native town and was so employed up to the time he entered the army during the Civil War. He enlisted in Danbury August 28, 1862, in Company B, 23d Connecticut Infantry, and went to New Orleans with General Banks' expedition in December, 1862. The regiment was detailed to guard the New Orleans, Opelousas and Great Western railroad, running from New Orleans to Brashear City, Company B being stationed at La Fourche Crossing. There they were attacked by the enemy June 21, 1863, and he was severely wounded, and reported dead. The Union forces evacuated the place June 25, taking all the wounded except the subject of this sketch. The enemy entered next day, taking him, with the surgeon and nurse, prisoners, and they were held for several weeks. After this he was taken to New Orleans, and while there, in the St. Louis Hospital, the regiment came home, leaving him behind. He was wounded by a minie ball which entered his right side near the hip, passed through his bowels, and came out on the left side of the spine.\* He finally arrived at Danbury on September 10, 1863, when he received his discharge, the regiment having been mustered out August 31, 1863.

Mr. Trowbridge remained in Danbury until October, 1865, when he removed to South Norwalk, Conn., where he has since resided. Up to August, 1898, he was engaged at his trade, that of a hatter, most of the time in the capacity of foreman. In August, 1898, he received an appointment in the New York Custom House, where he is still employed as clerk in the U. S. appraiser's office on Washington street, going there daily from his home in South Norwalk.

CHILDREN BORN IN SOUTH NORWALK, CONN.:

*By first marriage:†*

- i. ANNA BANKS, b. Nov. 3, 1866; d. July 1, 1871.
- ii. FRANK HENRY, b. Jan. 10, 1875; d. Apr. 9, 1877.
- iii. OLIVER EDWARD, b. Mar. 17, 1878; d. Nov. 7, 1892.

**629.** THEODORE FRANCIS TROWBRIDGE (*Alvah*<sup>335</sup>, *Reuben*<sup>189</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 28, 1829, in Danbury, Conn.; died December 12, 1897, in Princeton, Ill.; married, first, October 25, 1854, in Kenosha, Wis., Sarah Eliza Hugunin, daughter of Edward and Ruby (Bristol) Hugunin, born September 18, 1836, in Chicago, Ill.; died July 18, 1859, in Muskegon, Mich. He married, second, September 25, 1873, in Princeton, Ill., Cedula Olivia Jones, daughter of William and Lueretia (Johnson) Jones, born March 9, 1838, in Town Line, N. Y. She resides in Princeton.

Theodore F. Trowbridge went in boyhood with his father to Illinois. In early manhood he engaged in the milling business with his father in Muskegon, Mich., and later with him in the lumber business in Chicago, Ill., and he continued in this business until the outbreak of the Civil War. He enlisted in Chicago January 29, 1862, and was appointed corporal of Company A, 65th Illinois

\* A description of the wound and its treatment was written by Dr. William H. Trowbridge (No. 851), surgeon of the regiment, and printed in the "Medical History of the War," vol. 2, part 2, p. 77, case 237.

† No children by second marriage.

Infantry. He re-enlisted as a veteran March 31, 1864, and was transferred to Company H (as consolidated) and was mustered out July 13, 1865, at the expiration of his time of service. In 1870 he went to Princeton, Ill., which continued to be his permanent residence until his death.

Mr. Trowbridge was a man of fine natural instincts and gentlemanly in his bearing toward all. He was an excellent mechanic and a fine business man. He was methodical, upright and honest in all of his transactions. He was intellectual in his mental pursuits and very thoughtful of the comfort of others. He was a member of Ferris Post, G. A. R., of Princeton, Ill.

## CHILDREN :

*By first marriage:*

- i. NELLIE THEODORA, b. Aug. 20, 1855, in Kenosha, Wis.; m. Apr. 20, 1880. Webb Nicholson Pearce and resides in Oakland, Cal.
- ii. SARAH, b. ———, 1859, in Kenosha; d. July 20, 1899.

*By second marriage:*

- iii. DOTTIE JONES, b. Apr. 26, 1876, in Princeton, Ill.; d. Aug. 12, 1876.

**630.** CHARLES BROAS TROWBRIDGE (*E. Benedict*<sup>336</sup>, *Reuben*<sup>189</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 26, 1852, in Waukegan, Ill.; resides in Magnolia, Minn.; married May 15, 1879, in Wheeler township, Lyon county, Iowa, Letta Eugenia Hollister,\* daughter of Samuel Bacon and Sarah Ann (Hollister) Hollister, born July 1, 1862, in Manston, Wis.

Charles B. Trowbridge passed his boyhood and youth with his father, and in early manhood went with him to Wheeler township, Lyon county, Iowa. He settled there after his marriage on a farm seven miles from Hull, where he was engaged in farming about thirty years. He there held the offices of assessor and road overseer. On January 1, 1901, he left Iowa and removed to Magnolia, Minn., where he resides at present and is engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LYON COUNTY, IOWA:†

- i. MABEL VICTORINE, b. Mar. 20, 1881; d. Apr. 15, 1889.
- ii. GEORGE ORVIL, b. Oct. 17, 1883.
- iii. EFFIE EDITH, b. Oct. 26, 1887; m. Mar. 22, 1905, Guy Eugene Smith and resides in Worthington, Minn.
- iv. ROY ELBERT, b. July 29, 1889.
- v. LEVIA LOIS, b. Apr. 3, 1890.

**631.** FRED CLARK TROWBRIDGE (*E. Benedict*<sup>336</sup>, *Reuben*<sup>189</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 5, 1866, in New Lisbon, Wis.; resides in Wheeler township (Larchwood P. O.), Iowa; married March 23, 1892, in Hull, Iowa, Julie Field, daughter of Hiram and Harriet (Abbey) Field, born March 29, 1868, in Hopkinton, Iowa.

Fred C. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Wheeler township, Lyon county, Iowa, where he has since been engaged in farming. He is a member of the Modern Woodmen of America.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LYON COUNTY, IOWA :

- i. HETTIE MAY, b. Aug. 15, 1893.
- ii. ROBERT, b. Dec. 27, 1894.

**632.** EDWIN MONTGOMERY TROWBRIDGE (*Phineas B.*<sup>337</sup>, *Alvah*<sup>190</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 1, 1824, in Carmel, N. Y.; died August 29, 1854, in South East, N. Y.; married September 13, 1846.

\* A sister of the husband of No. 336, iii.

† i-iii and v born in Wheeler township; iv in Garfield township.

in Carmel, Sarah Drucilla Marsh, daughter of Horace and Fanny (Sherman) Marsh, born September 28, 1823, in Gaylordsville, Conn. She married, second, December 8, 1864, in South Dover, N. Y., Lewis Judd, and died April 30, 1898, in Ansonia, Conn.

Edwin M. Trowbridge was a farmer in South East, N. Y.

CHILD BORN IN SOUTH EAST, N. Y.:

- i. MARY CORNELIA, b. Oct. 15, 1849; m. May 15, 1865, Charles French and resides in Ansonia, Conn.

**633.** WILLIAM RAYMOND TROWBRIDGE (*Phineas B.*<sup>337</sup>, *Alvah*<sup>190</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>101</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 6, 1833, in Carmel, N. Y.; died May 22, 1906, in South Dover, N. Y.; married October 20, 1857, in South Dover, Maria Wing Sheldon, daughter of Albro and Eliza (Edmonds) Sheldon, born May 4, 1840, in South Dover. She resides in Wingdale, N. Y.

William R. Trowbridge was a farmer in Pawling and Wingdale, South Dover, N. Y.

CHILDREN BORN IN PAWLING, N. Y.:

- i. CORA BELL, b. Sept. 10, 1858; m. June 21, 1879, Arthur Dorn and resides in Springfield, Mass.
804. ii. GEORGE ALBRO, b. Sept. 20, 1861.
- iii. ADA ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 27, 1863.
- iv. ELIZA SHELDON, b. Apr. 17, 1866.

**634.** AUSTIN COE TROWBRIDGE (*Allerton M.*<sup>338</sup>, *Alvah*<sup>100</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 4, 1844, in South East, N. Y.; resides in East Orange, N. J.; married, first, June 20, 1876, in New York City, Julia Eleanor Bogardus, daughter of Richard and Juliet (Logan) Bogardus, born October 9, 1845, in New York City; died April 30, 1879, in New York City. He married, second, June 12, 1884, in Tarrytown, N. Y., Sarah Sarven, daughter of John and Sarah Elizabeth (Norton) Sarven, born May 28, 1850, in Columbia, Tenn.

Austin C. Trowbridge is engaged in the dry goods commission business with the firm of James Talcott in New York City, and has been connected with the same firm and at the same address for the past forty years. His residence is in East Orange, N. J.

Mr. Trowbridge was deacon for several terms of the University Place Presbyterian Church in New York City prior to 1881 and held the same office in the Munn Avenue Presbyterian Church in East Orange, N. J. He is a charter member of the Arlington Avenue Presbyterian Church in East Orange, organized in 1892, in which he at present holds the office of trustee.

CHILD BORN IN NEW YORK CITY:

*By first marriage:*†

- i. IRVING BOGARDUS, b. Apr. 27, 1879; d. July 31, 1879, in Tarrytown, N. Y.

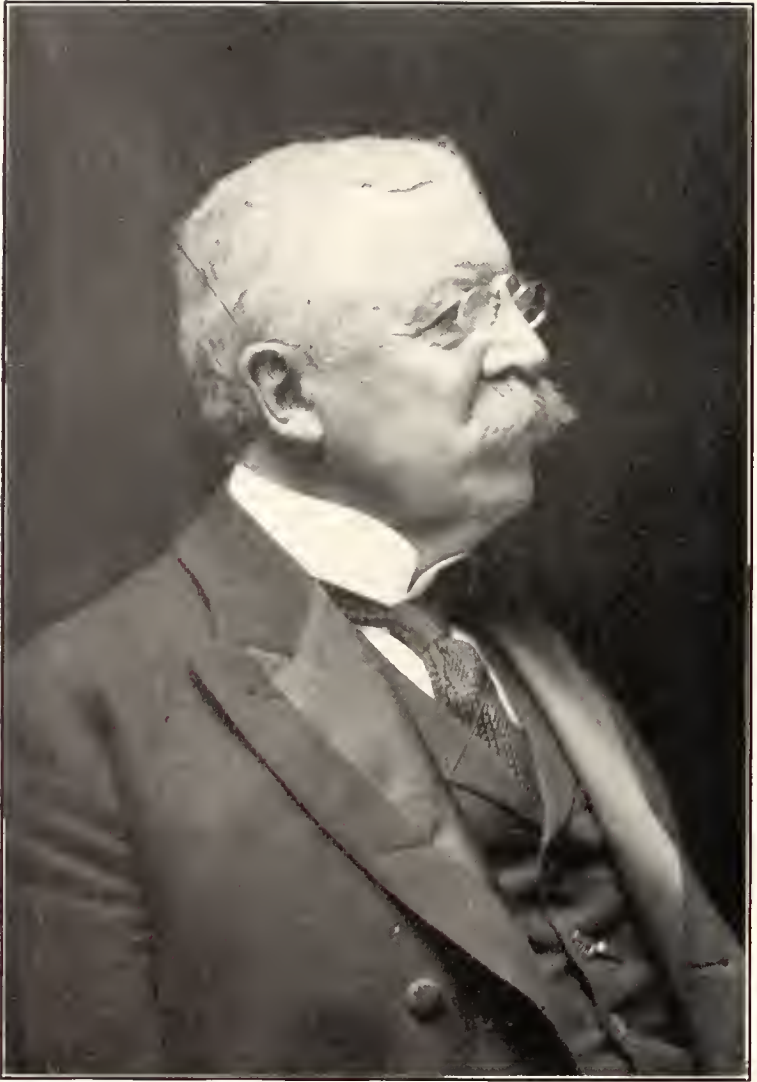
**635.** CHARLES ALLERTON TROWBRIDGE (*Allerton M.*<sup>338</sup>, *Alvah*<sup>190</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 15, 1860, in Patterson, N. Y.; resides in East Orange, N. J.; married September 21, 1892, in East Orange, Mary Jones Harrison, daughter of Lewis Dodd and Phebe Amelia (Mandeville) Harrison, born December 31, 1859, in East Orange.

Charles A. Trowbridge was educated at private schools in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and in October, 1876, entered the dry goods business in New York City, in which he continued for about six years. He then went into the insurance business and

\* Except i, who was born in South Dover, N. Y.

† No children by second marriage.





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has remained in it ever since, having been during that time associated with the same firm, George A. Stanton & Co. He is deputy attorney and assistant manager of the underwriters at American Lloyd's.

Mr. Trowbridge while a resident of New York City was a member of the University Place Presbyterian Church, but when he moved to East Orange, N. J., in 1887 he joined the Munn Avenue Presbyterian Church, in which he served as deacon for a term of years. He is a member of the New England Society and the Young Men's Republican Association of Orange, of the Republican Club and the Town Improvement Society of East Orange, and of the Underwriters Club of New York City.

## NO CHILDREN.

**636.** JOSEPH ALLERTON TROWBRIDGE (*William C.*<sup>339</sup>, *Alvah*<sup>190</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 22, 1832, in South East, N. Y.; died December 14, 1869, in Hackensack, N. J.; married May 30, 1866, in Hackensack, Mary Eliza Munn, daughter of Samuel and Jane (Post) Munn, born November 1, 1840, in Paterson, N. J. She married, second, January 3, 1876, in Bogota, N. J., Thomas Hathaway Haskell, and died June 16, 1907, in Bogota.

Joseph A. Trowbridge was a merchant in New York City. During the Civil War he served for three years as first corporal of Company H, 7th Regiment, New York state militia, being enrolled May 25, 1862. He was a member of the Union League Club.

## CHILD BORN IN HACKENSACK, N. J.:

i. MUNN, b. Oct. 13, 1867; d. Jan. 23, 1893, in Hackensack; unm.

**637.** ALVAH TROWBRIDGE (*William C.*<sup>339</sup>, *Alvah*<sup>190</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 8, 1835, in South East, N. Y.; died September 18, 1907, in Hackensack, N. J.; married October 18, 1859, in Milwaukee, Wis., Ada Greene Smith, daughter of Theodore and Lucinda (Bryant) Smith, born February 2, 1835, in Solon, Me. She resides in Hackensack.

Alvah Trowbridge was educated in the public schools of his native town and at the age of eighteen entered the bank in Pawling, N. Y., as a clerk. Removing to New York City, he became paying teller of the National Bank of North America in 1868. He was appointed its cashier in 1883 and its vice-president in 1897. His only other occupation after coming to New York was during eight years when he served as chief of the division of accounts in the subtreasury there. On June 1, 1899, he became president of the North American Trust Company of New York City, which under his management took in the International Trust Company. In September, 1900, he was chosen president of the Ninth National Bank of New York, then being organized, and held that place until it consolidated with the Citizens National Bank. He continued to act as president of the North American Trust Company and vice-president of the National Bank of North America until his death. He had made his home for many years in Hackensack, N. J.

Mr. Trowbridge was a member of the American Bankers Association, of which he was chairman of the executive committee from 1896 until 1899, when he was elected its vice-president, being elected its president in 1900. He was from 1875 until his death an elder in the Second Dutch Reformed Church of Hackensack. He was a member of the Lawyers Club of New York City and the North Jersey Club. He was a 32d degree Mason and was a member of Kane Lodge, No. 454, F. and A. M. He was also a member of Mecca Temple, Order of the Mystic Shrine. Mr. Trowbridge was a man of great force of character. He was one of the most popular bankers, his social qualities being particularly marked.

## CHILDREN :

- i. ANNA DANA, b. May 11, 1861, in Milwaukee, Wis.; resides with her mother; unm.
- ii. JOSEPHINE BELDEN, b. May 18, 1871, in New York City; m. Oct. 1, 1903, Henry Wells Durham and at present resides in the Panama canal zone, where he is resident engineer.

**638.** BELDEN CRANE TROWBRIDGE (*William C.*<sup>339</sup>, *Alvah*<sup>190</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 14, 1838, in South East, N. Y.; resides in Pawling, N. Y.; married June 1, 1879, in Pawling, Josephine Maria Campbell, daughter of Sherman and Samantha (Haight) Campbell, born July 14, 1854, in Pawling.

Belden C. Trowbridge is well known as a veteran passenger train conductor on the Harlem division of the New York Central railroad. His home is in Pawling, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PAWLING, N. Y.:

895. i. WILLIAM SHERMAN, b. Jan. 11, 1880.
896. ii. CLIFFORD ARNOLD, b. Sept. 26, 1881.
- iii. ETHEL ANNIS, b. Aug. 26, 1885; d. May 10, 1886.

**639.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>340</sup>, *Billy*<sup>191</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 27, 1847, in Southfield, Mich.; died December 22, 1906, in Newcastle, Wyo.; married June 5, 1872, in Baldwin Place, N. Y., Mary Smith Lounsbury, daughter of Isaac and Catharine (Myrick) Lounsbury, born August 18, 1853, in Baldwin Place. She resides in Pontiac, Mich.

John Trowbridge as a young man was associated in the lumber business with his uncle Smith Trowbridge in Princeton, Ill., in which he continued after the business was removed to Chicago. During the Spanish-American War he served in the 11th United States Infantry and continued in the service until his death.

## CHILD BORN IN PRINCETON, ILL.:

897. i. HARRY LYNDE, b. May 12, 1874.

**640.** FRANK CHARLES TROWBRIDGE (*Levi*<sup>341</sup>, *Billy*<sup>191</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 7, 1844, in Southfield, Mich.; resides in Detroit, Mich.; married, first, December 8, 1869, in Detroit, Mary Alvord (Knap) Thomas, widow of Frank Thomas of Great Bend, Pa., and daughter of William Dudley and Mary M. (Kimball) Knap, born September 21, 1841, in Oxford, N. Y.; died October 22, 1879, in Detroit. He married, second, November 9, 1881, in Mt. Clemens, Mich., Mary Emily Stephens, daughter of James and Caroline (Stevens) Stephens, born November 9, 1850, in Utica, Mich.

Frank C. Trowbridge since leaving school has always been connected with the lumber business in one capacity or another, except for a short time when he served in the army during the Civil War. He wanted to go to war from his own state with schoolmates who were enlisting, but his father thought him too young and persuaded him not to go. While on a visit in New York, however, he got the war fever, and went up to Kingston and enlisted October 1, 1864, in the 13th New York Cavalry. He was sent to Hart Island, New York harbor, to await transportation to his regiment, and was there detailed in the enrolling office as a clerk, temporarily he thought; but when he applied for an order to go to his regiment, he was informed that his detail had been made permanent. He served in that capacity until May 6, 1865, when he received his discharge.

Mr. Trowbridge has long been identified with the lumber trade in Detroit, Mich. On February 1, 1881, he engaged in the retail lumber business and in 1886 he added a coal business, which he has since been conducting. On January 1, 1905, the Trowbridge Lumber Company was established for the purpose of dealing in hardwood lumber, wholesale and in car lots. He is president of the company and all of the business is conducted through his office, but the Trowbridge Company has no connection with his retail lumber and coal business.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of Detroit Post, No. 354, G. A. R., of which he was appointed adjutant in 1897 and 1898 and elected commander in 1899. He has been of great service to the compiler in gathering data of his branch of the family.

## CHILD BORN IN DETROIT, MICH.:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. FRANK KNAP, b. Dec. 8, 1873; d. Mar. 15, 1874.

**641.** JOSEPH WILSON TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>342</sup>, *Billy*<sup>191</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>194</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 3, 1838, in Wetumpka, Ala.; resides in Anderson, S. C.; married November 9, 1865, in Abbeville, S. C., Jessie Ramey, daughter of Johnson and Lucretia (Hill) Ramey, born January 21, 1840, in Abbeville.

Joseph W. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to South Carolina. He served in the Confederate army during the Civil War. He was taken prisoner and sent North, being visited while a prisoner by his uncle Smith Trowbridge. After the war he settled in Abbeville, S. C., where he was engaged in mercantile business for many years. He is at present a dealer in fruits and produce in Anderson, S. C.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ABBEVILLE, S. C.:

- i. JULIA CELIA, b. Aug. 30, 1866; d. Aug. 13, 1867.
- ii. JESSIE PARSONS, b. Mar. 16, 1868; m. June 5, 1894, James Thompson Pearson and resides in Anderson, S. C.
- iii. ELLEN, b. Nov. 18, 1869; m. Dec. 29, 1887, Samuel Maxwell Pickens and resides in Elberton, Ga.
- iv. SAMUEL RICHMOND, b. Feb. 29, 1872.
- v. JOSEPH JOHNSON, b. Dec. 27, 1874.
- vi. ANNIE BRANCH, b. May 11, 1876; d. Aug. 24, 1877.

**642.** CHARLES JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Smith*<sup>344</sup>, *Billy*<sup>191</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>194</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 6, 1851, in Syracuse, N. Y.; resides in St. Louis, Mo.; married March 10, 1880, in St. Joseph, Mo., Amelia Bayley Neely, daughter of Prof. Edward Bayley and Charlotte (Slagle) Neely, born October 23, 1855, in St. Joseph.

Charles J. Trowbridge went in boyhood with his father to Detroit, Mich., and in 1872 moved to Chicago. Since 1872 he has been connected with the lumber business in Chicago, St. Joseph, Mo., and Kansas City. Between 1895 and 1905, while winding up the affairs of a large lumber company with which he had been connected, he also acted as land commissioner of the Kansas City, Fort Scott and Memphis Railroad Company. On January 1, 1905, he removed to St. Louis, Mo., where he has since been connected with the management of the Monarch Lumber Company and of the A. J. Neimeyer Lumber Company, with both of which companies he is still associated.

## CHILDREN:

- i. NEELY, b. Mar. 14, 1881, in St. Joseph, Mo.
- ii. JEANNE, b. Nov. 27, 1882, in Chicago, Ill.
- iii. HAROLD JAMES, b. Jan. 13, 1885, in Chicago.
- iv. MILDRED, b. Jan. 27, 1887, in St. Joseph.

\* No children by second marriage.

**643.** IRVIN CAMP TROWBRIDGE (*Billy S.*<sup>345</sup>, *Levi*<sup>192</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 30, 1837, in Fayette county, Ind.; resides in Kansas City, Mo.; married March 2, 1865, in Connersville, Ind., Mary Ogden (Yaman) Watson, widow of Robert M. Watson of Harrisburgh, Ind., and daughter of William and Fanny (Ogden) Yaman, born February 9, 1836, in Franklin, Ind.; died February 14, 1895, in Douglas county, Mo.

Irvin C. Trowbridge from an early age until he was a man grown was engaged in farming with his father in his native place. During the Civil War he served eight days (July 10 to July 18, 1863) in Company K, 104th Indiana Infantry (minutemen), during the Morgan raid in Southern Indiana. For some years after his marriage he was engaged in farming in Fayette and Grant counties, Ind., and then moved to a farm near Vera Cruz, Douglas county, Mo. He there also followed the trade of a carpenter and joiner. He recently removed to Kansas City, Mo., where he is engaged in farming near the city line.

## CHILDREN:

- S98. i. LOUIS YAMAN, b. Aug. 12, 1866, in Connersville, Ind.  
 ii. PEARL YAMAN, b. Feb. 27, 1869, in Marion, Ind.; d. Oct. 20, 1869.  
 S99. iii. CARL YAMAN, b. Aug. 15, 1872, in Fayette county, Ind.

**644.** BILLY TROWBRIDGE (*John DeM.*<sup>346</sup>, *Levi*<sup>192</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 31, 1844, in LeRoy, Ill.; resides in Decatur, Ill.; married, first, August 26, 1884, in Springfield, Ill., Frances Douglas, who died October 29, 1893, in Decatur. He married, second, September 29, 1895, in Springfield, Bertha (Cloud) Wigand, widow of John Wigand of Decatur and daughter of Percival and Margaret (Glancey) Cloud, born January 22, 1862, in Decatur.

Billy Trowbridge was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted from his native place June 11, 1862, for three months in Company F, 68th Illinois Infantry. He is engaged in mercantile business in Decatur, Ill. He is a member of the Dunham Post, No. 141, G. A. R., Department of Illinois.

## NO CHILDREN.

**645.** DR. SILAS TROWBRIDGE (*John DeM.*<sup>346</sup>, *Levi*<sup>192</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 27, 1849, in Le Roy, Ill.; resides in Sullivan, Ill.; married, first, September 18, 1884, in Bement, Ill., Effie Bridwell, daughter of Elijah and Margaret (Vinsonhaler) Bridwell, born November 4, 1859, in Sullivan; died October 5, 1890, in Sullivan. He married, second, February 16, 1892, in Sullivan, Sarah J. (Bushurt) Freeland, daughter of John and Catherine (Patterson) Bushurt, born September 23, 1851, in Circleville, Ohio.

Silas Trowbridge is a dentist. He practiced his profession for several years after his marriage in Lovington, Ill., and since 1889 has been in practice in Sullivan, Ill.

## CHILDREN:

*By first marriage:*

- i. GLENN CLYDE, b. Mar. 31, 1885, in Lovington, Ill.  
 ii. JOHN HUGH, b. Aug. 13, 1888, in Lovington.  
 iii. SILAS DEMOTT, b. Jan. 9, 1890, in Sullivan, Ill.

*By second marriage:*

- iv. ROY, b. Feb. 27, 1893, in Sullivan.

**646.** ELMER HYATT TROWBRIDGE (*Edwin N.*<sup>347</sup>, *Levi*<sup>192</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 17, 1850, in Harrisburgh, Ind.; resides in Marion, Ind.; married, first, December 23, 1871, in Marion, Martha Ellen Jackson, daughter of William R. and Delilah (Lucas) Jackson, born December 19, 1850, in Marion; died September 5, 1891, in Marion. He married,

second, June 29, 1892, in Columbus City, Ind., Missouri Ann (Cook) Truex, widow of Oliver Raymond Truex and daughter of William and Sarah Susan (Daugherty) Cook, born February 20, 1860, in Georgetown, Ky.

Ehmer H. Trowbridge was brought up a farmer, but since 1893 he has been working at the carpenter's trade in Marion, Ind. He and his wife are members of the Wesleyan Methodist Church in Marion.

## CHILDREN:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. CHARLES LIVINGSTON, b. Oct. 12, 1872, in Bauquo, Ind.; d. Apr. 23, 1876.
- ii. SUSAN, } twins, d. Nov. 5, 1875.
- iii. DELILAH, } b. Mar. 24, 1875, in Marion, Ind.; m. Feb. 27, 1897, Ulysses Anderson Gundy and resides in Huntington county (Warren P. O.), Ind.

**647.** CHARLES TROWBRIDGE (*Silas T.*<sup>348</sup>, *Levi*<sup>192</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 16, 1855, in Decatur, Ill.; died June 30, 1897, in Hilo, Hawaiian Islands; married April 3, 1879, in Vera Cruz, Mexico, Katie Stephens, daughter of Rev. Richard and Eliza (Mewton) Stephens, born November 15, 1855, in Pachuca, Mexico. She resides in San Francisco, Cal.

Charles Trowbridge served as U. S. vice consul under his father at Vera Cruz, Mexico, and then became Swedish and Norwegian vice consul general for Mexico and filled that position with honor for a number of years. In 1890 he removed to California, where his health became impaired, and in 1894 he took up his residence in Olaa, near Hilo, Hawaii, where he became owner of a large coffee plantation, which he managed until his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN VERA CRUZ, MEXICO:

- i. NELLIE EMMA ELIZA, b. Aug. 23, 1880; resides in Torreson, Mex.; nm.
- ii. CHARLES SILAS RICHARD, b. Jan. 10, 1882; is an architect in San Francisco, Cal.; nm.
- iii. FREDERICK GEORGE, b. May 12, 1885; is a bookkeeper with the Hilo Sugar Company in Hilo, Hawaii; nm.
- iv. KATIE JULIA, b. June 29, 1887; resides in Hilo; nm.
- v. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Feb. 9, 1889; is a student in San Francisco; nm.
- vi. JOHN ROCKWELL, b. Oct. 6, 1890; is a student in San Francisco; nm.

**648.** DR. JOHN BERTHIER TROWBRIDGE (*Harley*<sup>349</sup>, *John C.*<sup>194</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 12, 1853, in Knowlesville, N. Y.; resides in Hayward, Wis.; married May 13, 1881, in Cashion, Wis., Anna Isabelle Clapp, daughter of George Christopher and Mariette (Warner) Clapp, born July 26, 1860, in Kasota, Minn.

John B. Trowbridge was brought in 1857 by his parents to Viroqua, Wis., where he passed his youth and received his early education. He was graduated from the University of Wisconsin in 1876 with the degree of B.C.E. and from Rush Medical College, Chicago, Ill., in 1882 with the degree of M.D. The latter year he began practice in Cashion, Wis. In 1883 he removed to Hayward, Wis., where he has since been practicing the profession of physician and surgeon.

Dr. Trowbridge is a member of the American Medical Association, Wisconsin State Medical Society and Inter-County Medical Society. He has been health officer for Sawyer county, Wis., for over twenty years and is county physician. He is a member of the U. S. pension examining board, local surgeon for the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company and examining surgeon for a large number of life insurance companies, including the New York, Aetna, Washington, Northwestern and Connecticut. He is a member of the First Congregational Church of Hayward, and the Masonic and Odd Fellows fraternities.

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\* No children by second marriage.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HAYWARD, WIS. :\*

- i. HELEN BLANCHE, b. Apr. 1, 1882; m. June 27, 1905, Elmer E. Larson and resides in Rice Lake, Wis.
- ii. HARLEY GEORGE, b. Dec. 12, 1884; is a student at Wisconsin State University.
- iii. ISADORE MAURINE, b. May 24, 1890; is a student at Carlton College.
- iv. ARTHUR RAYMOND, b. June 7, 1895.

**649. DR. CHARLES HENRY TROWBRIDGE** (*Harley*<sup>349</sup>, *John C.*<sup>194</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 26, 1859, in Viroqua, Wis.; resides in Viroqua; married July 7, 1892, in Madison, Wis., Edith Minnie Rogers, daughter of Gen. Earl Malden and Amanda Lura (Williams) Rogers, born July 17, 1865, in Liberty Pole, Wis.

Charles H. Trowbridge received his early education in the schools of his native place and the University of Wisconsin. He was graduated from the Chicago College of Pharmacy in 1884 with the degree of Ph.G. and from the New York College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, in 1894 with the degree of M.D. He at once began practice in Viroqua, Wis., where he has since been located.

Dr. Trowbridge is health commissioner of Viroqua and local surgeon for the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company.

## CHILDREN BORN IN VIROQUA, WIS. :

- i. DOROTHY AMANDA, b. Aug. 14, 1893.
- ii. DELIA LOUISE, b. Oct. 22, 1902.

**650. WILLIAM BONHAM TROWBRIDGE** (*Henry B.*<sup>350</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 14, 1815, in Painted Post, N. Y.; died April —, 1882, in Jasper county, Ill.; married, first, ———, 1839, in Cincinnati, Ohio, Ellen Jones of Baltimore, Md., who died ———, 1863, in St. Louis, Mo. He married, second, April —, 1869, in Jasper county, Ill., Jane Ferguson.

William B. Trowbridge went in boyhood with his parents to Westfield, Pa., where he grew to manhood. He removed to Jasper county, Ill., and was engaged in farming near Newton, the county seat.

## CHILDREN :

*By first marriage:†*

- i. DAVID, b. ———, 184—; d. "about 1865" in St. Louis, Mo.‡
- ii. FLORENCE, b. ———, 184—; m. William Crowsdale of Modesto, Cal.
- iii. WILLIAM BONHAM, b. ———, 184—; is a blacksmith in Maroa, Ill.§
- iv. JAMES BAILEY, b. ———, 184—,‡
- v. ELLEN, b. ———, 185—; m. Henry Fletcher of Goodland, Kan.
- vi. JESSIE, b. ———, 185—; m. ———, 1876, Barton Ford of Peoria, Ill.

**651. JAMES LAWRENCE TROWBRIDGE** (*Henry B.*<sup>350</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 11, 1817, in Painted Post, N. Y.; died January 11, 1897, in Hawkeye, Kan.; married May 7, 1844, in Indianapolis, Ind., Julia McDowell, daughter of Horatio and Elizabeth (Long) McDowell, born April 28, 1826, in Indianapolis. She resides in Selden, Kan.

James L. Trowbridge went in boyhood with his parents to Westfield, Pa., and became a farmer and carpenter. In early manhood he went to Marion county,

\* Except i, who was born in Cashton, Wis.

† No children by second marriage according to relatives.

‡ Can he be the man of his Christian name who served in an Illinois regiment in the Civil War? See list towards the end of this book.

§ Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

Ind., and settled there after his marriage. In 1849 he moved to a farm near Wassonville, Washington county, Iowa, and lived there until 1882, when he moved to a farm near Hawkeye, Decatur county, Kan., where he lived until his death.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 29, 1847; m. Apr. 2, 1871, Samuel Ash and resides in Zula, Okla.
- ii. MARTHA ANNE, b. Dec. 18, 1848; m. May 7, 1872, James Small of Guthrie county, Iowa.
- iii. MINERVA JANE, b. Apr. 17, 1851; m. Jan. 18, 1872, Daniel Farling and resides in Rexford, Kan.
- iv. CALVIN ELLIOT, b. Sept. 29, 1853; d. June 22, 1875, in Panora, Iowa; unm.
900. v. JAMES HARVEY, b. Aug. 15, 1857.
- vi. LAURA ELLEN, b. Mar. 18, 1860; m. Dec. 25, 1883, Earl Claar and resides in Rexford.
- vii. ROBERT ARTHUR, b. Oct. 4, 1863; d. May 26, 1864.
- viii. NORA HARRIET, b. Jan. 24, 1869.

**652.** DAVID KNOX TROWBRIDGE (*Henry B.*<sup>350</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 1, 1820, in Painted Post, N. Y.; died ———, 1852, in the Gulf of Mexico; married ———, 1849, in New Orleans, La., ———.

David K. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Westfield, Pa. When a young man he went to New Orleans, La., and at the time of his death was an engineer on a steamer sailing from that port.

## CHILD BORN IN NEW ORLEANS, LA.:

- i. MARY ELLEN, b. ———, 1850.

**653.** CHARLES WOLCOTT TROWBRIDGE (*Henry B.*<sup>350</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 4, 1822, in Westfield, Pa.; died August 31, 1863, in St. Louis, Mo.; married, first, September 5, 1847, in Shelby county, Ind., Elizabeth Ann Scott,† born September 2, 1825, in ———; died August 31, 1861, in Jasper county, Ill. He married, second, ———, 1862, Mrs. Susan Myers of Greenup, Ill. She married, third, Marion Lernay, and died February 26, 1901, in Hidalgo, Ill.

Charles W. Trowbridge learned the blacksmith's trade in his native place, and followed it there and in Middletown, Ind., and Newton, Ill. He became a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted August 12, 1862, in Company B, 97th Illinois Infantry, and died in the service the following year, while in Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, Mo.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, ILL.:‡

*By first marriage:*

901. i. JAMES HENRY, b. July 10, 1848.
- ii. CELESTA ELLEN, b. Sept. 5, 1855; m. Dec. 24, 1876, William Bradley Gray and resides in Rose Hill, Ill.
- iii. MAHALA FRANCES, b. June 21, 1858; m., 1st, Mar. 8, 1877, William Hensly of Newton, Ill.; m., 2d, June 20, 1888, Lewis Bennett and resides in Newton.

*By second marriage:*

- iv. CHARLES, b. ———, 1863; d. ———, 1864.

**654.** HENRY OSSIAN TROWBRIDGE (*Henry B.*<sup>350</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 4, 1829, in Westfield, Pa.; died January 20, 1898, in Maroa, Ill.; married ———, 1856, in Shelbyville, Ind.,

\* i-ii born in Marion county, Ind.; the others in Washington county, Iowa.

† She was brought up by the Knight family in Waldron, Shelby county, Ind.

‡ Except i, who was born in Middletown, Shelby county, Ind.

Rebecca Jane Drake, daughter of John M. and Mary (Martin) Drake. She married, second, in Shelbyville, Frank Ryker and resides in Curtisville, Ind.

Henry O. Trowbridge followed his older brothers to Indiana and was a blacksmith. It is said he was a soldier in the Civil War, serving twenty-one months, and participating in the battle of Bull Run and other engagements. He removed in middle life to Illinois, and was living in Maroa, Macon county, at the time of his death.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. LUELLA, b. ———, 1857; d. in infancy.
- ii. ALICE LILLIAN, b. Apr. 18, 1859; m. Nov. 26, 1876, F. M. Clarkson of ———, Ind.
902. iii. CHARLES HENRY, b. Oct. 26, 1860.
903. iv. GEORGE BENSON, b. Aug. 3, 1864.
- v. LIZZIE, b. Sept. 23, 1867; m. Jacob Smithson and resides in Curtisville, Ind.
- vi. SARAH JANE, b. July 28, 1869; d. May 15, 1885.
- vii. ANNIE BENSON, b. Aug. 13, 1874; m. Aug. 29, 1892, Simeon Hillard and resides in Curtisville.

**655.** GEORGE TROWBRIDGE (*Henry B.*<sup>350</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 26, 1832, in Westfield, Pa.; resides in Wade (Willow Hill P. O.), Ill.; married February 7, 1854, in Willow Hill, Sarah Elizabeth Hume, daughter of Lewis and Mary (Roberts) Hume, born March 12, 1832, in Dearborn county, Iowa; died November 26, 1880, in Wade.

George Trowbridge emigrated in early manhood to Jasper county, Ill., where he has since been engaged in farming in Wade township, near Willow Hill.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WADE, JASPER COUNTY, ILL.:

- i. FLORA, b. Nov. 20, 1854; m. Jan. 14, 1875, Frank Stretcher and resides in Smithville, Ind.
- ii. MARY, b. Mar. 1, 1858; m. Mar. 1, 1877, David Spencer Kibler and resides in Wade, Ill.
- iii. ANNA, b. Mar. 11, 1860; m. Feb. 11, 1883, George Washington Laws and resides in Wade.
- iv. KATE ALICE, b. Nov. 21, 1868; m., 1st, Apr. 6, 1892, Tyra K. Ransford of Wade; m., 2d, Nov. 10, 1897, Peter Johnson and resides in Wade.
- v. JANE, b. Aug. 3, 1871; m. Oct. 21, 1891, Harry Allen Todd and resides in Grayville, Ill.

**656.** LORENZO SIDNEY CASSET TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph B.*<sup>351</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 18, 1819, in Taylor's Creek, Ohio; died September 25, 1892, in Cowan, Ind.; married January 25, 1846, in Milan, Ind., Mary Jane Isgrigg, daughter of Elijah and Eleanor (Anderson) Isgrigg, born June 18, 1827, in Moore's Hill, Ind.; died April 7, 1902, in Cowan.

Lorenzo S. C. Trowbridge was engaged in farming in Cowan, Delaware county, Ind.

## NO CHILDREN.

**657.** REV. WILLIAM ALONZO TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph B.*<sup>351</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 26, 1821, in Taylor's Creek, Ohio; died June 25, 1893, in Muncie, Ind.; married October 8, 1848, in Cincinnati, Ohio, Mary Ann Pease, daughter of Dr. David Allen and Sophia (Wilcox) Pease, born September 22, 1830, in Rochester, N. Y. She resides in San José, Cal.

William A. Trowbridge, being left motherless when about five years of age, was taken into the home of his uncle Archibald Trowbridge. As a youth he taught school in Millcreek valley, between Cumminsville and Cincinnati. He

\* i-iii born in Edinburg, Ind.; iv in Greenwood, Ind.; v-vii in Fenn's, Ind.





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assisted his uncle in the grocery business and afterwards in the pork packing business, finally becoming junior partner in the firm of Beatty, Trowbridge & Co., pork packers, in Cincinnati. The grocery business went on also and he subsequently owned it entirely, giving up his interest in the packing business. In 1857 he moved to Alexandria, Madison county, Ind., where he engaged in mercantile business and preached in the Christian Church for the next four or five years. Then he moved to Seven Mile, Ohio, and was engaged in business there until the spring of 1869. From 1869 up to the day of his death he devoted his entire time to the ministry, preaching in Southern Ohio, Northern Kentucky and Indiana.

## CHILDREN :\*

904. i. EDWARD ALONZO, b. Apr. 3, 1850.  
 ii. WILLIAM PEASE, b. Feb. 17, 1852; d. July 6, 1852.  
 905. iii. WALTER ALLEN, b. May 8, 1853.  
 iv. FLORENCE AMELIA, b. Jan. 12, 1856; m. Dec. 19, 1876, Charles M. Flickinger and resides in Atwood, Ill.  
 906. v. LEWIS HENRY, b. Apr. 19, 1858.  
 vi. CHARLES ALBERT, b. Aug. 12, 1860; d. Aug. 22, 1860.  
 vii. JEANETTE REBECCA, b. Nov. 26, 1861; m. Sept. 26, 1885, John Henry Corrick and resides in Culbertson, Neb.  
 907. viii. JOSEPH ARCHIBALD, b. Apr. 9, 1866.

**658. DR. DAVID LINLEY TROWBRIDGE** (*Joseph B.*<sup>351</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 1, 1834, in Boone county, Ky.; resides in Napoleon, Ind.; married, first, February 28, 1854, in Newcastle, Ind., Rebecca Elizabeth Stout, daughter of Elijah and Sallie (Williams) Stont, born May 26, 1837, in ———, Ohio; died August 18, 1876, in Cowan, Ind. He married, second, October 10, 1877, in Cowan, Amanda Clevenger, daughter of Job and Elizabeth (Bowers) Clevenger, born March 14, 1857, in Delaware county, Ind.

David L. Trowbridge came to Indiana with his father. He remained with his parents until he attained his majority, his boyhood days being spent upon the farm. When he became of age he engaged in farming near Newcastle, Henry county, Ind., but in a few years he sold this place and removed to Blountsville, Ind. He there became interested in a sawmill, which he continued to operate until its destruction by fire one year later. This left him with but little money, but he rebuilt the mill and continued the business for nine years. About the time of the burning of the mill he began the study of medicine, also practicing a little among the neighbors in 1867 in Randolph county. In 1868 he changed his location to Cowan, Delaware county, where he remained until 1881, when he located in Muncie, Ind. He is now living in Napoleon, Ind.

Both Doctor Trowbridge and his wife are members of the Christian Church, in which body the doctor is a prominent factor. His first wife was also a member of the same denomination.

## CHILDREN :†

*By first marriage:*

- i. ALICE VIOLA, b. Dec. 28, 1855; m. Nov. 23, 1873, Emerson Bennett Case and resides in Canon City, Colo.  
 ii. SARAH RUHAMAH, b. Apr. 8, 1858; m. Aug. 26, 1877, Smith Childs and resides in Muncie, Ind.  
 iii. MERRITT EARL, b. Oct. 7, 1860; d. Dec. 11, 1863.  
 iv. LUZELLA ETHELYN, b. Jan. 28, 1866; m. Feb. 22, 1890, John Wesley McKinley and resides in Canon City.  
 v. WILLIAM ALBERTUS, b. Oct. 7, 1869; d. Oct. 30, 1882.  
 vi. ERNEST LINLEY, b. July 27, 1876; d. Aug. 7, 1876.

\* i-iv born in Cincinnati, Ohio; v-vi in Alexandria, Ind.; vii-viii in Seven Mile, Ohio.

† i born in Newcastle, Ind.; ii-iv in Blountsville, Ind.; v-vii in Cowan, Ind.; the others in Muncie, Ind.

*By second marriage:*

- vii. JESSIE, b. July 24, 1880.
- viii. BARTON WILLIAMS, b. Aug. 15, 1881; resides in Muncie.
- ix. LAURA MAY, b. Dec. 23, 1887; m. S. F. Lehman and resides in Terre Haute, Ind.
- x. DALE, b. July 20, 1893.

**659.** JOSEPH BEERS TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph B.*<sup>351</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 22, 1844, in Milan, Ind.; resides in Muncie, Ind.; married January 19, 1875, in Anderson, Ind., Alzora Puebla Anderson, daughter of James Ballard and Martha Jane (Lefeber) Anderson, born February 2, 1850, in Dupont, Ind.

Joseph B. Trowbridge is a handle finisher by trade and resides in Muncie, Ind.

NO CHILDREN.

**660.** JASPER J.\* MOSS TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph B.*<sup>351</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 15, 1849, in Milan, Ind.; died May 6, 1881, in Cowan, Ind.; married October 12, 1871, in Pleasant Grove, Minn., Sarah Sibeck, daughter of Frederiek and Martha (Miller) Sibeck, born January 3, 1853, in Cook county, Ill. She married, second, March 8, 1893, in Benton Harbor, Mich., J. Grafton Couch and resides in Benton Harbor.

Jasper J. M. Trowbridge was graduated in music at Valparaiso, Ind., in 1870, and from that time until his death taught vocal and instrumental music in several towns in Indiana.

## CHILDREN:

- i. ZELMA, b. Feb. 7, 1873, in Marion, Ind.; m. Feb. 23, 1897, William Frederick Roeseler and resides in Benton Harbor, Mich.
- ii. MARGRYE, b. Sept. 6, 1875, in Marion; m. Jan. 26, 1897, Herbert E. Mielke and resides in Ironwood, Mich.
- 908. iii. GILBERT EARL, b. June 11, 1878, in Newcastle, Ind.

**661.** GEORGE WASHINGTON TROWBRIDGE (*Archibald*<sup>355</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 4, 1830, in Cincinnati, Ohio; resides in Union township (Sharonville P. O.), Ohio; married January 7, 1852, in Cincinnati, Rebecca Frances Sims,† daughter of Robert and Elizabeth (Brown) Sims, born December 17, 1832, in Baltimore, Md.

George W. Trowbridge received his education at Woodward College, Cincinnati, Ohio. He entered the counting room of Beatty, Trowbridge & Co., pork packers, on the corner of Race and Canal streets, Cincinnati, in 1847. On the death of his father, Archibald Trowbridge, a member of the firm, in May, 1853, he became a partner with James Beatty, under the firm name of James Beatty & Co., and continued his interest in this business until 1878, when it was closed up.

Mr. Trowbridge moved in May, 1866, to the farm where he now resides in Union township, Butler county, Ohio. From that time he has always taken an active interest in agriculture and horticulture, especially in the latter. He has long been a prominent member of the Cincinnati Horticultural Society and the Ohio State Horticultural Society, and is a life member of the American Pomological Society. He has repeatedly expressed his interest in the work of compiling this genealogy and has rendered assistance by furnishing much information about his branch of the Trowbridge family.

\* Initial only.

† A sister of the husband of No. 353, iii.



George W. Fowbridge







W. L. Lamborn



## CHILDREN BORN IN CINCINNATI, OHIO:

- i. ARCHIBALD OWEN, b. Apr. 12, 1856; d. Oct. 26, 1858.  
 909. ii. GEORGE JOSEPH, b. Jan. 20, 1859.  
 iii. JAMES SIMS, b. Dec. 17, 1862; d. Nov. 29, 1887, in Union township, Ohio; unm.  
 910. iv. FRANCIS CHARLES, b. Feb. 11, 1865.

**662.** ARCHIBALD C. TROWBRIDGE (*Matthew L.*<sup>354</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 18, 1852, in Cincinnati, Ohio; resides in St. Louis, Mo.; married October 12, 1892, in Chicago, Ill., Maria G. Brownell, born May 20, 1853.

Archibald C. Trowbridge was for some time superintendent of the Chicago Directory Company and at present is manager of the addressing department of the Gould Directory Company, Chicago, Ill.\*

**663.** WILLIAM LEWIS TROWBRIDGE (*William L.*<sup>355</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 20, 1847, in Vicksburg, Miss.; resides in Vicksburg; married November 29, 1869, in Vicksburg, Harriet Rosanna North, daughter of John Wesley and Mary Elizabeth (DeKnight) North, born July 15, 1852, in Pittsburg, Pa.

William L. Trowbridge attended the public schools of his native city until his sixteenth year, when he was sent to St. Louis, Mo., to complete his education at St. Louis University, from which he was graduated with high honors in 1868. He was connected with the hardware firm of Hoffman & Co., Vicksburg, from 1869 to 1874, when he severed his connection with it and assumed charge of the Trowbridge House, one of the most popular hosteries of those days.

Mr. Trowbridge has long been identified with the politics of Vicksburg. He was elected an alderman and in 1890 was elected president of that board. In 1892 he was elected mayor of the city, and served six consecutive terms in that office, until January 1, 1905. Of his election in 1900, the *Vicksburg Evening Post* of January 8, 1901, said: "Mr. Trowbridge's election was a victory for good politics and good government, and will have an excellent effect on the politics of the state." Mr. Trowbridge is an important factor in Vicksburg's progress. He is a member of the Vicksburg Board of Trade and the Cotton Exchange, the Red Lights and Ben Bolians, two prominent local social organizations, and the Knights of Pythias. He worships in the Roman Catholic church. He is thoroughly domestic in his tastes, devoted to his wife and children, and his home life is particularly happy.

## CHILDREN BORN IN VICKSBURG, MISS.:

- i. MARY KATHARINE, b. June 6, 1871; m. Feb. 5, 1896, Robert Lee Groome and resides in Vicksburg.  
 ii. ADDIE JOSEPHINE, b. Jan. 8, 1873; d. June 29, 1900, in Vicksburg; unm.†  
 iii. WILLIAM LEWIS, b. Jan. 13, 1878.

**664.** HENRY JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*William L.*<sup>355</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 4, 1851, in Vicksburg, Miss.; resides in Vicksburg; married October 19, 1892, in Rolla, Mo., Ella Frances O'Brien, daughter of Patriek and Ellen (Carroll) O'Brien, born July 30, 1869, in Rolla.

Henry J. Trowbridge attended the public schools of Vicksburg and finished his education at St. Louis University, St. Louis, Mo. Beginning in a clerical position after his return from school, he became deputy sheriff of Warren county.

\* He failed to make his register complete. He did not mention any children.

† Miss Trowbridge christened the U. S. S. *Vicksburg* when it was launched at Bath, Me.

Miss., and served in that office four years. He was then, in 1880, elected city clerk of the city of Vicksburg, which position he now holds, having been continuously elected to that position since that time.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of the Red Lights and Ben Bolians of Vicksburg and the Knights of Pythias. He worships in the Roman Catholic church.

## CHILD BORN IN ROLLA, MO.:

- i. HENRY ANTHONY, b. July 20, 1893.

**665.** BENJAMIN TROWBRIDGE (*Abner*<sup>356</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>196</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 31, 1826, in Wayne, Morrow county, Ohio; died April 28, 1897, in Fairfield, Mich.; married October 24, 1850, Keziah Banbury.

Benjamin Trowbridge was a tailor for many years. Later in life he took up farming, in which he was engaged until his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ST. JOHNS, MICH.:

- i. FRANK, b. ———, 185—,\*
- ii. MARY, b. ———, 185—; m. Warren Corp and resides in Owosso, Mich.\*
- iii. JABEZ, b. ———, 186—; d. in childhood.
911. iv. ADOLPHUS CLARK, b. Jan. 18, 1867.

**666.** WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Abner*<sup>356</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>196</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 19, 1833, in Wayne, Morrow county, Ohio; resides in Upper Sandusky, Ohio; married, first, July 4, 1856, in Morenci, Mich., Mary Ann Earick, daughter of Henry and Amelia (Dennen) Earick, born February 24, 1835, in Carlisle, Pa.; died May 11, 1894, in Fayette, Ohio. He married, second, February 9, 1899, in St. Johns, Mich., Sarah Adelaide (Dawson) Lyon, widow of Louis S. Lyon, born March 18, 1847, in ———, Ind.; died January 22, 1902, in Saginaw, Mich.†

William Trowbridge taught writing school in his younger days. He is a general wood workman, carpenter and joiner, millwright, cabinetmaker and pattern-maker. He settled after his marriage in Fayette, Ohio. During the Civil War he went to the camp at Cleveland in December, 1863, and enlisted in the 128th Ohio Infantry, but was not accepted, as he was just recovering from a two and one-half years' illness. In September, 1900, he sold his property in Fayette and removed to Upper Sandusky, Ohio, where he resides at present.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FAYETTE, OHIO:

*By first marriage:‡*

- i. MARZELLAH, b. Apr. 28, 1857; m. Dec. 7, 1882, Franklin Felger and resides in Fayette.
912. ii. GUILFORD DENMAN, b. Aug. 21, 1859.
- iii. MATTIE BELL, b. Mar. 23, 1867; m. June 15, 1887, Henry J. Bachman and resides in Wauseon, Ohio.

**667.** JUDSON TROWBRIDGE (*Abner*<sup>356</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>196</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 30, 1839, in Middlebury, Knox county, Ohio; died September 10, 1906, in Fayette, Ohio; married September 30, 1860, in Morenci, Mich., Frances Amelia Cottrell, daughter of Erastus and Emily (Rogers) Cottrell, born August 25, 1842, in Gorham township, Fulton county, Ohio. She resides in Fayette.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† While on a visit at the home of a daughter.

‡ No children by second marriage.



Judson Traubridge



Judson Trowbridge until his twelfth year busied himself about his father's sawmill in his native town, where he displayed, even at that early age, an intense love for machinery. He went with his father to Williams county in 1851 and to Fulton county in 1855. He helped his father on the farm in Gorham township, near the present city of Fayette, cutting timber, logging and doing the other hard work incident to a new and heavily timbered country.

He continued his farm work after his marriage and until October, 1864, when his innate love for machinery prevailed over him, and he moved into the village of Fayette to take a place in the saw and grist mill of J. O. Allen & Co. He soon became a partner in the business, and, in looking after the two splendid engines that furnished the power to the mills, he seemed to have found the occupation for which he was fitted. He ran these powerful machines, without an accident or a break of consequence, for a period of thirty-three years—a third of a century—and by his intelligent supervision he left them, on his retirement from the mills, in apparently as good condition as when first taken from the shops.

In the year 1886, while still engaged with the work of the mills, Mr. Trowbridge helped to organize the Bank of Fayette, becoming a stockholder in it with a one-quarter interest. He was chosen one of its directors, and continued a stockholder and director until his death. He was also half-owner of the fine bank building. His latter years were passed quietly in his pleasant home in Fayette. He gave valuable assistance to the compiler of this genealogy by collecting the records of his branch of the Trowbridge family.

Mr. C. L. Allen of Fayette, his friend and partner in banking, wrote this tribute to his memory:

"Judson Trowbridge was a citizen of which any city might justly have been proud. He was not a member of any sectarian church, for his church was the world, and his membership and creed were to be a helpful factor in the world. He was public-spirited, generous and kind-hearted. Possessed of a happy, joyous disposition, he wants no better epitaph than that the world has been made just a little happier for his having lived in it. In political faith he was born and reared a Democrat, but during the Civil War he was what was known as a War Democrat, and his heart and purse were at the call of his country; and in all political struggles since that time his politics were—his country."

## CHILDREN BORN IN FAYETTE, OHIO:

- i. MERTIE JANE, b. Mar. 3, 1862; m. Mar. 8, 1883, John Asabel Noble and resides in Toledo, Ohio.
- ii. EMILY ROSELLA, b. Dec. 25, 1864; d. Mar. 5, 1868.
- iii. IDA LOUELLA, b. July 26, 1866; d. Nov. 22, 1871.
- iv. PERNINA ESTELLA, b. Mar. 30, 1871; m. Dec. 5, 1893, Carman Francis Tracy and resides in Ft. Wayne, Ind.

**668.** ALVA DARWIN TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>357</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>196</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 23, 1856, in Butler, Ind.; resides in Iola, Kan.; married December 26, 1882, in Auburn, Ind., Esther Elizabeth Shook, daughter of Ira and Eliza Elvira (Williams) Shook, born May 24, 1864, in Coldwater, Mich.

Alva D. Trowbridge is a stationary engineer. He lives at present in Iola, Kan.

## CHILDREN:

- 912a. i. WILLIAM EDWARD, b. Aug. 2, 1884, in Waterloo, Ind.
- ii. DORA MAY, b. May 21, 1886, in Kingman, Kan.
- iii. GEORGE FRANKLIN, b. Nov. 11, 1893, in Colony, Kan.

<sup>669</sup>. AMARIAH TROWBRIDGE (*Benjamin*<sup>359</sup>, *Abner*<sup>197</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 4, 1830, in Painted Post, N. Y.; died June 15, 1886, in Rochester, Mich.; married, first, ————. He married, second, September 21, 1851, in Royal Oak, Mich., Anna Pace, daughter of Frederick and Nellie (Chapell) Pace, born ———, 183—, in Port Huron, Mich.; died August 18, 1881, in Rochester.

Amariah Trowbridge came to Oakland county, Mich., with his parents, who were among the early pioneers of the county and settled in Royal Oak. He settled after his marriage in Rochester, Oakland county, and was engaged in farming there up to his entering the army during the Civil War. He enlisted in July, 1862, in Company G, 22d Michigan Infantry, was transferred to Company G, 29th Michigan Infantry, and was mustered out September 6, 1865. Soon after leaving the army he went to work in the paper mill of Barnes Bros. in Rochester, in whose employ he continued until his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ROCHESTER, MICH.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. SOPHY, b. ———, 184—; m. ——— Torry and resides in Oxford, Mich.\*

*By second marriage:*

- ii. FREDERICK, b. ———, 185—; is in business in Chicago, Ill.\*  
 iii. EDITH, b. ———, 185—; d. young.  
 iv. ETHEL, b. ———, 185—; m. Bert Wadsworth of Lapeer, Mich.  
 913. v. WILLIAM SHERIDAN, b. Mar. 28, 1859.  
 vi. SHERMAN, b. ———, 186—; is a teamster in Detroit, Mich.\*  
 vii. LAFAYETTE, b. ———, 186—; is at the Klondyke gold fields.\*  
 viii. SAMIE, b. Dec. 15, 1864; m., 1st, Aug. 26, 1883, Julian Emeric Moore of Fairport, N. Y.; m., 2d, ——— Tobias and resides in Niagara Falls, N. Y.\*  
 ix. BENJAMIN, b. ———, 186—; d. young.

<sup>670</sup>. JAMES HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Amariah C.*<sup>360</sup>, *Abner*<sup>197</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 10, 1843, in Troy, Mich.; resides in Big Rapids, Mich.; married November 14, 1871, in Utica, Mich., Minerva Elizabeth Whitney, daughter of Chauncey Wright and Phebe Ann (Leach) Whitney, born November 26, 1845, in Royalton Centre, N. Y.

James H. Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Evert, Mich., where he was engaged in the manufacture of lumber and shingles until 1880. He was proprietor of the Evert House there in 1874. In 1880 he removed to Big Rapids, Mich., where he has since been engaged in the lumber business.

## CHILD BORN IN EVERT, MICH.:

- i. ADDIE MAY, b. Sept. 23, 1872; m. Aug. 7, 1895, George Ferdinand Fairman and resides in Big Rapids, Mich.

<sup>671</sup>. GEORGE WILLARD TROWBRIDGE (*Amariah C.*<sup>360</sup>, *Abner*<sup>197</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 6, 1845, in Troy, Mich.; resides in Big Rapids, Mich.; married January 11, 1882, in Big Rapids, Mich., Eva Rachel Bovee, daughter of Harper and Sarah Jane (Hills) Bovee, born June 6, 1858, in Northville, Mich.

George W. Trowbridge is engaged in the lumber business in Big Rapids, Mich., where he has resided since a few years before his marriage.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BIG RAPIDS, MICH.:

- i. WILLARD FAY, b. Oct. 4, 1883.  
 ii. NELLIE BEATRICE, b. Dec. 28, 1885.  
 iii. GEORGE WENDELL, b. Nov. 14, 1895.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

**672.** ALMOND CAREY TROWBRIDGE (*Job*<sup>361</sup>, *Abner*<sup>197</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 13, 1849, in Rochester, Mich.; resides in Evart, Mich.; married June 12, 1867, in Evart?, Louise Bowers, daughter of Jacob and Sarah (Bankhart) Bowers, born September 8, 1845, in Lakeville, Mich.; died January 5, 1887, in Evart.\*

Almond C. Trowbridge is a blacksmith in Evart, Mich., where he has been in business for many years.

## CHILD BORN IN EVART, MICH.:

914. i. MOODIE BELL, b. Jan. 11, 1874.

**673.** AUGUSTUS BAILEY TROWBRIDGE (*Shubael*<sup>362</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 2, 1816, in Morristown, N. J.; died January 25, 1898, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; married April 10, 1839, in Mt. Freedom, Rebecca Hedden, daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Byram) Hedden, born July 26, 1817, in Centre Grove, N. J.; died August 22, 1887, in Mt. Freedom.

Augustus† B. Trowbridge was a farmer in Mt. Freedom, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MT. FREEDOM, N. J.:

- i. HANNAH MARIA, b. Aug. 23, 1840; d. Nov. 11, 1851.
- ii. THEODORE JAMES, b. Dec. 12, 1842; was a soldier in the Civil War. He was enrolled Sept. 6, 1862, in Company I, 26th New Jersey Infantry. He received wounds in action near Fredericksburg, Va., and died in the military hospital there May 4, 1863; unm.
- iii. GEORGE LANGFARE, b. Jan. 21, 1844; was a painter; d. Dec. —, 1906, in Newark, N. J.; unm.
- iv. SARAH JANE, b. June 8, 1846; m. Oct. 28, 1866, George D. Coe and resides in Mt. Freedom.
- v. CAROLINE VICTORIA, b. Sept. 16, 1848; d. Sept. 1, 1849.
- vi. ELIZABETH ELLEN, b. Sept. 16, 1850; m. Apr. 8, 1868, Charles Henry Guerin and resides in Morristown, N. J.
- 914a. vii. CHARLES WESLEY, b. June 17, 1853.
- viii. HORACE BAILEY, b. Dec. 26, 1856; is a contractor in Chicago, Ill.; unm.

**674.** ALVAH ARVEN TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>363</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 4, 1817, in Dover, N. J.; died November 30, 1872, in Port Oram, N. J.; married June 2, 1838, in Randolph, N. J., Mary Alger Vail, daughter of Thomas and Catharine (Alger) Vail, born August 26, 1822, in Morristown, N. J. She resides in Dover.

Alvah A. Trowbridge lived after his marriage in Dover, N. J., where he was connected with the iron industry. He became superintendent for the Boonton Company at Port Oram, N. J., which was a mining place owned by that company and when he went there consisted of four houses and a weighing scales.

Mr. Trowbridge was a member of the Methodist Church for thirty years. He was the founder of the Port Oram Methodist church, holding all of its offices and being superintendent of its Sunday school. He saw the school increase, until at the time of his death it numbered four hundred. He was a thoroughly conscientious man and was ever seeking to do good in the community where he lived.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DOVER, N. J.:

- i. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. June 29, 1839; m. Nov. 17, 1857, Edward King and resides in South Orange, N. J.
- ii. STEPHEN COE, b. July 22, 1841; d. June 14, 1842.
- 914b. iii. JOHN LEWIS, b. Sept. 7, 1843.
- 914c. iv. CHARLES FIRMAN, b. Nov. 6, 1846.
- v. LUCY MONROE, b. Oct. 27, 1848; d. Aug. 1, 1860, in Port Oram, N. J.

\* He is said to have married a second wife, by whom he had a son: *Charles*. He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† Known also in his youth and young manhood as *Augustin*.

**675.** GEORGE WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>363</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 1, 1825, in Dover, N. J.; died November 20, 1876, in Elizabeth, N. J.; married March 7, 1848, in Mt. Freedom, N. J., Jane McCord, daughter of Joseph and Margaret? (Till) McCord, born March 8, 1825, in Mt. Freedom; died November 9, 1895, in Elizabeth.

George W. Trowbridge was a mechanic and lived in Elizabeth, N. J.

CHILDREN BORN IN ELIZABETH, N. J.:

- i. MARGARET M., b. ———, 185—; resides in Elizabeth; unm.
- ii. IDELLA, b. ———, 185—; resides in Elizabeth; unm.

**676.** COL. CHARLES TYLER TROWBRIDGE (*Elijah F.*<sup>364</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 10, 1835, in Morris Plains, N. J.; died December 24, 1907, in St. Paul, Minn.; married, first, March 11, 1857, in Freehold, N. J., Emeline Haviland Jackson, daughter of Charles Peter and Ida (Haviland) Jackson, born August 22, 1839, in New York City; died November 24, 1858, in Freehold. He married, second, December 15, 1861, in Brooklyn, N. Y., Jane Pooler Martin,\* daughter of Henry and Hannah (Hibbert) Pooler, born July 4, 1842, in Taddington, Derbyshire, England. She resides in Excelsior, Minn.

Charles T. Trowbridge when still a boy removed to Brooklyn, N. Y., and lived there until the outbreak of the Civil War. He enlisted December 4, 1861, and was appointed sergeant in Company F, 1st New York Engineers, being General Hunter's orderly, and went with the regiment to the South Carolina coast. There he took up the work of drilling the slaves who had come into the camp as refugees, and a provisional organization was formed, in which he was first made a captain May 6, 1862, but was not mustered in as such until October 13, 1862. The regiment was called the First South Carolina Volunteer Infantry, he being captain of Company A. Other companies being recruited, he was promoted to the rank of major. When colored volunteers became recognized troops and the regiments were numbered under the government service this regiment became the 33d U. S. Colored Troops and Major Trowbridge was promoted December 9, 1864, to the rank of lieutenant-colonel of the regiment, Col. Thomas Wentworth Higginson being its colonel. The regiment was attached to the 10th Army Corps and was engaged in the operations about Charleston, S. C., during the siege of Fort Pulaski. It was in the expeditions up the Edisto and St. Mary's rivers, the action at Morris Island and the siege of Fort Sumter. Colonel Trowbridge had a great faculty in dealing with his colored boys, catching their dialect, and commanding their confidence. He was greatly beloved by them, and had such success with them that he was assigned to duty with the Freedman's Bureau, serving in that capacity at Charleston, S. C., until mustered out March 15, 1866. He was honorably discharged March 4, 1866, with the rank of lieutenant-colonel but had commanded the regiment for nearly two years, on account of Colonel Higginson being wounded and retired from active service.†

After the war Colonel Trowbridge returned to his home in Brooklyn, N. Y. He served four terms in the Brooklyn Common Council as alderman from the 10th Ward, and afterwards was a member of the New York Assembly, during the session of 1879. In April, 1882, he removed to Minneapolis, Minn., where he was regularly engaged in his business as a contracting brick mason until 1901. He was then appointed by Gov. S. F. Van Sant custodian of the old state capitol building in St. Paul, Minn. He was reappointed by Governor Johnson and occupied that position until his death.

\* Her father died when she was only sixteen months old and on his deathbed gave her into the care of his mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Martin of Brooklyn, N. Y., whose family name she afterwards took.

† In the *Outlook* for July, 1898, Colonel Higginson described at some length Colonel Trowbridge and his aptitude in handling his colored troops.





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Colonel Trowbridge was a famous speaker at campfires, having few equals in patriotic oratory, and was also in demand during campaigns. He was past commander of George N. Morgan Post, G. A. R., of Minneapolis, and a member of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States. As a tribute to his memory and faithfulness to duty, the governor ordered the flag to be hoisted to half-mast over the old state capitol and the building closed as far as possible on the day of Colonel Trowbridge's funeral.

In a communication to the *Boston Transcript* soon after Colonel Trowbridge's death, Col. Thomas Wentworth Higginson, who was Colonel Trowbridge's superior officer in the early years of the Civil War and his lifelong friend, pays this interesting tribute to his memory: "It is sometimes said that the greatest real heroes of war are the unknown men, and I have just heard of the death of one of these. There are reported by statistics 178,975 men who served as colored soldiers in our civil war and the first man who ever enlisted these was Lieutenant Colonel Charles T. Trowbridge, who has just died at Minneapolis, where he has acted of late years as custodian of the statehouse. He was originally a sergeant in the Civil War in the regiment of New York Volunteer Engineers under Colonel Serrell, and was detailed from it, May 8, 1862, to organize the so-called 'Hunter regiment' of negro soldiers in South Carolina. He was a thoroughly trained mechanic, large and strong, with a stentorian voice, a fine ear for music and the most fearless disposition; gifts and qualities which he retained up to the end of his life, and which were all thoroughly appreciated by negro soldiers and which I fully esteemed when he came under my command.

"His first enlistment of black soldiers came in with difficulty, not so much from personal timidity on their part as because the white officers and soldiers around them were generally opposed to the experiment and filled the ears of negroes with the same tales which had been told by their masters, that the Yankees meant to sell them to Cuba and the like. Nobody could assure them that they and their families would be legally freed by the government, since no such policy had yet been adopted. When Trowbridge visited the first plantation for the purpose, in May, 1862, every black man who saw him approach ran at once into the woods. One black woman, however, tall and absolutely erect—as the slave women of the South always were, being accustomed to carry everything on their heads—came forward and asked him what he wanted. On his explaining, she turned and walked into the woods by herself and presently came back with all the men following. Still the enlistment was slow and before long some of General Hunter's staff became impatient and induced that most impulsive of men to take the position that the blacks must be made to enlist by force. Accordingly squads of soldiers were sent to seize all the able-bodied negroes and bring them into the camp. The immediate consequence was a renewal of the old suspicion, ending in a widespread belief that they were to be sent to Cuba, as their masters had predicted. Up to the end of three months, however, the 'Hunter regiment' continued in camp and was then nominally disbanded, as having been formed without authority. One company, however, under command of Sergeant Trowbridge—then acting as captain, though not commissioned—had been sent August 5, 1862, to garrison St. Simon's island. The whites on the island were gradually driven from it, and no negro flinched.

"Trowbridge and his company, however, remained two months on the island, his men being poorly clothed, and with no new supply of uniforms. In October, 1862, after General Saxton came from Washington with authority to organize colored troops, he made Trowbridge senior captain of the revived First South Carolina. He was thus constantly in command of colored troops, from May 9, 1862 to February 9, 1866, having been such for nearly six months, before my arrival (November 23, 1862) and nearly a year before Colonel Shaw, whose

commission was dated April 17, 1863. Had not Trowbridge enlisted the 'Hunter regiment' and brought one company of it through without showing cowardice or insubordination, it is very doubtful whether Butler or anyone else would have renewed the enterprise.

"But for some want of early education on his part, Trowbridge would probably have commanded the regiment. As it was, he was of the greatest value, his strength and power of labor being inexhaustible and his loyalty to those placed above him unimpeachable. He had also two qualities especially valuable in dealing with colored troops, one of these being his stentorian voice both in commanding and in singing, and peculiarly important in a camp where all soldiers were free to sing, and did so constantly. He had another inestimable quality, namely an immense deal of humor, so that he constantly kept his associate officers enlivened by anecdote and imitation. After I had left the regiment, two years later, on account of a wound, the way should have been opened to him to be commander, but a political colonel was put in, as was common in those days, one who was detailed for some civil service in Washington and hardly ever visited the regiment. Trowbridge and his command were gradually ordered on some more distant expeditions than they had known before, including some of great daring of which his written narrative will at some time, I hope, be printed. Trowbridge was a magnificent specimen of those men of moderate training and early disadvantages out of whom the Civil War made heroes."

## CHILD BORN IN BALL BLUE, N. J.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. IDA EMELINE, b. Apr. 6, 1858; m. Oct. 6, 1880, Lewis Roberts Pomeroy and resides in Orange, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BROOKLYN, N. Y.:

*By second marriage:*

- ii. JENNIE ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 16, 1865; m. July 24, 1889, Moses Burham Critchett and resides in Clear Lake, S. D.
- iii. EMMA TEMPERANCE, b. May 17, 1867; d. Apr. 20, 1875.
- iv. ANNIE ELFORD, b. Nov. 17, 1869; m. June 26, 1895, Charles Adams Speedy and resides in Excelsior, Minn.
915. v. CHARLES HENRY, b. Mar. 5, 1872.
- vi. JOSEPHINE TEMPERANCE, b. Dec. 26, 1875; m. June 27, 1900, William McQuoid and resides in Mission, Minn.

677. FRANCIS GRANGER TROWBRIDGE (*Elijah F.*<sup>361</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>158</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 7, 1836, in Morris Plains, N. J.; died April 6, 1885, in New York City; married in the fall of 1865 in Brooklyn, N. Y., Mary Elizabeth Hume,\* daughter of William and Mary Elizabeth (Ford) Hulme, born September 7, 1842, in Paterson, N. J.; died October 17, 1869, in Orange, N. J.

Francis G. Trowbridge was educated in the public schools of his native town and Brooklyn, N. Y., to which city his parents removed when he was thirteen years of age. He later engaged in the coal and wood business there. He enlisted for three years as a soldier in the Civil War, being enrolled August 22, 1862, as a corporal in Company D, 139th New York Infantry, and being promoted sergeant-major. He was badly wounded by a bursting shell in the battle of Cold Harbor, June 1, 1864. He was discharged at the expiration of his term of service. After his discharge from the army he received an appointment in the New York Custom House. He never entirely recovered from the wound he received in the army, and it undoubtedly hastened his death.

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\* The letter "I" in their name was dropped by her and her brother Albert some years after the decease of their parents.

## CHILD BORN IN NEWARK, N. J.:

- i. WILLIAM MATTHEW, b. Feb. 14, 1868; was regularly adopted by his great-uncle John O. Ford and his wife Jane H. Ford of Newark, and his name was changed to  
916. WILLIAM ELMER FORD.

678. JOHN AUGUSTIN TROWBRIDGE (*Elijah F.<sup>364</sup>, Augustin<sup>198</sup>, Shubael<sup>137</sup>, David<sup>114</sup>, Joseph<sup>105</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born May 28, 1839, in Morris Plains, N. J.; resides in Chatham, N. J.; married April 26, 1866, in Chatham, Margaretta Drake Lum, daughter of Harvey Mandrid and Harriett (Sturges) Lum, born June 5, 1843, in Chatham; died February 5, 1903, in Chatham.

John A. Trowbridge enlisted with his brother Charles December 4, 1861, in Company F, 1st New York Engineers, his brother being its sergeant. On May 6, 1862, he was promoted to the rank of lieutenant of Company A, 1st South Carolina Colored Troops, of which his brother was recruiting officer and later captain. The regiment was afterwards known as the 33d U. S. Colored Troops and was the first colored regiment organized by the government.

After leaving the army Mr. Trowbridge married and settled in Chatham, N. J.; where he has since resided, being engaged in business there as a carpenter.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CHATHAM, N. J.:

917. i. ALFRED MUCHMORE, b. July 29, 1868.  
917a. ii. FRANK LUM, b. Oct. 2, 1870.  
iii. CHARLES LYNDON, b. Feb. 16, 1873; is an engineer in Chatham; unm.  
iv. ROY STURGES, b. Nov. 8, 1875; is a mechanical engineer in Newark, N. J.; unm.  
v. HARRIETT ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 14, 1881.

679. EDWIN LINDSLEY TROWBRIDGE (*David<sup>365</sup>, Augustin<sup>198</sup>, Shubael<sup>137</sup>, David<sup>114</sup>, Joseph<sup>105</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born April 23, 1832, in Morris Plains, N. J.; died February 18, 1899, in Newark, N. J.; married August 2, 1853, in Newark, Sarah E. Carter, daughter of William and Sarah (Long) Carter, born September 20, 1835, in Caldwell, N. J.; died March 29, 1894, in Newark.

Edward L. Trowbridge settled in Newark, N. J., where he engaged in business as a mason builder. He later established the firm of E. L. Trowbridge & Sons, mason builders, which continued in business until a few years ago.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWARK, N. J.:

- i. WILLIAM WESLEY, b. ———, 185—; d. in Newark.\*  
ii. JAMES DAVID, b. ———, 185—; d. in Newark.\*  
iii. FRANK, b. ———, 186—; d.  
iv. EMMA, b. ———, 186—; m. Jan. 1, 1891, William Disbrow and resides in Newark.

680. JOHN THOMPSON TROWBRIDGE (*David<sup>365</sup>, Augustin<sup>198</sup>, Shubael<sup>137</sup>, David<sup>114</sup>, Joseph<sup>105</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born July 7, 1841, in Morris Plains, N. J.; resides in Boonton, N. J.; married, first, January 14, 1868, in Morristown, N. J., Edna Elizabeth Pierson, daughter of Samuel Freeman and Mary (Moore) Pierson, born March 25, 1847, in Morristown; died March 21, 1879, in Morristown. He married, second, September 23, 1885, in Boonton, Mary Frances Jones, daughter of Daniel and Sarah (Belcher) Jones, born September 28, 1860, in Boonton.

John T. Trowbridge received his early education in the district school on Morris Plains and at the age of sixteen commenced to teach school at the Union School on the Mendham road, about two miles from Morristown. After

\* He left a family, who failed to answer the compiler's letters.

having taught two or three years, he took a course at Stiles' Seminary in Deckerstown, N. J. On his return he again engaged in teaching. He then went to Poughkeepsie, N. Y., where he was graduated from Eastman's Commercial College.

For the following nine years he was engaged in teaching. He taught at Union Hill, N. J., and Monroe, N. J., near Morristown, two different years each; one year at Whippany, N. J.; one year at the Mountain district below Morristown; was the first teacher and taught one year in the new schoolhouse at Morris Plains, erected on the site of the old stone schoolhouse where he received his early education; one year at Morristown; and one year at Brookside, N. Y. In the spring of 1871 he removed to Boonton, N. J., and engaged in the book and stationery business, in which he has continued up to the present time.

Mr. Trowbridge served one term of three years on the Boonton Board of Education, was president of the first board of education under the new charter, consisting of one commissioner-at-large and six other members, and was elected commissioner-at-large for a term of three years. He is a member of the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Boonton, having joined that church in 1874.

## CHILDREN :\*

*By first marriage:†*

- i. ELLA LOUISA, b. Dec. 9, 1868; m. June 14, 1893, Melvin C. Van Ness and resides in Paterson, N. J.
918. ii. FRED AUGUSTUS, b. Jan. 12, 1870.
- iii. ALMIRA, b. Feb. 4, 1871; d. Feb. 28, 1871.
- iv. CHARLES DAVID, b. Sept. 23, 1875; d. Aug. 26, 1876.

**681.** LEWIS TROWBRIDGE (*Eliphalet*<sup>366</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 12, 1822, in Utica, Ohio; died November 15, 1887, in Mt. Vernon, Ohio; married April 15, 1844, in Utica, Elizabeth Robinson, daughter of Allen and Elizabeth (McKinley) Robinson, born October 6, 1823, in Utica; died March 12, 1899, in Cleveland, Ohio.

Lewis Trowbridge was a farmer and miller. He lived a few years after his marriage in his native town, Utica, Licking county, Ohio, and then removed to Knox county, where he lived the remainder of his life.

He was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted June 25, 1861, for three years in Company I, 12th Ohio Infantry, and was discharged for disability at Columbus July 23, 1862. The latter part of his life was passed in Mt. Vernon, Ohio, where he and his wife were members of the First Presbyterian Church.

## CHILDREN :‡

- i. ANABEL, b. Mar. 29, 1846; m. May 3, 1866, John Peter Bush and resides in West Salem, Ohio.
- ii. CHARLOTTE, b. Oct. 6, 1853; m. Thurston McCracken and resides in Cleveland, Ohio.§
- 918a. iii. WILLIAM DAVID, b. Jan. 2, 1859.
- iv. HELEN KATE, b. Oct. 8, 1866; m. Oct. 2, 1904, William C. Hodges, M.D., and resides in Chesterville, Ohio.

**682.** JOSEPH MONTANYE TROWBRIDGE (*Eliphalet*<sup>366</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 16, 1824, in Utica, Ohio; died April 19, 1898, in Fredericktown, Ohio; married May 23, 1872, in Mt. Vernon, Ohio, Cicely Clarke, who died October 28, 1889, in Fredericktown.

\* i born in Morris Plains, N. J.; ii-iii in Morristown, N. J.; iv in Boonton, N. J.

† No children by second marriage.

‡ i-ii born in Utica, Ohio; iii in Brandon, Ohio; iv in Mt. Liberty, Ohio.

§ Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

Joseph M. Trowbridge in 1850 moved to a farm that he had bought near Chesterville, Ohio. He lived there until his marriage, after which he settled in Fredericktown, Ohio, where he resided until his death. He was engaged in farming all of his life and was a considerable landowner.

## NO CHILDREN.

**683.** DAVID KIRKPATRICK TROWBRIDGE (*Eliphalet*<sup>366</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 22, 1830, in Utica, Ohio; died April 12, 1880, in Johnstown, Ohio; married April 7, 1857, in Johnstown, Helen Maria Reed, daughter of Alpheus and Almira (Allen) Reed, born December 24, 1835, in Keysville, N. Y. She resides in Columbus, Ohio.

David K. Trowbridge prior to his marriage was a clerk in Mt. Vernon, Ohio, being in the employ of Jared Sperry and later in that of a Mr. Wolf. After his marriage he engaged in the dry goods business in Utica, Ohio. On April 1, 1863, he removed to Johnstown, Ohio, where he was for a time in business with his father-in-law, Mr. Reed, and then engaged in farming and stock raising. He was a most successful stockdealer, and was a good all-round business man. He resided in Johnstown until his death.

Mr. Trowbridge was elected mayor of the village of Johnstown, held the office of justice of the peace there for fourteen years, and was also for several years a member of the school board. He was active in the Masonic and Odd Fellows lodges, passing through the chairs in both of them. He was a man who had a large acquaintance and many friends.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. MARY JOSEPHINE, b. Oct. 15, 1858; d. Aug. 15, 1868.
- ii. ALPHEUS REED, b. Oct. 20, 1869; m. ———; d. ———, 190— in Brooklyn, N. Y.†
919. iii. CHARLES DAVID, b. Jan. 1, 1863.
- iv. RANSOM JAY, b. Jan. 21, 1868; is a furniture dealer in Columbus, Ohio.‡
- v. HARRY ALLEN, b. July 2, 1870.
- vi. JOSEPH SAMUEL, b. Apr. 7, 1873; was a traveling salesman; d. ———, 190—, in Columbus: unm.

**684.** ELIPHALET AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*Eliphalet*<sup>366</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 31, 1832, in Utica, Ohio; died January 31, 1899, in Chesterville, Ohio; married December 15, 1854, in Homer, Ohio, Angeline Jones, daughter of Erasmus and Rachel (Clark) Jones, born May 12, 1832, in Utica. She resides in Chesterville.

Eliphalet A. Trowbridge settled after his marriage on a farm in his native town, Utica, Ohio. He was one of the first to respond to the call for troops in the Civil War. He enlisted August 15, 1861, for three years and was appointed sergeant of Company D, 1st Ohio Cavalry, and was mustered out October 6, 1864. He re-enlisted March 2, 1865, for one year in Company K, 4th U. S. Veteran Volunteer Infantry, and was mustered out March 2, 1866. He participated in many battles and skirmishes, including the campaigns in Eastern Kentucky, the Shenandoah, Alabama and Tennessee, and was with Sherman to Atlanta. He served throughout the war without being wounded or spending a day in the hospital through sickness.

Mr. Trowbridge removed in 1872 from Utica to a farm near Chesterville, Ohio, and in 1887 moved to Chesterville village, where he lived until his death. "He was a faithful and brave soldier, a loyal friend and citizen, always ready to assist those in need, and was beloved and honored by all who knew him."

\* i-iii born in Utica, Ohio; iv-vi in Youngstown, Ohio.

† Leaving a widow and one child: a daughter.

‡ Failed to answer the compiler's letters. He is married and has one child: a daughter.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. MARY HELEN, b. Jan. 25, 1858; m. Sept. 22, 1886, John Baxter Hodges and resides in Johnstown, Ohio.
- ii. MELVINA, b. Jan. 5, 1860.
- 920. iii. ELIPHALET AUGUSTUS, b. Jan. 29, 1862.
- iv. JOSEPH MONTANYE, b. Sept. 2, 1864.
- v. JOHN RAYMOND, b. Nov. 20, 1866.
- 920a. vi. ERNEST CLARK, b. Mar. 1, 1869.
- vii. EDWARD W., b. Apr. 24, 1871.
- viii. NELLIE EVELINE, b. Aug. 30, 1873.
- ix. IDA MAY, b. Feb. 9, 1876.

**685.** CHARLES STINSON TROWBRIDGE (*Eliphalet*<sup>366</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 11, 1836, in Utica, Ohio; died March 7, 1891, in Utica; married January 10, 1860, in Utica, Emily Susannah Smoots, daughter of George and Susan (Knisley) Smoots, born August 2, 1835, in Utica. She resides in Utica.

Charles S. Trowbridge lived in Utica, Ohio, his native place. He was a clerk in a dry goods store in early life, but after his marriage engaged in farming. Not liking life on a farm, he moved into the village in April, 1869. He then learned the carpenter's trade and followed it up to the time of his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN UTICA, OHIO:

- i. CLARA J., b. Feb. 20, 1862; resides in Utica; unm.
- ii. HELEN REED, b. Aug. 3, 1864; m. Nov. 22, 1892, Lewis Robinson and resides in Utica.
- 921. iii. GEORGE SMOOTS, b. Aug. 20, 1866.
- iv. ANNA ELECTA, b. May 5, 1868; m. Feb. 11, 1890, Arthur Eldo Benedict and resides in Utica.
- v. FLORA MAY, b. July 31, 1873; m. Apr. 2, 1895, Salem Homer Barrack and resides in Zanesville, Ohio.

**686.** SAMUEL WOODROW TROWBRIDGE (*Eliphalet*<sup>366</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 15, 1842, in Utica, Ohio; died January 11, 1893, in Mt. Gilead, Ohio; married, first, in Chesterville, Ohio, Flora Bartlett, who died in Chesterville. He married, second, September 22, 1874, in Chesterville, Mary Lindsay, daughter of C. K. and Marilla (Denman) Lindsay, born June 21, 1856, in Winterset, Iowa. She resides in Mt. Gilead.

Samuel W. Trowbridge settled in Chesterville, Ohio, and was a merchant. He was a soldier in the Civil War. He was treasurer of Mt. Gilead township for four years.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CHESTERVILLE, OHIO:

*By second marriage:†*

- i. RALPH DENMAN, b. May 30, 1876; resides in Peoria, Ill.; unm.
- ii. MARIE, b. Aug. 24, 1879.

**687.** JOHN JABEZ TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>367</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 10, 1819, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; died February 1, 1872, in Center Grove, N. J.; married February 28, 1845, in Mt. Freedom, Eunice M. Dalrymple, daughter of Henry and Harriet (Hoagland) Dalrymple, born August 25, 1821, in Dover, N. J.; died August 18, 1900, in Dover.

John J. Trowbridge was engaged in farming all of his life in Morris county, N. J.

\* i born in Utica, Ohio; ii in Homer, Ohio; iii in Appleton, Ohio; iv-vii in Utica, Ohio; viii-ix in Chesterville, Ohio.

† One child by first marriage died a few hours before its mother.



## CHILDREN :\*

- i. HARRIET ANNA, b. Feb. 3, 1846; m. July 8, 1866, Thomas Horatio Whitford of Camden, N. J.
- ii. GEORGE WHITFIELD, b. Nov. 23, 1847; d. Dec. 12, 1868, in Center Grove, N. J.; unm.
- iii. EMILY FRANCES, b. Apr. 27, 1849; m. Dec. 20, 1871, Charles Carter DeHart and resides in Philadelphia, Pa.
- iv. HENRIETTA, b. June 17, 1851; d. Apr. 16, 1874, in Center Grove; unm.
- v. MARY JANE, b. Apr. 16, 1853; m. Oct. 3, 1872, Charles E. Clark of Dover.
- 922. vi. LEVI JARRARD, b. Nov. 22, 1858.
- 922a. vii. JAMES DALRYMPLE, b. Apr. 20, 1861.

**688.** CHARLES LEWIS TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>367</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 21, 1821, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; died May 29, 1880, in Dover, N. J.; married February 18, 1854, in Dover?, Charlotte Kitheart, daughter of Joseph and Mary (————) Kitheart, who died March 12, 1866, aged 40.

Charles L. Trowbridge was a carpenter by trade and lived in Millbrook, near Dover, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DOVER, N. J.:

- i. A daughter, m. Dayton Lawrence and resides in Dover.†
- ii. A daughter.

**689.** DAVID AUSTIN TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>367</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 21, 1828, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; died July 4, 1899, in Parsippany, N. J.; married February 21, 1850, in Mt. Freedom, Catherine Caroline Coe, daughter of Peter and Rhoda Ann (Drake) Coe, born October 24, 1832, in Mt. Freedom; died February 14, 1898, in Littleton, N. J.

David A. Trowbridge was a carpenter by trade. He was for many years the sexton of the First Presbyterian Church of Mt. Freedom, N. J., of which he and his wife were both members.

He was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted for nine months and was enrolled September 3, 1862, in Company B, 27th New Jersey Infantry, and was mustered out July 2, 1863.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MT. FREEDOM, N. J.:

- i. ARMINA GERTRUDE, b. Dec. 26, 1850; m. Dec. 13, 1868, John Lloyd and resides in Kearney, N. J.
- 923. ii. CHARLES AUSTIN, b. June 30, 1852.
- iii. RHODA ANN, b. Sept. 3, 1854; m., 1st, Apr. 20, 1872, Jeremiah Wiggins; m., 2d, May 27, 1877, Jesse Lake of Washington, N. J.
- 923a. iv. WILLIAM FRANCIS, b. July 6, 1856.
- v. MALITTA, b. Oct. 13, 1858; m. June 27, 1882, Walter V. Mesler and resides in Morristown, N. J.
- vi. LAURA ELLA, b. Nov. 17, 1860; m. Nov. 17, 1885, Joseph Matthew Moody and resides in Morristown.
- 923b. vii. BRYANT, b. June 29, 1863.
- viii. SARAH JANE, b. Feb. 4, 1866; m. Feb. 16, 1888, Abram Sanford Snyder and resides in New Vernon (Millington P. O.), N. J.
- 923c. ix. GEORGE WHITFIELD, b. Dec. 14, 1868.
- x. EMMA FRANCES, b. Mar. 25, 1871; m. Nov. 19, 1893, Walter Scott Mingus and resides in Morris Plains, N. J.
- 923d. xi. DAVID JARRARD, b. July 11, 1875.

**690.** EDWARD YOUNGS TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>367</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 16, 1832, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; died August 7, 1891, in Millbrook, N. J.; married, first, February 15, 1854, in

\* i-ii born in Succasunna, N. J.; iii-iv in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; v-vii in Center Grove, N. J.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

Millbrook, Phebe Bryant, daughter of Joseph and Mary (———) Bryant, who died December 31, 1859, aged 25. He married, second, in Dover, N. J., Catharine King.

Edward Y. Trowbridge was a carpenter in Millbrook, near Dover, N. J. He was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted for one year and was enrolled September 5, 1864, in Company K, 39th New Jersey Infantry, and was mustered out June 17, 1865.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MILLBROOK, N. J.:

- i. ANNA<sup>2</sup>, m. ——— Moore and resides in Dover, N. J.\*
- ii. A daughter.

**691.** JOHN LEWIS TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>368</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 30, 1827, in New Providence, N. J.; died December 29, 1887, in Elizabeth, N. J.; married March 17, 1853, in Elizabeth, Ann Whyman, daughter of Henry and Elizabeth (Taylor) Whyman, born March 12, 1831, in Kingswood, N. J.; died July 31, 1904, in Elizabeth.

John L. Trowbridge lived all his married life in Elizabeth, N. J. He was a teamster for two years and was then appointed superintendent of the almshouse. He later engaged in business as a fish dealer, in which he continued for about thirty years. He was a very genial man and was liked by all who knew him.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ELIZABETH, N. J.:

- i. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 7, 1853; m. May 10, 1873, George Van Pelt and resides in Elizabeth.
924. ii. LEWIS HENRY, b. Dec. 15, 1856.
- iii. HARRIET MAY, b. Jan. 8, 1859; m. Apr. 28, 1881, Albert Grote and resides in Elizabeth.
- iv. JULIA ANN, b. June 7, 1861; m. Mar. 29, 1883, Reuben Savage and resides in Elizabeth.
- v. FRANCIS WILLIAM, b. Sept. 19, 1866; d. Nov. 23, 1868.
- vi. NELLIE FRANCES, b. Oct. 19, 1868; d. Mar. 31, 1870.
- vii. EMMA FRANCES, b. Dec. 23, 1870.
- viii. HARRY CLIFFORD, b. Oct. 31, 1873; is engaged in the real estate and insurance business in Elizabeth; unm.
- ix. CLARISSA HAND, b. Mar. 11, 1876.

**692.** HENRY AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>368</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 17, 1835, in New Providence, N. J.; died November 20, 1898, in Elizabeth, N. J.; married May 14, 1868, in Elizabeth, Mary Ann Metz, daughter of Anton and Elizabeth (Marlow) Metz, born April 3, 1843, in New York City. She resides in Elizabeth.

Henry A. Trowbridge went in 1852 to Elizabeth, N. J., where he served a three-year apprenticeship at carpentry. In 1855 he went to Davenport, Iowa, where he worked at his trade four years, then returning to Elizabeth, where he continued working at his trade until the summer of 1862, when he enlisted in the army during the Civil War.

He was enrolled August 16, 1862, for three years' service in Company C, 14th New Jersey Infantry. He participated in the battles of Locust Grove, Mine Run, Winchester, Cedar Creek and the Wilderness. He was wounded during the battle of Cold Harbor, June 1, 1864, receiving a gunshot wound through both thighs. He was mustered out June 18, 1865.

After his discharge from the army he returned to Elizabeth, where he subsequently married and where he continued to follow his trade the remainder of his life. He was a member of Ulric Dahlgren Post, G. A. R., of Elizabeth.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ELIZABETH, N. J.:

925. i. FRANCIS AUGUSTUS, b. Apr. 19, 1869.  
 ii. NETTIE MAY, b. July 24, 1870; is a school-teacher in Elizabeth; unm.  
 iii. PRISCILLA ELLA, b. Jan. 7, 1873; d. Nov. 23, 1873.  
 iv. HENRY ARTHUR, b. Feb. 12, 1875; d. July 16, 1892.  
 v. ELIZABETH EDITH, b. Mar. 19, 1878; resides in Elizabeth; unm.  
 vi. HELEN GRACE, b. Apr. 3, 1880; m. June 19, 1907, Harry Wilson Gehm and resides in Elizabeth.  
 vii. ALICE RUTH, b. May 13, 1882; d. Jan. 28, 1887.

**693.** JAMES MCGREW TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel G.<sup>370</sup>, David<sup>200</sup>, Samuel<sup>138</sup>, David<sup>114</sup>, Joseph<sup>105</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born January 24, 1826, in Kingwood, W. Va.; resides in Kingwood (Albright P. O.); married November 18, 1850, in Fayette county, Pa., Sarah Ann Snyder,\* daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth (Albright) Snyder, born July 26, 1834, in Green Glades, near Terra Alta, W. Va.

James M. Trowbridge has lived all of his life in his native place, Kingwood, W. Va. He is a farmer and miller.

## CHILDREN BORN IN KINGWOOD, W. VA.:

- i. ALBERT, b. Aug. 27, 1851; d. May 5, 1856.  
 ii. MARY ELLEN, b. Jan. 15, 1854; m. May 25, 1870, William Hunter McClain and resides in Albright, W. Va.  
 iii. ANZORETTA PERSIS, b. June 10, 1856; m. June 6, 1881, Benjamin Franklin Denberger and resides in Marietta, Ohio.  
 iv. CATHERINE ISABELLA, b. Feb. 26, 1858; m., 1st, May 24, 1883, George Gerald Sledge of Washington, D. C.; m., 2d, Jan. 15, 1885, Edward Patrick Cotter and resides in Reedsville, W. Va.  
 926. v. CHARLES IRA, b. Mar. 24, 1860.  
 vi. SARAH JANE, b. Dec. 29, 1861; m. Oct. 5, 1879, Albertis Slawter and resides in Ohio, W. Va.  
 vii. LUVENIA MARGABET, b. Feb. 12, 1864; m. June 20, 1880, Nathaniel Westfall and resides in Bell's Mills, W. Va.  
 927. viii. JOSEPH MADISON, b. Feb. 11, 1865.  
 ix. SIGNORA, b. Mar. 10, 1870; m. Sept. 18, 1889, Thomas Othello Farnsworth and resides in Buckhannon, W. Va.  
 x. THURMAN, b. Nov. 29, 1873; is a farmer in Kingwood; unm.  
 xi. GEORGIA PEARL, b. Nov. 23, 1880.

**694.** DAVID BOYD TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel G.<sup>370</sup>, David<sup>200</sup>, Samuel<sup>138</sup>, David<sup>114</sup>, Joseph<sup>105</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born January 15, 1830, in Kingwood, W. Va.; died April 20, 1902, in Caney, Kan.; married, first, March 11, 1855, in Geneva, Pa., Mary Sophia Snyder,† daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth (Albright) Snyder, born ———, 1836, in Green Glades, W. Va.; died July 19, 1866, in Kingwood. He married, second, July 5, 1867, in Morgantown, W. Va., Margaret Walls, daughter of James and Nancy (Joseph) Walls, born March 21, 1849, in Morgantown. She resides in Caney, Kan.

David B. Trowbridge was a millwright and carpenter. He settled after his marriage in his native place, Kingwood, W. Va., where he was engaged at his trade. During the Civil War he entered the Union army, being mustered into service October 21, 1862, in Company B, 3d West Virginia Cavalry. He participated in thirteen battles and was dangerously wounded. He was discharged June 6, 1865. He went West after his second marriage, finally locating in Caney, Kan., where he resided until his death.

\* A sister of the first wife of his brother No. 694.

† A sister of the wife of his brother No. 693.

## CHILDREN :\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. MARGARET ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 19, 1855; m. Louis Kamayer of Sacramento, Cal.
- ii. CLARK MCCLURE, b. June 21, 1858; was eight years old when his mother died and he was taken into the home of Ellis Forman and his wife Lydia (Gribble) Forman. After their death he served a three years' apprenticeship at the blacksmith's trade in Terra Alta, W. Va., going to his trade Nov. 7, 1877. He then worked at his trade either for private companies or railroads in Grafton and Terra Alta, W. Va., Deer Park, Md., Piedmont, W. Va., Grantsville, Md., William, Hambleton, Thomas and Parsons, W. Va. He then went to St. Joseph, Mo., where he worked in a machine shop. He enlisted Nov. 3, 1887, at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., in Company 1, 6th U. S. Infantry, and served three years. He was then for a year in the employ of the West Virginia Central Railroad Company at Elkins, W. Va. In November, 1901, he enlisted at the U. S. Military Prison as a guard, and was detailed to run the electric plant, but was discharged for disability after seven months in the hospital, June 2, 1903. Since then he has worked at his trade or at electric work, or on the farm in Terra Alta, which is his permanent home. Since June, 1907, he has been employed as fireman of the heating plant of the U. S. Military Home in Washington, D. C. He has the reputation of being a man of exemplary habits. He is unmarried.
- iii. EDWARD ALONZO, b. Mar. 1, 1860; is a blacksmith in Newport, Ky.

*By second marriage:*

- iv. JANE, b. Sept. 16, 1870.
928. v. DAVID SYLVESTER, b. Jan. 29, 1875.
929. vi. ALBERT, b. June 29, 1879.
- vii. ETHEL GERTRUDE, b. Oct. 14, 1890; m. Apr. 25, 1906, Robert Henry Simpson and resides in Jones, Okla.

695. EDGAR CLARK TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel G.*<sup>370</sup>, *David*<sup>200</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>128</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 13, 1834, in Kingwood, W. Va.; resides in Los Angeles, Cal.; married October 26, 1866, in Kingwood, Sadie Elizabeth Ziem, daughter of Hon. Peter and Charlotte (Matiek) Ziem, born December 26, 1848, in Kingwood.

Edgar C. Trowbridge lived part of his youth with his parents and part with his maternal uncle, Hon. J. C. McGrew, in Kingwood, W. Va. Both families being strict Methodists, he received a good moral and religious training, for which he has always been thankful. While still quite a young man he engaged in the lumber and stave business, his market being Baltimore for lumber and Cuba for staves. At this business he was reasonably successful and followed it until the breaking out of the Civil War in 1861, but as his base of operations was in the disputed territory he lost about all he had made. In the spring of 1861 he gave up his business and assisted in recruiting two companies of the 3d West Virginia Infantry for the Union army. He expected to be mustered into Company C, but shortly before the company was organized he was taken ill with the measles, and when he recovered he was partially deaf, in consequence of which he could not be received into the regular volunteer service.

In June, 1861, General Roscerans was in command, with headquarters at Clarksburg, W. Va., part of his command being at Weston, W. Va., and badly in need of supplies, for which the government did not have transportation. In this emergency Mr. Trowbridge collected a number of volunteer teams and furnished the necessary supplies. After this and until early in December he furnished supplies in the same way to General Reynolds' command at and near Huttonsville, W. Va. About this time he was relieved by regular government transportation and he then went in charge of government transportation, with

\* i-iv born in Kingwood, W. Va.; v in Cherokee Nation; vi in Grafton, W. Va.; vii in Bloomfield, Ark.

Capt. A. P. How, commanding Company G, U. S. Artillery, first to Ronney, W. Va., and from there to Washington, D. C. He then assisted in the organization of the transportation of the artillery reserve under Gen. H. J. Hunt, and went in charge of it through the Peninsular campaign, and remained in that capacity in the Army of the Potomac until after the battle of Fredericksburg. He then went with General Burnside when he was placed in command in East Tennessee. In 1863 and 1864 he was engaged in transporting supplies from Kentucky to Tennessee, and afterwards was chief of transportation for the 23d A. C. until November, 1864, at which time it was transferred to the Army of the Cumberland at Chattanooga, Tenn., and he went via Washington, D. C., into North Carolina to join Sherman. In Washington he assisted in the organization of new transportation for the 23d A. C. and shipped it on transports to Morehead City, N. C. He then went to the front, joining the army at Goldsborough, N. C., and from there to Raleigh, N. C., where he remained in charge of transportation and assisted in the sale of transportation and army supplies until October 23, 1865, at which time he was discharged and returned to his home in West Virginia. During all this time he was in active service as an employé. At two different times he was offered a commission, but refused to accept.

After retiring to civil life he engaged in mercantile pursuits in Williamsport, W. Va. In 1869 he removed with his wife to Kahoka, the county seat of Clark county, Mo. He lived there sixteen years, part of the time engaged in merchandising and part of the time as agent for the Keokuk and Western Railroad Company. He then moved to Wellington, Kan., where he was in mercantile business about twenty years. He recently removed to Los Angeles, Cal., where he is engaged in the grocery business.

## CHILDREN BORN IN KAHOKA, MO.:

- i. EDGAR JOY, b. July 18, 1870; d. Sept. 24, 1877.
- ii. PARK GRIFFIN, b. July 24, 1873; is a jeweler and oculist in Glenwood Springs, Colo.\*

**696.** JOHN WILLIAM BARKER TROWBRIDGE (*Malin P.*<sup>371</sup>, *Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 22, 1836, in Kingwood, W. Va.; resides in Nicklow Mills, W. Va.; married January —, 1865, Frances B. Carr, daughter of David Carr.\*

John W. B. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm near Kingwood, W. Va. He was a soldier in the Union army, being mustered into service June 28, 1861, for three years in Company C, 3d West Virginia Infantry, which later became Company C, 6th West Virginia Cavalry. He participated in the battles of Bull Run, Cross Keys, Antietam, Winchester and many others. He is a farmer near Nicklow Mills, Barbour county, W. Va.

## NO CHILDREN.

**697.** JESSE MONROE TROWBRIDGE (*David L.*<sup>372</sup>, *Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 29, 1832, in Kingwood, W. Va.; resides in Bonner Springs, Kan.; married January 1, 1856, in Iowa City, Iowa, Sarah Jane Salisbury, daughter of Henry and Margaret (Conway) Salisbury, born June 20, 1834, in Clyde, N. Y.

Jesse M. Trowbridge received a good education in the schools of his native place and then learned the trade of a carpenter. In early manhood he went West and settled in Iowa City, Iowa, of which place his uncle Samuel C. Trowbridge was one of the founders. He there became a farmer and stock raiser on an

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\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

extensive scale. He held several offices there, among which were justice of the peace for eight years, town clerk for four years, and assessor for two years. About 1878 he removed with his family to Harrisonville, Mo., and a few years later to Bonner Springs, Kan., near Kansas City, where he resides at present, being engaged in business as a contractor and builder. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity and has been a master mason for about forty years.

## CHILDREN:\*

930. i. WALTER JOHN, b. June 23, 1856.  
 931. ii. JAMES LANE, b. July 18, 1858.  
 iii. EUGENIE (JENNIE), b. July 11, 1860; is a telephone operator in Denver, Colo.; unm.  
 iv. MOLLIE ANNA, b. Oct. 12, 1862.  
 v. MARGUERITE, b. Aug. 14, 1866; m. Sept. 24, 1885, Samuel Chester Summerwell and resides in Denver.  
 vi. LIZZA, b. Nov. 6, 1869; d. Aug. 16, 1870.  
 vii. NETTIE MARIE, b. June 22, 1871; m. June 21, 1888, Charles Belleau and resides in Hill City, Kan.  
 viii. DAVID EDWARD, b. Dec. 14, 1874; d. Feb. 28, 1875.  
 ix. ADELLA, b. June 21, 1876.  
 x. WILLIAM HENRY, } twins, d. Dec. 4, 1880.  
 xi. ELSIE MAUD, } b. June 21, 1880; m. Dec. 25, 1896, Walter L. Dunlap and resides in Bonner Springs, Kan.

698. SAMUEL ORRIN TROWBRIDGE (*David L.*<sup>372</sup>, *Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 3, 1836, in Kingwood, W. Va.; died February 28, 1904, in Carbon, Iowa; married March 1, 1864, in Iowa City, Iowa, Bertha Ellen Farley, daughter of John and Louvina (Sutton) Farley, born January 30, 1840, in Stafford, Ohio; died August 14, 1900, in Carbon.

Samuel O. Trowbridge when a young man went to Iowa City, Iowa, where his brother also lived. After living there for some years, he removed with his family and finally settled in Carbon, Adams county, Iowa. He was there engaged for many years in coal mining, operating a shaft in partnership with his eldest son.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. JANE LOUVINA, b. Dec. 19, 1864; m. May 1, 1882, John Scanlon and resides in Fremont, Neb.  
 ii. ELLA MAY, b. May 11, 1866; m. Aug. 21, 1887, Beecher Emmons and resides in Lawton, Okla.  
 iii. CLARA EMMA, b. Nov. 19, 1868; m. Apr. 7, 1897, William Willison and resides in Arlington, Neb.  
 iv. NORA, b. Feb. 28, 1871; m. May 25, 1896, Rollie Ellis and resides in Carbon, Iowa.  
 v. CELIA ANN, b. Mar. 3, 1873; m. Oct. 11, 1891, George Riley Wheeler and resides in Carbon.  
 vi. MINNIE OLIVE, b. Mar. 17, 1875; m. Jan. 15, 1894, John Logan Byers and resides in Elkhart, Iowa.  
 932. vii. BENJAMIN DAVID, b. May 19, 1877.  
 viii. SAMUEL KIRKWOOD, b. July 27, 1881; is farming in Corning, Iowa; unm.

699. LEANDER MARION TROWBRIDGE (*Hannah*<sup>201.v</sup>, *Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 1, 1837, in Kingwood, W. Va.; resides in Clay Centre, Kan.; married April 5, 1860, in Kingwood, Dorothy Casseday, daughter of James and Frances (Snyder) Casseday, born December 12, 1833, in Preston county, W. Va.; died September 22, 1904, in Clay Centre.

Leander M. Trowbridge was brought up by his grandfather Jesse Trowbridge in his native place, Kingwood, W. Va. He settled there after his marriage and

\* i-ix born in Iowa City, Iowa; x-xi in Harrisonville, Mo.

† i, iii and iv born in Iowa City, Iowa; ii in Morfordsville, Iowa; v-vii in Tama City, Iowa; viii in Hill City, Kan.

was engaged in school-teaching up to the time of the Civil War. He enlisted September 5, 1861, for three years in Company F, 6th West Virginia Infantry, and was mustered out as a corporal at the expiration of his term of service. On his way home, he was in a train wreck near Wheeling, W. Va., and was almost burned to death by a stove tipping over on him, one leg being so badly injured that it had to be amputated. The first amputation he performed himself, before he was carried to the hospital at Grafton, where two more amputations were found necessary. Notwithstanding his injuries and an attack of typhoid fever, through which he also passed at the hospital, he was able to return in sixty days to his home in Kingwood. He again taught school until his health failed. He then went West, in 1870, and next year bought a farm near Meredith, Cloud county, Kan., where he lived until 1891. He then, in order to give his four younger sons school advantages, removed to Clay Centre, Kan., where he has since resided. He and his family are members of the Methodist Episcopal church in Clay Centre.

## CHILDREN :\*

933. i. CHARLES WORTHINGTON, b. Dec. 24, 1860.  
 ii. FRANCES ADDEEN, b. Dec. 7, 1861; m. Oct. 20, 1886, Charles Treadwell and resides in Clay Centre, Kan.  
 iii. ALICE ROSALETTE, b. June 23, 1863; m. Oct. 24, 1882, L. A. Myres and resides in Hollis, Kan.
934. iv. SPENCER SHERIDAN, b. Jan. 12, 1866.
935. v. JOHN FRANKLIN, b. June 1, 1867.  
 vi. HANNAH LEOTA, b. Nov. 10, 1868; d. Sept. 5, 1870.  
 vii. EMILY VIRGINIA, b. Apr. 5, 1870; m. Sept. 2, 1892, George McElroy and resides in Aurora, Kan.  
 viii. JESSE WALKER, b. Aug. 14, 1871.  
 ix. WILLIS CHESTER, b. Oct. 24, 1873.  
 x. JAMES ALLEN, b. Aug. 7, 1875.  
 xi. LEANDER, b. Mar. 27, 1877.  
 xii. A child, b. Jan. 31, 1879; d. Feb. 5, 1879.

**700.** ALBERT GALLATIN TROWBRIDGE (*George McC<sup>375</sup>, Jesse<sup>201</sup>, Samuel<sup>138</sup>, David<sup>114</sup>, Joseph<sup>105</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born May 17, 1853, in Tunnelton, W. Va.; resides in Tunnelton; married July 9, 1876, in Tunnelton, Mary Frances Taylor, daughter of Samuel and Selina (Weaver) Taylor, born February 28, 1858, in Wood county, W. Va.

Albert G. Trowbridge has always lived in his native place, Tunnelton, W. Va. He is a coal miner.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TUNNELTON, W. VA.:

- i. HOMER, b. Mar. 17, 1880.  
 ii. GRACE, b. Oct. 21, 1882; m. Charles F. Wolf and resides in Tunnelton.  
 iii. ALBERT GALLATIN, b. Oct. 5, 1883.  
 iv. CLARA BELLE, b. June 1, 1885.  
 v. WILLIAM HARVEY, b. Mar. 30, 1887.  
 vi. GROVER CLEVELAND, b. Dec. 16, 1888; d. Feb. 14, 1904.  
 vii. SYLVANUS, b. June 5, 1891; d. Feb. 4, 1907.  
 viii. GEORGE McCCLUSKY, b. Dec. 26, 1895.  
 ix. ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 27, 1898.  
 x. JESSIE, b. July 28, 1899.

**701.** SHERMAN SEDON TROWBRIDGE (*George McC<sup>375</sup>, Jesse<sup>201</sup>, Samuel<sup>138</sup>, David<sup>114</sup>, Joseph<sup>105</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born December 18, 1854, in Tunnelton, W. Va.; resides in Howesville, W. Va.; married November 25, 1883, in Tunnelton, Mattie Duff, daughter of George B. and Latha (Pratt) Duff, born March 23, 1865, in Preston county, W. Va.

\* i-vii born in Kingwood, W. Va.; viii in Harrisonville, Mo.; ix-xii in Meredith, Kan.

Sherman S. Trowbridge lived in his native place until October, 1884, when he moved with his wife to Austen, Preston county, W. Va. He was employed in the coke works there for a time and then bought property there. He sold this later and in September, 1903, bought a farm near Howesville, Preston county, where he lives at present. He is a member of the Methodist Episcopal church in Howesville.

## CHILDREN BORN IN AUSTEN, W. VA. :\*

- i. ELIJAH BLEDSO, b. Aug. 10, 1888.
- ii. LILLIAN ROSE, b. Mar. 31, 1890.
- iii. GEORGE ELLSWORTH, b. Sept. 24, 1893.
- iv. LNEZ IOLA, b. Feb. 6, 1896.
- v. DAISY PEARL, b. May 21, 1898.
- vi. ROSS VICTOR, b. Apr. 23, 1901.
- vii. EDITH VIOLET, b. Jan. 29, 1906.

**702.** JOHN THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*George McC.*<sup>375</sup>, *Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 30, 1863, in Tunnelton, W. Va.; died March 31, 1906, in Tunnelton; married ———, 1899, in Tunnelton, Albertie McGinnis, daughter of John W. and Clarissa (Pratt) McGinnis. She resides in Tunnelton.†

John T. Trowbridge was a coal miner in his native place, Tunnelton, W. Va.

## CHILD BORN IN TUNNELTON, W. VA. :

- i. CLARENCE, b. ———, 190—.

**703.** ISAAC ARMSTRONG TROWBRIDGE (*Bowen G.*<sup>376</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 17, 1843, in Bruceton Mills, W. Va.; resides in Agee, Tenn.; married June 11, 1868, in Union Furnace, Ohio, Rachel Isabel Courter, daughter of Peter and Elizabeth (Coleman) Courter, born May 13, 1845, in ———, Pa.; died August 2, 1888, in Newcomb, Tenn.

Isaac A. Trowbridge came in 1866 with his parents to Union Furnace, Ohio, where two years later he married and settled. He took up the trade of a carpenter and joiner. He remained in Union Furnace until February, 1884, when he removed with his family to Newcomb, Tenn., where he took a position as foreman in a planing mill and box factory. In 1888 he removed to Barboursville, Ky., and two years later to Middlesborough, Ky., and worked in the capacity of foreman in a woodworking establishment. In 1884 he returned to Tennessee and located in Elk Valley, where he conducted a sawmill and manufactured hard-wood lumber, crates and box shooks. In 1902 he removed to Agee, Tenn., where he is at present engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN UNION FURNACE, OHIO :‡

- i. DELLA LUTITIA, b. Apr. 1, 1869; m. Nov. 14, 1894, Richard A. Watkins and resides in Middlesborough, Ky.
- ii. GEORGE ALLEN, b. Dec. 29, 1871; d. Dec. 12, 1889, in Barboursville, Ky.; unm.
936. iii. PETER BOWEN, b. Nov. 11, 1873.
937. iv. CHARLES FRANCIS, b. Nov. 13, 1875.
- v. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 20, 1877; d. Feb. 10, 1903, in Agee, Tenn.; unm.
- vi. LUHAMA WILMINA, b. Jan. 11, 1879; m. May 19, 1896, Edward A. Stout and resides in Nelsonville, Ohio.
938. vii. HOMER MAURICE, b. Apr. 9, 1881.
- viii. JOSEPH EDWARD, b. Apr. 21, 1883; d. May 6, 1885, in Newcomb, Tenn.
- ix. LAWRENCE BRUCE, b. Dec. 7, 1886; is farming with his father in Agee; unm.

\* Except vii, who was born in Howesville, W. Va.

† She failed to answer the compiler's letters.

‡ Except ix, who was born in Newcomb, Tenn.



**704.** SAMUEL NEWTON TROWBRIDGE (*Bowen G.*<sup>376</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 25, 1846, in Bruceton Mills, W. Va.; resides in Union Furnace, Ohio; married December 4, 1870, in Ewing, Ohio, Amanda Thrush, daughter of John and Henriette (Brown) Thrush, born March 24, 1845, in Ewing; died November 5, 1885, in Union Furnace.

Samuel N. Trowbridge came with his father to Union Furnace, Ohio, and has lived there ever since. He is a farmer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN UNION FURNACE, OHIO:

- 939. i. THOMAS BENTON, b. July 12, 1871.
- 940. ii. ROBERT HOWARD, b. Jan. 28, 1873.
- 941. iii. THEODORE JENNISON, b. Oct. 2, 1875.
- iv. LUCY ALBETLA, b. Aug. 17, 1877.
- v. WILLIAM MARSHALL, b. Oct. 21, 1879.
- vi. BRUCE LESLIE, b. July 21, 1881.
- vii. GEORGE BRANSON, b. Apr. 1, 1884; d. Oct. 24, 1900.

**705.** GEORGE COLLIN TROWBRIDGE (*Bowen G.*<sup>376</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 4, 1851, in Bruceton Mills, W. Va.; died August 19, 1881, in Orrville, Ohio; married May 12, 1871, in Logah, Ohio, Nancy Lanning, daughter of James and Elsa (Allen) Lanning, born May 21, 1844, in Orrville. She resides in Union Furnace, Ohio.

George C. Trowbridge went in boyhood with his father to Union Furnace, Ohio. He settled there and was a farmer.

## NO CHILDREN.

**706.** WILLIAM HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Bowen G.*<sup>376</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 15, 1853, in Bruceton Mills, W. Va.; resides in Union Furnace, Ohio; married October 27, 1887, in New Plymouth, Ohio, Ferrie Jane Bickle,\* daughter of Lewis and Sarah Jane (McCormick) Bickle, born August 13, 1865, in Union Furnace.

William H. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Union Furnace, Ohio, and has lived there since that time. He is in the brick business.

## CHILDREN BORN IN UNION FURNACE, OHIO:

- i. EDNA MAY, b. July 10, 1888.
- ii. GRACE MERL, b. July 14, 1890.
- iii. PARK WILLIAM, b. Oct. 8, 1892.
- iv. CLARENCE PURL, b. May 30, 1895.

**707.** SAMUEL REESE TROWBRIDGE (*Reese*<sup>377</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 5, 1847, in Winchester, Ind.; resides in Evansville, Ind.; married December 8, 1872, in Mattoon, Ill., Eva Warmon, daughter of Philip and Harriet (Giddens) Warmon, born December 25, 1857, on board a steamer on the Atlantic Ocean.

Samuel R. Trowbridge at the age of sixteen years became a soldier in the Civil War. He was mustered July 10, 1863, into Company F, 102d Indiana Infantry, minutemen, and was mustered out July 17. He enlisted for six months and was mustered July 22, 1863, into Company G, 116th Indiana Infantry, and was mustered out March 1, 1864. After reaching his majority he went into railroading as a brakeman. In a few months he was promoted to be a yardmaster and filled that position in Mattoon, Ill., and Indianapolis and Terre Haute, Ind. He then received an appointment as traveling freight agent. He held that position for a number of years, and then resigned. He was connected during this period with the Indianapolis and St. Louis Railroad Company. He at present resides in Evansville, Ind., where he is a fruit dealer.

\* A sister of the wife of his nephew No. 939.

## CHILDREN :

942. i. CHARLES REESE, b. Sept. 15, 1873, in Mattoon, Ill.  
 943. ii. FRANK EMMET, b. June 29, 1874, in New York City.

**708.** JOHN ALLEN TROWBRIDGE (*Preston*<sup>378</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 8, 1859, in Kingwood, W. Va.; died February 9, 1883, in ———, Pa.; married ———, 188—, in ———, Pa., Jennie Bosley.

John A. Trowbridge was a teamster in his native place, Kingwood, W. Va.

## NO CHILDREN.

**709.** WILLIAM BOWEN TROWBRIDGE (*Collin B.*<sup>379</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 18, 1855, in North Salem, Ind.; resides in South Bend, Ind.; married January 4, 1883, in ———, Kan., Lizzie E. Freeland.\*

William B. Trowbridge is an assistant freight agent in South Bend, Ind.

## CHILDREN :

- i. ALICE, b. ———, 1884.
- ii. CARRIE, b. ———, 188—.
- iii. CHARLES EDGAR, b. ———, 188—.
- iv. WILLIAM OLIVER, b. ———, 189—.
- v. MARK, b. ———, 189—.

**710.** EDGAR COLLIN TROWBRIDGE (*Collin B.*<sup>379</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 28, 1856, in North Salem, Ind.; resides in Chandlerville, Ill.; married August 19, 1896, in Chandlerville, Nancy (Greenwood) Johnson, widow of Andrew D. Johnson and daughter of Demarcus and Minerva (Lockwood) Greenwood, born December 18, 1866, in Chandlerville.

Edgar C. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm near Ludlow, Ill. He has resided since his marriage in Chandlerville, Ill., where he is in business as a contractor and builder and is also a manufacturer of all kinds of cement blocks.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CHANDLERVILLE, ILL. :

- i. GRACE MAY, b. Apr. 12, 1897.
- ii. STANLEY GREENWOOD, b. Nov. 7, 1898.
- iii. MAURICE BOWEN, b. Apr. 1, 1901.
- iv. BLANCHE ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 3, 1903.
- v. FRANK COLLIN, b. Dec. 29, 1905.

**711.** OLIVER R.† TROWBRIDGE (*Collin B.*<sup>379</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 26, 1860, in North Salem, Ind.; resides in Normal, Ill.; married December 29, 1885, in Normal, Alice Carrie McCormick, daughter of Henry and Numantia Betsey (Kinyon) McCormick, born March 13, 1861, in Blaine, Ill.

Oliver R. Trowbridge remained at home until he was twenty-one, attending school winters and working summers on his father's farm near Ludlow, Ill. He taught school four terms prior to his twenty-second birthday. He then entered Illinois State Normal University at Normal, Ill., completing the course in June, 1885. He was superintendent of the city schools at Lacon, Ill., the following three years, during which period he wrote "Illinois and the Nation: How they are Governed," and studied law. He moved to Chicago, where he

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† Initial only.

studied law one year and entered into practice, receiving the degree of LL.B. from Lake Forest University. In 1894 he left Chicago and located in Bloomington, Ill., where he formed a partnership for the practice of law with Messrs. R. L. Fleming (state's attorney) and J. A. Bohrer, under the firm name of Trowbridge, Fleming & Bohrer. He has since continued practicing his profession in Bloomington, making his home in Normal, two miles distant.

## NO CHILDREN.

**712.** RICHARD TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac S.*<sup>380</sup>, *Bethuel*<sup>203</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 25, 1848, in Clinton county, Ohio; resides in Sweetzer, Ind.; married, first, ———, 1872, in Sweetzer, Emily Loring, who died ———, 1884, in Sweetzer. He married, second, ———, 1885, in Sweetzer, Eliza Herbert, who died ———, 1889, in Sweetzer. He married, third, ———, 1890, in Sweetzer, Ella Jones, who died ———, 1896, in Sweetzer.

Richard Trowbridge came with his father to Indiana. He is a farmer in Sweetzer, Grant county.\*

**713.** AARON TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac S.*<sup>380</sup>, *Bethuel*<sup>203</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 5, 1850, in Clinton county, Ohio; resides in Marion, Ind.; married April 14, 1887, in Mier, Ind., Theresa Jane Clanin, daughter of Samuel and Susanna (Duffield) Clanin, born August 22, 1866, in Grant county, Ind.

Aaron Trowbridge came as a young man with his father to Indiana. He has continued to live there and is a farmer in Marion, Grant county.

## CHILDREN:

- i. CALLIE MAY, b. Mar. 18, 1888, in Richland, Grant county, Ind.
- ii. LALIE DELL, b. Dec. 17, 1889, in Converse, Miami county, Ind.
- iii. HAZEL VERNESTON, b. June 11, 1892, in Marion, Grant county.

**714.** HENRY BRUSH TROWBRIDGE (*Jonah W.*<sup>381</sup>, *William*<sup>204</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 12, 1859, in Madison county, Ohio; died November 11, 1880, in Madison county; married August 12, 1880, in Madison county, Angie B. Baldwin.

Henry B. Trowbridge was engaged in farming all of his life in his native place, Madison county, near London, Ohio. At the age of nineteen he became a member of the Methodist Episcopal church in London, in which he remained a consistent member until his death.

## NO CHILDREN.

**715.** WESLEY ALLEN TROWBRIDGE (*John II.*<sup>382</sup>, *William*<sup>204</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 19, 1878, in Pleasant township, Franklin county, Ohio; resides in Madison county (London P. O.), Ohio; married, first, December 25, 1901, in Cedarville, Ohio, Belva A. Huffman, daughter of Jacob and Mary (———) Huffman. He married, second, December 18, 1904, in London, May Plaice, daughter of Wallace and Alice (———) Plaice, born May 3, 1883.

Wesley A. Trowbridge is engaged in farming and cattle raising in Oakrum township, near London, Madison county, Ohio.

## CHILD BORN IN MADISON COUNTY, OHIO:

*By second marriage:†*

- i. LAWRENCE, b. Sept. 25, 1905.

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† No children by first marriage.

**716.** ERNEST NELSON TROWBRIDGE (*Albert*<sup>385</sup>, *William*<sup>204</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 16, 1873, in New Carlisle, Ohio; resides in Springfield, Ohio; married April 26, 1900, in Springfield, Lena Ernestine Bickel, daughter of George William and Margaret (Kuntz) Bickel, born February 20, 1878, in Springfield.

Ernest N. Trowbridge resides in Springfield, Ohio, and is a collector for the Sun Publishing Company.

## CHILD BORN IN SPRINGFIELD, OHIO:

- i. PAUL ERNEST, b. Feb. 14, 1903.

**716a.** HAROLD LECRONE TROWBRIDGE (*Albert*<sup>385</sup>, *William*<sup>204</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 2, 1875, in Vienna, Clarke county, Ohio; died June 11, 1896, in Springfield, Ohio; married August 25, 1895, in Dayton, Ohio, Lucy Hutchinson. She married, second, John Hughes and resides in Springfield.\*

Harold L. Trowbridge was a machinist and lived in Springfield, Ohio.

## CHILD BORN IN SPRINGFIELD, OHIO:

- i. EDWARD EARLE, b. ———, 1896.

**717.** SHERMAN MERRITT TROWBRIDGE (*Joel L.*<sup>387</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>205</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 10, 1881, in Clinton county, Ind.; resides in Sedgwick, Kan.; married April 11, 1902, in Sedgwick, Theodessa Watson, daughter of Alonzo Heman and Alice Katherine (Ward) Watson, born April 11, 1884, in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Sherman M. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Sedgwick county, Kan., and is at present engaged in farming near Sedgwick.

## CHILD BORN IN SEDGWICK, KAN.:

- i. DWIGHT MURL, b. Mar. 21, 1907.

**718.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 12, 1815, in Frankfort, Ky.; died September 5, 1866, in Tampico, Ind.; married March 6, 1834, in Salem, Ind., Sarah Denny,† daughter of David and Hannah (———) Denny, born December 7, 1815, in Salem; died September —, 1888, in Crothersville, Ind.

David Trowbridge went in boyhood with his parents to Salem, Ind. He lived on his father's farm until 1840, when he removed to a farm near Tampico, Jackson county, Ind. He and his brother William operated one of the first threshing machines ever made, the old "ground hog," manufactured in Hamilton, Ohio. He continued to cultivate his farm near Tampico during the remainder of his life. He joined the Campbellite Church when a boy and lived a consistent Christian until his death.

## CHILDREN:‡

944. i. JOSEPH, b. Oct. 13, 1835.
945. ii. FRANCIS MARION, b. May 16, 1837.
- iii. EPHRAIM LEWIS, b. Dec. 19, 1838; d. Oct. 15, 1860, in Tampico, Ind.; unm.
- iv. RACHEL DULCINA, b. Feb. 14, 1841; m. ———, 1867, Philip Briner of Tampico.
- v. PELINA ELLEN, b. Dec. 16, 1842; m. Jan. 5, 1860, Daniel Barringer of Crothersville, Ind.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† A sister of the husband of No. 206, x.

‡ i-iii born near Salem, Ind.; the others near Tampico, Ind.

- vi. JAMES MILTON, b. Sept. 15, 1845; was a soldier in the Civil War. He was mustered in "for six months' service" Aug. 14, 1863, in Company H, 117th Indiana Infantry, and died of measles contracted in the army Jan. 6, 1864, in Knoxville, Tenn.; unm.
946. vii. WILLIAM WALTER, b. Mar. 9, 1850.
- viii. HANNAH AMANDA, b. Nov. 21, 1853; d. in infancy.
- ix. AMANDA, b. Sept. 15, 1855; m. May 26, 1890, Hiram Carlock of Crothersville.

**719.** JAMES WALKER TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 28, 1817, in Frankfort, Ky.; died January 25, 1885, in Brownstown, Ind.; married, first, January 2, 1839, in Canton, Ind.?, Elizabeth Jones, daughter of Jeremiah Jones, born March 16, 1816, in ———; died ———, 1847, in Brownstown. He married, second, ———, 185—, in Jackson county, Ind., Sallie Haun,\* daughter of Henry and Barbara (Hunt) Haun, born February 22, 1825, in Little York, Ind.; died May 8, 1900, in Brownstown.

James W. Trowbridge went with his parents as a boy to Salem, Ind. He became a blacksmith. He settled after his marriage in Canton, a neighboring town in Washington county, removing in a few years to Tampico, Jackson county, and then to Brownstown, the county seat. He lived there until his death.

## CHILDREN :†

*By first marriage:*

- i. ROBERT WILLIAM, b. Dec. 25, 1840; d. ———, 1870; unm.‡
947. ii. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. Mar. 23, 1842.
- iii. LUCINDA, b. Dec. 4, 1843; d. ———, 1855.
948. iv. DAVID GILFINCHY, b. Nov. 19, 1845.

*By second marriage:*

- v. SAMUEL, b. ———, 185—; is a butcher in Brownstown, Ind.§
949. vi. LEVI EMMETT, b. Mar. 7, 1856.
- vii. JENNIE, b. ———, 185—?; m. Fletcher Nicholson.
- viii. EWEL, b. ———, 186—; is a carpenter in Brownstown.§
- ix. LANA, b. ———, 186—?; m. Frank Balden.
- x. LEOTA, b. ———, 186—?; d.

**720.** DILLARD TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 30, 1827, near Winchester, Ky.; died January 16, 1904, in Alton, Kan.; married, first, April 4, 1847, in Jackson county, Ind., Hannah Jane Prince, daughter of Jacob and Sarah (Logan) Prince, born September 3, 1831, in Washington county, Ind.; died January 14, 1888, in Gaylord, Kan. He married, second, December 28, 1892, in Gaylord, Eliza Wells, daughter of Richard and Sarah Ann (Cummings) Wells, born May 1, 1841, in St. Joseph, Mo. She resides in Alton.

Dillard Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Salem, Washington county, Ind. He settled after his marriage near Brownstown, Jackson county, and later lived in Edgar county, Ill., Wayne county, Iowa, Nodaway county, Mo., Gaylord and Alton, Kan. He was always engaged in farming. He was a member of the I. O. O. F.

## CHILDREN :||

*By first marriage:\*\**

950. i. ISAAC FRANKLIN, b. Oct. 9, 1849.
951. ii. JEROME ELBRIDGE, b. Oct. 24, 1851.

\* A sister of the second wife of his uncle No. 391.

† i-ii born in Canton, Ind.; iii-iv near Tampico, Ind.; the others in Brownstown, Ind.

‡ He is supposed by the compiler to have been the man of his name who was a soldier in the Civil War and enlisted for three years June 14, 1862, in Company G, 54th Indiana Infantry. No. ii above (No. 947) was in that company.

§ Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

|| i-iii born in Brownstown, Ind.; iv in Edgar county, Ill.; v-viii near Warsaw, Iowa; ix in Nodaway county, Mo.

\*\* No children by second marriage.

- iii. WALTER BENTON, b. Jan. 16, 1854; d. Nov. 25, 1871.
- 952. iv. WILLIAM LEVI, b. Mar. 30, 1856.
- v. JAMES WILSON, b. Dec. 1, 1859; d. Sept. 8, 1862.
- 953. vi. ALBERT PRINCE, b. Feb. 23, 1861.
- vii. ANNA AMANDA, b. Sept. 12, 1864; m. June 1, 1879, Rev. Robert D. Thrasher and resides in Stockton, Kan.
- viii. HETTY ARMITA, b. Aug. 9, 1870; d. Mar. 21, 1874.
- ix. MILA PARAZETA, b. Sept. 10, 1872; d. Mar. 27, 1874.

**721.** WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 10, 1829, in Salem, Ind.; died September 6, 1865, in Tampico, Ind.; married March 16, 1853, in Tampico, Matilda Mitchell,\* daughter of Jonathan and Nancy (McCampbell) Mitchell, born May 16, 1832, in Washington county, Ind. She resides in Danvers, Ill.

William Trowbridge followed his eldest brother, David, to Jackson county, Ind., and after his marriage settled near him on a farm about four miles from Tampico. After the outbreak of the Civil War he tried to enlist in the army, but, having lost his two front teeth, he was rejected. He, however, helped to organize the Tampico company of "home guards," which followed Morgan's guerilla raiders from Little York, Washington county, to the Ohio state line. This was the only time his company was called out, but he always held himself ready for any service that he might be called on to perform, and made himself useful by administering to the needs of those of his neighbors whose husbands and fathers were in the army. He died soon after the close of the war.

CHILDREN BORN IN TAMPICO, IND.:

- i. NANCY ISABEL, b. Feb. 26, 1854; m. Jan. 1, 1878, Joseph Edward Denton and resides in Danvers, Ill.
- ii. RACHEL ANN, b. June 7, 1855; d. Aug. 12, 1857.
- iii. MARGARET ALICE, b. Nov. 4, 1856; m. Jan. 7, 1881, Edwin Franklin Deal and resides in Bloomington, Ill.
- iv. LAURA EMMA, b. Feb. 7, 1858; m. May 24, 1888, Charles Ludlum and resides in Danvers.
- v. DORSON ORLANDO, b. Jan. 13, 1860; d. Oct. 4, 1868.
- 954. vi. EMORY ELLSWORTH, b. Mar. 1, 1862.
- vii. IDA OLIVE, b. Sept. 9, 1864; m. Oct. 7, 1890, Melon Ziems of Eureka, Ill.

**722.** REV. ALLEN HARVEY TROWBRIDGE (*Dempsey*<sup>359</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 13, 1826, in Salem, Ind.; died August 11, 1902, in Rutland, Ill.; married, first, June 6, 1851, in Martinsville, Ind., Sarah Stafford, daughter of Grant and Mary (Maffett) Stafford, born August 1, 1833, in Martinsville; died October 31, 1886, in Rutland. He married, second, July 26, 1888, in Rutland, Jessie Cordelia (Mattison) Thompson, widow of Charles Henry Thompson of Rutland and daughter of Luman and Azubah (Kenyon) Mattison, born March 26, 1837, in Petersburg, N. Y. She resides in Rutland.

Allen H. Trowbridge† in the autumn of 1841, when fifteen years of age, attended a series of meetings held at Liberty Church by James M. Mathis and Street Cox, and he confessed with the mouth what he had long believed in heart that Jesus Christ was the Son of God, and was buried with his Lord in baptism; thus identifying himself with the restoration of the Church of Christ. He found in this new relation a joy he had never known before, and for more than sixty years he was an earnest advocate of the plea of the disciples of Christ. When he was twenty-one years of age, instead of taking his time and starting for himself, he remained with and freely worked for his mother another year; as his older brother had already gone to work for himself and his next

\* A sister of the husband of No. 388, viii.

† This sketch is based on one prepared for the family by Mr. S. A. Ennefer.



*Allen W. Snowbridge*





younger brother was a cripple. The family were naturally musical, their father having made use of the first opportunity to give his children a musical training, and they attended the singing schools of their day and became song leaders. They learned a system by which they taught singing and geography together, and Mr. Trowbridge and one brother continued these schools for many years, often teaching for nine hours each day for weeks in succession. During many of the summer seasons he would farm or work at the carpenter's trade. At one time he had planned to go to California in search of gold, but his mother's pleadings led him to change his purposes.

In 1849, in company with his uncle Joel Skelton, he made a trip to Illinois. This journey was taken in a wagon, and it was at this time that he first saw the great prairies of which he had heard. The next year they made another journey, at which time they each secured 160 acres of land in Bennington township, Marshall county, and later in the year Mr. Skelton prevailed on him to join him when he moved to his new home. Mr. Trowbridge secured some new singing books and, after arriving at his journey's end, organized classes at several places and began teaching his system of music, and worked all day in the timber getting out lumber to improve their farms. In the spring of 1851 he returned to Indiana, by way of the river. He was married in June of that year, and in July he and his wife started for their new home in Illinois. The first winter was spent in teaching and singing again. While spending some time with his uncle near Salem church in the spring of 1852, his first child was born. They soon returned to the farm which for thirty-five years was their home, no matter where they sojourned for a time. Their farm was a quarter section of prairie land, five miles west of where Rutland now stands. At that time there was not a house to be seen for several miles east of where they lived, and wolves, deer, wild geese and ducks were in abundance there. Now the old homestead, still owned by the family, has adjoining it a city of several thousand inhabitants. When Bennington township was organized Mr. Trowbridge was chosen its first supervisor, and he was always interested in whatever conduced to the improvement of his community.

Soon after settling on his farm he identified himself with Pattonsburg Christian church, and before long was chosen one of its elders. Elder George Taylor, then minister of this church, urged the young elder to employ his talents in prayer and exhortation in the public services. Acting on this advice, he soon gave evidence of being a useful man in the church. He occupied the pulpit whenever the regular minister was not present, growing into such favor that they chose him to minister to them regularly. In addition to his work at the church, he would have some place for afternoon preaching, and in this way he carried on an extensive missionary work. He was a constant student of the Word of God, and taking his Testament to the field he would search the Scriptures while resting his horses. No time was idled away. When he had a moment, while waiting for his meals or of an evening, he had a book or paper and was reading. Thus he prepared himself for his Sunday preaching.

The first ten years of his ministry were spent without remuneration, and he labored with his hands to support his family. He preached in barns, school-houses and dwellings—anywhere he could find an opening to sound the Gospel call. He preached the first sermon that was delivered in the village, now city, of Wenona, the meeting being held in the Illinois Central railroad depot. In 1856 a coöperation was formed among the Christians of Marshall, LaSalle, Woodford and Livingston counties for the extension of Christ within their borders. Brother Trowbridge was chosen president of this association for seven consecutive years, and served several times later in the same office. This work took him away from home to visit among the people wherever work was to be done. Associated with him in this work were the three Houstons, Washington, John Q.

and Jefferson, William Thompson, U. H. Watson, Walter Boles, M. D. Sharpless, Festus Burg, Joseph Johnson, E. B. Nevell, D. Ledgerwood, John McCleary, George W. Minier and B. Carter. The churches in cooperation and organized by it were: Pattonsburg, Aneona, Osage, Pontiac, Long Point, Amity, Scattering Point, Diamond Creek (now Dana), Nebraska (now Flanagan), Minonk, Rutland, Antioch (now Toluca), Washburn, Shaw's Point, Varna and Streator. Some of the churches have ceased to exist, but the larger number are still doing work for the Lord.

These pioneers found many bitter prejudices against their work. The sectarian spirit was very strong and many church doors were closed against them. The religious world did not know that these preachers of the Restoration came with a message of love and union for all of God's people. As the Savior and Apostles were not understood by the people to whom they ministered neither were these men. They had learned that the truth once planted would grow to a bountiful harvest in honest and loving hearts. They were content to labor and wait. Many of them lived to see the places where they labored so patiently occupied by flourishing churches and the prejudices allayed. The Antioch church was organized in a schoolhouse one mile north of the farm of Mr. Trowbridge in 1862, and it was from this church, at the suggestion of Jonas Ball, Sr., that he received his first pay for preaching. The mission at Rutland steadily grew into an active and strong church, and is now the leading Protestant body of worshippers. This church received very much of the attention of Brother Trowbridge. In 1868 it was deemed best to remove to Rutland and take full pastoral care of the congregation. This work was continued until the winter of 1871-2, when he moved his family to Eureka to give the children better school privileges. In the spring of 1872, the year that his son Thomas was graduated from Eureka College, he again returned to the farm.

While Brother Trowbridge was laboring with these churches, he traveled over a large scope of country, giving his attention often to three or four churches. There are very few churches within a radius of fifty miles of his home that have not enjoyed the blessing of his ministry. His first preaching in Minonk was done in the dining-room of Macey's hotel, then they went to the schoolhouse, continuing there until the congregation was able to build a house of worship. With the assistance of Charles Roe, the Sharps, father and son, J. Carroll Shark and others ministering to this church, it grew to be an important factor in the city's forces. In 1879 he was again called to the ministry of this church, which service was continued until the spring of 1882, when he again returned to the farm. While at Minonk he and his family took the larger part of the burden of the church. The ministry, the music, the janitorship and management of the finances seemed to fall to their share.

In the autumn of 1885 he again left the farm to reside in Rutland, where he continued to live the remainder of his days. The death of his wife the year following caused a great cloud to come over his life. She had been to him all that he could expect a wife to be. She had entered fully into all of his work and bore her share of the hardships of the pioneer preacher's life. On January 1, 1887, to occupy his mind with some additional work, he began a sketch of his life and work, and continued it quite fully until he had reached the year 1895 of his pilgrimage, when illness caused him to relinquish the work for a season, expecting as soon as he recovered to finish it. He never completed it, so we have but little account of the greater part of his public ministry. He kept no records of his work as a preacher, so we can only estimate the additions to the Lord's work in his service. Those who knew most of his life report many hundreds. Rev. Mr. Trowbridge was among the few ministers who are successful farmers or business men and enjoy a competence earned outside of the profession. He owned a large farm having good improvements and when not at work in the

ministry followed the plow or the reaper. He gave valuable assistance to the compiler of this genealogy by collecting the records of his branch of the family.

"Brother Trowbridge was a minister in all the hearts of the people. The Bible was his book of study and preaching. He contributed liberally to the support of the gospel, and returned to the church, its local and missionary enterprises, more than he ever received for his services. After bodily infirmities kept him from the active ministry, he still contributed largely to the support of the church. He educated his children so that they all took honorable places in the church and the activities of life. He was a man of great faith. He loved his brethren, and was a peacemaker in all his associations with men. He was a friend to the helpless, and the young preacher always found in him a true friend and wise counselor. He has left a monument more lasting than granite or marble in the affection and esteem of his brethren. He rests from labor, and his works will follow him."

## CHILDREN BORN IN RUTLAND, ILL.:

*By first marriage.\**

955. i. THOMAS LUNDSEY, b. Feb. 23, 1852.
- ii. MARY LOUISA, b. Apr. 22, 1854; m. June 12, 1872, Perry Magnus Evans, M.D., of Minonk, Ill.
- iii. NAOMI LUCRETIA, b. Mar. 30, 1857; m. June 30, 1885, Edward Litchfield and resides in Flanagan, Ill.
- iv. SARAH LIZETTA, b. Sept. 8, 1862; m. Dec. 25, 1888, Thomas A. Edwards, M.D., and resides in New York City. Mrs. Edwards is a well-known vocal teacher. She first studied several seasons in Boston, Mass., after which she went to Paris, where she was a pupil of Delle Sedie, and at a later date studied with some of the most prominent teachers on the continent. She is a soprano soloist of marked ability, and in both church and concert work has achieved success. In addition to her other accomplishments, Mrs. Edwards is a pianist and organist of much more than ordinary ability.

**723.** JAMES MARTIN TROWBRIDGE (*Dempsey*<sup>359</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 13, 1834, in Salem, Ind.; resides in Bethany, Neb.; married October 21, 1863, in Eldora, Iowa, Delia Frances Hitte, daughter of James Lawrence and Caroline Hallie (Crain) Hitte, born May 18, 1846, in Martinsville, Ind.

James M. Trowbridge received a good common school education and in the early part of his life made the teaching of music his profession. In the spring of 1864 he went with his wife to Nemaha county, Neb., and settled on a farm near Nemaha City. About ten years later he moved to Brownville in the same county, where he lived three years. He then removed to Wymore, Gage county, Neb., where he was engaged in the milling business for ten years. On March 25, 1900, he came to Bethany, Lancaster county, Neb., where he has since resided and been engaged in farming.

Mr. Trowbridge since coming to Bethany has served as one of the elders in the Christian church in that place, and held the same office in the churches in Nemaha City and Brownville during his residence in those towns.

## CHILDREN:

- i. LEROY HARRIS, b. Feb. 26, 1865, in Nemaha, Neb.; d. Feb. 22, 1866.
- ii. GRANT WALDO, b. Mar. 8, 1867, in Nemaha; d. June 14, 1874.
- iii. CARRIE, b. May 16, 1877, in Brownville, Neb.; d. May 26, 1877.
- iv. GRACE LOUISE, b. Sept. 18, 1880, in Brownville.

**724.** DEMPSTY HARRIS TROWBRIDGE (*Dempsey*<sup>380</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 6, 1839, in Salem, Ind.; died December 3, 1903, in Wymore, Neb.; married April 13, 1870, in Bloomington,

\* No children by second marriage.

Ill., Carrie Webb, daughter of Isaiah and Martha (Sears) Webb, born September 12, 1842, in Madison county, Ky. She resides in Denver, Colo.

Dempsy H. Trowbridge was educated in the sciences at Eureka College and Indiana Normal University, Normal, Ill., and received a musical education under the direction of George F. Root, H. R. Palmer, Professor Luddin and others in Chicago, Ill. He then taught public school for five years. He devoted the last forty years of his life to teaching vocal and instrumental music. He was a member of the Christian church in the towns where he resided. He died suddenly at the home of his son, Doctor Trowbridge.

## CHILDREN :

956. i. DEMPTSY LEROY, b. May 14, 1872, in Lincoln, Ill.
- ii. PEARL MARTHA EDITH, b. Feb. 25, 1877, in Lincoln; d. Sept. 20, 1881, in Minonk, Ill.
- iii. ELMER GARFIELD, b. Feb. 24, 1880, in Eureka, Ill.; d. Sept. 30, 1881, in Minonk.

**725.** WILLIAM HARRISON TROWBRIDGE (*Linzey*<sup>390</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 21, 1840, in Putnam county, Ind.; died January 11, 1901, in Lompoc, Cal.; married May 20, 1860, in Boonville, Mo., Eliza Jane Elliott, daughter of George and Catherine (Brent) Elliott, born September 22, 1844, in Zanesville, Ohio. She resides in Lompoc.

William H. Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to a farm near West Liberty, Putnam county, Mo. For the first eight years succeeding his marriage he was engaged in farming there and in Jasper county. In 1868 he moved to Kansas, but returned to Missouri two years later, living on a farm most of the time. In 1878 he decided to cross the plains in company with a number of friends. They started on their journey April 15 and arrived at their destination on July 6. He made his home in Idaho for the following five years, and then removed to Lompoc, Santa Barbara county, Cal., where he arrived at the end of June, 1883. He lived on his ranch there until his death. He and his family have always been members of the Christian churches in the towns where they have resided.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. CATHERINE, b. Feb. 9, 1864; m. June 5, 1881, William Parsons and resides in Ashland, Ore.
- ii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Dec. 22, 1866; d. Jan. 17, 1878.
- iii. KING JACOB, b. Feb. 4, 1872; d. Oct. 8, 1873.
- iv. ELLA, b. Jan. 9, 1876; d. July 29, 1876.
- v. OLLIE, b. Nov. 18, 1877; d. Mar. 6, 1901, in Lompoc, Cal.; unm.
- vi. DELLA, b. June 23, 1880; m. Oct. 30, 1900, Alexander Scolari and resides in Tiburon, Cal.
- vii. MAY, b. Nov. 3, 1885.

**726.** DAVID KARNES TROWBRIDGE (*Linzey*<sup>390</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 27, 1842, in Henry county, Iowa; died October 14, 1877, in Terre Haute, Mo.; married January 18, 1866, in Unionville, Mo., Susan Lueinda Smith,† daughter of William and Nancy (Goodman) Smith, born April 24, 1841, in Charleston, Ill. She married, second, December 18, 1881, in Terre Haute, George Franklin Stivers, of Garfield, Wash., where she died June 22, 1906.

David K. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Putnam county, Mo. After his marriage he settled near Terre Haute in that county, and lived there until his death. He was engaged in farming all of his life. He and his family were all members of the Christian church in Terre Haute.

\* i born in Putnam county, Mo.; ii-iv in Jasper county, Mo.; v in Carthage, Jasper county; vi in Bellevue, Idaho; vii in Lompoc, Cal.

† A sister of the wife of his brother No. 727.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TERRE HAUTE, PUTNAM COUNTY, MO.:

- i. SARAH NAOMA, b. Dec. 19, 1866; m. Feb. 18, 1887, James M. Chasteen of Garfield, Wash.
- ii. SIEMMA ALTA, b. July 19, 1868; m. Dec. 11, 1892, J. Wilbur Callison and resides in Green Acres, Wash.
- 957. iii. LINDSEY SIMPSON, b. July 31, 1870.
- iv. LILY FRANKLIN, b. Nov. 10, 1872; d. Sept. 19, 1874.
- 958. v. LEROY ELBERT, b. Mar. 22, 1875.
- vi. LEVI BENTON, b. Mar. 21, 1877; was brought by his mother and step-father to Texas in February, 1884. In the summer of 1886 they moved to a farm two and one-half miles south of Fayetteville, Ind. In January, 1889, they removed to Garfield, where Mr. Trowbridge has since resided. After finishing his school days he became a painter, paper hanger, and decorator, and worked at that business for a number of years. Painting not agreeing with him, he took up photography, in which business he has been engaged since 1900. He has owned studios in Athena, Ore., and in Palouse and Garfield, in the latter of which places he is now in business. He is unmarried.

**727.** FRANKLIN HAMILTON TROWBRIDGE (*Linzey*<sup>390</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 25, 1855, in West Liberty, Mo.; died October 20, 1885, in Chico, Tex.; married October 17, 1875, in Blanco, Tex., Charlotta Smith,\* daughter of William and Nancy (Goodman) Smith, born November 12, 1855, in Charleston, Ill. She married, second, September 27, 1899, in Lewiston, Idaho, Robert Wesley Pinnell, and resides in Portland, Ore.

Franklin H. Trowbridge settled in Texas, where, with the exception of a few years, he was engaged in farming until his death. He and his family were members of the Christian Church.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. LAURA ALICE, b. Aug. 5, 1876; m. Sept. 10, 1896, Harry Elwin Reeves and resides in Woodburn, Ore.
- 959. ii. JOSEPH MELFORD, b. Aug. 18, 1878.
- iii. BERTHA OLIVE, b. Dec. 1, 1889; m. June 10, 1903, Francis R. Reeves and resides in Portland, Ore.
- iv. LULU MAY, b. Sept. 10, 1883.
- v. FRANKLIN HAMILTON, b. Apr. 26, 1886; is a clerk in a department store in Portland; unm.

**728.** ROBERT WALKER TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>391</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 14, 1832, in Salem, Ind.; died February 12, 1899, in Fairfield, Iowa; married September 7, 1856, in Salem, Eliza Ellen Sage, daughter of William and Emily Thomas (Paine) Sage, born July 25, 1839, in Salem. She married, second, John Lewis and resides in Ottumwa, Iowa.

Robert W. Trowbridge after his marriage removed to Henry county, Iowa, where he lived near the village of Rome and followed his trade, that of a carpenter. The last twenty years of his life were passed in Fairfield, Iowa. He held no political offices, but had the esteem of all who knew him.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HENRY COUNTY, IOWA:

- i. LEWIS EDGAR, b. June 1, 1858; is a carpenter in Kansas City, Mo.; unm.
- ii. EMILY MARIA, b. Feb. 26, 1860; m. Dec. 25, 1879, James C. Bargar of Fairfield, Iowa.
- iii. DAVID WILLIAM, b. Feb. 27, 1862; was a carpenter; d. May 14, 1888, in Fairfield; unm.
- iv. NEWTON LYCURGUS, b. Mar. 20, 1864; d. Feb. 7, 1865.
- v. MARGARET ANN, b. Mar. 13, 1866; m. ———, 1885, Robert Hewlette and resides in Pittsburg, Pa.

\* A sister of the wife of his brother No. 726.

† i born in Blanco, Tex.; ii-iii in Terre Haute, Mo.; iv-v in Chico, Tex.

- vi. LINDLEY ERASTUS, b. Sept. 22, 1868; d. Mar. —, 1900.
- vii. JOHN HENRY, b. Mar. 20, 1871; is a carpenter in Douds Station, Iowa.\*
- 960. viii. EDWARD SYLVESTER, b. May 25, 1873.
- ix. ROSA BELL, b. Mar. 24, 1876; d. Mar. 28, 1876.
- x. LEATHA BELL, b. Mar. 29, 1878; m. Oct. 1, 1893, Thomas P. Poulton of Fairfield.

**728a.** NEWTON CRAWFORD TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>391</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 29, 1842, in Salem, Ind.; died September 30, 1903, near Tampico, Ind.; married March 18, 1866, in Tampico, Louisa Mary Starr, daughter of Thomas and Nancy Ellen (Dorton) Starr, born August 25, 1841, near Tampico; died October 11, 1890, near Tampico.

Newton C. Trowbridge was brought in childhood by his father to his farm in Jackson county, Ind. He became a soldier in the Civil War, enlisting† for three years August 15, 1861, in Company B, 22d Indiana Infantry, and being mustered out August 22, 1864. On December 24, 1864, he was commissioned first lieutenant of the "Tampico Guards," Indiana Legion, and was in service until the close of the war. He then engaged in farming in Grassy Fork township, Jackson county, near Tampico, Ind., and was so occupied until his death.

CHILDREN BORN IN JACKSON COUNTY, IND.:

- i. A daughter, b. Mar. 24, 1867; d. that day.
- ii. MARY HESTER, b. Aug. 22, 1869; m. Pearson Waskom of Salem, Ind.
- iii. EDITH ANNA, b. Oct. 22, 1872; d. July 17, 1898; unm.
- iv. FLORENCE ELSTINE, b. Dec. 10, 1876; d. Mar. 9, 1879.
- 960a. v. IRA OTIS, b. Apr. 14, 1881.
- vi. LORA ELLEN, b. Feb. 24, 1883; m. Apr. 9, 1905, John Henry Leerkamp of Crothersville, Ind.
- vii. LOREN ETHAN, b. Oct. 27, 1886; d. Nov. 10, 1887.

**729.** DAVID FREEMAN TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>391</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 1, 1847, in Jackson county, Ind.; died February 8, 1903, in Jackson county; married, first, April 15, 1877, in Crothersville, Ind., Nancy Matilda McGill, daughter of Martin and Sarah (Johnson) McGill, born November 22, 1855, in Crothersville; died April 6, 1885, in Jackson county. He married, second, May 11, 1899, in Brownstown, Ind., Sarah Catharine (Bryan) Peugh, widow of James Franklin Peugh of Delaney, Ind., and daughter of Francis Marion and Louisa Catharine (Payne) Bryan, born January 31, 1874, in Vallonia, Ind.; died July 25, 1907, in Little York, Ind.‡

David F. Trowbridge was a carpenter by trade, but gave most of his time to farming, following his trade usually in the fall and winter. He also at various times taught music, both vocal and instrumental. He lived all his life in Jackson county, Ind., living first near Crothersville and later, after his father's death, removing to the latter's farm, near Tampico, where he resided the rest of his life. He was a member of the Christian church in Tampico.

CHILDREN BORN IN JACKSON COUNTY, IND.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. DELLA MAY, b. Nov. 20, 1877; m. Oct. 9, 1902, Luther Franklin Gross and resides in Washington, Ind.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. ALMA FREIDA, b. Dec. 26, 1901.

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† Incorrectly printed *Nelson C.* in the Indiana Adjutant General's Report.

‡ At the home of her mother.

**730.** ERASTUS LINSEY TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>391</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>130</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 12, 1856, in Jackson county, Ind.; resides in Allerton, Iowa; married September 16, 1888, in Warsaw, Iowa, Fannie Belle Allen, daughter of Pailman and Mary Tabitha (McCrary) Allen, born December 13, 1863, in Genoa, Iowa.

Erastus L. Trowbridge taught school from 1884 to 1892. He then engaged in carpenter work at Harvard, Wayne county, Iowa, where he had located after his marriage. He recently removed to Allerton, in the same county, where he is engaged in the poultry and egg business. He and his wife are members of the Methodist Protestant Church, and he has been secretary of the Northern Missouri Conference of that church. He has long been a member of the I. O. O. F., and has passed through the chairs in that fraternity.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HARVARD, IOWA :

- i. A child, b. Aug. 30, 1890; d. Aug. 31, 1890.
- ii. LELAH TABITHA, b. Oct. 8, 1891.
- iii. LOTUS W.,\* b. June 24, 1893; d. July 22, 1894.
- iv. IRIS PAULMAN, b. Feb. 4, 1895.
- v. OCIE ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 25, 1897.

**731.** CHARLES WESLEY TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>391</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 17, 1860, in Jackson county, Ind.; resides in Moscow, Kan.; married November 22, 1885, in Tampico, Ind., Martha Elizabeth Killey, daughter of Levi and Sarah Elizabeth (Johnson) Killey, born September 21, 1863, in Tampico; died January 17, 1889, in Tampico.

Charles W. Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Tampico, Jackson county, Ind., and was there engaged principally in the carpenter's business; also doing some farming. In 1905 he removed to Kansas. He resided one year at Kingman and then took a claim at Moscow, Stevens county, where he has since been engaged in farming.

## CHILD BORN IN TAMPICO, IND. :

- i. DAILEY OSCAR, b. Jan. 11, 1889; is farming near Brownstown, Ind.; unm.

**731a.** BENJAMIN ELLIS TROWBRIDGE (*William L.*<sup>391a</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1819, in Owen county, Ky.; died January 29, 1890, in New Home, Mo.; married, first, ———, 1851, Barbara Ellen Deavers, daughter of Samuel and Lucy (Cox) Deavers, born in England. He married, second, Martha Ann Stump of Johnson county, Mo.

Benjamin E. Trowbridge was a carpenter and cabinetmaker by trade, and was so employed in Kentucky. Afterwards he removed to New Home, Mo., where he followed farming as an occupation until his death.

## CHILDREN :†

*By first marriage :*

- i. LUCY DELIA, b. Feb. 20, 1853; m. Henry Timpelman and resides in Chattanooga, Tenn.
- ii. WILLIAM S., b. Oct. 8, 1855; is a carpenter and builder in Cincinnati, Ohio.

*By second marriage :*

- iii. ARABELLA BARDELL, b. ———, 185-; m. Perry Rhodes and resides in ———, Colo.
- iv. VIRGIL EDWARD, b. ———, 185-; resides in New Home, Mo.
- v. SHERMAN GREENE, b. ———, 186-; d. in childhood.
- vi. NINA, b. ———, 186-; m. ———.
- vii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. ———, 186-.

\* Initial only.

† i-ii born in Cynthiana, Ky.; the others' birthplace not reported. They failed to answer the compiler's letters.

- viii. LAFAYETTE, b. ———, 186—.
- ix. SYLVESTER, b. ———, 187—.
- x. FLORENCE, b. ———, 187—; m. Charles Edwards and resides in Joplin, Mo.
- xi. EFFIE, b. ———, 187—; m. ——— Myers and resides in Longmont, Colo.

**731b.** JOSEPH F. TROWBRIDGE (*William L.<sup>391a</sup>, Jonathan<sup>207</sup>, David<sup>139</sup>, David<sup>114</sup>, Joseph<sup>105</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born October 29, 1829, in Owen county, Ky.; resides in Lebanon, Ind.; married April 6, 1856, in Marion, Ind., Martha J. Montague, daughter of John and Phoebe (———) Montague, born December 27, 1835, in Owen county; died September 4, 1906, in Lebanon.

Joseph F. Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Marion county, Ind., where he engaged in farming. He at present resides in Lebanon, the county seat of Boone county, Ind., where he holds the office of justice of the peace.

CHILDREN BORN IN MARION COUNTY, IND. :\*

- i. LUCETTIE G., b. ———, 1858; m. Marcellus Hollingsworth and resides in New Augusta, Ind.
- ii. PACIFIC M., b. ———, 1860; m. Carlos Crull.
- iii. ARTAXERXES, b. Dec. 12, 1864; resides in Lebanon, Ind.; unm.
- iv. DARIUS ETHELBERT, b. ———, 186—; m. Alice Sanders and resides in Lebanon.

**731c.** JAMES HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*William L.<sup>391a</sup>, Jonathan<sup>207</sup>, David<sup>139</sup>, David<sup>114</sup>, Joseph<sup>105</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born January 15, 1841, in Owen county, Ky.; died September 19, 1893, in Springdale, Ark.; married first, January 2, 1873, in Landersdale, Ind., Margaret Alice Goodpester,† daughter of Marshall and Nancy (Oakley) Goodpester, born May 2, 1857, in Brooklyn, Ind.; died March 15, 1874, in Landersdale. He married, second, September 19, 1881, in Prairie Grove, Ark., Annie Buchanan, daughter of William and Nannie (Bean) Buchanan, born January 4, 1862, in Boonsborough, Ark. She married, second, August 30, 1906, in Springdale, Daniel Dillman Plumer and resides in Springdale.

James H. Trowbridge was brought in boyhood to Indiana by his parents. Later in life he was engaged in farming, first in Landersdale, Morgan county, Ind., and then in Prairie Grove and Springdale, Washington county, Ark. At the latter place he was also largely occupied with fruit growing.

CHILDREN :

*By first marriage :*

- i. SQUIRE ELLIS, b. Feb. 8, 1874, in Landersdale, Ind.; d. July 28, 1874.

*By second marriage :*

- ii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. June 26, 1882, in Prairie Grove, Ark.; is farming in Peary, Okla.; unm.
- iii. MACK, b. Sept. 23, 1889, in Springdale, Ark.; is farming there; unm.

**731d.** REV. JOHN WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*William L.<sup>391a</sup>, Jonathan<sup>207</sup>, David<sup>139</sup>, David<sup>114</sup>, Joseph<sup>105</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born October 21, 1844, in Owen county, Ky.; resides in Carthage, Mo.; married May 4, 1871, in Anderson, Ind., Martha Frances Goodpester,‡ daughter of Marshall and Nancy (Oakley) Goodpester, born July 6, 1850, in Brooklyn, Ind.

John W. Trowbridge was eleven years of age when his father settled on his farm near Indianapolis. The death of his father in 1858 compelled him to take a man's place in the family, and thus his school advantages were limited. Towards the close of the Civil War he enlisted from Marion county, Ind., January 21, 1865, for one year as fifer of Company A, 148th Indiana Infantry.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† A sister of the wife of his brother No. 731d.

‡ A sister of the first wife of his brother No 731c.



He served with his regiment until he was mustered out, September 5, 1865. He settled after his marriage in Morgan county, removing from there to Arkansas. In 1884 he moved to Carthage, Mo., his present residence. He is a minister of the Christian church in that city.

## CHILDREN :

- i. NORAN PURCELL, b. Feb. 18, 1872, in Morgan county, Ind.; m. Apr. 6, 1892. James Ellsworth Reno and resides in Carthage, Mo.
- 960b. ii. THOMAS MARSHALL, b. Feb. 18, 1876, in Morgan county.
- 960c. iii. OTTO, b. Mar. 20, 1881, in Prairie Grove, Ark.
- iv. ELMER BEST, b. Dec. 13, 1883, in Springdale, Ark.; is a clerk with the Carthage Furniture Co. in Carthage. He has been trumpeter of Company A, 2d Regiment, M. N. G., since 1903. He is unmarried.

**732.** GEORGE JACOB TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>392</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 19, 1837, in Palmyra, Ind.; resides in Concordia, Kan.; married, first, September 30, 1858, in Palmyra, Eliza Jane Clark, daughter of Jacob and Rachel (Villom) Clark, born June 26, 1841, in Palmyra; died June 18, 1890, in Republic county, Kan. He married, second, June 22, 1893, in Cloud county, Kan., Sally Monroe, daughter of Silas and Lucy (Nethers) Monroe, born December 13, 1862, in Rappahannock, Va.

George J. Trowbridge settled near Talmo, Republic county, Kan. He lived there until 1900, when he removed to his present home, Concordia, the county seat of Cloud county, Kan. He has always been engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN REPUBLIC COUNTY, KAN.:

*By second marriage:\**

- i. IDA, b. June 28, 1894.
- ii. GEORGE ELLIS, b. Jan. 24, 1898.

**733.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>392</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 7, 1845, in Palmyra, Ind.; died March —, 1878, in Palmyra; married ———, 187—, in Palmyra?, ———. She married, second, ——— Coleman and "went West."

Henry Trowbridge after his marriage removed to Kemp, Ill., where he engaged in farming. He died while on a visit at his old home in Harrison county, Ind. It is said that during the Civil War he served in an Indiana regiment.

## CHILDREN BORN IN KEMP, ILL.:

- i. LILLIA BELLE, b. ———, 187—.
- ii. GEORGE, b. ———, 187—.
- iii. JOHN, b. ———, 187—.

**734.** JONATHAN TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>392</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 16, 1846, in Palmyra, Ind.; resides in Palmyra; married, first, November 10, 1867, in Palmyra, Martha Ann Garrison, daughter of George and Ellen (Reeves) Garrison, born March 15, 1849, in Palmyra; died February 12, 1870, in Palmyra. He married, second, December 25, 1887, in Palmyra, Emma M. Haun, daughter of John and Sarah E. (Crandall) Haun, born March 4, 1868, in ———, Ill.

Jonathan Trowbridge at the age of seventeen enlisted in the army during the Civil War. He was enrolled August 24, 1864, in Company B, 16th (Veteran) Kentucky Infantry. For the greater part of his term of service he was very ill in the hospital, but was discharged from there in time to be present at the last battle that was fought at Nashville, which was the only engagement in which he

\* No children by first marriage.

participated. He was mustered out with his regiment June 21, 1865. He settled in his native town, Palmyra, Ind., where he has been engaged in farming most of his life. For about ten years he also ran a sawmill. He is a member of the Christian church in Palmyra. \*

## CHILDREN BORN IN PALMYRA, IND.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. WILLIAM RILEY, b. Jan. 15, 1869; was a lawyer; d. Jan. 1, 1895; mnm.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. GEORGE HORACE, b. Sept. 1, 1888; d. Oct. 11, 1889.  
iii. HATTIE ALMA, b. Mar. 23, 1891.

**735.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>392</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>159</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 18, 1851, in Palmyra, Ind.; resides in Palmyra; married November 19, 1871, in Palmyra, Martha Jane Mott, daughter of Amos Travis and Sarah Ann (Elsion) Mott, born October 22, 1855, in ———, Tenn.; died January 25, 1901, in Palmyra.

David Trowbridge has been engaged in farming all of his life in his native town. He lives three miles southwest of Palmyra, Ind.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PALMYRA, IND.:

961. i. WILLIAM EMANUEL, b. Aug. 28, 1872.  
962. ii. AMOS TRAVIS, b. Oct. 28, 1873.  
iii. MALINDA CATHERINE, b. Sept. 20, 1875; m. Sept. 16, 1895, James Bruner and resides in Hancock, Ind.  
963. iv. CHARLES DAVID, b. Oct. 28, 1877.  
v. GEORGE ROY, b. Aug. 24, 1879; d. Oct. 6, 1885.  
vi. DAISY ANN, b. Feb. 1, 1882.  
vii. EZRA COLUMBUS, b. Aug. 19, 1884.  
viii. JAMES WOODWARD, b. Nov. 3, 1886; d. Jan. 23, 1889.  
ix. CLARENCE EVERT, b. Jan. 13, 1889.  
x. ALVA WARD, b. Aug. 17, 1891; d. June 14, 1892.  
xi. LOTTIE BELL, b. Apr. 19, 1893.  
xii. EMORY FRANK, b. Dec. 1, 1896.

**735a.** JONATHAN DILLARD TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>392a</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>159</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 25, 1834, in Kenton county, Ky.; resides in Duvall, Ky.; married, first, January 17, 1855, in Pendleton county, Ky., Elvira Towsey Smith, daughter of Larkin and Nancy (Ford) Smith, born August 30, 1834, in Pendleton county; died April 25, 1865, in Pendleton county. He married, second, August 3, 1865, in Pendleton county, Ruth Ann Reed, daughter of Joseph and Rebecca (Middleton) Reed, born January 29, 1847, in ———, Tenn.

Jonathan D. Trowbridge came as a young man to Pendleton county, Ky. He left there in 1883 and moved to Kenton county, Ky. He lived there two years and then removed to Grant county, Ky., where he lived six years. In 1891 he came to Scott county, Ky., where he has since resided. He has always been engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PENDLETON COUNTY, KY.:

*By first marriage:*

- 963a. i. ISAAC LARKIN, b. Aug. 31, 1856.  
ii. MARY ANN, b. Dec. 5, 1859; m. Nov. 18, 1885, Joseph Dunn and resides in DeMossville, Ky.  
iii. ALMEDA THOMAS, b. Nov. 16, 1862; m. Mar. 15, 1882, James Harrison Powers and resides in Dry Ridge, Ky.  
iv. ELMINA ELLEN, b. Apr. 8, 1865; m. Dec. 25, 1884, Thomas Jefferson Blackburn and resides in Rushville, Ind.

*By second marriage:*

- 963b. v. WILLIAM HENRY, b. July 14, 1866.  
 vi. REBECCA JANE, b. Oct. 5, 1868; m. Mar. 10, 1888, Robert Henry Race and resides in Morgan, Ky.  
 vii. IDA LEE, b. Sept. 9, 1870; m. June 26, 1887, William Richard Peniek and resides in Olympia, Ky.  
 viii. MARGARET FRANCES, b. June 6, 1872; d. May 3, 1902.  
 963c. ix. JAMES HARRISON, b. July 4, 1874.  
 963d. x. ALBERT LUTHER, b. May 10, 1876.  
 xi. JOHN WESLEY, b. Feb. 1, 1878; is a farmer with his father; unm.

**736.** GRANVILLE GASTON TROWBRIDGE (*Jonathan*<sup>393</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 28, 1825, in Montgomery county, Ky.; died December 12, 1907, in Lawrence, Kan.; married August 14, 1866, in Danville, Ill., Hannah Jane Birch, daughter of Rev. Thomas and Elinor (Honce) Birch, born January 29, 1830, in Attica, Ind.; died February 9, 1894, in Lawrence.

Granville G. Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Champlain, Ill., removing from there to Lawrence, Kan., which continued to be his residence until his death. He was a millwright and builder in his younger days, later was a dealer in drugs and medicines, and then engaged in the mercantile business. He was successful in his undertakings and had been retired from active business for several years prior to his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CHAMPLAIN, ILL.:

- i. MINNIE BURDELL, b. Dec. 12, 1867; d. Apr. 16, 1868.
- ii. LENA JANE, b. June 4, 1869; d. Apr. 28, 1870.
- iii. HARRY CAMPBELL, b. Oct. 12, 1871; was a photographer for some years, but for the last years of his life was a hospital nurse; d. June 24, 1905, in Ramona, Kan.\*

**737.** GORDON TROWBRIDGE (*Ebenezer*<sup>395</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 29, 1849, in Mackville, Ky.; resides in Clay county (Noble P. O.), Ill.; married, first, March 25, 1873, in Pixley township, Clay county, Ill., Minerva McMullin, daughter of Marlin and Rosanna (Yocam) McMullin, born October 25, 1856, in Clay county; died February 19, 1877, in Clay county. He married, second, August 13, 1880, in Olney, Ill., Laura Samantha Adkins, daughter of Josephus and Julia Ann (Kerrans) Adkins, born November 25, 1859, in Knox county, Ill.

Gordon Trowbridge has always been engaged in farming. After his marriage he settled in Pixley township, Clay county, Ill., where he has since resided.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PIXLEY TOWNSHIP, CLAY COUNTY, ILL.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. JOHN HENRY, b. May 31, 1875; d. July 16, 1875.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. DELPHIA ETHEL, b. Apr. 6, 1884.
- 963e. iii. FRANCIS ADKINS, b. Aug. 15, 1886.
- iv. LUCY ARRATY, b. Sept. 5, 1888.
- v. ARTHUR LEE, b. May 13, 1891.
- vi. ROMIA OMAR, b. Mar. 3, 1893.
- vii. VIRGEL IRENE, b. Feb. 27, 1895; d. July 8, 1895.
- viii. EDNA ISABELLE, b. July 3, 1896.
- ix. OLA MYRTLE, b. Nov. 7, 1898.
- x. EMMA GERTRUDE, b. Nov. 7, 1901.
- xi. HAZEL ALLENE, b. Oct. 7, 1905.

\* His widow resides in Denver, Colo., and failed to answer the compiler's letters.

**738.** CALVIN TROWBRIDGE (*Ebenezer*<sup>395</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 22, 1857, in Orangeville, Ind.; died May 25, 1901, in Clay county, Ill.; married December 3, 1884, in Clay county, Amanda Elizabeth Patterson, daughter of Rufus and Mary (Reynolds) Patterson, born November 29, 1865, in Knox county, Ill. She resides in Parkersburgh, Ill.

Calvin Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Clay county, Ill. After his marriage he settled on a farm near Sailor Springs in that county. He lived there until the last of April, 1895, when he moved to Edwards county and took a farm about twelve miles from Albion, the county seat. In March, 1897, he removed to Parkersburgh, Richland county, where he lived until a month previous to his death, which occurred at the home of his brother in Clay county. He was a farmer all of his life. On February 17, 1900, he and his wife became members of the United Brethren church in Parkersburgh.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. ROLLA CASSIUS, b. Sept. 24, 1885.
- ii. ROY RUFUS, b. Mar. 4, 1887.
- iii. MARY EDNA, b. Apr. 11, 1889; d. Aug. 8, 1904.
- iv. HARVEY ERNEST, b. Feb. 2, 1891.
- v. LEWIS EVART, b. Oct. 6, 1892; d. June 29, 1895.
- vi. JESSIE FERN, b. June 3, 1896.
- vii. CHARLES IVAN, b. Feb. 14, 1899.

**739.** GEORGE MERRITT TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>396</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 6, 1838, in Mercer county, Ky.; resides in Washington, Ind.; married August 23, 1860, in Washington county, Ky., Margaret White, daughter of John and Samantha (Clem) White, born February 6, 1839, in Bail county, Ky.

George M. Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Washington county, Ky., and engaged in farming. He joined the Union army in the Civil War, enlisting at Lebanon August 15, 1862, for three years and being appointed corporal of Company F, 6th Kentucky Cavalry. He served the whole of his enlistment in the Army of the Cumberland and was in the battles of Perryville, Chickamauga, the siege of Atlanta, and Wilson's raid through Georgia. He was discharged July 14, 1865.

After leaving the army he returned to his farm in Kentucky, where he lived about two years, then removing to Lawrence county, Ind., where he was engaged in farming for about fifteen years. He then removed to a farm in Daviess county, near Washington, the county seat, where he has since lived.

## CHILDREN :†

- i. NANCY JANE, b. Apr. 11, 1861; d. Aug. 4, 1862.
- ii. NANCY JANE, b. Nov. 25, 1862; d. Feb. 15, 1863.
- iii. SARAH McCLEAN, b. Nov. 1, 1864; m. Levi Salters and resides in Washington, Ind.
964. iv. JOHN ALEXANDER, b. Oct. 9, 1866.
965. v. JOSEPH LUTHER, b. Feb. 24, 1869.
966. vi. GEORGE PARKER, b. May 14, 1871.
- vii. MANDVILLE HENRY, b. Apr. 16, 1873; is a coal miner in Washington; unm.
- viii. LAWRENCE DOW, b. June 4, 1875; d. Nov. 10, 1899, in Washington; unm.
- ix. EMMA ELLEN, b. Sept. 1, 1877; m. Henry A. Zollars and resides in Washington.
- x. EDWARD LINTON, b. Feb. 20, 1880; is a coal miner in Washington; unm.
- xi. MARY ETTA, b. Jan. 24, 1884.

**740.** JOHN ALEXANDER TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>396</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 7, 1840, in Perryville, Ky.; resides in Mitchell, Ind.; married ———, 1859, in Springfield, Ky., Mary

\* i-v born in Clay county, Ill.; vi in Edwards county, Ill.; vii in Richland county, Ill.  
 † i-iv born in Washington county, Ky.; the others in Lawrence county, Ind.

Jane Taylor, daughter of William and Amanda (White) Taylor, born April 1, 1842, in Mercer county,\* Ky.; died May 18, 1892, in Mitchell.

John A. Trowbridge settled after his marriage near Harrodsburgh, Ky., moving from there in 1865 to near Owensboro, and from there to near Lincoln City, Ky., in 1871. A few years later he removed to a farm in Lawrence county, Ind., where he lives at present. He was engaged for many years in the timber business, but is now a farmer.

## CHILDREN:†

967. i. WILLIAM ALEXANDER, b. July 19, 1860.  
 ii. SARAH EMMA, b. May 3, 1862; d. Oct. 9, 1880, in Mercer county; unm.
968. iii. JOSEPH MERRITT, b. July 24, 1864.  
 iv. AMANDA JANE, b. Dec. 20, 1866; d. Jan. 3, 1867.  
 v. PARILLA, b. May 11, 1869; d. Oct. 24, 1869.
969. vi. CHARLES HOLLMAN, b. Sept. 12, 1870.  
 vii. MARY ELLEN, b. Nov. 24, 1872; m. Nov. 11, 1890, John Isom and resides in Georgia, Ind.  
 viii. MARIA, b. May 21, 1875; d. Aug. 16, 1897, in Mitchell, Ind.; unm.  
 ix. EVA CATHARINE, } twins, m. Dec. 2, 1896, Charles Hall and resides in Orleans, Ind.  
 x. EFFIE SUSAN, } b. Aug. 31, 1877; m. Dec. 24, 1899, Lawrence B. Sanders and resides in Mitchell.  
 xi. SIMPSON, } twins, d. July 1, 1880.  
 xii. EUSEBA, } b. May 16, 1880; d. Feb. 19, 1881.

**741.** JOSEPH TERRY TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>396</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 29, 1842, in Washington county, Ky.; died November 5, 1866, in Danville, Ky.; married ———, 1862?, in Jenson-ton, Ky., Malinda Boswell, daughter of Richard and Lucy (Gabord) Boswell, born ———, 1845, in Washington county; died ———, 1885, in Jenson-ton.

Joseph T. Trowbridge at the age of nineteen joined the Union army in the Civil War. He was enrolled September 9, 1861, for three years in Company I, 1st Kentucky Cavalry. He was in the battle of Perryville and was discharged for disability February 7, 1863. As he bore the nickname of "Diek," he was probably the Richard J. Trowbridge who was enrolled October 30, 1863, for one year in Company A, 13th Kentucky Mounted Infantry, and was mustered out April 18, 1865.‡

Soon after leaving the army he married and settled in Boyle county, Ky., where he died the following year. He was a farmer.

## CHILD BORN IN JENSONTON, KY.:

- i. MARIA JANE, b. Oct. 11, 1866; m. Apr. 19, 1883, Charles William Green and resides in Jenson-ton (Texas P. O.), Ky.

**742.** ABSALOM TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>398</sup>, *Silas*<sup>299</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 25, 1823, in Scott county, Ky.; died August —, 1902, in Knightstown, Ind.; married, first, November 18, 1845, in Center town-ship, Rush county, Ind., Sarah Wells, daughter of Hardy and Sarah (Felts) Wells, born ———, 1829, in Surry county, N. C.; died March 10, 1866, in Hancock county, Ind. He married, second, ———.

Absalom Trowbridge went in early manhood from Kentucky to Indiana. He settled after his marriage on a farm in Center township, Rush county, Ind. About five years later he removed to a farm in Greenfield, Hancock county, where he was engaged in farming until late in life.

\* Near Harrodsburgh.

† i-iv born near Harrodsburgh, Mercer county, Ky.; v-vi near Owensboro, Daviess county, Ky.; vii near Lincoln City, Spencer county, Ky.; the others near Georgia, Lawrence county, Ind.

‡ By "Adjutant General's Report for Kentucky." No "Richard J." appears on the roster at Washington, D. C.

## CHILDREN :\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. MARTHA EMELINE, b. Feb. 4, 1847; m., 1st, ———, 1865, Thomas Crabb of Hancock county, Ind.; m., 2d, ———, 1870, John Baldwin of Hancock county.
- 970. ii. JAMES WILLIAM, b. Nov. 13, 1849.
- iii. LOUISA JANE, b. June 29, 1851; m. ———, 1870, Pierce West of Hancock county.
- 971. iv. JOHN DEMPSEY, b. Nov. 17, 1854.
- 972. v. ALBERT ELIHU, b. June 3, 1858.
- vi. CHARLES EDWARD, b. Oct. 25, 1862; d. Dec. 26, 1865.

*By second marriage:*

- vii. SARAH FLORENCE, b. June 29, 1871; d. Sept. 25, 1874.

**743.** WILLIAM BRADFORD TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>398</sup>, *Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 28, 1827, in Boone county, Ky.; died October 2, 1898, in Henry county, Ind.; married ———, 1853, in Hancock county, Ind., Julia Ann Duncan, daughter of John R. and Sarah (McCormick) Duncan, born January 10, 1837, in Hancock county; died January 10, 1866, in Hancock county.

William B. Trowbridge went from Kentucky to Indiana when he was a young man. He married and settled near Greenfield, Hancock county, where he was engaged in farming the rest of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HANCOCK COUNTY, IND.:

- 973. i. JOHN JAMES, b. Feb. 28, 1854.
- ii. WILLIAM GRANT, b. Sept. 10, 1864; is a farmer in Greenfield, Ind.†

**744.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>398</sup>, *Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1830, in Boone county, Ky.; died September —, 1878, in Hancock county, Ind.; married ———, in Hancock county, Margaret Ann Wiggins.

James Trowbridge went with his older brothers to Hancock county, Ind., where he lived until his death. He was a farmer.

## CHILD BORN IN HANCOCK COUNTY, IND.:

- i. BELLE, b. ———, 185-; d. young.

**745.** FRANCIS MARION TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>398</sup>, *Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 28, 1856, in Rush county, Ind.; resides in Grant county (Point Isabel P. O.), Ind.; married February 4, 1885, in Swayzee, Ind., Laurentine Huldah Veatch, daughter of Joel Thompson and Hannah Jane (Crume) Veatch, born February 28, 1860, in Decatur county, Ind.

Francis M. Trowbridge went in early manhood to Grant county, Ind., where he has since been engaged in farming near Point Isabel.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GRANT COUNTY, IND.:

- i. BIRDIE Aretta, b. Aug. 30, 1885.
- ii. FLOSSIE ESTHER, b. Sept. 25, 1887.
- iii. JAMES THOMPSON, b. Jan. 22, 1891.
- iv. ZELLA BEATRICE, b. Apr. 26, 1893.
- v. SUSAN JANE, b. Sept. 1, 1895.
- vi. CHARLES WILLIAM, b. Apr. 25, 1897; d. Sept. 7, 1899.
- vii. NELLIE, b. July 28, 1900; d. Dec. 18, 1900.

\* i-ii born in Center township, Rush county, Ind.; iii-vii in Greenfield, Hancock county, Ind.  
 † Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

**746.** JAMES WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>300</sup>, *Silas*<sup>200</sup>, *David*<sup>130</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 9, 1841, in Scott county, Ky.; died November 13, 1893, in Henry county, Ind.; married, first, ———, 186—, in Rush county?, Ind., Louisa Sabastian. He married, second, ———, 1869, in Rushville, Ind., Sarah (Armstrong) Walker, born ———, 184—, in Rush county; died October 4, 1879, in Henry county. He married, third, Jane Dishman.

James W. Trowbridge was brought in early childhood by his parents to Indiana. After his marriage he settled in Rush county, whence he removed some years later with his father to Henry county, where he died. He was a farmer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN RUSH COUNTY, IND.:

*By first marriage:*

974. i. LOUIS WILLIAM, b. May 7, 186—.

*By second marriage:\**

- ii. BELLE, b. Dec. 24, 1870; m. Aug. 18, 1895, Stephen Mack Steele and resides in Raysville, Ind.
- iii. ELMER, b. ———, 187—.
- iv. HORNE, b. ———, 187—.
- v. CHARLES, b. ———, 187—.

**747.** JOHN CALVIN TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>300</sup>, *Silas*<sup>200</sup>, *David*<sup>130</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 7, 1843, in Scott county, Ky.; resides in Rush county, Ind.; married January 6, 1867, in Rushville, Ind., Phebe (Cook) Trowbridge, widow of John Trowbridge (No. 400) and daughter of Giles and Martha (Brown) Cook, born March 10, 1836, in Cass county, Ind.; died July 26, 1900, in Rush county.

John C. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Indiana. After his marriage he settled in Rush county, near Knightstown, where he has since been engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN RUSH COUNTY, IND.:

- 975. i. ALLISON COOK, b. Apr. 23, 1868.
- ii. MILLA JANE, b. Oct. 26, 1869; m. June 3, 1890, Henry McMullen and resides in Knightstown, Ind.
- iii. A son, b. Jan. 12, 1871; d. Jan. 13, 1871.
- iv. IDA MAY, b. Nov. 5, 1873; m. May 25, 1892, Charles Newby and resides in Knightstown.
- v. PHEBE MAUD, b. Nov. 24, 1876; d. July 6, 1891.

**748.** FRANK TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>400</sup>, *Silas*<sup>200</sup>, *David*<sup>130</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 16, 1864, in Rush county, Ind.; resides in Rush county; married December 9, 1885, in Rush county, Genoa Florence Reeves, daughter of Ila and Eliza (Apple) Reeves, born October 24, 1867, in Rush county.

Frank Trowbridge has lived all of his life in his native place, Rush county, Ind., and is a farmer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN RUSH COUNTY, IND.:

- i. EARL, b. Jan. 26, 1887; d. Feb. 22, 1887.
- ii. ESTIE, b. May 10, 1888.

**748a.** GEORGE HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>401b</sup>, *Chilion*<sup>210</sup>, *Absalom*<sup>140</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 13, 1867, in Hacketts-town, N. J.; resides in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; married July 2, 1888, in Rockaway,

\* No children by third marriage.

N. J., Mary Adella Beach, daughter of John Henry and Florence (Hoffman) Beach, born February 5, 1871, in Rockaway.

George H. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Mt. Freedom, N. J.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. JOSEPH HENRY, b. Jan. 6, 1890.
- ii. MABEL ADELLA, b. Nov. 28, 1891.
- iii. WILLIAM HARRISON, b. Feb. 13, 1893.
- iv. NELLIE, b. Dec. 15, 1895.
- v. MAZIE, b. Sept. 13, 1899; d. Sept. 22, 1899.
- vi. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. Oct. 10, 1900.
- vii. GILBERT HUNTERDON, b. Nov. 30, 1901.
- viii. RAYMOND BLACK, b. Mar. 25, 1903.
- ix. FRANKLIN, b. May 30, 1906.

**748b.** GEORGE HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*George A.*<sup>401c</sup>, *Chilion*<sup>210</sup>, *Absalom*<sup>140</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 25, 1883, in Morristown, N. J.; resides in Morristown; married ———, 1905?, in La Fayette, N. J., Emma Space.†

George H. Trowbridge is a plumber and resides in Morristown, N. J.

## CHILD BORN IN MORRISTOWN, N. J.:

- i. MERWIN, b. June 10, 1906.

**749.** JOSEPH GORDON TROWBRIDGE (*Henry H.*<sup>402</sup>, *John*<sup>211</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>142</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 25, 1859, in Van Buren township, Darke county, Ohio; resides in Brock (Stelvideo P. O.), Ohio; married December 30, 1882, in Franklin township, Darke county, Millia Mandville Evitts, daughter of Daniel Washington and Eliza Jane (Ballinger) Evitts, born March 5, 1859, in Newberry township, Miami county, Ohio.

Joseph G. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Brock, Darke county, Ohio. He has been a member of the Christian church since 1887.

## NO CHILDREN.

**750.** EMMANUEL HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Henry H.*<sup>402</sup>, *John*<sup>211</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>142</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 23, 1862, in Poplar Ridge, Ohio; resides in Miami county (Tippecanoe City P. O.), Ohio; married July 29, 1893, in Tippecanoe City, Mary Raymer, daughter of Frederick and Sophia (Swartz) Raymer, born March 17, 1872, in Frederick, Ohio; died June 4, 1904, in Miami county.

Emmanuel H. Trowbridge is a farmer near West Milton, Miami county, Ohio. He is a member of the I. O. O. F.

## CHILD BORN IN MIAMI COUNTY, OHIO:

- i. ROBERT ISAAC, b. Sept. 3, 1894.

**751.** SIMEON ALLSWORTH TROWBRIDGE (*Henry H.*<sup>402</sup>, *John*<sup>211</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>142</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 17, 1868, in Poplar Ridge, Ohio; resides in Miami county (Kessler P. O.), Ohio; married November 23, 1895, in West Milton, Ohio, Lulu Belle Vohr, daughter of George and Catherine F. (LeCrone) Vohr, born November 30, 1877, in Miami county.

Simeon A. Trowbridge is a farmer near Kessler, Miami county, Ohio. He is a member of the Christian church.

## CHILD BORN IN MIAMI COUNTY, OHIO:

- i. JOSEPH GORDON, b. Dec. 15, 1896.

\* i and v-ix born in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; ii-iii in Littleton, N. J.; iv in Shongum, N. J.

† He failed to answer the compiler's letters.



**752.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>403</sup>, *John*<sup>211</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>142</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 28, 1858, near Arcanum, Ohio; resides in Gettysburgh township (Greenville P. O.), Ohio; married February 13, 1879, in Red River, Ohio, Mary Ann Long, daughter of Andrew Jackson and Mary (Caudle) Long, born October 2, 1859, in West Alexandria, Ohio.

John Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Gettysburgh township, Darke county, Ohio.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GETTYSBURGH, OHIO:\*

- i. DAISY ODELL, b. Dec. 22, 1879; m. Feb. 22, 1899, Albert Draving and resides in Red River, Ohio.
- ii. ALBA ESTELLA, b. Aug. 12, 1883.
- iii. GEORGE WARD, b. Dec. 19, 1886.
- iv. HARRY GORSETH, b. Jan. 11, 1895.

**753.** WILLIAM OSSIE OLA TROWBRIDGE (*Simon*<sup>405</sup>, *John*<sup>211</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>142</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 28, 1875, in Center, Ind.; resides in Center; married March 24, 1897, in Oakford, Ind., Minnie Pearl Wilson, daughter of Isaac Dillard and Dulcemia (Batory) Wilson, born September 20, 1875, in Oakford.

William O. O. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in his native place, Center, Howard county, Ind. He is a member of Rose Lodge, No. 638, I. O. O. F.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CENTER, IND.:

- i. TRELA VASHTIE, b. Oct. 12, 1898.
- ii. FERNE LOUETTA, b. May 7, 1902.

**754.** FREDERICK LOUIE TROWBRIDGE (*George E.*<sup>407</sup>, *Eli*<sup>213</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>144</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 25, 1857, in New Haven, Conn.; resides in New Haven; married June 4, 1884, in New Haven, Elizabeth Darling Baird, daughter of John Darling and Margaret (Jeffrey) Baird, born August 3, 1858, in New Haven.

Frederick L. Trowbridge received his education in the public schools of his native city. When a young man he became a clerk in the First National Bank of New Haven, in which he has risen to be assistant cashier and paying teller.

Mr. Trowbridge is president of the New Haven Building and Loan Association, and is a member of the United (Congregational) Church, the Sons of the American Revolution, the New Haven Colony Historical Society, the Union League Club and several fraternal societies.

## NO CHILDREN.

**755.** CHARLES HERBERT TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>409</sup>, *James*<sup>216</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>145</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 11, 1853, in Litchfield, Conn.; resides in Columbia township (Tama P. O.), Iowa; married December 30, 1884, in Tama, Mary Elizabeth Homan, daughter of Frederic and Mary Elizabeth (O'Neill) Homan, born December 2, 1857, in Howard township, Tama county, Iowa.

Charles H. Trowbridge when three years old was brought by his parents to Columbia township, Tama county, Iowa. He lives five miles from Tama on an excellent farm which he inherited from his father.

## CHILDREN BORN IN TAMA COUNTY, IOWA:

- i. HAROLD LE ROY, b. Dec. 7, 1885.
- ii. FLOY HOMAN, b. May 16, 1892.

\* Except ii, who was born in Poplar Ridge, Ohio.

**756.** EDWARD GILLETTE TROWBRIDGE (*George II.*<sup>410</sup>, *Henry P.*<sup>219</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>145</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 26, 1870, in Litchfield, Conn.; resides in New York City; married October 22, 1902, in New Haven, Conn., Hattie Barker, daughter of James Percival and Lydia (Atwater) Barker, born January 16, 1862, in New Haven.

Edward G. Trowbridge received his education in the common and high schools in his native village. When a young man he went to New York City, where he has since resided. He is bookkeeper for the Columbia Hosiery Company.

NO CHILDREN.

**757.** CORNELIUS MILLER TROWBRIDGE (*Hobart*<sup>415</sup>, *Charles*<sup>225</sup>, *Justus*<sup>148</sup>, *William*<sup>115</sup>, *William*<sup>106</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>102</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 21, 1869, in Hudson, N. Y.; resides in Lake Forest, Ill.; married September 14, 1897, in Lake Forest, Harriet Allen Durand, daughter of Calvin and Sarah Gould (Downs) Durand, born February 20, 1872, in Chicago, Ill.

Cornelius M. Trowbridge came at the age of thirteen years with his mother and step-father to Chicago, Ill., and attended the Lake Forest Academy. He started in business in Chicago as office boy for French, Potter & Wilson, china-ware merchants, in 1886. He continued with them until the firm was changed to the French & Potter Co., in 1891, when he assumed charge of their hotel business, continuing with them until he entered the employ of Burley & Co., also chinaware merchants. He was taken into the firm in 1904 as second vice-president. This firm was succeeded in 1907 by the Burley & Tyrrell Co., in which he retains the same interest. His home was in Evanston, Ill., from 1897 until 1902, in which year he moved to Lake Forest, Ill., where he has settled permanently.

CHILDREN :

- i. CALVIN DURAND, b. Aug. 24, 1898, in Evanston, Ill.
- ii. CORNELIUS MILLER, b. Sept. 8, 1901, in Evanston.
- iii. KATHERINE VAN WAGENEN, b. Sept. 16, 1903, in Lake Forest, Ill.

**758.** CHARLES AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*Charles S.*<sup>418</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>227</sup>, *John*<sup>149</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 30, 1843, in Tecumseh, Mich.; resides in Auburn, N. Y.; married April 18, 1895, in Ossining, N. Y., Matilda Romer Clark, daughter of Stephen Augustus and Mary Elizabeth (Foshay) Clark, born September 25, 1859, in Golden Bridge, N. Y.; died March 20, 1897, in Auburn.

Charles A. Trowbridge has resided most of his life in Auburn, N. Y., where he is considered a man of good business ability and reputation.

CHILD BORN IN AUBURN, N. Y.:

- i. CHARLES AUGUSTUS, b. Jan. 14, 1897; d. Mar. 25, 1897.

**759.** DAVID HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Charles S.*<sup>418</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>227</sup>, *John*<sup>149</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 29, 1851, in Auburn, N. Y.; resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; married April 23, 1883, in Farmer City, Ill., Mary Eveline Whitney, daughter of Lorenzo and Mary (Johnson) Whitney, born April 18, 1853, in Holly, N. Y.

David H. Trowbridge is a clerk in mercantile business in Syracuse, N. Y. He has the reputation of being a good business man.

CHILDREN :

- i. FRANCES MAY, b. Oct. 8, 1885, in Sodus, N. Y.; d. Apr. 5, 1889, in Auburn, N. Y.
- ii. JESSIE MATILDA, b. Oct. 18, 1887, in Auburn.
- iii. CHARLES SAMUEL, b. May 13, 1891, in Sodus; d. June 16, 1891, in Sodus.

**760.** HENRY TREAT TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>419</sup>, *John*<sup>228</sup>, *John*<sup>149</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 8, 1852, in Roxbury, Conn.; resides in Atlanta, Ga.; married July 7, 1885, in Atlanta, Janet Barclay Miller, daughter of John and Margaret (Nicholson) Miller, born October 28, 1853, in Geneva, N. Y.

Henry T. Trowbridge left his native place, Roxbury, Conn., in 1871 and went to Atlanta, Ga., where he has since made his home. In 1873 his father and he established the J. & H. Trowbridge Furniture Co., which was afterwards incorporated as The Trowbridge Furniture Co., with his father as president and himself as manager. They continued in business together until 1893, when his father retired from business. Mr. Trowbridge is at the present time secretary of the Southern Terra Cotta Works in Atlanta.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ATLANTA, GA.:

- i. MALCOLM CAMERON, b. ———, 1886.
- ii. RUTH MILLER, b. Oct. 13, 1888; d. Aug. 6, 1890.
- iii. KENNETH MILLER, b. Mar. 25, 1890.

**761.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Sylvester*<sup>423</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>230</sup>, *James*<sup>150</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 21, 1839, in Albany, N. Y.; died July 24, 1867, in Sacramento, Cal.; married Angeline J. Prothero of Michigan Bar, Cal.

James Trowbridge was in mercantile business in Sacramento, Cal.

## NO CHILDREN.

**762.** JOHN PLUME TROWBRIDGE (*John H.*<sup>424</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>230</sup>, *James*<sup>150</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 24, 1852, in Albany, N. Y.; resides in Jersey City, N. J.; married August 16, 1882, in Albany, Ella Loretta McDonald, daughter of Cornelius and Ella (McMahon) McDonald, born August 20, 1860, in Albany.

John P. Trowbridge is a salesman and resides in Jersey City, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ALBANY, N. Y.:

- i. CATHARINE LOUISE, b. Oct. 24, 1883.
- ii. JOHN HARRIS, b. Oct. 25, 1885.
- iii. ISABELLA ROSE, b. Aug. 10, 1888.
- iv. WEBER JAMES, b. June 5, 1890.

**763.** HENRY WILKINSON TROWBRIDGE (*John H.*<sup>424</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>230</sup>, *James*<sup>150</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 6, 1859, in Albany, N. Y.; resides in New York City; married September 5, 1882, in Albany, Ida Clara Young, daughter of John Christie and Mary (Sigourney) Young, born December 6, 1859, in Albany.

Henry W. Trowbridge is a stockbroker in New York City, where he resides.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ALBANY, N. Y.:

- i. MAY YOUNG, b. July 6, 1884.
- ii. HAROLD, b. May 16, 1886.
- iii. ALVA HARRIET, b. Dec. 10, 1899.

**764.** STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*John J.*<sup>426</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>232</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 20, 1869, in Monticello, N. Y.; resides in Monticello; married October 11, 1893, in Monticello, Anna Ruddick, daughter of John and Susan (Reed) Ruddick, born February 4, 1869, in Forestburgh, N. Y.

Stephen Trowbridge has always resided in his native place, Monticello, N. Y. He is engaged in the lumber business and is the leading dealer in that commodity in the town.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MONTICELLO, N. Y.:

- i. JOHN RUDDICK, b. Feb. 11, 1895.
- ii. LOUISE MAY, b. Aug. 30, 1896.

**765.** CLARENCE MORTIMER TROWBRIDGE (*Miner*<sup>431</sup>, *Henry*<sup>234</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *Jamés*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 11, 1864, in Astoria, N. Y.; resides in Plainfield, N. J.; married April 19, 1897, in Brooklyn, N. Y., Kate Louise Colville, daughter of Charles George and Mary Louise (Tupper) Colville, born January 10, 1869, in New York City.

Clarence M. Trowbridge after being graduated from St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H., in 1880, took a clerkship with Brown Bros. & Co., bankers, in New York City and remained with them ten years. He is now with Mahon & Co., stockbrokers, in that city. His home is in Plainfield, N. J.

## CHILD BORN IN BROOKLYN, N. Y.:

- i. MINER, b. May 20, 1898.

**765a.** GUION TROWBRIDGE (*Miner*<sup>431</sup>, *Henry*<sup>234</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>151</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>117</sup>, *James*<sup>108</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 30, 1867, in Astoria, N. Y.; resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.; married October 31, 1900, in Brooklyn, Ethel Merritt, daughter of John and Ellen Edwards (Bacon) Merritt, born January 23, 1875, in Brooklyn.

Guion Trowbridge has been for over twenty years with the Mutual Life Insurance Company in New York City, in which he holds the office of registrar. His home is in Brooklyn, N. Y.

## CHILD BORN IN BROOKLYN, N. Y.:

- i. WINTHROP, b. July 12, 1902.

**766.** EDWIN MOORE TROWBRIDGE (*Elihu*<sup>434</sup>, *Philemon*<sup>241</sup>, *Philemon*<sup>152</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>118</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 23, 1854, in Marshall, N. Y.; died August 9, 1886, in Mexico, N. Y.; married July 11, 1877, in Mexico, Adelpa I. Webb, daughter of Edgar I. and Matilda (Benedict) Webb, born August 23, 1852, in Cicero, N. Y. She resides in Mexico.

Edwin M. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Mexico, N. Y., where he lived for the rest of his life. He conducted a farm there with his father and lived in a house which he built on a part of the farm.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MEXICO, N. Y.:

- i. ANNA, b. May 4, 1879.
- ii. JOHN TRACY, b. Apr. 25, 1880.
- iii. LENA MAY, b. May 17, 1885.

**767.** WILLIAM TAYLOR TROWBRIDGE (*Eli B.*<sup>435</sup>, *Philemon*<sup>241</sup>, *Philemon*<sup>152</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>118</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 18, 1849, in Clinton, N. Y.; resides in Clinton; married March 27, 1877, in New Hartford, N. Y., Catharine Maria Palmer, daughter of William Tenbrook and Margaret Maria (Schuyler) Palmer, born May 6, 1849, in New Hartford.

William T. Trowbridge has been engaged in farming all his life in his native town, Kirkland, near the village of Clinton, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLINTON, N. Y.:

- i. CLINTON SCHUYLER, b. Feb. 22, 1879.
- ii. LAURA BELLE, b. Jan. 17, 1883.

**768.** CHARLES FRANCIS TROWBRIDGE (*Eli B.*<sup>435</sup>, *Philemon*<sup>241</sup>, *Philemon*<sup>152</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>118</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 14, 1853, in Clinton, N. Y.; resides in Clinton; married October 15, 1885, in Clinton, Mary Anna Toomer, daughter of William Henry and Margaret (Burgess) Toomer, born October 15, 1867, in Clinton.

Charles F. Trowbridge lives near Clinton in the town of Kirkland, N. Y., where he is engaged in farming. His farm has descended to him from his grandfather. He was elected a justice of the peace in the fall of 1898.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLINTON, N. Y.:

- i. GRACE MAY, b. Apr. 9, 1887; m. Nov. 27, 1906, Hart B. Van Vechten and resides in Clinton.
- ii. ADA ELIZABETH, b. Apr. 29, 1889.
- iii. DOROTHY BARTLETT, b. Oct. 15, 1897.
- iv. FRANCIS, b. May 19, 1907.

**769.** DAVID FRANCIS TROWBRIDGE (*Rollin M.*<sup>442</sup>, *David*<sup>243</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 12, 1862, in La Grange, Iowa; resides in Hobsonville, Ore.; married July 2, 1893, in Tyrone, Iowa, Minnie Jane Derby, daughter of John Chadric and Mary Ann (Miller) Derby, born August 5, 1869, in Ieonium, Iowa.

David F. Trowbridge at the age of fourteen started to make his own way in life. He engaged in steamboating for a time and then took up railroading, which he followed until the time of his marriage. Since that time he has been engaged in various occupations. He lived the first year after his marriage in Bay City, Ore., and then moved to Moravia, Iowa, where he spent two years. He then removed to Lyons, Iowa, and from there to his present residence, Hobsonville, Ore.

## CHILDREN:

- i. FRANCIS FLOYD, b. Apr. 16, 1894, in Bay City, Ore.
- ii. ALTA MAY, b. Aug. 17, 1896, in Moravia, Iowa; d. June 13, 1897.

**770.** MYRON CYRENUS TROWBRIDGE (*Rollin M.*<sup>442</sup>, *David*<sup>243</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 20, 1867, in La Grange, Iowa; resides in Tillamook, Ore.; married January 3, 1897, in Tillamook, Sarah Randall, daughter of David George and Martha Elizabeth (Trask) Randall, born August 25, 1867, in Tillamook.

Myron C. Trowbridge when a young man came to Tillamook, Ore., where he married and became a clerk in a general merchandise store. A few years since he took up farming near there, which is his present occupation. He is a member of the local lodge of the I. O. O. F.

## CHILD BORN IN TILLAMOOK, ORE.:

- i. GEORGE ROLLIN, b. May 2, 1905.

**771.** DR. DWIGHT HOWE TROWBRIDGE (*David S.*<sup>443</sup>, *David*<sup>243</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 1, 1870, in Columbus, Ohio; resides in Fresno, Cal.; married January 1, 1895, in Rio Vista, Cal., Margaret Ann McCormack, daughter of Duncan and Caroline (Cook) McCormack, born February 27, 1870, in St. John, New Brunswick, Canada.

Dwight H. Trowbridge was graduated in medicine from the medical department of Tulane University, Louisiana, in 1893. From then until November, 1897, he practiced his profession at Fowler, Cal. During the winter of 1898 he took a course in the Post Graduate Medical School and Hospital in New York City. He then located at Fresno, Cal., where he resides at present and is practicing his profession as a physician and surgeon.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FRESNO, CAL.:

- i. ELIZABETH GRACE, b. Sept. 9, 1903.
- ii. DWIGHT HOWE, b. June 19, 1906.

**772.** WILLIAM ALLEN TROWBRIDGE (*Levi*<sup>446</sup>, *Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 10, 1844, in Gallia county, Ohio; resides in Winchell, Tex.; married July 27, 1862, in Marysville, Iowa, Amanda Helen Morris, daughter of Benjamin and Amanda (Sissol) Morris, born July 21, 1841, in Davis county, Ky.; died January 17, 1904, in Niwot, Tex.

William A. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to La Grange, Iowa. At the age of seventeen he entered the army in the Civil War as a volunteer. He enlisted August 10, 1861, for three years, or during the war, in Company I, 8th Iowa Infantry, and was discharged at Sedalia, Mo., February 4, 1862. He returned to his home in Iowa, where he was married and where he lived for two years. He re-enlisted as a recruit in Company D, 33d Iowa Infantry, and at the battle of Jenkins' Ferry on the Saline river, Ark., April 30, 1864, he received a gunshot wound through the head, just behind and a little below the eye, blinding him in the left eye. He was captured there, while wounded, and was held as a prisoner at Camp Ford prison, Smith county, Tex., for 392 days. He was then released, the war being over.

Mr. Trowbridge removed with his family to a farm in Williamson county, Ill., where he lived three years. He next moved to a farm in Benton county, Kan., where he lived three years, going from there to a farm in Johnson county, Mo., where he lived ten years. In 1882 he emigrated to Texas. He was engaged in farming in Coleman county until 1893, when he opened a general merchandise store at Niwot in that county, being also appointed postmaster there. In January, 1904, he removed to Brown county and has since been engaged in farming near Winchell. Mr. Trowbridge became a member of the Masonic fraternity in 1871 and joined the Church of Christ on September 9, 1887.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. MARY LENA, b. May 5, 1863; m. Sept. 27, 1885, Reed Vance Cupps and resides in Niwot, Tex.
- ii. CLARA ANN, b. May 19, 1866; m. Aug. 16, 1883, James Byram Killmer and resides in Winchell, Tex.
- iii. CHARLES CHRISTOPHER, b. Oct. 3, 1871; resides with his father; unm.
- iv. PERMELIA AMANDA, b. Aug. 27, 1876; m. Dec. 4, 1898, George Tellie Allison and resides in Niwot.

**773.** ASA HILAND TROWBRIDGE (*Ferguson II.*<sup>447</sup>, *Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 20, 1848, in Crown City, Ohio; resides in Crown City; married, first, April 7, 1872, in Crown City, Rhoda Pickett,† daughter of Libni and Harriet (Henry) Pickett, born March 22, 1852, in Crown City; died June 6, 1885, in Crown City. He married, second, February 14, 1900, in Cincinnati, Ohio, Salena Pickett, a sister of his first wife, born April 21, 1851, in Crown City.

Asa H. Trowbridge lives in his native place, Crown City, Ohio. He was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted February 15, 1865, in Company G, 195th Ohio Infantry, and was mustered out May 25, 1865. After the war he was in business as a carpenter, but for the past twenty years has been engaged in the undertaking business. He has been elected for more than ten successive terms of two years each a justice of the peace of Guyan township, Gallia county, Ohio.

\* i born near La Grange, Iowa; ii in Williamson county, Ill.; iii in Benton county, Ark.; iv in Johnson county, Mo.

† A sister of the husband of No. 447, viii.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CROWN CITY, OHIO:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. GRACE, b. May 10, 1874; m. Dec. 19, 1900, William R. Coon and resides in Gallipolis, Ohio.
- ii. CARRIE, b. Mar. 6, 1877; m. Oct. 5, 1907, George Elem and resides in \_\_\_\_\_, Mich.
- 975a. iii. CHARLES G., b. June 14, 1881.
- 975b. iv. OLIVER OTIS, b. Sept. 9, 1883.

**774.** ZEBULON HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Ferguson*<sup>147</sup>, *Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 10, 1856, in Crown City, Ohio; resides in St. Albans, W. Va.; married May 10, 1877, in Crown City, Lillian Shaw, daughter of Capt. James Claudius and Lutitia (Haines) Shaw, born August 28, 1857, in Chambersburgh, Ohio.

Zebulon H. Trowbridge learned the trade of a millwright in his native place, Crown City, Ohio. He settled after his marriage in St. Albans, W. Va., where he has since made his home. He owns and conducts a large farm there and is also a member of the firm of Trowbridge & Halstead. He served ten years as deputy sheriff of Kanawha county, W. Va., and one term as deputy tax commissioner at Charleston, W. Va.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ST. ALBANS, W. VA.:

- 976. i. CALVIN, b. Apr. 24, 1878.
- ii. KITTIE MAY, b. Feb. 24, 1880; m. Sept. 27, 1897, Albert Thomas Halstead and resides in St. Albans.
- 977. iii. MALCROM, b. Sept. 30, 1881.
- iv. JAMES CLAUDIUS, b. Feb. 18, 1884; is a brakeman and resides in Russell, Ky.; unm.
- v. NELLIE, b. Apr. 24, 1886; d. Aug. 5, 1886.
- vi. A son, b. Aug. 22, 1887; d. Aug. 30, 1887.
- vii. ZEBULON HENRY, b. Sept. 20, 1888.
- viii. FREDERICK, b. Oct. 10, 1889.
- ix. ROSCOE, b. Jan. 5, 1892.
- x. GLENN EARL, b. July 27, 1893.
- xi. BERYLE EDNA, } twins, living.
- xii. BEULAH ADNA, { b. Sept. 8, 1895; d. June 8, 1896.
- xiii. ALLDRA RUTH, b. Jan. 6, 1898.

**775.** ALMON CARROLL TROWBRIDGE (*Lemuel*<sup>448</sup>, *Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 29, 1857, in Paris, Ill.; resides in West Plains, Mo.; married August 13, 1899, in West Plains, Sarah Emma Kinkead, daughter of Samuel Alexander and Hannah Maria (LeFever) Kinkead, born April 8, 1870, in Brown's Mills, Ohio.

Almon C. Trowbridge came with his father to West Plains, Mo., where he has since lived. He is engaged there in manufacturing carriages and wagons and a general blacksmithing business in partnership with George Hartz, the firm name being Trowbridge & Hartz.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WEST PLAINS, MO.:

- i. PAULINE, b. Nov. 27, 1900; d. June 22, 1901.
- ii. BERNICE, b. Aug. 23, 1902.

**776.** HUGH HERBERT TROWBRIDGE (*Lemuel*<sup>448</sup>, *Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 2, 1880, in Paris, Ill.; resides in West Plains, Mo.; married April 18, 1901, in Newport, Ark., Maud Lourey, daughter of William P. and Sarah E. (Brown) Lourey, born December 29, 1879, in Howell county, Mo.

Hugh H. Trowbridge came with his father to West Plains, Mo., where he lives at present. He is engaged in the painting business.

\* No children by second marriage.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WEST PLAINS, MO.:

- i. RALPH, b. Jan. 15, 1902.
- ii. A daughter, b. Aug. 28, 1907.

**776a.** JAMES THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac*<sup>440</sup>, *Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 1, 1878, in Swan Creek, Ohio; resides in Swan Creek; married May 27, 1901, in Swan Creek, Lizzie Wray, daughter of John and Sarah (Ross) Wray, born May 4, 1884, in Swan Creek.

James T. Trowbridge is farming in his native place, Swan Creek, Gallia county, Ohio.

## NO CHILDREN.

**777.** WESLEY TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>450</sup>, *Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 5, 1876, in Swan Creek, Ohio; resides in Milford, Iowa; married July 18, 1897, in Siloam, W. Va., Margaret Grimm, daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth (Rawlings) Grimm, born April 27, 1874, in Mason county, W. Va.

Wesley Trowbridge was engaged for several years in teaching in country schools in Ohio and West Virginia. He moved from his birthplace to West Virginia in October, 1896, and after his marriage went to Meigs county, Ohio. He resided there until March, 1899, when he moved to Arlee, W. Va. He resided there until recently, when he removed to Milford, Iowa, where he is at present engaged in farming.

## CHILD BORN IN RUTLAND, OHIO:

- i. EVERT LEE, b. Feb. 10, 1899.

**777a.** JACOB TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>450</sup>, *Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 20, 1882, in Swan Creek, Ohio; resides in Bladen, Ohio; married March 7, 1903, in Bladen, Malzena Lewis, daughter of Rev. Samuel and Sarah Ellen (Wallace) Lewis, born September 21, 1885, in New England, Ohio.

Jacob Trowbridge learned the trade of a miner and since reaching his majority has been in that business for himself in Bladen, Gallia county, Ohio.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BLADEN, OHIO:

- i. ROSALIE, b. Dec. 1, 1903.
- ii. MARY ELLEN, b. Apr. 14, 1906.

**777b.** ALBERT ROY TROWBRIDGE (*Francis M.*<sup>451</sup>, *Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 27, 1875, in La Grange, Lucas county, Iowa; resides in Miami, Tex.; married, first, September 10, 1902, in Canadian, Tex., Katie Edna Cain, daughter of James Wiley and Mattie (Robinson) Cain, born March 30, 1880, in Jack county, Tex.; died April 1, 1904, in Canadian. He married, second, December 26, 1905, in Wellington, Kan., Eva Maude Dilley, daughter of Charles Alexander and Lillian (Montgomery) Dilley, born March 5, 1881, in Jacksonville, Minn.

Albert R. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Maple, Ark., and lived there until he was nearly twenty-one. He left there in August, 1895, and went to Higgins, Tex., and resided near there for three years. He then resided in Day county, Okla., for five years. He then went to Canadian, Tex., where he lived three years. On September 1, 1906, he went to Miami, Tex., his present residence, where he is manager of a retail lumber yard.



## CHILDREN :

*By first marriage:*

- i. FRANCIS TALBERT, b. June 30, 1903, in Canadian, Tex.; d. Jan. 6, 1904, in Colorado Springs, Colo.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. LILLIAN FRANCES, b. Dec. 6, 1906, in Miami, Tex.

**778.** ROYAL DAYTON TROWBRIDGE (*Charles D.*<sup>452</sup>, *Stephen B.*<sup>248</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 31, 1831, in Palmyra, Ohio; died January 23, 1899, in Edinburg, Ohio; married December 19, 1852, in Edinburg, Louisa Lydia Gilbert, daughter of George Seeley and Electa Minerva (Eno) Gilbert, born August 24, 1832, in Palmyra. She resides in Edinburg.

Royal D. Trowbridge was about two years old when his father died, and his mother and her children went to live with his grandparents. When he was fourteen years old his grandfather died, and after that he worked and managed for the family, as his older brother had left home to learn a trade. After his marriage he settled on the old homestead of his grandfather Trowbridge in his native place, Palmyra, Ohio, where he was engaged in farming up to the time of the Civil War. He enlisted in the army at Cleveland in August, 1862, as a teamster, preferring to act in that capacity as the term of that service was shorter and he had a wife and two small children, as well as his mother, to support. He and his cousin Newell Collins were wagon-masters together and had charge of one hundred and thirty men. He followed General Buell into Kentucky, the soldiers and wagons making a train eighteen miles long. He arrived on the battle ground at Perryville a day after the battle and never forgot the awful scene. He did not go farther south than Nashville, Tenn., as he became ill from exposure from sleeping on the ground in frosty weather, and Captain Warren gave him his discharge. He returned home in November, 1862. On his return from the army he was engaged in farming in Palmyra until June 15, 1870, when he removed with his family to Edinburg, Ohio, where he resided the rest of his life. He and his family became members of the Disciples' church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PALMYRA, OHIO:\*

978. i. STEPHEN ADDISON, b. Dec. 13, 1853.  
 ii. FRANK DAYTON, b. Oct. 28, 1858; d. May 5, 1861.  
 iii. MARY ELECTA, b. Apr. 28, 1861; m. June 1, 1886, Stuart Linn Wilson and resides in Edinburg, Ohio.  
 iv. OLIVE EVA, b. July 11, 1867; m. Sept. 27, 1903, Charles Edwin Cleverly and resides in Edinburg.  
 v. ALTA MAY, b. Oct. 28, 1871; m. Dec. 31, 1891, John Adam Lowrie and resides in Ravenna, Ohio.

**779.** DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Asa H.*<sup>453</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 5, 1837, in Edinburg, Ohio; died May 19, 1862, in Corinth, Miss.; married May 20, 1860, in Pipestone, Mich., Mary E. Lewis,† daughter of Jesse and Esther (Gallup) Lewis, born May 28, 1838, in Columbia, Ohio. She married, second, April 20, 1871, in Gravesville, Wis., Charles E. Beach of Eau Claire, Wis., where she died January 2, 1901.

Daniel Trowbridge at the age of fifteen years went with his parents to Cleveland, Ohio, where he grew to manhood. He entered the army during the first year of the Civil War. He enlisted September 2, 1861, for three years and was appointed corporal of Company D, 41st Ohio Infantry. He died of wounds received at the battle of Shiloh.

## NO CHILDREN.

\* Except v. who was born in Edinburg, Ohio.

† A sister of the second wife of his uncle No. 457.

**780.** CHARLES DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel H.*<sup>454</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 27, 1844, in Edinburg, Ohio; resides in Hinton, Okla.; married, first, November 27, 1867, in Niles, Mich., Alwilda Ann Davis. He married, second, Mrs. Anne Price.\*

Charles D. Trowbridge went in childhood with his parents to Berrien county, Mich., and grew up on his father's farm near Pipestone. He was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted early in 1862 in Company K, 11th Michigan Cavalry. He became ill with fever and was sent home, and was discharged July 9, 1862. After he had recovered he re-entered his company. He was transferred July 20, 1865, to Company A, 8th Michigan Cavalry. He participated in forty-two engagements, including Shiloh, being once slightly wounded. He was taken prisoner and was confined in Andersonville three months and ten days, when, having been detailed to care for the Confederate sick, he made his escape. He was mustered out September 22, 1865. After his first marriage he settled in Michigan and engaged in farming. In 1879 he removed to Schuyler, Neb.; removed to Leigh in 1881; and from there to Banner county, near Heath, in 1889. In 1896 he returned to Schuyler, where he lived for several years. At present he resides in Hinton, Okla. He is a farmer.

## CHILDREN:

*By first marriage:*

- i. FRANK, b. ———, 1869.
- ii. MAUDE MAY, b. ———, 187-; m. W. H. Stratton.
- iii. AUSTIN, b. ———, 187-.
- iv. CLINTON, b. ———, 187-.

**781.** OLIVER DAYTON TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel H.*<sup>454</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 25, 1847, in Edinburg, Ohio; resides in Miami, Okla.; married September 6, 1868, in Pipestone, Mich., Emeline Brandt, daughter of Horace and Caroline (Brandt) Brandt, born December 2, 1845, in Ionia, Mich.

Oliver D. Trowbridge was brought in childhood by his parents to their farm near Pipestone, Mich., where he lived until he entered the army during the Civil War. He served two and one-half years in Company K, 12th Michigan Infantry. He was in no important engagements and was mustered out February 15, 1866. He settled after his marriage in Pipestone, where he was engaged in farming until 1879, when he moved to Nebraska. He was engaged in farming in Schuyler, Neb., until the spring of 1901, when he removed to Miami, Okla., where he has since resided. He is now retired.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PIPESTONE, MICH.:

- i. ADDIE MAY, b. June 2, 1869; m. Jan. 1, 1891, David Muldrew and resides in Springdale, Ark.
- ii. MYRTLE LEE, b. May 7, 1871; m. Feb. 22, 1892, John Maynard and resides in Heath, Neb.
- iii. DAISY DEAN, b. Mar. 10, 1874; m. June 11, 1892, George B. Fravert and resides in Rifle, Colo.

**782.** JOHN WORDSWORTH TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel H.*<sup>454</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 15, 1849, in Edinburg, Ohio; resides in Heath, Neb.; married May 24, 1868, in Pipestone, Mich., Emma DeLong, daughter of Jesse and Mary (Davis) DeLong, born ———, 1853, in Berrien, Mich.

John W. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Pipestone, Mich., where he grew up and married. He was engaged in farming there for a good many years. He then followed his brothers to Nebraska, and is at present engaged in farming in Heath, Neb.

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PIPESTONE, MICH.:

- i.\* ARTHUR, b. May 2, 1871; is a farmer in Heath, Neb.; unm.
- ii. EFFIE, b. Mar. 25, 1875; m. Dec. 4, 1892, William W. Miller of Elbridge, Mich.
- iii. ELMA, b. Nov. 19, 1877.

**783.** STEPHEN DOUGLAS TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>H.454</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 1, 1857, in Pipestone, Mich.; resides in Heath, Neb.; married June 17, 1877, in Benton, Mich., Emma Sherman, daughter of Henry Booth and Maria (Tubbs) Sherman, born October 15, 1858, in Sodus, Mich.; died October 10, 1889, in Heath.

Stephen D. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in Pipestone, Mich. He lived the first four years after his marriage in Michigan and in 1881 removed to Leigh, Neb. He removed to Banner county in 1889 and to Schuyler, Neb., in 1896. In the summer of 1897 he returned to Banner county, where he lives at present, near Heath. He is engaged in farming and stock raising.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. LORETTA, b. Jan. 27, 1879; m. June 4, 1902, Lincoln W. Cox and resides in Scott's Bluffs, Neb.
- ii. ESTELLA, b. Apr. 22, 1881; m. Apr. 1, 1900, Frederick Gilman and resides in Redington, Neb.
- iii. BLANCHE, b. Feb. 22, 1885; m. Jan. 15, 1907, William Tinheart and resides in Heath, Neb.
- iv. GRACE, b. Apr. 15, 1887; m. July 4, 1905, John Bibey and resides in Redington.

**784.** ARTEMON RICHARD TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>456</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 9, 1852, in Portage county, Ohio; resides in Kalamazoo, Mich.; married December 16, 1875, in Berrien county, Mich., Elma DeWitt, daughter of Philip and Sarah Ann (Martin) DeWitt, born November 30, 1852, in McCutcheonville, Ohio.

Artemon R. Trowbridge was brought by his parents to Pipestone, Mich. He grew up and married there and lived there until about 1882. He then removed to Kalamazoo, Mich., where he resides at present. He is owner of the Kalamazoo Tubular Well Company.

## CHILDREN:

979. i. WALDO CORBETT, b. Jan. 18, 1877, in Pipestone, Mich.
- ii. JACK DEWITT, b. Nov. 2, 1881, in Pipestone; is in his father's employ in Kalamazoo, Mich.; unm.
- iii. MABEL VALENTINE, b. Feb. 14, 1888, in Kalamazoo.

**785.** WALLACE NORTHROP TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>456</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 10, 1859, in Pipestone, Mich.; resides in Dowagiac, Mich.; married October 23, 1888, in Silver Creek, Mich., Cynthia Jane Cushing, daughter of Dexter and Perussia Jane (Gilbert) Cushing, born January 20, 1866, in Silver Creek.

Wallace N. Trowbridge has lived all his life on a farm. He settled after his marriage in his native town, Pipestone, Mich., living there, except three years which he spent in the town of Dowagiac, Mich., up to 1903. He then sold out his farm in Berrien county and bought a farm in Cass county, near Dowagiac, where he lives at present. He is a member of Nucleus Lodge, No. 348, I. O. O. F., of Pipestone, and Round Oak Camp, No. 167, Modern Woodmen of America, of Dowagiac.

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\* i born in Bainbridge, Mich.; ii-iv near Leigh, Neb.

## CHILDREN :

- i. WILLIAM WALLACE, b. Oct. 10, 1890, in Pipestone, Mich.
- ii. OLIVE CUSHING, b. July 11, 1896, in Dowagiac, Mich.
- iii. LILA ELLA, b. July 24, 1898, in Pipestone.

**786.** THOMAS RUSSELL TROWBRIDGE (*Harry*<sup>457</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 14, 1853, in Pipestone, Mich.; resides in Mantua, Ohio; married March 5, 1884, in Mantua, Mira May Halstead, daughter of Reuben Oliver and Maria (Frost) Halstead, born December 30, 1860, in Mantua.

Thomas R. Trowbridge left his native place at the age of fourteen, in September, 1867, and went to Palmyra, Ohio. He lived there until April, 1875, when he came to Mantua, Ohio. He has lived in that place ever since, being engaged in general farming.

## NO CHILDREN.

**787.** GEORGE RANDOLPH TROWBRIDGE (*Harry*<sup>457</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 22, 1859, in Pipestone, Mich.; died December 25, 1896, in Bear Lake, Mich.; married January 1, 1888, in Bear Lake, Nettie Bartlett, daughter of Samuel and Hannah Maria (Hockenburger) Bartlett, born June 7, 1863, in Van Buren, Ohio. She married, second, November 1, 1905, in Hillsdale, Kan., Absalom Napoleon Protzman and resides in Hillsdale.

George R. Trowbridge married and settled in Bear Lake, Mich., where he continued to live until his death. He was engaged in farming there. He was ordained an elder of the Seventh Day Adventist church of Bear Lake several years before his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BEAR LAKE, MICH. :

- i. ERNEST EUGENE, b. Oct. 12, 1889; is a school-teacher in Miami county, Kan., and resides in Hillsdale, Kan.; unm.
- ii. JESSIE PEARL, b. Sept. 26, 1891.
- iii. FRANCIS ENORY, b. July 25, 1893.
- iv. GEORGE WILLIS, b. Aug. 18, 1895.

**788.** CHARLES SHERMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Nelson D.*<sup>458</sup>, *A. Dayton*<sup>250?</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 10, 1834, in Woodbury, Conn.; resides in South Norwalk, Conn.; married December 5, 1854, in Bridgewater, Conn., Harriet Orinda Merwin, daughter of Daniel and Amy (Peck) Merwin, born November 12, 1834, in Bridgewater.

Charles S. Trowbridge received his education in the schools of his native town. He lived for several years after his marriage in New Milford, Conn., and then removed to Brooklyn, N. Y., in both of which places he was engaged in mercantile business. In 1881 he removed to South Norwalk, Conn., where with his son he established the firm of C. S. Trowbridge & Son, manufacturers of paper boxes and wood cases. He has continued this business in that city up to the present time.

Mr. Trowbridge held the office of water commissioner in South Norwalk for twelve years, from January 1, 1888. He also served several years as fire marshal in that city. He has been a member of the Masonic fraternity since 1862.

## CHILDREN :

980. i. GEORGE SHERMAN, b. Sept. 4, 1858, in New Milford, Conn.
- ii. FLORA AMY, b. Dec. 24, 1860, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. Nov. 8, 1882, William Andrew Clark and resides in South Norwalk, Conn.
- iii. NELLIE, b. July 7, 1863, in Brooklyn; m. Feb. 25, 1885, George Wbpley and resides in South Norwalk.

**789.** HENRY GEORGE TROWBRIDGE (*Nelson D.*<sup>458</sup>, *A. Dayton*<sup>250</sup>?, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 5, 1841, in Woodbury, Conn.; died April 16, 1898, in New York City; married April 3, 1864, in Brooklyn, N. Y., Annie (Rowland) Lewis,\* widow of Enoch Craig Lewis and daughter of William and Mary (Wareham) Rowland, born March 12, 1835, in Patchogue, N. Y.; died February 11, 1876, in Astoria, N. Y.

Henry G. Trowbridge was educated in the common and high schools of his native place. He was an artesian well engineer and was engaged in that business at home and abroad. He was made a member of the Masonic fraternity in 1863.

NO CHILDREN.

**790.** CHARLES ARTHUR TROWBRIDGE (*Junot F.*<sup>459</sup>, *Wheeler*<sup>251</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 20, 1848, in Fowler, Ohio; resides in Fowler; married December 24, 1874, in Fowler, Myra Clawson, daughter of William Harrison and Malinda (Ifumason) Clawson, born January 22, 1857, in Jackson, Pa.

Charles A. Trowbridge received his education in the common schools of his native town, Fowler, Ohio, and then taught school there four years. He settled in Fowler after his marriage and has lived there ever since. He has for many years and up to the present time held the offices of justice of the peace and township clerk.

CHILDREN BORN IN FOWLER, OHIO:

- i. MABEL EMILY, b. Nov. 23, 1876; m. Dec. 29, 1898, Howard Frauk Rathburn of Hartford, Ohio.
- ii. GRACE FLORENCE, b. Nov. 17, 1878.
- iii. FRANK CALVIN, b. May 19, 1882.
- iv. INEZ, b. Feb. 25, 1899.

**791.** JOHN FITSLAND TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>161</sup>, *Wheeler*<sup>251</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 19, 1853, in Fowler, Ohio; resides in Piqua, Ohio; married September 25, 1873, in Warren, Ohio, Lucy Alice Burnett, daughter of Seth and Mary Ann (Shaff) Burnett, born March 7, 1854, in Hubbard, Ohio.

John F. Trowbridge is a manufacturer of and dealer in lumber, being for the most part engaged in the wholesale trade. He resides in Piqua, Ohio.

CHILD BORN IN BRISTOL, OHIO:

981. i. LLOYD DANIEL, b. Apr. 16, 1875.

**792.** ERNEST ADDISON TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>161</sup>, *Wheeler*<sup>251</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 27, 1863, in Fowler, Ohio; resides in Fowler; married December 2, 1883, in Vienna, Ohio, Ruth Cooper, daughter of Moses and Sarah (Griffith) Cooper, born March 11, 1862, in Harbor Springs, Mich.; died March 11, 1907, in Fowler.

Ernest A. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in his native place, Fowler, Ohio.

CHILDREN:

- i. EDNA ANN, b. Oct. 12, 1884, in Johnsonville, Ohio; m. July 28, 1903, Homer Milton Power and resides in Fowler, Ohio.
- ii. JESSIE PAULINE, b. May 21, 1899, in Fowler.

\* Her daughter Mary Lewis took the name of *Trowbridge*. She m. William A. Beers of Bridgewater, Conn., and resides in Northfield, Mass.

**792a.** CARLTON EUGENE TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>461</sup>, *Wheeler*<sup>251</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 30, 1872, in Fowler, Ohio; died June 5, 1896, in Fowler; married ———, 1893?, in Fowler?, Mina Ratliff, daughter of Cyrus Ratliff. She married, second, ——— Battels and resides in Warren, Ohio.\*

Carlton E. Trowbridge lived all of his life in his native town, Fowler, Ohio. He was a farmer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FOWLER, OHIO:

- i. HARRY, b. Nov. 20, 1894; d. in infancy.
- ii. HOWARD CARLTON, b. June 17, 1896.

**793.** LUCIUS ATWATER TROWBRIDGE (*Matthew T.*<sup>462</sup>, *Thomas B.*<sup>253</sup>, *Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ———<sup>122?</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 19, 1847, in Danbury, Conn.; resides in Evanston, Ill.; married June 9, 1881, in Creston, Ill., Caroline Frances Cobb, daughter of George Barker and Caroline Matilda (Potter) Cobb, born August 12, 1858, in Sauquoit, N. Y.

Lucius A. Trowbridge at the age of fourteen years came with his parents to Rockford, Ill. He was educated in the common and high schools in that city, and in 1863 became a clerk in the Third National Bank of Rockford. He received several promotions in the bank and was finally made cashier. He resigned this position January 1, 1891, to engage in banking in Chicago. In July, 1893, he established the private bank of Trowbridge & Co., Inc., of Chicago. He later organized the firm of Trowbridge, McDonald & Niver, which subsequently became The Trowbridge & Niver Co., dealers in municipal and corporation bonds, with head offices in Chicago and branch offices in several other cities. Mr. Trowbridge has held the office of president of these companies since their organization.

Mr. Trowbridge in March, 1864, became a member of the State Street Baptist Church in Rockford, Ill., with which he was connected until his removal from that city. He served twenty years as superintendent of the Sunday school in that church. Mr. Trowbridge is a man of strong domestic tastes and has never held public office. His home is in Evanston, Ill.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ROCKFORD, ILL.:

- i. LUCIE ALICE, b. July 7, 1888.
- ii. JESSIE GRAY, b. Sept. 13, 1891.
- iii. CAROLYN, b. Mar. 12, 1899.

**794.** GUYTHEL B.† TROWBRIDGE (*Henry I.*<sup>465</sup>, *Thomas B.*<sup>253</sup>, *Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ———<sup>122?</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 4, 1857, in Weston, Conn.; resides in Bridgeport, Conn.; married, first, April 19, 1878, in Salem, N. Y., Adeline Estelle Beers, daughter of James Merwin and Mary Jane (Squires) Beers, born July 11, 1860, in Weston; died January 28, 1881, in Bridgeport. He married, second, June 1, 1889, in New York City, Julia Elizabeth Barrett, daughter of Michael and Joanna (Connors) Barrett, born May 1, 1866, in Warren, Conn.

Guythel B. Trowbridge resides in Bridgeport, Conn. He has been for nearly twenty years a member of the Bridgeport Fire Department and at present holds the position of driver of Hose Company No. 3. He served seven years, 1882-89, in the Sedgwick Guards, Company B, 4th Regiment, C. N. G., being promoted corporal and later quartermaster-sergeant.

\* She failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† Initial only.



*Lucius A. Inwoodbridge.*





## CHILDREN BORN IN BRIDGEPORT, CONN. :\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. ORA MAY, b. Apr. 6, 1879; m. Apr. 27, 1898, Herman Philip Felsing and resides in Rowayton, Conn.  
 982. ii. HENRY MERWIN, b. Jan. 21, 1881.

*By second marriage:*

- iii. ROY ALBERT, b. July 4, 1890; d. Feb. 14, 1893.  
 iv. RUTH ABIGAIL, b. Mar. 28, 1894.

**795.** THOMAS ARTHUR TROWBRIDGE (*William P.*<sup>467</sup>, *Thomas B.*<sup>253</sup>, *Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ———<sup>122?</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 25, 1876, in Laurelville, Pa.; resides in South Omaha, Neb.; married December 23, 1903, in New Haven, Pa., Nannie Moreland, daughter of John and Mary (White) Moreland, born July 29, 1875, in New Haven.

Thomas A. Trowbridge at the time of his marriage was a foreman in the beef department of Swift & Co. in South Omaha, Neb., and remained in their employ until March, 1906. He then became a partner in a hand laundry in that city, a business in which he has since continued with success.

## CHILD BORN IN SOUTH OMAHA, NEB. :

- i. MARY ELEANOR, b. Mar. 16, 1905.

**796.** FRANK ANDREW TROWBRIDGE (*William P.*<sup>467</sup>, *Thomas B.*<sup>253</sup>, *Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ———<sup>122?</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 30, 1882, in Kecksburg, Pa.; resides in Rochester, Pa.; married December 22, 1903, in Dawson, Pa., Jessie Augusta Bush, daughter of Isaac and Mary Augusta (Rodgers) Bush, born September 26, 1881, in New York Hill, near Dawson.

Frank A. Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Rochester, Pa., where he at present resides. He is employed as a cutter by the Fry Glass Company in that place.

## CHILD BORN IN ROCHESTER, PA. :

- i. MABEL AUGUSTA, b. May 17, 1905.

**797.** JOHN MARTIN TROWBRIDGE (*William P.*<sup>467</sup>, *Thomas B.*<sup>253</sup>, *Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ———<sup>122?</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 25, 1884, in Kecksburg, Pa.; resides in Rochester, Pa.; married August 22, 1905, in Cumberland, Md., Emma Lee, daughter of Robert Thompson and Eleanor Cannon (Findley) Lee, born March 10, 1886, in Rillton, Pa.

John M. Trowbridge learned glass cutting in Mount Pleasant, Pa. After his marriage he settled in Rochester, Pa., where he is following his trade in the employ of the Fry Glass Company. He is a member of the Modern Woodmen of America and the Odd Fellows of Pennsylvania.

## CHILD BORN IN ROCHESTER, PA. :

- i. IRENE LEE, b. Aug. 14, 1906.

**797a.** JOSHUA TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>469</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>257</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 30, 1843, in Windham township, Wyoming county, Pa.; resides in Windham (Jenningsville P. O.); married ———, 1865, in Windham, Lucia Allen.

\*Except i, who was born in Weston, Conn.

Joshua Trowbridge at about the age of eighteen years became a soldier in the Civil War, enlisting October 11, 1861, in Company B, 52d Pennsylvania Infantry. He was wounded in the battle of Fair Oaks, June 1, 1862, and served until the close of the war, receiving his discharge at Harrisburgh, Pa., July 12, 1865. He resides in Jenningsville, Pa., where he conducts an agency for the sale of carriages, harnesses, etc.

NO CHILDREN.

**797b.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>469</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>257</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 23, 1852, in Windham township, Wyoming county, Pa.; resides in Le Raysville, Pa.; married July 2, 1872, in Windham, Francelia White, daughter of Albert and Mary (Titus) White, born in Herriek, Pa.

John Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Le Raysville, Pa.

CHILDREN BORN IN JENNINGSVILLE, PA. :\*

- i. WILLIAM, b. Jan. 23, 1874.
- ii. HARRY, b. Jan. 13, 1877.
- iii. STEPHEN, b. Apr. 4, 1881.
- iv. ANDREW, b. July 27, 1884.
- v. LLOYD, b. June 3, 1886.
- vi. MARY, b. Sept. 30, 1890; m. Oct. 1, 1906, Melvin Rockwell and resides in Le Raysville, Pa.
- vii. DELOS, b. Aug. 4, 1892.
- viii. JACOB, b. Mar. 20, 1894.

**798.** ORRIN SYLVESTER TROWBRIDGE (*Alonzo*<sup>472</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>257</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1851, in Enosburgh, Vt.; died May 2, 1890, in Enosburgh; married, first, ———, 1879, in Montgomery, Vt., Ella Tyler, daughter of William Tyler, who died November 25, 1883, in Newport Centre, Vt. He married, second, Mrs. A. M. Ladd of Enosburgh Falls, Vt. She married, third, Merrill Jeffords and resides in Enosburgh, Falls.

Orrin S. Trowbridge was engaged in farming nearly all of his life, first in Newport Centre, Vt., and later in his native town, Enosburgh, Vt.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEWPORT CENTRE, VT. :

*By first marriage:†*

- i. MAUDE MAREL, b. Oct. 22, 1880; d. Mar. 12, 1895.
- ii. LUNA MAY, b. Apr. 7, 1883; m. Dec. 25, 1900, Perley Jesse Adams and resides in Newport Centre.

**799.** EDMUND SEYMOUR TROWBRIDGE (*Seymour*<sup>473</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>257</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 22, 1856, in Enosburgh, Vt.; died December 10, 1901, in Newport Centre, Vt.; married January 1, 1878, in Newport Centre, Isabella Malinda Larrabee, daughter of Hardin Allen and Martha Annett (Rubler) Larrabee, born June 3, 1856, in Newport Centre. She married, second, August 5, 1903, in Barton, Vt., James H. Martin and resides in the city of Newport, Vt.

Edmund S. Trowbridge was engaged in farming with his father nearly all of his life in Newport Centre, Vt.

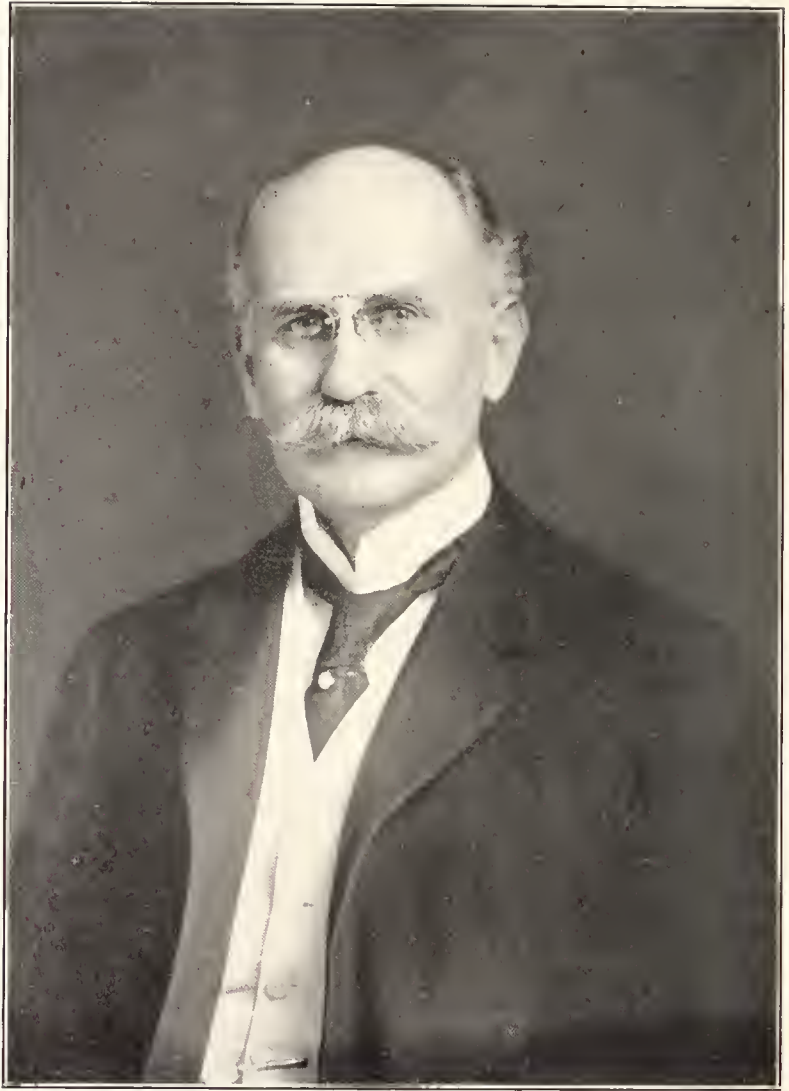
CHILDREN BORN IN NEWPORT CENTRE, VT. :

- i. GRACE GERTRUDE, b. July 20, 1879.
- ii. MATTIE JENNETTE, b. May 14, 1886; m. Dec. 27, 1906, Fred Earl Wilson and resides in Newport, Vt.

\* Except ii, who was born in Herriek, Pa.

† No children by second marriage.





Francis Emory Frothingham

**800.** WILLIAM CARL TROWBRIDGE (*Seymour*<sup>473</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>257</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>159</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 11, 1862, in Enosburgh, Vt.; resides in Waverley, Mass.; married April 5, 1886, in Stoneham, Mass., Celia Patience Cleveland, daughter of Lester and Diana Patience (Meacham) Cleveland, born December 31, 1865, in Newport Centre, Vt.

William C. Trowbridge is a clerk in a provision store in Waverley, Mass.\*

## CHILDREN:

- i. MERLE ALICE, b. ———, 188—.
- ii. HAZEL DORIS, b. ———, 189—.
- iii. VERNIE, b. ———, 189—.

**800a.** FRANCIS EMORY TROWBRIDGE (*Orrin*<sup>475</sup>, *Minor*<sup>261</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 13, 1843, in Painted Post, N. Y.; resides in New York City; married December 23, 1907, in New York City, Minnie Laura Hackett, daughter of Recorder John K. Hackett.

Francis E. Trowbridge prepared for college and entered Genesee College, but completed the course of study as a non-resident by the aid of private tutors. He then entered Syracuse University, from which he was graduated with the degree of B.A. in 1862. He was a teacher in the public and private schools in Lyons, N. Y., and Lock Berlin, N. Y., 1861-63, and was in charge of a private school in Garrisons, N. Y., 1863-64. He was a clerk in the Methodist Book Concern in New York City, 1864-68, and was cashier of the Asbury Life Insurance Company of that city, 1868-70. From 1870 to 1876 he was secretary and treasurer and a director of the Wisconsin Railway Company and the West Wisconsin (now the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha) railroad. He traveled in Europe, 1876-77. From 1877 to 1891 he was engaged in the banking and brokerage business in New York City and was a member of the New York Stock Exchange. He was also a director of the Merchants Exchange National Bank, the American Savings Bank and the American Safe and Deposit Company, and president of the International and Eastern Telegraph Company.

Mr. Trowbridge has been on the editorial staff of the *New York Sun*, and since 1893 has been on the editorial staff, city department, of the *New York Tribune*. He has contributed many articles to leading daily papers. He is second vice-president of the International North and South America Transportation and Express Company. In 1895 he received the degree of A.M. from Syracuse University, and was a member of the board of trustees of that university, 1886-90. While a student there he was elected a member of the Psi Upsilon fraternity. He resides in New York City and is a member of the Union League Club.

## NO CHILDREN.

**801.** BURR JACKSON TROWBRIDGE (*Seth*<sup>476</sup>, *Minor*<sup>261</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 28, 1843, in Newark, N. Y.; resides in Kirksville, Mo.; married May 25, 1873, in La Plata, Mo., Angeline Minard, daughter of David and Sarah Jane (Brinckerhoff) Minard, born January 10, 1853, in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Burr J. Trowbridge received his education in Lima, N. Y., to which place his father had removed to educate his children. He entered his father's store in that town where he continued until he entered the army during the Civil War. He was enrolled September 23, 1864, in Company C, 90th Battalion, New York Infantry, and was discharged June 3, 1865. He removed in early manhood to Missouri and was engaged for some years in farming in Love Lake, Macon

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

county. He then came to Kirksville, Mo., his present residence, and he is there engaged in the grocery business, under the firm name of Swords & Trowbridge.

Mr. Trowbridge served as justice of the peace in Macon county in 1883 and 1884. He has been a member of the Masonic fraternity for many years and is a member of Corporal Dix Post, No. 22, G. A. R., Department of Missouri.

CHILDREN BORN IN LOVE LAKE, MO.:

- i. LENA MINERVA, b. Dec. 12, 1874; m. Charles H. Payson and resides in Kirksville, Mo.
- ii. SETH MINARD, b. Oct. 28, 1876.

**802.** WESLEY TROWBRIDGE (*Scymour*<sup>177</sup>, *Minor*<sup>261</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 28, 1834, in Newark, N. Y.; resides in Cleveland, Ohio; married, first, September 30, 1858, in Brooklyn (Cleveland), Elizabeth Brainard Foster, daughter of Daniel Carr and Eunice Rebecca (Brainard) Foster, born August 31, 1838, in Brooklyn; died July 26, 1876, in Painesville, Ohio. He married, second, May 1, 1877, in Newark, Susan Frances Galusha, daughter of Abram Fisher and Esther (McCollum) Galusha, born June 29, 1838, in Sodus, N. Y.

Wesley Trowbridge came with his parents to Ohio in 1835 and was brought up on his father's farm in Solon. He attended the district school in that town until he was sixteen years of age and then was for four terms at the academy in Chagrin Falls, Ohio. He commenced teaching school the day he was nineteen years old and taught school four winter terms. After his marriage he lived on a farm in Solon until he entered the army during the Civil War. He enlisted August 13, 1862, for three years in Company D, 103d Ohio Infantry. He was with his regiment until April, 1863, when he was taken sick and was sent to a hospital. He did not fully recover his health, and was detailed for hospital duty at the United States General Hospital in Cleveland, Ohio, where he continued until he was mustered out of service May 30, 1865.

After leaving the army Mr. Trowbridge resided for nine years with his parents in Brooklyn village (now Cleveland), Ohio, and then removed to his farm of 207 acres in Concord, Lake county, Ohio, where he was engaged in farming until after the death of his father. He then removed to the latter's old home in Cleveland, where he at present resides. He and his wife are both members of the Methodist Episcopal church.

CHILDREN:\*

*By first marriage:†*

- i. RUSSELL MINOR, b. Aug. 22, 1859; d. Aug. 1, 1861.
- ii. ELMER ELLSWORTH, b. Oct. 16, 1861; d. July 19, 1890, in Painesville, Ohio; unm.
983. iii. GEORGE GRANT, b. Apr. 25, 1864.
- iv. SEYMOUR DANIEL, b. Aug. 12, 1866.
- v. ALMINA MARIA, b. Aug. 31, 1868; m. Dec. 25, 1888, Alonzo Fortney Walter and resides in Allentowd, Pa.
- vi. ALBERTA EUNICE, b. Nov. 27, 1870; d. Apr. 1, 1886, in Painesville; unm.
- vii. WARNER WESLEY, b. June 25, 1875; is a farmer in Concord, Ohio; unm.

**803.** PHILANDER MARVIN TROWBRIDGE (*Marvin*<sup>381</sup>, *John*<sup>262</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 25, 1851, in Solon, Ohio; resides in Millbank, S. D.; married November 4, 1875, in Clay Centre, Kan., Annie Petersen, daughter of Frane Petersen, born January 18, 1855, in Sweden.

Philander M. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Delaware county, Iowa. After his marriage he was engaged in farming in Bremer county, Iowa, and Clay county, Kan., for a few years and then removed to Grant county, S. D., where he is at present engaged in farming near Millbank.

\* i-ii born in Solon, Ohio; iii-vi in Brooklyn village (Cleveland), Ohio; vii in Concord, Ohio.  
 † No children by second marriage.

## CHILDREN :

- i. CARRIE STELLA, b. Dec. 25, 1876, in Bremer county, Iowa.
- ii. MABEL MARY, b. Dec. 12, 1880, in Clay county, Kan.
- iii. RALPH, b. Nov. 13, 1887, in Grant county, S. D.

**804.** HORACE S. TROWBRIDGE (*Marvin*<sup>481</sup>, *John*<sup>262</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 25, 1856, in Delaware county, Iowa; resides in Esmond, S. D.; married September 16, 1888, in Grant county, S. D., Nellie May Brooks, daughter of David Edward and Sylvia Adella (Davis) Brooks, born February 24, 1870, in Cannon River Falls, Minn.

Horace S. Trowbridge went with his brother to Grant county, S. D., where he married and settled. He was engaged in farming there for a few years and then removed to Benson county, N. D., and later to Esmond, Kingsbury county, S. D., where he lives at present.

## CHILDREN :

- i. MINNIE, b. June 18, 1891, in Grant county, S. D.
- ii. ARCHIE, b. Oct. 21, 1893, in Grant county.
- iii. WESLEY, b. Dec. 21, 1895, in Otter Tail county, Minn.
- iv. ROBERT, b. June 20, 1900, in Benson county, N. D.

**805.** ELMER ELLSWORTH TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>482</sup>, *John*<sup>262</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 27, 1863, in Solon, Ohio; resides in Oakland, Cal.; married October 18, 1897, in Cleveland, Ohio, Cora Belle Phillips, daughter of Judge George Lemon and Margaret (Wortman) Phillips, born January 31, 1865, in Cambridge, Ohio.

Elmer E. Trowbridge received his education in the common schools of his native town and at Hiram College, Ohio. Directly after leaving college he went to New York City and was engaged in the stock brokerage business there for about sixteen years. He then went to Cleveland, Ohio, where he lived a few years and was clerk of the public water works department. In 1900 he returned to New York City, where for the succeeding five years he was general eastern manager of the W. V. Smith Co., ore producers. In 1906 he removed to Oakland, Cal., where he resides at present and is engaged in the real estate business.

## CHILD BORN IN CLEVELAND, OHIO :

- i. GEORGE PHILLIPS, b. July 27, 1899.

**806.** GRANVILLE SHERWOOD TROWBRIDGE (*Philander D.*<sup>483</sup>, *John*<sup>262</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 9, 1853, in Solon, Ohio; resides in Alhambra, Cal.; married August 13, 1881, in Dubuque, Iowa, Laura Helen Fogg, daughter of Joseph and Amelia (Randall) Fogg, born March 3, 1854, in South Montville, Me.

Granville S. Trowbridge at the age of six months was brought by his parents to Delaware county, Iowa, and was reared on his father's farm near the village of Greeley. At the age of twenty-two he left home to complete his education and was graduated from Iowa State University in 1880. Since that time he has been engaged principally in educational work as superintendent of schools. His first educational work was as principal of the Aekley School and he then held the same position in the school at Manchester, Iowa. He then became president of Epworth Seminary. In March, 1887, he removed to California, in which state he has since resided. He was principal of the school in Long Beach for several years and then, in 1898, became principal of the school in National City. In 1899 he became principal at Fernando. In 1903 he became principal and instructor of history and botany in the Union High School in Santa Paula. He

resigned his position there in 1906 to become business manager for the Occidental College in Los Angeles. He resigned this position September 1, 1907, to accept the superintendency of the city schools in Alhambra, Cal., where he at present resides.

## CHILD BORN IN LONG BEACH, CAL.:

- i. VERONA MERRY, b. June 22, 1887.

**806a.** JOHN BISSELL TROWBRIDGE (*Philander D.*<sup>453</sup>, *John*<sup>262</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 3, 1868, in Elk township, Delaware county, Iowa; resides in Chicago, Ill.; married June 10, 1907, in Ankeny, Iowa, Mary Cyntelia Wall, daughter of Oliver Hazard Perry and Henrietta Maria (Fleming) Wall, born March 22, 1879, in Des Moines, Iowa.

John B. Trowbridge was graduated from Cornell Musical Conservatory, Cornell, Iowa, in 1894 and from Cornell College in 1896. He was then for two years secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in Sioux City and Manchester, Iowa. He then removed to Chicago, Ill., where he has since resided and where he is teacher of singing and chorus conductor on the staff of the Moody Bible Institute.

## CHILD BORN IN CHICAGO, ILL.:

- i. MARGARET WALL, b. Mar. 6, 1908.

**807.** ELBERT PHILANDER TROWBRIDGE (*Philander D.*<sup>453</sup>, *John*<sup>202</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 22, 1875, in Elk township, Delaware county, Iowa; resides in Perry, Iowa; married June 11, 1896, in Colesburgh, Iowa, Roxana DeLong, daughter of Oliver Perry and Lydia Jane (———) DeLong, born October 17, 1876, in Colesburgh.

Elbert P. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm near Greeley, Iowa, and settled after his marriage in Manchester, Iowa. He was a soldier in the Spanish-American War. He enlisted May 6, 1898, as bugler in Company E, 49th Iowa Infantry, and went with his regiment to Cuba in December. He was mustered out January 11, 1899. On his return from the army he went into railroading as a fireman, his headquarters being at Marion, Iowa. He is at present a locomotive engineer on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad and resides in Perry, Iowa.

## CHILD BORN IN MANCHESTER, IOWA:

- i. ELBERT CARL, b. Oct. 20, 1898.

**808.** JAMES LUCULLUS TROWBRIDGE (*Milo*<sup>454</sup>, *James*<sup>263</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 22, 1845, in Tully, N. Y.; resides in Anita, Iowa, married September 16, 1865, in Oberlin, Ohio, Laura Hoyt, daughter of John and Sarah (Standish) Hoyt, born March 25, 1849, in Oberlin.

James L. Trowbridge went in childhood with his parents to Oberlin, Ohio. He there grew to manhood and was engaged in farming until the spring of 1887, when he sold his farm of 125 acres there and moved to Anita, Iowa, where he is engaged in farming at present.

## CHILDREN BORN IN OBERLIN, OHIO:

- i. MILO EUGENE, b. Sept. 25, 1866; resides in St. James, Minn.; unm.
- ii. NINA ETHEL, b. June 22, 1868; m. July 18, 1889, George Jewett and resides in Anita, Iowa.
- iii. LOUIS JAMES, b. Feb. 1, 1870; resides in St. James; unm.
- iv. VIOLA PHOEBE, b. Aug. 11, 1871; m. June 10, 1895, Daniel David Duff and resides in St. James.
- v. CHARLES ELWYN, b. July 26, 1873.
- vi. FRANK HOMER, b. Apr. 8, 1877.



**809.** **FREDERICK NELSON TROWBRIDGE** (*Milo*<sup>184</sup>, *James*<sup>203</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 4, 1871, in Oberlin, Ohio; resides in Cleveland, Ohio; married September 28, 1899, in Cleveland, Clara Grace Wood, daughter of Charles H. and Carrie (Imeson) Wood, born December 1, 1877, in Newburgh, Ohio.

Frederick N. Trowbridge lived on the family farm in Oberlin, Ohio, until after the death of his father in 1887. He then left home for the purpose of teaching school. He had received a certificate, but, age and size being against him, he failed to get an appointment. He then was a book agent, timekeeper, and machinist in turn at various towns in Northern Ohio. In 1889 he went to Wakeman, Ohio, and superintended the building of a home for his mother. In 1890 he went to Cleveland, Ohio, and having learned among other things telegraphy, he acted there as manager of a branch office of the Western Union Telegraph Company. In 1892 he accepted a position with the Mechanical Rubber Company, with which he has since been connected in the positions of file clerk, telegraph operator, price clerk and department manager, the latter of which he holds at present.

Mr. Trowbridge during this time had attended college, studying shorthand and later law. He organized the Newburgh\* (Ohio) Republican Club and acted as district supervisor. In 1903 he ran for the office of auditor of the city of Newburgh on the Republican ticket, but was defeated. He has been a notary public for Cuyahoga county for ten years. He has held executive positions in important clubs in his vicinity and is secretary of the Cleveland Law and Order League. Upon the failure of the Cuyahoga Savings and Banking Company in 1903, affecting about two thousand depositors, he was elected chairman of the people interested, which position he still holds, but is about completing his work. He is a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, was recording steward of Ferncliffe Methodist Episcopal Church and was also president of the Epworth League at that place. He is also president of the Cleveland Office Baseball League.

CHILDREN BORN IN CLEVELAND, OHIO:

- i. VERA IMESON, b. Oct. 2, 1900.
- ii. MYLAND WOOD, b. July 11, 1902.

**810.** **CHARLES FREMONT TROWBRIDGE** (*Robert C.*<sup>487</sup>, *Milo*<sup>264</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 3, 1854, in Tully, N. Y.; resides in Parish, N. Y.; married October 10, 1876, in Parish, Sarah Ann Snell, daughter of Lorenzo Dow and Sarah (Mosher) Snell, born April 19, 1854, in Oppenheim, N. Y.; died January 14, 1906, in Tully.†

Charles F. Trowbridge was educated in the State Normal School in Cortland, N. Y. In 1874 he moved to Parish, N. Y., and was there engaged in the drug business about eight years. During this time he was postmaster and was elected supervisor of the town. He resigned the postmastership in 1882 to enter the United States railway mail service, a position he still holds. His run for many years was on the "fast mail" between New York City and Syracuse on the New York Central railroad. His present run is from Auburn to Ithaca on the Lehigh Valley railroad. His wife was a member of the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Parish, N. Y.

CHILDREN BORN IN PARISH, N. Y.:

- i. ROBERT LORENZO, b. July 19, 1879; d. July 23, 1879.
- ii. A daughter, b. Mar. 15, 1886; d. that day.
- iii. BESSIE BLANCHE, b. Mar. 5, 1888; m. Dec. 24, 1906, Roy A. Vrooman and resides in Parish.

\* Part of the metropolitan district of Cleveland, being Station F of the Cleveland post office.

† Very suddenly, while on a visit to her father-in-law.

**811.** REV. WILL SALISBURY TROWBRIDGE (*Minor S.*<sup>489</sup>, *Milo*<sup>264</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 22, 1860, in Darlington, Wis.; resides in Lordsburg, Cal.; married October 21, 1891, in Colorado Springs, Colo., Mary Ann Curtis,\* daughter of Stephen Burbank and Martha (Dunham) Curtis, born May 29, 1856, in Carmel, Me.

Will S. Trowbridge attended the Wisconsin State Normal School until he was fifteen years of age, when he entered a printing office as an apprentice. About this time he served an enlistment in the Wisconsin National Guard. He lived in Wisconsin, Dakota, Minnesota and Michigan from 1879 until April, 1890, when he went to Colorado Springs, Colo., where he married the following year. He was active in the I. O. G. T. several years, holding various offices and acting as organizer and lecturer one and a half years in Wisconsin and a short time in Colorado. He removed to Fort Collins, Colo., in 1892, but returned to Colorado Springs in the fall of the same year. For the next four years he printed, edited and published *The Plain Dealer* in Colorado Springs. The paper was published to teach Christian citizenship and was nicely established, when he was obliged to leave that city on account of his wife's health. He therefore removed in the fall of 1896 to Petahuma, Cal., and in the following spring to Albion, Cal., and in the following fall to Guerneville, Cal., preaching in the two latter places for the Methodist Episcopal Church. In the fall of 1898 he moved to Tustin, Cal., where he was pastor of the Advent Christian church. He removed to Colton and from there to Lordsburg, Cal., where he is pastor of the Advent Christian church at the present time.

NO CHILDREN.

**812.** GEORGE WASHINGTON TROWBRIDGE (*Barlow*<sup>493</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>266</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 21, 1860, in San Saba, Tex.; resides in San Saba county; married November 4, 1881, in San Saba, Louisa Ethleen Johnson, daughter of Calvin and Margaret Jane (Dye) Johnson, born November 25, 1865, in Hartford, Mo.

George W. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in San Saba county, Tex.

CHILDREN BORN IN SAN SABA COUNTY, TEX.:

- i. FANNIE JANE, b. Oct. 10, 1882.
- ii. GEORGE HEMBRY, b. July 21, 1884.
- iii. VERDIE ADLINE, b. Dec. 15, 1885.
- iv. PEARL LOUISA, b. Aug. 6, 1891.
- v. CALVIN BARLOW, b. Mar. 3, 1892.
- vi. ALBERT KEITHLY, b. Aug. 26, 1895.

**813.** GRANVILLE SHERWOOD TROWBRIDGE (*Barlow*<sup>493</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>266</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 21, 1862, in San Saba, Tex.; died December 12, 1907, in Big Valley, Tex.; married, first, September 27, 1883, in San Saba, Lou Ella McCurdy, daughter of Elijah Rowan and Keziah (Ellis) McCurdy, born March 25, 1862, in Manhattan, Kan.; died December 5, 1902, in Big Valley. He married, second, February 10, 1907, in Mills county, Tex., Mary Francis Brooks, daughter of William Henry and Martha (Simmons) Brooks, born January 6, 1865, in Collin county, Tex. She resides in Big Valley.

Granville S. Trowbridge was one of the best-known farmers in Mills county, Tex., and lived on the Colorado river in Big Valley, near Goldthwaite.

\* A sister of the husband of his sister No. 489, v.





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## CHILDREN BORN IN BIG VALLEY, TEX.:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. VALLEY LOU ELLA, b. Jan. 15, 1885; m. Dec. 28, 1907, Charles Smith and resides in Big Valley.
- ii. ELLIS GRANVILLE, b. Dec. 4, 1887; d. Oct. 22, 1907, in Big Valley; unm.
- iii. BESSIE LEE, b. Sept. 30, 1891.
- iv. INA LUCILE, b. Jan. 27, 1900.

**S14.** WILLIAM BARLOW TROWBRIDGE (*Barlow*<sup>403</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>266</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 16, 1867, in Maysville, Ark.; resides in Big Valley (Goldthwaite P. O.), Tex.; married January 3, 1901, in Big Valley, Millie Francis Walker, daughter of John and Martha Emily (Riley) Walker, born March 10, 1882, in Brazils, Ark.; died December 16, 1903, in Big Valley.

William B. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Big Valley, Tex.

NO CHILDREN.

**S15.** CHARLES FAIRCHILD TROWBRIDGE (*Barlow*<sup>403</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>266</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 27, 1869, in Maysville, Ark.; resides in Floydada, Tex.; married November 26, 1891, in Big Valley, Tex., Lillie Bickham, daughter of William Thomas and Mary Ann (Flowers) Bickham, born February 28, 1872, in Caddeau parish, La.

Charles F. Trowbridge has always been engaged in farming. He lived in Big Valley, Tex., until December, 1899, when he moved with his family to Blair, Greer county, Okla. In March, 1902, he removed to Frederick, Comanche county, Okla., where he lived until March, 1905, when he came to what is known as the Staked Plains, Floyd county, Tex., where he lives at present near Floydada. He was made a master Mason in July, 1903. He and his wife are members of the Order of the Eastern Star.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. ETHEL ADELIN, b. Sept. 6, 1892.
- ii. IVA IRENE, b. Aug. 23, 1894.
- iii. STELLA SALENA, b. Feb. 21, 1896.
- iv. CORA LEE, b. Aug. 6, 1898.
- v. FLOYD BICKHAM, b. July 17, 1900.
- vi. CLIFFORD BARLOW, b. July 30, 1902.
- vii. WILLIAM CARROL, b. Aug. 19, 1904.

**S16.** REV. WALTER STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Gardner C.*<sup>404</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>266</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 12, 1869, in Bloomfield, Ark.; resides in Chicago, Ill.; married July 24, 1901, in Elgin, Ill., Charlotte Frances Goodrow, daughter of Jacob and Amelia Ann (Lyndon) Goodrow, born February 1, 1868, in Watertown, Wis.

Walter S. Trowbridge was in his seventh year when his parents came to Oberlin, Ohio, and he there attended the public schools. He later went with his parents to Elgin, Ill., and from there to Prairie Plains, Tenn. In his twenty-second year he went to Nashotah House, Wis., and was graduated from the preparatory department in 1893 and the theological seminary in 1896. He was made a deacon in the Episcopal Church in June, 1896, and was ordained a priest in December of the same year for the diocese of Fond du Lac. The following June he accepted a curacy at St. Elizabeth's Church, Philadelphia, Pa. From

\* No children by second marriage.

† i-iv born in Big Valley, Tex.; v in Blair, Okla.; vi-vii in Frederick, Okla.

there he went to St. John's Church, Springfield, Mo., as rector in November, 1898. He removed to Chicago in January, 1905, and became rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, resigning after ten months to accept the rectorship of St. Bartholomew's Church in that city, which incumbency he is now filling.

NO CHILDREN.

817. DAVID BARLOW TROWBRIDGE (*Gardner C.*<sup>494</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>266</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 14, 1873, in Tablequah, Ind. Ter.; resides in Mangum, Okla.; married September 12, 1894, in Selma, Ala., Edna Asenath Bachelder, daughter of Sias and Diania (Shonyo) Bachelder, born May 4, 1874, in Mason City, Iowa.

David B. Trowbridge passed his boyhood and youth with his parents in Oberlin, Ohio, Elgin, Ill., and on a farm near Prairie Plains, Tenn. He continued to be engaged in farming in the latter place after his marriage and until 1903, when he removed to a farm in Mangum, Okla., where he lives at present.

CHILD BORN IN PRAIRIE PLAINS, TENN.:

- i. DAVID FARRIS, b. Nov. 26, 1895.

818. RICHARD BARRYTE TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>495</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>266</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 3, 1872, in Bloomfield, Ark.; resides in Independence, Mo.; married November 23, 1898, in St. Louis, Mo., Bessie May Bond, daughter of Myron Henry and Frances Belle (Hand) Bond, born May 5, 1876, in Painesville, Ohio.

Richard B. Trowbridge came as a young man to St. Louis, Mo., and became a clerk in the traffic department of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway in that city. Six years ago he went to Independence, Mo., where he is conducting a successful real estate and fire insurance business, under the name of the Independence Realty Company, in the White-Trowbridge Building.

CHILDREN BORN IN ST. LOUIS, MO.:

- i. MYRON BOND, b. Aug. 23, 1899.
- ii. RICHARD STEPHEN, b. Sept. 25, 1901.

819. GRANVILLE SHERWOOD TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>495</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>266</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 22, 1878, in Galveston, Tex.; resides in St. Louis, Mo.; married December 25, 1900, in St. Louis, Myrtle Ivy Mowry, daughter of Daniel M. and Sophia Aretta (Burkhart) Mowry, born December 9, 1881, in Dennis, Kan.

Granville S. Trowbridge holds the position of rate clerk in the offices of the St. Louis Southwestern Railroad Company in St. Louis, Mo.

CHILDREN BORN IN ST. LOUIS, MO.:

- i. MYRTLE MARGARET, b. Jan. 3, 1902.
- ii. KENNETH ARCHIBALD, b. Aug. 19, 1906.

819a. WILLIAM SHERWOOD TROWBRIDGE (*Leverett H.*<sup>496</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>266</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 17, 1864, in Saratoga, Minn.; resides in Leeds, N. D.; married August 14, 1905, near Leeds, N. D., Martha Muer, daughter of John Muer, born March 2, 1880, in Norway.

William S. Trowbridge is engaged in farming on a large farm that he owns six miles from Leeds, Benson county, N. D.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LEEDS, N. D. :

- i. ALICE, b. Apr. 26, 1906.
- ii. A son, b. Mar. 5, 1908.

**S20.** FRANK ADONIS TROWBRIDGE (*Gould*<sup>499</sup>, *Adonis*<sup>268</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 21, 1855, in Adams, N. Y.; resides in Adams Centre; married, December 6, 1881, in Adams, Ettie Elinor Mills, daughter of Lyman Riley and Ann (Wakefield) Mills, born July 14, 1858, in Adams.

Frank A. Trowbridge was educated in the common school and at H. C. I. in Adams, N. Y. At the age of nineteen he commenced teaching district school and continued to teach for three years. Since then he has been a farmer and breeder of high-class horses, training some of them for speed. For a short time a few years ago he was locally connected with the New York Life Insurance Company. He resides in Adams Centre, N. Y.

## NO CHILDREN.

**S21.** PHILANDER ADDISON TROWBRIDGE (*Dwight*<sup>500</sup>, *Adonis*<sup>268</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 15, 1852, in Verona, N. Y.; resides in Chicago, Ill.; married May 31, 1873, in Chicago, Geertje Tillema, daughter of Anneco and Anje (Husinga) Tillema, born April 18, 1851, in Ulrum, Netherlands.

Philander A. Trowbridge went in boyhood with his parents to Odell, Ill. He lived there a few years after his marriage and then removed to Chicago, Ill., where he lives at present. He is a painter by trade.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. LEWIS LIVINGSTON, b. Apr. 17, 1874; d. Nov. 18, 1889.
- ii. GEORGE, b. Apr. 10, 1877; d. Aug. 19, 1885.
- iii. DWIGHT ADDISON, b. Apr. 21, 1884; is a clerk in Chicago, Ill.; unm.
- iv. HARRY, b. May 29, 1886; d. Mar. 25, 1887.
- v. JOHN, b. Dec. 29, 1890; d. Apr. 6, 1891.

**S22.** JAMES LEANDER TROWBRIDGE (*Dwight*<sup>500</sup>, *Adonis*<sup>268</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 11, 1854, in Verona, N. Y.; resides in Chicago, Ill.; married March 30, 1876, in Odell, Ill., Sarah McDaniel, daughter of Ivory and Sarah (Hanscum) McDaniel, born August 26, 1856, in Hollis Centre, Me.

James L. Trowbridge went in boyhood with his parents to Odell, Ill. He settled soon after his marriage in Chicago, Ill., and has since lived in that city. He is a mason by trade.

## CHILDREN :

- i. BERTHA, b. Apr. 25, 1882, in Odell, Ill.; d. July 15, 1887.
- ii. FLOY, b. Aug. 13, 1886, in Chicago, Ill.

**S23.** CHARLES ADONIS TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel F.*<sup>501</sup>, *Adonis*<sup>268</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 13, 1867, in Odell, Ill.; resides in Minooka, Ill.; married September 10, 1895, in Joliet, Ill., Martha Ann Buckley, daughter of James and Ann (Vernon) Buckley, born January 29, 1871, in Minooka.

Charles A. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's stock farm, first in Odell and later in Minooka, Ill. He settled in the latter town after his marriage and has since resided there.

\* i-ii born in Odell, Ill.; iii-v in Chicago, Ill.

Mr. Trowbridge was appointed postmaster at Minooka in January, 1903, and was elected village clerk in April, 1906, and still holds those two offices. He is also local agent for the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railway Company, a position he has filled for fifteen years.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MINOOKA, ILL.:

- i. LEON VERNETT, b. Oct. 24, 1896.
- ii. MAY ALBERTA, b. Sept. 5, 1898.

**824.** FREDERICK ORLANDO TROWBRIDGE (*James F.*<sup>502</sup>, *Adonis*<sup>268</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 19, 1875, in Odell, Ill.; resides in Como, Colo.; married October 30, 1906, in Argentine, Kan., Martha Alice Jennings, daughter of Edward K. and Cynthia Ann (Johnston) Jennings, born December 28, 1883, in Springfield, Ohio.

Frederick O. Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to Rich Hill, Mo. In 1891, before he was sixteen years old, he enlisted for three years in Company H, 7th U. S. Cavalry, General Custer's old regiment. He served three years and was discharged in November, 1894. He has since been engaged in railroading, being at present a brakeman in the employ of the Denver and Rio Grande Railway Company. He resides in Como, Colo.

## NO CHILDREN.

**825.** LORIN TROWBRIDGE (*James L.*<sup>504</sup>, *Lorin*<sup>269</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 14, 1870, in Washington, Ill.; resides in Williamsfield, Ill.; married, first, February 11, 1892, in Washburn, Ill., Carrie Harbar, daughter of Frederick Jacob and Anna Maria (Welles) Harbar, born December 12, 1871, in Lind township, Woodford county, Ill.; died October 11, 1893, in Washburn. He married, second, March 5, 1895, in Pona, Ill., Lena Harbar, a sister of his first wife, born March 29, 1875, in Lind township.

Lorin Trowbridge has always been engaged in farming. He settled after his first marriage in Washburn, Woodford county, Ill. After his second marriage he lived for several years in his native place, Washington, Tazewell county, Ill., and then removed on March 1, 1907, to his present home near Williamsfield, Knox county, Ill.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WASHINGTON, ILL.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. JAMES LORIN, b. June 15, 1893; d. Feb. 1, 1904.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. FREDERICK GEORGE, b. Apr. 15, 1897.
- iii. MABEL AUGUSTA, b. Mar. 5, 1899.
- iv. ANNA MARIA, b. Mar. 13, 1903.
- v. THEODORE EDWARD, b. Apr. 1, 1905.

**826.** GEORGE WASHINGTON TROWBRIDGE (*James L.*<sup>504</sup>, *Lorin*<sup>269</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 23, 1872, in Washington, Ill.; resides in Metamora, Ill.; married November 19, 1896, in Washington, Sarah Diana Marshall, daughter of Edwin and Adeline Augustia (Genoways) Marshall, born January 8, 1877, in Spring Bay, Ill.

George W. Trowbridge is a section foreman in the employ of the Chicago and Alton Railway Company. He lived for a number of years after his marriage in Washington, Ill., and has recently removed to Metamora, Ill.

\* Except i, who was born in Washburn, Ill.



## CHILDREN BORN IN WASHINGTON, ILL.:

- i. HAZEL IRENE, b. Aug. 15, 1897.
- ii. STELLA LAGORA, b. Aug. 25, 1899.
- iii. GEORGE EDWIN, b. July 23, 1901; d. Mar. 11, 1903.
- iv. ELMER LORIN, b. June 17, 1904.
- v. BERNICE LUCELLA, b. Aug. 5, 1906.

**S27.** ROBERT WILSON TROWBRIDGE (*James L.*<sup>504</sup>, *Lorin*<sup>269</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 20, 1875, in Washington, Ill.; resides in Washington; married December 14, 1898, in Washington, Margaret Jane Ryan, daughter of William and Bridget (Keating) Ryan, born September 18, 1874, in county Queens, Ireland.

Robert W. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in his native place. His farm is five and a half miles from Washington, Ill.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WASHINGTON, ILL.:

- i. CLARENCE ROBERT, b. July 2, 1899.
- ii. JAMES WILLIAM, b. July 1, 1901.
- iii. TRUDENCE ANNA, b. Apr. 29, 1903.
- iv. AUGUSTUS EMLER, b. July 21, 1905.
- v. AGNES VIOLA, b. Nov. 17, 1906.

**S28.** SHERMAN RANDALL TROWBRIDGE (*William R.*<sup>597</sup>, *Orrin A.*<sup>270</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 18, 1874, in Adams Centre, N. Y.; resides in Adams Centre; married December 26, 1893, in Chicago, Ill., Miriam Louese Webster, daughter of John Wesley and Lucy Ann (Dodge) Webster, born September 16, 1874, in Hinsdale, Ill.

Sherman R. Trowbridge lives in his native place, Adams Centre, N. Y., and is associated with his father in the business of buying and shipping stock.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ADAMS CENTRE, N. Y.:

- i. WILLIAM WESLEY, b. Nov. 25, 1894.
- ii. SHERMAN DONALD, b. Aug. 15, 1897.

**S29.** LOREN FRANK TROWBRIDGE (*Loren J.*<sup>505</sup>, *Orrin A.*<sup>270</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 24, 1884, in Chicago, Ill.; resides in Chicago; married June 28, 1906, in Chicago, Lena Braun, daughter of Joseph and Mary (Angel) Braun, born April 21, 1882, in Chicago.

Loren F. Trowbridge is a pattern-maker by trade and resides in Chicago, Ill.

## NO CHILDREN.

**S30.** ORRIN ALONZO TROWBRIDGE (*Eli S.*<sup>509</sup>, *Orrin A.*<sup>270</sup>, *John*<sup>163</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 23, 1877, in Plymouth, Cal.; resides in Bandon, Ore.; married November 30, 1899, in Lookout, Cal., Odessa Brown, daughter of Hiram Salmon and Catharino Ann (Wheeler) Brown, born October 18, 1879, in Woodland, Cal.

Orrin A. Trowbridge, after finishing the public schools of Modoc county, Col., attended Healds Business College in San Francisco, from which he was graduated in May, 1898. He then returned to Lookout, Modoc county, and worked in his father's store until March 23, 1899, when he engaged in the general merchandise business for himself in Bieber, Lassen county, Cal. He stayed there until August 19, 1905, when he sold out to the Big Valley Coöperative Association, and then came to Bandon, Ore., and bought J. Denholm's general merchandise business, on September 19, and is doing a nice business.

## CHILD BORN IN BEBER, CAL.:

- i. SPENCER RAKER, b. Jan. 25, 1902.

**S31.** GEORGE ALEXANDER TROWBRIDGE (*Milo D.*<sup>514</sup>, *Aaron S.*<sup>271</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>164</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 22, 1849, in Syracuse, N. Y.; died October 19, 1904, in Ilion, N. Y.; married March 8, 1873, in Syracuse, Phoebe Elizabeth Chapman, daughter of Joseph and Harriet (Breeze) Chapman, born September 15, 1852, in Wolverhampton, England. She resides in Ilion.

George A. Trowbridge lived after his marriage in Ilion, N. Y., and was foreman for the Remington Typewriter Company.

CHILDREN BORN IN ILION, N. Y. :\*

- i. DEAN BURGESS, b. Jan. 29, 1874; d. Dec. 6, 1890, in Ilion.
- ii. INEZ, b. Sept. 13, 1875; m. Sept. 13, 1902, George Byron Brand and resides in Ilion.
- iii. MYRA, b. Nov. 1, 1879; m. May 27, 1902, Harry Dwight Matteson and resides in Utica, N. Y.
- iv. EDNA, b. Apr. 23, 1883; m. Sept. 16, 1903, Henry Benjamin Williamson and resides in Ilion.

**S32.** LORIN LEE TROWBRIDGE (*Milo D.*<sup>514</sup>, *Aaron S.*<sup>271</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>164</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 18, 1851, in Phoenix, N. Y.; resides in Syracuse, N. Y.; married January 21, 1888, in Spokane, Wash., Minerva Jane (Shondy) Sweeting, widow of Edwin N. Sweeting of Geddes, N. Y., and daughter of Henry and Ellen (Demick) Shondy, born December 11, 1851, in Rochester, N. Y.

Lorin L. Trowbridge in the early '70s was a freight brakeman three years and a freight conductor for one year on the Eastern division of the New York Central railroad. In 1875 he went West and lived in Nebraska City, Neb., twelve years. He came home in January, 1887, and the following January went to Spokane, Wash. He took up 160 acres of timber about fifteen miles north of the city, built a log house, and was there fifteen months, when he returned home. In the early winter he went on the Western division of the New York Central as a freight brakeman again, continuing in that employ two years. He then became a stationary engineer for the Solvay Process Company, a position he holds at present. He resides in Syracuse, N. Y.

NO CHILDREN.

**S33.** CHARLES R.† TROWBRIDGE (*William B.*<sup>524</sup>, *Theron*<sup>281</sup>, *William*<sup>167</sup>, *William*<sup>125</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 2, 1871, in Onondaga Valley, N. Y.; resides in El Paso, Tex.; married November 4, 1896, in Topeka, Kan., Margaret Finlay Boyle, daughter of James Allen and Margaret (Finlay) Boyle, born May 16, 1874, in Topeka.

Charles R. Trowbridge when two and a half years of age was taken by his parents to Topeka, Kan., and grew up in that city. He lived there until September, 1895, when he moved to Arkansas City, Kan., where he was chief clerk for the master mechanic of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé Railway Company. In July, 1901, he was transferred to Cleburne, Tex., as chief clerk to the mechanical superintendent of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fé Railway Company. In August, 1902, he went to Denver as chief clerk for the superintendent of motive power of the Colorado and Southern. In September, 1903, he returned to Topeka as general clerk in the store department for the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé. In September, 1904, he moved to Douglas, Ariz., and took position as chief clerk to the superintendent of motive power of the El Paso and Southwestern Railway Company. In October, 1906, he was transferred to El Paso, Tex., in the same capacity for the same road, in which position he still continues.

\* Except i, who was born in Syracuse, N. Y.

† Initial only.

## CHILD BORN IN DOUGLAS, ARIZ. :

- i. MARGARET LAURA, b. Feb. 27, 1906.

**834.** JOHN WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Edward A.*<sup>529a</sup>, *John*<sup>287a</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 18, 1870, in Keokuk, Iowa; died August 1, 1900, in Englewood, N. J.; married January 24, 1891, in Newfield, N. Y., Mildred Stamp, daughter of Jonathan D. and Mary (Miller) Stamp, born September 10, 1871, in Newfield. She married, second, A. G. Marion and resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.

John W. Trowbridge was from 1895 until his death one of the leading newspaper artists of New York. He was art manager of the *New York World*, manager of the art department of the *New York Journal and American*, and art director of the *New York Herald*. He was one of the pioneers of color work as applied to the Sunday newspapers and his work was well known on the Pacific coast through the columns of the *Anaconda (Mont.) Standard*.

## CHILDREN :

- i. JOHN STAMP, b. Dec. 15, 1892, in New York City.  
 ii. HAROLD CROOKS, b. Aug. 16, 1894, in New York City.  
 iii. LEIGH, b. Nov. 3, 1896; d. Dec. 18, 1900, in Englewood, N. J.  
 iv. HELEN, b. Nov. 3, 1898, in Englewood.

**835.** EDWARD CALEB TROWBRIDGE (*John C.*<sup>530</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>288</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>170</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 21, 1871, in Elk township, in Tioga county, Pa.; resides in Gaines township (Marshfield P. O.), Pa.; married September 2, 1896, in Elmira, N. Y., Phebe Anna Mourey, daughter of John Saunders and Eliza Irene (Toles) Mourey, born August 24, 1869, in Little Marsh, Pa.

Edward C. Trowbridge was born at the home of his grandfather, Dr. John Maynard, his parents' home at the time being in Clymer township, Tioga county, Pa., and was seven years old when his father died. He then lived with his maternal grandmother and attended the common schools, later going to the Williamsport high school. He has since devoted his attention to farming and lumbering and has lived in Gaines township, Tioga county. He has a farm in Elk township in that county. He and his wife are members of the Methodist Episcopal church at Marshfield, Tioga county.

## NO CHILDREN.

**836.** HIRAM TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac W.*<sup>536b</sup>, *Erastus*<sup>292b</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 5, 1862, in Adrian, N. Y.; resides in Portageville, N. Y.; married September 12, 1885, in Canisteo, N. Y., Cora Walrath, daughter of Jacob and Sarah (Walrath) Walrath, born February 16, 1866, in Dansville, N. Y.

Hiram Trowbridge is a prosperous blacksmith in Portageville, Wyoming county, N. Y.

## NO CHILDREN.

**837.** JAMES LADROIT TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb D.*<sup>537</sup>, *Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 8, 1848, in Howard, N. Y.; died September 19, 1887, in Birdsall, N. Y.; married June 3, 1872, in Andover, N. Y., Amanda Vanrelzor, daughter of Madison and Huldah Maria (Wileox) Vanrelzor, born September 1, 1845, in Clarksville, N. Y. She married, second, June 2, 1901, in Grove, N. Y., Enos Marcellus Halbert,\* Esq., and resides in Birdsall.

\* Father-in-law of her son.

James L. Trowbridge was a farmer, first in Andover and later in Birdsall, Allegany county, N. Y.

## CHILDREN :

- i. HATTIE MAY, b. May 24, 1873, in Andover, N. Y.; m. Dec. 31, 1893, Arba Palmer Luther and resides in Birdsall, N. Y.
984. ii. CALEB DEE, b. Jan. 20, 1875, in Andover.
- iii. ANNA BELLE, b. July 1, 1879, in Birdsall; m. Mar. 18, 1903, Floyd Baxter Davis and resides in Andover.

**838.** LAVERN TROWBRIDGE (*Calvin Z.*<sup>538</sup>, *Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 7, 1862, in Howard, N. Y.; resides in Wellsville, N. Y.; married February 8, 1892, in Wellsville, Minnie L. Dunn, daughter of Robert and Madeline (Cook) Dunn, born November 4, 1876, in Wellsville.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WELLSVILLE, N. Y. :\*

- i. PAULINE S., b. ———, 1894.
- ii. FREIDA C., b. ———, 1899.
- iii. LAURA M., b. ———, 1901.

**839.** ROBERTSON FAY TROWBRIDGE (*Byron H.*<sup>539</sup>, *Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 12, 1858, in Howard, N. Y.; resides in Hornellsville, N. Y.; married September 18, 1884, in Dansville, N. Y., Hattie Whiteman, † daughter of Samuel Whiteman.

Robertson F. Trowbridge is a grocer in Hornellsville, N. Y.

## NO CHILDREN.

**840.** RAY TROWBRIDGE (*Byron H.*<sup>539</sup>, *Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 26, 1862, in Anderson, N. Y.; resides in Hornellsville, N. Y.; married, first, February 26, 1883, Emma (———) Cook, who died February 3, 1892, in Hornellsville. He married, second, May 30, 1894, Ida Hallett. †

Ray Trowbridge is a locomotive engineer on the Erie railroad. He resides in Hornellsville, N. Y.

## NO CHILDREN.

**841.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Byron H.*<sup>539</sup>, *Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 20, 1865, in Howard, N. Y.; resides in Hornellsville, N. Y.; married September 6, 1885, in Dunkirk, N. Y., Fene Vandervelt. †

James Trowbridge is in the livery business in Hornellsville, N. Y.

## NO CHILDREN.

**842.** WILLIAM ELLSWORTH TROWBRIDGE (*Erastus B.*<sup>540</sup>, *Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 29, 1862, in Wellsville, N. Y.; resides in Alameda, Cal.; married February 22, 1888, in Wellsville, Emily Selvina Rosell, daughter of Philander and Emily (Holly?) Rosell, born November 20, 1849, in Bingham, Pa.; died January 20, 1894, in Wellsville.

William E. Trowbridge is a carpenter and joiner by trade. He lives at present in Alameda, Cal.

## NO CHILDREN.

\* Their father failed to send complete records.

† He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

**843.** JAMES CYRENUS TROWBRIDGE (*Erastus B.*<sup>540</sup>, *Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 12, 1871, in Alfred, N. Y.; resides in Wellsville, N. Y.; married ———, 1904, in Wellsville, N. Y., Rhea Taylor.

James C. Trowbridge is a farmer and teamster in Wellsville, N. Y.\*

**843a.** CALEB BURL TROWBRIDGE (*Erastus B.*<sup>540</sup>, *Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 26, 1873, in Alfred, N. Y.; resides in Wellsville, N. Y.; married November 17, 1896, in Andover, N. Y., Marion Kellogg.

Caleb B. Trowbridge is a carpenter in Wellsville, N. Y.\*

**844.** DELL HAMILTON TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph B.*<sup>541</sup>, *Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 5, 1865, in Howard, N. Y.; resides in Prattsburgh, N. Y.; married July 24, 1883, in Hornellsville, N. Y., Rosa May Johnson, daughter of Ralph and Sarah Ann (Wilkins) Johnson, born June 18, 1863, in Burns, N. Y.

Dell H. Trowbridge is a farmer in Prattsburgh, N. Y.

## CHILDREN :

- i. JAY EARL, b. Jan. 5, 1885, in Elm Valley, N. Y.
- ii. RALPH LEO, b. Mar. 9, 1893, in Hornellsville, N. Y.
- iii. HAWLEY PETTIBONE, b. Mar. 15, 1896, in Hornellsville.

**845.** PROSPER FRANKLIN TROWBRIDGE (*Rufus*<sup>556</sup>, *Prosper*<sup>303</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 27, 1865, in Waterloo, Iowa; resides near Decatur, Neb.; married January 16, 1890, in Pittsburgh, Ill., Mary Eliza Hull, daughter of John Wyatt and Luey Jane (Ferguson) Hull, born August 10, 1871, in Hopkins, Mo.

Prosper F. Trowbridge has been engaged in farming all his life. He is at present following that occupation near Decatur, Neb. He is a Republican in politics and a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church.

## CHILDREN :†

- i. EDNA JANE, b. Oct. 5, 1890.
- ii. LUVERNE JOYCE, b. June 1, 1892.
- iii. WYATT HULL, b. Oct. 26, 1893.
- iv. JOHN RUFUS, b. Dec. 26, 1895.
- v. CLARA AMY, b. Oct. 2, 1897.
- vi. RAY HULL, b. Mar. 14, 1900.
- vii. ARTHUR HULL, b. Jan. 26, 1902.
- viii. JAMES THOMAS, b. June 20, 1904.
- ix. RUBY HENRIETTA, b. Mar. 30, 1907.

**846.** SOCIAL SHERIDAN TROWBRIDGE (*Rufus*<sup>556</sup>, *Prosper*<sup>303</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 21, 1867, in Waterloo, Iowa; resides in Wilsonville, Neb.; married June 3, 1897, in Beaver City, Neb., Mary Lydia (Melroy) Redfern, widow of John Michael Redfern of Exeter, Neb., and daughter of William and Lucinda (Wright) Melroy, born May 19, 1866, in Redrock, Iowa.

Social S. Trowbridge is engaged in farming near Wilsonville, Furnas county, Neb., where he settled after his marriage.

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters so it is not known whether they had any children.  
 † i born in Pittsburgh, Ill.; ii-iv in Cambridge, Neb.; v in Clearmont, Mo.; vi in Mt. Clare, Neb.; vii near Tekamah, Neb.; viii-ix near Decatur, Neb.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FURNAS COUNTY, NEB.:

- i. CLIFFORD MELROY, b. Apr. 16, 1898.
- ii. MARION WAYNE, b. Sept. 20, 1900.
- iii. SOCIAL WILLIAM, b. May 9, 1903.
- iv. RAY MURLAND, b. Jan. 16, 1905.

**S47.** CLIFFORD JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John S.*<sup>558</sup>, *Prosper*<sup>303</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 13, 1882, in Hampton, Iowa; resides in Seneca township (Baneroft P. O.), Iowa; married March 27, 1907, in Baneroft, Nannie Elizabeth Ditsworth, daughter of Ephraim and Susan Angeline (Kaser) Ditsworth, born December 26, 1879, in Fairbanks, Iowa.

Clifford J. Trowbridge is a farmer in Seneca township, near Baneroft, Kossuth county, Iowa.

NO CHILDREN.

**S48.** WILLIAM THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Safford W.*<sup>560</sup>, *Pardon*<sup>304</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 24, 1877, in Highland Station, Kan.; resides in St. Louis, Mo.; married November 14, 1907, in St. Charles, Mo., Emma Henry Carr, daughter of John Henry and Sara Catherine (Arendall) Carr, born March 11, 1880, in Wentzville, Mo.

William T. Trowbridge attended school until the age of twelve years and then worked on a farm until he was sixteen. He then worked at the painter's and carpenter's trades until he was nineteen. He then served an apprenticeship at blacksmithing and worked at that trade until he was twenty-three. He was then for a year a locomotive fireman on the Rock Island and Chicago and Alton railroads. Since then he has been engaged on bridge and structural iron work and stationary engineering, and is at present studying bridge and stationary engineering. He is a member of the Modern Woodmen of America, the Knights and Ladies of Security and the Odd Fellows.

NO CHILDREN.

**S49.** ALBERT PETE TROWBRIDGE (*Charles J.*<sup>561</sup>, *Pardon*<sup>304</sup>, *Rufus*<sup>175</sup>, *Keeler*<sup>128</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 12, 1878, in Conway, Iowa; resides in Omaha, Neb.; married December 17, 1903, in Aurora, Neb., Rachel Leah Nugent, daughter of Edward and Mary Jane (Scott) Nugent, born April 20, 1878, in Heyworth, Ill.

Albert P. Trowbridge is a conductor in the employ of the Omaha and Council Bluffs Street Railway Company and resides in Omaha, Neb. He is a member of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America.

CHILDREN:

- i. HARRY EDWARD, b. Sept. 16, 1904, in Hebron, Neb.
- ii. HELEN MARY, b. July 27, 1906, in Omaha, Neb.

**S50.** CHARLES WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*William H.*<sup>566</sup>, *William H.*<sup>206</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>178</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>131</sup>, *John*<sup>112</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 16, 1875, in Syracuse, N. Y.; resides in West Philadelphia, Pa.; married October 17, 1900, in Syracuse, Julia Lena Latterner, daughter of Nicholas and Louisa (Hoffman) Latterner, born July 3, 1873, in Syracuse.

Charles W. Trowbridge received his education in the Syracuse, N. Y., public schools. He studied music under Prof. Grove Marsh of that city, and sang for a time as tenor in the quartette of the Fourth Presbyterian Church and later in that of Plymouth Church. He was also for a time a member of the Marsh





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male quartette, which had a good reputation in the country. At the age of twenty-three, in the fall of 1898, he left Syracuse for Williamsport, Pa., and entered the service of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company as clerk in the division freight office. In the following fall he went to Pittsburg, Pa., and in the spring of 1900 to Harrisburgh, Pa., being promoted in the same capacity by the railway company. At the latter place he held the position as clerk for the Southern States Despatch fast freight line, which is operated by the Reading railway. In July, 1901, he left Harrisburgh for Philadelphia to take the position of traveling freight agent of the Southern States Despatch and in October, 1901, returned to Pittsburg in the capacity of traveling freight agent of the Philadelphia and Reading railway and Central railroad of New Jersey. In July, 1905, he moved to Philadelphia and entered the service of the Lackawanna fast freight lines as traveling freight agent, a position he holds at the present time. He resides in West Philadelphia, Pa.

## CHILDREN:

- i. LOUISE CAROLINE, b. Nov. 19, 1902, in Pittsburg, Pa.
- ii. WILLIAM THURBER, b. Oct. 9, 1905, in West Philadelphia, Pa.

**851. DR. WILLIAM HENRY TROWBRIDGE** (*James II*<sup>567</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>208</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 2, 1822, in Bethel, Conn.; died October 1, 1882, in Stamford, Conn.; married May 3, 1843, in Newtown, Conn., Sylvia Peck, daughter of Turney and Rebecca (Judson) Peck, born June 7, 1821, in Newtown; died May 13, 1894, in Stamford.

William H. Trowbridge received his early education in district and private schools in Stamford, Conn., to which town his parents moved. Even in childhood he developed a fondness for medicine. Teaching and studying alternately, he attended one course at Yale, two courses at the New York College of Physicians and Surgeons, and was graduated from the Yale Medical School in 1855 with the degree of M.D. After spending one year in the office of Dr. George Lewis in New York City he opened an office in Stamford, Conn., where, excepting during his army life, he enjoyed a thriving practice.

In the Civil War Doctor Trowbridge was first engaged as surgeon of the 23d Connecticut Infantry, enlisting September 25, 1862. To this work he was impelled by a sense of duty, and left a lucrative and fast increasing practice solely to do good. His regiment proceeded to New Orleans with General Banks, and on arriving there Doctor Trowbridge sought the medical director of that department and told him that he came there for work, and if he was needed anywhere he would be on hand. As a result, during his stay in the department there was not a battle fought in which he was not called upon to give service. After the battle of La Fourche Crossing he was called, without assistance, to attend to more than two hundred wounded Confederate prisoners, whose injuries ranged from flesh wounds to broken skulls and shattered limbs. He commenced his work at four o'clock Sunday afternoon and worked incessantly, without sitting down to eat or sleeping, until Tuesday at midnight. The day after he was left in the enemy's hands with the wounded, but was kept by them in the same place and service. This captivity lasted six weeks. Soon after he accompanied his regiment to Connecticut and with it was mustered out of service on the expiration of his term of enlistment on August 31, 1863. He was soon selected as surgeon of the board of enrollment in the Fourth District of Connecticut and placed on duty at Bridgeport. He attended so well to the duties that he held that position until the close of the war, when he was again honorably discharged, and he returned to his home in Stamford. He resumed his professional practice, and from that time until his death was identified with the town, his practice and reputation for skill increasing yearly.

Doctor Trowbridge's talents were those of solidity rather than brilliancy. He was not a boaster nor freely expressive of his knowledge, but was well posted in his profession and was always on good terms with his brethren. He especially excelled in surgery and obstetrics, his skill in both being from natural aptitude. His army experience had largely aided his skill as a surgeon, while that of obstetrics had grown upon him, through the exceptionally large practice given him by his gentleness and kindness of manner, aided by an untiring patience and a coolness that never flurried to hinder his success or make nervous his patient. In this department he stood at the head of his profession in his section and for many years he numbered more than one hundred obstetric cases yearly.\*

## CHILDREN BORN IN STAMFORD, CONN.:†

985. i. DUDLEY SELDEN, b. July 8, 1845, in Chester, N. Y.  
 ii. MARY REBINA, b. Oct. 13, 1847; m. Nov. 24, 1880, Prof. Herman J. Schmitz and resides in Stamford.  
 iii. REBECCA JEROPUT, b. Aug. 24, 1849; m. June 8, 1882, Edgar Williams and resides in Bethel, Conn.  
 iv. ELIZABETH MARIA, b. Mar. 9, 1854; d. Mar. 6, 1860.  
 v. WILLIAM BERR, b. Sept. 9, 1857; resides in Stamford; num.

**852.** JAMES AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>567</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>308</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 26, 1834, in Stamford, Conn.; died November 26,‡ 1862, in Alexandria, Va.; married March 17, 1859, in Bethel, Conn., Marietta Couch, daughter of Horace Hoyt and Lucy (Stowe) Couch, born September 1, 1834, in Bethel. She resides in Bethel.

James A. Trowbridge was apprenticed to a cabinetmaker in his native place, Stamford, Conn., but was able to work at his trade for only a short time on account of delicate health. He engaged in farming and was thus employed up to the time of his entering the army during the Civil War. He enlisted August 11, 1862, in Company F, 1st Connecticut Heavy Artillery, and died in Alexandria, Va., the following fall from disease contracted by exposure while in the army. His widow removed in 1870 from Bethel to New Haven, Conn., where her sons were educated in the public schools.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BETHEL, CONN.:

986. i. WILBUR COUCH, b. Mar. 20, 1860.  
 987. ii. MYRON JAMES, b. Sept. 21, 1861.

**853.** PROF. SAMUEL HOYT TROWBRIDGE (*Horace*<sup>570</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>308</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 12, 1840, in Bethel, Conn.; died March 17, 1886, in Glasgow, Mo.; married August 29, 1871, in West Westminster, Vt., Julia Almira Goodhue, daughter of Judge Ira and Almira (Sawyer) Goodhue, born August 11, 1843, in West Westminster. She resides in Chicago, Ill.

Samuel H. Trowbridge was graduated from Wesleyan University,§ Middletown, Conn., in 1867 with the degree of B.A. While there he was brought into close association with Dr. John Johnson, the eminent professor of chemistry and physics, and this association determined the pursuits of his after life. During the scholastic years of 1867-68 and 1868-69 he taught natural science and mathe-

\* This sketch is for the most part taken from the sketch of Doctor Trowbridge printed in the "History of Fairfield County, Conn."

† Except i.

‡ By "Connecticut Adjutant General's Report"; 24 by family record

§ While a student there he was elected a member of the Psi Upsilon fraternity.



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matics in Drew Ladies' Seminary, Carmel, N. Y. From 1869 to 1873 he was employed in teaching natural science in Pritchett Collegiate Institute, Glasgow, Mo. During this period he spent the summer of 1869 in study at Lawrence Scientific School, Harvard University, under Professor Agassiz, and in the summer of 1871 he went from there on a geological tour of the Atlantic states under the superintendence of Prof. N. Shaler.

In 1873, at the urgent solicitation of his college chum, Rev. C. Mandeville, who had been elected to the presidency of Jennings Seminary, Aurora, Ill., he resigned his position at Glasgow and accepted a similar one at Aurora. He also at that time was engaged in the geological survey of Missouri. The following year, 1874-75, he spent at Harvard pursuing his studies in paleontology and entomology under the instruction of Professor Shaler, and was assistant in the geological laboratory of Harvard. At the close of that year he received a call from Pritchett Institute to return there, with a considerable increase of salary and enlarged facilities, and fill the chair of geology and paleontology which had recently been established and endowed. This position he continued to hold until the summer of 1883, when failing health compelled his resignation.

At that time he supposed a change of occupation was the only thing necessary, and with a great deal of enthusiasm he worked more assiduously than ever, collecting and arranging specimens for his already large and valuable museum and entered into a wide correspondence with leading scientific men in this and other countries. His hope was to found a museum west of the Mississippi that should offer to the Central West the advantages that Harvard gave the East.\* For a time the relief from school duties and the enthusiasm inspired by a more entire devotion to museum work promised the recovery of health and strength, but a severe cold, contracted in the early spring of 1885, developed very rapidly symptoms of lung disease and in June of that year the physicians ordered, as a last resort, a trip to the mountains of Colorado. But it was then too late. In November he came home to pass his last days and in the following March he breathed his last.

During the twelve years of Professor Trowbridge's connection with Pritchett Institute the amount of work he accomplished was almost marvelous. He not only built up a fine museum, varied and complete, but he even caught and held the unswerving love and respect of his associates and pupils, and was the means of leading numbers of them into similar fields of study. His gentle, cheerful, simple demeanor won him friends everywhere. In the community he was always a staunch advocate for right and justice. He early espoused the temperance cause and joined the Prohibition party, for which he labored and fought as long as he lived.

He was a regular attendant upon all the services of the Methodist church, of which he was also a member. His delight was in the study of God's revealed word, and his loved study of Nature was only exceeded by his love of Nature's God. Unselfishness was in him a trait of peculiar strength, and in the family circle it was peculiarly manifest. As a Christian gentleman, he was a model to all; as an educator, his influence is still felt to-day in many states in the character and influence of his pupils; as a scientist, the museums of Pritchett Institute, Glasgow, Mo., and of Carleton College, Northfield, Minn., bear abundant witness. But death came in the midst of his labors and cut short his earthly career at the age of forty-six. While his career was comparatively short, his life was rounded out and complete.

CHILDREN BORN IN GLASGOW, MO. †

988. i. CARL HOYT, b. Oct. 24, 1874, in West Westminster, Vt.  
 989. ii. LEROY GOODHUE, b. Jan. 17, 1877.

\* His collection was valued at ten thousand dollars. Part of it was purchased by Carleton College, Northfield, Minn., and is known as the "Trowbridge Collection."

† Except i.

- iii. LEONARD BENEDICT, b. Sept. 29, 1879; was graduated from Pritchett College in 1897 with the degree of B.A., and after a year of post graduate study received the master's degree from the same institution in 1898. He was at Moody's Bible Institute in Chicago, Ill., for several years, and is at present field secretary of the Chicago Boys' Club. He has written a book describing conditions among the newsboys of that city. He is a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church South. He resides in Chicago and is unmarried.
- iv. CARRIE AMANDA, b. Dec. 21, 1880; d. June 5, 1885.
- v. ALMA SAWYER, b. Sept. 13, 1882; was graduated from Lewis Institute, Chicago, in 1906, and is a teacher in that city; unm.
- vi. ARTHUR CARLETON, b. Mar. 4, 1884; was graduated from the University of Chicago in 1907 with the degree of B.S., and has been appointed field and laboratory assistant in the department of geology in the University of Chicago. He is unmarried.

**854.** CHARLES KEELER TROWBRIDGE (*George S.*<sup>572</sup>, *Eliakim D.*<sup>309</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 10, 1852, in Bethel, Conn.; resides in Bethel; married October 14, 1873, in Bethel, Dora McDowell, daughter of William and Mary Ann (Mallory) McDowell, born January 13, 1856, in Bethel.

Charles K. Trowbridge is a hatter in Bethel, Conn., his native place.

CHILDREN BORN IN BETHEL, CONN.:

- i. WILLIS LEROY, b. Aug. 16, 1875; d. Sept. 27, 1893, in Bethel.
- ii. BESSIE FOSTER, b. Feb. 6, 1885.
- iii. HELEN SMITH, b. Oct. 8, 1888.

**855.** FRANK GREEN TROWBRIDGE (*George S.*<sup>572</sup>, *Eliakim D.*<sup>309</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 4, 1856, in Bethel, Conn.; resides in Bethel; married, first, September 29, 1880, in New York City, Fannie Margaretta Schaeffer, daughter of Abram Edwin and Ann Elizabeth (Johnson) Schaeffer, born March 27, 1861, in Stillwater, N. Y.; died March 13, 1893, in Danbury, Conn. He married, second, April 11, 1895, in Bethel, Agnes Irwin McWaters, daughter of William and Agnes (Irwin) McWaters, born January 1, 1857, in Bethel.

Frank G. Trowbridge is a hatter in Bethel, Conn. He is a member of the First Congregational Church of that place.

CHILD BORN IN NEWARK, N. J.:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. FLORENCE AMELIA, b. Aug. 21, 1881; m. Aug. 12, 1905, Martin G. Schwartz, Esq., and resides in Newark.

**856.** FRANK HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel W.*<sup>573</sup>, *Jeremiah T.*<sup>310</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>181</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 4, 1856, in Waterbury, Conn.; resides in Waterbury; married April 27, 1881, in Norwalk, Conn., Katherine Sanford Jarvis, daughter of Charles and Margaret (Rutan) Jarvis, born March 5, 1859, in New York City.

Frank H. Trowbridge was educated in the public schools of Waterbury, Conn., his native place. He is by occupation an accountant, and is at present in the employ of the Waterbury Brass Company.

Mr. Trowbridge has been since 1880 a member of the Masonic fraternity, in which he has held various offices. He was presiding officer in the council of Royal and Select Masters for ten years consecutively, 1884 to 1893, and passed through the chairs of the grand council of Royal and Select Masters of

\* No children by second marriage.

Connecticut, holding that of presiding officer in 1894. He served as recorder of Clark Commandery, No. 7, Knights Templar, for seven years, 1883 to 1890. He has been a member of Trinity Episcopal Church of Waterbury since 1890 and in 1895 was a member of its vestry.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WATERBURY, CONN.:

- i. FREDERICK JARVIS, b. May 1, 1882; is a civil engineer; resides in Waterbury; umm.
- ii. WILLIAM FRANCIS, b. Dec. 7, 1884; is a shipping clerk with the Scoville Manufacturing Company in Waterbury; umm.
- iii. FLORENCE MARGUERITE, b. Jan. 10, 1890.
- iv. AIMEE KATHERINE, b. Aug. 17, 1894.

**857.** JOHN FURST TROWBRIDGE (*William D.*<sup>580</sup>, *Seeley*<sup>313</sup>, *Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 14, 1852, in Great Bend, Pa.; died November 28, 1907, in Seattle, Wash.; married October 25, 1887, in Des Moines, Iowa, Kate Cora Landis, daughter of Joseph and Ann Catharine (Housem) Landis, born February 27, 1854, in Indianapolis, Ind. She resides in Seattle.

John F. Trowbridge was general manager of the Northwestern Steamship Company and resided in Seattle, Wash.

## NO CHILDREN.

**858.** LEWIS SEELEY TROWBRIDGE (*William D.*<sup>580</sup>, *Seeley*<sup>313</sup>, *Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 29, 1853, in Jacksonsville, Pa.; resides in Tabor, Iowa; married Phebe Pattingale.\*

Lewis S. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Tabor, Iowa.

## NO CHILDREN.

**859.** SHUMAN ARTHUR TROWBRIDGE (*William D.*<sup>580</sup>, *Seeley*<sup>313</sup>, *Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 17, 1857, in Des Moines, Iowa; resides in Des Moines; married Belle Briscoe.\*

Shuman A. Trowbridge is engaged in fruit growing near Des Moines, Iowa.

## CHILDREN:

- i. ROBERT.
- ii. CHARLES.
- iii. FRANCES.
- iv. WILLIS.
- v. ELLA.
- vi. ESTHER.

**860.** HARRY RICHARD TROWBRIDGE (*William D.*<sup>580</sup>, *Seeley*<sup>313</sup>, *Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 10, 1859, in Des Moines, Iowa; resides in Denver, Colo; married January 4, 1893, in Des Moines, Caroline E.† Goldsberry, daughter of Nelson Butler and Mary Virginia (Smith) Goldsberry, born May 4, 1863, in Marion, Iowa.

Harry R. Trowbridge resides in Denver, Colo. He is proprietor of the Denver Warehouse Company.

## CHILDREN:

- i. HENRY IRVINE, b. Jan. 29, 1894, in Aspen, Colo.
- ii. RUTH, b. June 30, 1895, in Aspen.
- iii. JOSEPH FURST, b. July 27, 1898, in Denver, Colo.

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† Initial only.

**861.** DR. WILLIAM MARSHALL TROWBRIDGE (*Edward N.*<sup>582</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>314</sup>, *Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 21, 1867, in Trempealeau, Wis.; resides in Viroqua, Wis.; married November 2, 1897, in Viroqua, Regina Lindemann, daughter of William Frederick and Rebecca (Ackels) Lindemann, born December 1, 1864, in Viroqua.

William M. Trowbridge attended school from childhood in the district school at Trempealeau, Wis., and afterwards at Whitehall, Wis. He then received a preliminary education at Minneapolis, Minn., after which he took a four years' course at the Chicago Homoeopathic Medical College, from which he was graduated with honors in 1893. He passed successfully a competitive examination for physician and surgeon and was located at the Cook County Hospital for eighteen months. He filled that position faithfully and acceptably, the same degree of diligence marking his course all the way that had been observable in his boyhood studies. He is now successfully practicing medicine and surgery at Viroqua, Wis., where he has been located for thirteen years. Scrupulous care of patients and unusual kindness towards all are marked features in his practice.

Doctor Trowbridge for the last twelve years has been on the U. S. pension board of examining surgeons. He has been appointed assistant surgeon in the Wisconsin National Guard and received his commission from Gov. James O. Davidson December 12, 1907, ranking as first lieutenant.

CHILD BORN IN VIROQUA, WIS.:

- i. FREDERICK NEWELL, b. Feb. 18, 1900.

**862.** HARRY HERBERT TROWBRIDGE (*Edward N.*<sup>582</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>314</sup>, *Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 10, 1869, in Trempealeau, Wis.; resides in Pasadena, Cal.; married December 28, 1893, in New York City, Carrie Elisabeth Spencer.

Harry H. Trowbridge passed through the district schools of Trempealeau and Whitehall (Wis.) high school. He stood high in his class and carried away a standing with his diploma that entitled him to a first grade certificate as a teacher, which he obtained, and he taught school with good success for several terms. He determined to learn stenography and refused several good offers for positions as teacher to carry out his design. It was noticeable that in his work as teacher better positions were open to him at each appointment. Succeeding well as a stenographer, he soon found employment with the Northern Pacific Railroad Company and was soon called to fill the position of secretary for the attorney of the railroad in New York City at a liberal salary, which place he filled until a change of attorney occurred. In the meantime he studied in the law department of the University of Minnesota, from which he was graduated with honors. He was admitted to the New York bar and for several years practiced his profession in that city. He then removed to Los Angeles, Cal., where he has since continued in practice. He is attorney for the Edison Electric Company in Los Angeles and resides in Pasadena.

NO CHILDREN.

**862a.** HENRY RAYMOND TROWBRIDGE (*Hiram I.*<sup>583</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>314</sup>, *Abel*<sup>183</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 20, 1877, in Trempealeau, Wis.; resides in Trempealeau; married September 24, 1902, in Holland township, La Crosse county, Wis., Tillie Josephine Gooden, daughter of Gilbert and Auline (Ostby) Gooden, born March 14, 1881, in La Crosse county.

Henry R. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Trempealeau, Wis.

CHILD BORN IN TREMPÉALEAU, WIS.:

- i. GRACE EUNICE, b. Aug. 2, 1903.



**863.** PARKER THEODORE TROWBRIDGE (*Martin L.*<sup>586</sup>, *Calvin*<sup>316</sup>, *Seeley*<sup>184</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 10, 1862, in Milwaukee, Wis.; resides in Milwaukee; married January 3, 1886, in Milwaukee, Hattie Johnston, daughter of George and Mary Emma (Woodruff) Johnston, born December 31, 1865, in St. Clair, Mich.

Parker T. Trowbridge is a manufacturer of cement blocks in Milwaukee, Wis.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MILWAUKEE, WIS.:

- i. THEODORE PARKER, b. Sept. 4, 1887.
- ii. LUCY MARCIA, b. Dec. 20, 1888.
- iii. STUART JOHNSTON, b. Aug. 24, 1891.

**864.** PAUL JONES TROWBRIDGE (*John C.*<sup>587</sup>, *Calvin*<sup>316</sup>, *Seeley*<sup>184</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 2, 1856, in Mapleton, Wis.; resides in Milwaukee, Wis.; married December 29, 1884, in Milwaukee, Mary Jane Grace.\*

Paul J. Trowbridge has always been engaged in farming. He settled after his marriage in Alexandria, S. D., and is now living near Milwaukee, Wis.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ALEXANDER, S. D.:

- i. JOHN CALVIN, b. Aug. 7, 1886.
- ii. EDWARD PAUL, b. Sept. 30, 1889.

**865.** OLIVER AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*Eli A.*<sup>592</sup>, *Eli*<sup>320</sup>, *Eli*<sup>185</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 26, 1846, in Coventry, N. Y.; resides in Minneapolis, Minn.; married June 16, 1869, in Louisville, Ky., Jane C. White.\*

Oliver A. Trowbridge has lived in Binghamton, N. Y., Jackson, Mich., and Kansas City, Mo. He is at present bookkeeper for a grain concern in Minneapolis, Minn.

## CHILD BORN IN BINGHAMTON, N. Y.:

- i. DAISY ANNA, b. Feb. 5, 1873.

**866.** OLIVER ADIN TROWBRIDGE (*Oliver*<sup>593</sup>, *Samuel E.*<sup>324</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 17, 1855, in Dearborn, Mich.; resides in Dearborn; married December 25, 1879, in Dearborn, Grace Cozbej, daughter of John and Mary (Campbell) Cozbej, born August 7, 1859, in Dearborn.

Oliver A. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in his native place, Dearborn, Mich.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DEARBORN, MICH.:

- i. RUSSELL ADIN, b. Dec. 6, 1880.
- ii. ELMER JAMES, b. May 25, 1882.

**866a.** FRANK TROWBRIDGE (*J. Warren*<sup>596</sup>, *Samuel E.*<sup>324</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 5, 1871, in Taylor, Mich.; resides in Dearborn (Inkster P. O.), Mich.; married July 3, 1904, in Windsor, Ontario, Canada, Cynthia Brown, daughter of William and Matilda (Bates) Brown, born March 4, 1879, in Millington, Mich.

Frank Trowbridge is a street car man in Wayne county, Mich. His address is Inkster, Mich.

## NO CHILDREN.

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

**866b.** SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*J. Warren*<sup>596</sup>, *Samuel E.*<sup>324</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 1, 1882, in Taylor, Mich.; resides in Dearborn (Inkster P. O.), Mich.; married February 16, 1905, in Dearborn, Mollie Amelia Steinhauer, daughter of Frederick and Sophia (Kienle) Steinhauer, born November 13, 1879, in Nankin, Mich.

Samuel Trowbridge is a farmer in Dearborn, Mich.

CHILD BORN IN DEARBORN, MICH.:

- i. HAZEL STEINBAUER, b. Jan. 24, 1908.

**867.** CHARLES WALTER TROWBRIDGE (*Zenas R.*<sup>598</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>325</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>186</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 22, 1855, in Hudson, Ohio; resides in Fairfield, Iowa; married June 18, 1902, in Fairfield, Daisy Estella Chester, daughter of Simpson Joseph and Olive (Hendricks) Chester, born October 10, 1874, in Fairfield.

Charles W. Trowbridge was graduated from Western Reserve University in 1876. He then traveled for the United States Mercantile Reporting Company. He later was connected with the Headstrom Coal Company in Chicago, Ill. He is at present proprietor of the Leggett House in Fairfield, Iowa. While in college he was elected a member of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity.

NO CHILDREN.

**868.** DR. FRANK LOGAN TROWBRIDGE (*Oliver*<sup>603</sup>, *Noble*<sup>327</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 5, 1851, in Great Bend, Pa.; died August 16, 1886, in Chicago, Ill.; married June —, 1871, in Chicago, Alicia Aikens, daughter of John Aikens, born ———, 1850, in Scotland. She married, second, ———.

Frank L. Trowbridge was graduated from Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa., in 1871. He located in Chicago, Ill., where he practiced his profession until his death.

NO CHILDREN.

**869.** FREDERICK GOODRICH TROWBRIDGE (*Grant B.*<sup>604</sup>, *Noble*<sup>327</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 16, 1854, in Great Bend, Pa.; resides in Great Bend; married October 25, 1876, in Great Bend, Evelyn Eugenia Banker, daughter of Andrew and Helen (Lines) Banker.

Frederick G. Trowbridge was educated in the public schools of Great Bend, Pa., and Binghamton, N. Y. He became a partner with his father in wagon manufacturing, the firm being G. B. Trowbridge & Son, and the business was carried on until the death of his father caused it to be discontinued. He was appointed postmaster at Great Bend under President Harrison. He was relieved of this office under Cleveland, but was re-appointed under McKinley and is still holding his postmastership.

CHILDREN BORN IN GREAT BEND, PA.:

- i. HELEN LOVE, b. Mar. 29, 1878; m. Apr. 16, 1902, Francis Gilman Stone and resides in Curwensville, Pa.
- ii. FLORENCE MAY, b. Mar. 8, 1883.
- iii. GRACE EVELYN, b. Nov. 7, 1887.
- iv. RUTH, b. June 10, 1891.
- v. GRANT WILLIAM, b. Jan. 18, 1901.

**870.** HERBERT LEE TROWBRIDGE (*Grant B.*<sup>604</sup>, *Noble*<sup>327</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 1, 1856, in Great Bend, Pa.; resides in Binghamton, N. Y.; married September 13, 1882, in Stroudsburg, Pa., Lizzie Adele Baker, daughter of William T. and Susan (Predmore) Baker, born May 18, 1859, in Stroudsburg.

Herbert L. Trowbridge was educated in the public schools of Great Bend, Pa., and Franklin, N. Y. He then took a clerkship with P. H. Lines & Co., shoe dealers in Great Bend. In 1891 he became a traveling salesman for Goff, Crary, Smith & Co., a Binghamton, N. Y., shoe house, with which concern he continued until it went out of business in 1906. He then took a similar position with the shoe house of Hurd & Fitzgerald of Utica, N. Y., with which he is at present connected. He resides in Binghamton, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GREAT BEND, PA.:

- i. LINA BELL, b. Nov. 22, 1885.
- ii. MARGUERITE, b. Oct. 19, 1888.
- iii. ELIZABETH ADELE, b. Sept. 21, 1903.

**871.** WILLIAM GRANT TROWBRIDGE (*Grant B.*<sup>604</sup>, *Noble*<sup>327</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 7, 1861, in Great Bend, Pa.; resides in Binghamton, N. Y.; married January 12, 1886, in Binghamton, Emilie Brass, daughter of Charles and Anna (Bay) Brass, born November 26, 1858, in Bremen, Germany.

William G. Trowbridge received his education in the public schools of his native town, Great Bend, Pa. He removed to Binghamton, N. Y., where he has since resided. He there successively held clerkships in the office of R. A. Ford, a coal dealer, and in the freight office of the Erie Railroad Company. He was for the next seventeen years in the office of Charles E. Lee, a dealer in building material, and then became clerk with J. W. Ballard & Co., wholesale dealers in the same line of business. In 1906 he entered the office of the Nineteen Hundred Washer Company, and is at present its auditor and head bookkeeper.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BINGHAMTON, N. Y.:

- i. ANNA LOVE, b. July 1, 1887; d. Aug. 8, 1888.
- ii. EDNA LOUISE, b. May 8, 1891; d. June 11, 1891.

**872.** LYMAN AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*Amasa T.*<sup>609</sup>, *Lyman*<sup>328</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 29, 1834, in Great Bend, Pa.; died August 20, 1862, in Newark, N. J.; married February 22, 1855, in Newark, Adrianna Banker (Dean) Allen, widow of Emory Addison Allen of Newark and daughter of Daniel and Mary (Wade) Dean, born August 20, 1824, in Newark; died March 1, 1865, in Newark.

Lyman A. Trowbridge remained on his father's farm in Great Bend, Pa., until he was twenty-one. He then went to Newark, N. J., to learn the hatter's trade. His health had always been delicate and he died there seven years later.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWARK, N. J.:

990. i. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Jan. 26, 1858.
- ii. HARRIET AMELIA, b. Oct. 20, 1861; d. Mar. 1, 1884, in Newark; unm.

**873.** THEODORE BURR TROWBRIDGE (*Amasa T.*<sup>606</sup>, *Lyman*<sup>328</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 23, 1837, in Great Bend, Pa.; died June 24, 1897, in Sodus, N. Y.; married January 14, 1862, in Sodus, Emily Jane Wilcox, daughter of Durfee and Samantha (Welles) Wilcox, born May 5, 1839, in Alton, N. Y. She resides in Sodus.

Theodore B. Trowbridge was on his father's farm until he came of age and then went to Sodus Centre, N. Y., where he engaged in farming with an uncle, Azel Carpenter. He later married and settled in that town as a farmer, owning 71 acres. He was popular in his township and county, and held several offices in them. He was school director for several years, supervisor for eight years and deputy sheriff for three years. He was a member of Lodge No. 392, F. and A. M., of Sodus.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SODUS, N. Y.:

991. i. MELVIN CARPENTER, b. Dec. 17, 1863.  
 ii. MAUDE EMMA, b. July 21, 1867; m. Dec. 3, 1890, William Samuel Sherman and resides in Allegan, Mich.

**874.** WILLIAM BLAIR TROWBRIDGE (*Amasa T.<sup>606</sup>, Lyman<sup>328</sup>, Oliver<sup>187</sup>, Seth<sup>133</sup>, Samuel<sup>113</sup>, Samuel<sup>104</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born March 4, 1852, in Great Bend, Pa.; resides in Hallstead, Pa.; married September 11, 1879, in Hallstead, Eliza Decker Fisher, daughter of James B. and Effie Ann (McVey) Fisher, born February 26, 1843, in Port Jervis, N. Y.

William B. Trowbridge lived on his father's farm until 1870, when he went to New Jersey and was for one year engaged in railroading. He then came to the village of Hallstead, Pa., his present residence. He was there engaged as a teamster for two years and then became a fireman on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad, a position in which he has since continued.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of Lackawanna Lodge, No. 283, B. of L. F.; Friendly Hand Lodge, No. 1009, I. O. O. F.; Anwanna Tribe, No. 361, I. O. R. M., and the degree of Pochontas; and the Railroad Y. M. C. A. He and his wife are members of the First Presbyterian Church of Hallstead.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HALLSTEAD, PA.:

- i. MAUDE (*adopted*),\* b. Sept. 25, 1881.  
 ii. AMASA THAYER, b. Dec. 13, 1882.

**875.** HENRY PRICE TROWBRIDGE (*Amasa T.<sup>606</sup>, Lyman<sup>328</sup>, Oliver<sup>187</sup>, Seth<sup>133</sup>, Samuel<sup>113</sup>, Samuel<sup>104</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born May 3, 1858, in Great Bend, Pa.; resides in Hallstead, Pa.; married ———, 188—, in Hallstead?, Georgia Eldred.†

Henry P. Trowbridge after reaching his majority worked for a time at the carpenter's trade. After his marriage he entered the employ of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company as a brakeman. He was advanced to be a locomotive engineer, a position he at present holds. He resides in Hallstead, Pa.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HALLSTEAD, PA.:

- i. LEON, b. ———, 188—.  
 ii. EDITH, b. ———, 188—.  
 iii. EDNA, b. ———, 188—.  
 iv. CORA, b. ———, 189—.

**876.** CHARLES AMASA TROWBRIDGE (*Amasa T.<sup>606</sup>, Lyman<sup>328</sup>, Oliver<sup>187</sup>, Seth<sup>133</sup>, Samuel<sup>113</sup>, Samuel<sup>104</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born June 16, 1862, in Great Bend, Pa.; resides in Great Bend township, (Hallstead P. O.), Pa.; married April 2, 1885, in Great Bend, Josephine Mericle, daughter of Henry and Margaret (Smith) Mericle, born August 20, 1861, in Great Bend.

Charles A. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in Great Bend, Pa., and is at present engaged in farming there. He was elected supervisor of Great Bend township in 1889 for a term of three years. In 1893 he was judge of election and in 1894 and 1899 he was inspector of election on the Republican ticket.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GREAT BEND, PA.:

- i. FLORENCE ELIZABETH, b. June 3, 1886.  
 ii. LAWRENCE HENRY, b. Dec. 27, 1893.

\* She was a daughter of Byron and Elizabeth (Fisher) Greene.

† He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

**877.** CHESTER MUNSON TROWBRIDGE (*Charles H.*<sup>607</sup>, *Lyman*<sup>328</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 21, 1841, in Great Bend, Pa.; resides in Findlay, Ohio; married August 31, 1869, in Conneaut, Ohio, Betsey Isabelle Gilman,\* daughter of Henry Francis and Lydia (Page) Gilman, born November 13, 1846, in Haverhill, Mass.

Chester M. Trowbridge is an oil contractor and resides in Findlay, Ohio.

## CHILDREN:†

992. i. CHARLES HENRY, b. June 29, 1870.
- ii. LILLIAN EDITH, b. Jan. 28, 1872; m. Oct. 12, 1892, George W. Minesinger and resides in Findlay, Ohio.
- iii. NELLIE MAE, b. Aug. 29, 1874.
- iv. HARRY BURTON, b. Nov. 30, 1877; is a tool dresser in Findlay; unm.
- v. ELMER CHESTER, b. Oct. 6, 1879; is a tool dresser in Findlay.
- vi. CLARA IONE, b. Apr. 6, 1883.

**878.** CHARLES RANSOM TROWBRIDGE (*Charles H.*<sup>607</sup>, *Lyman*<sup>328</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 24, 1846, in Tioga, Pa.; resides in Findlay, Ohio; married April 13, 1871, in Conneaut, Ohio, Julia Marie Gilman,‡ daughter of Henry Francis and Lydia (Page) Gilman, born April 15, 1850, in Conneaut.

Charles R. Trowbridge is engaged in oil production and resides in Findlay, Ohio.

## CHILDREN:

- i. LENA MAY, b. Jan. 31, 1873, in Shamburg, Pa.; m. Jan. 11, 1898, Harlan P. Cherry and resides in Marion, Ohio.
- ii. FRANK HENRY, b. May 20, 1875, in Millerstown, Pa.; is an oil pumper; resides with his father; unm.

**878a.** PRENTISS SABIN TROWBRIDGE (*Sabin H.*<sup>610</sup>, *Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 24, 1878, in Lee Centre, Ill.; resides in St. Louis, Mo.; married June 27, 1906, in St. Louis, Alice Bayha Bland, daughter of John Henry and Elizabeth Shaw (Bayha) Bland, born January 30, 1879, in St. Louis.

Prentiss S. Trowbridge is superintendent of the Hydraulic Press Brick Company in St. Louis, Mo.

## NO CHILDREN.

**878b.** CHARLES WATERBURY TROWBRIDGE (*Sabin H.*<sup>610</sup>, *Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 26, 1881, in Lee Centre, Ill.; resides in St. Louis, Mo.; married November 3, 1905, in Belleville, Ill., Bertha E. McNamee, daughter of Edward McNamee.

Charles W. Trowbridge was a soldier in the Spanish-American War. He enlisted May 24, 1898, in the 5th United States Cavalry and was sent to Porto Rico, where he rose to be a non-commissioned officer. He is in the jewelry business with J. F. Dailey in St. Louis, Mo., and resides in that city.

## CHILD BORN IN ST. LOUIS, MO.:

- i. ALFRED CHARLES, b. July 14, 1906.

**879.** REUBEN HOLBROOK TROWBRIDGE (*Reuben*<sup>611</sup>, *Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 18, 1858, in Eldena, Ill.; resides in McCook, Neb.; married April 8, 1882, in McCook, Ella McManigal, daughter of Vance and Martha (Encart) McManigal, born April 8, 1863, in Liberty Mills, Ind.

Reuben H. Trowbridge is railroading. He lives in McCook, Neb.

\* A sister of the wife of his brother No. 878.

† i and iii born in Conneaut, Ohio; ii in West Freedom, Pa.; iv in Millerstown, Pa.; v in Olean, N. Y.; vi in Bolivar, N. Y.

‡ A sister of the wife of his brother No. 877.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MC COOK, NEB. :

- i. EARL AUSTIN, b. Apr. 24, 1883.
- ii. RUBY ZENOBI, b. Jan. 20, 1886; d. Oct. 15, 1892.
- iii. TRIXIE LAVERA, b. Apr. 27, 1888.
- iv. DORA MAY, b. Mar. 1, 1890.
- v. NOBLE AUGUSTUS, b. Nov. 19, 1892.
- vi. REUBEN VANCE, b. June 8, 1893; d. Oct. 11, 1895.
- vii. MARTHA BIERCE, b. Sept. 17, 1894.
- viii. HOMER CALVIN, b. Jan. 6, 1896.

880. HENRY BRADFORD TROWBRIDGE (*Reuben*<sup>611</sup>, *Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 16, 1860, in Eldena, Ill.; resides in Eldena (Dixon P. O.); married November 23, 1886, in Dixon, Emma Hoyle, daughter of Alexander and Caroline (Youts?) Hoyle, born November 8, 1863, in Eldena.

Henry B. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in his native place, Eldena, Ill., about six miles south of Dixon, Ill. He enlisted in the Illinois National Guard June 8, 1890, and was promoted to second lieutenant in Company G, 6th Regiment, I. N. G. He served in Cuba during the Spanish-American War.

## CHILD BORN IN ELDENA, ILL. :

- i. CARRIE MAE, b. Dec. 19, 1887.

881. AUSTIN LEE TROWBRIDGE (*Reuben*<sup>611</sup>, *Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 26, 1868, in Eldena, Ill.; resides in Dixon, Ill.; married September 3, 1896, in Chicago, Ill., Mamie Kennedy Martin, daughter of Neal Kennedy and Cornelia (Brown) Martin, born February 10, 1870, in Chicago.

Austin L. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in Eldena, Ill. He studied stenography and entered the employ of the Missouri Pacific Railway Company. He is at present and has been for several years past traveling freight agent for that road. His headquarters have been at Denver and Salt Lake City and are now at Chicago. He resides in Dixon, Ill.

## CHILDREN :

- i. NEAL AUSTIN, b. June 26, 1897, in St. Louis, Mo.
- ii. LEE REUBEN, b. July 22, 1900, in Denver, Colo.
- iii. RAY MARTIN, b. Jan. 2, 1907, in Dixon, Ill.

882. NELSON BRADFORD TROWBRIDGE (*Henry A.*<sup>612</sup>, *Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 23, 1854, in Ophir township, La Salle county, Ill.; resides in Hunter, Kan.; married November 21, 1881, in Linnens, Mo., Ella Blackburn, daughter of Manassa and Sarah (Cassity) Blackburn, born February 28, 1853, in Sullivan county, Mo.

Nelson B. Trowbridge when fourteen years of age went with his parents to Linn county, Mo. He settled after his marriage in Hunter, Kan., where he has since been engaged in the general mercantile business. He has held the office of postmaster there since its establishment in 1902.

## NO CHILDREN.

883. NOBLE HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Henry A.*<sup>612</sup>, *Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 2, 1857, in Ophir township, La Salle county, Ill.; died December 3, 1906, in Rogers, Ark.; married April 7, 1878, in Linneus, Mo., Susie Smith, daughter of Drury and Rebecca (Bledsaw) Smith, born ———, 1859, in Unionville, Mo. She resides in Woodward, Okla.

Noble H. Trowbridge went in boyhood with his parents to Linn county, Mo. He lived there for a few years after his marriage and then removed to Oklahoma. Early in 1906, for the sake of his health, he went to Rogers, Ark., where he died in December of that year. He was a farmer and blacksmith.

## CHILDREN :

- i. IRA, b. ———, 188—.
- ii. AUGUSTUS, b. ———, 188—.
- iii. EVA, b. ———, 188—.
- iv. FREDERICK, b. ———, 188—.

884. ELMER SCOTT TROWBRIDGE (*Henry A.*<sup>612</sup>, *Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 7, 1861, in Ophir township, La Salle county, Ill.; resides in Braymer, Mo.; married, first, February 1, 1882, in Meadville, Mo., Belle Thomas, daughter of William and Sarah (Hisel) Thomas, born April 10, 1861, near Louisville, Ky.; died February 15, 1888, in Jackson township, Linn county, Mo. He married, second, November 16, 1898, in Brookfield, Mo., Anna Elizabeth (Busby) Suits, widow of Dr. Hiram Suits of Cunningham, Mo., and daughter of William and Mary (McIntyre) Busby, born December 24, 1854, in Aurora, Ind.

Elmer S. Trowbridge went in boyhood with his parents to Linn county, Mo. He settled in that county after his marriage and was engaged in farming there until 1890. The next four years he followed the carpenter's trade. He then learned photography and was engaged in that business in Linn county until the spring of 1898, when he went with his brother Frederick to Hale, Carroll county, Mo. On November 1, 1899, he came to Braymer, Mo., his present residence, where he is a photographer. He has recently erected a two-story brick business building on Main street, and occupies the upper story as his studio. He owns a pleasant home two blocks from Main street.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LINN COUNTY, MO. :

*By first marriage.\**

- i. ALICE ALTA, b. Dec. 22, 1882, in Gransville; m. May 8, 1907, Harley Hugins Curtis and resides in Meadville, Mo.
993. ii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. June 1, 1886, in Jackson.

885. JOHN FREDERICK TROWBRIDGE (*Henry A.*<sup>612</sup>, *Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 20, 1863, in Ophir township, La Salle county, Ill.; resides in Hale, Mo.; married October 15, 1890, in Linn county, Mo., Mattie Louisa Alexander, daughter of George Gore and Annie Isabelle (Northeott) Alexander, born May 9, 1868, in Linn county.

John F. Trowbridge came in 1868 with his parents to Linn county, Mo. He was engaged in farming there until the spring of 1898, when he came with his brother Elmer to Hale, Mo., where he has since been a photographer. He owns a farm in Linn county and a photograph gallery in Hale.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LINN COUNTY, MO. :

- i. EARL AUGUSTUS, b. Oct. 28, 1892.
- ii. RAY ALEXANDER, b. Dec. 20, 1894.
- iii. ETHEL MAY, b. Nov. 13, 1897.

886. WILBUR EUGENE TROWBRIDGE (*Lymon B.*<sup>615</sup>, *Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 24, 1857, in Amboy township, Lee county, Ill.; resides in Dixon, Ill.; married December 29, 1885, in Oregon, Ill., Anna Prudence Kested, daughter of James Bouten and Rebecca Ann (Plantz) Kested, born November 22, 1857, in Tribes Hill, N. Y.

\* No children by second marriage.

Wilbur E. Trowbridge was born on a farm in Lee county, Ill. His mother died when he was an infant. He lived with his father's brothers until he was six years old and then went to live with his maternal grandparents in Vinton, Iowa. At the age of twenty-two he entered the U. S. army, enlisting June 25, 1879, in Company D, 17th U. S. Infantry. He was promoted corporal January 27, 1882, and sergeant January 30, 1884. He was stationed at Fort Yates, Dakota Territory, with 8,000 Indians, and was there at the time of Sitting Bull's surrender and had charge of that chief as a prisoner. He was discharged after five years' service June 25, 1884. He married the following year and is now engaged in farming in Nelson township, near Dixon, Ill.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEBRASKA TOWNSHIP, LEE COUNTY, ILL.:

- i. GUY JAMES BENJAMIN, b. Aug. 27, 1886.
- ii. WILLIAM HORTON, b. Nov. 7, 1890.
- iii. CLAUDE EUGENE, b. Oct. 19, 1893.

887. HENRY HOWARD TROWBRIDGE (*Lyman B.*<sup>615</sup>, *Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 4, 1869, in Canyon City, Ore.; resides in Izee, Ore.; married January 31, 1900, in Izee, Minnie M. Laughlin, daughter of Robert and Sarah (Magill) Laughlin, born October 12, 1879, in The Dalles, Ore.

Henry H. Trowbridge lived from boyhood until after he came of age with his uncle Bradford C. Trowbridge. He is now settled as a stock raiser and dealer in Izee, Ore.

NO CHILDREN.

888. EDGAR CHURCH TROWBRIDGE (*Ira C.*<sup>517</sup>, *Henry*<sup>330</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 6, 1853, in Woodstock, Ill.; resides in Waseca, Minn.; married May 29, 1901, in Sacramento, Cal., Belle Stratton, daughter of William C. and Margaret (Le Noir) Stratton, born in Santa Barbara, Cal.

Edgar C. Trowbridge came at the age of thirteen years with his parents to Waseca, Minn., where he has since made his home. He was engaged in the hardware business there for several years and is now president of the Peoples State Bank in Waseca.

NO CHILDREN.

889. GEORGE ORLANDO TROWBRIDGE (*James O.*<sup>620</sup>, *Barlow S.*<sup>331</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>188</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 11, 1856, in New Fairfield, Conn.; resides in Hyde Park, N. Y.; married August 19, 1882, in Pleasant Valley, N. Y., Jennie Dean Frost,\* daughter of Andrew and Priscilla (Frost) Sitzer, born March 1, 1865, in Rock City, N. Y.; died May 21, 1906, in Hyde Park.

George O. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Poughkeepsie, N. Y. He is a miller and leases the mill known as the Red Oak mill in Poughkeepsie township. He lives in the village of Hyde Park and owns a farm in Lagrange township. He is a member of Trinity Episcopal Church in Poughkeepsie and the Y. P. S. C. E. connected with the church.

NO CHILDREN.

\* Brought up by her maternal grandmother and took her name.



**890.** FRANK WILGUS TROWBRIDGE (*Charles B.*<sup>623</sup>, *Ephraim B.*<sup>332</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>188</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 27, 1874, in Decorah, Iowa; resides in Minneapolis, Minn.; married May 16, 1900, in Minneapolis, Clara Luella Lunt, daughter of James Albert and Mary Anne (Roberts) Lunt, born February 2, 1878, in Panora, Iowa.

Frank W. Trowbridge is engaged in the plumbing, steam fitting and gas fitting business in Minneapolis, Minn.

## CHILD BORN IN MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.:

- i. ROY BURR, b. Feb. 21, 1904.

**890a.** SMITH COTTRELL TROWBRIDGE (*Charles B.*<sup>623</sup>, *Ephraim B.*<sup>332</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>188</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 28, 1880, in Mankato, Minn.; resides in Minneapolis, Minn.; married June 20, 1905, in Minneapolis, Hilma V. Lindstrand.

Smith C. Trowbridge is a glazier in Minneapolis, Minn.

## CHILD BORN IN MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.:

- i. STANLEY CLIFFORD, b. Oct. 31, 1906.

**891.** CHARLES WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel A.*<sup>625</sup>, *Truman*<sup>334</sup>, *Reuben*<sup>189</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 14, 1851, in Danbury, Conn.; died August 25, 1873, in Danbury; married July 23, 1873, in Danbury, Ella Sturdevant Taylor, daughter of James Seeley and Sarah Lyon (Sturdevant) Taylor, born October 30, 1853, in Danbury. She married, second, September 4, 1877, in Danbury, Eugene Matthew Bulkley and resides in Danbury.

Charles W. Trowbridge was a hatter in his native town, Danbury, Conn.

## NO CHILDREN.

**892.** WILLIAM AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*William E. S.*<sup>626</sup>, *Truman*<sup>334</sup>, *Reuben*<sup>189</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 28, 1859, in Chicago, Ill.; resides in New York City; married March 23, 1881, in Chicago, Jessie Susan Foote, daughter of David Augustus and Eliza Moore (Trowbridge (No. 189, xii)) Foote, born July 15, 1862, in Chicago.

William A. Trowbridge came with his parents in 1872 from Rockford, Ill., to Chicago. He attended public school there until he was fourteen years old and spent the next three years at Miami Valley Institute, near Dayton, Ohio. In the fall of 1877 he entered business life, and was connected in a clerical capacity from that time until 1885 with the firms of Henry Disston & Sons and A. H. Andrews & Co. in Chicago. From 1885 to 1895 he was a commercial traveler and was connected with three or four large mercantile houses. In 1895 he became identified as an advertising representative in the magazine field and in this connection moved to New York City in May, 1897. He has been connected with the leading publications, such as *Outing*, *Review of Reviews*, *Everybody's*, and *Appletons*, and he at present represents the advertising department of Harper & Brothers. He resides in New York City.

## CHILD BORN IN CHICAGO, ILL.:

- i. DOUGLAS STANLEY, b. Sept. 16, 1888.

**893.** CHARLES UTTER TROWBRIDGE (*William E. S.*<sup>626</sup>, *Truman*<sup>334</sup>, *Reuben*<sup>189</sup>, *John*<sup>134</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 20, 1868, in Rockford, Ill.; resides in Indianapolis, Ind.; married June 19, 1895, in Mil-

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

waukee, Wis., Anna Sabina Davenport, daughter of Charles Bailey and Loretta (Clarke) Davenport, born May 21, 1871, in Lena, Ill.

Charles U. Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to Chicago, Ill., where in due time he attended grammar school. At the age of seventeen he entered as an apprentice the office of W. W. Boyington, architect. Since that time the greater part of his life has been connected with architecture or with building and contracting concerns. He has resided at different times in Chicago, Louisville, Ky., and Indianapolis, Ind., the latter being his present residence.

## CHILD BORN IN CHICAGO, ILL.:

- i. RALPH REDINGTON, b. Dec. 2, 1897.

**894.** GEORGE ALBRO TROWBRIDGE (*William R.*<sup>633</sup>, *Phineas B.*<sup>327</sup>, *Alvah*<sup>190</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 20, 1861, in Pawling, N. Y.; resides in South Dover (Wingdale P. O.), N. Y.; married March 19, 1890, in South Dover, Eva Lizzie Dutcher, daughter of George Washington and Nettie (Hill) Dutcher, born February 9, 1871, in Kingston, N. Y.

George A. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in the township of South Dover, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SOUTH DOVER, N. Y.:\*

- i. WILLIAM DUTCHER, b. June 6, 1891.
- ii. NETTIE ANN, b. Mar. 4, 1894.
- iii. GERTRUDE WHEELER, b. Apr. 29, 1901.
- iv. GEORGE CRANE, b. Jan. 5, 1904.

**895.** WILLIAM SHERMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Belden C.*<sup>638</sup>, *William C.*<sup>339</sup>, *Alvah*<sup>190</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 11, 1880, in Pawling, N. Y.; resides in Pawling; married June 28, 1905, in Pawling, Mildred Sabin Warner, daughter of Henry Daniel and Harriet A. (Sabin) Warner, born February 16, 1882, in Lanessville, Conn.

William S. Trowbridge is connected with the office of the auditor of the New York Central Railroad Company in Grand Central station, New York City. He resides in Pawling, N. Y.

## CHILD BORN IN PAWLING, N. Y.:

- i. MARION WARNER, b. June 30, 1906.

**896.** CLIFFORD ARNOLD TROWBRIDGE (*Belden C.*<sup>638</sup>, *William C.*<sup>339</sup>, *Alvah*<sup>190</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 26, 1881, in Pawling, N. Y.; resides in New Milford, Conn.; married December 29, 1903, in New Milford, Maude Serena Hill, daughter of Merritt and Ida (Clark) Hill, born July 28, 1882, in New Milford.

Clifford A. Trowbridge is engaged in the clothing business in New Milford, Conn.

## CHILD BORN IN NEW MILFORD, CONN.:

- i. JEAN CAMPBELL, b. Mar. 11, 1906.

**897.** HARRY LYNDE TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>639</sup>, *John*<sup>340</sup>, *Billy*<sup>191</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 12, 1874, in Princeton, Ill.; resides in Chula, Va.; married April 1, 1899, in Omaha, Neb., Eliza J. Daugherty, daughter of Oliver and Martha J. (Robinson) Daugherty, born June 28, 1872, in Indianapolis, Ind.

\* Except i, who was born in Wallkill, N. Y.

Harry L. Trowbridge and his brother-in-law S. A. Daugherty comprise the firm of Trowbridge & Daugherty, proprietors of Millswood stock and dairy farm in Chula, Amelia county, Va., and are breeders and dealers in pedigreed cattle and hogs. He was a soldier in the Spanish-American War and was wounded during the battle of El Caney while serving with the 12th U. S. Infantry.

NO CHILDREN.

**898.** LOUIS YAMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Irvin C.*<sup>643</sup>, *Billy S.*<sup>345</sup>, *Levi*<sup>192</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 12, 1866, in Connersville, Ind.; resides in Kansas City, Mo.; married October —, 1886, in Douglas county, Mo., Jane Rogers.

Louis Y. Trowbridge is a railway mail clerk and resides in Kansas City, Mo.

CHILDREN BORN IN DOUGLAS COUNTY, MO. :\*

- i. MARY, b. Aug. 7, 1887.
- ii. CARRIE, b. May 12, 1889.
- iii. ENOLA, b. Apr. 7, 1891.
- iv. IRVIN, b. Oct. 11, 1895.
- v. NELLIE, b. Jan. 4, 1898.
- vi. CARL, b. June 1, 1901.

**899.** CARL YAMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Irvin C.*<sup>643</sup>, *Billy S.*<sup>345</sup>, *Levi*<sup>192</sup>, *Billy*<sup>135</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 15, 1872, in Fayette county, Ind.; resides in Kansas City, Mo.; married April 18, 1898, in Mansfield, Mo., Della Baker.

Carl Y. Trowbridge is a railway mail clerk and resides in Kansas City, Mo.

NO CHILDREN.

**900.** JAMES HARVEY TROWBRIDGE (*James L.*<sup>651</sup>, *Henry B.*<sup>350</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 15, 1857, in Washington county, Iowa; resides in Selden, Kan.; married January 18, 1887, in Rexford, Kan., Martha Stapleton, daughter of Frank and Lucretia (Rogers) Stapleton, born July 27, 1865, in West Point, Ill.; died October 16, 1906, in Decatur county, Kan.

James H. Trowbridge came in early manhood with his parents to Decatur county, Kan., where he settled after his marriage and engaged in farming. He is now farming in Selden in the adjoining county of Sheridan.

CHILDREN BORN IN DECATUR COUNTY, KAN. :

- i. MAUDE HAZEL, b. Nov. 21, 1891.
- ii. ALVA WAYNE, b. Sept. 1, 1895.
- iii. FREDERICK D., † b. Oct. 26, 1897.
- iv. MABEL, b. July 3, 1900.

**901.** JAMES HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Charles W.*<sup>653</sup>, *Henry B.*<sup>350</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 10, 1848, in Middletown, Shelby county, Ind.; resides in Illiopolis, Ill.; married, first, March 28, 1877, in Maroa, Ill., Kate Suver, daughter of Elijah and Catherine (Burger) Suver, born January 11, 1848, in Springfield, Ohio; died September

\* Except vi, who was born in Mansfield, Mo.

† Initial only.

5, 1881, in Maroa. He married, second, January 1, 1884, in Maroa, Nora Florence Gaskill, daughter of Silas and Elizabeth (Ford) Gaskill, born January 26, 1855, in Lebanon, Ill.

James H. Trowbridge went in childhood with his parents to Jasper county, Ill. He has always been engaged in farming. He settled after his marriage in Maroa, Macon county, Ill., and lived there until 1892, when he removed to Douglas county, Ill. He lived there three years and one year in Argenta, Macon county, and then came to his present residence, Illiopolis, Sangamon county, Ill. He has been a member of the Methodist Church for many years.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MAROA, ILL.:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. CHARLES JOSEPH, b. Feb. 5, 1878.
- ii. ELLIE FRANCES, b. Mar. 13, 1881; d. Aug. 31, 1881.

**902.** CHARLES HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Henry O.*<sup>654</sup>, *Henry B.*<sup>350</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 26, 1860, in Edinburgh, Ind.; resides in Curtsville, Ind.; married January —, 1891, Maggie McKnight.

Charles H. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Curtsville, Ind.†

**903.** GEORGE BENSON TROWBRIDGE (*Henry O.*<sup>654</sup>, *Henry B.*<sup>350</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 3, 1864, in Greenwood, Ind.; resides in Shelbyville, Ind.; married July 27, 1889, in Shelbyville, Lydia Jane Walton, daughter of Thompson and Nancy A. (Hardwick) Walton, born October 26, 1867, in Shelbyville.‡

George B. Trowbridge lives in Shelbyville, Ind., and is engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SHELBYVILLE, IND.:

- i. VIOLA A., b. ———, 189—.
- ii. HARRY M., b. ———, 189—.
- iii. FLORENCE E., b. ———, 189—.

**904.** EDWARD ALONZO TROWBRIDGE (*William A.*<sup>657</sup>, *Joseph B.*<sup>351</sup>, *David*<sup>105</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 3, 1850, in Cincinnati, Ohio; resides in Ottumwa, Iowa; married August 24, 1871, in Hamilton, Ohio, Emma R. Young, daughter of David and Ann Caroline (Trine) Young, born March 11, 1850, in Fearnot Mills, Butler county, Ohio.

Edward A. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to the village of Seven Mile, Butler county, Ohio. He has been since March, 1873, connected with the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad Company and at present is chief clerk in the office of the master mechanic in Ottumwa, Ill.

Mr. Trowbridge was made a Mason in 1872 and for two terms, 1895 and 1896, was master of Ottumwa Lodge, No. 16, F. and A. M. He and his wife attend the First Presbyterian Church, of which she is a member.

## CHILDREN:

- i. VERNA, b. May 26, 1872, in Colerain, Ohio; m. Dec. 24, 1899, Wilbur R. Adams and resides in Albany, Mo.
994. ii. EARL, b. July 7, 1875, in Ottumwa, Iowa.
- 994a. iii. EDWARD ALONZO, b. Apr. 1, 1877, in Ottumwa.

\* No children by second marriage.

† He failed to answer the compiler's letters. It is not known whether there are children.

‡ He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

**905.** WALTER ALLEN TROWBRIDGE (*William A.*<sup>657</sup>, *Joseph B.*<sup>351</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 8, 1853, in Cincinnati, Ohio; resides in Middletown, Ohio; married December 15, 1881, in Hamilton, Ohio, Mary Ann Heater, daughter of Philip and Mary (Heiter) Heater, born April 29, 1859, in Seven Mile, Ohio.

Walter A. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Seven Mile, Butler county, Ohio. In 1873 he began teaching school, and for twenty-seven years and four months he was engaged in teaching in the country and village schools of Butler county. In August, 1903, he moved to Middletown, Ohio, and with his son and others formed a stock company, known as the Strauss Furniture Co., complete household furnishers, in which he holds the office of secretary.

Mr. Trowbridge held the position of justice of the peace in St. Clair and Wayne townships, Butler county, Ohio; was twice elected mayor of the village of Seven Mile; and was appointed in 1889 county school examiner and served in that capacity for six years.

## CHILD BORN IN SEVEN MILE, OHIO:

995. i. CHARLES HENRY, b. Apr. 26, 1883.

**906.** LEWIS HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*William A.*<sup>657</sup>, *Joseph B.*<sup>351</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 19, 1858, in Alexandria, Ind.; resides in Ottumwa, Iowa; married December 4, 1886, in Davis City, Iowa, Rose Amedia Adams, daughter of John Aaron and Susan Elizabeth (Harrison) Adams, born April 11, 1870, in Bethany, Wis.

Lewis H. Trowbridge is a machinist by trade and lives in Ottumwa, Iowa, where he has made his home since his marriage.

## CHILDREN BORN IN OTTUMWA, IOWA:\*

- i. CARRIE MAY, b. Apr. 27, 1888; m. Nov. 28, 1907, Mark Bernard Crane and resides in Ottumwa.
- ii. FLORENCE MAGNOLIA, b. Oct. 3, 1889.
- iii. CHESSIE BELLE, b. Jan. 1, 1893; d. Aug. 16, 1894.
- iv. SUSAN ELIZABETH, b. July 3, 1896; d. Jan. 17, 1898.
- v. WILLIAM ALONZO, b. July 17, 1898; d. July 20, 1898.

**907.** JOSEPH ARCHIBALD TROWBRIDGE (*William A.*<sup>657</sup>, *Joseph B.*<sup>351</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 9, 1866, in Seven Mile, Ohio; resides in San José, Cal.; married June 22, 1892, in San José, Margaret Norton.†

Joseph A. Trowbridge married and settled in San José, Cal., where he has since resided. He is a bookkeeper for A. W. White.

## CHILD BORN IN SAN JOSÉ, CAL.:

- i. JOSEPH ARCHIBALD, b. ———, 189—.

**908.** GILBERT EARL TROWBRIDGE (*Jasper J. M.*<sup>660</sup>, *Joseph B.*<sup>351</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 11, 1878, in Newcastle, Ind.; resides in Chattanooga, Tenn.; married September 7, 1901, in Covert, Mich., Fern Lockwood, daughter of Charles E. and Isadore (Cheney) Lockwood, born October 20, 1883, in Covert.

Gilbert E. Trowbridge grew up in Benton Harbor, Mich., where his mother made her home after her second marriage. From 1900 to 1903 he was of the firm of Trowbridge & Northrop, manufacturers of "Blue Label" cigars, in that city. Since 1903 he has followed music as his profession. The instruments he plays

\* Except iii, who was born in Davis City, Iowa.

† He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

are the violin, clarinet and trap drum, and he is also a piano tuner. He played drums with the Conn Band of Elkhart, Ind., during the season of 1905 and the same instruments in the Auditorium Theater in South Bend, Ind., during the winter season of 1905-6. On October 1, 1906, he came to Chattanooga, Tenn., his present residence, and is a member of Spence's Band and Cadek's Orchestra of that city.

Mr. Trowbridge served two years in the 4th Division of the Michigan State Naval Brigade, 1900-1, while a resident of Benton Harbor, where he was honorably discharged. He is a member of the Cigar Makers International Union and the American Federation of Musicians. He joined the B. P. O. Elks in 1906 at South Bend, Ind.

## NO CHILDREN.

**909.** GEORGE JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*George W.*<sup>661</sup>, *Archibald*<sup>353</sup>, *David*<sup>135</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>109</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 20, 1859, in Cincinnati, Ohio; resides in Cincinnati; married July 11, 1886, in Denver, Colo., Zoe Amy Orr, daughter of Jackson and Elvira Elizabeth (Amy) Orr, born March 14, 1867, in Boone, Iowa.

George J. Trowbridge resides in Cincinnati, Ohio, and is engaged in the stock brokerage business.

## CHILDREN:

- i. MAUD REBECCA, b. Oct. 13, 1887, in Denver, Colo.
- ii. ZOE FRANCES, b. Dec. 12, 1892, in Denver.
- iii. JAMES ORR, b. June 10, 1896, in Union township, Butler county, Ohio.
- iv. ELVIRA MABEL, b. Jan. 15, 1899, in Union township.

**910.** FRANCIS CHARLES TROWBRIDGE (*George W.*<sup>661</sup>, *Archibald*<sup>353</sup>, *David*<sup>135</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>109</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 11, 1865, in Cincinnati, Ohio; resides in Hamilton, Ohio; married, first, October 23, 1889, in Troy, N. Y., Henrietta Margarum Weed, daughter of Henry Elisha and Phebe Stone (Marvin) Weed, born October 20, 1866, in Troy; died June 14, 1890, in Hamilton. He married, second, June 10, 1896, in Hamilton, Mabel Louise Berry, daughter of Philip Gilbert and Margaret (Hutchinson) Berry, born August 5, 1873, in Terre Haute, Ind.

Francis C. Trowbridge was graduated from Chickering Institute, Cincinnati, Ohio, in 1883. He then went to the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, N. Y., where he took a special course of three years in mathematics and chemistry. He did not graduate, but left in good standing and could have been graduated by attending another year. He was in the class of 1887. He resides in Hamilton, Ohio, where he has been with the Black-Clawson Company, paper and pulp mill machinery, about twenty years, employed in various capacities, and is now the secretary and treasurer of the concern.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HAMILTON, OHIO:

*By second marriage:\**

- i. FRANCIS BERRY, b. Aug. 17, 1901.
- ii. FREDERICK GEORGE, b. Oct. 19, 1902.

**911.** ADOLPHIAS CLARK TROWBRIDGE (*Benjamin*<sup>665</sup>, *Abner*<sup>356</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>136</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>109</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 18, 1867, in St. Johns, Mich.; resides in Lansing, Mich.; married November 1, 1890, in Fairfield, Mich., Kate Darling, daughter of Butminster and Mary Susan (Wells) Darling, born March 27, 1867, in Fairfield.

A. Clark Trowbridge is a mechanic in Lansing, Mich.

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\* No children by first marriage.



*Francis C. Frowbridge*





## CHILDREN BORN IN OWOSSO, MICH.:

- i. GLYNN IRVIN, b. Nov. 24, 1892.
- ii. GLADYS AVA, b. Oct. 29, 1894.
- iii. FLOYD WELLS, b. Apr. 25, 1900.

**912.** GUILFORD DENMAN TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>668</sup>, *Abner*<sup>358</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>196</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 21, 1859, in Fayette, Ohio; resides in Upper Sandusky, Ohio; married August 3, 1885, in Fowlerville, Mich., G. Anna K'Burg,\* daughter of Henry and Eliza Jane (Chapman) K'Burg, born February 23, 1868, in Junction City, Kan.

Guilford D. Trowbridge attended school until 1880. He then learned photography from J. O. Converse in Morenci, Mich., and has since been engaged in business as a photographer. He was in business in Fowlerville, Mich., from 1883 to 1894, and since then has had a studio in Upper Sandusky, Ohio.

## CHILD BORN IN FOWLERVILLE, MICH.:

- i. DALE GUILFORD, b. Apr. 5, 1887.

**912a.** WILLIAM EDWARD TROWBRIDGE (*Alva D.*<sup>668</sup>, *David*<sup>257</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>196</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 2, 1884, in Waterloo, Ind.; resides in Iola, Kan.; married January 16, 1906, in Iola, Nellie Noll, daughter of Jacob and Ada Pearl (Simpson) Noll, born September 22, 1889, in Benton, Kan.

William E. Trowbridge is a farmer in Iola, Kan.

## NO CHILDREN.

**913.** WILLIAM SHERIDAN TROWBRIDGE (*Amariah*<sup>669</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>359</sup>, *Abner*<sup>197</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 28, 1859, in Rochester, Mich.; resides in Detroit, Mich.; married September 12, 1900, in Godrich, Ontario, Canada, Annie Murray, daughter of Angus and Henrietta (McDonald) Murray, born June 1, 1864, in Godrich.

William S. Trowbridge for ten years, 1889 to 1899, had charge of the gardens at the summer home of Hon. Don M. Dickinson in Trenton, Mich. Since 1899 he has been a motorman on the Brush street line of the Detroit United railway in Detroit, Mich.

## NO CHILDREN.

**914.** MOODIE BELL TROWBRIDGE (*Almond C.*<sup>672</sup>, *Job*<sup>361</sup>, *Abner*<sup>197</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 11, 1874, in Ewart, Mich.; resides in Detroit, Mich.; married October 4, 1899, in Cleveland, Ohio, Elbe Caroline Walter, daughter of Louis and Catharine (Wolff) Walter, born November 1, 1875, in Cleveland.

Moodie B. Trowbridge passed through the grammar and high schools of Ewart, Mich., and at the age of sixteen years left home and went to Detroit, Mich., to learn the jeweler's trade. He is proprietor of a jewelry store in the Wayne Hotel Building in that city.

## NO CHILDREN.

**914a.** CHARLES WESLEY TROWBRIDGE (*Augustus B.*<sup>673</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>302</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 17, 1853, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; died December 16, 1893, in Morristown, N. J.; married

\* Name so altered from Kruchenburg by her grandfather when he came from Prussia.

———, 187—, in Chester, N. J., Sarah Jane Skellenger, daughter of Charles W. and Nancy (———) Skellenger, born in Morris county, N. J. She resides in Los Angeles, Cal.\*

Charles W. Trowbridge was a carpenter. While following his trade, he fell from a building on which he was working in June, 1893, and died from the effects of injuries he then received, while a patient at the hospital in Morristown, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MT. FREEDOM, N. J. :\*

- i. CORA MAY, b. ———, 187—; m. Frank W. Smith and resides in Los Angeles, Cal.
- ii. NINA REBECCA, b. ———, 187—.
- 995a. iii. FRANK HODGSON, b. Sept. 3, 1881.
- iv. CHARLES WESLEY, b. ———, 188—; is an insurance agent in Los Angeles; unm.
- v. GEORGE OLIVER, b. ———, 188—; d. in childhood.

**914b.** JOHN LEWIS TROWBRIDGE (*Alvah A.*<sup>674</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>363</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 7, 1843, in Dover, N. J.; resides in Jersey City, N. J.; married November 24, 1868, in Washington, N. J., Almira Carter, daughter of William and Jane (Mowder) Carter, born November 24, 1850, in Washington.

John L. Trowbridge is a clerk in the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company at Piers 27-9, North river. He resides in Jersey City, N. J.

## CHILDREN :†

- i. FLORENCE ESTELLE, b. Dec. 13, 1872; m. June 30, 1897, William Edward Bates and resides in Jersey City, N. J.
- 995b. ii. LLOYD LEWIS, b. June 18, 1875.
- iii. ALVAH ARVEN, b. Sept. 27, 1877; is in business in Jersey City; unm.
- iv. JOHN SPENCER, b. June 21, 1879; is in business in Jersey City; unm.

**914c.** CHARLES FIRMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Alvah A.*<sup>674</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>363</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 6, 1846, in Dover, N. J.; died April 13, 1894, in Dover; married November 1, 1871, in Dover, Rebecca Pragnell Dickerson, daughter of William Alfred and Jane Eliza (Pragnell) Dickerson, born May 7, 1848, in Dover. She resides in Dover.

Charles F. Trowbridge was a clerk in a general store in Dover, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DOVER, N. J. :

996. i. WHITFIELD DICKERSON, b. Sept. 28, 1873.
- ii. NELLIE VAIL, b. June 14, 1876.
- iii. CHARLES FIRMAN, b. July 2, 1880.

**915.** CHARLES HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Charles T.*<sup>676</sup>, *Elijah F.*<sup>364</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 5, 1872, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; resides in Minneapolis, Minn.; married November 24, 1898, in Minneapolis, Myrtella Whitsell, daughter of William Meck and Sophia (Petrie) Whitsell, born October 18, 1872, in Steubenville, Ohio.

Charles H. Trowbridge began his education in the public schools of Brooklyn, N. Y., and after the removal of his family in 1882 to Minneapolis, Minn., continued in the public schools of that city and prepared for the Minneapolis high school. In the spring of 1886 he was apprenticed to the mason's trade and served a three years' apprenticeship in that city. One term at the high school in the winter of 1888-89, one term in the Minneapolis Academy in the winter of 1889-90, and a seven months' course at a commercial college comprises the remainder of

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† i born in Washington, N. J.; ii in Port Oram, N. J.; iii-iv in Jersey City, N. J.

his educational advantages. He is at present in business as a building superintendent. He joined the Methodist Church in October, 1888, and continued a member until April, 1896, when he left and joined the Congregational Church of which he is now a member.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.:

- i. HORACE JEROME, b. Aug. 24, 1903.
- ii. MARION KATHERINE, b. May 26, 1905.

**916.** WILLIAM ELMER FORD\* (*Francis G.*<sup>677</sup>, *Elijah F.*<sup>364</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 14, 1868, in Newark, N. J.; resides in Carthage, Mo.; married December 22, 1892, in Carthage, Wilma Elizabeth Cunningham, daughter of George P. and Wilma E. (Neely) Cunningham, born January 29, 1873, in Carthage.

William E. Ford is manager of the Ford Mining & Milling Company in Carthage, Mo. He also acts occasionally as a consulting engineer and is an inventor of several machines used in concentrating metaliferous ores.

## [Ford] CHILDREN BORN IN CARTHAGE, MO.:

- i. WILMA ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 18, 1894.
- ii. JANET GRACE,            | twins,
- iii. CATHERINE LAURA,    | b. Aug. 16, 1895.
- iv. GEORGE EDWIN, b. July 8, 1897; d. June 24, 1898.
- v. WARREN ARTHUR, b. Sept. 30, 1899.
- vi. MARY, b. Nov. 30, 1900.
- vii. MARGUERITE, b. Nov. 12, 1901.
- viii. HELEN, b. Nov. 5, 1902; d. Aug. 12, 1903.
- ix. ROBERT NEWTON, b. Mar. 25, 1905.

**917.** ALFRED MUCHMORE TROWBRIDGE (*John A.*<sup>678</sup>, *Elijah F.*<sup>364</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 29, 1868, in Chatham, N. J.; resides in Chatham; married April 8, 1896, in Chatham, Edna May Ferris, daughter of Ezra Floyd and Marianna (Gardinor) Ferris, born April 18, 1871, in Chatham.

Alfred M. Trowbridge resides in his native place, Chatham, N. J., where he has been successfully carrying on a general contracting and building business for the past twelve years.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CHATHAM, N. J.:

- i. JOHN HOWARD, b. Apr. 22, 1897.
- ii. ALFRED FERRIS, b. Jan. 2, 1899.
- iii. PHILIP NEWTON, b. Oct. 7, 1900.
- iv. HELEN FLOYD, b. Sept. 20, 1902.
- v. MARGRETT GARDINOR, b. Dec. 11, 1903.
- vi. HERBERT DOUGLAS, b. Feb. 3, 1905.
- vii. EDNA MAY, b. Apr. 27, 1907.

**917a.** FRANK LUM TROWBRIDGE (*John A.*<sup>678</sup>, *Elijah F.*<sup>364</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 2, 1870, in Chatham, N. J.; resides in Chatham; married October 23, 1895, in Chatham, Phebe Edith Atteridge, daughter of Stockton Halsted and Phebe Elizabeth (Earl) Atteridge, born October 20, 1872, in Rahway, N. J.

Frank L. Trowbridge is a general hardware dealer in Chatham, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CHATHAM, N. J.:

- i. EARL LUM, b. Aug. 27, 1896.
- ii. RAYMOND, b. Nov. 29, 1901.

\* His name was changed from Trowbridge to Ford. See top of page 385.

**918.** FRED AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*John T.*<sup>650</sup>, *David*<sup>365</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>108</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 12, 1870, in Morristown, N. J.; resides in Morristown; married October 7, 1897, in Boonton, N. J., Nellie Augusta Salmon, daughter of Hon. Joshua S.\* and Deborah Virginia (Emmons) Salmon, born July 25, 1872, in Boonton.

Fred A. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Boonton, N. J. He received his education in the public schools of that town and from his father, who had for many years taught school himself. At the age of eighteen, on April 19, 1888, he left home to make his own way in life and went to Newark, N. J., where he worked as an apprentice at the carpenter's trade until July 16, at which time he came to Morristown, N. J., and completed his trade with an uncle, George A. Mills, a contractor and builder. He did not, however, care to follow his trade, and left Morristown August 18, 1891, going to New York City to engage in business. He started first in the clothing business and then changed to the wholesale paper business. He was then for five years in the sporting goods business on Broadway. On July 1, 1899, he located in Morristown, N. J., where he is proprietor of the F. A. Trowbridge Co., inc., jobbers and dealers in sportsmen's goods, automobiles and supplies, etc., with a store, office and garage on South street.

Mr. Trowbridge served five years in the Gatling Gun Company, a separate company of the New Jersey National Guard, organized at Orange, N. J., in April, 1895. This company offered its services during the Spanish-American War, but could not be accepted, as it was not called out by the State of New Jersey.

CHILDREN BORN IN MORRISTOWN, N. J.:

- i. MARION AUGUSTA, b. Jan. 10, 1901.
- ii. ROBERT SALMON, b. Jan. 1, 1903.

**918a.** WILLIAM DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Lewis*<sup>681</sup>, *Eliphalet*<sup>366</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>109</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 2, 1859, in Brandon, Ohio; died August 8, 1907, in Chesterville, Ohio; married Emma Laycox. She resides in Chesterville.†

William D. Trowbridge was engaged in farming in Chesterville, Ohio.

CHILD BORN IN CHESTERVILLE, OHIO:

- i. ALPHA.

**919.** CHARLES DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*David K.*<sup>983</sup>, *Eliphalet*<sup>366</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>109</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 1, 1863, in Utica, Ohio; resides in Indianapolis, Ind.; married, first, September 2, 1886, in Mt. Gilead, Ohio, Mary Elizabeth Coleman, daughter of William and Anna Maria (Rollinson) Coleman, born December 28, 1865, in Mt. Gilead. He married, second, January 1, 1907, Isabel Ellis Smith, daughter of Charles S. and Kathryn W. (Mann) Smith, born in Portsmouth, Ohio.

Charles D. Trowbridge at the age of eighteen started on the road as a salesman. He was so employed for many years, being a successful salesman, and always commanding a good salary. Some years ago he established himself in business in Indianapolis, Ind., as the C. D. Trowbridge Coal Co., miners and shippers, wholesale coal and coke. He is now recognized as a prominent factor in the Indiana coal trade, and is one of the best known and most liked coal men in Indianapolis.

\* Initial only.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

In wholesale circles Mr. Trowbridge has established an enviable reputation by his conscientious efforts to please his customers. In the spring of 1907 he organized the Traction Coal Company of Indianapolis, with a capital stock of \$100,000, of which he is president and general manager. The company is designed to include a merger of the retail coal companies of Indianapolis, and has already purchased the mining property of the Sullivan County Coal Company, west of Dugger, Ind. Coal men say that the merger is to be an important one, will give the southern Indiana mines a better outlet, and will give Indianapolis a more certain supply. It is declared that the new combine also will reduce the price of coal in Indianapolis.

Mr. Trowbridge some months ago entered the retail field, organizing the Bugbee Coal Company. In the comparatively short time he has been the guiding spirit of this enterprise he has established for it an enviable reputation for prompt deliveries, full weight and satisfactory service. He has conveniently located offices in the Traction Terminal Building.

Mr. Trowbridge has been for three years and is at present secretary of the Sodaville Tonopah Mining Company, capitalized for \$5,000,000. He is also one of the directors of this company. He is also secretary of the American Coal and Mining Company, an Indiana corporation, capitalized for \$100,000, which was organized by him three years ago. In November, 1907, he organized the Rex Peanut Company, of which he is secretary, a corporation capitalized for \$10,000.

Mr. Trowbridge is an active member of the Marion Club and also the Commercial Club of Indianapolis. As an up-to-date business man, he stands, in fact, very high in the estimation of the people of Indianapolis. He takes a very active part in St. Paul's Episcopal Church, the leading Episcopal church of that city.

## NO CHILDREN.

**920.** ELIPHALET AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*Eliphalet A.*<sup>684</sup>, *Eliphalet*<sup>366</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 29, 1862, in Appleton, Ohio; resides in Fredericktown, Ohio; married September 29, 1888, in Mt. Gilead, Ohio, Mary Elizabeth Stilley, daughter of Sampson and Hester (McCracken) Stilley, born April 15, 1869, in Chesterville, Ohio.

E. Augustus Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Fredericktown, Ohio.

## CHILDREN :

- i. MURRAY STILLEY, b. Apr. 29, 1890, in Chesterville, Ohio.
- ii. ESTHER ANN, b. Feb. 15, 1894, in Centerburg, Ohio.
- iii. GLEN SYLVESTER, b. May 23, 1903, in Chesterville.

**920a.** ERNEST CLARK TROWBRIDGE (*Eliphalet A.*<sup>684</sup>, *Eliphalet*<sup>366</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 1, 1869, in Utica, Ohio; resides in Chesterville, Ohio; married December 24, 1889, in Chesterville, Jennie Smith.\*

Ernest C. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Chesterville, Ohio.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CHESTERVILLE, OHIO :

- i. HAZEL, b. ———, 189—.
- ii. RUTH MAY, b. ———, 189—.

**921.** GEORGE SMOOTS TROWBRIDGE (*Charles S.*<sup>685</sup>, *Eliphalet*<sup>366</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 20, 1866, in Utica, Ohio; resides in Utica; married December 22, 1893, in Utica, Ida May Fry, daughter of Henry and Elizabeth (Elbert) Fry, born July 17, 1873, in Illinois.

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

George S. Trowbridge attended the grammar and high schools in his native town. He learned the carpenter's trade from his father and worked at it with him until the latter's death. Since then he has been in business for himself in Utica, Ohio. He is a member of the Utica Lodge of the Knights of Pythias.

## CHILDREN BORN IN UTICA, OHIO:

- i. RALPH LEON, b. Apr. 7, 1895.
- ii. GEORGE SMOOTS, b. July 11, 1896.
- iii. MARY RODGERS, b. May 2, 1898.

**922.** LEVI JARRARD TROWBRIDGE (*John J.*<sup>687</sup>, *David*<sup>367</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 22, 1858, in Center Grove, N. J.; died February 4, 1895, in Millbrook, N. J.; married January 12, 1881, in Millbrook, Georgianna Smith, daughter of Charles F. and Margaret (Lyon) Smith, born February 14, 1862, in Pigeon Hill, N. J. She resides in Dover, N. J.

Levi J. Trowbridge was engaged in farming all of his life.

## CHILDREN:

- i. FREDERICK, b. Mar. 25, 1882, in Center Grove, N. J.
- ii. CARRIE, b. Apr. 19, 1883, in Dover, N. J.
- iii. HATTIE, b. Mar. 14, 1885, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.
- iv. JOHN JABEZ, b. Feb. 20, 1889, in Millbrook, N. J.
- v. ELLA, b. Apr. 13, 1891, in Millbrook.

**922a.** JAMES DALRYMPLE TROWBRIDGE (*John J.*<sup>687</sup>, *David*<sup>367</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 20, 1861, in Center Grove, N. J.; died August 26, 1902, in Dover, N. J.; married March 22, 1883, in Franklyn, N. J., Mary Ayres, daughter of William and Phoebe (Smith) Ayres, born February 21, 1862, in Franklyn. She resides in Dover.

James D. Trowbridge was a farmer in Dover, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DOVER, N. J.:

- i. EDITH MARIA, b. Dec. 28, 1883.
- ii. WILLIAM KENNETH, b. Feb. 26, 1885.
- iii. HATTIE MAY, b. May 10, 1886.
- iv. GEORGE AYRES, b. Sept. 6, 1887.
- v. JAMES ARTHUR, b. Feb. 10, 1900.

**923.** CHARLES AUSTIN TROWBRIDGE (*David A.*<sup>689</sup>, *David*<sup>367</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 30, 1852, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; died August 29, 1906, in Rockaway, N. J.; married November 29, 1879, in Dover, N. J., Mrs. Delia Gillen. She resides in Morristown, N. J.\*

Charles A. Trowbridge was a farmer.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. JOSEPH.
  - ii. MAMIE.
  - iii. LETTIE.
  - iv. WINN.
  - v. CHARLES.
  - vi. MATILDA.
  - vii. GERTRUDE.
- And five more.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† Names furnished by a sister of their father.

**923a.** WILLIAM FRANCIS TROWBRIDGE (*David A.*<sup>689</sup>, *David*<sup>367</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 6, 1856, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; resides in Millbrook, N. J.; married August 20, 1882, in ———, N. J., Annie M. Southard.\*

William F. Trowbridge is a farmer in Millbrook, N. J.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. MAHLON, b. ———, 188—; d.
- ii. HARRY, b. ———, 188—; d.
- iii. ELLWOOD, b. Dec. 20, 1889.
- iv. WILLIAM, b. ———, 189—; d.
- v. MYRTLE, b. ———, 189—.
- vi. ROBERT, b. ———, 189—.
- vii. EDWARD, b. ———, 189—.
- viii. MINNIE, b. ———, 189—.
- ix. WALTER, b. ———, 190—.

**923b.** BRYANT TROWBRIDGE (*David A.*<sup>689</sup>, *David*<sup>367</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 29, 1863, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; resides in Morristown, N. J.; married February 1, 1888, in ———, N. J., Minnie Moore.

Bryant Trowbridge is a railroad baggage master and lives in Morristown, N. J.‡

**923c.** GEORGE WHITFIELD TROWBRIDGE (*David A.*<sup>689</sup>, *David*<sup>367</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 14, 1868, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; resides in Chatham, N. J.; married June 26, 1895, in Harrison, N. J., Rachel Ann Sandford, daughter of Napoleon Bonaparte and Sarah Eveline (Van Ripper) Sandford, born November 3, 1875, in Harrison.

George W. Trowbridge is a carpenter and is in business in Chatham, N. J.

## CHILDREN:

- i. IRVING NAPOLEON, b. Mar. 22, 1898, in Summit, N. J.
- ii. HELEN MAY, b. June 4, 1900, in Summit.
- iii. MABEL EVELINE, b. Mar. 26, 1903, in Madison, N. J.
- iv. RALPH AUSTIN, b. June 6, 1904, in Madison.
- v. LAURA COE, b. Aug. 16, 1905, in West Livingston, N. J.

**923d.** DAVID JARRARD TROWBRIDGE (*David A.*<sup>689</sup>, *David*<sup>367</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 11, 1875, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; resides in Littleton (Morris Plains P. O.), N. J.; married April 18, 1897, in Mt. Freedom, Maud Bertha Smith, daughter of Warren and Mary Jane (Fables) Smith, born July 11, 1879, in Whippany, N. J.

David J. Trowbridge is a carriage painter. He lives in Littleton, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LITTLETON, N. J.:

- i. GILBERT, b. Jan. —, 1899.
- ii. MABEL, b. ———, 1901.

**924.** LEWIS HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*John L.*<sup>691</sup>, *John*<sup>368</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 15, 1856, in Elizabeth, N. J.; resides in Newark, N. J.; married December 23, 1878, in Elizabeth, Sarah Keziah Jones, daughter of John David and Sophia (Hudson) Jones, born October 12, 1861, in New York City.

Lewis H. Trowbridge is proprietor of the Bayview Hotel in Waverly, Newark, N. J.

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† Names furnished by a sister of their father.

‡ He failed to answer the compiler's letters. They have had children.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ELIZABETH, N. J. :

- i. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Oct. 31, 1879.
- ii. LEWIS HENRY, b. Mar. 28, 1882.

**925.** FRANCIS AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*Henry A.*<sup>692</sup>, *John*<sup>368</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>199</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 19, 1869, in Elizabeth, N. J.; resides in Elizabeth; married November 13, 1891, in Elizabeth, Sarah Ann Davis, daughter of John Thomas and Margaret (Peterkin) Davis, born April 14, 1873, in Jersey City, N. J.

Francis A. Trowbridge is a carpenter and resides in Elizabeth, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ELIZABETH, N. J. :

- i. HENRY ARTHUR, b. Feb. 13, 1893; d. Feb. 5, 1894.
- ii. NETTIE MAY, b. Jan. 8, 1895; d. Dec. 20, 1895.
- iii. FRANCIS AUGUSTUS, b. Jan. 6, 1897.
- iv. JOHN THOMAS, b. Mar. 12, 1899.
- v. ROBERT LESLIE, b. Aug. 11, 1901.
- vi. HENRY ARTHUR, b. Nov. 19, 1902.

**926.** CHARLES IRA TROWBRIDGE (*James McG.*<sup>603</sup>, *Samuel G.*<sup>370</sup>, *David*<sup>200</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 24, 1860, in Kingwood, W. Va., resides in Kingwood; married March 14, 1895, in Kingwood, Jessie Effie Blaney, daughter of Samuel and Sarah Marinda (Dean) Blaney, born October 12, 1873, in Morgantown, W. Va.

Charles I. Trowbridge is a miller. He resides in Kingwood, W. Va., his native place. He enlisted April 28, 1890, in the U. S. army and was discharged July 18, 1892. He is a member of the I. O. O. F. and the Modern Woodmen of America.

## CHILDREN :

- i. MAMIE PEARL, b. June 5, 1896, in Kingwood, W. Va.
- ii. RUTH WHITE, b. Jan. 1, 1898, in Kingwood.
- iii. LLOYD WARDEN, b. Oct. 8, 1899, in Grafton, W. Va.

**927.** JOSEPH MADISON TROWBRIDGE (*James McG.*<sup>693</sup>, *Samuel G.*<sup>370</sup>, *David*<sup>200</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 11, 1865, in Kingwood, W. Va.; resides in Redondo, Cal.; married August 30, 1892, in Clarksburg, W. Va., Zonie Elizabeth (Farnsworth\*) Holyfield, widow of Clark H. Holyfield of Easton, W. Va., and daughter of Leonard Simon Stont and Catharine (Padget) Farnsworth, born September 29, 1858, in Buckhannon, W. Va.

Joseph M. Trowbridge is a carpenter in Redondo, Cal., having recently removed there from Buckhannon, W. Va.

## CHILD BORN IN BUCKHANNON, W. VA. :

- i. MADISON ELLSWORTH, b. May 4, 1899.

**928.** DAVID SYLVESTER TROWBRIDGE (*David B.*<sup>694</sup>, *Samuel G.*<sup>370</sup>, *David*<sup>200</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 29, 1875, in Cherokee Nation; resides in Caney (Niotaze P. O.), Kan.; married December 25, 1897, in Caney, Edith Neoma Holeman, daughter of William Riley and Margarette Jane (Campbell) Holeman, born March 4, 1882, in Xenia, Kan.; died July 19, 1899, in Caney.

David S. Trowbridge came with his parents to Caney, Kan., where he is engaged in farming. He is a member of the Missionary Baptist Church and of J. J. Stone Camp, No. 251, Sons of Veterans, Division of Kansas.

## CHILD BORN IN CANEY, KAN. :

- i. SYLVESTER E.,† b. July 14, 1899; d. Mar. 16, 1900.

\* A sister of the husband of No. 693, ix.

† Initial only.



**929.** ALBERT TROWBRIDGE (*David B.*<sup>604</sup>, *Samuel G.*<sup>370</sup>, *David*<sup>200</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 29, 1879, in Grafton, W. Va.; resides in Cushing, Okla.; married July 4, 1900, in Hart, Mo., Barbara Ellen Luke, daughter of Solomon and Margaret (Donaldson) Luke, born September 20, 1879, in Palestine, Ill.

Albert Trowbridge came with his parents to Caney, Kan. At the age of sixteen years he became a cowboy, continuing in that occupation four years. He then took up detective work in Missouri and later was for five years engaged in farming there. He then removed to Cushing, Okla., and is successfully running a transfer in that town.

## CHILDREN :

- i. ZADA PEARL, b. Apr. 2, 1901, in Hart, Mo.
- ii. HARRY ALBERT, b. Jan. 24, 1904, in Cushing, Okla.

**930.** WALTER JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Jesse M.*<sup>697</sup>, *David L.*<sup>372</sup>, *Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 23, 1856, in Iowa City, Iowa; resides in The Dalles, Ore.; married December 30, 1874, in Iowa City, Eva Welsh.\*

Walter Trowbridge "has held responsible positions in railroads in Oregon."†

## CHILDREN :

- i. ADDIE, b. Dec. 11, 1875.
- ii. LIBBIE, b. ———, 187—; d.
- iii. EARL VALENTINE, b. ———, 188—.

**931.** JAMES LANE TROWBRIDGE (*Jesse M.*<sup>697</sup>, *David L.*<sup>372</sup>, *Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 18, 1858, in Iowa City, Iowa; resides in Kansas City, Kan.; married January 1, 1888, in Kansas City, Lizzie Bernettie Brown, daughter of Andrew Wilson and Jane Jerusha (Clinton) Brown, born January 15, 1866, in Meadville, Pa.

James L. Trowbridge served three years, from 1880, in the Texas Rangers, and has a silver badge given him for meritorious conduct on the field. During the years 1884 and 1885 he was deputy U. S. marshal under General Carroll of the Western district of Arkansas. He was honorably discharged from both services. He was then for several years in partnership with his father in the carpenter and contracting business. In 1894 he came to Kansas City, Kan., where he has since resided and followed the trade of a carpenter.

## NO CHILDREN.

**932.** BENJAMIN DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel O.*<sup>698</sup>, *David L.*<sup>372</sup>, *Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 19, 1877, in Tama City, Iowa; died June 18, 1907, in Creston, Iowa; married June 25, 1899, in Carbon, Iowa, Adelia Clara Wheeler, daughter of Nathan and Adeline Clara (Parrott) Wheeler, born November 1, 1879, in Exira, Iowa. She resides in Kansas City, Mo.

Benjamin D. Trowbridge was interested with his father in coal lands in Carbon, Iowa, where they operated a shaft. After his father's death he sold out his coal mines and engaged in farming in Corning, Iowa. He died in the hospital in Creston, Iowa.

## CHILDREN :

- i. HOWARD ORRIN, b. Feb. 1, 1900, in Carbon, Iowa.
- ii. RUSSELL RAYMOND, b. Apr. 11, 1902, in Carbon.
- iii. GOLDIE MAY, b. Aug. 24, 1903, in Carbon.
- iv. ORIEL GLADYS, b. Jan. 5, 1905, in Corning, Iowa.
- v. GRACE ADELINE, b. July 3, 1907, in Corning.

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† By No. 931.

**933.** CHARLES WORTHINGTON TROWBRIDGE (*Leander M.*<sup>699</sup>, *Hannah*<sup>201, v</sup>, *Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 24, 1860, in Kingwood, W. Va.; resides in Cottonwood Falls, Kan.; married October 24, 1888, in Rice, Kan., Ella Russell.\*

Charles W. Trowbridge came West with his parents in 1870. He taught school several years and then was editor of a paper in Miltonvale, Kan. For the past fifteen years he has been a railway postal clerk, making the run between Cottonwood Falls, Kan., and Superior, Neb. He is a member of the Masons and Odd Fellows.

## NO CHILDREN.

**934.** SPENCER SHERIDAN TROWBRIDGE (*Leander M.*<sup>699</sup>, *Hannah*<sup>201, v</sup>, *Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 12, 1866, in Kingwood, W. Va.; resides in Broughton, Kan.; married March 25, 1890, in Meredith, Kan., Alta Coffin, daughter of Abner and Mary Jane (Noble) Coffin, born June 17, 1873, in Meredith; died October 24, 1895, in Broughton.

Spencer S. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Cloud county, Kan. He has been a farmer in Meredith, Kan., and Dover, Okla., and is at present following that occupation in Broughton, Kan.

## CHILDREN:

- i. MAUD, b. Aug. 25, 1891, in Meredith, Kan.
- ii. EDITII, b. May 14, 1893, in Meredith.
- iii. JESSIE, b. Apr. 1, 1894, in Dover, Okla.

**935.** JOHN FRANKLIN TROWBRIDGE (*Leander M.*<sup>699</sup>, *Hannah*<sup>201, v</sup>, *Jesse*<sup>201</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 1, 1867, in Kingwood, W. Va.; resides in Belleville, Kan.; married March 21, 1894, in Belleville, Melissa Ann Edgecombe, daughter of Samuel and Nancy Ann (Parker) Edgecombe, born September 9, 1873, in Pt. Stanley, Canada.

John F. Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to Kansas. He received a good education. He is at present engaged in farming and stock raising, which has been his chief occupation through life. He has lived in Concordia, Clay Centre and Broughton, Kan., removing in February, 1906, from the latter place to a farm six miles from Belleville, Kan., where he resides at present.

Mr. Trowbridge was elected clerk of Grant township in November, 1899, on the Republican ticket. He has been a member of the Modern Woodmen of America since September 18, 1899.

## CHILDREN:

- i. IVA MILDRED, b. Dec. 10, 1894, in Concordia, Kan.
- ii. MYRTLE VIOLA, b. Apr. 16, 1896, in Clay Centre, Kan.
- iii. ALLEN CHESTER, b. Dec. 8, 1897, in Clay Centre.
- iv. HAROLD FRANKLIN, b. June 18, 1899, in Clay Centre.
- v. HAZEL MELISSA, b. Nov. 7, 1904, in Broughton, Kan.

**936.** PETER BOWEN TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac A.*<sup>703</sup>, *Bowen G.*<sup>376</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 11, 1873, in Union Furnace, Ohio; resides in La Follette, Tenn.; married June 21, 1903, in Forkvale, Tenn., Hettie Alice Ridenour, daughter of Harvey George and Mary Catherine (Durham) Ridenour, born March 19, 1886, in Agee, Tenn.

Peter B. Trowbridge came with his father to Agee, Tenn. He remained there after his marriage and was engaged in farming until January 28, 1906. He was

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

then for a year employed as a stationary boiler fireman at Briceville, Tenn. He then removed to La Follette, Tenn., his present residence, where he is engaged in coal mining. He and his wife are members of the Union Baptist Church.

## CHILDREN :

- i. CLARENCE GUY, b. Jan. 31, 1905, in Agee, Tenn.
- ii. CONDA LEE, b. Sept. 27, 1906, in Briceville, Tenn.

**937.** CHARLES FRANCIS TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac A.*<sup>703</sup>, *Bowen G.*<sup>376</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 13, 1875, in Union Furnace, Ohio; resides in Agee, Tenn.; married January 7, 1902, in Logan, Ohio, Marguerite Cramblit, daughter of Lewis Carpenter and Margaret Isabelle (Duffee) Cramblit, born July 23, 1882, in Union Furnace.

Charles F. Trowbridge is engaged in farming near his father in Agee, Campbell county, Tenn.

## CHILDREN :

- i. EARL KENNETH, b. May 14, 1903, in Elk Valley, Tenn.
- ii. EDITH LUELLA, b. Apr. 12, 1905, in Turley, Tenn.
- iii. GLADYS LETTIA, b. Dec. 16, 1906, in Agee, Tenn.

**938.** HOMER MAURICE TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac A.*<sup>703</sup>, *Bowen G.*<sup>376</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 9, 1881, in Union Furnace, Ohio; resides in Fork Ridge, Tenn.; married January 28, 1906, in Fork Ridge, Flora Kunz, daughter of Henry and Tacy Idella (Jones) Kunz, born February 2, 1886, in Coshocton, Ohio.

Homer M. Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to Tennessee. He is now engaged in coal mining in Fork Ridge, Tenn.

## NO CHILDREN.

**939.** THOMAS BENTON TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel N.*<sup>704</sup>, *Bowen G.*<sup>376</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 12, 1874, in Union Furnace, Ohio; resides in Union Furnace; married July 16, 1892, in Logan, Ohio, Ava Biekle,\* daughter of Lewis and Sarah Jane (McCornick) Biekle, born March 7, 1875, in Union Furnace.

Thomas B. Trowbridge is employed in the brick manufacturing business in Union Furnace, Ohio.

## CHILD BORN IN UNION FURNACE, OHIO :

- i. GERTRUDE, b. Jan. 23, 1895.

**940.** ROBERT HOWARD TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel N.*<sup>704</sup>, *Bowen G.*<sup>376</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 28, 1873, in Union Furnace, Ohio; resides in Union Furnace; married June 14, 1893, in Covington, Ky., Lillie Collins, daughter of George and Elizabeth (Barstow) Collins, born November 14, 1873, in Union Furnace.

Robert H. Trowbridge is employed in brick making in Union Furnace, Ohio.

## CHILD BORN IN UNION FURNACE, OHIO :

- i. HOWARD CECIL, b. Dec. 25, 1894.

**941.** THEODORE JENNISON TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel N.*<sup>704</sup>, *Bowen G.*<sup>376</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 2, 1875, in Union Furnace, Ohio; resides in Union Furnace; married

\* A sister of the wife of his uncle No. 706.

April 15, 1897, in Honey Fork Creek, Ohio, Margaret Ann Noble, daughter of James and Jemima Ellen (Lantz) Noble, born January 20, 1874, in Islesborough, Ohio.

Theodore J. Trowbridge is employed in brick making in Union Furnace, Ohio.

CHILD BORN IN UNION FURNACE, OHIO:

- i. ETHEL LUCILE, b. Apr. 12, 1898.
- ii. CHARLES WILLIS, b. Aug. 1, 1899.

**942.** CHARLES REESE TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel R.*<sup>707</sup>, *Reese*<sup>377</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 15, 1873, in Mattoon, Ill.; resides in Indianapolis, Ind.; married July 28, 1897, in Indianapolis, Aura Evalyn Starnes, daughter of Lewis and Emma (Edwards) Starnes, born April 21, 1876, in Hillsboro, Ind.

Charles R. Trowbridge spent the early part of his life in Terre Haute, Ind., where he was educated in the public schools. Later he read law and for a few years practiced his profession. He then with Col. George B. Lockwood, secretary to Vice-president Fairbanks, established the Terre Haute *Daily Tribune* and was its editor for several years. When Samuel E. Morse, proprietor of the Indianapolis *Sentinel*, was sent to Paris, France, as consul general under President Cleveland, Mr. Trowbridge removed to the Indiana capital and assumed the editorship of that paper. He was only twenty-four years old at the time and was considered the youngest editor of a big metropolitan daily in the central states. He remained with the *Sentinel* until W. R. Hearst founded the Chicago *American and Examiner*, when he located in that city as one of the editors. Under considerable pressure he bought the Danville, Ill., *Daily Press*, and while he was its editor and publisher for many years, he never left Chicago until a few years ago when he organized a syndicate and took over the Kokomo *Daily News* and several other morning papers. He is now the general manager of the organization with headquarters at Indianapolis.

NO CHILDREN.

**943.** FRANK EMMET TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel R.*<sup>707</sup>, *Reese*<sup>377</sup>, *Samuel R.*<sup>202</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>138</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 29, 1874, in New York City; resides in Indianapolis, Ind.; married October 2, 1899, in Indianapolis, Mairee Elizabeth Coffin, daughter of Abraham Pitinger and Mary Josephine (Ray) Coffin, born June 18, 1874, in Scranton, Pa.

Frank E. Trowbridge at an early age took to the stage and traveled with several dramatic companies as leading man. A short time ago he settled in Indianapolis as one of the superintendents of the Traction and Terminal Company.

NO CHILDREN.

**944.** JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>718</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 13, 1835, near Salem, Ind.; resides in Stanberry, Mo.; married September 22, 1864, in Crothersville, Ind., Mary Ann Catharine Barringer,\* daughter of Daniel and Rebecca Ann (Lovier) Barringer, born December 20, 1840, in Louisville, Ky.

Joseph Trowbridge was brought at the age of five years by his parents to a farm near Tappico, Jackson county, Ind., where he grew to manhood and learned the carpenter's trade. When the Civil War broke out he enlisted July 11, 1861, "for three years or during the war" in Company B, 22d Indiana Infantry,

\* A sister of the husband of his sister No. 718, v.

organized at North Madison, Ind. The regiment was on duty at St. Louis, Jefferson City and on the North Missouri railroad until January 24, 1862, when it marched south in the direction of Springfield, Mo., where General Priece was quartered. It fought his rear guard down to Pea Ridge, Ark., a distance of 125 miles, where they were engaged in battle, the Union forces coming out victorious. From there the regiment was transferred to Pittsburgh Landing on the Tennessee river, where the enemy soon after evacuated their strong fortifications at Corinth, Miss., and fled south. From there the regiment went to Eastport and crossed the Tennessee river to Florence, Ala., and from there north after the enemy toward Louisville, Ky. He participated with his regiment in the battle of Perryville and the three days' battle of Stone's River (Murfreesboro, Tenn.). He remained in the fortifications there until August 25, 1864, when he was honorably discharged at Louisville, Ky.

After leaving the army, he returned to his home in Indiana and resumed the carpenter's trade, which he has followed up to the present time. He was married the month after he left the army and removed to Maryville, Mo., and in 1878 to Barnard, Mo. He later removed to Stanberry, Mo., where he has lived for over thirty years.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MARYVILLE, MO. :\*

- i. ALMON ALBERT, b. Oct. 19, 1868; d. Aug. 11, 1870.
- ii. FLORA ANN, b. Mar. 5, 1870; m., 1st, July 4, 1886, Charles Morris Roper of Gallatin, Mo.; m., 2d, June 6, 1907, James Nicholas Barry and resides in Kansas City, Mo.
- iii. NETTIE REBECCA, b. Mar. 9, 1878; m. Apr. 4, 1906, Artie Bernley Duke and resides in Kansas City.
- iv. HARRY DANIEL, b. Oct. 15, 1879; is a carpenter in Stanberry, Mo.; unm.

**945.** FRANCIS MARION TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>718</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 16, 1837, near Salem, Ind.; died January 8, 1904, in Crothersville, Ind.; married, first, Mary Ann Bell, who died a few years after her marriage,† He married, second, March 3, 1866, in Crothersville?, Mary Jane Brown, daughter of Andrew and Susan (Little) Brown. She resides in Crothersville.

Francis M. Trowbridge was brought by his parents to Jackson county, Ind., and from the time of his marriage until his death was engaged in farming near Crothersville in that county.

## CHILDREN BORN IN JACKSON COUNTY, IND. :

*By second marriage:*

- i. PELINA ELLEN, b. Oct. 19, 1867.
- ii. SARAH ANN, b. Jan. 30, 1869.
- iii. IRVIN ELLIS, b. Jan. 19, 1871.
- iv. AMANDA ELIZABETH, b. Apr. 21, 1873.
- v. CATHARINE MARGARET, b. Oct. 1, 1875; m. May 17, 1896, Robert Morton Cartwright and resides in Crothersville, Ind.
- vi. ROSELLA BELL, b. May 25, 1878.
- vii. ORA MAY, b. Dec. 14, 1880.
- viii. FRANCIS MEADE, b. Aug. 22, 1883.
- ix. DAVID HARLAND, b. Nov. 17, 1886.

**946.** WILLIAM WALTER TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>718</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 9, 1850, in Tampico, Ind.; resides in Westerville, Iowa; married September 18, 1870, in Tampico, Maryette Bohall, daughter of William and Mary Ann (Morgan) Bohall, born October 30, 1850, in Tampico.

\*Except iv, who was born in Barnard, Mo.

†She had three children who died in infancy.

William W. Trowbridge received a common school education in Tampico, Ind. He has always been engaged in farming. After his marriage he lived in Tampico until 1875, when he removed to a farm one and one-half miles from the village of Westerville, Iowa, where he has since resided. He united at the age of eighteen with the Baptist Church and has been a faithful member of it ever since.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. WILLIAM LEROY, b. June 12, 1871; d. June 2, 1887, in Westerville, Iowa.
- ii. DAVID ALMOND, b. Aug. 9, 1872; d. Nov. 29, 1876, in Westerville.
- iii. ANNIE ROSALIE, b. Feb. 5, 1874; d. Aug. 27, 1875, in Tampico, Ind.
- iv. ELNORA, b. Feb. 18, 1876; m. Aug. 26, 1891, George W. Arnold and resides in Mt. Ayr, Iowa.
- v. LAURA MAE, b. May 27, 1878; m. July 13, 1896, James A. Bartholow and resides in Grand River, Iowa.
- vi. JOSEPH ALVA, b. Sept. 30, 1889.

**947.** GEORGE WASHINGTON TROWBRIDGE (*James W.<sup>719</sup>, Joseph<sup>388</sup>, David<sup>206</sup>, David<sup>139</sup>, David<sup>114</sup>, Joseph<sup>105</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born March 23, 1842, in Canton, Ind.; died December 11, 1900, in Kurtz, Ind.; married December 14, 1866, in Brownstown, Ind., Rebecca Elizabeth Western, daughter of Joseph Western, born October 2, 1850, in Salem, Ind.; died September 24, 1897, in Brownstown.

George W. Trowbridge was brought by his parents to Jackson county, Ind. He followed the occupation of farming, except the years passed as a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted in the army for three years and was mustered June 14, 1862, in Company G, 54th Indiana Infantry, and was mustered out at the expiration of his term of service. He re-enlisted for one year and was mustered January 26, 1865, in Company C, 145th Indiana Infantry, and was mustered out January 21, 1866.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BROWNSTOWN, IND.:

- i. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 4, 1868; d. Sept. 27, 1870.
- ii. ASHER W., b. Sept. 21, 1870; is a farmer in Vallonia, Ind.†
- iii. KITTE LEORIA, b. Sept. 23, 1872; m. Aug. 12, 1892, Rev. Lemmon Franklin Robold and resides in Indianapolis, Ind.
997. iv. JAMES WALKER, b. May 25, 1875.
- v. CARLTON LEONARD, b. May 2, 1877; is a farmer in Shattuck, Okla.†
- vi. HARRY, b. Apr. 26, 1881.
- vii. DAVID L., b. ———, 188—; resides in Urbana, Ill.; unm.†
- viii. CHARLES, b. Sept. 29, 1888; is a florist in Martinsville, Ind.; unm.
- ix. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. June 25, 1891; resides in Knightstown, Ind.; unm.

**948.** DAVID GILFINCHY TROWBRIDGE (*James W.<sup>719</sup>, Joseph<sup>388</sup>, David<sup>206</sup>, David<sup>139</sup>, David<sup>114</sup>, Joseph<sup>105</sup>, William<sup>100</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>*), born November 19, 1845, near Tampico, Ind.; resides in LeRoy, Ill.; married August 1, 1869, in Vallonia, Ind., Ann Eliza Dilleno, daughter of William Boyd and Jane (Gregory) Dilleno, born February 13, 1852, in Jackson county, Ky.

David G. Trowbridge at the age of eighteen enlisted in the army during the Civil War. He was enrolled May 1, 1864, in Company D, 137th Indiana Infantry, "for 100 days," and was discharged September 2, 1864.

He has been engaged in farming since the war. He settled after his marriage in Vallonia, Ind., and lived there over twenty years. He then removed to Danvers, Ill., and from there in August, 1902, to LeRoy, Ill., where he lives at present. He and his wife are members of the Christian Church, having joined it in Vallonia, Ind.

\* i-iii born in Tampico, Ind.; iv-vi in Westerville, Iowa.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

## CHILDREN BORN IN VALLONIA, IND.:

998. i. EDWIN ARCHIBALD, b. July 29, 1870.  
 ii. A son, b. Jan. 10, 1873; d. Jan. 23, 1873.  
 998a. iii. FRANK BURRELL, b. Nov. 8, 1876.  
 iv. WILLIAM, b. Mar. 14, 1881; d. Mar. 9, 1882.  
 v. HARRISON WASKOM, b. Feb. 7, 1883.

**949.** LEVI EMMETT TROWBRIDGE (*James W.*<sup>719</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 7, 1856, in Brownstown, Ind.; resides in Brownstown; married December 25, 1896, in Brownstown, Mary Butoff, daughter of William and Lucinda (Harris) Butoff, born August 12, 1865, in Kossuth, Ind.

Levi E. Trowbridge is a carpenter in his native place, Brownstown, Ind.

## NO CHILDREN.

**950.** ISAAC FRANKLIN TROWBRIDGE (*Dillard*<sup>720</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 9, 1849, in Brownstown, Ind.; resides in Rosalia, Kan.; married ———, 1866, in Wayne county, Iowa, Sarah Speck.

Isaac F. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Rosalia, Butler county, Kan.\*

**951.** JEROME ELBRIDGE TROWBRIDGE (*Dillard*<sup>720</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 24, 1851, in Brownstown, Ind.; resides in Armourdale, Kan.; married May 14, 1869, in Rockland county, Ill., Ruth Emma McClellen, daughter of Uriah and Isabel (Mahan) McClellen, born October 30, 1851, in Jackson county, Ind.

Jerome E. Trowbridge is a contractor of grading and building rock and sand in Armourdale, Kan. He is a member of the I. O. O. F.

## CHILDREN:

- i. DILLARD URIAH, b. Oct. 28, 1870, in Warsaw, Iowa; d. Jan. 5, 1872.  
 999. ii. DAVID WARREN, b. Nov. 18, 1872, in Xenia, Mo.  
 iii. CELESTIA JANE, b. Oct. 24, 1874, in Pickering, Mo.; d. Aug. 9, 1875.  
 iv. MARY MELINDA, b. Aug. 8, 1876, in Guide Rock, Neb.; m. July 3, 1893, Leonard Foster and resides in Armourdale, Kan.  
 v. CYNTHIA ADELIA, b. Sept. 22, 1878, in Smith Centre, Kan.; m. Apr. 16, 1896, Edward Miller and resides in Sheffield, Mo.  
 vi. WALTER, b. Apr. 7, 1881, in Red Cloud, Neb.; resides in Kansas City, Kan.; unm.†  
 vii. MYRTLE ANNA, b. Sept. 21, 1883, in Clearmont, Mo.; m. Oct. 12, 1901, Charles Arthur Colvin and resides in Argentine, Kan.  
 viii. OSCAR, b. July 6, 1887, in Gaylord, Kan.; resides in Kansas City, Kan.; unm.†  
 ix. LYDIA BELLE, b. Apr. 21, 1890, in Basehor, Kan.

**952.** WILLIAM LEVI TROWBRIDGE (*Dillard*<sup>720</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 30, 1856, in Edgar county, Ill.; died July 25, 1906, in Argentine, Kan.; married ———, 1877, in Webster county, Neb., Phoebe Jane Smith.

William L. Trowbridge was a farmer near Argentine, Kan.\*

**953.** ALBERT PRINCE TROWBRIDGE (*Dillard*<sup>720</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 23, 1861, near Warsaw, Iowa; resides in Argentine, Kan.; married June 8, 1879, in Nelson, Neb.,

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† He is with the Stewart & Peck Sand Company of Kansas City, Mo.

Sophronia Jane Foster, daughter of James and Elizabeth (Hudson) Foster, born July 15, 1855, in Frankfort, Kan.; died September 6, 1896, in Argentine.

Albert P. Trowbridge is a mechanic. He lives at present in Argentine, Kan.

## CHILDREN:

- i. DILLARD, b. Aug. 18, 1882, in St. Joseph, Mo.
- ii. HARRY, b. Jan. 24, 1885, in Gaylord, Kan.; d. Apr. 24, 1885.
- iii. JAMES LAID, b. Jan. 22, 1886, in Gaylord.
- iv. FRANCIS MARION, b. Dec. 25, 1889, in Argentine, Kan.; d. Sept. 20, 1891.
- v. MARY, b. Mar. 30, 1892, in Wilder, Kan.; d. Feb. 15, 1897.
- vi. INIE, b. Sept. 26, 1895, in Kansas City, Mo.

**954.** EMORY ELLSWORTH TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>721</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 1, 1862, in Tampico, Ind.; resides in Kansas City, Kan.; married July 2, 1885, in Hooker, Ind., Emma Eliza Martin, daughter of James Hiter and Susan (Mitchell) Martin, born January 9, 1859, in Washington county, Ind.

Emory E. Trowbridge located in Kansas City, Kan., in 1891. With John I. Standish he formed the firm of Standish & Trowbridge, live stock commission merchants. Later he disposed of his interest to Mr. Standish, and from 1902 to 1907 was cashier for the Meinrath Brokerage Co. In 1907 he became identified with J. T. McClanahan, M.D., of Boonville, Mo., in the promotion and development of extensive mining interests in Gilpin county, Colo. Mr. Trowbridge was elected secretary of the Dollar Savings, Gold Mining and Milling Company, and also the New Empire Gold Mining Company, with the understanding that the management of the business interests of these large corporations will be in his hands, with headquarters at Idaho Springs, Colo.

Mr. Trowbridge resides on Garfield avenue, in Kansas City, Kan., which has been his home for fifteen years. He was elected a member of the board of education of Kansas City, Kan., in 1898 for a term of three years. He is a member of the Edgerton Place Baptist Church and the director of the Edgerton Place choir. His wife is a member of the Christian Science Church.

## CHILD BORN IN BLUE MOUND, KAN.:

- i. HARRY MARTIN, b. Aug. 20, 1888; was graduated from the Kansas City, Kan., high school in 1906 and is a student at Kansas State University.

**955.** THOMAS LINDSEY TROWBRIDGE (*Allen H.*<sup>722</sup>, *Dempsey*<sup>389</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 23, 1852, in Rutland, Ill.; resides in Blue Hill, Neb.; married, first, March 11, 1874, in Norwalk, Ohio, Gertrude Adeline Burr, daughter of Rev. Frank and Sarah Emeline (Baker) Burr, born June 18, 1854, in Torrington, Conn.; died April 8, 1889, in Blue Hill. He married, second, November 2, 1892, in Blue Hill, Esther Virginia Martin, daughter of Jotham and Rebecca (Clegg) Martin, born January 3, 1859, in Beeler's Station, Marshall county, W. Va.

Thomas L. Trowbridge went to the district school in his native township and from 1868 to 1870 attended the Rutland high school, his parents having in the former year moved into the village. He then spent two years at Eureka College, Eureka, Ill., from which institution he was graduated in 1872. That year his parents and their children moved back onto the old farm near Rutland. He was married two years later and moved to a farm west of Rutland, where he was engaged in farming and teaching school until March, 1883, when he moved to Eureka, Ill. He taught the West School in Eureka during the school year of 1883-4. In the fall of 1884 he came to Blue Hill, Neb., where he engaged in the



grain business, in which he has since continued. Mrs. Trowbridge attended the Conservatory of Music of Eureka College, receiving her diploma in June, 1885.

## NO CHILDREN.

**956.** DR. DEMPSTY LEROY TROWBRIDGE (*Demptsy II.*<sup>724</sup>, *Dempsey*<sup>389</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 14, 1872, in Lincoln, Ill.; resides in Denver, Colo.; married December 25, 1895, in Juniata, Neb., Anna Barbara Gripe, daughter of John W.\* and Mary (Butterbaugh) Gripe, born May 17, 1876, in Warsaw, Ind.

Dempsty L. Trowbridge was graduated from Drake University Commercial School, Des Moines, Iowa, in 1894 and from the Eclectic Medical School, Lincoln, Neb., with the degree of M.D. in 1898. He then practiced in Cowles, Neb., and Atchison, Kan. He made up his mind to combine the practice of medicine and pharmacy, and came in the fall of 1899 to Kansas City, Mo., to study for the Ph.G. degree in the Kansas City College of Pharmacy and National Science. He took a six months' course in that institution and then entered the Highland Park College of Pharmacy, Des Moines, Iowa, where he received the degree of Ph.G. in the fall of 1900. Since then he has been combining medical and pharmacy work. He was in practice in Missouri until the latter part of 1907, when he located in Denver, Colo., his present residence.

## CHILD BORN IN HASTINGS, NEB.:

- i. DURA PAULINE, b. Dec. 3, 1897; d. Mar. 2, 1898.

**957.** LINDSEY SIMPSON TROWBRIDGE (*David K.*<sup>726</sup>, *Linzey*<sup>390</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 31, 1870, in Terre Haute, Mo.; resides in Newport, Wash.; married February 25, 1900, in Garfield, Wash., Mary Ellen Hammer, daughter of John and Esther (Young) Hammer, born February 5, 1878, in Whitesborough, Tex.

Lindsey S. Trowbridge lived in his birthplace until he was thirteen years of age and then went with his mother and step-father to Texas, remaining there a year and a half. He was then for three years in Arkansas and then came to Garfield, Wash. He has since lived there and in Newport, Wash., his present residence. His occupation is diversified farming and poultry raising.

## CHILD BORN IN GARFIELD, WASH.:

- i. LEROY BENTON, b. Jan. 4, 1901; d. Feb. 26, 1901.

**958.** LEROY ELBERT TROWBRIDGE (*David K.*<sup>726</sup>, *Linzey*<sup>390</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 22, 1875, in Terre Haute, Mo.; resides in Opportunity, Wash.; married November 9, 1904, in Colfax, Wash., Effie Lee (Ewell) Williams, widow of James Monroe Williams of Garfield, Wash., and daughter of P. D. and Mary Jane (Quarles) Ewell, born October 13, 1881, in Nevada, Mo.

Leroy E. Trowbridge accompanied the members of his family to Texas and later to Garfield, Wash. He is a paper hanger by trade, but at the present time is engaged in farming in Opportunity, near Spokane, Wash. He united with the Christian Church in Garfield in 1898 and joined the Knights of Pythias in 1901.

## CHILD BORN IN GARFIELD, WASH.:

- i. VERDA VIOLA, b. July 3, 1905.

\* Initial only.

**959.** JOSEPH MELFORD TROWBRIDGE (*Franklin H.*<sup>727</sup>, *Linzey*<sup>390</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 18, 1878, in Terre Haute, Mo.; resides in Rosalia, Wash.; married October 26, 1904, in Rosalia, Annie Viola Turnley, daughter of William Fletcher and Susan (Kelley) Turnley, born October 16, 1886, in Oakland, Ala.; died March 11, 1907, in Rosalia.

Joseph M. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Chico, Tex., and came with his mother to Garfield, Wash. He is a clerk in a hardware and implement store in Rosalia, Wash.

## CHILD BORN IN ROSALIA, WASH.:

- i. MILDRED MARGUERITE, b. Dec. 31, 1905.

**960.** EDWARD SYLVESTER TROWBRIDGE (*Robert W.*<sup>728</sup>, *David*<sup>201</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 25, 1873, in Henry county, Iowa; resides in Ottumwa, Iowa; married ———, 1893, in Ottumwa, Mary Jane Turner, daughter of James Henry and Sarah Louisa (Simmons) Turner, born ———, 1877, in Keokuk county, Iowa.

Edward S. Trowbridge is a painter by trade. He lives in Ottumwa, Iowa, his residence for several years past.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FAIRFIELD, IOWA:

- i. LUCILE YOLANDE, b. May 29, 1894.
- ii. HAROLD, b. Apr. 6, 1897; d. that day.
- iii. ROBERT SYLVESTER, b. July 1, 1898.

**960a.** IRA OTIS TROWBRIDGE (*Newton C.*<sup>728a</sup>, *David*<sup>201</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 14, 1881, in Jackson county, Ind.; resides in Jackson county (Crothersville P. O.), Ind.; married October 26, 1905, in Scottsburgh, Ind., Carrie Blanche Warman, daughter of James Augustus and Rebecca Olive (Haun) Warman, born November 8, 1886, near Crothersville in Vernon township.

Ira O. Trowbridge lives on a farm in his native place, Grassy Fork township, near Tampico, Jackson county, Ind. He is a farmer and photographer.

## CHILD BORN IN JACKSON COUNTY, IND.:

- i. CLARA AVENELL, b. July 2, 1906.

**960b.** THOMAS MARSHALL TROWBRIDGE (*John W.*<sup>731d</sup>, *William L.*<sup>391a</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 18, 1876, in Morgan county, Ind.; resides in Carthage, Mo.; married December 9, 1899, in Oronogo, Mo., Fatima Dilender, born June 9, 1884, in Oronogo.

Thomas M. Trowbridge came when eight years old with his parents to Carthage, Mo., and is employed there as a miner and engineer in the lead and zinc mines. He served in the Spanish-American War in Company A, 2d Missouri Infantry.

## CHILD BORN IN CARTHAGE, MO.:

- i. JOHN LEONARD, b. Aug. 6, 1901.

**960c.** OTTO TROWBRIDGE (*John W.*<sup>731d</sup>, *William L.*<sup>391a</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 20, 1881, in Prairie Grove, Ark.; resides in Carthage, Mo.; married July 27, 1904, in Carthage, Dora Reno, daughter of Louis P. and Elizabeth (Atchley) Reno, born April 25, 1883, in Carthage.

Otto Trowbridge was brought in childhood by his parents to Carthage, Mo. He is a stationary engineer in the lead and zinc mines in that place.

## NO CHILDREN.

**961.** WILLIAM EMANUEL TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>735</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>392</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 28, 1872, in Palmyra, Ind.; resides in Palmyra; married May 30, 1897, in Hancock county, Ind., Sarah Ann Lehmanowskey, daughter of Martin and Susan (Herrel) Lehmanowskey, born November 14, 1874, in Palmyra.

William E. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in his native place, Palmyra, Ind.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PALMYRA, IND.:

- i. JOHN EARL, b. Sept. 5, 1898.
- ii. MARY MARTHA ANN, b. Feb. 16, 1900.
- iii. WILBUR, b. Jan. 17, 1902.
- iv. MARTIN, b. Jan. 20, 1904.
- v. FRANKLIN, b. Apr. 6, 1906.

**962.** AMOS TRAVIS TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>735</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>392</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 28, 1873, in Palmyra, Ind.; resides in Palmyra; married February 17, 1901, in Palmyra, Mary Elizabeth Keehn, daughter of John and Anna Margaret (Stoltz) Keehn, born September 26, 1879, in Morgan township, Ind.

Amos T. Trowbridge is a farmer in Palmyra, Ind., his native place.

## NO CHILDREN.

**963.** CHARLES DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>735</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>392</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 28, 1877, in Palmyra, Ind.; resides in Palmyra; married November 20, 1898, in Blue River, Ind., Nellipha Jane Voyles, daughter of Irven and Louisa Ann (Burrell) Voyles, born November 28, 1883, in Blue River.

Charles D. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Hancock, Ind.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PALMYRA, IND.:

- i. ADA BELL, b. June 9, 1899.
- ii. OLIVE, b. ———, 189—.

**963a.** ISAAC LARKIN TROWBRIDGE (*Jonathan D.*<sup>735a</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>392a</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 31, 1856, in Pendleton county, Ky.; resides in Covington, Ky.; married September 12, 1880, in Pendleton county, Joan E. Adams, daughter of Thomas D. and Lucretia (Adams) Adams, born November 1, 1863, in Pendleton county.

Isaac L. Trowbridge is a house carpenter by occupation and resides in Covington, Ky.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. ALEXANDER, b. Dec. 6, 1881; resides in Portland, Ky.
- ii. THOMAS WILLIAM, b. Apr. 9, 1884; is a furniture finisher in Rushville, Ind.
- iii. MAUDE ANN, b. Apr. 21, 1890.
- iv. CORA MAY, b. Aug. 10, 1892.
- v. MARY ALMEDA, b. Feb. 13, 1902.

**963b.** WILLIAM HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Jonathan D.*<sup>735a</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>392a</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 14, 1866, in Pendleton county, Ky.; resides in Duvall, Ky.; married, first, October 20, 1886, in Pendleton county, Martha Race, who died November —, 1888, in Pendleton county. He married, second, September —, 1890, in Scott county, Ky., Bertha Jane Simpson, daughter of William and Elizabeth (———) Simpson.†

William H. Trowbridge is engaged in farming near Duvall, Scott county, Ky.

\* i born in Pendleton county, Ky.; ii in Covington, Ky.; iii-iv in Georgetown, Ky.; v in Dry Ridge, Ky.

† Failed to make his record complete.

## CHILD BORN IN PENDLETON COUNTY, KY.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. CLARENCE RICHARD, b. ———, 1887.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SCOTT COUNTY, KY.:

*By second marriage:*

- ii. EDITH FRANCES, b. May 10, 1892.  
 iii. EVERT LEE, b. Feb. 26, 1896.  
 iv. LULA BERTHA, b. Aug. 16, 1899.  
 v. WILLIAM, b. Mar. 4, 1901.

**963c.** JAMES HARRISON TROWBRIDGE (*Jonathan D.*<sup>735a</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>392a</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 4, 1874, in Pendleton county, Ky.; resides in Duvall, Ky.; married September —, 1896, in Scott county, Ky.. Ellen McKinney.\*

James H. Trowbridge is farming near Duvall, Scott county, Ky.

## CHILD BORN IN SCOTT COUNTY, KY.:

- i. NETTIE MAY, b. ———, 1898.

**963d.** ALBERT LUTHER TROWBRIDGE (*Jonathan D.*<sup>735a</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>392a</sup>, *Jonathan*<sup>207</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 10, 1876, in Pendleton county, Ky.; resides in Scott county (Paynes Depot P. O.), Ky.; married November 9, 1898, in Versailles, Ky.. Nannie Bell Stewart, daughter of David and Lucy (Hamilton) Stewart, born December 18, 1878, in Falmouth, Ky.

Albert L. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Paynes Depot, Scott county, Ky.

## NO CHILDREN.

**963e.** FRANCIS ADKINS TROWBRIDGE (*Gordon*<sup>737</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>395</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 15, 1886, in Clay county, Ill.; resides in Noble, Ill.; married June 3, 1906, near Bogota, Jasper county, Ill.. Bertha Worthey, daughter of Elijah and Sarah Ann (Gipps) Worthey, born October 31, 1886, in Jasper county.

Francis A. Trowbridge is a farmer by occupation. He lives in Clay county, near Noble, Ill.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLAY COUNTY, ILL.:

- i. GAINAL, b. Mar. 3, 1907.  
 ii. LAWRENCE EDWARD, b. Feb. 17, 1908.

**964.** JOHN ALEXANDER TROWBRIDGE (*George M.*<sup>739</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>396</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 9, 1866, in Washington county, Ky.; resides in Washington, Ind.; married December 20, 1886, in Daviess county, Ind.. Jane Ann Cranch, daughter of William and Dorothy (Brown) Cranch, born August 27, 1868, in Daviess county.

John A. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Indiana. He is a coal miner in Washington, Ind.

## NO CHILDREN.

**965.** JOSEPH LUTHER TROWBRIDGE (*George M.*<sup>739</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>396</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 24, 1869, in Lawrence county, Ind.; resides in Washington, Ind.; married December 24, 1890, in Washington. Lizzie May,† daughter of Henry and Mary (Konkler) May, born July 17, 1870, in Dubois county, Ind.

Joseph L. Trowbridge is a coal miner in Washington, Ind.

\* Failed to make his record complete.

† A sister of the wife of his brother No. 966.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WASHINGTON, IND.:

- i. BESSIE ETHEL, b. Nov. 23, 1892.
- ii. WILLIAM EARL, b. Aug. 5, 1895.
- iii. PEARL AGNES, b. Sept. 12, 1897.
- iv. OLLEY LINTON, b. July 19, 1900.

**966.** GEORGE PARKER TROWBRIDGE (*George M.*<sup>739</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>396</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>130</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 14, 1871, in Lawrence county, Ind.; resides in Washington, Ind.; married December 7, 1896, in Washington. Belle May,\* daughter of Henry and Mary (Konkler) May, born September 1, 1881, in Washington.

George P. Trowbridge is a coal miner in Washington, Ind.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WASHINGTON, IND.:

- i. OTTO, b. Oct. 17, 1897.
- ii. DOVE JOSEPHINE, b. Feb. 15, 1900.

**967.** WILLIAM ALEXANDER TROWBRIDGE (*John A.*<sup>740</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>396</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>130</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 19, 1860, near Harrodsburgh, Ky.; resides in Huron, Ind.; married November 8, 1884, in Georgia, Ind. Roselia Blevins,† daughter of Willoughby and Mary Ann (Bland) Blevins, born May 20, 1868, in Georgia.

William A. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Lawrence county, Ind. He settled after his marriage near Huron, in that county, where he has since resided. He is a farmer and dealer in lumber.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LAWRENCE COUNTY,† IND.:

- i. JOHN WILLOUGHBY, b. June 28, 1886.
- ii. MARY MAUD, b. Aug. 5, 1890.

**968.** JOSEPH MERRITT TROWBRIDGE (*John A.*<sup>740</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>396</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>130</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 24, 1864, near Harrodsburgh, Ky.; resides in Georgia, Ind.; married November 7, 1886, in Georgia. Sarah Florence Blevins,§ daughter of Willoughby and Mary Ann (Bland) Blevins, born September 3, 1866, in Georgia.

Joseph M. Trowbridge came as a child with his parents to Lawrence county, Ind. He is a farmer and a dealer in and contractor for timber. He resides in Georgia, Lawrence county, where he settled after his marriage. He held the office of postmaster there from October 11, 1893, to October 7, 1897.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GEORGIA, IND.:

- i. TERRY TILDEN, b. Aug. 11, 1887.
- ii. ESTELLA MAY, b. May 4, 1889.
- iii. CORA ETHEL, b. Sept. 11, 1891.

**969.** CHARLES HOLLMAN TROWBRIDGE (*John A.*<sup>740</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>396</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>208</sup>, *David*<sup>130</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 12, 1870, near Owensboro, Ky.; resides in West Baden, Ind.; married October 4, 1891, in Lawrence county, Ind., Rebecca Ann Wilson, daughter of Isaac and Nancy (Ball) Wilson, born February 16, 1871, in Huron, Ind.

\* A sister of the wife of his brother No. 965.

† A sister of the wife of his brother No. 968.

‡ i near Georgia; ii near Huron.

§ A sister of the wife of his brother No. 967.

Charles H. Trowbridge was brought in childhood by his parents to Lawrence county, Ind., where he grew up, settling after his marriage in the village of Georgia in that county. He later removed to the adjoining county, Orange, where he resides at present, his home being in West Baden. He is a manufacturer of and contractor for all kinds of lumber. He at present holds the office of trustee of Northwest township, Orange county, Ind.

## CHILD BORN IN GEORGIA, IND.:

- i. LURINDA RUTH, b. July 21, 1892.

**970.** JAMES WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Absalom*<sup>742</sup>, *James*<sup>398</sup>, *Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 13, 1849, in Center township, Rush county, Ind.; resides in Rush county (Mays P. O.), married, first, January 24, 1875, in Jackson township, Rush county, Sarah Hannah Gorman, daughter of John M. and Mary (Oldham) Gorman, born February 5, 1850, in Jackson; died August 2, 1890, in Center. He married, second, May 19, 1891, in Center, Hester Ann McDaniel, daughter of William and Leah (Oldham) McDaniel, born May 2, 1852, in Center.

James W. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in his native place in Rush county, Ind.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CENTER TOWNSHIP, RUSH COUNTY, IND.:

*By first marriage:\**

- 999a. i. ARTHUR JESSE, b. Feb. 24, 1876.
- 999b. ii. CHARLES MARSHALL, b. Jan. 13, 1878.
- iii. ESTELA MAUD, b. Feb. 27, 1879; m. Sept. 7, 1898, Merrie D. Leisure and resides in Farmerton, Ind.
- iv. HERBERT GORMAN, b. May 26, 1883.

**971.** JOHN DEMPSEY TROWBRIDGE (*Absalom*<sup>742</sup>, *James*<sup>398</sup>, *Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 17, 1854, in Greenfield, Ind.; resides in Summitville, Ind.; married September 18, 1878, in Greenfield, Cena Bridges, daughter of William and Hester (Johnson) Bridges, born April 2, 1862, in Center township, Rush county, Ind.

John D. Trowbridge is a tile maker and is engaged at his trade in Summitville, Ind.

## CHILDREN BORN IN KNIGHTSTOWN, IND.:

- i. MABEL, b. Mar. 18, 1881; m. May 8, 1899, Henry White of Knightstown.
- ii. FANNIE, b. Sept. 29, 1883.
- iii. TILLIE, b. Aug. 9, 1890.
- iv. RUTH, b. July 21, 1893.
- v. RUBY, b. Oct. 11, 1898.

**972.** ALBERT ELIHU TROWBRIDGE (*Absalom*<sup>742</sup>, *James*<sup>398</sup>, *Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 3, 1858, in Greenfield, Ind.; resides in Morristown, Ind.; married September 18, 1892, in Rush county, Ind., Lucy Thiekston, daughter of Isaac and Mary Ellen (Bass) Thiekston, born December 10, 1873, in Jennings county, Ind.

Albert E. Trowbridge has always been a farmer. He settled after his marriage in Rush county, Ind., removing in 1901 to Hancock county and recently to Shelby county, Ind., near Morristown.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CENTER TOWNSHIP, RUSH COUNTY, IND.:

- i. SYLVIA MAY, b. Nov. 26, 1893.
- ii. CLINTON BRYAN, b. Oct. 12, 1896.
- iii. ALICE GOLDIE, b. Apr. 12, 1899.

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\* No children by second marriage.

**973.** JOHN JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*William B.*<sup>743</sup>, *James*<sup>398</sup>, *Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 28, 1854, in Hancock county, Ind.; resides in Knightstown, Ind.; married October 22, 1876, in Rush county, Ind., Sarah Elizabeth Trowbridge (No. 400. i), daughter of John and Phebe (Cook) Trowbridge, born November 15, 1859, in Rush county; died January 8, 1890, in Hancock county.

John J. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Hancock county, near Knightstown, Ind.

## CHILDREN :

- i. CHESTER MANFORD, b. Apr. 20, 1878, in Rush county, Ind.
- ii. ARTHUR MANVEL, b. May 1, 1883, in Hancock county, Ind.
- iii. ASA OMA, b. Dec. 28, 1889, in Hancock county; d. Feb. 4, 1890.

**974.** LOUIS WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*James W.*<sup>746</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>399</sup>, *Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 7, 186-, in Rush county, Ind.; resides in Indianapolis, Ind.; married May 2, 1900, in Hancock county, Ind., Maud Ora Morgan, daughter of Simpson and Handy (Allison) Morgan, born October 8, 187-, in Hamilton county, Ind.

Louis W. Trowbridge is a laborer in Indianapolis, Ind.

## NO CHILDREN.

**975.** ALLISON COOK TROWBRIDGE (*John C.*<sup>747</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>399</sup>, *Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 23, 1868, in Rush county, Ind.; resides in Knightstown, Ind.; married December 6, 1893, in Rushville, Ind., Laura Coralinn DeLashmit, daughter of William and Adeline (Trevillion) DeLashmit, born May 26, 1868, in Rush county.

Allison C. Trowbridge is engaged in farming near Knightstown, Hancock county, Ind.

## NO CHILDREN.

**975a.** CHARLES G.\* TROWBRIDGE (*Asa H.*<sup>773</sup>, *Ferguson H.*<sup>447</sup>, *Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>109</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 14, 1881, in Crown City, Ohio; resides in Caledonia, Ohio; married Myrtle Brown.

Charles G. Trowbridge is a carpenter by trade and resides in Caledonia, Ohio. He has completed the required course in civil engineering at Valparaiso, Ind.

## NO CHILDREN.

**975b.** OLIVER OTIS TROWBRIDGE (*Asa H.*<sup>773</sup>, *Ferguson H.*<sup>447</sup>, *Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>109</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 9, 1883, in Crown City, Ohio; resides in Portsmouth, Ohio; married January 30, 1907, in Portsmouth, Minta Ouey Roberts, daughter of Newell G. and Elizabeth A. (Thompson) Roberts, born September 23, 1886, in Poplar Flat, Ky.

Oliver O. Trowbridge is a machinist, and is also connected with inventions and improvements along the lines of his trade. His home is in Portsmouth, Ohio.

## CHILD BORN IN PORTSMOUTH, OHIO :

- i. LILLIAN MARIE, b. Dec. 19, 1907.

**976.** CALVIN TROWBRIDGE (*Zebulon H.*<sup>774</sup>, *Ferguson H.*<sup>447</sup>, *Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>109</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 24, 1878, in St. Albans, W. Va.; resides in Coalburgh, W. Va.; married December 24, 1897, in Ironton, Ohio, Fannie Rutherford, daughter of George Hansford and Nicy (McCoy) Rutherford, born March 10, 1876, in Wayne county, W. Va.

\* Initial only. He failed to complete his family register.

Calvin Trowbridge is a mechanic by trade and for several years conducted a blacksmithing business in Spring Hill, W. Va. For the past five years he has been a locomotive engineer on the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad. He resides in Coalburgh, W. Va.

## CHILDREN :

- i. ROMAN RUTHERFORD, b. Nov. 5, 1898, in St. Albans, W. Va.
- ii. CLYDE ARNOLD, b. June 1, 1900, in Spring Hill, W. Va.
- iii. ZEBULON HANSFORD, b. Feb. 2, 1904, in Huntington, W. Va.; d. Dec. 1, 1906.
- iv. EMMA FRANCES, b. Feb. 22, 1906, in Huntington.

**977.** MALCROM TROWBRIDGE (*Zebulon H.*<sup>774</sup>, *Ferguson II.*<sup>447</sup>, *Jacob*<sup>245</sup>, *Levi*<sup>155</sup>, *Israel*<sup>120</sup>, *Isaac*<sup>109</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 30, 1881, in St. Albans, W. Va.; resides in Huntington, W. Va.; married July 19, 1903, in St. Albans, Norah Kate Samms, daughter of George W. and Margaret (Holland) Samms, born October 18, 1885, in St. Albans.

Malcrom Trowbridge is a conductor on the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad. He resides in Huntington, W. Va.

## NO CHILDREN.

**978.** STEPHEN ADDISON TROWBRIDGE (*Royal D.*<sup>778</sup>, *Charles D.*<sup>452</sup>, *Stephen B.*<sup>248</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 13, 1853, in Palmyra, Ohio; resides in Edinburg, Ohio; married May 25, 1886, in Ravenna, Ohio, Harriet Adelaide Byers, daughter of Frederick and Anna Mary (Reichard) Byers, born April 10, 1854, in Fredericksburgh, Ohio.

S. Addison Trowbridge was graduated from the commercial department of Mt. Union College in 1874 and commenced the scientific course, but his health failed at that time and he was obliged to return home. He overworked, and had to live in Georgia about a year for his health. He built a house down there, but sold it after he got better and moved to Ravenna, Ohio. After resting about three years in that place, he recovered his health and moved back to his farm in Edinburg. He was secretary and treasurer of a knitting mill in Demorest, Ga. He is now engaged in farming in Edinburg, Ohio.

## NO CHILDREN.

**979.** WALDO CORBETT TROWBRIDGE (*Arlemon R.*<sup>784</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>456</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>249</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 18, 1877, in Pipestone, Mich.; resides in Kalamazoo, Mich.; married August 17, 1903, in Sodus, Mich., Clara Louise Baringer, daughter of Joseph and Ellen Frances (Wagle) Baringer, born April 7, 1883, in Chicago, Ill.

Waldo C. Trowbridge is associated with his father in the Kalamazoo Tubular Well Company in Kalamazoo, Mich.

## CHILD BORN IN PIPESTONE, MICH.:

- i. MILDRED LOUISE, b. Apr. 7, 1905.

**980.** GEORGE SHERMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Charles S.*<sup>788</sup>, *Nelson D.*<sup>458</sup>, *A. Dayton*<sup>250</sup>?, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 4, 1858, in New Milford, Conn.; died July 16, 1900, in South Norwalk, Conn.; married October 24, 1877, in Brooklyn, N. Y., Mary Dora Hatfield, daughter of Spencer and Martha (Van Size) Hatfield, born May 8, 1859, in Jersey City, N. J.; died September 27, 1899, in South Norwalk.

George S. Trowbridge received an education in the public schools. He was associated with his father in the paper box manufacturing business in South Norwalk, Conn.



Mr. Trowbridge was a member of the South Norwalk city council in 1892, 1893 and 1897. He was a member of the Odd Fellows, Royal Arcanum, Red Men, the South Norwalk Club and the South Norwalk Volunteer Fire Department.

## CHILDREN :

- i. CHARLES SHERMAN, b. Dec. 17, 1878, in Brooklyn, N. Y.: is an assistant foreman in one of the departments of the Yale and Towne Manufacturing Company in Stamford, Conn.; unm.
- ii. CARRIE EDNA, b. June 1, 1881, in Brooklyn; unm.
- iii. NELLIE MABEL, b. Jan. 3, 1886, in South Norwalk, Conn.; unm.
- iv. ARTHUR MERWIN, b. Mar. 18, 1890, in South Norwalk; d. May 20, 1891.

**981.** DR. LLOYD DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*John F.*<sup>791</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>461</sup>, *Wheeler*<sup>251</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>156</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>121</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 16, 1875, in Bristol, Ohio; resides in Piqua, Ohio; married September 12, 1895, in Brownsville, Pa., Coral May Goe, daughter of Robert Smith and Hettie (Higginbotham) Goe, born May 13, 1874, in Tippecanoe, Pa.

Lloyd D. Trowbridge attended school in Warren, Ohio, going from there to Hiram College. He was graduated in 1897 with the degree of B.A., pursuing his studies there the following year and receiving the degree of M.A. He then entered the Cleveland College of Physicians and Surgeons, from which he was graduated with the degree of M.D. in 1899. He then was appointed on the staff of St. Alexis Hospital in Cleveland and held that position two years. In 1901 he located in Piqua, Ohio, where he has since been engaged in the practice of his profession.

## CHILDREN :

- i. DELLA LUCILE, b. Jan. 23, 1900, in Cleveland, Ohio.
- ii. CATHERINE GOE, b. July 11, 1903, in Piqua, Ohio.
- iii. ELIZABETH ESTHER, b. June 4, 1906, in Piqua.

**982.** HENRY MERWIN TROWBRIDGE (*Guythel B.*<sup>794</sup>, *Henry I.*<sup>465</sup>, *Thomas B.*<sup>253</sup>, *Matthew*<sup>157</sup>, ————<sup>122?</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 21, 1881, in Bridgeport, Conn.; resides in Weston (Westport P. O.), Conn.; married June 8, 1904, in Weston, Sadie Jane Beers, daughter of Howard and Lillie (Bedient) Beers, born July 3, 1887, in Weston.

Henry M. Trowbridge is a farmer and mason in Weston, Conn.

## CHILD BORN IN WESTON, CONN. :

- i. PANSY, b. Jan. 15, 1907.

**983.** GEORGE GRANT TROWBRIDGE (*Wesley*<sup>802</sup>, *Seymour*<sup>477</sup>, *Minor*<sup>261</sup>, *Seth*<sup>161</sup>, *James*<sup>123</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>110</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 25, 1864, in Brooklyn Village (Cleveland), Ohio; resides in Concord, Ohio; married May 11, 1893, in Sodus, N. Y., Mary E. McKinney, daughter of Johnson T. and Phebe A. (Case) McKinney, born May 9, 1861, in McHenry, Ill.

George G. Trowbridge is engaged in farming and fruit growing on his 40 acre farm on Johnny Cake Ridge in Concord, Lake county, near Painesville, Ohio. He and his wife are members of the Methodist Episcopal church.

## NO CHILDREN.

**984.** CALEB DEE TROWBRIDGE (*James L.*<sup>837</sup>, *Caleb D.*<sup>537</sup>, *Cyrenus*<sup>293</sup>, *Sereno*<sup>171</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>127</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>111</sup>, *James*<sup>103</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 20, 1875, in Andover, N. Y.; resides in Angelica, N. Y.; married June 1, 1897, in Angelica, Minnie Irene Halbert, daughter of Enos Marcellus and Emma Jane (Perry) Halbert,\* born January 3, 1873, in Almond, N. Y.

\* Mr. Halbert married, 2d, the mother of his son-in-law above.

Caleb D. Trowbridge is a section foreman on the Pittsburg, Shawmut and Northern railroad. He resides in Angelica, N. Y. He worked for the railroad at Birdsall, N. Y., as a trackman for three years before being advanced to his present position.

## CHILDREN :

- i. GLADYS PEARL, b. Sept. 5, 1901, in Alfred, N. Y.
- ii. CARL LA VERNE, b. Aug. 23, 1905, in Birdsall, N. Y.

**985.** DUDLEY SELDEN TROWBRIDGE (*William H.*<sup>851</sup>, *James H.*<sup>567</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>308</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 8, 1845, in Chester, N. Y.; resides in South Norwalk, Conn.; married, first, August 17, 1871, in Portland, Me., Clara Bomford Paine, daughter of John and Ruth Theodora (Bomford) Paine, born July 5, 1846, in Washington, D. C.; died August 6, 1886, in Greenwich, Conn. He married, second, December 10, 1887, in Scranton, Pa., Margaret Wilsey, daughter of William and Sophia (Mason) Wilsey, born May 18, 1863, in Windsor, N. Y.

Dudley S. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Stamford, Conn., where his father settled as a physician. He made his home in Greenwich, Conn., until the death of his first wife. After his second marriage he went to reside in Glenbrook, near Stamford, living there until 1904, when he removed to South Norwalk, Conn.

Mr. Trowbridge was for many years in business as a newspaper publisher, issuing the *Stamford Standard* every Saturday and the *Norwalk Express* every Friday. Since coming to South Norwalk to reside he has been engaged in the real estate business.

## CHILDREN :\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. KATE THEODORA, b. Apr. 25, 1873; m. Aug. 27, 1896, Ernest Smith and resides in Talcottville, Conn.
- ii. CLARA BOMFORD, b. Sept. 9, 1875; is a school teacher in Stamford, Conn.; unm.
- iii. THEODORE PAINE, b. Aug. 15, 1877; is a carpenter in Eastport, Md.
- iv. WILLIAM HALLAM, b. Oct. 27, 1879; d. Aug. 5, 1886.
- v. LILY LOUISA, b. Oct. 1, 1881; d. Aug. 2, 1886.
- vi. JAMES HUSTED, b. July 5, 1883; d. Aug. 6, 1886.
- vii. ALICE HUSLEY, b. Dec. 4, 1885; m. Sept. 4, 1905, Edwin W. Davids, Jr., and resides in New York City.

*By second marriage:*

- viii. FRANK ROWLAND, b. Apr. 17, 1880; is with his brother in Eastport, Md.; unm.
- ix. HAZEL MARQUETTE, b. Mar. 28, 1892.

**986.** WILBUR COUCH TROWBRIDGE (*James A.*<sup>852</sup>, *James H.*<sup>567</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>308</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 20, 1860, in Bethel, Conn.; resides in San Francisco, Cal.; married September 7, 1893, in San Francisco, Annie Parsons Cokayne, daughter of Thomas William and Harriet (Hazeldine) Cokayne, born January 24, 1864, in Warwickshire, England.

Wilbur C. Trowbridge lived in Bethel, Conn., his native place, until he was twelve years of age, when his mother removed with her sons to New Haven, Conn., to give them the benefit of the schools of that city, and he there obtained a good common school education. In 1884 he and his mother left New Haven, his brother having returned to Bethel, and located in Highlands, Macon county, N. C. He there purchased a saw and planing mill, which he conducted for five

\* i-vii born in Greenwich, Conn.; viii in Philadelphia, Pa.; ix in Stamford, Conn.

years. He then went to California, where he has followed the same business up to the present time. He resides in Mill Valley, a suburb of San Francisco.

Mr. Trowbridge joined City Lodge, No. 36, I. O. O. F., in 1882, while a resident of New Haven, in which he still retains his membership.

NO CHILDREN.

**987.** MYRON JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*James A.*<sup>832</sup>, *James H.*<sup>567</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>308</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 21, 1861, in Bethel, Conn.; resides in Bethel; married February 9, 1888, in Bethel, Harriet Amelia Gilbert, daughter of Henry and Mary Battison (Joyce) Gilbert, born July 9, 1861, in Bethel.

Myron J. Trowbridge came in boyhood to New Haven, Conn., where he was educated in the public schools. In 1879 he returned to his native place, Bethel, Conn., and learned the hatting trade, which he has since followed. He resides on the farm of his great-great-grandfather in Grassy Plain street in Bethel, on which six generations of the family have lived. His house, which he built in 1891, stands about 300 feet in the rear of the old house of his great-grandfather Jabez Trowbridge.

CHILDREN BORN IN BETHEL, CONN.:

- i. JAMES HENRY, b. Apr. 10, 1889.
- ii. CLARICE AMELIA, b. Mar. 19, 1891.
- iii. GEORGE MYRON, b. Mar. 5, 1894.
- iv. MARION GILBERT, b. Sept. 22, 1900.

**988.** CARL HOYT TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel H.*<sup>853</sup>, *Horace*<sup>570</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>308</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 24, 1874, in West Westminster, Vt.; resides in Brevard, N. C.; married June 27, 1905, in Palmyra, Mo., Emily Bond Lanius, daughter of Prof. James Andrew and Eleanor (Bird) Lanius, born March 19, 1876, in St. Louis, Mo.

Carl H. Trowbridge was brought up in the home of his parents in Glasgow, Mo. He was graduated with high honors from Pritchett College in that place in 1893 with the degree of A.B. The following year he taught a country school. From 1893-5 he was teacher of natural science in the Slater, Mo., high school. During the year 1895-6 he was principal of the graded school in Gilliam, Mo. He was then for three years in charge of the department of natural and physical sciences in Central Female College, Lexington, Mo., and during the summer of 1896 studied science at Chicago University. From 1900 until 1902 he was a student in Harvard University, receiving the degree of A.B. in 1901 and that of A.M. in 1902. In September, 1902, he began his work as instructor of chemistry in the manual training school of Washington University, St. Louis, Mo. He held this position until June, 1907, when he was appointed by the Woman's Board of Home Missions principal of their training school for boys and girls, known as Brevard Institute, at Brevard, N. C., with the duties of which position he is at present occupied.

NO CHILDREN.

**989.** LEROY GOODHUE TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel H.*<sup>853</sup>, *Horace*<sup>570</sup>, *Jabez*<sup>308</sup>, *James*<sup>180</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>132</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 17, 1877, in Glasgow, Mo.; resides in Chicago, Ill.; married October 19, 1904, in Glasgow, Eva Taylor Martyr, daughter of James R. and Willie Ann Agnes (Carter) Martyr, born March 23, 1879, in Glasgow.

Leroy G. Trowbridge attended Pritchett College in his native place until the close of the college year of 1894. The following August he went to Chicago, Ill.

to engage in business in the large produce commission office of A. H. Barber & Co., a maternal uncle being one of the firm. He entered as errand boy, and has been promoted from time to time until he is now one of the four bookkeepers employed by the firm.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of Plymouth Congregational Church, Chicago. He is also an active member of the Christian Endeavor Society and is quite largely engaged in city mission work during his spare hours.

## CHILD BORN IN CHICAGO, ILL.:

- i. EVELYN, b. Oct. 6, 1906.

**990.** WILLIAM HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Lyman A.*<sup>572</sup>, *Amasa T.*<sup>606</sup>, *Lyman*<sup>328</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 26, 1858, in Newark, N. J.; resides in Miles City, Mont.; married, first, January 25, 1883, in Miles City, Helen Anne Oleson, who died November 22, 1888, in Helena, Mont., aged 28. He married, second, December 24, 1889, in Helena, Emma Granville Shimp, daughter of John and Emma (Johnson) Shimp, born July 26, 1862, in Lewistown, Pa.

William H. Trowbridge was left an orphan when very young, and he and his sister were taken to be brought up by a sister of their mother, Mary Wade Dean, and her husband, William Morgan. He received a common school education and at the age of seventeen started to learn the printing trade in the job office of Ward & Titchener in Newark, N. J. He served an apprenticeship of three years, later working in New York, Washington and other large cities. He came to Miles City, Mont., in 1882 with John X. Davidson to start a paper, *The Press*, which was uphill work in that country, where soldiers, Indians and buffalo were the principal inhabitants. Shortly after his marriage the paper was sold and he left for Livingston, Mont., where he was on the staff of the *Enterprise*, just started, and where he remained for a few months. He then went to Helena, Mont., working on the *Herald* for five years, when with others he started a job printing office and the publication of the *Montana Mining Review*. In the spring of 1893 he sold his interest in the printing business and shortly afterward received a good offer to come back to Miles City and take charge of the *Yellowstone Journal* office, which position he held until 1903, when he organized the Independent Publishing Company, in which he is at present interested, being one of its directors and holding the position of treasurer and manager.

Mr. Trowbridge and his family are members of the Episcopal church in Miles City, of which he has been treasurer for the past twelve years.

## CHILD BORN IN HELENA, MONT.:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. GERTRUDE MAY, b. Oct. 22, 1885.

**991.** MELVIN CARPENTER TROWBRIDGE (*Theodore B.*<sup>573</sup>, *Amasa T.*<sup>606</sup>, *Lyman*<sup>328</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 17, 1863, in Sodus, N. Y.; resides in Sodus; married February 17, 1892, in Fairville, N. Y., Elizabeth Debrulia, daughter of Paul and Elizabeth (De Hunt) Debrulia, born December 18, 1870, in Wesber, Holland.

Melvin C. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Sodus, N. Y. He is a prosperous farmer and cultivates the large farm left him by his father.

## CHILD BORN IN SODUS, N. Y.:

- i. EARL DURFEE, b. Nov. 24, 1892.

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\* No children by second marriage.

**992.** CHARLES HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Chester M.*<sup>577</sup>, *Charles H.*<sup>607</sup>, *Lyman*<sup>328</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 29, 1870, in Conneaut, Ohio; resides in Bolivar, N. Y.; married July 2, 1891, in Bolivar, Katherine Elvira Cowles, daughter of Warren and Mary (Hendrakes) Cowles, born March 26, 1873, in Bolivar.

Charles H. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Bolivar, N. Y.

CHILD BORN IN FINDLAY, OHIO:

- i. CHESTER WARREN, b. Mar. 31, 1893.

**993.** WILLIAM HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Elmer S.*<sup>854</sup>, *Henry A.*<sup>612</sup>, *Augustus*<sup>329</sup>, *Oliver*<sup>187</sup>, *Seth*<sup>133</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>113</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>104</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 1, 1886, in Jackson township, Linn county, Mo.; resides in Linneus, Mo.; married February 3, 1907, in Linneus, Stella May Wilson, daughter of George W. and Mary Etta (Lemon) Wilson, born February 29, 1892, in Linneus.

William H. Trowbridge lost his mother when less than two years of age and was brought up by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas, near Meadville, Mo. He is now engaged in farming near Linneus, Mo.

NO CHILDREN.

**994.** EARL TROWBRIDGE (*Edward A.*<sup>904</sup>, *William A.*<sup>657</sup>, *Joseph B.*<sup>351</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 7, 1875, in Ottumwa, Iowa; resides in Ottumwa; married January 24, 1900, in Ottumwa, Clara Ropheen Rush, daughter of William Jackson and Mary (Shirley) Rush, born May 19, 1879, in Ottumwa.

Earl Trowbridge lives in his native place, Ottumwa, Iowa, and is a brakeman on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway.

CHILD BORN IN OTTUMWA, IOWA:

- i. MARY EMELINE, b. Dec. 7, 1900.

**994a.** EDWARD ALONZO TROWBRIDGE (*Edward A.*<sup>904</sup>, *William A.*<sup>657</sup>, *Joseph B.*<sup>351</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 1, 1877, in Ottumwa, Iowa; resides in Chicago, Ill.; married November 18, 1899, in Hyde Park, Ill., Anna Sophia Frieda Witt, daughter of Frederick and Frederica (Stuyvesant) Witt, born April 11, 1876, near Berlin, Germany.

Edward A. Trowbridge is employed in the yards of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway Company in Morgan Park, Chicago, Ill., and resides in that city.

During the Spanish-American War he enlisted May 18, 1898, in Company G, 50th Iowa Infantry, and was in camp with his regiment at Jacksonville, Fla., until November, 1898, when it was sent home to Des Moines and mustered out December 1, 1898.

NO CHILDREN.

**995.** CHARLES HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Walter A.*<sup>905</sup>, *William A.*<sup>657</sup>, *Joseph B.*<sup>351</sup>, *David*<sup>195</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>136</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 26, 1883, in Seven Mile, Ohio; resides in Middletown, Ohio; married November 22, 1902, in Hamilton, Ohio, Ruby Maud Smith, daughter of Wilson Burns and Anna (Patton) Smith, born June 13, 1883, in Seven Mile.

Charles H. Trowbridge after leaving school was employed by the Hamilton Outfitting Co., a retail furniture house of Hamilton, Ohio, from October, 1901, to August, 1903. That month he and his father and others formed a stock company known as the Strass Furniture Co., located in Middletown, Ohio, and in this company he holds the office of vice-president and position of manager. He joined Middletown Lodge, 257, B. P. O. Elks, on January 16, 1908.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MIDDLETOWN, OHIO:

- i. LOUIS SMITH, b. Aug. 25, 1903.
- ii. LOUISE, b. Oct. 10, 1904.

**995a.** FRANK HODGSON TROWBRIDGE (*Charles W.*<sup>914a</sup>, *Augustin B.*<sup>673</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>362</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 3, 1881, in Mt. Freedom, N. J.; resides in Los Angeles, Cal.; married April 10, 1907, in Los Angeles, Hilda Amelia Larson, daughter of Alexander and Maria (Olsen) Larson, born October 31, 1886, in New York City. Frank H. Trowbridge is a carpenter in Los Angeles, Cal.

## NO CHILDREN.

**995b.** LLOYD LEWIS TROWBRIDGE (*John L.*<sup>914b</sup>, *Alvah A.*<sup>674</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>363</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 18, 1875, in Port Oram, N. J.; resides in Jersey City, N. J.; married December 25, 1895, in Jersey City, Maud Cornelia Perry.\*

Lloyd L. Trowbridge is a plumber in Jersey City, N. J.

## CHILDREN BORN IN JERSEY CITY, N. J.:

- i. LLOYD SPENCER, b. Nov. 3, 1896.
- ii. FLORENCE PERRY, b. July 29, 1898.
- iii. HATTIE MAY, b. Feb. 14, 1900; d. June 30, 1900.

**996.** WHITFIELD DICKERSON TROWBRIDGE (*Charles F.*<sup>914c</sup>, *Alvah A.*<sup>674</sup>, *Stephen*<sup>363</sup>, *Augustin*<sup>198</sup>, *Shubael*<sup>137</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 28, 1873, in Dover, N. J.; resides in Dover; married August 24, 1899, in Kenvil, N. J., Julia Wilhelmina Strumpf, daughter of Conrad and Wilhelmina (Schedner) Strumpf, born September 4, 1870, in Kenvil.

Whitfield D. Trowbridge is in business in Dover, N. J.

## NO CHILDREN.

**997.** REV. JAMES WALKER TROWBRIDGE (*George W.*<sup>947</sup>, *James W.*<sup>719</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 25, 1875, in Brownstown, Ind.; resides in Otisco, Ind.; married December 25, 1899, in Vallonia, Ind., Vinnie Lillian Reinbold, daughter of George Washington and Almyra Matilda (Gray) Reinbold, born April 20, 1879, in Medora, Ind.

James W. Trowbridge was for ten years engaged in teaching and then entered the ministry. He is at present pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church in Otisco, Ind.

## CHILD BORN IN VALLONIA, IND.:

- i. BEULAH LOURENE, b. Dec. 11, 1900.

**998.** EDWIN ARCHIBALD TROWBRIDGE (*David G.*<sup>948</sup>, *James W.*<sup>719</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 29, 1870, in Vallonia, Ind.; resides in Decatur, Ill.; married October 7, 1893, in Vallonia, Mary Florence Phillips, daughter of James and Rowena Jane (Spurgeon) Phillips, born February 11, 1871, in Washington county, Ind.

Edwin A. Trowbridge is a printer. He has worked at his trade in Vallonia, Ind., and then in Carlock, Ill., six years. He went to LeRoy, Ill., in 1902 and was there until September, 1906. He was then for a few months in Pulaski, Ill., and then came to Decatur, Ill., where he lives at present.

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters. Register sent by his father.

CHILDREN BORN IN MCLEAN COUNTY, ILL. :\*  

- i. RAY ORVA, b. Aug. 6, 1894.
- ii. A son, b. June 19, 1896; d. Aug. 9, 1896.
- iii. OLGA FERN, b. July 18, 1897.
- iv. OLAF HAZEL, b. Aug. 23, 1899.

**998a.** FRANK BURRELL TROWBRIDGE (*David G.*<sup>948</sup>, *James W.*<sup>719</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 8, 1876, in Vallonia, Ind.; resides in Iroquois, S. D.; married April 27, 1901, in Bloomington, Ill., Minnie May Munden, daughter of Archibald and Fetna (Brewer) Munden, born March 9, 1875, in Vallonia.

Frank B. Trowbridge came with his parents to Danvers, Ill. He lived there until September, 1902, being in the employ of the Big Four Railroad Company, and then moved to LeRoy, Ill., where he lived and continued to work for the railroad until March 1, 1903. He then moved onto a farm where he lived until October, 1906, when he moved to Iroquois, S. D., and was manager of Hotel La Crescent until March, 1907, when the hotel firm was dissolved. He then purchased some lots there and built a home for himself, also securing a good position in the Fisher & Greer hardware store in Iroquois, which he at present holds.

NO CHILDREN.

**999.** DAVID WARREN TROWBRIDGE (*Jerome E.*<sup>951</sup>, *Dillard*<sup>720</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>388</sup>, *David*<sup>206</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 18, 1872, in Xenia, Mo.; resides in Armourdale, Kan.; married February 19, 1898, in Argentine, Kan., Rosa Lea Carr, daughter of Joseph and Xenia (Worls) Carr, born April 8, 1882, in Grinter, Kan.

David W. Trowbridge is in the employ of the Wyandotte Gas Company of Kansas City, Kan., in which he has been since 1905. He resides in Armourdale, Kan.

NO CHILDREN.

**999a.** ARTHUR JESSE TROWBRIDGE (*James W.*<sup>970</sup>, *Absalom*<sup>742</sup>, *James*<sup>398</sup>, *Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 24, 1876, in Center township, Rush county, Ind.; resides in Mays, Ind.; married December 28, 1898, in Rush county, Bertha Maud White, daughter of William Nelson and Amanda Jane (Gartin) White, born January 9, 1877, in Henry county, Ind.

Arthur J. Trowbridge is engaged in farming and stock raising near Mays, in Center township, Rush county, Ind. In 1900 he built a house on the home farm of his father and since then has purchased 40 acres of the same farm, where he now resides.

## CHILD BORN IN RUSH COUNTY, IND.:

- i. GRACE HELENA, b. Dec. 14, 1899.
- ii. JESSIE GARTIN, b. July 8, 1902.

**999b.** CHARLES MARSHALL TROWBRIDGE (*James W.*<sup>970</sup>, *Absalom*<sup>742</sup>, *James*<sup>398</sup>, *Silas*<sup>209</sup>, *David*<sup>139</sup>, *David*<sup>114</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>105</sup>, *William*<sup>100</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 13, 1878, in Center township, Rush county, Ind.; resides in Mays, Ind.; married May 17, 1899, in Jackson township, Rush county, Ruby Moore, daughter of James O.† and Lucy (Souder) Moore, born October 23, 1880, in Posey township, Rush county.

\* Except i, who was born in Jackson county, Ind.

† Initial only.

Charles M. Trowbridge attended the district schools and took a three years' course at the Carthage, Ind., high school. He has spent his life on a farm, except the winter of 1898-9 when he taught at Kennings schoolhouse in Jackson township, Rush county. He resides on his farm one mile west of Mays, Rush county, Ind. He united with the Christian church on November 23, 1901.

CHILD BORN IN MAYS, IND.:

- i. EARL MOORE, b. Oct. 24, 1906; d. that day.



# JAMES TROWBRIDGE

OF NEWTON, MASS.,

## AND HIS DESCENDANTS

1000. DEA. JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1636,\* in Dorchester, Mass.‡;† baptized there in 1637 or 1638;‡ died May 22, 1717, in Newton, Mass.;§ married, first, December 30, 1659, in Dorchester, Margaret Atherton, daughter of Major-gen. Humphrey and Mary (Wales) Atherton, born April 30, 1638, in Dorchester; died August 17, 1672, in Newton. He married, second, January 30, 1674, in Newton, Margaret Jackson, daughter of Dea. John and Margaret (———) Jackson, born June 20, 1649, in Newton; died September 16,§ 1727, in Newton.

James Trowbridge came in early childhood with his father to the plantation of New Haven in the colony of that name. About two years later his father returned to England, and he and his two older brothers were left in charge of their father's steward, who proved so unfaithful in his duties towards the three little boys that the town authorities intervened and placed them under the care of their father's friend Sergeant Thomas Jeffrey and his wife. It was in their home in New Haven that James Trowbridge passed his childhood and youth, receiving his early education in the local school which was in charge of the well-known schoolmaster Mr. Ezekiel Cheever.

James Trowbridge inherited his father's lands in the town of Dorchester, Mass., and on coming of age he went there to occupy and manage them, settling there after his marriage. In 1664 he removed with his family to Cambridge village, now Newton, Mass. He was made a freeman of Massachusetts May 3, 1665. In 1675 he purchased of Deputy-governor Danforth "the now mansion place of the said Trowbridge, with house, barn, outhouses, and 85 acres of land bounded with the narrow lane north; Samuel Hyde and a highway west; a highway; and land of the said Danforth east: the dividing line being straight through the swamp." He resided there the remainder of his life, occupied with the care of his farm and his public duties. He was one of the early members of the Newton Congregational church, to which his first wife was dismissed from the church in Dorchester on September 11, 1664. She had been admitted a member of the latter March 9, 1661-2. After the death of his father-in-law, Deacon John Jackson, in 1675, he was chosen to succeed him as deacon of the church in Newton and he discharged the duties of that office until his death, a period of over forty years.

James Trowbridge was a soldier in King Philip's War. At a special Court called by the governor and held at Boston on February 21, 1675-6, he was appointed lieutenant of the Cambridge village company of foot. He served during the war in the Middlesex county regiment under Major Daniel Gookin.||

\* For his gravestone records that he was "aged 81" at his death in 1717.

† Probably, as he was baptized there.

‡ By Dorchester First Church Records. Probably the former year, if his year of birth is correctly stated.

§ By Newton Town Records.

|| "Soldiers in King Philip's War," p. 448.

His resignation was accepted October 10, 1677. In that year he was one of a committee of four to settle by reference the line dividing Cambridge and Cambridge village, two referees to be chosen by Cambridge and two by the village, they to choose a fifth. His name is in the list of inhabitants of the village who petitioned on May 8, 1678, for separation as a distinct town. The general court granted the petition and at the first town meeting of the town of Newton, held July 27, 1679, he was elected a member of the first board of selectmen,\* and held this office for nine consecutive years. He was on the grand jury of Massachusetts Bay in 1683. He was elected clerk of the writs in 1692 and 1693. He was elected to the general court in 1700, 1701 and 1703.

Deacon Trowbridge disposed of much of his property during his lifetime by gifts among his children, and the inventory of his estate amounted to a little over £240, and included "his purse and apparel, £16; books, £3; lands, £29; bills and bonds to be paid after the widow's death, £156; livery, 35s; furniture, £16; pewter, £2; brass, £5; ironware, £2; minor household articles and a musket, £2." The debts and funeral expenses amounted to £36.

#### THE WILL OF DEACON JAMES TROWBRIDGE.

"In the name of God, amen, the 7th day of June, Anno Domini 1709, I, James Trowbridge, of Newton, in the county of Middlesex, within the Province of the Massachusetts Bay, in New England, deacon, being of weakly body, and under the decay of nature, but of disposing mind and memory, thanks be to Almighty God for it, and knowing that it is appointed unto man once to die, do make this my last will and testament, that is to say, first of all, I give and recommend my soul into the hands of God that gave it, and my body I commit to the earth, to be buried in Christian manner, at the discretion of my executors after-named, having hope in Christ that, by the mighty power of God, I shall receive the same again at the general resurrection, and inherit everlasting life. And touching such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to bless me withal, I give and dispose of the same in the following manner:

Imprimis, my will is that my debts and funeral charges shall be paid by my executors out of my estate.

Item. I give unto Margaret, my dearly beloved wife, £10 annually during her natural life, such room or rooms in my dwelling-house, and such other things as is to be done for her, mentioned and specified in the conditions of our obligation, bearing date 20 May, 1709, under the hand and seal of my son James Trowbridge; and further, I do give unto her one-third part of my household goods or stuff, as she shall make choice of it, to be at her disposal; and further, I do give unto my said loving wife £15 in, or as money, to dispose of by will to whom she please.

Item. I do give unto my eldest son, John Trowbridge, £60, which he hath already received, as appeareth by my books.

Item. I do give unto my second son, Thomas Trowbridge, the eldest son of Margaret, my now beloved wife, £60, part of which is in land, and part in moveables, already received by him.

Item. I give to my third son, James Trowbridge, the sum of £30, already received.

Item. I give to my fourth son, William Trowbridge, £30, already received by him.

Item. I give to my youngest son, Caleb, all the cost and charge that hath been to bring him up to learning, and my will is that he shall be kept at the college still, at the charge of my estate, until he hath taken his first degree, and that he shall have £5, in money, within one year after.

Item. I do give to every one of my daughters, viz., Elizabeth Mirick, Mindwell Fuller, Margaret Stone, Thankful Ward, Mary Stedman, Hannah Greenwood, Deliverance Ward, so much as will make up what they have already had, the sum of £30, their several receivings appearing upon my books: and likewise, I do give unto the children and heirs of my daughter, Experience Wilson, deceased, so much as will make up what hath been already received, the sum of £30, which such sums to be paid to my daughter, not to be paid until it be done by an obligation from my son James Trowbridge.

My will is that, whereas Abigail, my youngest daughter, hath not yet received anything toward her portion, out of my estate, yet, she shall have her wedding, when she shall marry, bought or provided for her by my executors, and out of my estate, over and above her £30, which said £30, shall be paid her, viz., £20 thereof on her marriage day, and £10 within 7 years and one day month after the decease of me, said James Trowbridge

\*The other members were Capt. Thomas Prentice, distinguished in King Phillip's War, and John Ward, Esq.

and of Margaret, my beloved wife; and, further, my will is that, in case my daughter Abigail do prove weakly in her unmarried state, that there shall be allowed her out of my estate what my executors and trustees of this my will shall think fitting and needful for her help and assistance, no deducting anything from her portion of the £30, of what is so spent, there be not enough besides, every one of my other children shall bear a share, proportionable, out of what they have yet to receive. And my will is, that what rights of land I have in the town of Dorchester, that came by my own father, Thomas, shall be equally divided to and amongst all my children, and that all the rights to any lands that came by my father-in-law, Major Humphrey Atherton, shall be divided amongst my first wife's children and heirs.

I do give unto our faithful and reverend Pastor, Mr. Nehemiah Hobart, as a token of my love and respect for him, £5, in money, to be paid by my executors; and, further, I do give him 20s., in money, to buy vessels for the church in Newton for the use of the Sacrament, which, with the £5 to Mr. Hobart, shall be paid within one year after my decease.

And I do appoint my beloved brother-in-law Abraham Jackson and my son Thomas Trowbridge to be my executors and my dear and loving wife to be my executrix to this my last will and testament, and appoint my truly and well beloved friends, John Ward and John Hide, to be overseers of this my will, and in case of any emergency, or difference shall arise, then they shall have full power to decide, determine, and issue the same according to the true intent and meaning of this my last will; and, whereas, there is a tract of land at Oakhill yet undisposed of, I do fully empower the executors to sell the same for defraying all necessary charges.

James Trowbridge [Seal]\*

John Spring	} Witnesses
Ebenezer Stone	
John Staples	

Whereas, I, James Trowbridge, of Newton, in the county of Middlesex, in New England, deacon, also yeoman, have made and ordained my last Will and Testament, bearing date June 7th, 1709, I do hereby ratify and confirm my last will in the several clauses and articles therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof; and, whereas, in one article of my last will, it is expressed that I do give to every one of my daughters, viz., Elizabeth Mirick, Mindwell Fuller, Margaret Stone, Thankful Ward, Mary Stedman, Hannah Greenwood, Deliverance Ward, so much as will make up what they have already received, the sum of thirty pounds to each of my said daughters, or their respective heirs. And, further, my will is that such part of the sum of one hundred and seventy pounds, mentioned and expressed in the condition of one obligation under the hand and seal of my son, James Trowbridge, now dead, bearing date May 20, 1709, as is not otherwise made payable by my late will, or actually paid by myself or Margaret, my wife, in the term of one or either of our natural lives, be paid in unto my executor, named in my last will, and the remainder (if any be) to be equally divided among all my children, named in my will, or their heirs, part and part alike. And my will is, ye same be paid in unto my sd executors by the heirs or administrators the estate of my son, James Trowbridge, deceased, within the space of three years next after the decease of me, the said James Trowbridge and Margaret, my wife; and whereas, the Rev. Mr. Hobart is dead, my will and meaning is that the legacies to him do cease, determine, and become void. And lastly, my will is that the codicil be reputed, held, and observed as part and parcel of my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have herenunto set my hand and seal, this first day of December, one thousand seven hundred and fifteen, annoque, R. R. Georgii Magna Britannia ye Secundo.

James Trowbridge, I. T., his mark and seal.

Signed, sealed, and published, as by the above-named James Trowbridge, as part of his last will and testament, in the presence of us, who subscribed our names as witnesses in the testator's presence.

John Spring  
Jonathan Coolidge  
Edw. Goddard"

#### CHILDREN:†

##### *By first marriage:*

- i. ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 12, 1660; m. Feb. 9, 1682, John Mirick of Newton, Mass.
- ii. MINDWELL, b. June 20, 1662; m. May 2, 1684, Jonathan Fuller of Newton.
1001. iii. JOHN, b. May 22, 1664.
- iv. MARGARET, b. Apr. 30, 1666; m. Mar. 18, 1686, Ebenezer Stone, Esq., of Newton.

\* Middlesex County Probate Records, vol. 14, p. 543.

† i-iii born in Dorchester, Mass.; the others in Cambridge village, which became Newton, Mass.

- v. THANKFUL, b. Mar. 4, 1668; m. Dec. 15, 1690, Dea. Richard Ward of Newton.
- vi. MARY, b. June 11, 1670; m. Thomas Stedman of Newton.
- vii. HANNAH, b. June 15, 1672; m. ———, 1695, John Greenwood, Esq., of Newton.
- By second marriage:*
- viii. EXPERIENCE, b. Nov. 1, 1675; m. ———, 1696, Samuel Wilson of Newton.
1002. ix. THOMAS, b. Dec. 10, 1677.
- x. DELIVERANCE, b. Dec. 30, 1679; m. ———, 1707, Eleazer Ward of Newton.
1003. xi. JAMES, b. Sept. 20, 1682.
1004. xii. WILLIAM, b. Nov. 19, 1684.
- xiii. ABIGAIL, b. Apr. 11, 1687; m., 1st, Jan. 5, 1715, James Greenwood of Newton; m., 2d, Oct. 12, 1721, Joseph Cheney of Newton.
- xiv. INCREASE, b. ———, 1690; d. Dec. 31, 1690.
1005. xv. CALEB, b. Nov. 7, 1692.

1001. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 22, 1664, in Dorchester, Mass.; died May 2, 1737, in Newton, Mass.; married\* February 27, 1708, in Newton, Sarah Wilson, daughter of Joseph and Deliverance (Jackson) Wilson, born ———, 1690, in Newton. She married, second, November 15, 1739, in Newton, Dea. Moses Haven of Framingham, Mass.

John Trowbridge settled in Newton, Mass., where he was engaged in managing his farm of about 100 acres. He served two years as a selectman of the town and had the title of "Mr."<sup>†</sup>

CHILD BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:

1006. i. JONATHAN, b. July 23, 1711.

1002. THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 10, 1677, in Newton, Mass.; died May 2, 1725,<sup>‡</sup> in New London, Conn.; married, first, ———, 1701?, in Roxbury?, Mass., [Mary?] White,<sup>§</sup> daughter of Lieut. John and Elizabeth (Bowles) White. He married, second, March 3, 1709, in Cambridge, Mass., Mary Goffe, daughter of Edward and Mary (Biscoe) Goffe, born May 11, 1687, in Cambridge; died February 19, 17[15?], in Newton. He married, third, January 7, 1716, in Newton,<sup>||</sup> Susanna ———. She married, next, March 29, 1728, in Needham, Mass., William Boddington of Needham.

Thomas Trowbridge settled in Newton, Mass., and lived there until after his third marriage. He was a man of independent spirit, as is shown by the stand he took with Gov. William Dudley, when the latter tried to make him drive his team from the highway to make way for the governor's coach.\*\* He removed to Canterbury, Conn., and from there to New London, Conn., where he was living at his death. He was a farmer.

CHILDREN:††

*By first marriage:*

1007. i. JOHN, b. ———, 1702.
- ii. JOSHUA, b. ———, 1705?; d. unm.<sup>‡‡</sup>

\* By Savage's "Genealogical Dictionary" and Jackson's "History of Newton" this was his second marriage, but, if so, the date of his first marriage, the name of his first wife and the dates of her birth and death are not mentioned by those authorities and were not found by the compiler, and there was no child born of that marriage.

† See Middlesex County Probate Records, vol. 21, p. 413, for the inventory of his estate. His son was appointed administrator of his estate May 30, 1737.

‡ His will, dated May 1, 1725, was admitted to probate June 5, 1725. In it he calls himself "late of Newton . . . now of New London." [New London Probate Records.]

§ The dates of her birth and death were not found.

|| At least recorded there.

\*\* See "Massachusetts Historical Collections," Fifth Series, vol. 6, pp. 144-8, for a detailed account of this incident.

†† i-v born in Cambridge, Mass., although not recorded there; vi-vii in Canterbury, Conn.

‡‡ It is supposed. He is mentioned in his father's will, but no further reference to him has been found in any record. He is not mentioned by Dea. Otis Trowbridge's "Trowbridge Genealogy" or Jackson's "History of Newton."

*By second marriage:*

1008. iii. EDMUND, b. ———, 1709.  
 iv. LYDIA, b. ———, 1711; m. May 31, 1737, Richard Dana, Esq., of Boston, Mass.  
 v. MARY, b. ———, 1715; m. ———, 1733, Ebenezer Chamberlain of Westborough, Mass.

*By third marriage:*

- vi. SUSANNA, b. Apr. 27, 1718; d. in infancy.  
 vii. ABIGAIL, b. June 3, 1722;\* m. Apr. 9, 1741, Ezra Taylor of Southborough, Mass.

**1003.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 20, 1682, in Newton, Mass.; died May 21, 1714, in Newton;† married, first, January 6, 1709, in Newton, Hannah Bacon.‡ He married, second, ———, 1712, in Newton, Hannah Jackson, daughter of Abraham and Elizabeth (Biscoe) Jackson, born about 1687 in Newton. She married, second, February 22, 1715-6, in Newton, Capt. John Fuller of Newton. She married, third, June 9, 1720, in Newton, Joseph Bowman of Dorchester, Mass.§ and Pomfret, Conn., and died August 28, 1749, in Pomfret.

James Trowbridge settled as a farmer in his native town, Newton, Mass. His homestead and other buildings and the farm of 90 acres where he resided were given him by his father by deed in June, 1709. He also owned 6 acres of marsh and 12 acres of woodland.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:||

*By first marriage:*

- i. MARGARET, b. Oct. 29, 1709; m. Oct. 22, 1731, Nathaniel Stowell of Pomfret, Conn.  
 1009. ii. DANIEL, b. Apr. 6, 1711.

*By second marriage:*

- iii. HANNAH, b. June 16, 1713; m. Dec. 16, 1731, Daniel Robbins of Newton.  
 iv. JEMIMA, b. ———, 1715.\*\*

**1004.** CAPT. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 19, 1684, in Newton, Mass.; died November 19, 1744, in Newton;†† married, first, December 14, 1708, in Newton, Sarah Ward, daughter of John and Mary (Spring) Ward, born March 25, 1685, in Newton; died June 21, 1720, in Newton. He married, second, May 30, 1721, in Weston, Mass., Sarah Fulham, daughter of Judge Francis and Sarah (Livermore) Fulham, born March 2, 1694-5, in Weston; died September 10, 1787, in Newton.

William Trowbridge after his marriage went to housekeeping in the end of his father-in-law's house. He engaged in business as a weaver, following this trade for several years. His father-in-law made a gift to him by deed of the west end of his house, 13 acres of land adjoining, and a quarter interest in his gristmill and stream (Smelt brook).‡‡ He later inherited his father-in-law's homestead of about 40 acres and the mill pasture of about equal area. He also owned 20 acres of woodland and a cider mill and four negro slaves.

He was prominent in town affairs and served on various committees. He was chosen one of the first board of overseers of the poor in 1734; was elected a selectman for four terms, from 1736 to 1739; and was lieutenant and later

\* Chose Timothy Kingsbury of Needham, Mass., as her guardian June 14, 1736.

† Administration on his estate was granted to his widow Hannah June 21, 1714. [Middlesex County Probate Records, vol. 14, p. 93.]

‡ Satisfactory proofs of her parentage, birth and death were not found by the compiler.

§ They removed to Abington parish, Pomfret, Conn.

|| By Newton Town Records.

\*\* Mentioned in the will of her maternal grandfather dated Jan., 1739.

†† His will, dated July 2, 1734, was proved Mar. 18, 1744. [Middlesex County Probate Records, vol. 22, p. 323.]

‡‡ John Ward had this from his father-in-law, John Spring, who built the first gristmill in Newton on Smelt brook, near the center of the town.

captain of the town's military company for several years. He was a deacon of the Congregational church in Newton and was one of the donors of its communion service. He was called "gentleman" and "Captain" at the time of his death. He gave in his will £5 to the church, "to be loaned out so as not to depreciate; the interest to be given to such poor widows as the deacons judge proper."

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS. :\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. MARY, b. Sept. 18, 1709; m. Aug. 6, 1729, Richard Coolidge of Newton.
- ii. WILLIAM, b. Feb. 2, 1710-1; d. Oct. 28, 1713.
- iii. HULDAH, b. Feb. 13, 1711 2; d. Feb. 25, 1713-4.
- iv. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 13, 1713; d. May 21, 1714.
- v. HULDAH, b. Mar. 23, 1715; m. Apr. 19, 1738, Isaac Stedman of Westminster, Mass.
1010. vi. JAMES, b. Apr. 28, 1717.

*By second marriage:*

- vii. SARAH, b. Mar. 9, 1721-2; d. Dec. 6, 1735.
- viii. MARGARET, b. Apr. 16, 1724; m., 1st, Apr. 13, 1749, Dr. John Druce of Wrentham, Mass.; m., 2d, ——— Blake.
- ix. BEULAH, b. Aug. 29, 1726; m. Oct. 9, 1750, Stephen Winchester of Newton.
1011. x. THADDEUS, b. Nov. 20, 1728.
- xi. ABIGAIL, b. Oct. 12, 1732; d. Mar. 8, 1737-8.

1005. REV. CALEB TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 7, 1692, in Newton, Mass.; died September 9, 1760, in Groton, Mass.; married, first, March 10, 1715, in Cambridge, Mass., Sarah Oliver, daughter of Dea. Thomas and Mary (Wilson) Oliver, born November 14, 1690, in Cambridge; died June 16, 1717, in Groton. He married, second, September 18, 1718, in Roxbury, Mass., Hannah Walter, daughter of Rev. Nehemiah and Sarah (Mather) Walter, born July 8, 1699, in Roxbury; died ———, 17—, in ———.†

Caleb Trowbridge was graduated from Harvard College in 1710. On March 2, 1714-5, he was ordained pastor of the Congregational church in Groton, Mass., and fulfilled the duties of that office until his death.‡ His home was on the west side of the town street near the meeting-house.

On a tablet monument in the old burying ground in Groton is the following epitaph:

UNDERNEATH THIS STONE LIES THE BODY OF THE  
 REVD CALEB TROWBRIDGE, late Pastor of the Church  
 of Christ in Groton, born of reputable Parents in the Town  
 of Newton, educated at Harvard College, in Cambridge,  
 New England; of such natural and acquir'd Endowments as  
 render'd him an Ornament and Blessing in the several  
 Relations which he sustained: he was a good steward over the  
 House of God, and discharg'd the duties of his Pastoral  
 relation with Prudence and Impartiality, Diligence and  
 Fidelity. He was a tender and loving Husband, an affectionate  
 and kind Parent; an agreeable and faithful friend; and a Useful  
 Member of Society: He was much belov'd and respected while  
 he liv'd, and dyed greatly lamented, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of Sept<sup>r</sup>  
 A D, 1760, in the 69<sup>th</sup> year of his Age and 46<sup>st</sup> of his Ministry,  
 and is we trust receiving the reward of his Labours in the  
 Kingdom of his Lord: And in Honour to his Memory his loving People  
 have erected this Monument over his Grave.  
 Blessed are the Dead that die in the Lord, for they rest from their  
 Labour and their works do follow them.  
 The Memory of ye Just is Blessed.

\* By Newton Town Records.

† She was living in Groton in 1773.

‡ His will devised: 100 acres of land with a house, sawmill, and gristmill in the town of Shirley, Mass. (to his son Thomas); land in Hollis; 900 acres in Pepperell and "old Dnnstable"; and land in "Township No. 2." [Rumford] on the Connecticut river.

Several interesting relics of Rev. Caleb Trowbridge are in the collection of the Groton Historical Society.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GROTON, MASS. :\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. OLIVER, b. May 16, 1716; d. Sept. 28, 1723.

*By second marriage:*

1012. ii. CALEB, b. Aug. 6, 1719.  
 iii. NEREMIAH, b. Sept. 19, 1721; d. Nov. 7, 1721.  
 1013. iv. NEREMIAH, b. Oct. 14, 1722.  
 v. SARAH, b. Dec. 3, 1724; m. July 31, 1750, Gen. Artemas Ward of Shrewsbury, Mass.  
 vi. HANNAH, b. May 16, 1729; d. young, probably.†  
 vii. MARIA, b. Dec. 23, 1731; m. Jan. 28, 1773, Capt. Josiah Bowers of Billerica, Mass.  
 1014. viii. THOMAS, b. Nov. 12, 1734.  
 ix. OLIVER, bapt. Aug. 2, 1738; d. young, probably.†  
 x. ABIGAIL, b. Nov. 30, 1740; m. Oct. 9, 1764, Hon. Ebenezer Champney of New Ipswich, N. H.

**1006.** JONATHAN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1001</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 23, 1711, in Newton, Mass.; died January 24, 1753, in Newton; married January 3, 1734, in Newton,‡ Jemima Bright, daughter of Cornet Henry and Margaret (Jackson) Bright, born July 19, 1712, in Watertown, Mass.; died December 23, 1774, in Newton.

Jonathan Trowbridge was a farmer in Newton, Mass., his native town. The inventory of his estate included a cider mill.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS. :‡

- i. SARAH, b. May 25, 1737; m. Mar. 13, 1760, John Patrick of Hutchinson, Mass.  
 ii. JOHN, b. Dec. 25, 1740; was a farmer; d. June 14, 1767, in Newton; unm.  
 iii. MARY, b. July 5, 1743; m. Aug. 18, 1763, Richard Dana of Cambridge, Mass.  
 iv. JEMIMA, b. Jan. 21, 1744-5; m. Apr. 15, 1767, Edward Jackson of Westminster, Mass.  
 v. MARGARET, b. May 20, 1747; m. Nov. 2, 1769, Abner Miles of Westminster.

**1007.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1702, in Cambridge, Mass.; died May 19, 1762, in Framingham, Mass.; married ———, 1725, in Framingham, Mehetabel Eaton, daughter of Jonas and Mehetabel (Gould) Eaton, born February 12, 1706-7, in Framingham; died March 24, 1777, in Framingham.

John Trowbridge when a young man came to Framingham, Mass.,§ and settled there after his marriage. He was a housewright by trade, but in his later years was chiefly engaged in farming. About the time of his marriage, 1725, he took up 55 acres of land in the north part of the town, probably the Nathan Hosmer place, now the Francis Hosmer place, his deed from Joseph Buckminister being dated February 3, 1726-7. In 1732 he exchanged with Samuel Bullen the 55 acres for 50 acres and buildings, paying 50 pounds to boot, this lot adjoining the Ezekiel Howe farm. He bought the Joshua Eaton farm and the farm now owned by Nathaniel Bowditch in 1747. All these lands were a part of the 600 acres of reserve land on Nobscot and Doeskin Hill, which is spoken of in the town history,|| and the title given by Colonel Buckminister, or derived from him, proving defective, Mr. Trowbridge by due process of law recovered damages and

\* By Groton Town Records, except i, who was born in Newton, Mass.

Groton Town Records and Groton First Congregational Church Records conflict in several instances in the births and baptisms of these children.

† Not mentioned in father's will or mother's deeds to her children.

‡ By Newton Town Records.

§ He witnessed a deed there in June, 1721 (P'aige).

|| Temple's "History of Framingham," p. 727.

gained new titles from the heirs of Governor Danforth. He was a somewhat prominent man in town affairs and held the office of selectman in 1750 and 1751. He came to Framingham about twenty years after the incorporation of the town, so that the family have been identified with the town nearly the whole of its corporate existence.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FRAMINGHAM, MASS. :\*

- i. MEBETABEL, b. Jan. 26, 1725-6; m. ———, 1745,† Oldham Gates of Spencer, Mass.
- ii. MARY, b. July 27, 1728; m. Nov. 28, 1744, Capt. Amos Gates of Sudbury, Mass.
1015. iii. JOHN, b. May 22, 1730.
- iv. LYDIA, b. Dec. 24, 1731; m. Jan. 7, 1752, Ralph Hemmenway of Framingham.
1016. v. THOMAS, b. Apr. 1, 1734.
- vi. RUTH, b. Mar. 3, 1736; m. ———, 1756, Peter Rice of Framingham.

1008. JUDGE EDMUND TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born ———, 1709, in Cambridge, Mass.; died April 2, 1793,‡ in Cambridge; married March 15, 1737-8, in Cambridge, Martha Remington, daughter of Judge Jonathan and Lucy (Bradstreet) Remington, born July 24, 1714, in Cambridge; died July 31, 1772, in Cambridge.

Edmund Trowbridge after his father's death was placed under the guardianship of his uncle Col. Edmund Goffe, and was subsequently adopted by him and made his heir.§ He was graduated from Harvard College in 1728, and at once began the study of law, being soon admitted to the Massachusetts bar and becoming eminent in his profession. He was made attorney-general of the province in 1749, and continued in that office until he was, deservedly, raised to the post of associate-justice of the supreme court in 1767. He was elected a representative from Cambridge in 1750. In 1764 he was elected a member of the council. In the years immediately preceding the Revolution his Tory predilections unfortunately led him to consort with Governors Bernard and Hutchinson and he became in time very unpopular with the people at large, though his kindness of disposition served to preserve most of his personal friendships. In 1772 he resigned his seat upon the bench and retired to the little village of Byfield, where he long remained, residing for a time in the family of Rev. Moses Parsons and instructing Theophilus Parsons in the law. In 1779 he was chosen by the council to be judge of probate of Middlesex county, but did not accept. Judge Trowbridge was a Tory in heart and to some extent in speech, but he remained inactive during the contest. He did not abstain from the conflict through cowardice or physical unfitness, for he had a strong proclivity for war and combat, was a master of fence, and an excellent horseman; but was probably restrained by his friends Ellery and Dana. During half of his long life he was regarded the most profound lawyer in New England, and he died in Cambridge, at the ripe age of 84, leaving a high reputation for professional learning, to which Chief Justice Parsons and Chancellor Kent afterward bore willing testimony. He owned land in Woburn, Wilmington and Sutton, and was a large land owner in Cambridge and Cambridgeport, most of which passed into the hands of Chief Justice Dana, his nephew and law pupil, who was his residuary legatee. He owned land in Cambridge opposite the principal college gate and Trowbridge street was so named in his honor.

\* By Framingham Town Records.

† Intention of marriage published May 5, 1745, in Leicester, Mass.

‡ "Aged 84 years."

§ He took the name of Goffe in early youth, but in later years he reassumed the name of Trowbridge, and for a part of his life appears to have been known by both of these names indifferently. Extracts printed in the "Trowbridge Family" and "The Memorial History of Boston," vol. 4, p. 580, have been of assistance in preparing this sketch.



"He had the finest law library then in the province, a rare and valuable possession in those days. He had also another less harmless possession, being a full-length portrait of Governor Hutchinson, in a handsome frame, which he kept in his parlor, to the alarm of the family, who dreaded that it might induce a foray from the lawless Sons of Liberty. Accordingly, one day, when Trowbridge was away from home, they cut out and burned the canvass, and put in its place a portrait, by Copley, of Justice Richard Dana."\*

The following incidental remarks in the sketch of the character of Chief Justice Parsons by his successor, Judge Parker, contain the best eulogium of this distinguished man: "I will not omit to mention, for I wish not to exaggerate his powers, that he enjoyed one advantage, in his education, beyond any of his contemporaries, except the learned, able and upright Chief Justice Dana. I refer to the society and conversation of Judge Trowbridge, perhaps the most profound common lawyer of New England before the Revolution. This venerable old man, like some of the ancient sages of the law in England, pursued his legal disquisitions long after he had ceased to be actively engaged in the profession, from an ardent attachment to the law as a science, and had employed himself in writing essays and forming elaborate readings upon abstruse and difficult points of law. Many of his works are now extant in manuscript, and some in print, and they abundantly prove the depth of his learning and the diligence and patience of his research."

President Adams, in a sketch of the life of Jonathan Sewall, has this incidental notice of Judge Trowbridge: "He commanded the practice in Middlesex, Worcester and several other counties, and he had power to crush, by his frown or his nod, any young lawyer in his county." Chancellor Kent represents him as "the oracle of the common law." Mr. Knapp remarks, that "Trowbridge had been distinguished not only as a profound lawyer and an able advocate, but as a zealous law officer of the government, but when he saw the people rise in hostility, his courage forsook him, and he fled from the confusion around him, and tried to shut his eyes to what was going on, or to keep the din of arms from disturbing his lucubrations, and that he, who had once instructed Parsons, and possessed a mind so discriminating and profound, could hardly, in the latter part of his life, comprehend his own legal decisions made in the strength of intellectual power."

NO CHILDREN.

**1009.** DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 6, 1711, in Newton, Mass.; died October 1, 1795, in Pomfret,† Conn.; married, first, October 8, 1733,‡ in Newton, Hannah§ Spring, daughter of Ensign John and Joanna (Richards) Spring, born February 2, 1711-2, in Newton; died June 26, 1763, in Pomfret.† He married, second, May 19, 1767, in Newton,|| Jerusha (Prentice) Bowen,\*\* widow of Isaac Bowen of Killingly, Conn., and daughter of Capt. Thomas and Elizabeth (Jackson) Prentice, born October 3, 1710, in Newton; died June 27, 1791, in Pomfret.†

Daniel Trowbridge passed most of his youth in his native town and in Dorchester, Mass. In 1731 his step-father, Joseph Bowman, removed to Pomfret, Conn., where he bought a farm west of "Roxbury Purchase," Daniel, a youth

\* "The Memorial History of Boston," vol. 4, p. 580.

† Abington parish. The family register was copied from one in his own handwriting in an account book.

‡ By his own family record: Oct. 29, 1734, by Newton Town Records.

§ By Newton and family records and gravestone; *Joanna* by Abington Congregational Church Records.

|| Probably. Also recorded in Pomfret.

\*\* She was admitted a member of the church in Abington from the church in Killingly Mar. 4, 1770.

of twenty, helping to clear up this land and make a home, receiving six months of his time in settlement. On coming of age he returned to Newton\* and probably was engaged with the care of the large farm left by his father, and probably settled there after his marriage, which took place in the fall of 1733. In the spring of the following year he removed with his wife to Pomfret and bought of Abiel Lyon a valuable farm of 100 acres in the western part of Pomfret, bordering on the Mashomoquet river. He built a house† and other buildings on his farm, and later a sawmill and a cider mill. His farm was included in the tract of land that became in 1749 the second society, or Abington, in Pomfret.

On January 14, 1751, he was chosen one of a committee of five to build a meeting-house in the new society. He continued to be a progressive citizen and active in town affairs. During the Revolution he served on various patriotic committees, and in the fall of 1777 he and his sons John, James and Caleb were among the twenty-four residents of Pomfret who contributed about £70 "to charter or purchase . . . a vessel . . . to send immediately to the West Indies for salt and other necessities." Although too far advanced in years to enlist himself in the war, two of his sons represented him in the patriot army. He lived to see his sons occupying farms around him and he left a numerous posterity.‡

## CHILDREN BORN IN POMFRET,§ CONN.:

*By first marriage:¶*

- i. DANIEL, b. Jan. 18, 1734-5; d. in infancy.
- ii. JOANNA, b. May 3, 1736; d. Aug. 25, 1741.
1017. iii. DANIEL, b. July 20, 1738.
1018. iv. JAMES, b. Feb. 15, 1739.
1019. v. JOHN, b. Apr. 11, 1742.
- vi. EPHRAIM, b. June 10, 1744; a farmer; d. Sept. 17, 1773, in Pomfret; unm.
- vii. HANNAH, b. Aug. 14, 1746; d. Oct. 19, 1748.
1020. viii. WILLIAM, b. May 1, 1748.
- ix. HANNAH, b. Feb. 14, 1752; m. Dec. 29, 1774, Philip Pearl of Hampton, Conn.
1021. x. CALEB, b. Dec. 21, 1754.
- xi. ELISHA, b. Oct. 23, 1756; d. Jan. 19, 1769.

1010. JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 28, 1717, in Newton, Mass.; died July 21, 1806, in Worcester, Mass.; married, first, January 18, 1739-40, in Newton, Jerusha Park, daughter of Ensign Richard and Sarah (Fuller) Park, born November 22, 1722, in Newton; died April 26, 1756, in Worcester. He married, second, January 11, 1757, in Worcester, Mary Killey.\*\* He married, third, June 22, 1779, in Worcester, Lydia (Mower\*\*) Ward, widow of Henry Ward of Worcester.

James Trowbridge learned the trade of a wood turner in his native town, Newton, Mass., and inherited from the estate of his maternal grandmother the shop, tools and the timber in the shop, formerly owned by his grandfather. Soon after his marriage he sold his shop and removed to Worcester, Mass., where he was engaged in farming the remainder of his life. He bought in 1739 from Matthew Clark for £360 the latter's farm of 60 acres in the southwesterly part of the town, afterwards adding many acres by purchase from other parties. He was a well-known and respected resident of Worcester. He held the office of tax

\* "Daniel Trowbridge, husbandman, of Newton," received a deed of land there from his mother, Mrs. Hannah Bowman, on July 6, 1732. [Middlesex County, Massachusetts, Deeds.]

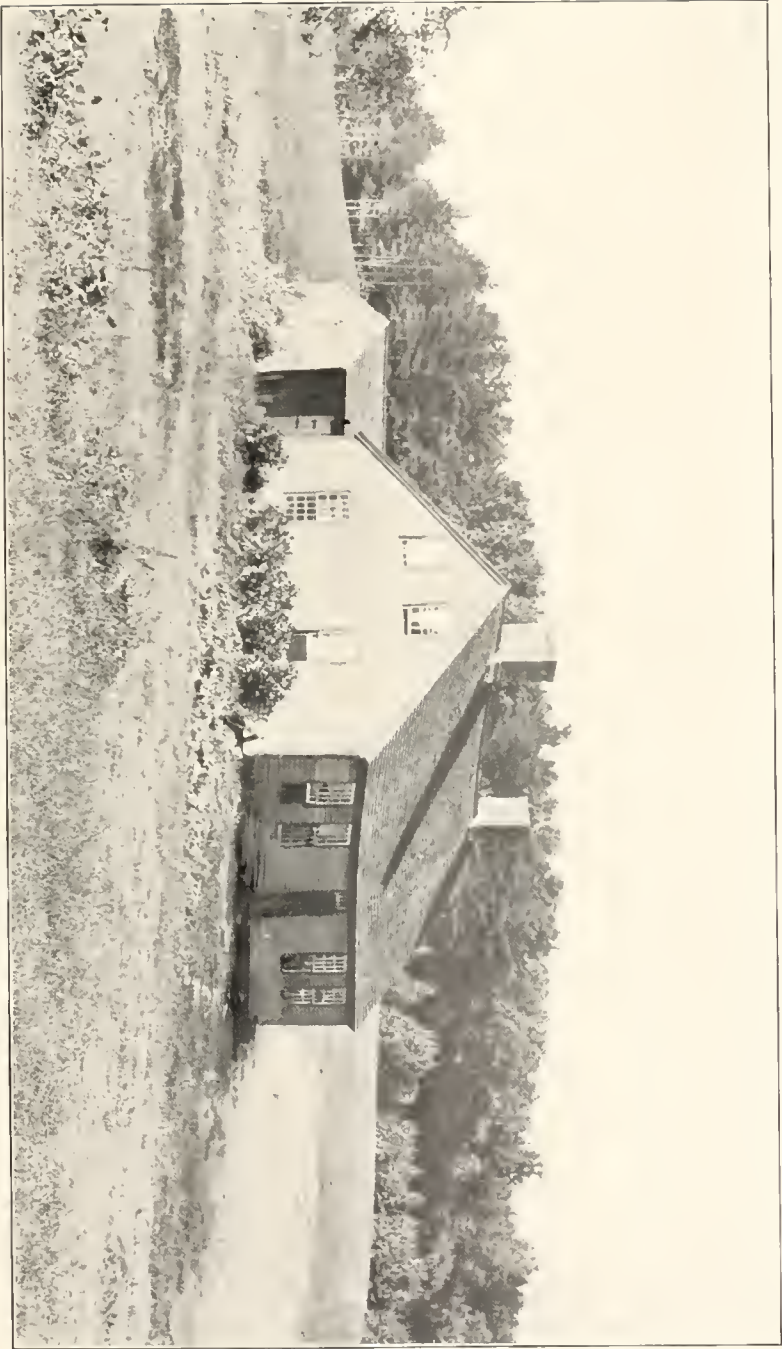
† A part of this house is still standing although the original structure has been too much remodeled to make a characteristic photograph.

‡ Miss Larned's "History of Windham County, Conn.," has been of service in preparing this sketch.

§ Abington parish. The family register was copied from one in their father's own handwriting in one of his account books.

¶ No children by second marriage.

\*\* Her parentage, birth and death were not found.



THOMBRIDGE HOMESTEAD, WORCESTER, MASS.



collector in 1784. The section of the town where he lived came to be called Trowbridgeville, by which name it is still known, although none of his descendants live on the old homestead.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WORCESTER, MASS. :\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. WILLIAM, b. July 10, 1741; d. July 7, 1748.
- ii. SARAH, b. Jan. 7, 1743; m. Nov. 7, 1765, William Ward of Cummington, Mass.
- iii. MARY, b. Feb. 25, 1745; m. Zerubabel Snow of Chesterfield, N. H.
- iv. ABIGAIL, b. Oct. 12, 1747; m. Jan. —, 1772, Jonathan Park of Boston, Mass.
- 1022. v. WILLIAM, b. Mar. 20, 1751.
- vi. LYDIA, b. Apr. 7, 1754; m. Dec. 6, 1773, William Farr of Chesterfield.

*By second marriage:†*

- vii. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 7, 1758; m., 1st, Sept. 1, 1778, Josiah Rice of Worcester; m., 2d, Jonathan Cobleigh of Newfane, Vt.
- viii. DOLLY, bapt. Oct. 13, 1765; m. ———, 1783, Oliver Morsman of Stratton, Vt.

**1011.** THADDEUS TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 20, 1728, in Newton, Mass.; died January 6, 1777, in Newton; married November 20, 1749, in Newton, Mary Craft, daughter of Moses and Esther (Woodward) Craft, born April 11, 1731, in Newton. She married, second, October 1, 1780, in Newton, Lieut. John Rogers of Newton, and died April 9, 1813, in Newton.

Thaddeus Trowbridge was sixteen years old when his father died and he chose as his guardian his cousin Edmund Trowbridge, Esq., the well-known lawyer. On coming of age he received his inheritance, consisting of his father's homestead in Newton, Mass., and the latter's one-quarter interest in the gristmill. He was engaged in farming throughout his life. His son Samuel inherited his homestead.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS. :‡

- i. MARY, b. Nov. 1, 1750; m. Mar. 30, 1769, Capt. Joseph Hall of Croydon, N. H.
- 1023. ii. EDMUND, b. Oct. 3, 1752.
- iii. ESTIER, b. Dec. 30, 1754; m. June 30, 1774, John Wiswall of Newton.
- 1024. iv. SAMUEL, b. June 24, 1757.

**1012.** CALEB TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 6, 1719, in Groton, Mass.; died ———, 17[9-?], in Groton?; married September 18, 1738, in Groton, Elizabeth Houghton,§ who died October 25, 1760, in Groton.

Caleb Trowbridge settled in his native town, Groton, Mass., where he was given by his father a piece of land with a dwelling house and barn near the meeting-house, on the west side of the road next his own home. From 1744 to 1754 he was a licensed inn-holder in Groton, his tavern being one later kept by Samuel Bowers, Jr., and lately occupied by the Champney family.|| He then gave up inn-keeping and engaged in trading for a short time, finally, in 1756, taking up farming in Groton. He may have occupied his father's lands in Rumford, N. H., for a few years\*\* and was later†† living in Hillsborough county, N. H. He returned to Groton, where he was admitted a member of the Congregational church September 14, 1794.

\* By Worcester Town Records. The "Trowbridge Family" adds a son "James, b. 1756." No such child is mentioned in Worcester records or Dea. Otis Trowbridge's history of the family, or known to descendants of the other children.

† No children by third marriage.

‡ By Newton Town Records.

§ Her parentage and birth were not found.

|| "Groton Historical Series," I, viii, p. 4.

\*\* He was not in Groton to sign the petition of his father's heirs, dated Feb. 1, 1761.

†† In 1779.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GROTON, MASS.:

1025. i. JOHN, b. Apr. 8, 1739.  
 ii. HANNAH, b. July 15, 1741; m. Timotby Perkins of Middleton, Mass.  
 iii. ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 3, 1743; m. May 17, 1769, Isaac Comings of Westford, Mass.  
 iv. SARAH, b. Oct. 4, 1745.  
 v. SUSANNA, b. June 8, 1747; m. Nov. 1, 1767, Elijah Alexander of Northfield, Mass.  
 vi. REBECCA, b. May 3, 1749; d. Jan. 4, 1753.  
 vii. LYDIA, b. Apr. 3, 1751; d. Jan. 4, 1753.  
 viii. EDMUND, b. Apr. 8, 1753; was a soldier in the Revolution. He enlisted from Lower Coos (Haverhill), N. H., June 1, 1775, and served as a bombardier in Capt. John Popkin's company, Col. Richard Gridley's regiment of artillery, for a period of eight months in all.\* His name appears on a return of men enlisted with the Continental army in Captain Blood's company, Col. Jonathan Reed's (6th Middlesex) regiment; "roll dated, Littleton, May 29, 1777, and Sept. 17, 1777; enlisted from Groton for three years."† His name appears on a roll of his old company, Captain Popkin's, dated Sept. 27, 1778.‡ He probably died in the army in 1779; nm.§  
 ix. REBECCA, b. May 8, 1754.

1013. NEHEMIAH TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 14, 1722, in Groton, Mass.; died January 11, 1796, in Groton; married January 12, 1758, in Groton, Abigail Farnsworth, daughter of Ezra and Abigail (Pierce) Farnsworth, born July 26, 1736, in Groton; died October 14, 1814, in Groton.

Nehemiah Trowbridge settled on a farm in his native town, Groton, Mass., and lived there all his life. He was a soldier in the Revolution. He enlisted March 31, 1778, and served until July 4, 1778, in Capt. Isaac Wood's company; Col. Jonathan Reed's regiment of guards, stationed at Cambridge.|| He enlisted July 2, 1778, and served seven days in Lieut. John Dix's company, Col. Jacob Gerrish's regiment of guards, performing service at Fort No. 2 in Cambridge.\*\*

## CHILDREN BORN IN GROTON, MASS.:

- i. ABIGAIL, b. June 11, 1765; m. Dec. 23,†† 1786, Francis Champney of Groton.  
 ii. MARY, b. June 27, 1776; m. Jan. 12, 1815, Jonathan Loring of Boston, Mass.

1014. THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 12, 1734, in Groton, Mass.; died September 22, 1820, in Groton; married, first, October 29, 1761, in Groton, Lucy Woods, daughter of John and Sarah (Lonley) Woods, born May 18, 1735, in Groton; died ———, 1769, in Groton. He married, second, July 15, 1773, in Groton, Ruth Nevers, daughter of William and Rebecca (———) Nevers, born May 31, 1753, in Groton; died August 8, 1836, in Groton.

Thomas Trowbridge was a joiner and cabinetmaker by trade. He settled after his marriage in Shirley, Mass., which was a part of Groton when his father was ordained. He had inherited his father's interests there, namely, a house, saw-mill, gristmill, and 100 acres of land, but sold them soon after his removal to John Row of Boston and went to live on the east side of Catacoonamang brook near the lower mill pond. In 1765 he returned to Groton, where he lived the remainder of his life.‡‡

\* Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 15, roll 94, and vol. 57, file 28; "New Hampshire Revolutionary Rolls," vol. 2, p. 751, and vol. 3, p. 679.

† Ditto, vol. 53, roll 205, and vol. 27, roll 131.

‡ Ditto, vol. 56, roll 273.

§ Administration on the estate of Edmund Trowbridge, late of Groton, shop-joiner, is granted to Caleb Trowbridge [his father] of Hillsborough county, N. H., Aug. 17, 1779.

|| Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 46, roll 23.

\*\* Ditto, vol. 18, roll 165.

†† By Groton Town Records: 20 by Boston Town Records.

‡‡ He or his son of the same name was one of the "Presbyterian petitioners" in Groton in 1788.

## CHILDREN :\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. LYDIA, b. Dec. 25, 1763; † m. Nov. 23, 1784, Caleb Symmes of Westford, Mass.  
 1026. ii. OLIVER, b. Oct. 23, 1764.  
 1027. iii. THOMAS, bapt. Dec. 1, 1765.

*By second marriage:*

1028. iv. JONAS, b. Oct. 19, 1773.  
 v. RUTH, bapt. Apr. 28, 1776; m. Nov. 25, 1798, Joel Davis of Bakersfield, Vt.?  
 vi. LUCY, bapt. Sept. 6, 1778; m. Jan. 17, 1813, Elijah Learned of Cambridgeport, Mass.  
 vii. REBECCA, bapt. Oct. 10, 1779; m. Oct. 26, 1799, Sampson Tuttle of Littleton, Mass.?  
 viii. HANNAH, bapt. Aug. 12, 1781.  
 ix. SARAH, bapt. July 13, 1783; m. Mar. 11, 1809, Willard Moore of Boston, Mass.?  
 x. MARTHA, bapt. Oct. 21, 1798.  
 xi. ABIGAIL, bapt. Oct. 21, 1798.

**1015.** COL. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 22, 1730, in Framingham, Mass.; died May 21, † 1807, in Framingham; married, first, March 27, 1751, in Framingham, Margaret Farrar, § who died ———, 1760, in Framingham. He married, second, ———, 1761, || Martha? Fisher, § who died March 6, 1774, in Framingham, aged 45 years. He married, third, February 23, 1775, in Waltham, Mass., Elizabeth (Upham) Fiske, widow of Abijah Fiske of Waltham and daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth ((———) Bullard\*\*) Upham, born January 15, 1724, in Weston, Mass.; died April 24, 1828, in Framingham.

John Trowbridge settled in his native place, Framingham, Mass., and at his father's death in 1762 inherited all of the latter's real estate. After his marriage he went to live on part of his father's estate, the present Russell place, and engaged in farming; and there, prior to 1757 †† and for many years afterwards, he kept a tavern. He was a prominent man in the town and active in its affairs. He was elected one of its selectmen in 1769, and held that office for a number of terms. During the Revolutionary period he was among the active members of the more important committees of the town. On June 12, 1752, he was admitted a member of the First Congregational Church of Framingham.

John Trowbridge's military career began during the French and Indian War, when his name appears on "A list dated, Framingham, April 26, 1757, of foot officers and men in Col. Joseph Buckminster's (Framingham) company, under the command of Jeremiah Belknap, captain-lieutenant, reported among alarm men between the ages of 16-60." †† His name appears on "A list of officers commissioned for the South Part, 3d Regiment of Militia in the county of Middlesex, August, 1771," with the rank of lieutenant in Capt. Benjamin Pepper's troop of horse in Framingham, Col. John Noyes' regiment, §§ He was appointed major of the Framingham company of minutemen, organized October 26, 1774. On January 2, 1775, Major Trowbridge was chosen chairman of the "Committee appointed to collect subscriptions in Framingham for contribution for the town of Boston in its present distress." For that year he was also a member of the committee of correspondence.

\* i-ii born in Shirley, Mass.; the others in Groton, Mass.

† By "History of Shirley"; 1762 by "Symmes Genealogy."

‡ By gravestone; 22 by town record.

§ Her parentage and birth were not found.

|| Place unknown.

\*\* Widow of John Bullard, maiden name not found.

†† "History of Framingham"; but in a deed from his father in 1758 he is called "yeoman."

‡‡ Massachusetts Archives, vol. 95, p. 315.

§§ Ditto, vol. 99, p. 419.

He was commissioned second major of the 5th Middlesex county regiment,\* Col. Samuel Bullard, on February 7, 1776, and on November 3 of that year is reported for "three months service in the Jerseys." At a town meeting held June 23, 1777, Major Trowbridge was chosen as its agent "to inspect any person who should be thought enemical to the United States of America as provided by a law of the Great and General Court." He was major in Col. Benjamin Hawe's regiment, which was ordered out July 28, 1778, for service in Rhode Island, and was on duty for six weeks, being discharged on September 12. He was commissioned on May 1, 1779, lieutenant-colonel of the 5th Middlesex Regiment,† and went with it to Rhode Island at the "alarm" that year.‡

On March 13, 1780, the town voted, "that the nine militia officers be a committee to hire men into the public service the present year." The convention "to prepare a constitution or form of government" met September 1, 1779, and on May 22, 1780, Colonel Trowbridge was appointed one of the "Committee of fifteen to examine the new constitution and report to the town at the next meeting."§ In the Rhode Island alarm of July 22, 1780, his regiment, he being second officer under Col. Abner Perry, was "ordered out on the 23, marched on the 27, was engaged on the 28, and was discharged on August 7, after a service of fourteen days."|| This last service seems to have closed his military duties in the field. Colonel Trowbridge resided the remainder of his life in Framingham, where he enjoyed the friendship and respect of his fellow citizens.

CHILDREN BORN IN FRAMINGHAM, MASS.:

*By first marriage:*

1029. i. JOHN, b. Feb. 12, 1752.  
 ii. MARGARET, b. Mar. 17, 1754; m., 1st, ———, 1771, Abel Stone of Framingham; m., 2d, May 9, 1803, Lieut. John Jones of Framingham.  
 1030. iii. JOSHUA, b. Feb. 20, 1756.  
 iv. MARY, b. July 10, 1758; m. Feb. 27, 1777, Luther Stone of Fitchburg, Mass.

*By second marriage:\*\**

- v. MARTHA, b. Feb. 8, 1762; d. May 6, 1762.  
 1031. vi. DANIEL, b. Feb. 1, 1764.  
 vii. MARTHA, b. Oct. 7, 1766; m. 1st, Dr. Samuel Gamell of East Amherst, Mass.; m., 2d, Azel Dunbar of East Amherst.  
 viii. NELLY, b. Feb. 7, 1769; d. Feb. 18, 1769.  
 ix. LYDIA, } twins, d. young.  
 x. NELLY, } b. Oct. 4, 1770; m. ———, 1791, Aaron Pike Edgell of Framingham.

**1016.** THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 1, 1734, in Framingham, Mass.; died January 12, 1804, in Swanzey, N. H.; married ———, 1755, in ———, ———, Hannah Perry,†† who died December 2, 1809, in Swanzey, aged 74 years.

Thomas Trowbridge learned the shoemaker's trade and followed it for a few years in Framingham, Mass., his native town. In 1757 his father made him a present of one of his farms and from that time he confined himself to farming the remainder of his life. He was admitted a member of the First Congregational Church in Framingham March 20, 1752, and his wife July 9, 1758.

During the French and Indian War his name appears on an "Alarm List, dated, Framingham, April 26, 1757, of foot officers and men in Col. Joseph Buckminster's Framingham company of militia under command of Jeremiah Belknap, captain-lieutenant."‡‡ In 1758 the province of Massachusetts raised forces for

\* Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 27, roll 217; vol. 41, r. 146; vol. 43, p. 311½.

† Ditto, vol. 222, p. 231.

‡ U. S. Pension affidavit filed by his son John's widow.

§ The articles, except the ones on representation and qualifications of voters, were accepted.

|| Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 26, p. 282.

\*\* No children by third marriage.

†† Her parentage and birth were not found.

‡‡ Massachusetts Archives, vol. 95, p. 314.



the reduction of Canada, and Thomas Trowbridge was appointed ensign in Capt. John Taplin's company, Col. Jonathan Bagley's regiment.\* The regiment was ordered out March 13, 1758, and served until December 5, 1758, and was probably engaged in the expedition against Ticonderoga and Fort Du Quesne.

In 1772 Thomas Trowbridge removed with his family to Fitzwilliam, N. H., where he was admitted a member of the Congregational church in 1772.† He was engaged in farming there a few years and then settled in Swanzey, N. H., where he lived the remainder of his life. His farm was about half a mile north of the center, and at his death descended to his son Thomas.‡

## CHILDREN :§

1032. i. LUTHER, b. June 3, 1756.  
 ii. HANNAH, b. Dec. 19, 1759; m. Nov. 22, 1781, Jonathan Whiting, Jr., of Swanzey, N. H.  
 iii. EDMUND, b. Mar. 2, 1762; d. Nov. 26, 1766.¶  
 iv. MERTABLE, b. Feb. 6, 1764; m. July 1, 1781, Abijah Wetherbee of Swanzey.  
 v. POLLY, b. June 6, 1766; m. ——— Page of ———, Ohio.  
 1033. vi. THOMAS, b. June 5, 1768.  
 1034. vii. JOSEPH, b. May 25, 1770.  
 viii. MARGARET, b. Apr. 6, 1774; m. Nov. 1, 1796, Elijah Belding of Swanzey.  
 ix. MARTHA, b. May 10, 1778; m. Jonathan Whitcomb of Dummerston, Vt.

1017. DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 20, 1738, in Pomfret,\*\* Conn.; died October 2, 1776, in New Haven, Conn.; married, first, December 4, 1760, in Pomfret,\*\* Phebe Paine,†† who died March 14, 1769, in Pomfret.\*\* He married, second, February 15, 1770, in Hampton, Conn., Mary Pearl,††

Daniel Trowbridge was a farmer in the parish of Abington in his native town, Pomfret, Conn. He and his wife were received into full communion in Abington Congregational church November 22, 1761. During the Revolution he enlisted in the army. He was sergeant in the Eighth Company, Capt. Zebadiah Ingalls, 11th Regiment, Connecticut militia, which marched to Westchester, N. Y., in the summer of 1776.‡‡ While on his way home, he was taken ill and died in New Haven, Conn.

## CHILDREN BORN IN POMFRET,\*\* CONN. :

*By first marriage :*

- i. JOANNA, b. Sept. 22, 1761; m. Sept. 28, 1780, Benjamin Fuller of Pomfret.  
 ii. DANIEL, b. Nov. 30, 1763; d. Dec. 6, 1763.  
 iii. HANNAH, b. Sept. 7, 1766; m. Apr. 12, 1787, Eleazer Baker of Tolland, Conn.  
 iv. PHEBE, b. Feb. 13, 1769; d. Apr. 7, 1769.

*By second marriage :*

- v. MARY, b. Feb. 9, 1771; m. Feb. 23, 1791, William Warner of Windham, Conn.  
 vi. PHEBE, b. Apr. 17, 1772; m. *Joshua Smith per v. P. Pomfret Conn (E & S)*  
 vii. DANIEL, b. Nov. 21, 1773; d. Feb. 25, 1777.  
 viii. ABIGAIL, b. Sept. 10, 1775; m. Sept. 10, 1795, Rufus Hewit of Wardsborough, Vt.  
 ix. LORA,||| b. Mar. 23, 1777; m. ——— Smith.\*\*\*

\* Massachusetts Archives, vol. 96, p. 482.

† "History of Fitzwilliam, N. H.," pp. 152, 173.

‡ "History of Swanzey, N. H.," p. 563.

§ i-vii born in Framingham, Mass.; viii-ix in Fitzwilliam, N. H.

|| By family records and Temple's "History of Framingham." The "History of Fitzwilliam, N. H.," p. 240, states that he "d. Dec. 26, 1776, in the army in New Jersey." Barry's "History of Framingham" gives no date of death, nor was any found on record there. See No. 1012, viii.

\*\* Abington parish.

†† Her parentage and birth were not found.

‡‡ "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 463.

§§ Possibly, as "Trowbridge Family" confuses these daughters' husbands.

||| By town record; *Laura* by "Trowbridge Family."

\*\*\* By "Trowbridge Family."

**1018.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 15, 1739, in Pomfret,\* Conn.; died December 17, 1820, in Pomfret;\* married, first, December 4, 1766, in North Stonington, Conn., Frances Darrow, daughter of George and Phebe (Palmer) Darrow, born March 1, 1748, in North Stonington; died July 2, 1782, in Pomfret. He married, second, August 29, 1782, in Pomfret, Mary Kendall,† who died March 4, 1801, in Pomfret, aged 48 years. He married, third, November 26, 1801, in Windham, Conn., Rachel Stiles, daughter of Samuel and Huldah (Durkee) Stiles, born April 5, 1745, in Windham; died December 30, 1808, in Pomfret.

James Trowbridge settled as a farmer in his native town. His farm of 400 acres was in Abington parish and was close to the line dividing Pomfret and that part of ancient Ashford which is now Eastford. He and his wife were received into full communion in Abington Congregational church October 16, 1768, and he became an active member of that congregation. In 1787 he was one of a committee to divide the town into highway districts. His son Elisha inherited and lived on the old homestead. The old house built for James Trowbridge was taken down in 1876 by his grandson Andrew J. Trowbridge (No. 1093), who erected a modern dwelling on its site.

## CHILDREN BORN IN POMFRET,|| CONN.:

*By first marriage:*

1035. i. WILLARD, b. Sept. 15, 1767.  
 ii. PHEBE, b. Apr. 2, 1769; m. Daniel Mastercraft of Woodstock, Conn.  
 1036. iii. ELISHA, b. Mar. 3, 1771.  
 1037. iv. CLEMENT, b. June 27, 1774.  
 v. FRANCES,‡ b. May 14, 1776; m. Nov. 27, 1798, Rev. Augustus Bolles of Ashford, Conn.  
 vi. LUCINDA, b. Apr. 10, 1782; m. Feb. 9, 1806, Thomas Fiske of Framingham, Mass.

*By second marriage:§*

- vii. POLLY, b. Oct. 27, 1783; m. Jan. 31, 1808, James Lyon of Eastford, Conn.  
 1038. viii. JAMES, b. Feb. 28, 1785.  
 1039. ix. JOHN, b. Nov. 28, 1786.  
 1040. x. EPHRAIM, b. Aug. 4, 1788.  
 1041. xi. AMOS, b. Oct. 16, 1790.  
 1042. xii. STEPHEN, b. Mar. 31, 1793.

**1019.** DEA. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 11, 1742, in Pomfret,|| Conn.; died March 5,\*\* 1831, in Pomfret;|| married November 27, 1766, in Pomfret,†† Anne‡‡ Kinne, daughter of Capt. Amos and Sarah (Palmer) Kinne?, born about 1748 in Preston (Griswold), Conn.; died January 17, 1837, in Pomfret,|| "in her 89th year."

John Trowbridge was a farmer all his life in his native town, Pomfret, Conn. His farm was in the parish of Abington. He and his wife were received into full communion in Abington Congregational church March 27, 1768. He was later chosen one of its deacons and was one of the leaders of its congregation. In 1795 a district school society was organized in Abington and he was one of the first school committee. He enjoyed during life the respect and confidence of his fellow townsmen.

"Deacon John Trowbridge, as my great-grandfather was called, must have been a power in the community where he lived. To him his neighbors came in any disagreement among themselves and his decisions were always considered

\* Abington parish. "Aged 82," at death, by Abington Congregational Church Records.

† Her parentage and birth were not found.

‡ By Abington Congregational Church Records; *Fanna* by Pomfret Town Records.

§ No children by third marriage.

|| Abington parish.

\*\* By gravestone and family record; † 4 by Abington Congregational Church Records.

†† At least recorded in Pomfret Town Records and Abington Church Records.

‡‡ By all records and her own signature; *Anna* by gravestone.

final. He was a very sober and dignified man, who seldom smiled. Life was too serious for levity—to live rightly and well was his great endeavor. He was a most resolute man, and when he decided a thing was right or wrong nothing could change him. In his day tithing was still in force, and his neighbors, although detesting it, still paid their tithes. Not so John Trowbridge, who declared, 'the thing was wrong, the principle was wrong.' He was to be sent to prison for refusing to pay, and there he would have remained, had not his brother, without his knowledge and much to his disgust, paid his tithes. His grandchildren always spoke of him with great admiration and respect, as a true, noble man in every way."<sup>\*</sup>

CHILDREN BORN IN POMFRET,<sup>†</sup> CONN.:

- i. ARTEMAS, b. Sept. 29, 1767; d. May 27, 1769.
- ii. SARAH, b. Mar. 14, 1770; m. Feb. 5, 1793, Samuel Hartshorn of Otsego, N. Y.
- iii. CHLOE, b. Mar. 29, 1772; m. Feb. 21, 1795, Benjamin H. Grosvenor of Pomfret.<sup>†</sup>
- iv. HANNAH,<sup>‡</sup> b. Sept. 23, 1774; m. Nov. 25, 1802, Abishai Sharpe of Pomfret.<sup>†</sup>

**1020.** WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 1, 1748, in Pomfret,<sup>†</sup> Conn.; died January 12, § 1834, in Pomfret;<sup>†</sup> married, first, January 13, 1774, in Pomfret,<sup>†</sup> Susanna Sessions, daughter of Amasa and Hannah (Miller) Sessions, born November 16, 1755, in Pomfret;<sup>†</sup> died February 20, 1783, in Pomfret.<sup>†</sup> He married, second, June 10, 1784, in Pomfret,<sup>||</sup> Cythia Child, daughter of Dr. Shubael and Abigail (Bowen) Child, born October 26, 1760, in West Woodstock, Conn.; died October 12, 1795, in Pomfret.<sup>†</sup> He married, third, March 12, 1798, in Pomfret,<sup>||</sup> Dorcas Bartholomew, daughter of Benjamin and Martha (Carpenter) Bartholomew, born August 10, 1767, in Woodstock, Conn.; died November 21, 1856, in Pomfret.<sup>†</sup>

William Trowbridge settled and passed his life in Abington parish in Pomfret, Conn., his native place. He was a farmer. He was a member of the Abington Congregational church.

He was a soldier in the Revolution. In the Lexington alarm he served from April 20 to May 1, 1775, in the Pomfret militia company under Lieut.-col. Israel Putnam.<sup>\*\*</sup> He was afterwards in the Eighth Company, in which his elder brother Daniel was a sergeant, 11th Regiment, Connecticut militia, which marched in the summer of 1776 to Westchester, N. Y.<sup>††</sup> He re-enlisted in the army July 26, 1779, in the 5th Regiment, Connecticut Line, Col. Philip B. Bradley, which was stationed on the east side of the Hudson, and he was discharged January 15, 1780.<sup>‡‡</sup>

The War of 1812 found him again ready for service, although then a man over fifty years of age. He was first lieutenant of the 3d Company of cavalry, Capt. Thomas Hubbard, 2d Connecticut Regiment, Col. Daniel Putnam.<sup>§§</sup>

CHILDREN BORN IN POMFRET,<sup>†</sup> CONN.:*By first marriage:*

- i. HANNAH, b. Feb. 22, 1775; d. Sept. 18, 1776.
- ii. DANIEL, b. Mar. 8, 1777; inherited his father's and grandfather's farm in Abington. He served in the War of 1812 as sergeant of Capt. Elijah Griggs' company, June 21-28, 1813.<sup>§§</sup> He d. Nov. 30, 1857, in Abington; unm.

\* Letter from a great-granddaughter, Mrs. Ella Sharpe (Mrs. Robert P.) Duncan of Indianapolis, Ind.

<sup>†</sup> Abington parish.

<sup>‡</sup> Correct; *Anna* by town record.

<sup>§</sup> By gravestone and pension record; 13 by Abington Church Records.

<sup>||</sup> By town record.

<sup>\*\*</sup> "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 20.

<sup>††</sup> Ditto, p. 463.

<sup>‡‡</sup> U. S. Pension Office Records. His widow received a pension.

<sup>§§</sup> "Connecticut in the War of 1812."

1043. iii. AMASA, b. May 30, 1779.  
 iv. SELINA, b. Apr. 10, 1781; m. ———, 1802, Jacob Pratt of Homer, N. Y.  
*By second marriage:*  
 v. A child, b. Mar. 9, 1785; d. that day.  
 vi. SUSANNA, b. June 5, 1786; d. Sept. 30,\* 1791.  
 vii. CYNTHIA CHILD, b. July 9, 1788; m. Mar. 23, 1814, Samuel White, Jr., of Pomfret.  
 viii. RELIEF, b. Oct. 26, 1790; d. Oct. 21,† 1791.  
 ix. CALISTA, b. Sept. 9, 1792; m. Feb. 9, 1818, Capt. David Spencer of North Grosvenordale, Conn.
1044. x. LEWIS, b. Feb. 26, 1795.

*By third marriage:*

- xi. NELSON, b. Dec. 1, 1798; d. Jan. 6, 1799.  
 xii. A child, b. Nov. 30, 1799; d. Jan. 4, 1800.  
 xiii. ELIZA, b. May 17, 1801; d. Jan. 8, 1881, in Abington; unm.

**1021.** CALEB TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 21, 1754, in Pomfret,‡ Conn.; died September 9, 1830, in Pomfret;‡ married December 5, 1788,§ in Pomfret, Zylpha Barrows, daughter of Noah and Martha (Bowen) Barrows, born April 9, 1768, in Thompson, Conn.; died October 10, 1863, in Pomfret.‡

Caleb Trowbridge was a farmer in his native place, the parish of Abington, Pomfret, Conn. He lived near the site of his father's first sawmill|| on a farm of 63 acres, adjoining his father's farm, of which it originally formed a part. His homestead is now owned by his granddaughter Mrs. Elizabeth Trowbridge Pike (No. 1046, iv). The house is said to be the oldest one in Pomfret, and delights the antiquary with its beamed ceilings and corner cupboards. Caleb Trowbridge resided there throughout his married life. In 1803 he was one of a committee to build a bridge over Quinebaug river in connection with the turnpike between Pomfret and Killingly.

## CHILDREN BORN IN POMFRET,‡ CONN.:

1045. i. ARTEMAS, b. Dec. 7, 1789.  
 ii. MARIA, b. May 28, 1792; m. Dec. 10, 1826, Jerome Pike of Pomfret.\*\*  
 iii. SUSANNA, b. Aug. 13, 1794; d. Dec. 4, 1805.  
 1046. iv. GEORGE, b. Aug. 11, 1796.  
 1047. v. CHARLES, b. Feb. 14, 1800.

**1022.** DEA. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 20, 1751, in Worcester, Mass.; died September 30, 1833, in Worcester; married, first, December 12, 1776, in Worcester, Sarah Rice, daughter of Thomas and Judith (———) Rice, born August 22, 1756, in Worcester; died July 15, 1787, in Worcester. He married, second, October 8, 1789, in Leicester, Mass., Achsah Hersey, daughter of Elijah and Achsah (Stone) Hersey, born March 14, 1759, in Hingham, Mass.; died November 13, 1847, in Worcester.

William Trowbridge in 1774 was a soldier in a company of minutemen raised in his native town, Worcester, Mass., commanded by Capt. Timothy Bigelow, who was afterwards a major in the expedition against Quebec under Arnold and subsequently lieutenant-colonel in the Continental Line. On April 19, 1775, on the alarm of the invasion of the British troops to Lexington and Concord, he volunteered as a private soldier and marched in this company under Capt.

\* By family record; Oct. 1 by Abington Congregational Church Records.

† By family record; 26 by Abington Church Records.

‡ Abington parish.

§ Correct by family record; Dec. 6, 1789, by town record.

|| Mentioned in the "History of Windham County," vol. 1, p. 343.

\*\* See No. 1046, iv.



CALEB TROWBRIDGE HOMESTEAD, POMFRET, CONN.



Timothy Bigelow,\* Lieuts. Jonas Hubbard and John Smith. They left Worcester near sunset and going through Shrewsbury, Northborough, Marlborough, Sudbury, Weston, and Waltham, arrived at Watertown, a distance of more than forty miles, the next morning, after marching all night. Having ascertained the retreat of the British, the company halted for refreshments, and then advanced to Cambridge. He did duty under Captain Bigelow until April 24, when an organization of the forces took place, and Captain Bigelow having been appointed major, Jonas Hubbard was promoted to be captain and John Smith to be first lieutenant.† He then enlisted for eight months, or until the last day of December or the first day of January following, as a soldier in Captain Hubbard's company, Col. Jonathan Ward's regiment of infantry, and was stationed in a house in Cambridge near the Charles river. He and Captain Hubbard's company were among the first that broke ground for the military work called Fort No. 2, and he was employed in its construction. He did duty in this company until June 6, when, permission having been given for three from each company to enlist into the "train," as it was called, he enlisted on June 6,‡ 1775, in Capt. Ezra Badlam's company of artillery, Col. Richard Gridley's regiment, in which he did duty as first corporal for two months. He was then promoted sergeant, and did duty as orderly until the term of service expired and the company was dismissed on January 1, 1776. He was stationed with the artillery just below the hill on which the meeting-house stood in Roxbury, and was there during the battle of Bunker Hill, with his company within range of the British cannon from Boston. He assisted General Knox in laying out the fortifications in Roxbury. Afterwards he was stationed in Brooklyn Fort until the termination of his service. The service above mentioned was all performed as a volunteer in the state troops of Massachusetts. He served in the whole, eight months and twelve days, viz.: from April 19, 1775, to June 6, 1775, as a private soldier; from June 6, 1775, to August 6, 1775, as corporal; and from August 6, 1775, to January 1, 1776, as sergeant. While acting as orderly of artillery, he received orders at headquarters with the adjutants of infantry.§

William Trowbridge soon after his marriage received by deed from his father the latter's homestead farm in the southwesterly part of Worcester, with one-half the dwelling house and barn. He afterwards bought additional land. Besides managing his large farm, he later built and conducted a cotton mill there for many years, his sons William and Elijah and son-in-law Mr. Chapin being associated with him in business. In 1798 he built himself a large, handsome mansion, which is still standing. He was somewhat prominent in town affairs. He was a school committee-man, constable, highway surveyor and collector, selectman, and also held several other town offices. In 1798 he was one of a committee having in charge the laying out of the new cemetery. He was collector of taxes in 1819. He was a member of the Second Congregational Church, of which he was chosen a deacon, and held that office for more than twenty years, until he resigned on account of age and infirm health. Four years prior to his death he deeded his property to his sons, and went with his wife to reside with their daughter Mrs. Chapin, at whose home he died. He was a tall, large, dark-complexioned man, and was said to bear a striking resemblance to General Washington.

\* Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 11, roll 222. This company was in Col. Artemas Ward's regiment.

† Ditto, vol. 15, roll 37.

‡ 7 by Ditto, vol. 14, roll 7, which gives his service one month and twenty-seven days. Ditto, vol. 56, roll 275; vol. 56, rolls 220, 267; vol. 57, file 28.

§ William Trowbridge's name appears on a "Petition," dated, Roxbury, June 21, 1775, signed by Trowbridge and others, stating their unwillingness to serve under John Willey as captain, owing to their belief in his incompetence, and addressed to the Provincial Congress. [Ditto, vol. 146, p. 243.]

§ The foregoing narrative appears as his declaration for a pension, which was granted him a few months before his death. [U. S. Pension Office Records.]

## CHILDREN BORN IN WORCESTER, MASS.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. JUDITH, b. Nov. 18, 1777; m. Nov. 18, 1799, Walter Bigelow of Worcester.
- ii. SARAH, b. Oct. 15, 1780; m. Oct. 6, 1808, Hugh Wilson of Worcester.
- iii. POLLY, b. May 31, 1783; m. Nov. 12, 1804, Alpheus Merrifield of Worcester.
- iv. BEULAH, b. July 12, 1787; m. Sept. 24, 1807, Moses Clements, Jr., of Worcester.

*By second marriage:*

1048. v. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 16, 1790.
1049. vi. JAMES, b. Feb. 10, 1792.
1050. vii. ELIJAH HERSEY, b. Apr. 27, 1794.
- viii. ACHSAH, b. June 3, 1796; m. Dec. 14, 1814, Dea. Lewis Chapin of Worcester.
- ix. HULDAH, b. Oct. 16, 1798; m., 1st, Mar. 13, 1828, Halsey Riley of Lyndon, Vt.; m., 2d, Mar. 8, 1848, Adolphus Baylies of Worcester.

1023. CAPT. EDMUND TROWBRIDGE (*Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 3, 1752, in Newton, Mass.; died June 30, 1812, in Newton; married, first, December 15, 1774, in Newton, Elizabeth Wiswall, daughter of Capt. Jeremiah and Elizabeth (Murdock) Wiswall, born March 20, 1753, in Newton; died February 22, 1799, in Newton. He married, second, January 11, 1800, in Newton, Ruth Fuller, daughter of Capt. Edward and Ruth (Jackson) Fuller, born July 19, 1762, in Newton. She married, second, January 11, 1816, in Newton, Lieut. Samuel Trowbridge (No. 1024), and died July 11, 1835, in Newton.

Edmund Trowbridge settled as a farmer in his native place, Newton, Mass. On the Lexington alarm of April 19, 1775, he reported for service and joined Capt. Amariah Fuller's company of Newton minutemen, in which he held the rank of corporal, which marched that day from Newton.\* He probably took part in the battle of Concord† and then marched to the headquarters at Cambridge and was in service for three days.\* He re-enlisted March 4, 1776, as corporal in the same company, Col. Samuel Thatcher's regiment, which marched to take possession of and man the lines on Dorchester Heights. He was in service five days and was discharged March 9, 1776.‡ His next enlistment was February 3, 1778, as a sergeant in Capt. Abraham Pierce's company, Col. Eleazer Brooks' regiment of guards, and he served two months with his regiment on guard duty at Cambridge, receiving his discharge April 3, 1778.§ He enlisted again, with the same rank, in Capt. Edward Fuller's (the 1st Newton) company, in Colonel Thatcher's regiment, which marched to Cambridge to guard the British troops. He was discharged September 4, 1778.|| This was his last military service in the war.

At his father's death, in 1777, he had inherited his share in the grist mill in Newton, and under the will of his grandmother Trowbridge he took the house and farm. He was among the well-to-do in the town and in the tax list of 1798 he was taxed on his house £200 and on his 83 acres of land £2164. He held the office of selectman in 1791 and 1792. In his will, made the February preceding his death, he is designated as "gentleman." He had been known as "Captain Trowbridge" for many years.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:\*\*

*By first marriage:*

1051. i. JOHN, b. Oct. 14, 1775.
1052. ii. EDMUND, b. July 16, 1777.
1053. iii. WILLIAM, b. Nov. 23, 1779.
- iv. POLLY, b. Aug. 11, 1782; m. Mar. 4, 1802, Timothy Emerson of Ashby, Mass.

\* Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 12, roll 57.

† By the pension statement of his brother No. 1024, who was in the same company.

‡ Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 19, roll 94.

§ Ditto, vol. 22, roll 103.

|| Ditto, vol. 19, roll 46.

\*\* By Newton Town Records.



1054. v. NATHANIEL, b. July 7, 1784.  
 vi. REUBEN, b. Mar. 26, 1786; d. ———, 1787.  
 1055. vii. REUBEN, b. Aug. 13, 1789.  
 1056. viii. ELISHA, b. Aug. 3, 1797.

*By second marriage:*

- ix. RUTH, b. Feb. 8, 1801; m. Oct. —, 1821, William Wiswall, 2d, of Newton.  
 1057. x. STEPHEN WINCHESTER, b. June 26, 1802.  
 xi. ELIZABETH WISWALL, b. Feb. 6, 1805; m. Jan. 19, 1823, Luther Davies of Waltham, Mass.

**1024.** SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 24, 1757, in Newton, Mass.; died September 23, 1843, in Newton; married, first, February 2, 1781, in Waltham, Mass., Elizabeth Bond, daughter of Phineas and Thankful (Fuller) Bond, born July 15, 1762, in Newton; died December 29, 1813, in Newton. He married, second, January 11, 1816, in Newton, Ruth (Fuller) Trowbridge, widow of Capt. Edmund Trowbridge (No. 1023) of Newton and daughter of Capt. Edward and Ruth (Jackson) Fuller, born July 19, 1762, in Newton; died July 11, 1835, in Newton.

Samuel Trowbridge, when a youth of seventeen, responded to the call for troops at the Lexington alarm of April 19, 1775, and volunteered in Capt. Amariah Fuller's company of minutemen.\* He was in the battle of Concord, and was dismissed and returned home on the following day.† About the last day of that month he served two days at Roxbury in a company commanded by Lieut. Isaac Jackson, Col. Benjamin Hammond's regiment, which volunteered to guard against an irruption from the enemy, who were expected to sally out of the city to destroy military stores in the direction of Roxbury.† He re-entered the service as a volunteer January 20, 1776, in Capt. Joseph Warren's company, Col. Samuel Thatcher's regiment, and was in General Washington's army at Cambridge, but was in no battle and received his discharge April 1, 1776.† He re-enlisted August 1, † 1777, in Capt. Joseph Fuller's company, Col. Samuel Bullard's regiment,‡ Massachusetts militia, under General Gates.† He marched from Newton to Albany, thence to Bennington, thence to Stillwater, through Northampton, Mass., and Manchester, Vt., and in the battle of Stillwater his regiment supported the regular troops, under Lieutenant-colonel Brooks, its duty being to see that the latter were not surrounded.† He received his discharge January 1, 1778.† He later served two days, September 2 and 3, 1778, in Capt. Edward Fuller's (the 1st Newton) company, Colonel Thatcher's regiment, guarding the British troops at Cambridge.§ He also served in the same line of duty at Cambridge from September 4 to September 11, 1778, in Capt. John Walton's company.||

Samuel Trowbridge settled in Newton, Mass., his native place, where he inherited his father's homestead. He was a selectman of the town and was a man of means. In 1798 he was taxed on his house £360 and on his 82 acres of land £1989. "At his death he was the last but one of the company of Newton minutemen who were at the battle of Concord." He is styled "gentleman" in his will. His son Nathau inherited his homestead.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:\*\*

*By first marriage:††*

- i. ELIZABETH,‡‡ b. Apr. 1, 1781; d. Jan. 28, 1848, in Newton; unm.  
 ii. SARAH, b. Mar. 3, 1782; m. Nov. 10, 1803, Thomas Wiswall of Exeter, N. H.

\* Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 12, roll 57.

† U. S. Pension Office Records.

‡ Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 19, rolls 48, 79. The date of his enlistment is there given as Aug. 20 and the date of his discharge Nov. 29, 1777.

§ Ditto, vol. 19, roll 46.

|| Ditto, vol. 55, file K, p. 2.

\*\* The births of only i-iv recorded there.

†† No children by second marriage.

‡‡ By birth record and church record at death (Jan. 27), but always called *Betsy* and so recorded at her death by town record.

1058. iii. SAMUEL, b. Mar. 19, 1784.  
 iv. AARON, b. Aug. 22, 1785; d. Mar. 10, 1791.  
 1059. v. NATHAN, b. Aug. 20, 1788.  
 vi. MARTHA, b. May 5, 1790; m. Dec. 28, 1824, George Brigham of Newton.  
 1060. vii. ASA, b. Mar. 20, 1793.  
 viii. HENRY, b. Apr. 28, 1795; lost at sea July 19, 1819; unm.\*  
 ix. ESTHER, b. Dec. 5, 1797; d. Mar. 5, 1813.  
 x. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. Apr. 4, 1802; d. Dec. 19, 1806.

**1025.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 8, 1739, in Groton, Mass.; died June —, 1794,† in Groton; married, first,‡ Sarah Nichols§ of Groton. He married, second,‡ Elizabeth Parker, daughter of Obadiah and Hannah (——) Parker, born January 9, 1745, in Groton; died June 27, 1831, in Westford, Mass.

John Trowbridge learned the trade of a joiner with his uncle Thomas Trowbridge. He was serving his apprenticeship at his trade in Groton and Shirley, Mass., at the period of the French and Indian War and he enlisted in the province forces. He served in Captain Reed's company in an expedition to Crown Point in the summer of 1755.¶ He served from April 20 to October 19, 1756, in Capt. Eliphalet Fales' company in the expedition to Crown Point.\*\* He was in the Crown Point expedition of 1759, serving from April 6 to November 29, as corporal in Capt. Leonard Whiting's company, 1st Battalion, Brig.-gen. Timothy Ruggles' regiment.†† His name appears as sergeant in a muster roll of Capt. Thomas Farrington's company, in which he served from March 6 to December 5, 1760.‡‡

John Trowbridge had reached his majority during his last period of service, and on his return home settled in Groton and engaged in business on his own account.§§ He continued to follow his trade, that of a shop joiner, and farming, to some extent, until his death. He was one of the original Presbyterian congregation organized in 1788 in Groton.

CHILDREN BORN IN GROTON, MASS.:

*By first marriage:*

1061. i. JOHN, b. Jan. 18, 1762.

*By second marriage:¶¶*

- ii. ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 4, 1767; m. Oct. 21, 1788, Nathan Wright of Westford, Mass.  
 iii. ANNA, b. Jan. 16, 1770; m. Parker Dole of Shelburne, Mass.  
 iv. RELIEF, b. Nov. 19, 1771; m. Mar. 10, 1795, Abel Wright of Westford.  
 v. JOHN, b. Aug. 13, 1773; d.‡ in Cazenovia, N. Y.; unm.\*\*\*  
 1062. vi. PHINEAS, b. Sept. 2, 1775.

\* Administration on the estate of "Henry Trowbridge of Boston, trader, late of Cahaba in Alabama Territory," is granted to his father, Samuel Trowbridge of Newton, Aug. 19, 1819.

† On June 25, 1794, his widow appoints her son-in-law Nathan Wright administrator of her husband's estate.

‡ Date not found.

§ Her parentage and dates of birth and death were not found.

¶ "Groton During the Indian Wars," p. 169.

\*\* Massachusetts Archives, vol. 94, roll 95; "resides in Groton"; "travel allowed from Albany to Dedham."

†† Ditto, vol. 97, rolls 183, 202, 345; "resides in Shirley."

‡‡ Ditto, vol. 98, roll 352; "resides in Groton"; "180 miles travel home allowed."

§§ During the Revolution, it might be supposed that he, aged thirty-eight, rather than his fifteen year old son, was the John Trowbridge who saw service in the army in 1777, but the signature "John Trowbridge, Jr." to a payroll that summer [see "Groton during the Revolution," p. 141] seems evidence that the early Revolutionary service performed by "John Trowbridge of Groton" must be credited to the son. Proof of the latter's later service can be found in the U. S. Pension Office Records.

¶¶ Family register from a grandson, Mr. Phineas P. Trowbridge (No. 1149).

\*\*\* By family record. Not mentioned in his mother's will, dated Apr. 11, 1829. John No. v is probably the "John Trowbridge of Cheshire Co., N. H.," who deeded Nov. 4, 1794, land in Township No. 1 in Herkimer county, N. Y. [Chenango County, N. Y., Registry of Deeds.] Cazenovia was originally in Herkimer county.

- vii. BELA, b. July 24, 1777; d.\* in New Orleans, La.; unm.†  
 viii. EDMUND, b. Jan. 31, 1780; d. Aug. 3, 1804, in New Haven, Conn.; unm.  
 ix. ZEBADIAH, b. Feb. 11, 1782; d.\* in Boston, Mass.; unm.†  
 1063. x. JEPHTAH, b. Nov. 13, 1783.

**1026.** OLIVER TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>1014</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 23, 1764, in Shirley, Mass.; died ———, 1——, in ———, ———.

Oliver Trowbridge before he was sixteen years old enlisted in the patriot army in the Revolution. He was a private in Capt. Nehemiah Houghton's company, Col. Moses Nichols' regiment of militia, which was raised by New Hampshire in 1780 and joined the Continental army at West Point. He served from July 18 to October 21, 1780.‡ From this date no further record of him was found. There is no mention of him in the Middlesex county, Mass., registry of deeds or registry of probate, and it is believed he did not marry.§

**1027.** THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>1014</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 1, 1765, in Groton, Mass.; died December 2, 1829, in Pepperell, Mass.;|| married March 15, 1787, in Pepperell, Alice Gilson, daughter of Lieut. Samuel and Elizabeth (Shed) Gilson, born April 12, 1769, in Pepperell; died ———, 18—, in Pepperell?.

Thomas Trowbridge was a blacksmith by trade and lived in Pepperell, Mass., the township west of his native place. He was one of the original members of the Presbyterian congregation organized in Groton in 1788.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PEPPERELL, MASS.:

- i. BETSEY, b. Sept. 1, 1787; m.\*\* Aug. 26, 1809, Samuel Keep of Pepperell.  
 ii. LUTHER, b. June 16, 1789; d. Nov. 23, 1791.  
 iii. POLLY, b. Dec. 1, 1793; m. Feb. 11, 1816, Samuel Kimball of Pepperell.  
 iv. LUCINDA, b. Apr. 16, 1795; m. Apr. 18, 1813, James Burditt of Leominster, Mass.  
 1064. v. LUTHER, b. Oct. 22, 1797.  
 vi. REBECCA, b. Feb. 27, 1800; d. Sept. 3, 1811.  
 vii. LYDIA, b. May 29, 1801; m. Phineas Burditt of Leominster.  
 viii. THOMAS JEFFERSON, b. Nov. 14, 1803; d. young, probably.††  
 1065. ix. SAMUEL GILSON, b. Feb. 28, 1806.  
 x. REBECCA, b. Mar. 10, 1812; d. May 10, 1812.  
 xi. JOHN GILSON, b. Nov. 30, 1813; was a blacksmith in Greenwich, Mass., and Hollis, N. H., living in the latter town twenty-five years; d. June 25, 1886, in Grassmere, Hillsboro county, N. H.; unm.

**1028.** JONAS TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>1014</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 19, 1773, in Groton, Mass.; died September 2, 1853, in Ashby, Mass.; married December —,‡‡ 1815, in Groton, Hannah Simonds.§§ who died September 8, 1865, in Ashby.

Jonas Trowbridge followed the trade of a wheelwright in his native town prior to his marriage. In 1799, and later, he was a fifer in the Groton "South Military Company," Capt. Timothy Bigelow.|||| After his marriage he removed to Ashby, Mass., where he lived the rest of his life, following in later years the trade of a housewright.

\* Date not found.

† By family record. Not mentioned in his mother's will, dated Apr. 11, 1829, which states that her son "Bela has not been heard from in fifteen years and is believed to be dead."

‡ "New Hampshire Revolutionary Rolls," vol. 3, p. 152.

§ His name was unknown to a grandniece, a daughter of No. 1027, i, who at the age of 90 wrote to the compiler in 1900.

|| By family records. Buried Dec. 4, 1829, in Hollis, N. H., by town sexton's book of Pepperell, Mass.

\*\* The town record adds her date of death as if unm.

†† Descendants of the other children, one born in 1800, had never heard of him.

‡‡ Announcement published in the Boston *Centinel* of Dec. 20, 1815.

§§ Her parentage and date of birth were not found.

|||| "Groton in the Revolution," p. 298.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ASHBY, MASS.:

- i. ABIGAIL, b. Aug. 12, 1816; m. Atherton Munroe of Ashby?
- ii. SUSAN SIMONDS, b. July 29, 1817; m. Oct. 16, 1851, George M. Wooster of Ashby.
- iii. LYDIA AUGUSTA, b. May 30, 1819; d. Oct. 19, 1821.
- iv. LYSANDER DEALING, b. Dec. 8, 1821; d. Dec. 26, 1833.
- v. A child, b. Jan. 7, 1824; d. that day.

**1029.** CAPT. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 12, 1752, in Framingham, Mass.; died July 28,\* 1825, in Framingham; married April 23, 1776, in Sudbury, Mass., Mary Bent, daughter of John and Molly (Stacey) Bent, born October 29, 1755, in Framingham; died January 30, 1844, in Framingham.

John Trowbridge was living in his father's home in Framingham when the news from Lexington reached there on the morning of April 19, 1775, and he marched in Capt. Simon Edgell's company of minutemen to Concord.† He took part in the battle of Concord‡ and followed the British to Cambridge and Charlestown, continuing doing duty there until he enlisted in the first eight months' service. He enlisted May 4, 1775, and was corporal in Capt. Thomas Drury's company, Col. John Nixon's regiment,§ Massachusetts Line, and was in the battle of Bunker Hill,‡ where his regiment took a leading part.|| He continued in the service at or near Cambridge until he came home the last week of February, 1776.‡ He re-enlisted in the three months' service and was orderly-sergeant in Capt. Hezekiah Broad's company, in Col. Samuel Thatcher's regiment, and marched for Providence in the first week of December, 1776; was at Norwich, Hartford, Danbury, North Castle, Tarrytown, White Plains, Phillips Manor, Fishkill, the Jerseys and other places until his term expired at Woodbridge, N. J., about March 1, 1777, when he came home, having been in a skirmish with the enemy the morning of his discharge.‡ On June 11, 1778, he was commissioned first lieutenant of the Second Company (the North Company of Framingham), Capt. Lawson Buckminster, 5th Regiment, Middlesex county militia.‡ He was called out at the "Rhode Island alarm, about harvest time in 1779," and was second lieutenant of the last-named company, which was quartered at Tiverton and performed its duty principally at Newport.‡ After being there about two or three weeks, the company was dismissed, but the very night he returned home his company was called back again, and he was on duty in all at least thirty days.‡ He was commissioned first lieutenant of the aforementioned company on December 31, 1779.\*\* His name appears with this rank in the roll of his company, Captain Buckminster, Col. Abner Perry, which marched to Rhode Island in an "alarm" in the summer of 1780. He enlisted July 28, 1780, and was discharged August 7, 1780.††

John Trowbridge settled on a part of his father's homestead in Framingham that had been purchased by the latter in 1747.‡‡ He taught school before 1792.§§ Like his father, Colonel Trowbridge, he took an important part in town affairs. He was elected a selectman in 1792, and held that office seven years, 1792-7 and

\* By family and U. S. Pension Office Records; 29 by Temple's "History of Framingham."

† Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 12, roll 84.

‡ His widow's declaration and affidavits supporting the same in U. S. Pension Office Records.

§ Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 14, roll 81; vol. 56, roll 27. Roll dated Winter Hill, September 30, 1775.

|| "We were both marksmen and stood side by side at the Battle of Bunker Hill, and with a steady aim we leveled the enemy." [Affidavit of his comrade Ebenezer Eaton in U. S. Pension Office Records.]

\*\* Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 28, roll 42.

†† Ditto, vol. 1, roll 102.

‡‡ Now or recently the home of Nathaniel Bowditch.

§§ The compiler is indebted to Temple's "History of Framingham" for much data for this sketch.





TROWBRIDGE TOMB, FRAMINGHAM, MASS.

1806. In 1798 he was chosen one of a committee "to inspect and regulate the schools" and continued a member of it for several years. He was representative to the Massachusetts General Court for eleven years, 1809-13 and 1816-21. In 1820 he was a delegate to the Massachusetts state convention.

For twenty-five years he was town treasurer, having been first elected to that office in 1799. Up to 1822 the town treasurer had not been required to furnish bonds, but in the spring of that year Captain Trowbridge proposed to the town that the treasurer should be required to furnish sureties, adding, that he would hold the office one more year, cheerfully give such bonds and thus establish a precedent; and the town so voted. His record as treasurer shows his integrity of character and the trust placed in his judgment by his fellow townsmen. He was also a director of the bank in Cambridge. He was one of the associates of the Rev. David Kellogg in the building of Framingham Academy, organized in the spring of 1792, of which he was a trustee for twenty years and to which he left by his will \$500 as a fund in aid of Framingham boys preparing for college, the interest of which has since been applied agreeable to the directions of the donor. He was held in general esteem and confidence, and his death closed a life of usefulness.

The Trowbridge tomb (see plate) is located in the old burying-ground, now known as Church Hill cemetery, in Framingham and was erected in 1810 by Capt. John Trowbridge (No. 1029) and Lieut. Joshua Trowbridge (No. 1030), and their remains lie within it.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FRAMINGHAM, MASS.:

1066. i. EDMUND, b. Apr. 29, 1777.  
 1067. ii. JOHN, b. June 12, 1778.  
 1068. iii. JOSIAH, b. Sept. 28, 1785.  
 1069. iv. WILLIAM, b. June 20, 1791.

**1030. LIEUT. JOSHUA TROWBRIDGE** (*John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 20, 1756, in Framingham, Mass.; died December 9, 1824, in Framingham; married\* Anne Stone, daughter of Samuel and Rebecca (Clark) Stone, born October 1, 1752, in Framingham; died April 30, 1836, in Framingham.

Joshua Trowbridge, like his older brother, reported for duty at the Lexington alarm of April 19, 1775, and marched that morning in the same company with him, Capt. Simon Edgell's Framingham minutemen. He was in the battle of Concord and marched to Cambridge, returning home the next day.† He enlisted in the same company and marched January 29, 1776, to Cambridge, where he did duty until the expiration of his term of service, April 1, 1776.‡ At the Rhode Island alarm in 1780, he enlisted July 28, and was sergeant in Capt. Lawson Buckminster's company (the 2d), Col. Abner Perry's regiment (the 5th), Middlesex county militia. He was in service two weeks and was discharged August 7, 1780.§ His name appears as lieutenant of Capt. John Hayward's company, Colonel Webb's regiment, in which he enlisted July 5, 1781. He was discharged November 30, 1781.||

Lieutenant Trowbridge, as he was known in Framingham, settled on part of his father's homestead and was a farmer. For four years, 1798-1801, he was a selectman of the town.

## NO CHILDREN.\*\*

\* Date not found.

† Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 12, roll 84.

‡ Framingham Revolutionary Records.

§ Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 1, roll 102.

|| Ditto, vol. 20, roll 2; vol. 29, roll 274.

\*\* But adopted his niece No. 1031, v.

**1031.** DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 1, 1764, in Framingham, Mass.; died March —, 1825, in Junius, N. Y.; married, first, June —, 1785, in Natick?, Mass., Prudence Badger, daughter of John and Prudence? (———) Badger, who died ———, 1794, in Westmoreland, N. Y. He married, second, Hetty\* ———.

Daniel Trowbridge, when a youth of seventeen, enlisted in the army towards the close of the Revolution. He enlisted March 7, 1781, in Capt. Staples Chamberlain's (Holliston) company, Col. Isaac Dean's regiment, that marched that day for service in Rhode Island and did duty for a week at Tiverton, being discharged March 14, 1781.† He enlisted August 21, 1781, for three months in Capt. John Hayward's company, Colonel Webb's regiment, and served three months and twenty days, being discharged December 1, 1781.‡

He settled in Framingham, Mass., after his marriage and engaged in farming. In 1792 he emigrated to the recently organized town of Westmoreland, Oneida county, N. Y. A few years later he removed to Johnstown, Montgomery (now Fulton) county, and from there to Junius, Seneca county, where he died. He was a farmer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FRAMINGHAM, MASS.:§

*By first marriage:||*

- i. ELIZABETH, b. ———, 1786; d. ———, 1816, in Johnstown, N. Y.; unm.\*\*
- ii. LUTHER, b. ———, 1787; d. in Johnstown; unm.\*\* ††
1070. iii. WINDSOR STONE, b. Jan. 1, 1789.
- iv. MARY, b. ———, 1790; d. ———, 1816, in Johnstown; unm.\*\*
- v. MARTHA, b. May 26, 1792; m. Dec. 16, 1819, Matthew Gibbs of Framingham.
- vi. DAVID, b. ———, 1794; d. unm.††

**1032.** CAPT. LUTHER TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 3, 1756, in Framingham, Mass.; died February 24, 1802, in Albany, N. Y.; married March 15, 1778, in Albany, Elizabeth Tillman, daughter of Major John Christopher Tillman, born September 21, 1761, in Strasburg, Germany;‡‡ died October 9, 1845, in Detroit, Mich.§§

Luther Trowbridge came at the age of sixteen with his father from Framingham, Mass., to Fitzwilliam, N. H. He learned the shoemaker's trade from his father, and was following it, at the same time assisting his father in the management of the farm, at the outbreak of the Revolution. On hearing the news from Lexington and Concord, he hastened to volunteer in the forces being raised near his home and enlisted April 23, 1775, in Capt. Jonathan Whitecomb's company (the 5th), Col. James Reed's regiment.||| He held the rank of corporal and was at the battle of Bunker Hill, in which his regiment took a leading part. His period of service was three months and sixteen days. In the fall of 1775 he was corporal in Capt. Samuel Ward, Jr.'s company, which accompanied Col. Benedict Arnold's perilous expedition against Quebec, and struggled up the Kennebec river and across what is now the state of Maine.

\* By an affidavit in the Seneca County Surrogate's Records at Waterloo, N. Y. Her name is *Hitta* in a deed in which he calls himself "Daniel Trowbridge of Johnstown, Montgomery Co., N. Y., Gent."

† Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 1, roll 175; "time of service eleven days, 4 days' travel included."

‡ Ditto, vol. 20, roll 2; vol. 3, roll 1.

§ Except vi, who was born in Westmoreland, N. Y.

|| No children by second marriage by record of descendants of iii.

\*\* By "Trowbridge Family."

†† By record of descendants of his brother iii.

‡‡ By a granddaughter, Miss Mary A. Trowbridge, No. 1072, iv.

§§ At the home of her youngest son.

||| The sketch of the military career of Luther Trowbridge is based on data obtained from over fifty references in the Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls and from the pension declaration of his widow and the affidavits supporting the same on file in the U. S. Pension Office, where his original commissions are also on file; "New Hampshire Revolutionary Rolls," vol. 1, pp. 92, 94, 213, 221; and the "History of Fitzwilliam, N. H." p. 241.





CAPT. LUTHER TROWBRIDGE.



Luther Trowbridge continued in the service throughout the war. On January 1, 1777, he was commissioned second lieutenant of the 9th Company, commanded by Lieut. Jonas Parker, 6th Middlesex County Regiment, Col. Ichabod Alden, Massachusetts militia, and joined Washington's army on the Hudson. This regiment became the 7th in the Massachusetts Line. He was in the army of General Gates at the defeat and surrender of General Burgoyne. His marriage occurred early in the spring of 1778, and after that event he rejoined his regiment, which was stationed at Fort Herkimer and later at Cherry Valley. Colonel Alden was in command at the latter place and was killed in the assault on it by the Indians and Tories under Butler and Brant on September 10, 1778.

Lieut.-col. John Brooks was placed in command of the regiment and Lieutenant Trowbridge continued to serve under him until the close of the war.\* He was promoted July 5, 1779, and commissioned first lieutenant September 29, 1779, and served with General Sullivan in his expeditions against the Indians in Western New York after the massacre of Wyoming. He was with his regiment throughout the year 1780, during the last four months of which he was adjutant on Colonel Brooks' staff. The regiment was at Camp Totoway in October and November and Camp Hutts in December, and went into winter quarters at New Windsor, General Washington's headquarters. During the year 1781 he was on command at West Point. He was stationed at Peekskill from July to September.

"While Lieutenant Trowbridge was at West Point, his wife, then a youthful matron, paid him a visit, while General Washington was at his headquarters at Newburgh, and she recalled in later years the pleasant manner in which that distinguished soldier served his table with his battered camp equipage, polished until, he claimed, it might pass for silver." The regiment went into winter quarters at York Hutts in December. On February 5, 1782, Lieutenant Trowbridge received a furlough permitting him a visit of several weeks at his home in Albany. He then returned to his regiment and was stationed at West Point until midsummer. He was in the action at Croton river on October 17, 1782. He was commissioned quartermaster of the 1st Massachusetts Brigade on November 12, 1782. He fulfilled his duties at the camp at New Windsor until the summer of 1783, when he was furloughed. On October 10, 1783, he was commissioned captain by brevet in the U. S. army.

At the close of the war Captain Trowbridge settled in Albany, like all Continental soldiers, poor in purse but rich in the satisfaction of having done their part in the great struggle for independence. Here he was engaged in various enterprises and was interested in some land purchases. He held various offices by appointment of the governor and council, and numbered among his personal friends many of the public men of the time; among whom may be mentioned: Mr. Van Rensselaer—the patroon—for whom his son Stephen was named, Elkanah Watson, Abraham Van Veeten and Chancellor Kent. The latter, in after years meeting with Mr. C. C. Trowbridge, referred with much pleasure, apparently, to his friendship with the latter's father and entertained him with stories of hunting expeditions on Patroon creek, where Captain Trowbridge won some reputation with a little gun, carved in the stock in the shape of a dog's head, which had been presented to him by a French officer during some one of his campaigns. This gun is still in the possession of his family. For some time previous to his death Captain Trowbridge was clerk of the Board of Onondaga Commissioners, appointed to settle the disputed claims to land in the military tract of the state of New York.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ALBANY, N. Y.:

- i. HANNAH, b. June 18, 1782; m. ———, 1806, James Kasson Guernsey of Lima, N. Y.

\* The captains of his company were successively, Jonas Parker (1777-81), Jonathan Maynard (1781-82), and Nathaniel Allen (1782-83).

- ii. EDMUND AUGUSTUS, b. Dec. 11, 1781; went to sea; was captured by pirates; was rescued; and, cured of his love of sea life, entered into business with his brother-in-law Mr. Guernsey, a merchant in Lima, N. Y. He joined the army in the War of 1812 as a volunteer, became commissary on the lake frontier, and died in the service, ———, 1813; unm.
- iii. JOHN VALENTINE, b. Feb. 14, 1787; d. in infancy.
- iv. ELIZA SUSANNAH, b. Dec. 18, 1788; d. July 2, 1865, in Detroit, Mich.; unm.
- v. JOHN THOMAS, b. Mar. 21, 1791; after the death of his father was adopted by General Norton, a warm friend of the latter and a merchant in Bloomfield, N. Y. He entered the army as a volunteer during the War of 1812 and died in the service on the lake frontier, ———, 1813; unm.
- 1071. vi. STEPHEN VAN RENSSELAER, b. July 4, 1791.
- vii. MARGARET, b. June 24, 1796; d. ———, 1800.
- viii. ANN MARIA, b. Sept. 7, 1798; d. June 14, 1800.
- 1072. ix. CHARLES CHRISTOPHER, b. Dec. 29, 1800.

**1033.** THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 5, 1768, in Framingham, Mass.; died January 30, 1828, in Swanzey, N. H.; married ———, 1792, in Keene?, N. H., Arithusa Frink, daughter of Calvin and Sarah (Wyman) Frink, born May 9, 1773, in Swanzey; died August 24, 1829, in Swanzey.

Thomas Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Swanzey, N. H., and inherited the latter's homestead, where he was engaged in farming the remainder of his life.

CHILDREN BORN IN SWANZEY, N. H. :\*

- i. BELINDA, b. Mar. 11, 1793; m. ——— Holcomb of Wyoming county, N. Y.
- ii. MELISSA, b. Nov. 1, 1797; m. William D. Popple of Milton, N. Y.
- iii. CALVIN, b. Mar. 31, 1800.
- 1073. iv. THOMAS, b. Dec. 10, 1804.
- v. GEORGE, b. Jan. 22, 1807.
- vi. SARAH LOUISA, b. Sept. 8, 1808; m. William D. Popple (above).
- vii. ADELINE, b. Aug. 22, 1812; m. William D. Popple (above).

**1034.** JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 25, 1770, in Framingham, Mass.; died November 25, 1808, in Marlborough, Mass.; married April 27, 1788, in Marlborough, Lucy Barnes, daughter of Frederick and Mary (Howe) Barnes, born September 16, 1767, in Marlborough; died June 10, 1839, in Holliston, Mass.

Joseph Trowbridge appears not to have remained on his father's farm in New Hampshire and was working on a farm in Marlborough, Mass., at the time of his marriage. So young was he at that time, that it was deemed necessary for him to have a guardian, and he chose John Stow of Marlborough.† He continued farming thus until he came of age, when he bought a farm on which he lived until his death. He was known as "Lieutenant" and was styled "gentleman" at the settlement of his estate.

CHILDREN BORN IN MARLBOROUGH, MASS. :

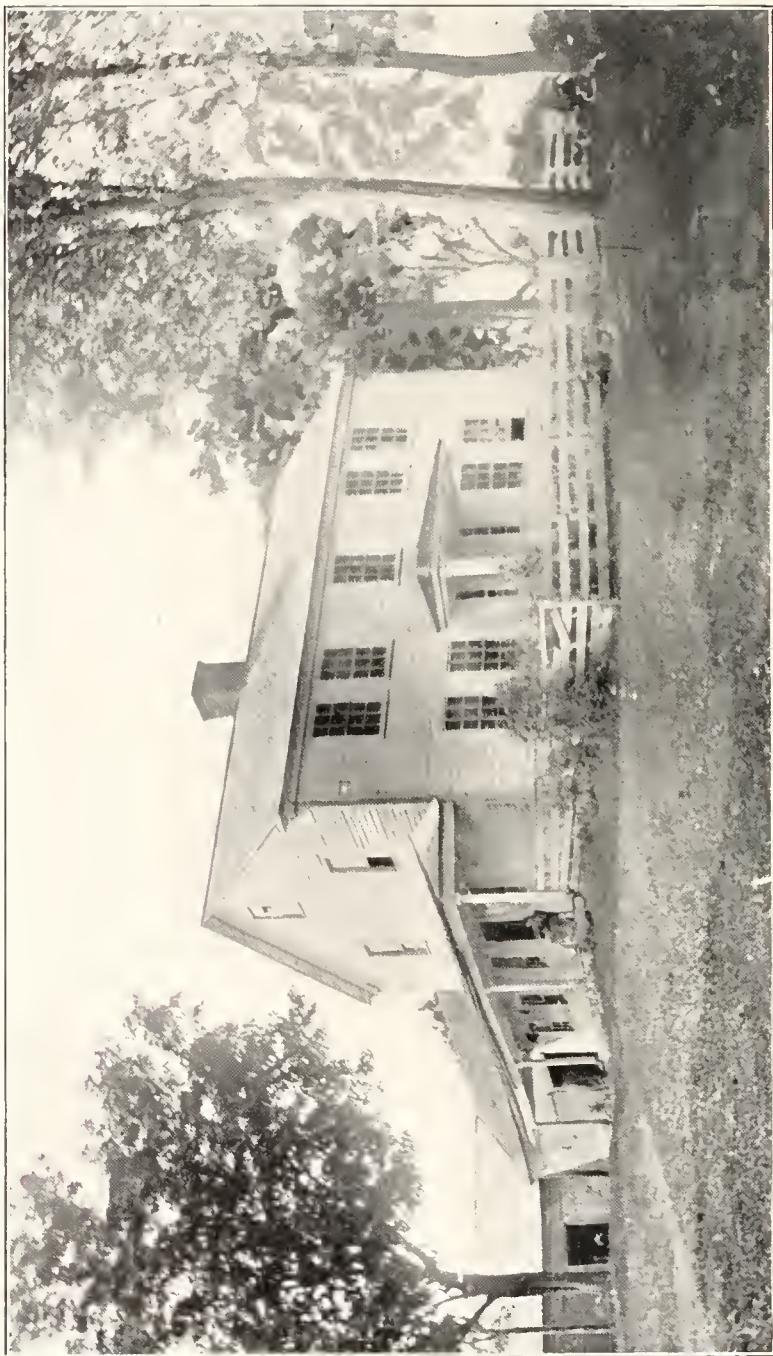
- 1074. i. WILLIAM FREDERICK, b. July 11, 1789.
- ii. BETSEY, b. Apr. 3, 1791; d. young?
- iii. MARY, b. May 23, 1793; m., 1st, Apr. 20, 1812, James Symmes; m., 2d, Sept. 7, 1815, Benjamin Bigelow of Marlborough.
- 1075. iv. EPHRAIM, b. Nov. 15, 1795.
- v. LUCY, bapt. June 24, 1798; d. Oct. 20, 1802.
- 1076. vi. LUTHER, b. Sept. 13, 1801.
- vii. LUCY, b. Aug. 15, 1803; m. ———, ‡ 1821, Francis Andrews of Walpole, Mass.
- viii. ELMIRA, bapt. June 7, 1807; m. Nov. 1, 1825, Asa Taintor of Medway, Mass.

\* The following register from "History of Swanzey." The above children, except i and iii, were parties to a deed in 1823. [Middlesex County, Mass., Registry of Deeds.]

† "Joseph Trowbridge of Marlborough, son of Thomas Trowbridge, late of Framingham, now of New Hampshire, and husband of Lucy Barnes, chose John Stow of Marlborough as his guardian, May 6, 1789."

‡ Intention of marriage published June 3, 1821, in Walpole.





WILLARD TROWBRIDGE HOMESTEAD, EDINBURGH, N. Y.

**1035.** WILLARD TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 15, 1767, in Pomfret, Conn.; died December 7, 1837, in Delta, Ohio; married\* January —, 1791, in Ashford, Conn., Mehitable Sumner, daughter of Capt. John and Mehitable (Perry) Sumner, born April 29, 1769, in Ashford; died September —, 1838, in Delta.

Willard Trowbridge settled after his marriage near his father-in-law in Ashford, Conn., the town adjoining his native place, and engaged in farming. In 1802 he removed with his family to Edinburgh, Saratoga county, N. Y., where his father-in-law, Captain Sumner, had bought seven farms, one for each of his children, soon after the organization of that town in 1801. His house, built about 1802, stands on the west side of the highway, two and a half miles south of Edinburgh and about the same distance north of Northampton post office.†

In the summer of 1837, with his wife, two youngest sons and youngest daughter, he followed his two oldest sons to Ohio. The latter had settled about three years previously in the wilderness of the valley of the Maumee, in what is now Delta, York township, Fulton county, where they had taken up a large tract of land. Their father took up 80 acres of woodland with a log house on it and about three acres of it "girdled." The crevices between the logs of the house were "chinked," the floor was made of slabs, and a few logs cut from one end formed a fireplace. He had accomplished but little in clearing his farm before he was killed by a falling tree. The tree he had felled lodged in another and, in extricating the tangle, it is supposed, a sapling whipped around and struck him on the temple, killing him instantly. He was found, sitting up at the foot of a tree, dead, with no other mark upon him.

Willard Trowbridge united with the Northampton and Edinburgh Presbyterian church about 1812 and continued one of its members until 1832, when he joined the Edinburgh Methodist Episcopal church, continuing in that connection until his removal to Ohio, where he was a member of the church of the same denomination.

## CHILDREN:‡

- i. BETSEY, b. Dec. 2, 1791; m. ———, 1808, Rowland Robertson of Edinburgh, N. Y.§
1077. ii. ELISHA, b. Apr. 22, 1793.
1078. iii. WILLARD, b. Feb. 1, 1796.
1079. iv. ALANSON, b. May 12, 1798.
1080. v. JAMES, b. Feb. 1, 1803.
- vi. ANN ELIZA, b. Nov. 20, 1807; m. ———, 1832, Arad Copeland of Edinburgh.
- vii. ADALINE, b. May 4, 1814; m. Nov. 11, 1832, John A. Chambers and resides in Plainwell, Mich.
- viii. DELOTIA KIES, b. Sept. 4, 1815; m. Apr. 21, 1835, John R. Kennedy of Delta, Ohio.

**1036.** DEA. ELISHA TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 3, 1771, in Pomfret, Conn.; died February 25, 1856, in Eastford, Conn.; married May 1, 1793, in Ashford,|| Conn., Esther Work, daughter of Ingoldsby and Esther (Bugbee) Work, born June 11, 1772, in Ashford:|| died April 8, 1852, in Eastford.

Elisha Trowbridge settled in Eastford society in the town of Ashford, Conn., and was a farmer. He was a deacon of the Eastford Congregational church for many years and up to his death.

\* "In his twenty-fifth year," by family records. Not recorded in the Ashford Town Records.

† The photograph of the house was furnished by Mr. J. W. Latcher, who resides in it. He was born July 30, 1836, in Oberweye, Berne, Switzerland, and m. Rosena A. Copeland, a daughter of No. 1035, vi.

‡ i-iv born in Ashford, Conn.; the others in Edinburgh, N. Y.

§ See No. 1181.

|| Eastford parish, now Eastford.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ASHFORD,\* CONN.:

- i. ESTHER, b. Mar. 7, 1794; m. Mar. 29, 1818, Charles Fish of Tolland, Conn.
- ii. FRANCES DARROW, b. Sept. 26, 1795; m. Dec. 26, 1828, Bilareby Snow of Tolland.
- iii. MARY WORK, b. Mar. 31, 1798; m. Lorenzo Bolles of Ashford.
- iv. ELISHA, b. Jan. 9, 1802; d. July 13, 1804.
1081. v. JOHN WORK, b. May 2, 1805.
1082. vi. PHILANDER, b. Nov. 26, 1807.
1083. vii. ASAPH, b. Dec. 3, 1813.
- viii. ARSINA, b. July 23, 1816; m. Oct. —, 1859, Laton Sherman of Chicopee, Mass.

**1037.** CLEMENT TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 27, 1774, in Pomfret, Conn.; died December 22, 1853, in Albion, Mich.; married June 20, 1810, in Sheldon, Vt., Olive Smith, daughter of Col. Elihu and Honor (Slade) Smith, born ———, 1784, in Clarendon, Vt.; † died September 14, 1868, in Chicago, Ill.

Clement Trowbridge was a merchant. He was in business in Cambridge, Vt., until 1832, when he removed to Medina, N. Y., thence emigrating to Michigan, where he became one of the early settlers of the village of Albion, Calhoun county. He resided there until his death.

Mr. Trowbridge was a man of strong character and courageous spirit. One of his granddaughters ‡ has a carving knife made from the point of a British officer's sword, which he wrested from him and broke over the latter's shoulder during the border troubles with the Canadians. He held a distinguished position in the Masonic orders, and the Free Masons of Michigan erected a beautiful monument at Albion to his memory.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CAMBRIDGE, VT.:

- i. FRANCES HONOR, b. Apr. 20, 1813; m. Apr. 2, 1834, Henry G. Whipple of Albion, Mich.
1084. ii. NELSON CLEMENT, b. July 8, 1815.
1085. iii. JAMES SMITH, b. Dec. 4, 1816.
- iv. OLIVE LUCINDA, b. Oct. 29, 1818; m., 1st, Mar. 26, 1839, Henry R. Mann of Marshall, Mich.; m., 2d, May 17, 1853, William L. McKim of Jackson, Ill.
- v. ADALINE RUNNELS, b. Oct. 11, 1821; m. Dec. 31, 1842, David Lewis Johns and resides in River Forest, Ill.

**1038.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 28, 1785, in Pomfret, Conn.; died March 26, 1871, in Eastford, Conn.; married, first, March 30, 1809, in Westford, § Conn., Rebecca Lyon, daughter of Thomas Lyon, born September 6, 1788, in Westford; § died August 27, 1810, in Eastford. § He married, second, January 6, 1811, in Westford, Nancy Lyon, a sister of his first wife, born October 2, 1786, in Westford; § died January 8, 1827, in Eastford. § He married, third, May 6, 1830, in Eastford, Abigail Welch, born November 23, 1784, in Windham, Conn.; died February 26, 1862, in Eastford.

James Trowbridge was engaged in farming all of his life. He settled in that part of the town of Ashford, Conn., that became the town of Eastford. He was a representative from Ashford in the Connecticut General Assembly in 1834, 1835 and 1839. After Eastford became a town he was elected a justice of the peace in 1849, a member of the board of relief in 1850, and an assessor in 1850, 1851 and 1852.

\* Eastford parish, now Eastford.

† By family record, but not found in town record.

‡ Mrs. Hugh H. Dobbins (No. 1085, ii) of Berkeley, Cal.

§ Then a part of the town of Ashford.



## CHILDREN BORN IN ASHFORD,\* CONN.:

*By first marriage:*

1086. i. HORACE, b. May 28, 1810.

*By second marriage:†*

ii. REBECCA, b. May 22, 1812; d. young.

iii. MELISSA, b. Sept. 10, 1814; m. June 10, 1816, Alvin Strong of Sturbridge, Mass.

1087. iv. JAMES, b. June 13, 1817.

v. THERESA, b. Jan. 29, 1819; d. Mar. 16, 1834.

vi. DIANTHA, b. Nov. 9, 1826; m. Dec. 6, 1847, Amos Whittaker of Ashford.

**1039.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 28, 1786, in Pomfret, Conn.; died September 27, 1839,‡ in Ashford, Conn.; married December 19, 1815, in Ashford,\* Sally Sumner, daughter of Ebenezer and Sarah (Perrin) Sumner, born April 30, 1795, in Ashford;§ died April 18, 1882, in Putnam, Conn.

John Trowbridge was a soldier in the War of 1812.§ He enlisted June 29, 1814, and was a corporal in the company commanded by Lieut. Samuel L. Hough in the Connecticut militia. He was on duty at Stonington, Conn., and was discharged August 29, 1814. He re-enlisted November 21, 1814, and served as a corporal in Capt. Horace Beach's artillery company in the Connecticut militia until his discharge on March 9, 1815.

He settled after his marriage in Eastford society in the town of Ashford, Conn., where he was engaged in farming during the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ASHFORD,\* CONN.:

i. SOPHIA, b. Oct. 21, 1816; d. Nov. 12, 1839, in Eastford, Conn.; unm.

ii. GEORGE SUMNER, b. Apr. 6, 1818; d. Oct. 10, 1867, in Putnam, Conn.; unm.

iii. SARAH, b. Jan. 13, 1820; m. Feb. 22, 1844, Elisha Pearl of Lisbon, Ill.

iv. JOHN, b. Dec. 16, 1821; d. Nov. 14, 1850, in Putnam; unm.

v. CAROLINE, b. Dec. 17, 1823; m. Apr. —, 1845, Hiram Tufts of Eastford.

vi. ALMIRA, b. Dec. 18, 1825; m. Sept. 14, 1847, John Nelson Cadby and resides in Merton, Wis.

vii. PERCY, b. Apr. 18, 1827; m. Dec. 10, 1848, Dexter M. Buxton of West Brookfield, Mass.

viii. HARRIET, b. Nov. 2, 1828; d. aged 9 months.

ix. EMILY, b. Apr. 6, 1830; m. Sept. —, 1852, Lyman B. Stone of Cranston, R. I.

x. LUCINDA, b. July 26, 1831; resides in West Brookfield; unm.

**1040.** EPHRAIM TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 4, 1788, in Pomfret, Conn.; died August 4, 1852, in Eastford, Conn.; married April 29, 1818, in Eastford,|| Hannah Work, daughter of John and Hannah (Paine) Work, born February 13, 1799, in Eastford; died May 14, 1884, in Eastford.

Ephraim Trowbridge when a young man was a soldier in the War of 1812. He served in Capt. Elijah Griggs' company from June 21 to June 24, 1813, and in Capt. David Brayton's company from June 25 to July 15, 1813.\*\*

He settled in Eastford society in Ashford, Conn., which later became the town of Eastford. He was a farmer and was one of the town's selectmen.

\* Now Eastford.

† No children by third marriage.

‡ By U. S. Pension Office Records.

§ His war record is taken from the papers filed in the U. S. Pension Office by his widow, who received a pension for his services, and from "Connecticut Men in the War of 1812."

|| Then a part of the town of Ashford.

\*\* "Connecticut Men in the War of 1812" and U. S. Pension Office Records. His widow received a pension.

## CHILDREN BORN IN EASTFORD,\* CONN.:

- i. HANNAH, b. Feb. 8, 1819; m. July 14, 1844, Francis G. Watkins of Worcester, Mass.
- ii. MARY ANN, b. June 8, 1821; m. Aug. 27, 1844, Elbridge G. Watkins and resides in Worcester.
- iii. ELIZA, b. May 30, 1823; d. Apr. 5, 1824.
- iv. ELETHEAH, b. July 12, 1825; m. Nov. 5, 1849, Prescott Alexander Thompson of Worcester.
- v. CATHARINE, b. Jan. 28, 1830; d. Apr. 14, 1831.
- 1088. vi. EDWARD, b. Mar. 29, 1832.
- vii. JOHN AUGUSTINE, b. Oct. 13, 1834; was a clerk in a store in Northampton, Mass.; d. Oct. 1, 1855, in Eastford; unm.
- 1089. viii. HENRY, b. Aug. 14, 1837.
- 1090. ix. CHARLES, b. Apr. 20, 1840.

**1041.** AMOS TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 16, 1790, in Pomfret, Conn.; died April 25, 1822, in Ashford, Conn.; married, first, February 10, 1813, in Ashford<sup>2</sup>, Lurilla Carpenter,<sup>†</sup> who died March —, 1818, in Ashford. He married, second, March 11, 1819, in Ashford, Laura Dow, daughter of Abel and Olive (Rogers) Dow, born ———, 1796, in Ashford. She married, second, Asher Hicks of Ashford, where she died August 27, 1875.

Amos Trowbridge in early manhood was a soldier in the War of 1812. He served in Capt. Elijah Griggs' company from June 21 to June 24, 1813, and in Capt. David Brayton's company from June 25 to July 15, 1813.<sup>‡</sup>

He was a farmer in Ashford, Conn.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ASHFORD, CONN.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. MARIA, b. Dec. 4, 1813; m. Feb. 27, 1834, James Harvey Gilmore of Utica, N. Y.
- 1091. ii. MARCUS, b. Nov. 27, 1815.
- iii. SUSAN, b. Oct. 18, 1817; m., 1st, Sept. 11, 1839, Absalom Martin Spence of Wheelock, Tex.; m., 2d, June 23, 1850, James Browder Powell of Middleton, Tex.

*By second marriage:*

- iv. LAURA, b. Mar. 1, 1820; d. Oct. 8, 1839; unm.
- 1092. v. AMOS, b. Nov. 8, 1822.

**1042.** STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 31, 1793, in Pomfret, Conn.; died December 30, 1859, in Pomfret; married May 17, 1818, in Woodstock, Conn., Sarah Estabrook, daughter of James and Mary (Rugby) Estabrook, born August 10, 1799, in Woodstock; died April 26, 1889, in Pomfret.

Stephen Trowbridge, like his brothers, was also a soldier in the War of 1812. He served from June 21 to June 28, 1813, in Capt. Elijah Griggs' company.<sup>‡</sup>

He was engaged in farming all his life. He lived three years in Eastford society in Ashford and then moved to the old homestead of his grandfather Trowbridge in the western part of Pomfret in Abington.

## CHILDREN BORN IN POMFRET, CONN.:

- i. MARYETTE, b. Sept. 3, 1819; d. Oct. 8, 1819.
- ii. EVELINA CLARISSA, b. Aug. 6, 1820; m. Feb. 8, 1847, Calvin C. Wheelock of Southbridge, Mass.
- iii. LUCY ANN, b. Aug. 29, 1829; m. Nov. 8, 1864, Hiram Bowen Streeter of Southbridge.

\* Then a part of the town of Ashford.

† Her parentage and date of birth were not found.

‡ "Connecticut Men in the War of 1812."





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- iv. LAURA JANE, b. Aug. 17, 1831; m. Nov. —, 1851, Edward Waterman of Manton, R. I.  
 v. JAMES, b. Dec. 13, 1833; d. July 1, 1834.  
 1093. vi. ANDREW JACKSON, b. Sept. 15, 1835.  
 1094. vii. DAVID LATON, } twins,  
 viii. DANIEL,        } b. July 7, 1838; d. Sept. 6, 1838.

**1043.** DR. AMASA TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1029</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 30, 1779, in Pomfret, Conn.; died April 10, 1859, in Watertown, N. Y.; married September 16, 1805, in Lanesborough, Mass., Glorianna Havens Billings, daughter of Andrew and Glorianna (———) Billings, who died June 27, 1849, in Watertown.

Amasa Trowbridge obtained his early education at the country schools in the intervals of active labor on his father's farm in Pomfret, Conn. After the age of fourteen he availed himself of the superior advantages of some of the academies in the vicinity, where he made those attainments in the various branches of study which fitted him for the duties of a professional life. At the age of seventeen he commenced a course of study with Dr. Avery Downer of Preston, New London county, and three years later he was admitted to practice and received a diploma from the Connecticut Medical Society. He returned to his native town, where he spent one year with Dr. Thomas Hubbard, and then removed to Lanesborough, Berkshire county, Mass. He there associated himself with Doctor Jarvis and began practice in a large field of professional experience. He was a young man and almost an entire stranger to the community, in which he found able competitors, yet he was completely successful in gaining for himself high social standing and a good reputation in his practice.

Soon after his marriage Doctor Trowbridge removed with his wife to Trenton, Oneida county, N. Y., where he practiced two years in company with Dr. Luther Gnitean. A large field of usefulness opened to him in the country about Trenton and he had opportunity for a wider practice of surgery than he had enjoyed before, so that he began to take rank in that branch of his profession in which he particularly desired a good degree of eminence. Opportunities were constantly presenting themselves for adding to his experience in new and difficult operations in various localities in a wide range of country, stretching off towards Lewis and Oswego counties, so that when he fell in with the tide of immigration that was flowing into this "Black River Country" his reputation had in a measure preceded him. In 1809 he removed with his family to Watertown, Jefferson county, which he made his permanent residence, and where he entered at once upon a large medical and surgical practice in company with Dr. Paul Hutchinson, a talented physician, also from Oneida county.

Doctor Trowbridge was a Republican in politics, took part in the great political questions of the day and became conspicuous in the ranks of his party. It was a time of great political strife between the Republican partisans of the government and the Federal party, when the war measures and the embargo and non-intercourse acts of the dominant party were assailed. The doctor was an easy and agreeable writer, and was the author of a series of political essays, designed to sustain the administration, which were widely published and served to identify the author strongly with his party.

At the breaking out of the War of 1812 Doctor Trowbridge volunteered for duty and on June 29, 1812, Gen. Jacob Brown appointed him surgeon of the forces he was collecting on the St. Lawrence, and ordered him to organize hospital quarters at Cape Vincent and Saekett's Harbor. Doctor Trowbridge rendered important service at those places, and on October 10, 1812, Governor Tompkins confirmed his assignment and brevetted him surgeon of militia. From then until the close of the war he was so identified with the movements of our troops on the frontier, that his history involves the history of the war itself,

as far as the Northern Division of the American army was concerned. He had his quarters principally at Sackett's Harbor during the winter of 1812-13, and was very busy treating a large number of cases of the "epidemic" which prevailed throughout the country. In April, 1813, he was on board the brig *Oneida* in the expedition which sailed on the 25th against Little York (Toronto), and attended principally among the enemy and citizens, many of whom were wounded by the explosion of the powder magazine. He returned with the fleet to Sackett's Harbor and resumed his duties at that place, continuing there throughout the battle of May 29. On August 28 he received an appointment (to date from August 1) as surgeon of the U. S. army and was ordered to report to Colonel Ripley of the 21st Regiment Infantry.

The doctor entered with zeal upon his new and enlarged sphere of duties. He pitched the first hospital tents used on this frontier and removed the 200 sick to them, where under sanitary arrangements they in due time were fitted to again take their places in the ranks. He served with Ripley's regiment in General Wilkinson's unfortunate expedition down the St. Lawrence and continued with it until its arrival at French Mills. Here the doctor remained with the army, constantly engaged in efforts to help the conditions of the soldiers, surrounded by a wilderness, and where the sick and wounded were without suitable clothing or medicine. On January 20, 1814, he was ordered to Sackett's Harbor to prepare quarters for the 200 sick of that unfortunate little army.

Doctor Trowbridge continued in the service and marched with his regiment to Buffalo in the spring of 1814. He was in the battle of Chippeway on July 5 and at Lundy's Lane on the 25th, and performed most arduous duties in caring for the wounded after those engagements. He was with Colonel Bissell in the ascent of the Chippeway, and then was engaged with his hospital duties at Sackett's Harbor until the close of the war. He had performed his duties in the army with honor and distinction and was offered a commission in the new arrangement of our forces, but declined, preferring to return to his private practice. He was welcomed back, of course, by his former friends and patrons, and was soon engaged in extensive country practice, with a professional reputation second to few practitioners in the state.

Immediately on his return to private practice he was appointed one of the assistant justices on the bench of Jefferson county, and in 1818 he was appointed a judge. The duties of these several positions he performed with credit. In 1819 he was appointed sheriff of the county, and discharged the duties of that office for two years. In the meantime he continued his medical and surgical practice in a very large district of country. He spent the winter of 1822 in Philadelphia, forming the acquaintance of distinguished physicians of that city and in observing hospital practice there. In 1834 he received the appointment of professor of surgery and medical jurisprudence in Willoughby University in Ohio. This gave new scope for his faculties in preparing a course of lectures running through eight weeks of each year. He kept his residence in Watertown, however, until 1838, when he gave up his practice to his son Amasa\* and removed his family to Painesville, Ohio, ten miles from the medical college. At that place he entered with ardor upon the acquisition of a new and enlarged sphere of practice, having Painesville and the college as the base and the Western Reserve as the field of his newly acquired practice. The death of his aforesaid talented son in June, 1841, caused him to abandon his Western field, and he returned to his practice in Watertown, in which he continued until his death.

Doctor Trowbridge was an inventor in the line of his profession and was not confined to the books. He was conceded to be one of the most successful operators in his profession. Cases of extraordinary delicacy and difficulty

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\* Whose reputation in his profession was second to none in Northern New York, only excepting his father.

marked his extensive practice, and were attended with a success seldom attained in surgical operations. He was favorably known not only throughout the state and nation but in Europe, and many of his operations were chronicled wherever surgical journals are printed. He is said, during his long life, to have amputated the leg at the thigh nearly one hundred times. It is also said that he performed the first successful operation of cutting open the windpipe of a child to save its life in all the known history of surgery.

Doctor Trowbridge was one of the pioneers of Masonry in Jefferson county and a founder of the first Masonic lodge ever formed in Watertown, and was one of the first officers of Watertown Chapter, No. 59, Royal Arch Masons. He continued active in Masonic circles until his death. The accompanying portrait is from an oil painting presented by the medical students of Willoughby University.

Doctor Trowbridge's letters describing important naval engagements excited much interest in his native town. In May, 1814, he wrote to Mr. John Trowbridge of Pomfret:

"I should not trouble you with a letter, was it not for the purpose of transmitting information which must be pleasing to every person who will be pleased with the success of the American arms over our enemies. A secret expedition was fitted out at Sackett's Harbor, under command of Commodore Chauncey, Generals Dearborn and Pike. The fleet consisted of a ship of 26 guns, 32 s; a brig of 24 guns, 24 s; eleven schooners, varying from four to eight guns each, manned by 200 marines and 700 sailors; 2,370 troops, consisting of infantry and artillery, embarked on board of this fleet on the morning of April 25, at Sackett's Harbor, and the fleet immediately put to sea. I embarked at the same time as surgeon on board the brig *Oncida*. I soon perceived that the place of our destination was Little York, about 300 miles up the Lake, the seat of government in the upper provinces of Canada. Winds proved favorable and we arrived before that city about 6 A. M. on the 27th. The fleet came to anchor about two miles from the town, and within half a mile of the shore, at a very favorable spot for debarking the troops. We unmanned in a few minutes, and 300 riflemen, commanded by Major Forsyth, reached the shore. They were met with 300 British Regulars and 150 Indians. A severe contest ensued. Other troops soon landed, which, together with the guns of the schooners which commenced cannonading, obliged the enemy to retreat. Our troops then all lauded and formed in battle array, and commenced their march against the forts near the town. Our vessels hauled up at the same time within 300 yards of three batteries and a strong fort; a general cannonading commenced and was carried on with spirit on both sides for one hour. At this moment one of the enemy's strongest batteries blew up, and 40 of their men were seen flying in the air, accompanied by three cheers from our brave Yankees; about the same time our troops came to the charge with the enemy in line, and obliged them to retreat to the block-house and fort. The well-directed fire from our vessels soon obliged them to leave their strongholds, and our troops were advancing upon them when their *magazine* blew up, containing, as *by their own statement*, 500 barrels of powder. I cannot describe to you the sublimity of the scene! It seemed that the heavens and earth were coming together. The magazine was placed deep in the earth and surmounted by an immense body of stone, *probably for the purpose* of injuring an enemy *in case* it should be necessary *to explode it*. Our troops were within 200 yards when the explosion took place, and were leveled with the ground in a moment, and covered with stones. About 40 were killed and 200 wounded, General Pike and several other officers fatally. The enemy did not escape the destruction of their own works; hundreds were killed and wounded. Our men soon recovered and marched on, took some prisoners, and the town soon capitulated on condition that private property should be respected. They had set fire to a new ship, carrying 30 guns, and to the store-house, containing £320,000 of public property. Gen. Schaffe, their commander, made his escape with about 300 Regulars and the principal part of the Indians. We took two schooners and about one million of public stores and property, 28 pieces of cannon. We continued in the city four days. The people were polite and treated us very well. We have many real friends among them. We left the place May 2, and proceeded to our fort at Niagara, opposite to Fort George, and there landed our troops and wounded."

Another letter, written a few months later, gave details of further action:

"The battle at the Falls, our retreat to Fort Erie, the desperate attack and shocking slaughter of the enemy in their attempt to storm this place, and the tremendous fight at the batteries on the 17th inst., you have undoubtedly seen official accounts of. In these actions the American arms have been triumphant, and our haughty foe completely

humbled. More real courage and heroism could not be displayed than was shown by the troops on these occasions. I never expected to witness such scenes, but it was my fortune to be called to the head of the surgical department in this branch of the army, and I have the proud satisfaction to believe that I have met with the approbation of the whole army in conducting the surgical department. I feel a peculiar pride in being placed in a situation where I can exercise the medical and surgical talents which I have labored for a number of years to acquire. . . . The battle at Chippewa, at the Falls, at Fort Erie, and the siege of that place which lasted 57 days, furnished a large number of the most important cases in surgery. General Gaines mentioned my name in his official account of the action at the Fort. Here were 400 wounded, principally of the enemy, in the most shocking manner. I was constantly at my amputating and dressing for 36 hours. Our force here is respectable, and we shall in a few days attempt to drive the enemy from this part of Canada. I have no doubt but that we shall do it, if Chauncey keeps the ascendancy on Lake Ontario.

AMASA TROWBRIDGE, *Surgeon U. S. A.*

*Fort Erie, Upper Canada, September 30, 1814.\**

CHILDREN :\*

- i. GLORIANNA BILLINGS, b. June 4, 1806; m. May 10, 1827, Charles Clark of Watertown, N. Y.
- ii. CATHARINE FRANCES, b. ———, 1808; d. ———, 1811.
- iii. AMASA, b. ———, 1811; d. ———, 1812.
- iv. AMASA, b. Aug. 21, 1813; was graduated from Fairfield Medical College and engaged in practice in Watertown, being elected a member of the Jefferson County Medical Society. He was considered the most skillful surgeon of his age in Northern New York, and if he had lived he would have reached an enviable place in his profession. While riding in a street in Watertown, he was run into by a runaway team and thrown from his horse, his head striking the curbstone, and he died from his injuries the following day, June 2, 1841. He was unmarried.
1095. v. WILLIAM RIPLEY, b. Aug. 22, 1816.
1096. vi. ANDREW BILLINGS, b. May 2, 1817.
- vii. FRANCES CATHARINE, b. Sept. 30, 1819; m. June 2, 1841, Comfort Lewis Hoyt of Painesville, Ohio.
- viii. HELEN MAR, b. May 1, 1821; m. May 19, 1841, Gen. Artemas Trowbridge Sharpe of Minneapolis, Minn.
- ix. CORNELIA ELIZABETH, b. May 2, 1824; m. Sept. 10, 1851, Thomas Roach Case of West Simsbury, Conn.

**1044.** LEWIS TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1020</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 26, 1795, in Pomfret, Conn.; died January† 24, 1854, in East Windsor, Conn.; married, first, May 8, 1826, in Pomfret, Edna Ayer, daughter of Nathaniel and Edna (Hartshorn) Ayer, born April 17, 1798, in Pomfret; died March —, 1846, in Ellington, Conn. He married, second, March 28, 1847, in East Windsor, Marilla McLean (Skinner) Stiles, widow of James Harper Stiles of East Windsor and daughter of Oliver and Rachel (Jones) Skinner, born February 23, 1808, in East Windsor; died ———, 18—, in ———.

Lewis Trowbridge learned the shoemaker's trade and followed it in his native place and in Ellington, Conn., and later in East Windsor, Conn. While he lived in Pomfret he was for three years, 1824-26, drum-major of the 11th Regiment Infantry, Connecticut militia.

CHILDREN :

*By first marriage:*

- i. EDGAR, b. ———, 1828, in Ellington, Conn.?.; d. Sept. —, 1831.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. EDNA MARILLA, b. May 4, 1848, in East Windsor, Conn.; d. Aug. 9, 1850.

\* I-I born in Trenton, N. Y.; the others in Watertown, N. Y.

† By family record; June by Stiles' "History of Windsor."







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**1045.** ARTEMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>1021</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 7, 1789, in Pomfret, Conn.; died November 21, 1879, in Palmyra, N. Y.; married June 7, 1827, in Westmoreland, N. Y., Eliza Leworthy, daughter of James and Elizabeth (Whiting) Leworthy, born February 16, 1807, in New York City; died November 11, 1876, in Newark, N. Y.

Artemas Trowbridge was reared on his father's ancestral farm in the parish of Abington in the town of Pomfret, Conn. He received the elements of a good English education and fitted himself for his first independent occupation, that of a school-teacher. At the age of twenty he commenced teaching in Vermont. He continued in this vocation until 1816, when he removed to Litchfield, Conn., associating himself with Mr. Webb of Windham, Conn., in mercantile business. In 1824 he removed to Camden, Oneida county, N. Y., being one of the pioneers in general mercantile business of that place. He remained in trade until 1850. He removed in 1864 to Newark, Wayne county, N. Y., and after the death of his wife went to the home of his son in Palmyra, N. Y., where he passed his declining years.

He was an active, energetic, influential citizen, and largely identified with the early improvements and progress of Camden. He was active in establishing a good school and securing competent teachers for it. He held many offices of importance and trust. He was chosen the first clerk of the village at its incorporation in 1834, being later one of its trustees and its president. He was later appointed commissioner of loans for Oneida county, and was often appealed to by those seeking advice in financial matters who knew his judgment and integrity could be relied upon. He was prominently identified with the establishment of Trinity Church, Camden, and it was through his efforts and, in a great measure, his generosity that the church edifice was built in 1844. He was its senior warden from the organization of the parish until his removal from the village.

Mr. Trowbridge was initiated into Masonry in Bridport, Vt., in March, 1813, and was shortly afterwards advanced to the Royal Arch. He filled various offices in lodge and chapter with credit. At different times he was honored with the appointment of deputy-grand master of his district. At the time of his death he was an honorary member of Palmyra Lodge, No. 248, and was the oldest Mason of the lodge where he was initiated.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CAMDEN, N. Y.:

- i. SUSAN ALIDA, b. Aug. 14, 1828; m. Sept. 10, 1850, Benjamin Franklin Ray of Utica, N. Y.
- ii. MARY ANN CAMP, b. Jan. 9, 1831; m. June 25, 1856, Spencer Stafford Eames and resides in Newark, N. Y.
- iii. MARIA LOUISE, b. Sept. 4, 1833; resides in Utica; unm.
- iv. JAMES LEWORTHY, b. July 8, 1835; d. aged 8 months.
- v. WILLIAM WHITING, b. Aug. 3, 1836; a bookkeeper; d. Oct 3, 1866, in Memphis, Tenn.
1097. vi. LAWRENCE DEFOREST, b. Apr. 25, 1850.

**1046.** GEORGE TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>1021</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 11, 1796, in Pomfret, Conn.; died September 23, 1888, in Camden, N. Y.; married September 29, 1829, in Pomfret, Juliana Allin, daughter of Capt. Daniel and Hannah (Wall) Allin, born May 20, 1805, in Providence, R. I.; died March 24, 1892, in Camden.

George Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in Abington in Pomfret, Conn., and assisted his father in its management. While living there he was commissioned lieutenant in the 11th Regiment Infantry, Connecticut militia. In 1826 he removed to Camden, Oneida county, N. Y., and was engaged in mercantile business with his older brother Artemas for a number of years. The store then stood on Main street, nearly opposite Washington street. Later

this building was moved down to the corner of Main and Mexico streets. His home was on the corner of Main and Washington streets, and is now owned by his children and outwardly is the same as when he built it in 1827.

Mr. Trowbridge was prominent in all the enterprises incident to the settlement of a new country. He was identified with the schools of the town for many years, holding the office of school superintendent. He was elected one of the assessors of the village at its incorporation in 1834. He was chosen one of the joint board of trustees of the Camden Cemetery Association in 1844. He was land agent, not only for lands in Camden, but for those in Florence and Vienna as well, comprising a very considerable territory. He continued to be an active and influential citizen in Camden until his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CAMDEN, N. Y. :\*

- 1098. i. CHARLES EDWARD, b. Feb. 3, 1831.
- ii. JULIA ALLIN, b. Jan. 20, 1833; m. July 18, 1854, William Wallace Chubbuck of Utica, N. Y. She d. Feb. 21, 1906, in New York City.†
- iii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Jan. 4, 1836; as a young man engaged in farming. Early in the Civil War he entered the army. He enlisted at Northbridge, Mass., July 1, 1861, for three years in Company K, 15th Massachusetts Infantry. He was in the battles of Balls Bluff and Chickamauga. He was discharged July 28, 1864, at the expiration of his time of service. He is blind from disease contracted in the army and resides with his youngest sister on the homestead in Camden. He is unmarried.
- iv. ELIZABETH PEARCE, b. Nov. 17, 1837; m. Apr. 27, 1881, Jerome Pike‡ and resides in Camden.§
- v. GEORGE FREDERICK, b. June 7, 1846; a farmer; d. June 25, 1871, in Camden; unm.

**1047.** CHARLES TROWBRIDGE (*Caleb*<sup>1021</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 14, 1800, in Pomfret, Conn.; died May 4, 1897, in Kewanee, Ill.; married January 18, 1837, in Marshall, N. Y., Esther Hart Peck, daughter of Silas and Mary (Todd) Peck, born November 13, 1815, in Marshall; died October 23, 1902, in Kewanee.

Charles Trowbridge remained with his parents on the homestead in Abington in Pomfret, Conn. He took an interest in military affairs and in 1827 was commissioned captain of the Seventh Company, 12th Regiment Infantry, Connecticut militia, holding his command in 1831-32 when it became the 11th Regiment.

After the death of his father, which occurred in the fall of 1830, he continued managing the farm for a few years and then followed his brothers to Oneida county, N. Y., where he married and engaged in farming. In 1838 he and his wife emigrated to Concord, Lake county, Ohio, where he continued farming until 1859, when he removed with his family to Kewanee, Ill. During his residence in that city he devoted considerable time to Masonry, organizing and instructing lodges, he being deputy-grand master of Illinois. He was also for many years senior warden of St. John's (P. E.) Church in Kewanee.

The following notice was printed in a Kewanee newspaper at the time of his last birthday: "Charles Trowbridge of this place this week celebrated his 97th birthday. He is the oldest Mason in the state and probably in the United States. In 1825 he joined Putnam Lodge at Pomfret, Conn., and has been an active member of the order ever since. For eighteen years he presided over the Kewanee Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, and for ten years he was the presiding officer in both lodge and chapter in this city."

\* Except i, who was born in Pomfret, Conn.

† In 1873 Mrs. Chubbuck was appointed a clerk in the inquiry branch of the New York post office, where she served continuously for 33 years. Her employment was in deciphering illegible addresses arriving at the office and millions of people in the United States are indebted to her skill.

‡ See No. 1021, ii.

§ Mrs. Pike has expressed great interest in this genealogy and has given much assistance to the compiler in gathering the records of her branch of the family.





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## CHILDREN :\*

- i. HELEN JOSEPHINE, b. Apr. 13, 1841; m. Jan. 3, 1861, Moses Willson and resides in Blue Hill, Neb.  
 1099. ii. CHARLES WINFIELD, b. Mar. 7, 1852.

**1048.** DEA. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1019</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 16, 1790, in Worcester, Mass.; died November 20, 1880, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; married November 26, 1812, in Worcester, Dorothy Chapin, daughter of Thaddeus and Lucy (Whitney) Chapin, born November 4, 1789, in Worcester; died January 1, 1844, in Sheboygan Falls.

William Trowbridge after acquiring an excellent common school education began work at blacksmithing and whitesmithing. Soon after completing his trade, in company with his father, youngest brother and brother-in-law Mr. Chapin, he engaged in cotton spinning, their factory being on the homestead in Trowbridgeville near Worcester, Mass. He held several minor town offices, among which may be mentioned those of school-visitor and highway surveyor. In 1830 he removed to Tompkins county, N. Y., where he established and conducted a cutlery factory for several years. In 1837 he emigrated with his family to Wisconsin. The first winter was spent with his son-in-law Charles D. Cole, one of the first settlers of Sheboygan, and the same winter Mr. Trowbridge opened a blacksmith shop, the family having in the meantime found a home in a blockhouse near the present site of the Trowbridge farmhouse. There was not a settler then between their home and the Falls, and none west of there. Plymouth was not known and there were not more than fifteen habitations in Sheboygan, while timber and heavy brush covered almost the entire site of the present city. There were no roads and only Indian trails. Sheboygan Falls had only about five residences besides the old sawmill and many Indians were about. In 1836 the present site of 240 acres of the Trowbridge farm was purchased at \$1.25 per acre near the present village of Sheboygan Falls. This farm was two miles west of the village on the Fond du Lac road. There he continued to reside until his death, living a life that in its intrinsic faithfulness, simplicity and activity in all good works was a model to all with whom he came in contact.

Mr. Trowbridge was a member of the Baptist Church and served as one of its deacons for over forty years. In the early days there were no churches or school-houses and religious services were held in a small office, 16x20 feet, belonging to David Giddings at the Falls. He was the pioneer preacher of Sheboygan county and for many years, before the regular ministers were sent there, frequently served the hardy settlers in that sacred capacity. He was sent for from far and near to preach funeral sermons, his trips often being made on horseback or on foot. It is said that he preached two hundred and fifty funeral sermons. He was also an honored member of the Masonic fraternity, and at the time of his death was probably the oldest Mason in Wisconsin. He was quite vigorous both in mind and body until the close of his long life, and died universally respected for his purity of character and his interest in the welfare of all mankind.

"There was no sham about Deacon Trowbridge's piety. He was sincerity itself. Fifty years ago last winter the little village was visited by a smallpox epidemic. The first Sunday after the dreaded disease made its appearance, the deacon's congregation was quite large. At the end of the services he made an announcement in about these words: 'These services will be postponed until after the smallpox disappears from the community. From this on I shall give my services to the stricken families. I shall minister to their wants, help nurse them, and when they die follow them to the grave. It may be a long term, or it may be a short term; but, however long or however short,

\* Mr. Charles W. Trowbridge (No. ii, above) wrote, "I feel certain that the house I was born in was on the north side of the line, in Painesville, Ohio, and that my sister was born in Concord, Ohio, the adjoining township."

it is my plain duty to help my distressed neighbors.' The word was well suited to the action which followed. The good old deacon hurried to his home, changed his clothes, bade his family good-bye, and at once began his work of mercy. The epidemic lasted nearly all winter; large numbers died; few in the village escaped the disease. The deacon's example was followed by others. The strangest of all this strange experience is the fact that neither the deacon, the good souls who imitated his example or their families, were overtaken by the malady, notwithstanding the fact that the watchers, helpers and nurses were almost constantly in the presence of the suffering patients, notwithstanding the fact that they laid out and helped to bury the dead.

"Nearly half of the deacon's congregation had disappeared when, the next spring, he resumed services in the schoolhouse. It was a sorrowful Sunday. Those in the audience who had not lost members of their family had lost neighbors and dear friends. When the good old Christian had read a chapter, prayed and talked a practical sermon, he referred feelingly to the scenes through which the community had passed. I think every man, woman and child in the room, including the deacon, wept. At the close of the talk he asked all present to join him on their knees in asking that the community might escape such visitations for all time to come. It was a most earnest appeal. I believe that that prayer has been answered. There may have been a few cases of small-pox there since then, but there has never been an epidemic.

"The Sunday after Sumter was fired upon, and while Deacon Trowbridge was conducting services in the Baptist church, the denomination to which he belonged for over eighty years, he and his congregation were disturbed by a great commotion in the street right in front of the church. There was beating of drums and sounds of fife, much out of tune. It was so uncommon a thing that most of the congregation walked or ran out of the church. Finally, the deacon closed the Bible and slowly followed his flock. When outside he asked the cause of 'this unseemly disturbance on the Lord's day.' Someone told him that the President had called for soldiers to uphold the honor and the flag of the nation, and that they were going to raise a company right then and there.

"The old deacon's eyes flashed as he walked out into the street, where a young fellow was irregularly pounding a bass drum, and said: 'Nathan, I know it is Sunday, and that all but the Lord's work should be abandoned; but the saving of our country and the shielding of its flag from dishonor is the Lord's work. Give me that drum.' And that model of piety strapped on the big drum and went pounding, greatly out-doing Nathan in two respects—he made more noise and kept perfect time. He drummed as no one before had ever drummed in the little village. As if it had gone on lightning wings, word flew through the community that Deacon Trowbridge had left his pulpit to beat a drum, and on Sunday, too. Within half an hour nearly every one in town and many from the outskirts had gathered around the old drummer, all cheering him, and on Sunday, too. That night Nathan Cole,\* who had been relieved as drummer by the deacon, went to Sheboygan with enough men to make up what became Company C of the Fourth Wisconsin." [J. A. Watrous in Chicago *Times-Herald*.]

CHILDREN BORN IN WORCESTER, MASS.:

- i. SARAH WILSON, b. Oct. 6, 1813; m. Aug. 22, 1831. Charles D. Cole of Sheboygan Falls, Wis.
- ii. LUCY CHAPIN, b. July 15, 1815; m. Jan. 1, 1835. Albert Rounseville of Sheboygan Falls.
1100. iii. BENJAMIN CHAPIN, b. Sept. 1, 1817.
1101. iv. WILLIAM SETH, b. Aug. 8, 1819.
1102. v. JAMES LEWIS, b. Aug. 18, 1822.
- vi. DOROTHY CHAPIN, b. Jan. 17, 1825; m. June 7, 1842. Hon. David Giddings of Fond du Lac, Wis.
- vii. THADDEUS CHAPIN, b. Aug. 14, 1827; d. Dec. 9, 1852. in Marysville, Cal.; unm.
- viii. JOHN, b. Jan. 16, 1830; d. July 9, 1853, at sea, on a voyage to California; unm.

1049. DR. JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 10, 1792, in Worcester, Mass.; died July 25, 1846, in Spring Prairie, Wis.; married March 3, 1816, in Western, † Mass., Olive Sackett, daughter of Adner and Mary (Barker) Sackett. She married, second, Simeon Beekwith of Hinsdale, N. Y., and died February 17, 1871, in Allegany, N. Y., aged 71 years.

\* A grandson of Deacon Trowbridge.

† Now Warren.



James Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in Trowbridgeville, Worcester, Mass., and attended the village school. He then began the study of medicine in his native town. During the War of 1812 he offered his professional services to the government. He was appointed by Col. Salem Towne surgeon's mate in the 2d Regiment of Light Troops, Massachusetts militia, and served in that capacity at South Boston from September 20 to November 1, 1814.\*

Doctor Trowbridge early in his married life settled in Hinsdale, Cattaraugus county, N. Y., where he was one of the early physicians. About 1839 he moved with his family to Girard, Erie county, Pa., and thence to Ohio, where he lived for a short time in Kingsville, Ashtabula county, and then in Perry, Lake county. In 1842 he removed with his family to Spring Prairie, Walworth county, Wis., where he died four years later. After the death of Doctor Trowbridge his widow returned with her children to her old home in the state of New York, where she subsequently remarried.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HINSDALE,† N. Y. :

- i. FITZ-JAMES, b. Oct. 27, 1816; d. Dec. 4, 1816.
- ii. CLARISSA ANN, b. Dec. 7, 1817; m. Samuel Kinyon of Allegany, N. Y.
- iii. ACHSAR CECILIA, b. Mar. 17, 1820; m. Samuel Barker of Allegany.
- 1103. iv. FITZ-JAMES, b. Feb. 6, 1822.
- 1104. v. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Feb. 26, 1824.
- 1105. vi. CHARLES HERSEY, b. Jan. 12, 1826.
- 1106. vii. ALPHEUS MARSHALL, b. May 8, 1828.
- viii. MARY ELIZA, b. Oct. 30, 1831; m. Sept. 9, 1850, William Whitlock of Allegany.
- 1107. ix. EDWIN GOING, b. May 31, 1834.
- x. ADNER SACKETT, b. Jan. 2, 1837; d. May 27, 1849, in Allegany.

1050. DEA. ELIJAH HERSEY TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 27, 1794, in Worcester, Mass.; died February 9, 1868, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; married May 15, 1818, in Leicester, Mass., Eliza Ann Cutting, daughter of Darius and Sally (Waite) Cutting, born January 19, 1799, in Leicester; died November 2, 1884, in Windsor, Cal.

Elijah H. Trowbridge was reared on the family homestead in Worcester, Mass., and settled there after his marriage. He was occupied in farming in Trowbridgeville and was also associated with his father, oldest brother and brother-in-law in the cotton factory that they built and conducted there. During that time he held several of the less important offices in the town. In 1829 he removed with his family to Ithaca, N. Y., and in 1847 followed his oldest brother to Sheboygan Falls, Wis., then almost a wilderness. Both in Ithaca and Sheboygan Falls he was engaged in the foundry and machine shop business. He also had a farm near the Falls. He was for many years a deacon in the Congregational church in Sheboygan Falls.

## CHILDREN :‡

- 1108. i. FORDYCE CUTTING, b. Apr. 5, 1819.
- ii. ELIZA MATILDA, b. Dec. 14, 1821; d. Sept. 21, 1823.
- 1109. iii. HORACE, b. May 25, 1824.
- 1110. iv. GEORGE OTIS, b. May 13, 1826.
- v. ELIZA ANN, b. Dec. 22, 1830; m. Dec. 26, 1848, Benjamin Franklin Field of Beloit, Wis., and resides in Charleston, W. Va.
- vi. SARAIL, b. Apr. 17, 1833; d. in childhood.
- 1111. vii. CHARLES AUGUSTUS, b. Nov. 17, 1835.
- viii. WILLIAM DARIUS, b. Apr. 19, 1838; d. Sept. 8, 1838.

\* U. S. Pension Office Records. Under the Act of March 3, 1855, his son Edwin, then a minor, received at the age of twenty-one a warrant for 160 acres of land for his father's services in the war.

† Taken from Olean township in 1820.

‡ i-iv born in Worcester, Mass.; the others in Ithaca, N. Y.

- ix. LEWIS CHAPIN, b. Feb. 14, 1839; was brought in infancy by his parents to Sheboygan Falls, Wis., and there grew to manhood. As a young man he learned the trade of watchmaking and was in business with his brother Charles. He enlisted there early in the Civil War, and was enrolled Sept. 16, 1861, and was appointed a corporal in Company C, 1st Wisconsin Infantry. He was in a number of battles and was promoted sergeant and later, May 11, 1864, first lieutenant. He was taken prisoner at the battle of Chickamauga, Sept. 20, 1863, and was thirteen months a prisoner of war at Libby, Danville and Andersonville prisons. His sufferings there were very severe. He made his escape from Andersonville and arrived in Sherman's lines at Atlanta, Ga., in rags and without shoes, after walking eleven days and nights. He was in the service three years and was discharged Oct. 14, 1864, at Milwaukee, Wis. He went into the jewelry business with his brother Charles after leaving the army. He resided in Sheboygan Falls and then in Fond du Lac, Wis., finally settling in Rapid City, S. D., his present residence. He and his brother Charles have been in business together about fifty years. He was elected county auditor in 1900. He is unmarried.

**1051.** MAJOR JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 14, 1775, in Newton, Mass.; died November 14, 1835, in Portland, Me.; married April 4, 1799, in Newton, Eunice Stone,\* daughter of James and Sarah (Billings) Stone, born July 14, 1776, in Newton; died October 26, 1852, in Portland.

John Trowbridge settled after his marriage in Charlestown, Mass., where he lived two years. In the spring of 1802 he removed with his family to Portland, Me., where he conducted a large soap business until his death. In his younger days he commanded a company of cavalry, and from that time he was known by the title of "Major."

CHILDREN BORN IN PORTLAND, ME.:†

- i. ELIZABETH WISWALL, b. Aug. 16, 1800; m. Oct. 5, 1819, George Eaton of Portland.
- ii. JULIA, b. Aug. 11, 1802; m. Nov. 5, 1846, Levi Williams of Portland.
1112. iii. DANIEL, b. Feb. 9, 1804.
1113. iv. CHARLES, b. Sept. 13, 1805.
- v. ALMIRA, b. Mar. 12, 1807; m.‡ Benjamin White Kingsbury of Newton, Mass.
1114. vi. JONATHAN HOMER, b. Oct. 24, 1808.
- vii. MARY ANN, b. June 21, 1810; m. Nov. 12, 1836, Dea. Sewall Cole Chase of Portland.
- viii. ELLEN, b. Dec. 15, 1812; d. Apr. 3, 1819.
- ix. CATHARINE, b. Mar. 25, 1815; d. Aug. 19, 1815.

**1052.** EDMUND TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 16, 1777, in Newton, Mass.; died August —, 1854, in Boston, Mass.; married October 30, 1800, in Newton, Mary Stone.§ daughter of James and Sarah (Billings) Stone, born March 2, 1778, in Newton; died May 25, 1879, in Boston.

Edmund Trowbridge settled in Watertown, Mass., where he lived until about 1815, when he removed to Boston, Mass., where he resided until his death.||

CHILDREN BORN IN WATERTOWN, MASS.:\*\*

1115. i. EDMUND, b. Sept. 13, 1801.
- ii. LUCY PEIRCE, b. Oct. 20, 1803; m. ———, 1829, Augustus Baird of Boston, Mass.††

\* A sister of the wife of his brother No. 1052.

† Except i, who was born in Charlestown, Mass.

‡ Intention published Nov. 8, 1835.

§ A sister of the wife of his brother No. 1051.

|| No data for a biographical sketch were furnished. In a deed made in 1817 he is described as "Edmund Trowbridge of Boston, Gent."

\*\* Except vii, who was born in Boston, Mass.

†† See No. 1131.

1116. iii. CHARLES, b. Sept. 15, 1805.  
 1117. iv. JAMES, b. Dec. 28, 1807.  
       v. ANN MARIA, b. Mar. 16, 1810; d. Sept. 16, 1821.  
       vi. WILLIAM, b. Apr. 12, 1813; d. Feb. 1, 1814.  
 1118. vii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Jan. 9, 1823.

**1053.** COL. WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 23, 1779, in Newton, Mass.; died July 18, 1826, in Newton; married November 18, 1806, in Newton, Anna Woodward, daughter of Dea. Ebenezer and Catharine (Fuller) Woodward, born January 5, 1782, in Newton; died May 28, 1858, in Newton.

William Trowbridge resided all his life in his native town, Newton, Mass. He held the office of school commissioner and was also a colonel in the Massachusetts militia.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:

1119. i. ORIS, b. Jan. 18, 1808.  
 ii. LUCY WOODWARD, b. Oct. 3, 1811; m. Nov. 10, 1831, Joel Jenison of Newton.

**1054.** NATHANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 7, 1784, in Newton, Mass.; died October 23, 1842, in Newton; married December 21, 1806, in Boston, Mass., Martha Hall, daughter of Moses and Martha (———) Hall, born March 7, 1780, in Medford, Mass.; died February 27, 1851, in Newton.

Nathaniel Trowbridge resided all of his life on a farm in his native town, Newton, Mass. He was also in business there as a carpenter and builder.

## CHILDREN:\*

1120. i. JAMES NATHANIEL, b. Jan. 19, 1808.  
 ii. MARY HALL, b. July 31, 1809; m. Sept. 28, 1828, Rufus Newcomb of Boston, Mass.  
 1121. iii. ALMARIN, b. Nov. 24, 1811.  
 iv. LOUISA HALL, b. May 22, 1814; m. Aug. 10, 1847, Samuel Carr of Charlestown, Mass.  
 v. MARTHA HALL, b. June 6, 1816; m., 1st, Sept. 20, 1838, Jouathan Newcomb of Boston; m., 2d, Apr. 8, 1845, Capt. John Randolph Drake of Easton, Mass.  
 1122. vi. JOHN, b. May 3, 1817.  
 vii. ANNA WOODWARD, b. Dec. 3, 1820; m. Oct. 2, 1843, Daniel Jacobs Brown of Roxbury, Mass.  
 1123. viii. WILLIAM, b. Apr. 17, 1822.  
 ix. FREDERICK JONES, b. Feb. 15, 1824; d. Jan. 2, 1888, in Bath, Ga.; unm.  
 1124. x. ISAAC COFFIN, b. Aug. 20, 1826.  
 xi. CATHARINE WOODWARD, b. May 1, 1832; m. Jan. 6, 1869, Sidney Gould and resides in Jersey City, N. J.

**1055.** REUBEN TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 13, 1789, in Newton, Mass.; died February 10, 1876, in Baltimore, Md.; married December 31, 1817, in Baltimore, Eliza Smith, daughter of Enoch and Eliza (———) Smith?, born January 9, 1796, in Newton?; died October 2, 1854, in Baltimore.

Reuben Trowbridge learned the trade of a carpenter. In early manhood he removed to Baltimore, Md., and for many years followed his trade in that city, living a quiet and uneventful life.

During the War of 1812 he was one of the defenders of Baltimore at the time of the bombardment of Fort McHenry by the British. He enlisted August 19, 1814, in Capt. Andrew Smith's company, 5th Regiment, Maryland militia. He

\* i born in Boston, Mass., by his death record; the others in Newton, Mass., except iii, who was born during a temporary stay of his parents in Quebec, Canada.

participated in the battle of North Point, September 12, 1814, and later served in the defence of Fort McHenry. He was in the service ninety-two days and was discharged November 18, 1814.\* He was for many years and up to the time of his death a member of the Old Defenders' Association, a body composed of those survivors of the battle who lived in or near Baltimore. For his services in the war he was awarded a pension in 1871.

## CHILD BORN IN BALTIMORE, MD.:

1125. i. JAMES ARMITAGE, b. June 2, 1830.

**1056.** ELISHA TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 3, 1797, in Newton, Mass.; died February 16, 1880, in Portland, Me.; married June 13,† 1822, in Boston, Mass., Margaret Stimpson, daughter of William and Catharine (Rappalye) Stimpson, born November 4, 1799, in Charlestown, Mass.; died August 10, 1885, in Portland.

Elisha Trowbridge settled soon after his marriage in Portland, Me., where he established himself in the chandlery business. His eldest son in due time became associated with him and they had an extensive trade, shipping their candles to all parts of the United States and abroad. After the former's death Mr. Trowbridge sold his factory and retired from active business life. He continued to reside in Portland, however, until his death about ten years later.

Mr. Trowbridge was a very superior man and was a prominent and highly respected citizen of Portland for more than fifty years. He went there a young man, and from that time took an active part in the affairs of the city. He held many offices of public trust and was a member of the Maine legislature for many years. He was several times nominated for mayor of Portland, but always declined that honor, as one exacting too much time for the interest of his business. He was also an active and influential member of the old Third Congregational Church, with which he had united soon after his arrival in Portland.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PORTLAND, ME.:

- 1126. i. EDWARD ROBBINS, b. Mar. 12, 1823.
- 1127. ii. HENRY ELISHA, b. Mar. 5, 1825.
- 1128. iii. WILLIAM STIMPSON, b. June 3, 1827.
- 1129. iv. GEORGE NEWELL, b. Mar. 24, 1831.
- v. MARY ELIZABETH, b. May 16, 1833; resides in Portland; unm.
- vi. MARGARET LOUISA, b. Aug. 17, 1835; m. Feb. 19, 1867, John Q. A. Hanson of Dover, N. H.
- 1130. vii. CHARLES IRVING, b. May 21, 1837.

**1057.** STEPHEN WINCHESTER TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 26, 1802, in Newton, Mass.; died October 10, 1853, in Newton; married May 4, 1826, in Boston, Mass., Sarah Emmons Murdock, daughter of Amasa and Sally (Crane) Murdock, born March 13, 1806, in Boston; died June 4, 1886, in Newton.

Stephen W. Trowbridge lived all of his life in his native town, Newton, Mass., where he followed the trade of a wheelwright. He served the town as a selectman.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:

- i. SARAH MURDOCK, b. Mar. 7, 1827; m. Apr. 2, 1846, Ethan Wetherbee and resides in Newton.
- ii. ADELINE FULLER, b. Oct. 23, 1828; m. Aug. 18, 1852, George W. Hall of Newton.
- iii. ELIZA DAVIS, b. Apr. 4, 1831; m. May 29, 1849, Benjamin S. Wetherbee and resides in Newton.
- 1131. iv. STEPHEN WINCHESTER, b. Oct. 5, 1834.
- 1132. v. FRANCIS MORTIMER, b. Nov. 10, 1839.
- 1133. vi. THEODORE WILLIAM, b. June 5, 1845.

\* U. S. Pension Office Records; "Muster Roll of Citizen Soldiers at North Point and Fort McHenry."

† By family records; Nov. 21 by Boston City Records.

**1058.** SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 19, 1784, in Newton, Mass.; died June 3, 1875, in Newton; married April 24, 1808, in Newton, Dorothy Richards, daughter of James and Dorothy (Packard) Richards, born August 5, 1789, in Newton; died December 21, 1847, in Newton.

Samuel Trowbridge learned the mason's trade and was engaged in that business in his native town, first in Newtonville and later in Newton Center. He held the office of selectman and was a member of the First Baptist Church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON,\* MASS.:

- i. EVELINA, b. Sept. 8, 1809; m. Mar. 21, 1839, Ramsay Hope Bacon of Newton.
- 1134. ii. ASA RICHARDS, b. Mar. 26, 1811.
- 1135. iii. ALPHEUS, b. Feb. 14, 1814.
- iv. DOROTHY, b. July 1, 1815; d. Aug. 28, 1815.
- v. SAMUEL, b. July 15, 1817; d. Dec. 8, 1817.
- vi. LUCIUS FULLER, b. Apr. 12, 1831; served in the Civil War in Company K, 32d Massachusetts Infantry, being mustered in Aug. 13, 1862. He d. Dec. 29, 1862, in the army hospital in Falmouth, Va.; unm. His name is on the Soldiers' Monument in Newton cemetery.

**1059.** NATHAN TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 20, 1788, in Newton, Mass.; died December 14, 1873, in Newton; married, first, April 21, 1814, in Newton, Charlotte Wiswall,† daughter of William and Elizabeth (Craft) Wiswall, born April 20, 1791, in Newton; died January 27, 1837, in Newton. He married, second, October 25, 1838, in Newton, Beulah Ward, daughter of Samuel and Esther (Murdock) Ward, born June 2, 1795, in Newton; died September 27, 1878, in Newton.

Nathan Trowbridge was engaged in farming all of his life in his native town, Newton, Mass. He inherited his father's homestead, the original Trowbridge farm. He was a selectman of the town.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:

*By first marriage:‡*

- i. ELIZA WISWALL, b. Jan. 5, 1815; m. Mar. 6, 1839, Charles S. Pulsifer of Newtonville, Mass.
- 1136. ii. GEORGE, b. Dec. 18, 1816.
- iii. REUBEN, b. June 14, 1821; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted Dec. 20, 1861, in Company E, 12th Maine Infantry, was transferred Nov. 19, 1864, to Company C, 12th Regiment, and was mustered out Mar. 15, 1865. He was for a time in the coal business, but for many years prior to his death had been in no active business. He d. Feb. 27, 1906, in Boston, Mass.; unm.
- 1137. iv. EBENEZER DAVIS, b. July 2, 1823.
- 1138. v. ASA, b. July 12, 1825.
- 1139. vi. JAMES BATES, b. May 9, 1827.
- 1140. vii. EDWARD BROOKS, b. Nov. 20, 1829.

**1060.** ASA TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 20, 1793, in Newton, Mass.; died January 20, 1825, in Waltham, Mass.; married May 7, 1815, in Newton, Nancy Ann Wiswall,§ daughter of William and Elizabeth (Craft) Wiswall, born March 12, 1796, in Newton. She married, second, February 15, 1834, in Newton, Edward Dexter Brooks of Newtonville, Mass., and died February 19, 1867, in Newtonville.

\* i-iv born in Newtonville; the others in Newton Center.

† A sister of the wife of his brother No. 1060.

‡ No children by second marriage. The births of i-ii are not on record; iii-iv born in Newton Corner; the others in Newtonville.

§ A sister of the wife of his brother No. 1059.

Asa Trowbridge settled in his native town, Newton, Mass., and there conducted a soap chandlery business. He died by accident in the neighboring village of Waltham, Mass.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:

1141. i. WILLIAM WISWALL, b. Mar. 2, 1816.  
 ii. EDWIN N.\* b. Dec. 19, 1817; was in the soap business with his brother; killed by lightning June 12, 1838, in Newton; unm.  
 1142. iii. HENRY, b. Aug. 31, 1819.  
 1143. iv. CHARLES PELHAM, b. Sept. 11, 1821.  
 1144. v. JOSEPH CRAFT, b. Sept. 1, 1823.

**1061.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 18, 1762, in Groton, Mass.; died July 3, 1828, in Waldoboro, Me.; married ———, 1786, in Waldoboro?, Sarah Soule, daughter of Nathan and Sarah (———) Soule, born ———, 1763, in Duxbury, Mass.; died January 3, 1847, in Waldoboro.

John Trowbridge at the age of fifteen years became a soldier in the Revolution. He enlisted in Groton, Mass., his native place, May 10, 1777, for two months in Capt. John Minott's company, Col. Josiah Whitney's regiment, Massachusetts militia, raised for service in Rhode Island. He was stationed at Warwick Neck, and was discharged June 9, 1777.† He re-enlisted July 7, 1777, for six months in Capt. Nathaniel Lakin's company, Col. John Robinson's regiment, which was raised for defense of Boston Harbor, and during the latter part of his term of enlistment was stationed at North Kingston, R. I.‡ He re-enlisted March 31, § 1778, for three months in Capt. Isaac Wood's company, Col. Jonathan Reed's regiment, the 1st Regiment of guards, which was on duty at Cambridge.¶ He re-enlisted July 6, 1778, for six months and was drummer in Capt. Joseph Boynton's company, Col. Nathaniel Wade's regiment, raised for service in Rhode Island, was stationed at East Greenwich, and was discharged January 1, 1779.\*\* He re-enlisted July 1, 1779, for nine months and served as drummer in Capt. Edmund Munro's company, Col. Timothy Bigelow's (15th Massachusetts) regiment, and was discharged April 20, 1780.†† He re-enlisted July 8, ‡‡ 1780, for six months in Capt. Joshua Benson's company, Col. Rufus Putnam's (5th Massachusetts) regiment of light infantry, served at the Garrison at West Point, and was discharged there January 9, 1781.§§

John Trowbridge went to Maine in 1784 and settled in what is now Waldoboro, Lincoln county. He there bought a farm and engaged in farming, being thus occupied until his death. His homestead lay two miles out of Waldoboro village, in the so-called "Slaigo" district on Medomak Bay.

\* Initial only. These children were bapt. as "child of Asa deceased and Charlotte" (their aunt, wife of No. 1059). [First Congregational Church Records.]

† Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 2, roll 213. It would be natural to suppose that "John Trowbridge of Groton" who performed the above term of service as well as the next two terms was his father rather than he, were it not that the roll of this company was signed "John Trowbridge, Jr." ["Groton During the Revolution," p. 141.] These first three terms of service were not mentioned in his widow's application for a pension.

‡ Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 2, roll 184; vol. 41, roll 125.

§ Apr. 1 by Ditto, vol. 24, roll 56; "From Apr. 2" by Ditto, vol. 46, roll 23.

¶ He served three months and four days by Ditto, vol. 24, roll 56; Ditto, vol. 46, roll 23; Ditto, roll 24; "New England Historical and Genealogical Register," vol. 50, pp. 18, 478.

\*\* Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 1, p. 63; (his name also appears as *John Strowbridge* in another muster roll during this period of service;) U. S. Pension Office Records, where his widow shortly before his death filed an application for a pension on the grounds of this last service.

†† U. S. Pension Office Records.

‡‡ July 4 by Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 4, p. 81; July 9 by U. S. Pension Office Records.

§§ Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 50, file 9. "Time of arrival at Springfield, July 9, 1780: 11th Division; marched to camp July 11, 1780, under command of Ensign Baneroft. Received of Justin Ely, Commissioner, by Brig.-Gen. John Glover, at Springfield, July 11, 1780." [Ditto, vol. 35, p. 192.] "Return dated, Camp Totoway, Oct. 25, 1780," [Ditto, vol. 25, p. 224.] Also Ditto, vol. 27, p. 12; Ditto, vol. 54, part 3, file 7.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WALDOBORO, ME.:

1145. i. JOHN. } twins.  
 1146. ii. JAMES, } b. Oct. 15, 1787.  
 iii. WILLIAM, } twins,  
 iv. CALEB, } b. Jan. 2, 1791; "both died in early childhood."\*  
 v. SABRA, b. ———, 1793; d. aged about 75 years in Waldoboro: unm.  
 vi. CLARISSA, b. ———, 1796; d. Mar. 11, 1805.  
 1147. vii. NATHAN SOULE, b. Aug. 28, 1800.

**1062.** PHINEAS† TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 2, 1775, in Groton, Mass.; died April 19, 1834, in Westford, Mass.; married ———, 1818, in Dunstable, Mass., Rebecca (Nutting) Emerson, widow of Jonathan Emerson of Dunstable and daughter of Daniel and Mary (Lawrence) Nutting, born ———, 1784, in Groton; died March 16, 1866, in Leominster, Mass.

Phineas Trowbridge went to sea at the age of sixteen and followed that occupation until he was forty, becoming first mate under Captain Delano. He settled after his marriage in Westford, Mass. He later went to Boston, Mass., where he opened the Roebuck Tavern. By its destruction by fire a few years later he lost most of his property, and he returned to Westford, where he was engaged in farming until his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WESTFORD, MASS.:

1148. i. ALBERT BLAKE, b. Sept. 11, 1819.  
 ii. ELIZA ANN, b. Nov. 19, 1820; m. Mar. 23, 1841, Charles Gould of Leominster, Mass.  
 1149. iii. PHINEAS PARKER, b. Sept. 3, 1822.  
 iv. ANN MARIA, b. Nov. 11, 1824; m. Jan. 28, 1848, Abram DeCamp of Leominster.  
 1150. v. CHARLES AVERY, b. June 12, 1826.

**1063.** JEPHTAH TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 13, 1783, in Groton, Mass.; died July 21, 1825, in Westford, Mass.; married November 10, 1816, in Westford, Parnelia Chandler, daughter of William and Joanna (Reed) Chandler, born March 30, 1793, in Westford. She married, second, May 24, 1829, in Westford, Ebenezer Tidd of Westford, and died August 26, 1841, in Westford.

Jepthah Trowbridge was a carpenter by trade and went to sea in that capacity at the age of twenty, making eleven voyages to China. He then settled in Westford, Mass., where he died a few years later.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WESTFORD, MASS.:

1151. i. JOHN, b. June 27, 1817.  
 1152. ii. GEORGE NELSON, b. Jan. 13, 1819.  
 iii. CEMANTHA, b. Mar. 4, 1820; m. Apr. 27, 1846, Dexter B. Sprague of Phillips, Me.  
 1153. iv. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 8, 1821.  
 v. JEPHTAH, b. May 14, 1823; a soldier in the Mexican War; d. Oct. 15, 1847, in the City of Mexico; unm.

**1064.** CAPT. LUTHER TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>1027</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1014</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 22, 1797, in Pepperell, Mass.; died May 30, 1881, in Clarkstown, Tenn.; married November 15, 1822, in Westford, Mass., Abigail Prescott, daughter of David and Mary (Blood) Prescott, born February 16, 1793, in Westford; died July —, 1881, in Clarkstown.

\* Inscription on the gravestone of their sister Clarissa. They were killed while coasting on Thomas hill near their home.

† He is stated to have had a middle initial "P." by his widow in her declaration for a pension for services of her first husband in the War of 1812, but he had no such initial by the family register.

Luther Trowbridge is supposed to have been the man of his name who served in the War of 1812 from August 3, 1813, to September 16, 1813, in Capt. Abraham Hubbard's company, Connecticut militia.\* He served from July 30, 1814, to November 3, 1814, in Capt. Abel Tarbell's company, Massachusetts militia, being stationed during the whole of his term of service at Fort Warren in Boston Harbor,† at the time when an attack on the city was confidently expected. He was awarded a pension.

He settled in Westford, Mass., where he owned and conducted an iron forge at Forge village, his being one of three forges in the town. About 1840 he removed with his family to Warren, Mass., where he engaged in farming. About 1856 he removed to Clarkstown, near Sparta, White county, Tenn., where he passed the remainder of his life as a farmer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WESTFORD, MASS.:

- i. ABIGAIL PRESCOTT, b. Jan. 31, 1824; m. Dec. 5, 1844, Chauncey Davis of Enfield, Conn.
- ii. LYDIA ANN, b. July 29, 1825; m. Dec. 28, 1843, David Arnold Burroughs of Warren, Mass., and resides in West Townshend, Vt.
1154. iii. LUTHER PRESCOTT, b. June 6, 1827.
- iv. SAMUEL OLIVER, b. ———, 1828; d. Nov. 4, 1842, in Warren.
1155. v. ANDREW JACKSON, b. June 2, 1832.
- vi. ALONZO, b. ———, 1834; d. aged 1 month.

**1065.** SAMUEL GILSON TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>1027</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1014</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 28, 1806, in Pepperell, Mass.; died ———, 183—, in ———, Ark.; married ———, 1830?, in Fair Haven?, Vt., Rebecca Dodge, daughter of Noah and Rebecca (Cameron) Dodge, born ———, 1812, in Glover?, Vt. She married, second, Alfred Ward of Hampton, N. Y. She married, third, William Poore of Poultney, Vt.

Samuel G. Trowbridge went West soon after his marriage. He was of a roving nature and continually pressed on towards the frontier. He is thought to have died in Arkansas, where it is said he was mayor of a town and was confined in prison during some political controversy of that day.‡

## CHILD BORN IN FAIR HAVEN, VT.?:

- i. ELEANOR, b. about 1830; d. aged about 2 years.

**1066.** EDMUND TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 29, 1777, in Framingham, Mass.; died February 7, 1865, in Framingham; married March 8, 1800, in Western,§ Mass., Hannah Wheeler, born February 1, 1777,|| in Western; died June 6, 1857, in Framingham.

Edmund Trowbridge passed his life as a farmer in his native town, Framingham, Mass. He lived about two miles out of the village. He was a pleasant, genial man and lived a quiet life. He was afflicted with blindness for about eight years before his death, but took his misfortune very calmly. He was a member of the Congregational church, and, after his age and blindness prevented his attending church, he greatly enjoyed the prayer meetings frequently held at his home, which were well attended, his minister being usually present. His house was presided over by his kindly daughter Anna, and his city grandchildren always looked forward with pleasure to the summers they spent at his home in Framingham.

\* "Connecticut Men in the War of 1812."

† U. S. Pension Office Records, which credit him with service to Nov. 3, although he states he received his discharge at Fort Warren on Oct. 10. He states: "The enemy's vessels were in sight all the time, but we had no engagements."

‡ His silver-trimmed bowie knife is in the possession of relatives of his widow in Poultney, Vt.

§ Now Warren.

|| According to her age given at her death: "80 years, 4 months and 5 days."



## CHILDREN BORN IN FRAMINGHAM, MASS.:

- i. LOUISA, b. Nov. 26, 1800; m. William Jordan of Framingham.
- 1156. ii. CHARLES, b. Oct. 1, 1802.
- 1157. iii. GEORGE AVERY, b. Mar. 26, 1805.
- iv. ALLYNE FRANCES, b. Aug. 16, 1807; m. Mar. 2, 1824, Col. William Hemmenway of Framingham.
- v. MARY BENT, b. July 31, 1811; m. Dec. 1, 1836, Edward Goodnow of Framingham.
- vi. JOHN, b. June 21, 1814; d. Aug. 1, 1815.
- vii. ANNA STONE, b. Mar. 18, 1816; d. Mar. 15, 1889, in Framingham; unm.
- viii. SARAH ALVORD, b. Sept. 8, 1818; m. Apr. 30, 1845, Charles Brown of Cordaville, Mass.

**1067.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 12, 1778, in Framingham, Mass.; died January 28, 1841, in Cambridgeport, Mass.; married May 6, 1804, in Framingham. Sally Howe, daughter of Col. Ezekiel and Sarah (Read) Howe, born November 22, 1780, in Framingham; died October 15, 1839, in Cambridgeport.

John Trowbridge went to Cambridgeport, Mass., where he established himself as a merchant before his marriage. He was highly successful in his business and largely increased the property that he inherited from his father. He resided in Cambridgeport until his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CAMBRIDGEPORT, MASS.:

- i. EMERY, b. May 28, 1805; d. Sept. 2, 1805.
- 1158. ii. JOHN HOWE, b. May 9, 1807.
- iii. SARAH READ, b. Mar. 18, 1809; m. Nov. 11, 1835, Dr. Charles F. Chaplin of Cambridgeport.
- iv. MARY EMERY, b. June 22, 1811; m. June 19, 1833, Newell Bent of Cambridge, Mass.
- v. CHARLES SYLVESTER, b. July 20, 1814; a merchant; d. Mar. 30, 1846, in Boston, Mass.

**1068.** DR. JOSIAH TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 28, 1785, in Framingham, Mass.; died September 18, 1862, in Buffalo, N. Y.; married September 22, 1813, in Buffalo, Margaret Wintermute, daughter of John and Mary Jane (Smith) Wintermute, born ———, 1797, in Fort Erie, Ontario, Canada; died October 24, 1863, in Buffalo.

Josiah Trowbridge\* remained on his father's farm until the age of fifteen, when, farm work proving too laborious, he took a position as clerk with his elder brother John, who was engaged in mercantile business in Cambridgeport, near Boston, Mass. Tiring of this, and desiring to see more of the world, he shipped for Holland in 1800 and, after a most tempestuous return voyage, the vessel reached Charleston, S. C., in a disabled condition. He returned to his home and undertook a course of preparatory studies, with a view to the adoption of the medical profession. Commencing his readings with Doctor Willard of Uxbridge, he finished them with Doctor Kittredge of Framingham. During this time he taught school two winters, one in Southboro, and the next in his native town. He used to relate in an amusing way his experience as school-teacher, involving the manner in which he quelled—what was then quite common—rebellion against the teacher.

After the usual course of study, he was licensed to practice. This was in 1808 or 1809. His first professional efforts were put forth in Wethersfield, Vt., where he remained for a brief time. In company with a young lawyer, an intimate friend, by the name of Walker, in the spring of 1811 he came to Buffalo, N. Y..

\* A sketch of his life was prepared by his son Dr. John S. Trowbridge and published by request of the Erie County (N. Y.) Medical Society in 1869, from which the following sketch has been extracted.

on horseback. Buffalo not offering sufficient encouragement to Doctor Trowbridge, he took up his residence at Fort Erie. At this time that place and Black Rock were the entrepôts of the then limited commerce of the lakes; Buffalo Creek being blockaded by sand bars. Doctor Trowbridge remained in Canada until the declaration of war, when he returned to Buffalo. During his residence in Canada he formed the attachment which resulted in his marriage. Before and during the war he was associated with Dr. Cyrenus Chapin, who had preceded him in his location, their partnership being dissolved at its close. His next business connection was with a most estimable man and physician, Dr. John E. Marshall, the co-partnership being formed September 8, 1823, under the name of Marshall & Trowbridge. In 1829 the firm was dissolved, in consequence of the ill health of Doctor Marshall, he retiring from practice, when the co-partnership of Trowbridge & Sprague was formed on October 16, 1830. Doctor Marshall renewed practice, and the firm of Trowbridge & Marshall was established, and continued until December 2, 1831. In 1833 the honorary degree of Doctor of Medicine was conferred upon him by the regents of New York University. Doctor Trowbridge was also associated with Doctors Bela H. Colgrove, Thomas B. Clark and Alden S. Sprague, and at a much later period with Dr. Charles Winne. All these gentlemen obtained eminence in their profession and challenged respect as citizens. A letter from Doctor Colgrove to Dr. John S. Trowbridge after his father's decease shows the estimate in which he was held by one who had been an associate in practice. "Among the departed, I remember no one in whose character was blended high professional attainments, with a nice appreciation and practice of those courtesies and amenities, personal and professional, which made the green oasis in human life, more than your father. While you, my dear Doctor, with a filial affection, in the highest degree commendable, are weaving a deserved garland for the brow of your late father, permit me to add my humble chaplet to the wreath; which, though the product of an obscure mountain town, is no exotic; and while the younger members of our profession are seeking models to emulate and imitate, sure I am, they will seek in vain for a better than the late Josiah Trowbridge."

During the War of 1812 Doctor Trowbridge gave the government his hearty support, although, in common with a large political party, not recognizing its absolute necessity. He was not in the regular service, but was attached to a volunteer company of artillery, and was always ready to respond when humanity or the interests of his country made a demand upon him. After the close of the war he received a grant of land, for his services, in the state of Indiana. He was fond of the gun, and on one occasion, in company with Frederick B. Merrill, Lieutenant Dudley, of Perry's fleet, and one or two more boatmen, while shooting ducks on Strawberry island, was surprised and captured by the British, and taken to Fort George. While there, the Indians in the service of the government broke into their quarters, and for a time their safety seemed quite precarious. The intervention of officers and chiefs prevented a massacre. The doctor, with his comrades, was detained a few days, and then discharged, arriving in Buffalo after a most tedious journey on foot. During the war he, with most of the early settlers, had many adventures. At the burning of the village of Buffalo, which was a surprise, although it had been threatened, he, with others, remained engaged in securing the safety of the women and children, and was among the last to leave. As he passed up Main street he was fired upon by the Indians ambushed in the vicinity. With other refugees he spent the winter and part of the spring at various localities east of Buffalo.

Doctor Trowbridge was absent one winter in Washington on private business and business connected with the interests of the village. He continued to practice his profession until 1836, when he had accumulated a handsome property. He then sold his office property to Doctor Winne, and gave his time to the management of his private affairs—attending to the improvement of his property.

erecting the United States Hotel, and other buildings, and loaning his money among supposed friends. In 1837, when all went by the board, he was, unfortunately, included among them, losing his all. He made an assignment, and was left penniless. This year he was elected mayor of Buffalo. The Patriot War occurring shortly after he was installed, law and order being put at defiance, and he being unable to maintain the supremacy of the former, resigned. During the years detailed in the foregoing account Doctor Trowbridge held many minor places of usefulness. He was for a time judge of the court of common pleas. Several times he was supervisor, was associated with Major John G. Camp, as commissioners, for finishing the building now known as "The Old Court House." He was president of the high school, afterwards known as The Buffalo Military Scientific and Literary Academy. He was secretary of the meeting held at the house of Elias Ransom for the purpose of organizing the Episcopal Society of Saint Paul's Church, February 10, 1817. He was one of its first vestrymen, held the position for eleven years, and was warden for six. The original church edifice was enlarged in 1828, under a contract entered into by him, at an expense of \$2,500, he depending upon the increased sale of sittings to make good the outlay. It proved to be a remunerative experiment for the parish. He was the last survivor of the original members, and was always greatly interested in the prosperity of the church, giving his services to its members, and contributing frequently beyond his means to its treasury.

Doctor Trowbridge was actively engaged in his profession in this locality about fifty years, with only one interruption. His rides extended over long distances, without reference to day or night, the weather, or circumstances, as against personal comfort. Their bounds included Cattaraugus Creek, Olean, Batavia, Lockport, Tonawanda, Lewiston and Canada; late in life he was called as far as Detroit. In 1838, after his failure, he resumed his profession with Dr. Charles Winne, and continued until 1842. During a portion of this time his son John was a student in their office and after completing his studies he was associated with his father, continuing until the fall of 1852. Doctor Trowbridge did a large private and consultation practice until 1856, when increasing infirmities compelled him to relinquish it entirely. He was elected president of the Erie County Medical Society in 1839 and was elected the first president of the Buffalo Medical Association, organized in 1845.

These are the incidents connected with a long and unpretending, but eminently practical and useful life. His excellencies were appreciated and most intimately known among suffering humanity, or in quiet association with his fellow-men. He never aspired, by means practiced by many, to be known as a popular man. Those who committed themselves to his care were not subject to doubtful experiments with a view to his personal aggrandisement. He exhibited all those qualities which are needful to constitute the true gentleman, and his amenities were extended to all without distinction. He was never known, by word or act, to depart from strict honor and decorum. His life was that of one who, in his intercourse with men, exhibited all personal virtues and generous sentiments, founded on an intelligent Christian faith, which is necessary to the good citizen and true physician. In his associations with his medical brethren it was his highest aim to merit their confidence, and, without reservation, to give them such aid and comfort as the necessities of the case would seem to require. The younger members of the profession with whom he came in contact were always treated with the most careful consideration; errors were quietly indicated and the proper method for their ratification pointed out.

Doctor Trowbridge, not entirely unaccustomed to the practices of the day, ignored the use of alcohol, and to this rule he most religiously and steadily adhered. It was only near the close of his life, and upon the recommendation of a medical friend, that he consented to use a certain and exact quantity of stimulus daily. This occurred long before the temperance movement was attempted

or had obtained any influence on the popular mind, when any endeavor to practice temperance was rather a cause of reproach than merit. In his business habits Doctor Trowbridge was negligent in securing his just dues, though punctilious in the discharge of his personal liabilities. He was never exorbitant in his charges; seldom, if ever, employing the law in the enforcement of his claims, and often making liberal deductions or donating his services. The consequence was that, notwithstanding a large practice, he was often pressed for means. With his friends he always erred on the side of liberality. His purse was never closed to the demands of religion and charity. He had many pupils—among them were Doctors Frank B. Ransom, Charles C. Haddock, O. S. St. John, Badger Dunn and James P. White. Their number, and the positions obtained in their profession and society, indicate his ability as a teacher. He always endeavored to influence them with high and honorable sentiments, not only by his teaching, but by his example. It is not to the discredit of his associates to say that he was a courageous, safe and judicious practitioner. He was constitutionally, and otherwise, eminently calculated for the practice of his chosen profession. In the exercise of its high, and often unexpected and exhausting responsibilities, and in all the varying circumstances and vicissitudes incident thereto, there was no one, with the lights then at command, better schooled or fitted to meet them all than he. In the obstetrical science no one of his time, or perhaps since, in this locality was, or is, his superior. He always appreciated the grave responsibilities surrounding him, possessed an intelligence that was equal to any emergency, and professional boldness that was ready for every necessity, the want of which is a serious detriment to the success of the most timid, but equally intelligent and conscientious practitioner.

In conversation he was peculiarly happy, entertaining and instructive, and in whatever principle was not concerned he yielded ready obedience to social usage and custom. He had a faculty of satisfying his pride—for at heart he was a proud man—by honoring the avocation through which he had achieved the right to be what he was. His leisure time was either employed in general literature, or in keeping pace with the progress of his profession. Politically he always had the best interests of the country at heart, although rarely if ever taking an active part in politics. Early in life he was a Federalist, later a Whig, and lastly a Republican. The government, in its earlier efforts to maintain itself as against England, always had his best efforts, and in its recent and successful attempt to maintain the supremacy of the Union and the Constitution was the recipient of his devoutest wishes. Two of his sons were in the service; one of them, the youngest, Capt. Henry W. Trowbridge, died while his regiment was in front of Yorktown. Doctor Trowbridge often expressed a desire to live to see the government recover its control over the rebellious states, and to assert and successfully maintain its supremacy; but this was not allowed him.

Doctor Trowbridge's parents were Puritans, and it is fair to suppose there were no opportunities neglected in attempting to impress on his youthful mind their religious belief. While serving his clerkship as a youth he attended the only Episcopal church in Boston, King's Chapel, and, as his wife was educated in the Episcopal faith, he was thus influenced and confirmed in his early predilections. His belief was earnest, simple, honest, founded in the exercise of the high prerogative of reason. It was neither uncharitable nor sectarian, rebelling most stoutly against pretense and cant, whether it had an existence in religion, morals, or the medical profession. The Bible and the Book of Common Prayer for many years had a place on his table and every day were the subject of his study.

In active life his labors on the Sabbath were always arranged, when possible, so that those portions of the day devoted to public worship might not be subject to interruption. Judging him by what makes up the actualities of life, one is safe in claiming for him a reasonable effort to live acceptably to God and

man. Towards the close of his life, and after he was incapacitated for the duties of his profession, the subject of religion was a matter of serious consideration and frequent conversation. In his expressions he never made place for doubt. The near and certain approach of death was calmly awaited, although he expressed himself as having in an imperfect manner, and perhaps not according to the talents committed to him, completed his usefulness.

Fearing that he might be regarded as a burden, he was ready and prepared to give place to others physically and otherwise better prepared to accomplish the never ending duties of life, only expressing a desire to be exempted from that intense physical suffering which is often attendant upon the final departure of the soul. In this not unreasonable request he was providentially gratified. The public, by private manifestations, the press, the medical profession, each in their own proper way, gave expression to the loss that society had been called on to sustain. This was the last of a long and useful life. If there is purity here below, then it was pure.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BUFFALO, N. Y.:

- 1159. i. JOHN SMITH, b. Aug. 18, 1816.
- 1160. ii. WILLIAM, b. June 29, 1818.
- iii. JOSIAH, b. Aug. 26, 1820; d. aged 5 years.
- iv. BENJAMIN, b. Sept. 14, 1822; a shipmaster; d. Sept. 15, 1857, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; unm.
- v. MARY JANE, b. Aug. 24, 1824; d. aged 1 year.
- vi. JOSIAH, b. Sept. 8, 1826; d. aged 10 months.
- vii. JAMES MONROE, b. Mar. 10, 1828; drowned Nov. 20, 1845, in Lake Erie.
- viii. WARREN, b. Oct. 16, 1830; d. aged 8 months.
- ix. WALTER, b. Sept. 30, 1833; a clerk; d. Mar. 18, 1850, in Buffalo; unm.
- x. LOUIS LUKETER, b. Jan. 5, 1836; a clerk in San Francisco, Cal., and unm. in 1878.\*
- xi. HENRY WARREN, b. Dec. 9, 1838; a lawyer; served in the Civil War as captain of Company F, 5th Michigan Infantry, and d. May 9, 1862, in Fortress Monroe, Va.; unm.

**1069.** WILLIAM [TROWBRIDGE†] BENT (*John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 20, 1791, in Framingham, Mass.; died July 6, 1853, in Sherbrooke, Nova Scotia; married April 20, 1821, in Glenelgh, Nova Scotia, Mary Eliza Jordain, daughter of Peter and Margaret (Crawford) Jordain, born August 12, 1800, in Chesincoock, Nova Scotia; died August 10, 1869, in Sherbrooke.

William Trowbridge took the name of his mother's family, Bent, and was known as William Bent. He went in early manhood to Nova Scotia, and lived a short time in Halifax, then going to St. Mary's. He married and for years thereafter taught school there. He then removed to Sherbrooke, where he opened a store and engaged in mercantile business. He moved to a farm on the outskirts of the village five years before his death. He was magistrate and held several other offices. He was an elder of the Presbyterian Church for many years before his death. He was a man that was much beloved and respected for his kindly disposition.

## [Bent] CHILDREN:‡

- i. MARY, b. Apr. 10, 1822; m. Jan. 2, 1841, John McDaniel of Sherbrooke, N. S.
- ii. SARAH, b. Sept. 1, 1823; d. ———, 1834.
- iii. MARGARET, b. Apr. 2, 1825; m. Jan. 10, 1845, Joseph McLane of Sherbrooke.
- iv. ELIZA, b. July 1, 1827; m., 1st, Dec. 27, 1847, John McIntosh of Sherbrooke; m., 2d, Dec. 15, 1861, William Cruickshank of Caledonia, N. S.
- v. ELIZABETH JANE, b. Aug. 14, 1831; m. Nov. 26, 1848, Christopher Whitman and resides in Sherbrooke.

\* Since which time his relatives have not heard of him.

† Changed his name to *Bent*.

‡ I-iii born in Glenelgh, Nova Scotia; the others in Sherbrooke, Nova Scotia.

- vi. SARAH, b. Oct. 27, 1834; m. Dec. 22, 1853, George McIntosh of Sherbrooke.
- vii. JOHN, b. June 27, 1837; d. July 3, 1860, in Sherbrooke; unm.
- viii. HARRIET, b. Sept. 1, 1841; m. Jan. 24, 1867, Robert Kennedy of Port Hilford, N. S.
- ix. CAROLINE, b. Mar. 1, 1843; m. Jan. 24, 1866, Alexander Wier of Sherbrooke.

**1070.** WINDSOR STONE TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>1031</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 1, 1789, in Framingham, Mass.; died May 30, 1844, in Ogden, N. Y.; married August 27, 1810, in Westmoreland, N. Y., Rebecca Willey, daughter of Alfred and Olive (Cone) Willey, born October 2, 1791, in East Haddam, Conn.; died March 1, 1882, in Lockport, N. Y.

Windsor S. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Westmoreland, N. Y. His mother died when he was five years old and he went to live with Mr. John Townsend of that town. He was to have three months of schooling in the winters, but his home was near the schoolhouse and his studies were almost daily interrupted by a call from Mr. Townsend, "to just come out and help awhile," at loading logs or wood upon the sled. He married in the summer following his majority and in 1812 removed to what was then called the "Genesee Country," and settled as a farmer in what is now Ogden, Monroe county, N. Y.\* He was engaged in farming there the remainder of his life.

He served in the militia in the War of 1812 when it was called out to repel an anticipated landing of British troops at the mouth of the Genesee river.† He saw no general service, but was in at least one skirmish, on which occasion a bullet passed through his hat.‡ He was an honest, upright man in all his business dealings and was looked up to in town matters. He was collector of taxes in Ogden for sixteen years and also held the office of constable for about the same period. He was a man of great energy of character, passionately fond of music, genial, and possessing a great fund of anecdote, by which qualities he drew round him a large circle of favorites. He was a regular attendant at church, although not a communicant in any religious body. His wife and daughter were members of the Presbyterian church in Ogden.

CHILDREN BORN IN OGDEN, N. Y.:

- i. OGDEN WILLEY, b. July 29, 1812; d. Aug. 1, 1813.
- ii. ELIZABETH VENILIA, b. Oct. 9, 1814; m. Nov. 30, 1834, Daniel Moon Greene of Lisle, Ill.
- iii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. May 19, 1816; d. Dec. 30, 1818.
- iv. MARCIA FIDELIA, b. Aug. 8, 1818; m. Dec. 19, 1838, Edmund Phelps§ of Lockport, N. Y.
- v. OLIVE CORNELIA, b. Feb. 25, 1821; m. May 14, 1842, Henry Kelsey of Churchville, N. Y.
- vi. MARTHA AURELIA, b. June 10, 1823; m. Sept. 29, 1846, Channcey Mancellion Goodrich and resides in Lisle.
- 1161. vii. WINDSOR, b. May 29, 1825.
- 1162. viii. JOHN TOWNSEND, b. Sept. 18, 1827.
- ix. EDWARD WEST, b. Feb. 17, 1833; was always fond of study, and after leaving school he taught the district school for one or two winters. He entered Knox College, Galesburg, Ill., in 1852, but did not remain for graduation. He began to fit himself for a professorship of geology, and was collecting geological specimens for the Smithsonian Institute, when he died of cholera at Fort Riley, Kan., July 31, 1855; unm.

**1071.** STEPHEN VAN RENSSELAER TROWBRIDGE (*Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 4, 1794, in Albany, N. Y.; died March 1, 1859, in Troy, Mich.; married January 25, 1815, in Horseheads, N. Y., Elizabeth Conkling, daughter of Stoddard and Juliana (Sayre) Conkling, born May 22, 1797, in Horseheads; died November 28, 1873, in Troy.

\* Ogden was taken from Parma in 1817 and was a part of Genesee county until 1821.

† Letter from his son Mr. J. T. Trowbridge.

‡ Letter from his daughter Mrs. Goodrich.

§ See No. 36, vi.



*S. W. Trowbridge*





Stephen Van Rensselaer Trowbridge\* was so named by his father out of respect for the patroon, Stephen Van Rensselaer, who was a friend and neighbor. When seven years old, he lost his father. His father had a very warm friend in Gen. Vincent Matthews, a distinguished lawyer of Elmira, who was frequently at Albany on public business. Through this friendship General Matthews was led to adopt Stephen and take him into his own family. In due time he entered him in his office as a law clerk and started him in his preparation for the bar. Subsequently the general embarked in trade as a merchant and Stephen became his clerk. He also had some fields adjoining the village and there Stephen had an opportunity to gratify his natural taste for farming. He soon became an expert with the cradle and scythe, and could hold his own with the best.

At the commencement of the war with England, when he was not quite eighteen years old, the patriotic spirit of his father showed itself, and he enlisted in the cavalry service on the Niagara frontier. He enlisted at Elmira in May, 1812, in Capt. James Matthews' company of light horse, New York state militia. He was ordered to Trumansburgh, N. Y., and from there went on to the lines in Captain Camp's company. He went to Lewiston and was on service on that frontier, and volunteered to go over to the battle. He was honorably discharged at Lewiston in December, 1812.† This sort of education, while irregular and apparently unsatisfactory, nevertheless had its advantages. It has been said of him by one most competent to judge and who knew him well: "He knew enough of law to keep out of it, of accounts to state them handsomely and in a beautiful hand, which he retained until the day of his death, and of farming to make himself independent of fraud in its practice." Later these qualities were of great value in a new country and often enabled him to render valuable service to his neighbors and to the public in official stations he was destined to occupy.

Not long after his marriage, which took place in January, 1815, he gave up mercantile business and went to live at Horseheads, near Elmira, on a farm which had been given to his wife by her father. In 1820 he received a letter from his brother who had gone to Michigan the year previous, describing the opportunities that were offered in that new country, and he at once decided to make a trip to Michigan and take a look for himself. With just one hundred dollars sewed in a belt around his waist and a valise filled with pins, needles, tapes and other small articles to exchange for his meals and lodging, he started. He walked the five hundred miles through the dense forests of Canada and reached Detroit in safety. He went out twenty miles, and as he walked over the land there, he afterwards said, he thrust his feet to the instep in the rich black soil and decided that that should be his farm. He had saved money enough to buy of the government 80 acres of land and also to buy the improvements of a squatter, who was in possession. The "improvements" consisted of a log house, 12 by 14 feet, and a small patch of clearing, which furnished soil for immediate cultivation sufficient to provide for the more pressing needs of his family after they came there. He returned to Detroit and secured his 80 acres at the government land office.

He returned to New York for his family, and in October, 1821, they left their home in Horseheads and embarked for Detroit on the steamer *Walk-in-the-Water*, being seven days on the voyage. Upon arriving at Detroit he purchased of a Frenchman a pair of young steers, and loading his household goods on a wagon, with his wife and children, he started for his squatter's log cabin in what is now known as the town of Troy, where he arrived the following day. It was

\* This sketch is in greater part taken from "Stephen V. R. Trowbridge and Family," a paper read before the Oakland County (Mich.) Pioneer Society on Feb. 22, 1892, by Gen. Luther S. Trowbridge.

† The above facts as to his military service were so stated in 1871 by his widow in her declaration for a pension, which was granted her. The papers are on file in the U. S. Pension Office.

not long after they were settled in their new home before a strong current of immigration set in, and many families from the East soon settled in that part of the country. Anyone who had shelter and provisions was obliged to be hospitable. On one occasion in their little log house with one room, which served as sitting-room, dining-room, sleeping-room and kitchen, was lodged and fed a party of sixteen men besides their own family. Tradition has preserved the name of but one of that party and that was Mr. Samuel Satterlee,\* who located on an adjoining farm in Bloomfield. It was not very long before they built a large double log house, which was considered quite a mansion in those days; as the family increased in numbers a still larger house was required and a frame house was built on the town line. It was in raising one of the earlier of these houses that Mr. Trowbridge braved public opinion by declining to furnish whiskey to the neighbors who had come to help him. He went to the top of the frame, carrying a bottle of water, broke the bottle, and called out: "Strawberry Hill," by which name the place was known ever after. Instead of whiskey he furnished a bountiful supper, stating the reasons for the change in a temperance lecture of much force, which was well received, and was indeed the beginning of a strong temperance movement in that section. It was in his new log house, before even the doors and windows were put in, that the first sermon was preached in Oakland county.†

Mr. Trowbridge began his public service in 1825, when he was appointed assessor of Oakland county, and made the first assessment in Michigan in November, 1826. He was also the first county coroner. He was the first supervisor of Troy, in 1828, and for four terms afterwards. He was also in that year a member of the first legislative council of the territory, a body composed of thirteen members, and when Michigan became a state he was elected to the senate in 1839, 1840, 1841 and 1842. In the meantime he was frequently employed by the government in offices of responsibility and trust connected with the Indian Department, which in those days was of great extent, including seven states and territories, and of great importance, having care of the disbursement of the treaty moneys paid for the extensive domain of Michigan and Wisconsin. His treatment of the Indian was so fair and reasonable, so just and merciful, that he gained his confidence, while he had also the hearty approval of the government. The discovery of copper in the Lake Superior country started many new enterprises in mining. At first the United States, the owner of the land, leased the mines to companies which worked them and paid a royalty to the government. It became necessary for the latter to have a resident agent on Lake Superior and Mr. Trowbridge was appointed to that position. He spent two summers there, making his headquarters principally at Sault Sainte Marie. The business so changed that he had little to do, and he had conscientious scruples about taking a salary for what seemed to him a sinecure, and, recommending that it be abolished, he showed his sincerity by resigning at the same time. To his intimate friends, who alone knew what he had done, for he was no boaster, his conduct was no surprise, but only what might be expected from one following so closely as he did the commands of conscientious duty. In his politics Mr. Trowbridge was in early life a Whig and later a Republican, after that party was organized.

While thus occupied with public affairs, his chief business was that of a plain farmer. He worked industriously and lived frugally. From time to time he added to his original purchase from the government until he had a fine farm of 300 acres, well cultivated and furnished with comfortable buildings. He was a pattern of sobriety to all his neighbors and his cheerfulness was so contagious that he entertained and enlivened every circle. The affectionate name of "Uncle

\* His daughter Mary Ann became the wife of Mr. Trowbridge's son Rowland (No. 1164).

† Letter from his daughter Mrs. Goodell.

Steve," by which he was known throughout the section about his home, indicated the esteem and regard in which he was held. As a neighbor he was always kind and accommodating, always ready to lend a helping hand to anyone in distress. His hospitality was proverbial; it began in the earliest days of his pioneer life, and never ceased. He was frequently called upon to prepare the last wills of his neighbors, a duty in which his early training as a law student was of great service to him. He was foremost in all good works, and contributed cheerfully and liberally according to his means in aid of charitable and philanthropic measures. At the time of the great famine in Ireland he was sent to New York in charge of a shipment of 2,500 barrels of flour contributed by the generous people of his state; and when a cry of suffering came from the early settlers of Gratiot county, he was laboriously engaged in soliciting aid for them, and was sent to see to the proper disbursement of the contributions made.

As to the religious character of Mr. Trowbridge it may be said, with him religion was not a mere theory. If ever a man strove earnestly to exemplify the religion of Jesus Christ in his daily life, he did. He had weaknesses such as all flesh is heir to. Naturally he was quick-tempered, as most generous natures are, but no one knew it better or lamented it more than he. He was the soul of honor and with all who knew him his word was as good as his bond. He became a member of the Presbyterian church at Pontiac, and was successively deacon and elder of the churches at Troy and Birmingham up to the time of his death, which occurred at his home, Strawberry Hill, in Troy.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. JULIA CONKLING, b. Nov. 27, 1815; m. July 8, 1837, Charles Hastings of Troy, Mich.
1163. ii. CHARLES AUGUSTUS, b. Aug. 5, 1817.
- iii. ELIZABETH FRANCES, b. July 23, 1819; m. Jan. 25, 1842, Caleb Hammill of Brooklyn, N. Y., and resides in South Woodstock, Conn.
1164. iv. ROWLAND EBENEZER, b. June 18, 1821.
- v. CATHERINE JONES, b. Oct. 31, 1823; m. July 26, 1854, Rev. Edwin Goodell of Birmingham, Mich., and resides in Cheyenne, Wyo.
1165. vi. EDMUND, b. Dec. 10, 1825.
1166. vii. WILLIAM PETIT, b. May 25, 1828.
1167. viii. TILLMAN CONKLING, b. Jan. 28, 1831.
1168. ix. GUY MAXWELL, b. Jan. 31, 1834.
1169. x. LUTHER STEPHEN, b. July 28, 1836.
- xi. AUGUSTA SIBLEY, b. Apr. 25, 1842; m. Aug. 17, 1870, William Samuel Albertson and resides in Duluth, Minn.

**1072.** HON. CHARLES CHRISTOPHER TROWBRIDGE (*Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 29, 1800, in Albany, N. Y.; died April 3, 1883, in Detroit, Mich.; married July 13, 1826, in Detroit, Katherine Whipple Sibley, daughter of Hon. Solomon and Sarah Whipple (Sproat) Sibley, born February 27, 1809, in Detroit; died March 24, 1880, in Detroit.

Charles C. Trowbridge† when a lad of not quite thirteen years of age was apprenticed as a clerk to Major Horatio Ross, then living at Owego, but having considerable branch stores at Athens, in Pennsylvania, and Elmira, who offered to take him and bring him up as a merchant. This excellent man was faithful to his promises, and Mr. Trowbridge owed much of his thorough business habits to the teaching of this friendly employer. The first year was spent at Elmira. The next year he was taken into the family of Major Ross at Owego, where he was cherished with parental tenderness. The business troubles that succeeded soon after the peace of 1815 ultimately ruined Major Ross's business, and he

\* i-iv born in Horseheads, N. Y.; the others in Troy, Mich.

† This sketch is extracted from a biographical sketch prepared for the Michigan Pioneer Society in June, 1883, by James V. Campbell.

turned over all his assets to his creditors, who, admiring his uprightness, made over to him a considerable amount of accounts, and left him his homestead. The creditors put the property into the hands of Mr. Trowbridge, who was then not quite eighteen years old, and he closed up the business. He went down the Susquehanna with salt, gypsum and lumber, and disposed of them in Pennsylvania, and came back with the proceeds. In 1819 Mr. William A. Ely of Owego sent him as supercargo to Havre de Grace and Baltimore, and he returned through the country unarmed, carrying all the proceeds of his voyage in bank notes upon his person. After his return from Baltimore he was put in temporary charge of the stock in trade of General Goodrich, a merchant lately deceased. But at this time he was turning his eyes to the future and reflecting on the place where he should fix his home. He was offered by Mr. Ely a share in his business as partner, but he preferred going westward. His first purpose was to go to New Orleans, but his friends opposed it. He was finally induced to prefer Michigan, by the favorable report of a young friend who had preceded him. Having indicated this preference, some of his friends through the intervention of Rev. John Monteith, then a missionary and teacher in Detroit, secured for him an appointment under Major Thomas Rowland, who, having served meritoriously in the army during the war, had settled in Detroit and was then United States marshal, clerk of the courts, justice of the peace, trustee of the city, and exercising many functions. Major Rowland was a gentleman of culture, of sterling character, and during his whole life much esteemed. He took Mr. Trowbridge at once into his own family, made him deputy in both his offices, and paid him as liberally as business would permit.

In August, 1819, Mr. Trowbridge started for his destination and went to Buffalo. Just as he left he received by the hands of one of his former associates under Major Ross, Felix Hineman, a very earnest letter of recommendation to all good people, signed by four of the principal citizens of Owego. This unsolicited testimonial was very cheering, and it remained among his most valued papers at his death. As Buffalo then had no harbor, the steamer *Walk-in-the-Water*, which was then the only steam vessel on Lake Erie, made her port at Black Rock. He secured passage in her, and at the appointed time the vessel slowly went up the river to Lake Erie, aided by what was familiarly called the "horned breeze," being towed up by twenty pairs of stout oxen. Once in the lake she made her own way, and in due time he landed in Detroit. The little frontier post, with a very small English-speaking population, had a society which was somewhat remarkable for its refinement and for its entire freedom from stiffness and ostentation. Economy was not despised, and every door was open to any young man who was personally worthy. The military element, which was then very large, included a good many officers who then or afterwards were distinguished. During the first year there was not much work to be done in Major Rowland's office, but Mr. Trowbridge made himself a master of all the legal formalities. Major Rowland was much attached to him, and procured from New York a full supply of legal treatises and urged him to turn his attention to legal studies. But he had relatives whom he desired to aid in their struggles to equip themselves, and he preferred to do all that came within his reach in the shape of remunerative employment. During the winter of 1819-20 preparations were going on somewhat confidentially for an expedition among the Indians, to remove some difficulties. During the War of 1812 the British had obtained great influence over the Indians, and had kept it up since the peace by generous presents and flattering treatment. The purpose of this expedition was partly scientific to explore the sources of the Mississippi, but chiefly to impress upon the tribes the power of the United States, and to induce them to become friendly. General Cass sent for Mr. Trowbridge, and was so pleased with him that he made him a clerk and assistant topographer, and when the expedition started took him



*S. J. Crombridge*



into his own canoe, and made him his personal companion during the four months which were consumed in the long voyage of four thousand four hundred miles. The expedition started May 24, 1820, and returned December 24 and was made throughout in bark canoes.

On his return Mr. Trowbridge was sent with Colonel Beufait, a well-known citizen of Detroit, who was then an Indian interpreter, to make a payment to the Saginaw Indians. The silver for this purpose was carried on pack-horses, without an escort, and the journey took five days, during which the little party camped out every night without fear of robbery or molestation. After this time, while continuing deputy clerk, he began to act as private secretary and amanuensis to General Cass, and in that capacity wrote down, from his dictation, not only his public documents and communications, but some of his literary contributions to the *North American Review* and other publications. He was also employed in some positions of great responsibility. In 1821, the Ogdens of New York having obtained the state's reversionary interest in considerable tracts occupied by the Six Nations, they desired, if possible, to induce the Indians to remove westward and vacate their territory. The secretary of war, Mr. Calhoun, favored the project, if feasible, and Mr. Trowbridge was appointed agent to accompany the chiefs and representatives of the tribes to Green Bay, and negotiate with the Winnebagoes and Menominies for the purchase of suitable lands. During his residence in Michigan Mr. Trowbridge, who was already an accurate French scholar and familiar also with the Canadian, had become pretty well acquainted with the Chippewa dialect, and had spent the considerable leisure which is always enforced during Indian negotiations, in studying the variations in tribal dialects, and the customs and traditions of the Indians. On his return from Green Bay he was given a post in the local Indian department as assistant secretary and accountant, and soon after was also made interpreter. These employments, added to his salary as deputy of Major Rowland, gave him what was then considered a very good income, and enabled him to make some savings.

About this time he was also made secretary of the board of regents of the university, with a salary of sixty dollars. This office was chiefly valuable to him by bringing him into familiar relations with the most prominent and cultivated gentlemen in the town, who were afterwards his personal and intimate friends. In 1822, in consequence of a treaty of the previous year with the Ottawas, Chippewas and Potawatomies, whereby they ceded large tracts in Southern and Western Michigan, it became necessary to fix upon the places where the government should locate teachers, blacksmiths and other persons in the service of the tribes, and Mr. Trowbridge was appointed to make these selections and sent to get advice from General Tipton at Fort Wayne and Doctor Wolcott at Chicago, who represented the tribes at the agencies, after which he was to meet Col. Gabriel Godfroy at Bertrand's, near Niles, and proceed to make the designations. One vessel a year then visited Chicago, and took supplies and brought away furs and peltries. Most of the travel therefore was on horseback, and the usual time between Chicago and Detroit was ten days. This excursion occupied six weeks. In 1823 he was sent to Green Bay to take temporary charge of the Indian agency during the sickness of Commodore Brevort, who was then agent. He improved this opportunity to make further studies in the languages of the Menominies and Winnebagoes. His first visit to New York City was with Major Forsyth, in 1823, to obtain and bring back \$20,000, in silver, to make payments to the Indians. In 1825 he went on horseback with General Cass to Wapaghkonetta, through a wet and difficult country, to treat with the Senecas for their removal beyond the Mississippi. After the treaty General Cass and Mr. Trowbridge accompanied General Clarke in their canoe to St. Louis, and returned by the Ohio river, visiting Cincinnati to enjoy a meeting with Judge Burnett and General Harrison. About this time Mr. Trowbridge was made sub-agent, retaining his former position as interpreter and accountant.

But he was about to enter upon a new employment in which he was perhaps better known to the community for a long period than in any of his other occupations, and he gave up his place under Major Rowland and all of his Indian employments except that of accountant, in which General Cass found him indispensable. In 1825 the immigration from the East began to increase more rapidly than before, as the Erie canal, just completed, furnished better means of travel and transportation across New York. Banking facilities were entirely lacking in the territory, the Bank of Detroit, incorporated during the early days of Hull's administration, having been disapproved by Congress, and having had no success. The Bank of Michigan was now established, and in this year its capital was largely increased, and Mr. Trowbridge was made its cashier. He continued connected with it as cashier or president, except for an interval from 1836 to 1839, until the bank was finally closed in the troubled times of 1842. He built his house at what was then regarded as a considerable distance from the town and off of any opened street, although on the line where it was expected Jefferson avenue would some day be laid out. In this house, added to from time to time, but not otherwise changed, he spent more than fifty-six years of his life.

In 1831 General Cass was appointed secretary of war and was very anxious to have Mr. Trowbridge as his chief clerk, and even told him that his acceptance of that position would determine his own doubts about taking that office. The temptation of the great increase of income he would secure by this appointment, and his personal attachment and obligations to the general, were very strong inducements, but he finally concluded that an independent private station was preferable to any uncertain public employment, and he determined to remain in Detroit. In 1833 he was one of the members of the so-called Boston Company, a lumber manufacturing concern on the Kalamazoo river, at the site of the present village of Allegan, which they laid out and in which he retained an interest. He was interested during the next few years in many other enterprises, and was one of the original purchasers of the Cass Front in Detroit, from which he and most of the other purchasers were finally released on terms which he declared very emphatically were not only just but liberal. He left this testimony as a matter of no more than justice to the memory of General Cass.

His earliest religious connection was with the First Protestant Society, which was originally composed of Protestants of various denominations, the numbers not being such at first as to warrant separate congregations, and he was elected secretary of this corporation in 1822. After his marriage he cast in his lot with St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, where he became at once an active and useful member and officer. He continued to act as vestryman or warden until 1845, when the increasing numbers made it necessary to organize a new parish, which was named Christ Church, in which he was senior warden until his death. His interest in religious matters was great and devoted, and while his modesty was remarkable, he was during life a conspicuous and influential member in the church, and as wise in his counsels, as munificent in his gifts and sacrifices. In 1832 a diocese was organized, in which he became a member of the standing committee, and he continued by annual re-election to be such a member until he died. He was also elected a member of every general convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States from 1835, and actually attended most of the sessions.

He was not afflicted with any extreme desire for public office. The only political offices he ever held were those of alderman of Detroit in 1833 and mayor in 1834. As a candidate for the latter office he received all the votes cast in the election but three. During this period he rendered essential service to the city by tracing out and securing the remnants of a fund derived from the grant of the Detroit Military Reserve to the city. The fund thus saved was put into the old City Hall building, and secured its completion. The early months of his mayor-



alty were barded by the cares occasioned by the visitation of the cholera. When this had passed away he resigned his mayoralty and deposited in the city treasury the penalty then imposed for declining such duties. This is the solitary instance to be found in the municipal history of the payment of such a penalty. In 1837 he was nominated by the Whigs as governor of the state, and was defeated by only 237 majority for Stevens T. Mason, who, as acting governor of the territory and governor of the young state, had excited considerable enthusiasm by his spirited course in vindicating the boundary rights, and whose party was in power. Mr. Trowbridge never allowed any further use of his name as a candidate for political station, though always holding and expressing decided views. He was a Whig until the Republican party was organized and was thereafter a Republican.

In 1842 the pressure of business labors and anxieties wore out his strength, and for several months he was obliged to give up all occupation. His health, after a long interval, was gradually restored, and he was during most of his subsequent life hale and vigorous. He took charge in 1844 of the Michigan State Bank, of which he was president until its final winding up in 1853. He then became secretary and treasurer, and afterwards president, of the Oakland and Ottawa Railroad Company and its successor, the Detroit and Milwaukee Railroad Company, and continued in charge until its further re-organization. He had also been manager or director of various minor undertakings. He was one of the directors of the Detroit and St. Joseph Railroad Company, the corporation that began the Central railroad, and ran it until the state purchased it.

His constant business engagements did not prevent his coöperation in those enterprises and undertakings in which there is no pecuniary profit and where the work done is of general importance. He took a lively interest in everything which was calculated to promote intellectual, moral and religious culture. He was one of the founders of the Historical and Algic societies. He was a member and officer of various Bible and missionary societies. He was appointed a regent of the University of Michigan in 1839, and took part also in the promotion of local schools and seminaries. He was president of the Detroit Board of Public Charities. His close business habits, his sound judgment and his wonderful memory, combined to make him a coveted agent in those places which should be filled with the best men and which, fortunately for the community, few but good men are willing to take.

He did not retire from active pursuits until he had reached an age where few are capable of following them, and then he did not retire into idleness. His services in procuring the erection and completion of the Soldiers' Monument deserve special mention. As usual in such matters, there is always a sum to be made up at the close of the subscription list, which is more difficult to raise than all the rest. He devoted himself with singular zeal and perseverance, not only to the building of the monument in its imperfect shape, but to securing its final completion by the addition of all the statues first contemplated. He found more work than most men could perform in looking after the interests of persons who had been fortunate enough to secure his kind offices, and in administering charitable and religious trusts. He was always attentive to the poor. He always found time to receive kindly and entertain cheerfully the numerous visitors who sought information or help from him. His long experience and his systematic researches had given him a minute familiarity with the history of this region, and he was very liberal in imparting his knowledge and in aiding the researches of others. He was a ready writer, and was fond of noting down such matters as interested him. He had the uncommon gift of a very accurate verbal memory, which enabled him to preserve the language as well as the substance of conversations and interviews. He was the author of a "History of the Episcopal Church in Michigan" and "Detroit Past and Present."

His disposition was gentle and affectionate, with great candor and frankness. People in trouble or perplexity were continually applying to him for advice and sympathy, and he never turned away his face from anyone who sought a hearing. And so it was by universal approval, that in the evening of his days he received such a testimonial of the love and admiration of his fellow-citizens as few living men receive who have spent their lives in quiet.

On his birthday at the end of his 82d year, the 29th of December, 1882, as many guests as the Russell House could readily provide for met at a banquet in his honor. They were from all parts of Michigan and from other states, and they were, with scarcely an exception, personal friends of many years. The company included many of the French inhabitants of the ancient stock and adopted citizens of other nationalities as well as natives. It included distinguished soldiers and citizens honored in public and in private life. And letters of congratulation came in from other parts of the Union, from men famous in civic and military station, who had at some time in their lives enjoyed his friendship and appreciated it. The words written and the words spoken on that occasion were the honest expressions of gratitude and admiration for a man who was recognized as a living blessing to the community in which he had spent more than three score years of an upright, pure and noble manhood. From that deserved ovation he retired modestly and quietly into the ordinary course of his daily pursuits. His cheerful energy never abated, and his industry never slackened, until the final summons came. A few days of illness, from which his old age gave him no sufficient vigor to rally, and he gently yielded, and passed with clear vision into the better world. Such a life is its own best eulogy. His living presence was a delight to all who knew him, and his influence will continue in many good works and institutions that owe their strength and success to his generosity and wisdom. The community that cherishes his memory will always be the better for his part in it. A commonwealth that had its foundations laid by such citizens should be enduring.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DETROIT, MICH.:

- i. FREDERICK SIBLEY, b. ———, 1827; d. ———, 1832.
- ii. KATHERINE SPROAT, b. Oct. 9, 1829; m. 1st, ———, 1855, Lieut. Henry Rogers, U. S. N.; m. 2d, ———, 1861, Sidney Davis Miller and resides in Detroit.
- iii. ELIZABETH CASS, b. Oct. 27, 1832; m. July 18, 1854, Col. William Ducan Wilkins and resides in Detroit.
- iv. MARY AUGUSTA, b. Sept. —, 1834; resides in Detroit; unm.
1170. v. CHARLES FREDERICK, b. May 12, 1837.
- vi. HENRY ALEXANDER, b. ———, 1840; d. ———, 1841.
- vii. SARAH SIBLEY, b. Aug. 22, 1843; m. Oct. 31, 1865, George Hendrie and resides in Detroit.
- viii. LOUISA MONTGOMERY, b. ———, 1846; d. ———, 1849.
- ix. LOUISA, b. ———, 1849; d. ———, 1850.
- x. HENRY HAMILTON, b. ———, 1851; d. ———, 1887, in Detroit.

**1073.** COL. THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*Thomas*<sup>1033</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 10, 1804, in Swanzey, N. H.; died April 26, 1842, in Swanzey; married July 3, 1836, in Swanzey, Harriet Prime, daughter of Thomas and Rachel (Holbrook) Prime, born March 4, 1810, in Swanzey. She married, second, April 27, 1851, in Swanzey, Thomas Trowbridge Wetherbee\* of Swanzey, and died August 17, 1874, in Swanzey.

Thomas Trowbridge was engaged in farming during all of his life in his native town, Swanzey, N. H. He lived about one mile north of the center. He was at one time colonel of the 6th Regiment, New Hampshire militia, and was known from that time by his military title.

\* A son of No. 1016, iv.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SWANZEY, N. H.:

- i. ELLEN HARRIET, b. June 30, 1837; m., 1st, July 9, 1860, Henry O. Coolidge of Keene, N. H.; m., 2d, Oct. 25, 1865, Stephen Streeter of Swanzey.
- ii. SARAH LOUISE, b. Dec. 24, 1838; m. Mar. 12, 1856, George T. Elliot of Warsaw, N. Y.
- iii. GEORGE THOMAS, b. Dec. 23, 1840; was a soldier in the Civil War, being mustered into the 3d New Hampshire Infantry Aug. 24, 1861, and killed May 13, 1864, at Drury's Bluff, Va.; unm.

**1074.** WILLIAM FREDERICK TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>1034</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 11, 1789, in Marlborough, Mass.; died January 23, 1863, in Hudson, Mass.; married first, December 11, 1816, in Marlborough, Mary Stevens, daughter of Daniel and Levina (Barnard) Stevens, born July 14, 1793, in Marlborough; died February 1, 1831, in Marlborough. He married, second, November 12, 1831, in Cleveland, N. Y., Sarah Sinnock Cramp, daughter of James and Sarah (Sinnock) Cramp, born July 30, 1807, in London, England; died March 5, 1897, in Hudson.

William F. Trowbridge learned the machinist's trade and became a master mechanic while still a young man. He moved from one town to another, more or less frequently, as his business necessitated. He lived about a year after his marriage in Marlborough, Mass., then for a few years in Worcester, Mass., and then returned in 1826 to Marlborough. After his second marriage, in 1831, he removed to Hull, Canada. He returned to the States in 1846, and lived in Auburn and Seneca Falls, N. Y., and in Feltonville (now Hudson), Mass., where he subsequently died.

Mr. Trowbridge was a man of considerable inventive genius and did a great deal towards starting machinery in the shoe business. He attended the Episcopal Church, in which his children were baptized, before going to Hudson, but there he and his family became identified with the First Unitarian Church. He was a thirty-third degree Mason, being a member of Doric Lodge, F. and A. M., and Trinity Commandery, Knights Templar.

## CHILDREN:\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. MARY STEVENS, b. Sept. —, 1817; d. Apr. 14, 1829, in Marlborough, Mass.
1171. ii. WILLIAM FREDERICK, b. Sept. 24, 1820.
1172. iii. JOSEPH STEVENS, b. May 20, 1823.
- iv. MARIA LOUISA, b. ———, 1825; d. May 8, 1829.
- v. HARRIET LEVINA, b. June —, 1828; d. July 15, 1829.

*By second marriage:*

- vi. ADELAIDE, b. Aug. 7, 1835; m. Sept. 23, 1857, Henry Gleason and resides in New York City.
- vii. JAMES CRAMP, b. Oct. 29, 1838; lived with an aunt, Mrs. James Brown, in Oswego, N. Y., until he was sixteen years old, when he went to Hudson, Mass., and learned the shoemaker's trade. He was a soldier in the Civil War, enlisting for 100 days and being mustered July 19, 1864, in Company I, 5th Massachusetts Infantry, and being mustered out Nov. 16, 1864. He resumed work at his trade in Hudson and later traveled extensively. He d. May 30, 1899, in Hudson; unm.
1173. viii. FREDERICK WILLIAM, b. July 1, 1841.
1174. ix. AUGUSTUS SINNOCK, b. Apr. 27, 1844.
- x. HENRIETTA, b. Feb. 2, 1847; m. May 19, 1869, Savillian Arnold and resides in Hudson.

**1075.** EPHRAIM TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>1034</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 15, 1795, in Marlborough, Mass.; died March 16, 1840, in ———, N. Y.; married January 27, 1819, in Stowe, Mass.,

\* i-iv born in Worcester, Mass.; v in Marlborough, Mass.; vi-ix in Hull, Canada; x in Auburn, N. Y.

Martha (Rogers) Holland, widow of Samuel Holland of Boston, Mass., and daughter of Abraham Foster and ——— (Faulkner) Rogers, born October —, 1787, in Littleton, Mass.; died March 19, 1875, in West Somerville, Mass.

Ephraim Trowbridge was a woolen merchant in his native place, Marlborough, Mass.

CHILDREN BORN IN MARLBOROUGH, MASS.:

1175. i. JOSEPH ADDISON, b. Feb. 20, 1820.  
 ii. MARTHA MARIA, b. Dec. 8, 1821; d. Apr. 8, 1896, in Framingham, Mass.; nm.  
 iii. ELIZA ANN, b. Dec. 15, 1823; m. Apr. 2, 1844, Edmund B. Fay and resides in Framingham.  
 iv. AUGUSTA CAROLINE, b. May 12, 1827; m., 1st, ———, 1859, John Lewis Young of Marlborough; m., 2d, June 15, 1867, Charles Henry Lewis of South Framingham, Mass.

**1076.** LUTHER TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph*<sup>1034</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 13, 1801, in Marlborough, Mass.; died November 20, 1869, in Millbury, Mass.; married ———, 1826, in Stowe?, Mass., Sarah Hastings,\* born ———, 1806, in Stowe; died ———, 1870, in Worcester, Mass.

Luther Trowbridge was a carpenter. He followed his trade in Stowe, Mass., for about ten years after his marriage and then for many years in Millbury, Mass. He was in New Haven, Conn., from 1858 to 1861, and then returned to Millbury, where he died.

CHILDREN:†

- i. JONATHAN, b. ———, 1827; d. in infancy.  
 1176. ii. CHARLES NELSON, b. Aug. 3, 1829.  
 iii. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 13, 1831; m. ———, 1853, Joseph Addison Knight and resides in Worcester, Mass.  
 1177. iv. JOHN HASTINGS, b. Aug. 3, 1833.  
 v. LUTHER STEDMAN,‡ b. July 1, 1839; a machinist; d. Dec. 17, 1861, in New Haven, Conn.; nm.  
 vi. FRANCIS, b. July 3, 1841; a machinist; d. ———, 1861, in Worcester; nm.

**1077.** ELISHA TROWBRIDGE (*Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1015</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1000</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 22, 1793, in Ashford, Conn.; died September 4, 1856, in Delta, Ohio; married January 1, 1816, in Edinburgh, N. Y., Ruth Cole,\* born ———, 1795, in Edinburgh?; died November 4, 1858, in Delta.

Elisha Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Edinburgh, N. Y., where he was brought up on his father's farm and settled as a farmer after his marriage. In 1823 he removed with his family to Lewis county, the Black River Country as it was called, and settled in the village of Houseville in the town of Turin, where he cleared a farm and lived about eleven years. His brother Willard went to the Maumee Country, as it was called, in Ohio in the spring of 1834 to select a new home, and when the latter returned there with his family the following October Elisha and his family accompanied them. They settled in the wilderness, twenty miles west of Maumee City, near what is now the village of Delta, York township, Fulton county. Two years later they were joined by their parents and two other brothers. The brothers all cleared extensive farms. Government land there sold at ten shillings an acre, and Elisha and his brother James at one time owned the village of Delta.

\* Parentage not found.

† i-iv born in Stowe, Mass.; v-vi in Millbury, Mass.

‡ *Stedman L.* in New Haven Town Records.

Elisha Trowbridge resided on his farm half a mile west of Delta. He was a local Methodist minister, and in connection with his duties as such was wont to travel over a wide area of country to visit the sick and preach funeral sermons over the dead. He resided in Delta until his death.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. CAROLINE LOUISA, b. Sept. 23, 1816; m. Jan. 1, 1839, William Fewlass of Delta, Ohio.
- ii. EMELINE CORDELLA, b. July 3, 1818; m. ———, 1838, Daniel Bryant of Delta.
- iii. DAVID KIES, b. June 5, 1820; d. Oct. —, 1834, in Maumee, Ohio.
- iv. WILLARD NELSON, b. Feb. 8, 1822; d. Sept. 21, 1845, in Delta; unm.
- v. ROWLAND ROBERTSON, b. Nov. 26, 1824; d. May 12, 1845, in Delta; unm.
1178. vi. LEONARD HUMASON, b. May 27, 1827.
- vii. ADELINE ASENATH, b. Oct. 3, 1829; m. Nov. 11, 1855, Abner Partridge Brainard of Waterville, Ohio.
- viii. CATHARINE ELIZA, b. June 27, 1832; m. June 1, 1854, William Ramsey, M.D., and resides in Delta.
1179. ix. JAMES McCLAIN, b. Jan. 14, 1835.
- x. LAURA ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 14, 1840; m. Mar. 20, 1864, Franklin Briggs of Delta.

1078. WILLARD TROWBRIDGE (*Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 1, 1796, in Ashford, Conn.; died December 19, 1885, in Delta, Ohio; married, first, January 7, 1816, in Edinburgh, N. Y., Amy Sprague, born June 4, 1795, in ———, R. I.; died November 24, 1831, in Houseville, N. Y. He married, second, March 5, 1832, in Houseville, Lydia Sackett, daughter of Joel and Abigail (Sheldon) Sackett, born ———, 1811, in Westfield?, Mass.; died August 1, 1840, in Delta. He married, third, June 24, 1841, in Delta, Catharine Doolittle, who died April 1, 1843, in Delta. He married, fourth, November 23, 1844, in Portage, Ohio, Mary Ann Hesser, daughter of Jacob and Lydia (Glenn) Hesser, who died September 6, 1883, in Delta.

Willard Trowbridge came in early boyhood with his parents to Edinburgh, N. Y., and grew up on his father's farm in that town. At the age of eighteen he became a soldier in the War of 1812. He enlisted at Albany September 8, 1814, in Capt. James† Morrill's company, Colonel Colden's regiment of artillery, New York militia. He was stationed with his company at New York City, where he performed his whole term of service, nearly three months, and was discharged there November 26, 1814. On account of his services in the war he received a grant of 160 acres of land, and late in life applied for and received a pension.‡

He settled in Ediuburgh after his marriage, removing two years later to the village of Houseville, Turin township, Lewis county, N. Y. It was a new country, then known as the Black River Country, and there he built a log house and cleared a farm. In the spring of 1834, accompanied by William Fewless,§ he went to Ohio to select a new home in the Maumee Country. They made their way through the woods out into the wilderness to the vicinity of what is now Delta, York township, Fulton county,|| and arrived at a Mr. Meeker's clearing, about two miles east of Delta, on Saturday evening. Both Mr. Trowbridge and Mr. Fewless were church members and on Sunday morning they held a little prayer meeting at Mr. Meeker's, the first prayer meeting ever held in that vicinity.

\* i-iv and viii born in Edinburgh, N. Y.; v-vii in Houseville, N. Y.; ix-x in Delta, Ohio.

† Or George.

‡ U. S. Pension Office Records. On the roll of the company his name is incorrectly written *William*.

§ He became the husband of Mr. Trowbridge's niece Caroline (No. 1077, 1).

|| Then Lucas county.

Mr. Trowbridge entered a piece of land, and then returned to New York for his family, arriving with them in Delta the following October. He soon had a log cabin erected on his farm, a mile west of Delta, and then began the task of clearing up the land. He was surrounded by Indians and wild beasts, every foot of ground was covered with heavy forests, and the first winter there he killed seven wolves and a bear. By hard work, prudence and economy he soon placed himself among the foremost of the new country, and he always kept himself there. In the early days, before roads were cut, it was necessary for him to take a bushel of wheat on his shoulder and walk ten miles to the nearest mill. He assisted in cutting a road from Providence, Lucas county, for the first wagon that ever came through that part of the country. He lived on this farm until about 1875, when he and his wife came to reside in the village of Delta. After her death he made his home with his son-in-law Mr. Haubiel on Wood street. He retained wonderful physical strength and activity until two or three days before his death.

He was one of the first board of trustees of York township. He was well qualified to hold, and might have held, many important offices in the town and county, but he always had a strong aversion to office holding, nor did he wish his sons to accept office. When the plank road was projected from Toledo to Angola, he took a thousand dollars' worth of the stock, and by his personal solicitations obtained a great deal which the company could not otherwise have obtained, besides building one mile of the road himself.

Mr. Trowbridge was a professor of Christianity for sixty years, during all of which time his life was never a reproach to his profession. About the year 1826 he joined the Methodist Episcopal Church in Lewis county, N. Y., and after coming to Ohio he was one of the organizers and first members of the First Methodist Church in Delta. For over half a century he was identified with the early settlement and growth of what is now Fulton county. He was able to give a farm to each of his children that grew up and married.

## CHILDREN:\*

*By first marriage:*

- 1180. i. JOHN SUMNER, b. Nov. 18, 1816.
- ii. JORDAN JAMES, b. Jan. 30, 1818; d. Oct. 3, 1839, in Delta, Ohio; unm.
- iii. EMILY, b. Oct. 29, 1820; m. Jan. 15, 1846, Peter Haubiel of Delta.
- 1181. iv. ANSON, b. Nov. 1, 1822.
- 1182. v. ALLEN SMITH, b. Oct. 3, 1825.
- 1183. vi. CORNELIUS, b. Feb. 20, 1828.

*By second marriage:*

- 1184. vii. LUTHER HENRY, b. May 10, 1833.
- viii. HESTER ANN, b. Jan. 2, 1837; m. Benjamin Biddle and resides in East Toledo, Ohio.†

*By third marriage:*

- ix. CATHARINE, b. Apr. 1, 1843; d. Feb. 5, 1845.

*By fourth marriage:*

- x. WILLIAM HOLLAND, b. Apr. 19, 1848; resides in Delta.†

**1079.** ALANSON TROWBRIDGE (*Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 12, 1798, in Ashford, Conn.; died June 11, 1885, in Centreville, Mich.; married October 15, 1821, in Edinburgh?, N. Y., Polly Deming, daughter of Solomon and Eunice (Caulkins) Deming, born November 16, 1800, in Greenfield, N. Y.; died October 14, 1873, in Delta, Ohio.

\* i-ii born in Edinburgh, N. Y.; iii-vii in Houseville, N. Y.; viii-x in Delta, Ohio.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

Alanson Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to Edinburgh, N. Y. He lived there a few years after his marriage and then removed, like his brothers, to Lewis county, N. Y. In the summer of 1837, in company with his parents and younger brother, he followed his older brothers to Delta, Ohio. He there cleared a farm and lived many years. After the death of his wife he went to pass the remainder of his days at the home of his son Dr. George M. Trowbridge in Centreville, Mich. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church in Delta.

## CHILDREN :\*

1185. i. WILLIAM CHESTER, b. Sept. 13, 1824.  
 1186. ii. SOLOMON DEMING, b. May 10, 1828.  
 iii. SYLVESTER EDWIN, b. Nov. 22, 1830; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted Mar. 2, 1864, in Company H, 67th Ohio Infantry, was wounded May 9, 1864, in action near Chester Station, Va., and was mustered out Sept. 14, 1865. He is a farmer and resides in Vermontville, Mich.; unm.  
 1187. iv. GEORGE MARTIN, b. Apr. 6, 1833.  
 v. FANNY DELOTIA, b. May 6, 1835; m. Dec. 12, 1858, Abisha Smith of Delta, Ohio.  
 vi. JOHN WILLIS, b. May 1, 1838; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted Mar. 21, 1864, in Company H, 67th Ohio Infantry, and d. Oct. 3, 1864, of wounds received in action in Fortress Monroe, Va.; unm.†  
 vii. CHARLES WESLEY, b. June 24, 1840; d. Apr. 8, 1855, in Delta.  
 viii. BETSEY MEHETABLE, b. July 11, 1843; m. June 17, 1866, Melville Bell Foote and resides in Ayr, Neb.

1080. JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Willard*<sup>1033</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 1, 1803, in Edinburgh, N. Y.; died March 16, 1887, in Delta, Ohio; married April 1, 1824, in Edinburgh, Laura Butler, daughter of Martin and Lydia (Hill) Butler, born April 14, 1801, in Great Barrington, Mass.; died December 27, 1887, in Delta.

James Trowbridge was the youngest son of his father, and he remained with him in Edinburgh, N. Y., after the older sons went to Lewis county. In the summer of 1837 he accompanied his parents and brother Alanson to Delta, Ohio. They arrived at his brother Elisha's on July 7, and he and his family went to live in his father's log house. He had brought some merchandise with him, and he kept store for a time, trading with the few whites there and the Indians, buying furs and skins, wild animals being plentiful at that time. He was also busy in clearing up the farm. After a few years he and his brothers Elisha and Willard and a Mr. Hobart of Pike formed a company and bought of Mr. Lewis the old mill site above the town and a considerable tract of land and erected a saw mill. Some years later he acquired this mill, he had always practically run it himself, with 80 acres of land. He continued to own and conduct it as long as it stood.

Mr. Trowbridge was active in local politics. He was a justice of the peace for York township for many years and was elected to other town offices, among which were those of township clerk and treasurer. He was also infirmity director of Lucas county before the county was divided. Soon after he came to Ohio he united with the Methodist Episcopal Church and when the Protestant Methodist church was organized he joined that and remained a member of it as long as that organization continued. His life was intimately connected with the pioneer history of Fulton county. He was very active in building roads and churches, and gave his time and money freely to anything that would tend to improve the county. He had great hopes in its future and lived to see his hopes realized. His original 80 acre farm is in the incorporated village of

\* i born in Edinburgh, N. Y.; ii-v in Houseville, N. Y.; vi-viii in Delta, Ohio.

† His name is incorrectly printed J. W. Truebridge, Company H, 61st Ohio, in "U. S. Roll of Honor."

Delta, the Lake Shore railroad runs through it, the long distance and local telephone lines run past it, and Delta is a thriving village, with five churches, public buildings, mills and stores.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. EMILY ELIZA MARIA, b. Oct. 21, 1825; m., 1st, Aug. 22, 1849, Daniel H. Pettys of Beatrice, Neb.; m., 2d, Jan. 6, 1901, Rev. Edmund Erb and resides in Beatrice.
1188. ii. JAMES WILLIAM WALLACE, b. June 12, 1830.
- iii. FRANCIS ORLANDO CLEMENT, b. May 4, 1842; d. Oct. 8, 1844.

**1081.** JOHN WORK TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>1056</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 2, 1805, in Ashford, † Conn.; died November 5, 1890, in New Haven, Conn.; married April 10, 1827, in Ashford, † Delotia Lyon, ‡ daughter of Amasa and Keziah (Knowlton) Lyon, born October 15, 1811, in Ashford; † died September 28, 1890, in West Haven, Conn.

John W. Trowbridge grew to manhood on his father's farm in that part of Ashford, Conn., that became Eastford. As a young man he taught school in Eastford society, among his scholars during his first year of teaching being his future wife. He settled in his native place after his marriage. He served as justice of the peace of Ashford in 1846 and of Eastford from 1848 to 1854. From 1853 to 1856 he held the office of assessor in Eastford.

About this time he removed to Hartford, Conn., as that city offered him better opportunities in his trade, that of an expert pattern-maker. In 1864 he removed to New Haven, Conn., where he bought a plot of land and built the first house erected on Cottage street. Soon after this he retired from business. In 1884 he removed to the suburb of West Haven, where he was among the best-known residents. His last illness and death occurred at the home of his son Elisha in New Haven. He was very fond of reading, and was well informed in literature and the current topics of the day.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ASHFORD, † CONN.:

1189. i. AMASA, b. Feb. 10, 1831.
1190. ii. ELISHA, b. Apr. 25, 1833.

**1082.** PHILANDER TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>1036</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 26, 1807, in Ashford, † Conn.; died November 28, 1891, in Pomfret, Conn.; married March 30, 1834, in Killingly, Conn., Harriet Durfee, § daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Carder) Durfee, born September 23, 1811, in Killingly; died August 24, 1888, in Pomfret.

Philander Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in that part of Ashford, Conn., that became Eastford. He was a farmer and always resided in his native town until 1867, when he changed his residence for a home in the adjoining town of Pomfret, where he spent his declining years until his death. He was a selectman of Eastford for five years, 1853-56 and 1860, and held the office of justice of the peace in 1856.

## CHILDREN BORN IN EASTFORD, CONN.:

- i. FREDERICK AUGUSTUS, b. Jan. 20, 1835; killed by the railroad cars at Worcester, Mass., while on his way home from his third voyage to the East Indies, after an absence of three years, Sept. 3, 1856; unm.
- ii. INGOLDSBY LUCIAN, b. Apr. 20, 1836; d. June 14, 1837.
- iii. SARAH DURFEE, b. May 20, 1840; d. July 12, 1848.
1191. iv. INGOLDSBY WORK, b. Mar. 9, 1845.
1192. v. JOHN PHILLO, b. Dec. 10, 1849.

\* i-ii born in Edinburgh, N. Y.; iii in Delta, Ohio.

† In the part now Eastford.

‡ A sister of Gen. Nathaniel Lyon.

§ A sister of the first wife of his brother No. 1083.







*James S. Fowndley*

**1083.** ASAPH TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>1036</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 3, 1813, in Ashford,\* Conn.; died October 26, 1874, in Eastford, Conn.; married, first, November 1, 1837, in Killingly, Conn., Sarah Durfee,† daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Carder) Durfee, born ———, 1813, in Killingly; died May 14, 1840, in Ashford.\* He married, second, March 20, 1849, in Warehouse Point, Conn., Delia Ann Hunt, daughter of Willard Hunt, born June 5, 1831, in East Long Meadow, Mass.; died April 24, 1892, in Norwich, Conn.

Asaph Trowbridge was reared on his father's farm in that part of Ashford, Conn., that became the town of Eastford. He settled there after his marriage and resided there until his death. He was a farmer. He was elected a grand juror in 1851 and a constable in 1856.

## CHILDREN BORN IN EASTFORD, CONN.:

*By second marriage:‡*

- 1193. i. WILLARD, b. June 6, 1851.
- 1194. ii. MYRON ASAPH, b. Aug. 16, 1853.
- iii. FREDERICK ELISHA, b. Oct. 18, 1856; a boxmaker; unm.§
- iv. SARAH DELIA, b. Oct. 6, 1860; m. Mar. 1, 1882, Frederick Winenger of Norwich, Conn.

**1084.** NELSON CLEMENT TROWBRIDGE (*Clement*<sup>1037</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 8, 1815, in Cambridge, Vt.; died April 23, 1879, in Canton, Miss.; married November 10, 1836, in Augusta, Ga., Evelina Frances Olive, daughter of Capt. John and Sarah (Magruda) Olive, born July 5, 1820, in Augusta; died April 3, 1880, in New York City.

Nelson C. Trowbridge received his early instruction in business in his father's store in Medina, N. Y. In 1835 he went to the South and engaged in mercantile business for himself in Augusta, Ga. Subsequently he was engaged in planting and in operating in real estate in the South and in New York City.

## CHILDREN BORN IN AUGUSTA, GA.:

- i. MIRIAM ADELIN, b. Apr. 15, 1840; m. Charles James Osborn of New York City.
- ii. LEILA OLIVE, b. Aug. 10, 1842; m. Aug. 21, 1861, William Henry Henriques and resides in New York City.
- iii. MARY AUGUSTA, b. Aug. 1, 1845; m. Apr. 27, 1893, Henry Hobart Mason and resides in New York City.
- 1195. iv. CLEMENT JORDAN, b. Feb. 5, 1851.
- v. GRACE EVELINA, b. July 11, 1857; d. Mar. 4, 1880, in New York City; unm.

**1085.** JAMES SMITH TROWBRIDGE (*Clement*<sup>1037</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 4, 1816, in Cambridge, Vt.; died June 15, 1896, in Berkeley, Cal.; married April 5, 1841, in Albion, Mich., Mary Ann Seymour, daughter of Miles and Anne (Southmaid) Seymour, born May 30, 1817, in Ithaca, N. Y.; died December 19, 1874, in Jackson, Cal.

James S. Trowbridge passed his boyhood in his native place and in Medina, N. Y., at his father's home, and in early manhood accompanied him to Albion, Mich. He married and lived there until 1844, when he removed to Battle Creek, Mich., being engaged in mercantile business. He had been brought up an Episcopalian and was chosen a vestryman of St. Thomas's Church in Battle Creek in 1849. In 1852 he helped to organize a large company of his fellow

\* In the part now Eastford.

† A sister of the wife of his brother No. 1082.

‡ No children by first marriage.

§ Residence unknown to his brother.

|| Except v, who was born in New York City.

townsmen who, like himself, had resolved to cross the plains to California, and they arrived there in the fall of that year, after a prosperous journey of six months.

Mr. Trowbridge settled in Jackson, the county seat of Amador county, then a typical mining town. For twenty-five years he was identified with all the early progressive history of the town, and was always esteemed as a valued, enterprising citizen. By his energy he soon provided for his family a home, with surroundings and comforts unusual in those days; and he was considered quite in advance of the times when he procured the first sewing machine the town had seen, and undertook to bring a piano into the mountains by the difficult means then available. He provided the first school-teacher for Jackson (in the person of his wife) and promoted the building of a schoolhouse and church and also the maintenance of public worship. Reared an Episcopalian, he was interested in all churches, and nowhere was a clergyman of any denomination more cordially welcome, nor more likely to be found, than at "Deacon" Trowbridge's home. In later years he and his wife united with the church of her choice, the Presbyterian, and he continued in that denomination while he lived.

After the death of his wife and youngest son, his active interest in most of the affairs of life declined, and he withdrew himself more and more from business and social intercourse with others, living quietly with his children. The one interest which best survived the past was his concern in the political situation of the country, and to this he gave great attention, always contending earnestly for the principles of the Republican party and hoping for their triumph. Mr. Trowbridge was a man of great refinement of character, with all the instincts of a gentleman, and a heart as tender and sympathetic as a woman's. He united with the First Presbyterian Church of Berkeley, Cal., December 4, 1892, and of him his pastor, the Rev. H. A. Ketchum, said, "I have the utmost confidence in his Christian character."

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. CLEMENT SEYMOUR, b. Apr. 23, 1842; d. Aug. 6, 1842.
- ii. MARY ELOISE, b. Nov. 22, 1843; m. July 12, 1865, Rev. Hugh Hillis Dobbins and resides in Berkeley, Cal.
1196. iii. NELSON SEYMOUR, b. July 6, 1845.
1197. iv. EDWARD CLEMENT, b. Mar. 29, 1847.
- v. EVA CATHERINE, b. Oct. 16, 1848; m., 1st, May 30, 1867, Otto Walther of Sacramento, Cal.; m., 2d, May 30, 1888, James Rye and resides in Oakland, Cal.
- vi. WILLIAM, b. Sept 25, 1857; d. Oct. 3, 1857.
- vii. JAMES LESLIE, b. Mar. 23, 1863; d. Dec. 17, 1882, in Oakland; unm.

**1086.** HORACE TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1058</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 28, 1810, in Ashford, Conn.; died May 7, 1888, in Central Falls, R. I.; married August 30, 1836, in Ashford, Lucy Burnham, daughter of Jotham and Betsy (Gaylord) Burnham, born December 18, 1817, in Ashford; died August 22, 1887, in Central Falls.

Horace Trowbridge spent his early years on his father's farm in Eastford society in Ashford, Conn. For a few years after he was twenty he taught school in the neighboring village of Westford. The year succeeding his marriage, 1837, he went to Lonsdale, R. I., where he kept a grocery store for about five years. He was at that time a member of the Lonsdale Cornet Band. He removed in 1842 to Central Falls, R. I., where he also had a grocery store for a number of years. While residing there he was a member of the Pacific Fire Engine Company and on the town's board of fire wardens. He was also a justice of the peace of Smithfield township for three years, 1847-9. About the year 1856 he went to

\* i-ii born in Albion, Mich.; iii-v in Battle Creek, Mich.; vi-vii in Jackson, Cal.

Saylesville, R. I., where for a number of years he was overseer of the finishing room of the Sayles' Bleachery Company. He later returned to Central Falls, where he passed the remainder of his life. His wife united in 1845 with the Central Falls Congregational church.

## CHILDREN:

- i. LUCY THERESA, b. Apr. 28, 1838, in Lonsdale, R. I.; d. Aug. 20, 1848.
- ii. ELLEN ELIZABETH, b. Apr. 21, 1840, in Lonsdale; m. May 22, 1873, Gustavus Arnold Paine and resides in Central Falls, R. I.
- iii. JOHN BURNHAM, b. Feb. 12, 1851, in Central Falls; received his education in the grammar and high schools of his native place. After leaving school he went to work as a brass finisher for the Providence Steam and Gas Pipe Company in Providence, R. I., and remained in their employ for a number of years. In 1883 he went to work for the Fales & Jenks Machine Company in Central Falls, and has continued in their employ up to the present time. He is not a church member, but has attended the Central Falls Congregational church and the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Pawtucket, R. I. He resides in Central Falls and is unmarried.

**1087.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1038</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 13, 1817, in Ashford, Conn.; died December 5, 1882, in Ashford; married December 16, 1846, in Ashford, Catharine S. Works, daughter of Benjamin and Mary (Davis) Works, born January 6, 1818, in Ashford; died March 21, 1896, in Ashford.

James Trowbridge was a life-long resident of Ashford, Conn. He was an honest, conscientious and hard-working farmer. He and his wife were members of the Ashford Congregational church, and he was one of its deacons for many years. He gave both his time and means to make it a blessing to his town, and he was loved and respected by the entire community.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1088.** EDWARD TROWBRIDGE (*Ephraim*<sup>1040</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 29, 1832, in Eastford,\* Conn.; died February 22, 1858, in Eastford; married June 6, 1853, in Southbridge, Mass., Louise Maria Lyon, daughter of Nathaniel and Elvira (Whittemore) Lyon, born September 19, 1835, in Dudley, Mass.; died September 9, 1885, in Eastford.

Edward Trowbridge was a farmer in his native place, Eastford, Conn.

## CHILD BORN IN EASTFORD, CONN.:

- i. MARY ANN, b. Dec. 4, 1855; m. July 18, 1875, Elisha Windsor Sherman and resides in Eastford.

**1089.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Ephraim*<sup>1040</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 14, 1837, in Eastford,\* Conn.; resides in Eastford; married February 24, 1874, in Eastford, Laura Fitts (Boutelle) Day, widow of Abel Day of Chaplin, Conn., and daughter of Thomas Ewing and Sarah (Butler) Boutelle, born March 29, 1842, in Eastford;\* died September 8, 1903, in Eastford.

Henry Trowbridge has always resided in his native place, Eastford, Conn., where he owns and cultivates a farm of 68 acres. He was elected constable in 1865 and has held other town offices, being at the present time and for several years past one of the auditors of the town of Eastford. He is a member and deacon of the Eastford Congregational church, and for some years has also held the office of clerk of the church.

## NO CHILDREN.

\* Then a part of Ashford.

**1090.** CHARLES TROWBRIDGE (*Ephraim*<sup>1040</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 20, 1840, in Eastford,\* Conn.; died March 31, 1863, in Eastford; married March 1, 1861, in Southbridge, Mass., Hannah Rosalie Rindge, daughter of Jonathan and Ann (Griggs) Rindge, born in Eastford. She married, second, December 4, 1867, in Eastford, Andrew Jackson Bowen, Esq., and resides in Willimantic, Conn.

Charles Trowbridge was a farmer in Eastford, Conn., his native place.

CHILD BORN IN EASTFORD, CONN.:

- i. LENA HANNAH, b. Sept. 26, 1861; d. July 25, 1862.

**1091.** MARCUS TROWBRIDGE (*Amos*<sup>1041</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 27, 1815, in Ashford, Conn.; died about 1847 in Chandlerville, Ill.; married in the fall of 1839 in Chandlerville?, Lydia Bonney.†

Marcus Trowbridge in early manhood emigrated to the West. He settled in Chandlerville (originally Panther's Creek), Ill., where he was engaged in farming until his death.

CHILDREN BORN IN CHANDLERVILLE, ILL.:

- i. EDWARD, b. ———, 1840; d. in infancy.  
ii.? Daughter, b. ———, 1843.

**1092.** AMOS TROWBRIDGE (*Amos*<sup>1041</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 8, 1822, in Ashford, Conn.; died May 11, 1905, in Wellsville, Mo.; married September 12, 1852, in Plymouth, Ohio, Cornelia Clark, daughter of Eli and Mary (Howard) Clark, born September 29, 1826, in Ashford. She resides in Wellsville.

Amos Trowbridge was always engaged in farming. He settled after his marriage in his native place, Ashford, Conn. He left there in the summer of 1868, and lived for two years in Ohio, nine years in Indiana, and then came to Wellsville, Mo., which continued to be his residence until his death. He became a church member in 1840, and he was, and his family are, members of the Methodist Episcopal church in Wellsville.

CHILDREN BORN IN ASHFORD, CONN.:

- i. SUSIE CORNELIA, b. Sept. 11, 1854; resides in Chicago, Ill.; unm.  
1198. ii. CHARLES RUSSELL, b. Aug. 27, 1858.  
1199. iii. ANDREW CLARK, b. May 30, 1862.  
iv. ABEL DOW, b. Apr. 24, 1864; d. Aug. 27, 1867.  
v. JOHN AMOS, b. July 11, 1868; is in the grocery and market business in Chicago; unm.

**1093.** ANDREW JACKSON TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>1042</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 15, 1835, in Pomfret, Conn.; resides in Pomfret; married June 18, 1857, in Pomfret, Sarah Ann Turner,‡ daughter of Calvin and Mary (Wilson) Turner, born March 2, 1837, in Mendon, Mass.

Andrew J. Trowbridge has always lived in his native town. He owns and lives on the farm that his grandfather owned and on which his father was born and died. His farm of 180 acres is in Abington society in the western part of Pomfret near the Eastford town line. The old house, built for his grandfather, was torn down in 1876 and on its site Mr. Trowbridge has erected a modern residence.

\* Then a part of Ashford.

† Of whom no further particulars were found.

‡ A sister of the wife of his brother No. 1094.





*Wm. F. Inoubridge*



## CHILDREN BORN IN POMFRET, CONN.:

- i. LAURA JOSEPHINE. b. Dec. 14, 1858; d. Dec. 29, 1873.
- ii. SARAH INA. b. Mar. 26, 1862; m. May 17, 1887, Abram Lunger Nunn and resides in Pomfret.
- iii. MARY ISABEL. b. Jan. 2, 1871; m. Mar. 15, 1894, John Alfred West and resides in Pomfret.

**1094.** DAVID LATON TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>1042</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 7, 1838, in Pomfret, Conn.; resides in Pomfret; married September 6, 1860, in Mendon, Mass., Georgianna Augusta Turner,\* daughter of Calvin and Mary (Wilson) Turner, born April 8, 1839, in Mendon.

David L. Trowbridge is a farmer in his native town, Pomfret, Conn., where he owns and cultivates a farm of about 60 acres.

## CHILDREN BORN IN POMFRET, CONN.:

- i. FRANCES ADELAIDE. b. Aug. 21, 1861; m. 1st. Dec. 24, 1880, John Foster Deans of Eastford, Conn.; m. 2d, Jan. 9, 1895, Henry Clayton Phillips and resides in Utica, N. Y.
- ii. LUCY JANE. b. May 17, 1864; m. May 12, 1887, Ira Albertus Porter of Thompson, Conn.

**1095.** DR. WILLIAM RIPLEY TROWBRIDGE (*Amasa*<sup>1043</sup>, *William*<sup>1020</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 22, 1816, in Watertown, N. Y.; died August 19, 1886, in Watertown; married September 24, 1848, in Watertown, Louise Marie Smith, daughter of Sylvester and Rose (Tuttle) Smith, born April 1, 1825, in Dover, N. H. She resides in Watertown, N. Y.

William R. Trowbridge received the advantages of the best schools in Watertown, N. Y., and started out in boyhood with the determination to be the architect of his own fortunes. He commenced as a clerk in a store in Brownsville in his native county, was next clerk in the post office in Remsen, Lewis county, and later a clerk in a store in Utica. He then went to New York City and entered the employ of a wholesale house, where his ability was such that when he became twenty-one his employers recommended him to a dry goods establishment in St. Louis, Mo., of which he later became a partner. He had been in St. Louis but four years when the death of his elder brother, Dr. Amasa Trowbridge, Jr., recalled him to Watertown.

Although his early inclination was not towards the life of a physician and surgeon, his desire to take his deceased brother's place with his father, one of the most eminent surgeons in the country, led him to enter the latter's office and begin the study of medicine. He received his diploma from Willoughby University and entered into a partnership with his father in 1846. From that time he advanced in his profession until he ranked among the most active and eminent physicians in his county. The practice of himself and his father was very large, and after the latter's death he continued it alone. He was one of the most skillful surgeons in Northern New York and his reputation as a physician was unexcelled.

Doctor Trowbridge served as examining surgeon in the Civil War, and was appointed surgeon of the 18th District Regiment, New York Volunteer Infantry, in 1862. He was at one time a very enthusiastic naturalist and an amateur taxidermist of great skill. He was long a member of the Jefferson County Medical Society. He was also prominent in Masonic circles. He was raised to the degree of Master Mason in Watertown Lodge, F. and A. M., March 21, 1855; was made a Royal Arch Mason in Watertown Chapter March 24, 1858; and was knighted in Watertown Commandery, No. 11, September 1, 1865. At the time of his death he was the oldest citizen of Watertown who was born within its limits. His funeral was largely attended, and societies and individuals united in honoring his memory.

\* A sister of the wife of his brother No. 1093.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WATERTOWN, N. Y.:

1200. i. EDWARD WILLIAM, b. July 16, 1849.  
 ii. HELEN ROSE, b. Aug. 15, 1853; resides in Watertown; unm.  
 1201. iii. STANTON SYLVESTER, b. Dec. 10, 1854.  
 1202. iv. FREDERICK GUTEAU, b. Oct. 30, 1857.  
 1203. v. WILLIAM AMASA, b. July 14, 1866.

**1096.** ANDREW BILLINGS TROWBRIDGE (*Amasa*<sup>1043</sup>, *William*<sup>1020</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 2, 1817, in Watertown, N. Y.; died May 26, 1862, in Willoughby, Ohio; married ———, 1855, in Greenfield, Ohio. Sophronia Naomi Hoyt, daughter of Jonathan and Fidelia (Chapman) Hoyt, born ———, 1826, in Potsdam, N. Y.?<sup>?</sup>; died in the summer of 1862 in Lafayette, Ind.

Andrew B. Trowbridge at the age of twenty-one went to Painesville, Ohio, with his father, when the latter removed there in order to be near Willoughby University. He settled there after his marriage and resided there until his death.

## CHILD BORN IN WILLOUGHBY, OHIO:

- i. EMMA LOUISE, b. Oct. 10, 1856; m. May 27, 1880, Albert Graham Cook and resides in Cleveland, Ohio.

**1097.** DR. LAWRENCE DEFOREST TROWBRIDGE (*Artemas*<sup>1045</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1021</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 25, 1850, in Camden, N. Y.; died February 16, 1889, in Palmyra, N. Y.; married June 7, 1877, in Newark, N. Y., Lucy Frances Williams, daughter of Hon. Stephen Keyes and Angeline (Crane) Williams, born January 3, 1851, in Newark. She resides in New York City.

Lawrence D. Trowbridge at the age of fourteen went with his parents to Newark, N. Y. He received an academic education and studied medicine with Dr. Charles G. Pomeroy in Newark. He then entered the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York City, from which he was graduated with the degree of M.D. in 1876. The following year he located in Palmyra, N. Y., and at once entered upon a large and lucrative practice, which he successfully retained until the time of his death.

Doctor Trowbridge was a man of unusually fine personal address, grave and dignified in his demeanor, but tender and sympathetic in his nature. As a physician he was preëminent; his very presence in the sick room inspired confidence and hope. He was a vestryman of Zion Church, Palmyra, and at a meeting of its wardens and vestrymen this tribute to his memory was presented:

"With unaffected sorrow the rector, wardens and vestrymen of Zion Church, Palmyra, assemble in this special meeting consequent upon the death of their friend and associate, Dr. Lawrence D. Trowbridge, a churchman by birth, by the ordinance of the church, and by devout practice. Our friend was most useful in this parish.

"He came to the vestry with all the thoughtful intelligence of the mature gentleman with which he came to every duty or ordinance in the church. He met the duties with discriminating care and gave to everything connected with the parish his best service."

## CHILDREN BORN IN PALMYRA, N. Y.:

- 1203a. i. LAWRENCE WILLIAMS, b. Oct. 29, 1879.  
 ii. RAY, b. Mar. 21, 1883; resides in New York City, where he is connected with the Locomobile Company of America as a selling agent; unm.

**1098.** CHARLES EDWARD TROWBRIDGE (*George*<sup>1046</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1021</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 3, 1831, in Pomfret, Conn.; died January 10, 1908, in Whitinsville, Mass.; married September 29, 1856, in Pomfret, Jane Elizabeth Brayton, daughter of Thomas Parker and Laura Ann (Franklin) Brayton, born March 29, 1835, in Pomfret; died December 18, 1904, in Whitinsville.



Lamrence D. Tombridge.







Charles E. Froobridge

Charles E. Trowbridge spent most of his childhood with his grandmother at the Trowbridge homestead in Pomfret, Conn., with occasional visits to his parents in Camden, N. Y. At an early age he developed a mechanical taste. Coming to Whitinsville, Mass., in 1854, he entered as an apprentice the employ of the P. Whitin Manufacturing Company, afterwards known as the Whitin Machine Works. After successive promotions, he obtained the position of master mechanic of the Whitinsville Cotton Mills Company.

Gifted with the inventive faculty to an unusual degree, his attention was directed to the improvement in many ways of the spinning ring, with great and successful results to the cotton industry. He made his first important invention in 1872, namely, special tools for the making of spinning rings, and with Hon. Arthur F. Whitin as partner he began the manufacture of rings the following year, under the firm name and style of the Whitinsville Spinning Ring Company. The firm has since carried on the manufacture of these rings, and their superiority has established the reputation of the firm not only in America but wherever the spinning industry is known. In 1887 his son was taken into partnership and became superintendent. A few years ago Mr. Trowbridge transferred his interest in the firm to his son, and progress has continued without interruption.

Mr. Trowbridge was always a progressive man as to village and up-to-date improvements. He was greatly interested in electrical inventions, and was the first Whitinsville citizen to install electric lights in his home. The first house to have a telephone was his, and he was the first citizen to own and operate an automobile. He was a born inventor, but took as much pleasure in other people's inventions as in any of his own. Scarcely any invention passed his notice, and he was never satisfied with reading and hearing about them, but his inquiring mind demanded that he might further his knowledge, and then wonder what other novel things were to appear in the scientific world.

Mr. Trowbridge was an active member of the Methodist church of the village and for over 50 years a liberal supporter of that denomination. Under the pastorate of George H. Mansfield, 1858-9, he was converted in the old Methodist church, now known as Pythian Hall, and has continued an active member of the church of his choice ever since. Serving as a trustee most of the time, he was a member of the present building committee, and to him perhaps more than any other member of the church is due the credit of removing the indebtedness on the property, which was so great a burden for many years. Many of the recent improvements on the church property have been brought about through his efforts and contributions. He was always present at the services while his health permitted, and was a great favorite with the young folks. To them he was always Father Trowbridge. Not only the home churches but other religious organizations also will remember his generosity.

"He never filled a public office, but had the people called, there would have been a service that would cause this small sphere in which we live to wonder. The demand or call of a cabal could never move him to undertake a public position. It would have to come from the people. He was a member of no society and was satisfied to belong to the brotherhood of man. His ways were ways of pleasantness and his paths were peace. His faith was a simple faith, and a great poet has said that that is greater than Norman blood. He was a genuine Yankee. He was born one and lived one. No higher tribute can be paid to his patriotism than that. There was joy to him, whenever on our national holiday he caused the stars and stripes to be run up the flag pole in front of his residence, but there was greater satisfaction to him to go back into his house and feel that the flag was there. He had feelings for his fellow men, respected their opinions, and was interested in their welfare and happiness."

The funeral of Mr. Trowbridge was held from the Whitinsville Methodist Episcopal church, and rich and poor, and all creeds and denominations, were in

the large congregation that gathered for the final ceremony over the body of one who had lived the life of an ideal citizen. The services were in charge of the pastor, Rev. Wesley Wiggin, and he was assisted by Rev. John R. Thurston, pastor of the Congregational church, and Rev. T. M. Huston, pastor of the United Presbyterian church. Rev. Mr. Wiggin delivered the eulogy. He sketched the life of Mr. Trowbridge, and told simply, but touchingly, some of the details of his life of more than fifty years in Whitinsville, of his fidelity in business relations, of his ideal home life, and of his generosity to the churches.\*

## CHILDREN :

1204. i. GEORGE EDWARD, b. Dec. 25, 1857, in Pomfret, Conn.  
 ii. LIZZIE JANE, b. Oct. 23, 1859, in Whitinsville, Mass.; resides there; unm.

**1099.** CHARLES WINFIELD TROWBRIDGE (*Charles*<sup>1047</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1021</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 7, 1852, in Painesville, Ohio; resides in Chicago, Ill.; married November 2, 1876, in Kewanee, Ill. Florence Persons, daughter of Asa and Mary Ann (Peet) Persons, born July 21, 1854, in Princeville, Ill.

Charles W. Trowbridge is an engineer by profession. He received his grammar school instruction in Kewanee, Ill., and his professional education in Chicago, Ill., where he resided until May, 1896. He then went to New York City. On September 1, 1898, he went to Indianapolis, Ind., as agent for the Brown-Ketchum Iron Works, makers of structural and ornamental steel and iron. On September 1, 1901, he entered the employ of the American Bridge Company as manager of its St. Louis office. On February 1, 1907, he was transferred to its Chicago division and is assistant division contracting manager there. In the course of his business he has visited nearly every city in the United States. His residence is in Chicago, Ill.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1100.** BENJAMIN CHAPIN TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1048</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 1, 1817, in Worcester, Mass.; died December 8, 1852, on the ocean, off Jamaica, West Indies; married June 6, 1841, in Caroline, N. Y., Charity Rounseville, daughter of Sylvester and Sally (Nelson) Rounseville, born March —, 1813, in Caroline; died January 18, 1889, in Mitchell, Wis.

Benjamin C. Trowbridge went in boyhood with his father to Tompkins county, N. Y., and followed him to Sheboygan Falls, Wis. He settled there after his marriage and engaged in farming, removing three years later to Mitchell, Wis. When the gold fever of 1849 came on he and his brother Thaddeus went to California in search of gold. In 1853 he and his cousin George Trowbridge started for their home in Wisconsin, going by way of Panama. He died of "Panama fever" on board ship the day after they sailed from Kingston, Jamaica.†

## CHILDREN :

1205. i. LEWIS HENRY, b. Nov. 14, 1842, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.  
 ii. CHARLES HENRY, b. Sept. 6, 1844, in Sheboygan Falls; at the age of seven-  
 teen entered the army during the Civil War. He enlisted Oct. 26, 1861, in  
 Company II, 1st Wisconsin Infantry. He participated in the battle of  
 Murfreesboro and was killed in the battle of Chickamauga, Sept. 20, 1863;  
 unm.  
 iii. JANE, b. Dec. 26, 1846, in Mitchell, Wis.; m. Dec. 12, 1871, William Smith  
 of Winooski, Wis.  
 1206. iv. WILLIAM, b. Dec. 29, 1849, in Mitchell.

\* Acknowledgment is made to a sketch of Mr. Trowbridge printed in the Uxbridge and Whitinsville *Transcript* of Jan. 17, 1908, and a "eulogy" from Mr. M. T. Flaberty in the same paper.

† Letter from the late Mr. George O. Trowbridge (No. 1110).







*James L. Troiobridge*

**1101.** WILLIAM SETH TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1048</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 8, 1819, in Worcester, Mass.; died November 21, 1848, in Cortland, N. Y.; married March 23, 1843, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis., Alvira Ocain, daughter of Nicholas and Almira (Howe) Ocain, born November 19, 1825, in Cortland. She married, second, April 10, 1858, in Sheboygan Falls, Charles Hersey Trowbridge (No. 1105), and died November 5, 1906, in Mondovi, Wis.

William S. Trowbridge lived with his father until after they emigrated to Sheboygan Falls, Wis. He settled there after his marriage and was a farmer. He was a member of the Baptist church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SHEBOYGAN FALLS, WIS.:

- i. DOROTHY CHAPIN, b. Jan. 24, 1844; m. Dec. 25, 1867, Russelas Farrington and resides in Mondovi, Wis.
- ii. OLIVE SACKETT, b. Apr. 8, 1847; m. Mar. 18, 1865, Isbon Pringle Knight of Northampton, Mass., and resides in Mondovi.

**1102.** JAMES LEWIS TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1048</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 18, 1822, in Worcester, Mass.; died August 17, 1902, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; married, first, June 15, 1846, in Sheboygan Falls, Mary Eliza Cole, daughter of Nathan and Chloë (Rowley) Cole, born June 15, 1826, in Schenectady, N. Y.; died July 11, 1849, in Sheboygan Falls. He married, second, October 19, 1852, in Sheboygan Falls, Mary Louise Cobb, daughter of Charles Dyer and Almira (Savage) Cobb, born August 28, 1834, in Guilford Centre, N. Y.; died November 10, 1900, in Sheboygan Falls.

James L. Trowbridge passed the first eight years of his life near Worcester, Mass., and the succeeding seven in Tompkins county, N. Y. He was fifteen years old when he arrived with his father in Sheboygan, Wis. He was one of the earliest and sturdiest pioneers of Sheboygan county. He settled on his father's homestead of 240 acres, two miles west of the village of Sheboygan Falls, and inherited it at his father's death. He was an industrious, hard-working man all his life, clearing the wilderness and developing a good farm. He was a man of exemplary character, possessing many sterling qualities, and was highly esteemed in the community where he had lived so many years. He was one of the last surviving settlers of Sheboygan county.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SHEBOYGAN FALLS, WIS.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. ROBERT SHERWELL, b. Sept. 26, 1847; d. Feb. 28, 1865.
- ii. WILLIAM SETH, b. July 7, 1849; d. Nov. 21, 1849.

*By second marriage:*

1207. iii. THADDEUS CHAPIN, b. Nov. 2, 1853.
- iv. SARAH WILSON, b. Feb. 20, 1855; resides in Sheboygan Falls; unm. She has been interested in assisting the compiler to collect the records of her branch of the family.
1208. v. CHARLES COBB, b. Dec. 27, 1866.

**1103.** FITZ-JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 6, 1822, in Hinsdale, N. Y.; died April 4, 1904, in Osage, Iowa; married October 5, 1845, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis., Charlotte Andrews, daughter of Ezra and Mary (Langdon) Andrews, born June 30, 1826, in Greenfield, Tenn. She resides in Osage.

Fitz-James Trowbridge learned the trade of a carpenter and cabinetmaker. After coming of age he went to Sheboygan Falls, Wis., where a number of his relatives had been among the earliest settlers and were then living. He lived there a short time after his marriage and then went to the new town of Plymouth,

a few miles west, where he lived about twelve years. He then removed to Kingston, Wis., and in 1863 emigrated with his family to Mitchell county, Iowa, and settled on a farm near Osage, where he resided until his death.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. JAMES HENRY, b. Aug. 22, 1846; d. July 6, 1848.
- ii. MARY, b. Jan. 26, 1848; d. Aug. 31, 1850.
- iii. WILLIAM LEWIS, b. Feb. 27, 1850; d. May 26, 1850.
- iv. JAMES WALTER, b. July 16, 1851; d. Feb. 15, 1852.
- v. OLIVE LOUISA, b. Oct. 5, 1853; m. Jan. 19, 1875, Harleigh Morse and resides in Osage, Iowa.
- vi. CORA MARY, b. July 27, 1860; d. Aug. 2, 1863.
- vii. FRANK, b. June 8, 1862; d. Aug. 13, 1862.
- viii. DORA ELIZA, b. July 31, 1865; m. Oct. 30, 1889, William Bigelow and resides in Freeborn, Minn.
- ix. NEWTON, b. June 8, 1868; d. Jan. 15, 1869.

**1104.** WILLIAM HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 26, 1824, in Hinsdale, N. Y.; died October 9, 1898, in Merrill, Wis.; married, first, July 4, 1848, in Hinsdale, Christiana Whitlock,† daughter of Thomas and Jane (Norton) Whitlock, born August 3, 1832, in Ischua, N. Y.; died August 9, 1873, in Augusta, Wis. He married, second, April —, 1875, in Augusta, Christiana Oleson, who died December —, 1877, in Augusta.

William H. Trowbridge went after his marriage to Olean, N. Y., and for some years sailed the Alleghany and Ohio rivers. In 1863 he removed with his family to Green Bay, Wis., and became head sawyer of the sawmills there. He followed that occupation until past middle age, and then bought a farm in Augusta, Chippewa county, Wis. He was engaged in farming there until after the death of his second wife, when he went to the home of his son Frederick in Merrill, Wis., where about ten years later he died. He was a member of the Baptist church.

## CHILDREN :

*By first marriage:‡*

1209. i. WALES HENRY, b. May 8, 1850, in Hinsdale, N. Y.
1210. ii. CLARENCE ALPHONSO, b. May 29, 1855, in Olean, N. Y.
- 1210a. iii. FREDERICK BENJAMIN, b. Aug. 6, 1866, in Green Bay, Wis.
- iv. FRANK, b. July 15, 1873, in Augusta, Wis.; went to the school for the deaf at Delavan, Wis., in Sept., 1882, and remained there until 1890. He was then engaged in farming at home and in Aztalan, Wis., living nearly eight years in the latter place. In Sept., 1903, he came to Oshkosh, Wis., and went to work as a sash "squeezer" in a sash and door factory there, which is his occupation at present. He is unmarried.

**1105.** CHARLES HERSEY TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 12, 1826, in Hinsdale, N. Y.; died January 7, 1889, in Mondovi, Wis.; married, first, May 20, 1848, in Hinsdale, Louisa Hollister, who died August 13, 1857, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis. He married, second, April 10, 1858, in Sheboygan Falls, Alvira (Oeain) Trowbridge, widow of William Seth Trowbridge (No. 1101) and daughter of Nicholas and Almira (Howe) Oeain, born November 19, 1825, in Cortland, N. Y.; died November 5, 1906, in Mondovi.

Charles H. Trowbridge served a three years' apprenticeship at his trade, that of a master carpenter and cabinetmaker, and became an expert workman. He settled after his marriage in Sheboygan Falls, Wis., and followed his trade there and later in Mondovi, Wis.

\* i-v born in Plymouth, Wis.; vi-vii in Kingston, Wis.; viii-ix near Orchard, Iowa.

† A sister of the first wife of his brother No. 1106.

‡ No children by second marriage.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SHEBOYGAN FALLS, WIS.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. OLIVE EMMA, b. Feb. 10, 1850; m. Henry Sibley of Rock Falls, Wis.
  - ii. IDA FRANCELIA, b. Aug. 11, 1852; m. Gibson Moore of Johnstown, Pa.
  - iii. WILLIAM CLARENCE, b. July 30, 1854; d. Mar. 30, 1855.
1211. iv. WILLIAM CLARENCE, b. Sept. 25, 1855.

*By second marriage:*

- 1212. v. CHARLES LESTER, b. July 1, 1860.
  - vi. ALICE ALMIRA, b. Oct. 10, 1862; m. Apr. 10, 1893, William Brownlee and resides in Mondovi, Wis.
1213. vii. JAMES WALTER, b. Sept. 13, 1865.

**1106.** ALPHEUS MARSHALL\* TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 8, 1828, in Hinsdale, N. Y.; resides in Ischua, N. Y.; married, first, September 9, 1849, in Humphrey, N. Y., Elizabeth Whitlock,† daughter of Thomas and Jane (Norton) Whitlock, born September 6, 1832, in Ischua; died July 15, 1890, in Ischua. He married, second, October 23, 1890, in Gaius, N. Y., Caroline (Barber) Myriek, widow of Orsamus Myriek of Ischua and daughter of Caleb and Levina (Lyon) Barber, born May 27, 1836, in Ischua.

Marshall Trowbridge settled in his native county, Cattaraugus, and is a farmer and stone mason in Ischua, town of Fitch, N. Y. He is a member of the Free Methodist church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ISCHUA, N. Y.:

*By first marriage:‡*

- i. FRANCELIA JANE, b. Mar. 12, 1853; m. Mar. 16, 1878, William Shipman and resides in Ischua.
  - ii. ALICE EVANGELINE, b. July 15, 1854; m. Oct. 14, 1880, Edwin Shipman and resides in Ischua.
1214. iii. EDWIN JANES, b. July 5, 1856.
1215. iv. CHARLES FREDERICK, b. May 27, 1859.
1216. v. ALBERT ALPHEUS, b. Dec. 9, 1861.

**1107.** EDWIN GOING TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 31, 1834, in Hinsdale, N. Y.; resides in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; married May 3, 1857, in Sheboygan Falls, Mary Ann Mason, daughter of Benjamin and Mary Ann (McComas) Mason, born June 21, 1834, in New York City.

Edwin G. Trowbridge early in 1857 went to Sheboygan Falls, Wis., and soon after married and settled there. In May, 1860, he removed with his family to Hancock, Mich., where for thirty-one years he was connected with the well-known Quincy copper mine in the capacity of superintendent of surface work.

On July 28, 1891, Mr. Trowbridge returned to Sheboygan Falls, where, having retired from active business, he is residing in his pleasant home on the corner of Pine and Summer streets. He has expressed much interest in the compilation of this genealogy.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HANCOCK, MICH.:§

- 1217. i. AL HENRY, b. July 3, 1858.
  - ii. CLARA ELIZA, b. Aug. 16, 1860; d. Aug. 27, 1863.
1218. iii. BENJAMIN JAMES, b. Aug. 19, 1864.
- iv. OLIVE MARVIN, b. Sept. 17, 1866; m. Aug. 29, 1900, Herbert Temple Farnsworth, late of Chenoa, Ill., and resides in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.
1219. v. EDWIN GUY, b. Oct. 19, 1873.

\* Known as Marshall.

† A sister of the first wife of his brother No. 1104.

‡ No children by second marriage.

§ Except i, who was born in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.

**1108.** FORDYCE CUTTING TROWBRIDGE (*Elijah II.*<sup>1050</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 5, 1819, in Worcester, Mass.; died November 10, 1854, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; married October 8, 1852, in Sheboygan Falls, Maria Erwing.\* She married, second, March 6, 1867, Rev. Lucius Foote of San Francisco, Cal., and resides in Portland, Ore.

Fordyce C. Trowbridge came in early manhood with his father to Sheboygan Falls, Wis., and settled there. He was engaged in farming and in the manufacture of chair lumber, which he shipped to the Chicago market.

NO CHILDREN.

**1109.** HORACE TROWBRIDGE (*Elijah II.*<sup>1050</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 25, 1824, in Worcester, Mass.; died May 27, 1893, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; married, first, June —, 1846, in Ithaca, N. Y., Laura Gillen, daughter of James and Rachel (Bailey) Gillen, born July 22, 1826, in Ithaca; died August 24, 1857, in Sheboygan Falls. He married, second, November —, 1858, in Sheboygan Falls, Justine Stowell, who died February 24, 1863, in Sheboygan Falls. He married, third, October 19, 1864, in Sheboygan Falls, Priscilla Josephine Richardson, daughter of Joseph and Caroline (Burhans) Richardson, born June 5, 1839, in Roscoe, Ill. She resides in Sheboygan, Wis.

Horace Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Ithaca, N. Y. Soon after his marriage he followed him to Sheboygan Falls, Wis., and engaged in manufacturing. He was an extensive manufacturer of steam engines, saw and gristmill irons, threshing machines, etc. He and his brother George were owners and proprietors of the celebrated Novelty Iron Works at Fond du Lac, Wis.

CHILDREN BORN IN SHEBOYGAN FALLS, WIS.:†

*By first marriage:*

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|-----------|--|----------|--|
| i.        | ANTOINETTE,  | } twins, | m. Sept. 29, 1881, Thomas Cunningham and resides in Santa Rosa, Cal.       |
| ii.       | ESTELA,<br>in Windsor, Cal.  |          | b. Oct. 24, 1847; m. Jan. 21, 1875, John Hurd and resides in Windsor, Cal. |
| iii.      | ELIZA, b. May 6, 1852; m. Apr. 1, 1882, Richard A. Cook of Stevens Point, Wis. |          |  |
| 1220. iv. | FRANK, b. Aug. 10, 1857.   |          |  |

*By second marriage:*

- v. Child, b. Feb. 24, 1863; d. in infancy.

*By third marriage:*

1221. vi. OTIS CUTTING, b. Nov. 13, 1866.

**1110.** GEORGE OTIS TROWBRIDGE (*Elijah II.*<sup>1050</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 13, 1826, in Worcester, Mass.; died November 26, 1903, in Mountain View, Cal.; married September 15, 1853, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis., Louisa Maria Tyler, daughter of Nathaniel and Lucy (Hibbard) Tyler, born June 9, 1834, in Cleveland, Ohio. She resides in Santa Rosa, Cal.

George O. Trowbridge went in childhood with his parents to Ithaca, N. Y., and at the age of fifteen traveled alone to Sheboygan Falls, Wis., where he grew to manhood on his father's farm. In May, 1849, he started overland for California, and on reaching there dug gold for a few days at Sutter's Mill. He then went to Sacramento, which consisted of one wooden building surrounded by tents, and was all under water during the winter of 1849-50. In the spring of 1850 he went to San Francisco, where he helped to haul up an old vessel to be used as a ware-

\* By "Foote Genealogy" of 1907; Emory by "Trowbridge Family." She failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† Except vi, who was born in Fond du Lac, Wis.

house, drove piles out to it and helped to build the wharf. In the fall of 1850 he went to the mines at Downieville, Sierra county, where his company of people built a dam and flume and took out a large amount of gold. He and two other men started the first sawmill in Downieville and made \$35,000 in two years. In 1852 he left for Wisconsin, going by way of Panama and New York, and arrived in Sheboygan Falls in December.

Mr. Trowbridge married the following September and resided in Sheboygan Falls for about ten years. He then removed to Fond du Lac, where he and his brother Horace were owners of the Novelty Iron Works. In 1876 he returned with his family to California. He resided in Oakland and later in Windsor. He had a fine ranch near Windsor, and for many years was one of the most highly respected residents of Sonoma county. He died at his home in Mountain View, where a little over two months before a large number of relatives and friends had assisted at the celebration of his golden wedding anniversary. He was much interested in collecting data for this genealogy.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SHEBOYGAN FALLS, WIS.:\*

1222. i. GEORGE TYLER, b. July 24, 1854.  
 ii. FORDYCE CUTTING, b. June 10, 1856; d. May 30, 1877, in Oakland, Cal.; unm.  
 1223. iii. HENRY OTIS, b. Sept. 11, 1859.  
 iv. ELLA GERTRUDE, b. May 29, 1863; m. Dec. 17, 1890, William Gilbert Elder of Windsor, Cal.  
 1224. v. LEWIS HERSEY, b. Mar. 14, 1869.

1111. CHARLES AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*Elijah*<sup>1050</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 17, 1835, in Ithaca, N. Y.; resides in Rapid City, S. D.; married, first, October 22, 1865, in Sheboygan, Wis., Lila Peirce, daughter of Sumner and Elizabeth Davis (Gorham) Peirce, born September 3, 1845, in Barnstable, Mass.; died February 2, 1870, in Fond du Lac, Wis. He married, second, June 12, 1896, in Rapid City, S. D., Jennie Gerrie, daughter of Alexander and Helen (MacKeggie) Gerrie, born February 12, 1857, in Elgin, Moreyshire, Scotland.

Charles A. Trowbridge when twelve years of age went with his parents to Sheboygan Falls, Wis. He learned the trade of watchmaking in Milwaukee, Wis., and established himself in business in Sheboygan in 1861. He spent eight years in that city and then moved to Fond du Lac, Wis., where he was in business eighteen years. He then, in 1886, removed to Rapid City, S. D., where he has since been engaged in carrying on a general jewelry business and where he at present resides. He was elected county auditor in 1903.

## CHILD BORN IN SHEBOYGAN, WIS.:

*By first marriage:†*

1225. i. WALTER SPRAGUE, b. Aug. 6, 1867.

1112. DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1051</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 9, 1804, in Portland, Me.; died December 19, 1860, in St. Louis, Mo.; married ———, 1828, in Baltimore, Md., Maria Miller, who died December 28, 1882, in St. Louis.

Daniel Trowbridge in early manhood engaged in mercantile business in Baltimore, Md. Early in 1837 he removed with his family to St. Louis, Mo., where he was a wholesale dry goods merchant for many years. He was auditor of the Pacific Railroad Company at the time of his death.

\* Except v, who was born in Fond du Lac, Wis.

† No children by second marriage.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. JULIA ANN, b. Nov. 3, 1829; d. Dec. 1, 1833.
- ii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 21, 1831; d. Mar. 24, 1874, in St. Louis, Mo.; unm.
- iii. WILLIAM MILLER, b. Aug. 21, 1833; was in mercantile business; d. Feb. 5, 1877, in St. Louis; unm.
- iv. JULIA ANN, b. Aug. 2, 1835; d. Aug. 1, 1836.
1226. v. JOHN TAYLOR, b. May 19, 1837.
- vi. DANIEL WEBSTER, b. Aug. 19, 1841; d. Oct. 2, 1842.

1113. CHARLES TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1051</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 13, 1805, in Portland, Me.; died February 26, 1869, in Portland; married, first, ———, 1826, in Boston, Mass., Mary Jane Jenkins, who died ———, 1829, in Boston. He married, second, March 15, 1832, in Portland, Sarah Humphrey, daughter of Dea. Moses and Annie (Young) Humphrey, born May 26, 1807, in Gray, Me.; died October 19, 1897, in Newton, Mass.

Charles Trowbridge learned the trade of a brick and stone mason and settled in Boston, Mass. After the death of his first wife, in 1829, he returned to his native place, Portland, Me., where he engaged in the soap business, continuing in it until his death. He was a member of the Union Congregational Church in Portland.

## CHILD BORN IN BOSTON, MASS.:

*By first marriage:†*

- i. ANN HILL, b. Nov. 11, 1828; m. May 21, 1855, Daniel Plummer Young of Deering, Me.

1114. JONATHAN HOMER TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1051</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 24, 1808, in Portland, Me.; died June 1, 1870, in Chelsea, Mass.; married April 17, 1832, in Westbrook, Me., Catharine Tait Walker, daughter of Gardner and Eleanor (Tait) Walker, born June 14, 1808, in Westbrook; died August 24, 1881, in Chelsea.

Jonathan H. Trowbridge learned the trade of a bricklayer. He settled in his native place, Portland, Me., after his marriage and lived there for many years. He was a member of the Union Congregational Church in Portland. The latter years of his life were passed in Chelsea, Mass.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PORTLAND, ME.:

1227. i. JOHN SEWALL, b. Mar. 10, 1833.
- ii. MARY ELLEN, b. Aug. 9, 1840; m. Feb. 1, 1859, Benjamin Harmon of Chelsea, Mass.
- iii. LUCRETIA HOMER, b. Mar. 4, 1843; d. Sept. 25, 1899, in Chelsea; unm.
- iv. ANNA WALKER, b. Feb. 1, 1845; m. Nov. 20, 1889, Benjamin Franklin Stone and resides in Chelsea.
- v. MARIA SEAVER, b. May 18, 1847; m. Feb. 25, 1869, Grayville Chard of Chelsea.
1228. vi. GEORGE GARDNER, b. May 16, 1849.

\* i-iv born in Baltimore, Md.; the others in St. Louis, Mo.

† No children by second wife, but adopted in infancy her nephew, Servetus Latham, son of Charles and Phebe Eaton (Humphrey) Latham, b. Dec. 11, 1833, in Raymond, Me., whose name was changed to CHARLES SERVETUS TROWBRIDGE. He m., 1st, May 28, 1861, in Portland, Me., Lydia Jane Holmes, b. Mar. 2, 1840, in New Gloucester, Me.; d. Jan. 1, 1868, in Portland. He m., 2d, Julia Kemp of Oldfield, Me. He enlisted for three months in Company E, 1st Maine Infantry (Portland Rifle Guards) and was mustered May 3, 1861; was sergeant of Company E, 10th Maine Infantry, mustered Oct. 4, 1861, mustered out May 8, 1863; mustered for one year Apr. 7, 1865, by the Provost Marshal at Portland. He entered the U. S. Navy, and served on the China station and the South Pacific Squadron. He d. Sept. 14, 1903, in Gray, Me. CHILDREN: *by first marriage:* b. in Portland, Me.; *Sarah Louise*, b. May 11, 1862; d. Oct. 25, 1862; *Annie Humphrey*, b. Apr. 11, 1864; m. Dec. 30, 1886, George Arthur Ward and resides in Newton, Mass. *By second marriage:* *Lewis Latham*, b. Apr. 2, 1870, in Woburn, Mass.; has changed his name to Lewis L. Kemp.



**1115.** EDMUND TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1052</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 13, 1801, in Watertown, Mass.; died May 20, 1845, in Newton, Mass.; married December 28, 1826, in Newton, Mindwell White, daughter of Dea. Ebenezer and Mindwell (Fuller) White, born December 28, 1801, in Newton; died October 19, 1884, in West Newton, Mass.

Edmund Trowbridge settled in Newton, Mass., and was a farmer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:

- i. ANN MARIA, b. July 16, 1828; d. Dec. 21, 1853, in Newton; unm.
- ii. MARY MINDWELL, b. Dec. 3, 1829; m. Dec. 15, 1852, William G. Piper of Roxbury, Mass.
- 1229. iii. EPHRAIM STONE, b. Dec. 8, 1833.
- 1230. iv. JAMES EDMUND, b. Feb. 11, 1836.
- 1231. v. ASA FULLER, b. July 29, 1843.

**1116.** CHARLES TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1052</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 15, 1805, in Watertown, Mass.; died April 3, 1865, in Newton, Mass.; married May 19, 1829, in Boston, Mass., Jerusha Johnson Holt, daughter of Benjamin and Ruth (Baldwin) Holt, born June 5, 1808, in Boston; died August 23, 1882, in Lancaster, Mass.

Charles Trowbridge learned the painter's trade and was engaged in that business for many years, first in Boston and later in Cambridge, Mass.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. MARY BALDWIN, b. Mar. 20, 1830; d. Feb. 26, 1882, in Lancaster, Mass.; unm.
- ii. SOPHIA JOSEPHINE, b. Apr. 10, 1832; resides in Lancaster; unm.
- iii. EMELINE TICKNOR, b. Aug. 19, 1839; m. May 14, 1862, Horace C. Pollard and resides in Lancaster.
- 1232. iv. CHARLES BENJAMIN, b. Nov. 14, 1841.
- v. MARGARET DUNCAN, } twins, resides in Lancaster; unm.
- vi. GRANVILLE MEARS, } b. Sept. 2, 1844; d. Mar. 9, 1845, in Lancaster.

**1117.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1052</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 28, 1807, in Watertown, Mass.; died January 12, 1851, in Boston, Mass.; married about 1838 in Boston?, Louisa ———.

James Trowbridge settled in Boston, Mass.†

## CHILDREN BORN IN BOSTON, MASS.:

- i. JAMES, b. ———, 1839; d. ———, 1842.
- ii. LOUISA FRANCES, b. Sept. 6, 1841; m. Thomas Disner Stratton of Charlestown, Mass.
- iii. EMMA, b. ———, 1843; d. in infancy.
- iv. EMMA, b. ———, 1844; d. in infancy.

**1118.** WILLIAM HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1052</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 9, 1823, in Boston, Mass.; died April 17, 1894, in West Newton, Mass.; married, first, January 10, 1867, in Newton, Mary Ann Farwell, daughter of James M. and Mary‡ (Hosmer) Farwell, born ———, 1839, in Marlborough, Mass.; died February 17, 1875, in Marlborough. He married, second, February 15, 1877, in Newton, Georgianna Augusta Latter, daughter of Leonard and Ann (Holman) Latter, born ———, 1850, in England. She resides in West Newton.

William H. Trowbridge was a provision dealer in West Newton, Mass.

\* i-ii born in Boston, Mass.; the others in Cambridge, Mass.

† No data for a biographical sketch were supplied.

‡ *Martha* at citation of heirs.

## CHILD BORN IN WEST NEWTON, MASS. :

*By second marriage.\**

1233. i. WILLIAM WALDO, b. Feb. 26, 1881.

**1119. DEA. OTIS TROWBRIDGE** (*William*<sup>1053</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 18, 1808, in Newton, Mass.; died January 20, 1862, in Newton; married September 27, 1832, in Newton, Elizabeth Fuller Bacon, daughter of Joseph and Beulah (Fuller) Bacon, born June 10, 1812, in Newton; died May 23, 1885, in Newton.

Otis Trowbridge lived all of his life in his native place, Newton, Mass. He was in business there as a carpenter. He was held in high esteem by his fellow citizens. He was a public-spirited man and had to do with many offices in administration of town affairs. He was a selectman of the town and was elected its representative in the legislature in 1843. He was one of the organizers of Eliot Church in Newton in 1845 and he and his wife were among its original members. He was chosen one of its deacons February 12, 1847, and was superintendent of its Sunday school for thirteen years, when he resigned on account of feeble health.

"At the time of his resignation a large concourse of people were assembled, and he gave an interesting history of the school from the time of its organization in July, 1845. After some general remarks on the management of the school and the faithfulness of the teachers, Mr. Trowbridge made a series of parting remarks to the scholars and teachers. Turning then to the new superintendent, Mr. George W. Bacon, for many years a teacher, he welcomed him to the high and noble field to which he was called. Mr. Bacon made a well-conceived and feeling address in reply, and spoke with much earnestness to the teachers of the labor that was jointly before them. Immediately on the close of his address, his son, Master Frank Bacon, a child of the infant school, in an artless manner, presented to Mr. Trowbridge on behalf of the infant scholars a splendid royal octavo Bible, with the name 'Otis Trowbridge' on the cover, and within the inscription: 'A tribute of affection from the infant class of the Eliot Sunday school to their Superintendent.' Mr. Trowbridge, being taken by surprise, was much affected by this token of love; and hardly had made suitable acknowledgment, when Mr. William J. Gilbert rose, in behalf of the whole school, and presented to Mr. Trowbridge a valuable purse of money and an elegant parlor melodeon."<sup>†</sup>

Mr. Trowbridge prepared a genealogy of Deacon James Trowbridge (No. 1000) and his descendants, which was published in pamphlet form in 1854 and has been of service to the compiler of this genealogy. The funeral services of Mr. Otis Trowbridge were held in the old Eliot Church. They were conducted by the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. W. Wellman, and were of a very impressive character.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS. :

1234. i. WILLIAM OTIS, b. Apr. 25, 1836.  
 ii. EDWIN, b. July 13, 1838; d. Dec. 27, 1839.  
 iii. JOSEPH BACON, b. Mar. 8, 1841; d. Feb. 9, 1842.  
 1234a. iv. GEORGE SEWALL, b. July 28, 1843.  
 1235. v. JOHN ELIOT, b. Oct. 20, 1845.

**1120. JAMES NATHANIEL TROWBRIDGE** (*Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 19, 1808, in Boston, Mass.; died October 8, 1866, in Newton, Mass.; married, first, August 15, 1833,<sup>‡</sup> in Southborough, Mass., Harriet White Flagg, daughter of William

\* No children by first marriage.

<sup>†</sup> Reprinted from "Trowbridge Family."<sup>‡</sup> By family record, correcting July 1, 1834, by town record.



*Otis Frowbridge*







*A. Frowbridge*

and Lydia (Onthank) Flagg, born May 20, 1818, in Southborough; died March 11, 1851, in Newton. He married, second, August 17, 1852, in Dedham, Mass., Mary W. (Emerson) Hunt, widow of Abraham Hunt of Chatham, N. H., and daughter of Daniel and Lydia (Whitford) Emerson, born February 12, 1822, in Chatham; died December 4, 1870, in Newton.

James N. Trowbridge lived nearly all his life in Newton, Mass., between which place and Boston he conducted an express and transfer business for many years. He and his wife were among the original members of Eliot Church in Newton.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS. :\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. HARRIET LOUISA, b. Nov. 19, 1834; m. Nov. 29, 1860, Elisha Littlefield and resides in East Somerville, Mass.
- ii. ANN MARTHA, b. Jan. 3, 1836; d. July 7, 1864, in Newton; unm.
- iii. MARY MARIA, b. Mar. 12, 1838; d. Sept. 18, 1839.
- iv. MARY FRANCES, b. Apr. 6, 1843; d. Aug. 13, 1847.

*By second marriage:*

- v. MARIETTA, b. Oct. 10, 1857; m. Dec. 21, 1880, Frank Monroe Currier and resides in Eastondale, Mass.
1236. vi. JAMES WILLIAM, b. Feb. 28, 1860.

**1121.** ALMARIN TROWBRIDGE (*Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 24, 1811, in Quebec, Canada; died June 15, 1897, in Charlestown, Mass.; married September 15, 1846, in Charlestown, Elizabeth Ann Souther, daughter of Joseph and Hephzibah L. (Armistead) Souther, born September 13, 1820, in Charlestown; died July 5, 1898, in Charlestown.

Almarin Trowbridge was born in Quebec, Canada, during a temporary stay of his parents in that city, but he always claimed Newton, Mass., as his birthplace. He passed his childhood on his father's farm in Newton, and in his early teens came to South Boston and worked in the store of an uncle. On April 13, 1836, he entered the National Union Bank of Boston as a clerk. He was made its bookkeeper on January 1, 1837, and held that position for twenty years. On January 1, 1874, he was appointed its cashier, and continued to act in that capacity until August 19, 1890, when he resigned on account of advanced age. During all of this period, over fifty-four years, he was highly esteemed in banking circles and, long before his retirement, had come to be one of the best known and most respected of Boston's bankers.

Immediately after his marriage he built a house in Charlestown on the corner of Mead and Russell streets, and during the remainder of his life he made this his home. With the house was a large piece of land† which Mr. and Mrs. Trowbridge, who were very fond of plants, kept as a garden, selling none of it, but protecting it with a high fence as the city grew up around it. It was a quaint, old-fashioned spot, with its little green for drying clothes, its fruit trees and flowering plants (among them a gigantic wistaria that climbed to the third-story windows), and down in one corner the vegetable garden. The children and, later, the grandchildren loved it. Some of the pleasantest recollections of the four grandchildren are the games there, or of watching their grandfather (who was a small man) high up on a ladder trimming the grapevines, or of following their grandmother between the little dwarf box hedges while she snipped her "posies," many of which found their way to the poor and sick in homes and hospitals and charitable institutions.

\* Except i, who is recorded in Southborough, Mass.

† It was so large, that when it was sold to settle Mrs. Trowbridge's estate three very large brick apartment houses were erected on it without disturbing the original house.

Life in the Mead street house went on pleasantly though quietly. Mr. and Mrs. Trowbridge were happy in each other and in their children, and also took a philanthropic and religious interest in the lives outside their immediate family. Few good works went on around them in which they were not more or less concerned. Up to the day of their deaths, although their bodily activity of necessity was less, they retained the use of all their faculties and their minds were as keen and their kindly, gentle natures as unspoiled as in the days of their youth. Their golden wedding anniversary was passed in their old home, and there, two years later, Mr. Trowbridge died, his widow surviving him only a little over a year.

Mr. Trowbridge united when a young man with the Pine Street Church, Boston. He later joined Winthrop Church, Charlestown, and remained a devoted member of it until his death. For many years he was a member of the choir and the secretary of the Sunday school.

"The death of Mr. Almarin Trowbridge, who passed away at his home in Charlestown, Mass., June 15th, removes one of the highly esteemed and estimable members of Winthrop Church, with which he was connected for fifty-seven years. With a retiring disposition and rare domestic virtues, he united a talent for business and a benevolent heart, which made him prominent in mercantile and philanthropic life. Having been connected with the Union Bank of Boston for many years as bookkeeper and cashier, he was well known to business men as an able and upright man, while his relations to the church have been those of a steadfast friend, holding several positions of importance and contributing largely to its support and to all good causes. He retired from active life a few years ago in feeble health, and was over 85 years of age at the time of his death. He leaves a name which suggests only the most unobtrusive and loyal fidelity to the interests of religion and the world at large. Infolded in the light of faith his soul waited for God, and at last entered the celestial city in tranquility and hope, the eternal love bridging the abyss for him between earth and heaven."\*

CHILDREN BORN IN CHARLESTOWN, MASS.:

1237. i. ALMARIN, b. Feb. 19, 1851.  
 ii. MARY ANNA, b. Jan. 15, 1853; after the death of her parents moved to Boston, 41 Union Park, where she at present resides. She has always taken great interest in religious and philanthropic works. Like her brother Almarin, she has decided artistic and literary ability. She is unmarried.  
 1238. iii. JOSEPH SOUTHER, b. Nov. 18, 1854.

1122. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 3, 1817, in Newton, Mass.; died February 15, 1893, in Bath, Ga.; married March 26, 1843, in Bath, Sarah Maria Vallotton,† daughter of Francis and Sarah (Tarver) Vallotton, born June 7, 1824, in Burke county, Ga.; died January 21, 1889, in Bath.

John Trowbridge learned the carpenter's trade in early manhood. In company with his brothers William and Frederick he went to the South in 1839 and located in Bath, Richmond county, Ga. He remained there until 1849 and then removed to Montgomery, Ala., going from there to Rome, Ga. He lived there until February, 1851, when he bought a tract of land of 600 acres two miles south of Bath. He resided there the remainder of his life, occupied with the management of his farm and also carrying on the business of contractor and builder. He and his family were members of the Presbyterian church.

CHILDREN BORN IN BATH, GA.:‡

- i. ALMARIN, b. Mar. 14, 1844; was a soldier in the Confederate army in the Civil War. He enlisted July 3, 1861, in the Burke County (Ga.) Volunteers and served with Gen. Howell Cobb's "Legion." He was in the battle of Fair Oaks and the seven days' fighting around Richmond. He was taken ill with typhoid pneumonia and died June 30, 1862, in Richmond; unm.

\* The *Congregationalist*.

† A sister of the wife of his brother No. 1123.

‡ Except iv, who was born in Rome, Ga.



- ii. SARAH LOUISE, b. Dec. 18, 1845; resides in Bath; unm.
- iii. MARY AMANDA, b. Feb. 12, 1847; m. John White Goddard and resides in Bath.\*
- iv. JOHN FRANCIS, b. Apr. 3, 1849; d. Dec. 31, 1852.
- 1239. v. WILLIAM RUFUS, b. Nov. 29, 1851.
- 1240. vi. JOHN FRANCIS, b. Sept. 20, 1853.
- vii. ROBERT ALLEN, b. Sept. 25, 1855; resides in Bath; unm.
- viii. ADELAIDE MARIA, b. Nov. 24, 1857; m. Dec. 6, 1877, Benjamin Hall Eve and resides in Waynesboro, Ga.

**1123.** WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 17, 1822, in Newton, Mass.; died January 1, 1875, in Bath, Ga.; married February 5, 1853, in Bath, Elizabeth Ann Vallowton,† daughter of Francis and Sarah (Tarver) Vallowton, born May 7, 1829, in Burke county, Ga. She resides in Bath.

William Trowbridge learned the trade of a carpenter. When a young man he went South with his brothers John and Frederick. He settled on a farm near that of his brother John in Bath, Ga. He was also in business there as a carpenter and builder.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BATH, GA.:

- 1241. i. JAMES WALTER, b. Nov. 21, 1853.
- 1242. ii. FRANCIS VALLOTTON, b. Oct. 26, 1857.
- 1243. iii. WILLIAM PINCKNEY, b. Mar. 5, 1862.
- iv. KATIE LIZZIE, b. May 23, 1865; m. Jan. 20, 1890, Montfort Sebley Tarver and resides in Augusta, Ga.

**1124.** ISAAC COFFIN TROWBRIDGE (*Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 20, 1826, in Newton, Mass.; died December 24, 1868, in Boston, Mass.; married ———, 1853, in Boston, Elizabeth Lazel Allen, who died December 16, 1891, in New York City, aged 69 years.

Isaac C. Trowbridge settled in Boston, Mass., where he was in business as a carpenter and builder.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BOSTON, MASS.:

- i. ALLEN, b. Apr. 26, 1854; d. Apr. 25, 1857.
- 1244. ii. GEORGE FREEMAN, b. Mar. 1, 1858.
- iii. FREDERICK AUGUSTUS, b. July 15, 1860; resided in Montclair, N. J., and was in the paper business in New York City; d. Nov. 15, 1896, in Sparta, N. Y.; unm.
- 1245. iv. ISAAC WALTER, b. Jan. 22, 1863.

**1125.** JAMES ARMITAGE TROWBRIDGE (*Reuben*<sup>1055</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 2, 1830, in Baltimore, Md.; died June 7, 1861, in Baltimore; married November 27, 1856, in Baltimore, Maria Louisa Morris, daughter of Rev. Dr. John Goddive and Eliza (Hay) Morris, born May 24, 1830, in Baltimore; died July 21, 1907, in Lutherville, Md.

James A. Trowbridge received his education in the schools of his native city and in the academic department of the University of Maryland. He then entered the employ of Messrs. Miller and Mayhew, auctioneers, in Baltimore. In the year previous to his marriage, 1855, he formed a partnership with Allan Perry, under the name of Perry & Trowbridge, and engaged in the wholesale lumber trade. He continued in that business and connection until his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BALTIMORE, MD.:

- i. JAMES MORRIS, b. Feb. 10, 1858; d. July 5, 1858.
- 1246. ii. CHARLES REUBEN, b. Nov. 1, 1859.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† A sister of the wife of his brother No. 1122.

**1126.** EDWARD ROBBENS TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>1056</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 12, 1823, in Portland, Me.; died December 29, 1870, in Portland; married September 4, 1853, in Limerick, Me., Betsey Ellen Hsley, daughter of Capt. Benjamin and Nancy (Clough) Hsley, born May 6, 1820, in Portland; died January 5, 1897, in Portland.

Edward R. Trowbridge resided all of his life in Portland, Me., his native place. He was associated with his father in the manufacture of candles, in which they had an extensive domestic and foreign trade.

NO CHILDREN, but adopted:

- i. MARY ELIZABETH,\* b. Nov. 16, 1853, in Portland, Me.; m. Aug. 9, 1877, George W. Fenley of Portland.

**1127.** HENRY ELISHA TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>1056</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 5, 1825, in Portland, Me.; died April 24, 1887, in Melrose, Mass.; married June 3, 1846, in Portland, Caroline Augusta Miller, daughter of John and Betsey (Swain) Miller, born May 21, 1827, in Portland; died October 2, 1891, in Melrose.

Henry E. Trowbridge was for many years a prominent citizen of Melrose, Mass., where he was for a time a member of the school board. For a number of years he was the tenor and conductor of the choir of the First Congregational Church. He was the organizer of the Melrose Musical Association, and for a long series of years was its president and musical director. He was one of the early members of Wyoming Lodge of Masons.

CHILDREN:†

- i. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 28, 1847; d. Oct. 5, 1857, in Melrose, Mass.
1247. ii. CHARLES HENRY, b. July 31, 1851.
1248. iii. GEORGE WARREN, b. May 11, 1853.
- iv. JOHN MILLER, b. June 23, 1855; d. July 14, 1857, in Melrose.
- v. AMELIA FRANCES, b. Mar. 27, 1858; resides in Melrose; unm.
- vi. CLARA, b. Apr. 9, 1860; resides in Melrose; unm.
- vii. HERBERT WARD, b. Sept. 3, 1864; d. Jan. 10, 1883, in Melrose; unm.

**1128.** WILLIAM STIMPSON TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>1056</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 3, 1827, in Portland, Me.; died November 30, 1894, in Portland; married November 15, 1855, in Portland, Elizabeth Porter Tukey, daughter of Benjamin and Sarah (Chick) Tukey, born October 10, 1828, in Portland. She resides in Portland.

William S. Trowbridge resided in his native city, Portland, Me. He was there associated with the firm of J. B. Fickett & Co., wholesale dealers in paints and oils, continuing in their employ until a short time before his death. He was prominent in the I. O. O. F., being a member of Maine Lodge, No. 1, of Portland.

CHILDREN BORN IN PORTLAND, ME.:

1249. i. EDWARD HENRY, b. Oct. 1, 1856.
- ii. WILLIAM STIMPSON, b. July 18, 1864; d. Sept. 1, 1866.

**1129.** GEORGE NEWELL TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>1056</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 24, 1831, in Portland, Me.; died December 10, 1864, in Annapolis, Md.; married July 11, 1855, in Portland, Susan Jane Pearson, daughter of William and Jane (Stilson) Pearson, born August 8, 1832, in Portland. She resides in Portland.

\* Daughter of John Quill and adopted when three years of age.

† i born in Portland, Me.; ii-iii in Cambridgeport, Mass.; iv-vii in Melrose, Mass.

George N. Trowbridge moved to Connecticut in 1859, and was for a short time in Hartford, going from there to Windsor Locks. He was in the carriage painting business. When the Civil War broke out the business was given up, and he went to Suffield, Conn. He enlisted there August 20, 1862, in Company A, 7th Connecticut Infantry. He was captured at the battle of Fort Wagner, July 11, 1863, and was confined in Libby Prison until he was paroled August 21, 1863. He was again captured in action at Drewry's Bluff, May 16, 1864, and sent to Belle Isle. He was confined there over six months and then was paroled November 30, 1864. He started for home, but the cruel treatment and exposure which he had experienced while a prisoner of war had so undermined his constitution, that he died in less than two weeks after his release, while at the hospital in Annapolis, Md.

NO CHILDREN.

**1130.** CHARLES IRVING TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>1056</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 21, 1837, in Portland, Me.; died October 2, 1906, in Topsfield, Mass.; married, first, September 4, 1858, in Boston, Mass., Caroline Augusta Lane, daughter of William and Sophia (Wiggins) Lane, born March 22, 1839, in Portland; died August 13, 1874, in Portland. He married, second, December 21, 1880, in Melrose, Mass., Hannah Frances (Kimball) Morey, widow of William Morey of Plymouth, Mass., and daughter of Iddo K. and Mary H. (Speare) Kimball, born September 16, 1846, in Rockland, Me. She resides in Topsfield.

Charles I. Trowbridge received his education in the grammar and high schools of his native city. He established himself there in the iron foundry business, in which he was successful until his plant was destroyed by fire. He then made a voyage to Liverpool and Calcutta in 1858 and 1859, being absent about fourteen months. On the return voyage he was for a few hours at the island of St. Helena, where he heard from the consul, Mr. Carroll, who was there when Napoleon arrived and his remains were taken away, many particulars of the life and treatment of that great warrior while on the island.

Mr. Trowbridge was among the first to respond to President Lincoln's call for troops in the Civil War. He enlisted May 3, 1861, for three months in Company B (the "Portland Machine Blues"), 1st Maine Infantry. At the termination of his period of service he volunteered again, but was prevented from re-enlisting on account of physical disability.

For the greater part of the remainder of his life Mr. Trowbridge was engaged in transportation in the South, having represented the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company as southern passenger agent and later the Atlantic Coast Railroad Company in the same capacity. In 1900 he was one of the committee having in charge the 250th anniversary of celebration of the town of Topsfield, Mass. He died at his home there six years later.

CHILDREN:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. IDA BELLE CAROLINE, b. July 21, 1859, in Portland, Me.; m. Oct. 17, 1883, Samuel Ayer Kimball, M.D., and resides in Boston, Mass.
- 1249a. ii. CHARLES IRVING, b. June 20, 1862, in Portland.
- iii. WILLIAM LANE, b. Nov. 27, 1864, in Woburn, Mass.; d. Feb. 15, 1865.

**1131.** STEPHEN WINCHESTER TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen W.*<sup>1057</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 5, 1834, in Newton, Mass.; died January 12, 1907, in Newton Highlands, Mass.; married August

\* No children by second marriage.

19, 1856, in Cambridge, Mass., Mary Rebecca Baird, daughter of Augustus and Lucy Peiree (Trowbridge (No. 1052, ii)) Baird, born May 10, 1834, in Boston, Mass. She resides in Newton Highlands.

Stephen W. Trowbridge received his early education in such schools as his native town then afforded, and later he attended the old Chauncey Hall School in Boston, Mass. At the age of nineteen, being adept at figures, he started his business career as bookkeeper for the firm of Wetherell Bros., Milk street, Boston. Later he became secretary and treasurer, and finally president, of the Citizens Mutual Insurance Company of Brighton and Boston, with which company he was connected for over twenty years.

Always interested in the law, Mr. Trowbridge sometimes regretted the lack of a college education fitting him for that profession, and finally, in middle life, he entered the Boston Law School, and at the end of two years passed very satisfactorily the necessary examinations and was admitted to the bar in the spring of 1879. He had before this time served as a trial justice. He devoted himself to the practice of the law for some ten or fifteen years, finally retiring on account of failure of eyesight and health. He was an invalid for the last ten or twelve years of his life, and died at his home in Newton Highlands, Mass.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:

- i. MARY CHARLOTTE, b. Apr. 18, 1860; m. May 5, 1880, Hon. Charles Hall Adams and resides in Brighton, Mass.
- ii. CAROLINE WINCHESTER, b. Mar. 30, 1867; m. Feb. 9, 1891, Willis Clark Curtis of Brighton.
- iii. GERTRUDE WYOMING, b. Apr. 9, 1860; m. May 30, 1894, Arthur Robert Torrey and resides in Newton Highlands, Mass.

**1132.** FRANCIS MORTIMER TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen W.*<sup>1057</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 10, 1839, in Newton, Mass.; died January 28, 1883, in Newton; married February 18, 1863, in Watertown, Mass., Abbie Ann Learned, daughter of Samuel and Ruth Ann (Whitney) Learned, born August 20, 1843, in Watertown. She married, second, January 24, 1894, in Melrose, Mass., Rev. Jeremiah Hanaford and resides in Melrose.

Francis M. Trowbridge was a banker in Boston, Mass.

NO CHILDREN.

**1133.** THEODORE WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen W.*<sup>1057</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 5, 1845, in Newton, Mass.; died February 8, 1905, in Newton; married October 14, 1874, in Providence, R. I., Almira Adie Moulton, daughter of Sullivan and Mary Ann (Tallman) Moulton, born May 20, 1848, in Providence. She resides in Newton.

Theodore W. Trowbridge was a member of the firm of Aban, Trowbridge & Co., real estate and insurance, having offices in Newton and Boston, Mass. He continued in this connection for sixteen years and up to his death. His home was in Newton Center, Mass.

CHILDREN:

1250. i. HERBERT MOULTON, b. July 5, 1876, in New York City.
- ii. JULIA MOULTON, b. Mar. 6, 1886, in Newton, Mass.; d. Apr. 15, 1888.

**1134.** ASA RICHARDS TROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>1055</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 26, 1811, in Newton, Mass.; died September 16, 1881, in Newton; married, first, November 27, 1836, in Medway?, Mass., Louisa Seaver, daughter of Samuel and Lucy (————) Seaver, born

September 13, 1813, in Medway; died March 13, 1876, in Newton. He married, second, September 6, 1877, in Newton, Elizabeth (Clifford) Hayward,\* daughter of Luther and Lydia (Murdock) Clifford, born July 2, 1819, in Hubbardston, Mass.; died May 21, 1882, in Newton.

Asa R. Trowbridge resided in Newton Center, Mass. When a young man, in 1828, he was appointed postmaster there, being the second appointee to that office, which had been created about six months previously. He early developed musical ability. He played the viol and other instruments in the choir of the First Baptist Church, and in 1831 he was chosen leader of that choir and held that position for seven years. He was chosen a deacon of that church April 6, 1862, from which office he later retired. He taught music in Newton for many years and until his death.

NO CHILDREN.

**1135. ALPHEUS TROWBRIDGE** (*Samuel*<sup>1058</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 14, 1814, in Newton, Mass.; died December 2, 1884, in Newton; married April 5, 1837, in Roxbury, Mass., Caroline Minerva Skinner, daughter of Joseph and Lydia ((Perry) Whittemore) Skinner, born July 10, 1818, in Cambridge, Mass.; died March 26, 1906, in St. Louis, Mo.

Alpheus Trowbridge settled in Roxbury, Mass., where he lived for some years. He then returned to his native town and resided in Newton Center. He was engaged in business as a coal dealer during most of his life.

CHILDREN BORN IN ROXBURY, MASS.:†

- i. CAROLINE DOROTHY, b. Jan. 16, 1838; m. Feb. 16, 1869, George T. Cram and resides in St. Louis, Mo.
- ii. ASA, b. Apr. 14, 1841; d. Apr. 24, 1843.
- iii. FRANCINA EVELINA, b. June 7, 1842; m. Dec. 14, 1869, David Albert Hollis of Allston, Mass.
- iv. ALPHEUS FRANKLIN,‡ b. June 3, 1844; resided in St. Louis; d. Jan. 5, 1901, in Vienna, Austria; unm.
- v. LOUISA AUGUSTA, b. Feb. 23, 1847; m. Aug. 27, 1874, Alexander Morton Averill and resides in St. Louis.

**1136. GEORGE TROWBRIDGE** (*Nathan*<sup>1059</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 18, 1816, in Newton, Mass.; died July 28, 1874, in South Framingham, Mass.; married September 5, 1842, in Newton, Mary Ann§ Fuller, daughter of Nathaniel and Sarah (Pool) Fuller, born January 10, 1815, in Newton; died November 24, 1891, in South Framingham.

George Trowbridge settled in South Framingham, Mass., where he was engaged in business as a carriage manufacturer.

CHILDREN BORN IN SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, MASS.:

- i. HARRIET LOUISA, b. July 5, 1843; d. Oct. 24, 1845.
- ii. GEORGE FULLER, b. Nov. 24, 1846; drowned Feb. 6, 1858.

**1137. EBENEZER DAVIS TROWBRIDGE** (*Nathan*<sup>1059</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 2, 1823, in Newton, Mass.; died May 30, 1890, in Paradise, Cal.; married May 13, 18—, in Marysville, Cal.,

\* Her third marriage, it is thought. Names of other husbands not found, unless the first was Edward Murdock.

† Except iv, who was born in Newton Center, Mass.

‡ *Franklin A.* in his father's will.

§ By marriage record; *Marian* by Middlesex County Probate Records and marriage intention; *Maryann* by birth record.

Emma Jane (Smith) Terwilliger, daughter of Halsey and Beersheba (La Gleason) Smith, born May 7, 1838, in New Haven, Conn. She resides in Paradise, Cal.

Ebenezer D. Trowbridge was a blacksmith. In 1849 he went to California and followed his trade there for many years. At the time of his death he was living in Paradise, Butte county.

NO CHILDREN.

**1138.** ASA TROWBRIDGE (*Nathan*<sup>1059</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 12, 1825, in Newton, Mass.; died February 5, 1888, in Framingham, Mass.; married September 20, 1860, in Framingham, Catherine Elizabeth Capen, daughter of Charles and Catherine (Fuller) Capen, born August 22, 1830, in Framingham; died August 20, 1886, in Framingham.

Asa Trowbridge settled in Brighton, Mass., where he was engaged in business as a tallow chandler for a good many years. He removed to Framingham, Mass., in the spring of 1881, and there followed the business of farming, living with his wife's father on the latter's farm.

CHILDREN BORN IN BRIGITON, MASS.:

- 1251. i. CHARLES CAPEN, b. Sept. 3, 1861.
- 1252. ii. EDWARD JACKSON, b. Oct. 12, 1863.
- iii. MARY KATE, b. Dec. 3, 1864; resides in Framingham, Mass.; unm.
- iv. WILLIAM HENRY, b. May 3, 1867; d. Sept. 28, 1867.
- v. CAROLINE LINCOLN, b. Feb. 6, 1874; resides in Marlborough, Mass.; unm.

**1139.** JAMES BATES TROWBRIDGE (*Nathan*<sup>1059</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 9, 1827, in Newton, Mass.; died May 28, 1904, in Newtonville, Mass.; married, first, July 26, 1859, in Newton, Elizabeth Louisa Ward, daughter of Ephraim and Luey (Hovey) Ward, born August 26, 1833, in Newton; died July 30, 1862, in Newton. He married, second, October 19, 1866, in Newton?, Mary Calista Wentworth, daughter of Leonard and Mary (Arnold) Wentworth, born January 30, 1839, in Hope, Me.; died October 28, 1872, in Newton. He married, third, November 27, 1873, in ———, Electia A. Hopkins, daughter of Joseph and Mary (———) Hopkins, born ———, 1845, in Camden, Me.; died October 9, 1876, in Newton. He married, fourth, May 20, 1882, in ———, Mahala Benner of Waldoboro, Me., who resides in Newtonville.\*

James B. Trowbridge resided in Newtonville, Mass. He was a carpenter and cabinetmaker. He was an expert in his trade and for some years worked at piano case making.

CHILD BORN IN NEWTONVILLE, MASS.:

*By second marriage;†*

- i. MARY ELIZABETH,‡ b. Nov. 4, 1868; d. May 20, 1883.

**1140.** EDWARD BROOKS TROWBRIDGE (*Nathan*<sup>1059</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 20, 1829, in Newton, Mass.; died November 10, 1900, in West Newton, Mass.; married July 8, 1857, in Newton, Adelia Jenison, daughter of Elias and Elizabeth (Lawrence) Jenison, born October 13, 1840, in Newton. She resides in West Newton.

Edward B. Trowbridge was a lifelong resident of Newton, Mass., receiving his education in its common schools. When quite a young man he engaged in the

\* Failed to send her family record.

† No children by the other marriages.

‡ By birth record; *Lizsic M.* by death record.

carpentering business, which he followed successfully until his final illness. For some time he had been connected with the mills of Mr. H. H. Hunt in West Newton.

Among West Newton people Mr. Trowbridge was held in high esteem and greatly respected. He belonged to the Newton Veteran Firemen's Association; Eliot Lodge, No. 638, Knights of Honor; and Newton Lodge, No. 92, I. O. O. F. Mr. Trowbridge was prominent in church work, being actively associated with the First Congregational Church of Newton Center and later the West Newton Congregational church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WEST NEWTON, MASS.:

1253. i. GEORGE EDWARD, b. Mar. 28, 1862.  
 1254. ii. ALPHEUS EUGENE, b. Apr. 9, 1864.  
 1255. iii. FREDERICK LAWRENCE, b. Dec. 25, 1868.  
 iv. GERTRUDE LELAND, b. Aug. 5, 1874; m. Jan. 4, 1897, Joseph Neal Lovell and resides in West Newton.

**1141.** WILLIAM WISWALL TROWBRIDGE (*Asa*<sup>1060</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 2, 1816, in Newton, Mass.; died January 9, 1881, in Brookline, Mass.; married, first, April 27, 1841, in Boston? Mass., Sarah Ann Hunter, born ———, 1821, in Boston; died July 13, 1850, in Newton. He married, second, January 11, 1854, in ———, Mary J. Bessey, who died June 10, 1889, in Danvers, Mass., aged 74 years.

William W. Trowbridge settled in Newtonville in his native town and engaged in business as a soap chandler. He was one of the original members of Eliot Church in Newton. After his second marriage he removed to Brookline, Mass., where he resided the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Mar. 5, 1842; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted at Brookline, Mass., May 23, 1861, in Company A, 1st Massachusetts Infantry. He "dropped dead at the battle of Malvern Hill,"<sup>†</sup> July 1, 1862; unm.  
 ii. EDWARD FULLER, b. Sept. 12, 1845; d. Oct. 1, 1845.‡  
 iii. SARAH WISWALL, b. Jan. 25, 1847; d. June 20, 1848.‡  
 iv. MARY EMMA, b. June 17, 1848; m. ——— Brooks; m., 2d, Aug. 14, 1889, William Granville Bosworth of Newtonville, Mass.  
 v. NANCY MARIA, b. Apr. 12, 1851; d. Aug. 11, 1851.

**1142.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Asa*<sup>1060</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 31, 1819, in Newton, Mass.; died June 17, 1885, in Norfolk, Mass.; married, first, April 7, 1842, in Newton, Selina Maria Blake, daughter of Increase and Ursula (Dupee) Blake, born September 8, 1810, in North Wrentham, Mass.; died April 23, 1873, in Norfolk. He married, second, Mrs. Stella M. Collins.§

Henry Trowbridge settled after his marriage in his native town, Newton, Mass., where in early life he followed the trade of a blacksmith. He later removed to North Wrentham (now Norfolk), Mass., where he kept a store and was the postmaster. He was a fine singer, and very popular with his friends and acquaintances.

## CHILD BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:

*By first marriage:\**

1256. i. EDWIN, b. Dec. 24, 1844.

\* No children by second marriage.

† Adjutant General's Report. See "Hackett's Memorials of the War," p. 207.

‡ By family records; probably one of these was the "Child of William" which "died Aug. 1, 1848, ae. 2." [Newton Town Records.]

§ Of whom no further particulars were found.

**1143.** CHARLES PELHAM TROWBRIDGE (*Asa*<sup>1060</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 11, 1821, in Newton, Mass.; died February 26, 1905, in Stoughton, Mass.; married, first, May 25, 1848, in Newton, Elizabeth Barnard Cushing, daughter of Leonard William and Elizabeth (Barnard) Cushing?, born ———, 1823, in Newton?; died June 16, 1859, in Brookline, Mass. He married, second, November 20, 1861, in Brookline, Emline Stone, daughter of George Zeigler and Luey Brown (Brooks) Stone, born January 12, 1840, in Newton. She resides in Stoughton.

Charles P. Trowbridge learned the trade of a wheelwright, but followed it only for a few years. He engaged in the express business between Brookline and Boston, Mass., and was thus occupied for many years. About ten years before his death he bought a small farm in Stoughton, Mass., and went into the cranberry business, in which he was very successful.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BROOKLINE, MASS.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. EDITH LAWRENCE, b. Nov. 20, 1851; m. Apr. 24, 1877, John Shields and resides in Dorchester, Mass.
- ii. MARY LIZZIE, b. Aug. 6, 1853; m. Nov. 20, 1873, Henry Francis Rice and resides in Dorchester.
- 1257. iii. CHARLES HENRY, b. Jan. 12, 1855.
- iv. MARIAN ADINA, b. Apr. 5, 1857; m. Feb. 9, 1887, Edward A. Dexter and resides in West Newton, Mass.
- v. ARTHUR CUSHING, b. June 6, 1859; d. Oct. 25, 1859.

*By second marriage:*

- vi. HERBERT WILLIAM, b. Sept. 15, 1862; is a lawyer by profession, and is an accountant and a clerk in the Custom House in Boston, Mass.; resides in Stoughton, Mass.; unm.
- 1258. vii. JOSEPH CHACE, b. Mar. 5, 1869.

**1144.** JOSEPH CRAFT TROWBRIDGE (*Asa*<sup>1060</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 1, 1823, in Newton, Mass.; died January 11, 1891, in Chelsea, Mass.; married Sarah N. Dyer, daughter of Joseph B. and Abby C. ((Ranlet) Bean) Dyer, born October 6, 1830, in Boston, Mass.; died September 8, 1893, in Chelsea.

Joseph C. Trowbridge was for many years a member of the organization known as Morris Brothers, Pell & Trowbridge, a celebrated minstrel troupe of Boston, Mass.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1145.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1061</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 15, 1787, in Waldoboro, Me.; died July 14, 1863, in Thomaston, Me.; married February 25, 1817, in Warren, Me., Lucretia Goodwin Davis, daughter of Samuel and Anna (Davis) Davis, born December 1, 1800, in Warren; died June 6, 1851, in Waldoboro.

John Trowbridge was a spar maker and farmer. He was for many years a resident of Waldoboro, Me., where he was considered an estimable citizen.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WALDOBORO, ME. :\*

- 1259. i. WILLIAM EDWARD, b. Feb. 13, 1819.
- 1260. ii. JOHN DAVIS, b. Feb. 22, 1822.
- 1261. iii. ROBERT, b. Nov. 6, 1825.
- iv. CAROLINE, b. Jan. 26, 1828; m. Feb. 25, 1847, James Andrew Sampson of Waldoboro.
- 1262. v. JAMES, b. Jan. 31, 1830.
- vi. LUCRETIA GOODWIN, b. June 3, 1832; d. Dec. 15, 1871, in Thomaston, Me.; unm.

\* Except i, who was born in Warren, Me.



1263. vii. EDWIN, b. July 25, 1831.  
 viii. ELIZA, b. July 18, 1836; m. Dec. 28, 1858, Lowry Dandridge Chapman and resides in Charlestown, Mass.  
 ix. MARIA, b. Aug. 23, 1839; resides in Charlestown; unm.  
 1264. x. CHARLES, b. Jan. 14, 1842.  
 xi. SARAH ABIGAIL, b. Feb. 14, 1845; resides in Waldoboro; unm.

**1146.** JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1061</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 15, 1787, in Waldoboro, Me.; died August 20, 1860, in Waldoboro; married Lydia Farnsworth, born February 11, 1790, in Northport, Me.; died February 17, 1860, in Waldoboro.

James Trowbridge was a farmer in Waldoboro, Me., where he also kept a well-known inn for many years.

NO CHILDREN.\*

**1147.** NATHAN SOULE TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1061</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 28, 1800, in Waldoboro, Me.; died August 16, 1865, in Portland, Me.; married, first, January 1, 1826, in Lincolnville, Me., Judith W. Alden, daughter of David and Mary (Small) Alden, born March 15, 1802, in Northport, Me.; died ———, 18—, in Portland. He married, second,

Nathan S. Trowbridge was a millwright and wood turner. He and his first wife lived with the Shakers about ten years. After living in Lincolnville and Northport, Me., he finally settled in Cape Elizabeth, near Portland, Me., where he lived the rest of his life.

CHILDREN :†

*By first marriage:*‡

- i. JAMES, b. Mar. 5, 1828; d. Dec. 5, 1829.  
 ii. SARAH SOULE, b. Feb. 20, 1830; m. July 10, 1853, George Kinsman of Boston, Mass.  
 iii. DELIA ALDEN, b. ———, 1832; d. Oct. —, 1885, in Gorham, N. H.; unm.  
 1265. iv. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. Oct. 1, 1838.  
 v. JOHN,§ b. ———, 1839; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted for three months in Company B ("Portland Mechanic Blues"), 1st Maine Infantry, and was mustered into service May 3, 1861. He was killed in the battle of Antietam, Sept. 17, 1862; unm.

**1148.** ALBERT BLAKE TROWBRIDGE (*Phineas*<sup>1062</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 11, 1819, in Westford, Mass.; died March —, 1886, in Leicester, Mass.; married, first, May 10, 1848, Mrs. Almira Farnsworth, who died October 1, 1856, in West Fitchburg, Mass., aged 42 years. He married, second, April 29, 1859, in Leicester, Hannah Catherine Rogers, daughter of Tilla and Betsey (———) Rogers, born October 14, 1821, in Holden, Mass.; died ———, 1883, in Leicester.

\* Adopted Arthur Jones, whose name was changed to ARTHUR JONES TROWBRIDGE, b. Mar. 15, 1832, in Waldoboro, Me.; a farmer; resides in Waldoboro; m., 1st, ———, 1860, in Waldoboro, Alice Sides, daughter of John and Mercy (Lowell) Sides, b. Aug. 1, 1837, in Waldoboro; d. Nov. 6, 1865, in Waldoboro. He m., 2d, Mary (Burkett) Eastman of Union, Me. He m., 3d, Martha (Gilpatrick) Griffin of Washington, Me. He m., 4th, Mary (Richards) Sweeney of Bremen, Me., who d. June 6, 1899, in Waldoboro. CHILDREN: *By first marriage:* b. in Waldoboro: i. *James Arthur*, b. Mar. 22, 1861; d. July —, 1904, in Waldoboro; was proprietor of the Hotel Savoy in Waldoboro and a Knight of Pythias; m. Abbie B———, who m., 2d, Edward A. Winslow and resides in Waldoboro. ii. *Frederick Whiting*, b. June 10, 1864; was proprietor of the Lincoln House in Worcester, Mass.; now in the Bingham House, Philadelphia, Pa.

† i-iii born in Lincolnville, Me.; the others in Northport, Me.

‡ No children by second marriage?

§ Name changed from *Job*.

Albert B. Trowbridge was a paper maker and followed that trade in West Fitchburg, Mass., for a number of years. About 1865 he bought a farm in Leicester, Mass., where he settled and lived the remainder of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN FITCHBURG, MASS.:

*By second marriage:\**

- i. ELI THAYER, b. Nov. 6, 1860; d. Aug. 6, 1865.
- ii. LEVI PARKER, b. Feb. 19, 1862; resides in \_\_\_\_\_.
- iii. HANNAH ALMIRA, b. July 25, 1866; m. Frank Brown of Worcester, Mass.

**1149.** PHINEAS PARKER TROWBRIDGE (*Phineas*<sup>1062</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 3, 1822, in Westford, Mass.; resides in Lowell, Mass.; married June 4, 1840, in Westford, Eliza Sylvia Jones, daughter of Ebenezer and Lucinda (Reed) Jones, born August 23, 1824, in Ashburnham, Mass.; died April 16, 1902, in Lowell.

Phineas P. Trowbridge at the age of thirteen began to learn the shoemaker's trade and, on completing his apprenticeship, engaged in business for himself in his native town, Westford, Mass. He removed in 1847 to Leominster, Mass., and in 1851 to Lowell, Mass. He followed this business up to his entering the army in the Civil War.

He enlisted at Pepperell, Mass., July 22, 1862, in Company E, 33d Massachusetts Infantry. He was transferred to the Veteran Reserve Corps September 30, 1863; was in the 20th Army Corps with Sherman in his march from Atlanta to the sea; and was discharged July 5, 1865. He then returned to his home in Lowell and resumed his shoemaking business, in which he has since continued. He is a member of Ladd and Whitney Post, G. A. R., of Lowell, Mass.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. MARTHA MARIA, b. Nov. 17, 1842; d. June 13, 1862, in Pepperell, Mass.; unm.
- ii. JULIA ANN, b. Nov. 27, 1843; m. Aug. 16, 1867, Elisha Huntress of Quincy, Mass.
- iii. EMMA JANE, b. Jan. 18, 1845; d. Dec. 15, 1868, in Lowell, Mass.
- iv. ELLEN ELIZA, b. Mar. 31, 1847; d. Sept. 5, 1849, in Pepperell.
1266. v. GEORGE PHINEAS, b. Apr. 29, 1848.
- vi. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 9, 1850; d. Oct. 1, 1852, in Lowell.
1267. vii. FRANK PEIRCE, b. May 25, 1853.
- viii. WILLIAM EDGAR, b. Apr. 10, 1855; d. May 23, 1857, in Lowell.
- ix. IDA FRANCES, b. Apr. 16, 1857; m. Nov. 19, 1884, George William Swett and resides in North Chelmsford, Mass.

**1150.** CHARLES AVERY TROWBRIDGE (*Phineas*<sup>1062</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 12, 1826, in Westford, Mass.; died October 18, 1889, in Leominster, Mass.; married May 10, 1848, in Auburn, N. Y., Harriet Tuttle, daughter of William and Prudence (Marshall) Tuttle, born November 17, 1826, in Auburn; died April 26, 1894, in Leominster.

Charles A. Trowbridge was a comb maker by trade and settled in Leominster, Mass. He removed to Northborough, Mass., about 1860. He was a soldier in the Civil War and enlisted there July 12, 1861, in Company C, 15th Massachusetts Infantry. He had enlisted for three years, but was discharged for disability October 28, 1862. He enlisted again March 10, 1864, in Company G, 57th Massachusetts Infantry, and was mustered out June 10, 1865. After leaving the army he returned to his home in Northborough. Some years later he moved back to Leominster, where he lived the remainder of his life.

\* No children by first marriage.

† i-iv born in Westford, Mass.; v and viii in Leominster, Mass.; vi, vii and ix in Lowell, Mass.

## CHILDREN :\*

1268. i. CHARLES CLEAVELAND, b. July 4, 1850.  
 ii. EUGENIE MARIA, b. Oct. 10, 1852; m. Robert J. Morrill of Auburn, N. Y.  
 iii. HELEN ELIZA, b. Oct. 17, 1854; d. Oct. 6, 1855.  
 1269. iv. HENRY HIRE, b. Mar. 8, 1857.  
 v. HARRIET CATHERINE, b. Feb. 6, 1860; d. Aug. 27, 1862.  
 vi. NELLIE MAY, b. Apr. 9, 1866; m. Sept. 18, 1889, Albert Ernest Wilbur and resides in Leominster, Mass.  
 vii. MINNIE WYOMA, b. Apr. 17, 1868; m. Nov. 16, 1886, Edward Russell Tisdale and resides in Leominster.

**1151.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Jepthah*<sup>1063</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 27, 1817, in Westford, Mass.; died August 10, 1894, in Lowell, Mass.; married October 29, 1846, in Amherst, N. H., Mary Ann Hills,† daughter of Joseph and Lucy (Noyes) Hills, born February 27, 1821, in South Merrimack, N. H.; died April 6, 1899, in Lowell.

John Trowbridge settled in Lowell, Mass., where he followed the trade of a house carpenter.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LOWELL, MASS. :

- i. MARY PARMELIA, b. Dec. 1, 1848; d. Dec. 26, 1849.  
 ii. MARY FRANCES, b. Sept. 30, 1850; m. Mar. 17, 1881, James Albert Giles and resides in Lowell.

**1152.** GEORGE NELSON TROWBRIDGE (*Jepthah*<sup>1063</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 13, 1819, in Westford, Mass.; died December 3, 1894, in Nashua, N. H.; married October 5, 1843, in Amherst, N. H., Hannah Wilson Hills,‡ daughter of Joseph and Lucy (Noyes) Hills, born November 18, 1819, in South Merrimack, N. H.; died October 18, 1889, in Nashua.

George N. Trowbridge settled in Lowell, Mass., where he followed his trade, that of a house carpenter, for some years. While residing there, he was for fifteen years a deacon of the Worthen Street Baptist Church. He moved to Salmon Falls, N. H., where he remained eight years, and was foreman and master mechanic of a cotton mill. He then removed to Nashua, N. H., where he held the position of superintendent of a mill until 1884, when he retired from active business.

## CHILD BORN IN LOWELL, MASS. :

1270. i. GEORGE FRANK, b. Apr. 24, 1845.

**1153.** WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Jepthah*<sup>1063</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 8, 1821, in Westford, Mass.; died August 15, 1848, in Rochester, N. Y.; married February 20, 1843, in Westborough, Mass., Angeline Harriet Fairbanks, daughter of Corning and Harriet (Thurston) Fairbanks, born December 17, 1827, in Westborough. She married, second, December 8, 1855, in Westborough, Seth Artemas Dix and resides in Westborough.

William Trowbridge was a wheelwright by trade, and as a young man, previous to and for a time after his marriage, worked for his father-in-law, Mr. Fairbanks, at his wagon and sleigh factory in Westborough, Mass. In 1845 he went to Worcester, Mass., and was for a short time in the employ of Ruggles & Co. in that city. While working for that firm, he bought of Mr. George W. Matthews his patent and tools to manufacture spoke shaves. He was in business in Worcester for two years, and then in May, 1848, sold out to Smith, Badger & Co.

\* i, ii and iv born in Leominster, Mass.; v-vi in Northborough, Mass.; iii and vii in Auburn, N. Y.

† A sister of the wife of his brother No. 1152.

‡ A sister of the wife of his brother No. 1151.

of Rochester, N. Y., going to that city to get the plant in running order. He then brought his family there, but two weeks after his return he was stricken with smallpox and died.

## CHILDREN :

1271. i. ALFRED LORENZO, b. Mar. 21, 1844, in Westborough, Mass.  
 ii. EMELINE AMELIA, b. Feb. 19, 1847, in Worcester, Mass.; d. June 3, 1847.

**1154.** LUTHER PRESCOTT TROWBRIDGE (*Luther*<sup>1064</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1027</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1014</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 6, 1827, in Westford, Mass.; died June 24, 1875, in Warren, Mass.; married May 20, 1852, in Monson, Mass., Fannie Porter Nelson, daughter of Zimri and Nancy (Adams) Nelson, born February 27, 1829, in Warren; died August 9, 1883, in West Warren.

Luther P. Trowbridge was a machinist in Warren, Mass.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WEST WARREN, MASS.:

- i. ELLA ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 9, 1853; d. Nov. 2, 1873, in Warren; unm.  
 ii. EMMA JANE, b. June 30, 1854; m. Mar. 7, 1876, Leander Adams and resides in Warren.  
 iii. FANNIE ADAMS, b. May 19, 1866; m. July 14, 1887, George Charles Viets and resides in Suffield, Conn.

**1155.** ANDREW JACKSON TROWBRIDGE (*Luther*<sup>1064</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1027</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1014</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 2, 1832, in Westford, Mass.; resides in Ware, Mass.; married December 1, 1862, in Springfield, Mass., Louisa Dunham, daughter of Shepard and Ruth (Randall) Dunham, born November 9, 1838, in Denmark, N. Y.; died March 15, 1898, in West Warren, Mass.

Andrew J. Trowbridge is a farmer in Ware, Mass.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WEST WARREN, MASS.:

- i. LUTHER PRESCOTT, b. Oct. 25, 1863; is a contractor and builder in Holyoke, Mass.\*  
 ii. JENNIE EMMA, b. Sept. 28, 1865; m. Jan. 5, 1887, Alexander Edward Shirley and resides in Warren.  
 iii. FLORENCE FRANCES, b. Mar. 29, 1868; m. Jan. 28, 1892, Ernest F. Shaw and resides in Medford, Mass.  
 iv. RUTH LOUISA, b. May 7, 1871.  
 v. NELLIE ABIGAIL, b. July 21, 1875.

**1156.** CAPT. CHARLES TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1066</sup>, *John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 1, 1802, in Framingham, Mass.; died April 13, 1889, in Framingham; married May 26, 1830, in Sudbury, Mass., Mary Goodnow, daughter of Capt. Nahum and Hepsibeth (Brown) Goodnow, born September 5, 1806, in Sudbury; died July 4, 1883, in Framingham.

Charles Trowbridge settled on his father's place in Framingham, Mass., and lived there until his death. He was appointed in 1826 lieutenant of the Framingham company in a regiment of heavy artillery in the Massachusetts militia and in March, 1829, was promoted its captain. He resigned the following December, and was its last commander, as the company disbanded December 23, 1829.

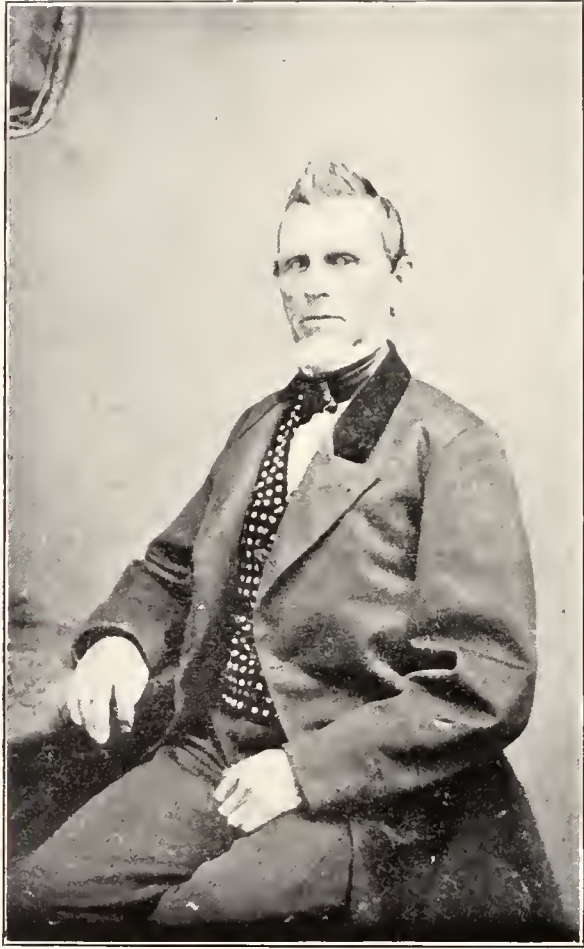
## CHILDREN BORN IN FRAMINGHAM, MASS.:

- i. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 21, 1837; d. Feb. 16, 1848.  
 ii. JOSIAH WHEELER, b. Apr. 19, 1845; d. May 13, 1845.

**1157.** GEORGE AVERY TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1066</sup>, *John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>; *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 26, 1805, in Framingham, Mass.; died April 10, 1885, in Framingham; married March 16, 1834, in New York

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.





*Gerrit Groenbrugg*

City, Susannah Resler, daughter of Henry Resler,\* born February 6, 1814, in New York City; died March 19, 1894, in Framingham.

George A. Trowbridge passed his youth in his native place, Framingham, Mass. In 1829, at the age of twenty-four, he resolved to better his fortune, if possible. Means of travel were then vastly different from now and young George was very glad of the chance to work his passage to New York on a sailing vessel. When he arrived in New York his sole possession was five dollars. He at once received a situation in Christian Cape's pork packing-house, established in 1818 at 75 Rivington street. On account of his honesty and industry, he was soon after taken into the firm, which was thereafter called Cape & Trowbridge until changed to Cape, Trowbridge & Co. They located at the corner of Broom and Allen streets with a branch in Fulton Market, and never moved. This pork house was the largest in the country, before the great West had grown. Their house supplied the principal hotels and ocean steamers, and also supplied the ship of Doctor Kane, the Arctic explorer, with "pemican," a kind of dried beef, mentioned in Doctor Kane's history. In this business he made money fast, and he invested in real estate in New York City, and the rapid growth of the city more than doubled the value of his property there; and when he died in 1885 he left a large fortune.

Aside from his prominence in business circles, Mr. Trowbridge was well known in other fields of city activity. He enlisted March 25, 1836, in the New York militia, and was a private in the Second Company, 9th Artillery Regiment, until he was promoted second lieutenant of the same April 22, 1842. He participated in the celebration of the completion of Groton aqueduct, October 4, 1842. He was promoted first lieutenant of his company December 27, 1842, and took part in the celebration of Evacuation Day, November 20, 1843. He was appointed captain of his company, and served from September 2, 1844, to July 12, 1845. He participated in the celebration of Evacuation Day, November 18, 1844, and in the parade to pay funeral honors to President Andrew Jackson on June 18, 1845.

He became interested in local politics. He was alderman of the 10th Ward, New York City, during the years 1854 and 1855. In 1854 he was chairman of the committee on markets and one of the committee on public health. In 1855 he was on the following standing committee for the year: art and sciences, fire department, and chairman of the committee on lamps and gas.

After remaining in business in New York City for twenty-five years, Mr. Trowbridge retired in 1857 and in 1858 returned to the old homestead in Framingham, where he resided the remainder of his life. Soon after the outbreak of the Civil War he was chosen to take charge of the fund raised at a meeting in Framingham May 6, 1861. He was prominent in religious affairs in the town and responded generously to appeals from his church. He was a deacon in the Plymouth Congregational Church in Framingham Center, and gave away during his life, in a very quiet way, a large fortune. He was universally respected both in New York City and Framingham. At the time of his death he was the owner of considerable real estate in New York City besides his property in Framingham. He died at the old homestead in Framingham a little over a year after the celebration of his golden wedding.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEW YORK CITY:

- i. LOUISA, b. Dec. 30, 1834; d. Jan. 17, 1885.
1272. ii. BENJAMIN AVERY, b. Nov. 3, 1837.
- iii. ADALINE, b. Mar. 2, 1840; m. June 7, 1864, Stephen George Metcalf and resides in Framingham, Mass.
1273. iv. GEORGE ALVORD, b. Feb. 6, 1843.

\* From Hesse-Cassel, Germany.

1274. v. EDMUND, b. Jan. 24, 1846.  
 1275. vi. WILLIAM HENRY, b. May 3, 1850.  
 1276. vii. CHARLES OZIAS, b. Jan. 21, 1853.

1158. DR. JOHN HOWE TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1067</sup>, *John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 9, 1807, in Cambridgeport, Mass.; died September 25, 1891, in Danvers, Mass.; married January 4, 1840, in Cambridge, Mass., Adaline (Richardson) Whitney, widow of William Whitney of Cambridge and daughter of James and Betsey (Bennett) Richardson, born April 9, 1810, in Brookfield, Mass.; died August 15, 1895, in Longwood, Mass.

John H. Trowbridge attended Mr. Pierce's school in West Newton, Mass., and prepared for college at Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., from which he was graduated in 1824. He entered Harvard College, but left before completing the course and entered the Harvard Medical School, from which he was graduated with the degree of M.D. in 1835. He then was in the practice of his profession for a few years in Boston. Having inherited an ample fortune, he was able to lead a life free from professional or business cares, and to devote himself to matters that he found more congenial. He lived a short time in Medford, Mass., and then removed to Brookline. He later resided in Cambridge, and the last years of his life were passed in Danvers, Mass.

## CHILDREN :

- i. ELLEN, b. Nov. 16, 1841, in Dorchester, Mass.; m. July 21, 1864, Frederick William Tilton and resides in Cambridge, Mass.
1277. ii. JOHN, b. Aug. 5, 1843, in Boston, Mass.
- iii. ADALINE, b. Sept. 12, 1846, in Medford, Mass.
- iv. GERTRUDE, b. July 19, 1848, in Brookline, Mass.; d. Mar. 31, 1878.
- v. MARIA EDGEWORTH, b. May 9, 1852, in Brookline.

1159. DR. JOHN SMITH TROWBRIDGE (*Josiah*<sup>1068</sup>, *John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 18, 1816, in Buffalo, N. Y.; died April 2, 1886, in Buffalo; married May 21, 1846, in Buffalo, Abby Eliza Heacock, daughter of Reuben and Abby (Grosvenor) Heacock, born December 19, 1826, in Buffalo; died August 11, 1888, in Northampton, Mass.

John S. Trowbridge attended the schools of his native city and was graduated in 1844 from the Geneva (N. Y.) Medical College.\* After his graduation he was associated with his father, Dr. Josiah Trowbridge, in the practice of his profession in Buffalo; and after his father's death continued in his profession until about 1871, when he retired, being at that time a physician of eminence in the city.

Doctor Trowbridge in early life was for a time treasurer of the city of Buffalo. During the Civil War he was from April 17, 1863, to June 15, 1865, surgeon of the board of enrollment of Erie county. He was a member of St. John's Episcopal Church, although after his marriage he attended the First Presbyterian Church, his wife being of that denomination.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BUFFALO, N. Y. :

- i. JAMES WALTER, b. May 30, 1847; was educated in the common and high schools in his native city. He became a clerk and later manager in a wholesale hardware firm in Buffalo. He was afterwards for a time in the drug business. He then entered the employ of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company, a position he held at the time of his death, which occurred Apr. 9, 1904, in Buffalo; unm.
- ii. ABEL, b. June 1, 1848; d. in infancy.
1278. iii. GROSVENOR REUBEN, b. Sept. 14, 1863.

\* Since merged in Syracuse University.



**1160.** WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Josiah*<sup>1068</sup>, *John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 29, 1818, in Buffalo, N. Y.; died December 11, 1862, in Memphis, Tenn.; married January 24, 1851, in St. Louis, Mo., Jane Rosevear, daughter of William and Eliza (Hawk) Rosevear, born April 2, 1832, in St. Austell, Cornwall, England. She married, second, December 7, 1884, in Plymouth, England, George Stuarts and resides in Tacoma, Wash.

William Trowbridge attended college and studied law. He was in the practice of his profession in several cities prior to his removal in 1860 to Memphis, Tenn., where he died about two years later. He was a member of the Episcopal Church.

## CHILDREN:

- i. MARY MARGARET, b. Nov. 4, 1852, in St. Louis, Mo.; m. July 11, 1878, William Berrien and resides in Tacoma, Wash.
1279. ii. BENJAMIN WALTER, b. Nov. 11, 1853, in Fort Erie, Canada West.
- iii. ABBIE ELIZA, b. Sept. 29, 1855, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. May 23, 1890, Capt. Mortimer Riley Flint and resides in Minneapolis, Minn.
- iv. EDITH CAROLINE, b. Oct. 21, 1857, in St. Paul, Minn.; m. Jan. 11, 1876, George Gurnee and resides in Minneapolis.
- v. ELEANOR, b. Aug. 9, 1859, in St. Paul; m. Sept. 23, 1886, George Orville Hickox and resides in Tacoma.
- vi. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Nov. 14, 1861, in Memphis, Tenn.; d. Oct. 8, 1862, in Memphis.

**1161.** WINDSOR TROWBRIDGE (*Windsor S.*<sup>1070</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1031</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 29, 1825, in Ogden, N. Y.; died December 11, 1897, in Lockport, N. Y.; married January 7, 1846, in Cambria, N. Y., Emily Rebecca Heath, daughter of Roger and Rosanna Colgrove (Partello) Heath, born August 1, 1826, in Cambria; died December 11, 1903, in Lockport.

Windsor Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in Ogden, near Rochester, N. Y. He went to the district school and at the age of seventeen, for a few months, attended a select school in Lockport, N. Y. He then began teaching school. The death of his father in 1844 compelled him, as the eldest son, to return home and take charge of the farm, and he settled there after his marriage. In April, 1855, he removed with his family to Lockport. He there engaged in brickmaking, but soon went into farming again, and he carried on market gardening on a large scale successfully for many years.

Mr. Trowbridge always felt a deep interest in the growth and prosperity of the city. He was called several times to places of trust by his fellow citizens, and always discharged the duties of public and private life with strict integrity. He was able to satisfy his chief ambition, which was to have a comfortable home, refined society and good reading, at the same time keeping up with the news of the day. He traveled extensively in the West and South, seeking to improve his health, during the last six years of his life.

## CHILDREN BORN IN OGDEN, N. Y.:

- i. EMILY VENILIA, b. May 11, 1847; m. Aug. 11, 1870, William Romeo Weld and resides in Waterloo, Iowa.
- ii. JULIA SOPHIA, b. Dec. 30, 1848; m. Dec. 29, 1865, DeForest Porter of Phoenix, Ariz.
- iii. ALICE REBECCA, b. May 22, 1851; m. June 4, 1874, John H. Willey of Lockport, N. Y.
- iv. CORA AMELIA, b. Nov. 9, 1853; d. Oct. 29, 1855.

**1162.** JOHN TOWNSEND TROWBRIDGE (*Windsor S.*<sup>1070</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1031</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 18, 1827, in Ogden, N. Y.; resides in Arlington, Mass.; married, first, May 9, 1860, in Lowell, Mass., Cornelia Warren, daughter of John and Jeannette (Webster) Warren, born

May 1, 1834, in Hanover, N. H.; died March 23, 1864, in Somerville, Mass. He married, second, June 4, 1873, in Arlington, Sarah Adelaide Newton, daughter of Alonzo Eliot and Sarah Jane (Emery) Newton, born January 18, 1848, in Portland, Me.

John T. Trowbridge led the life of a farmer's son, attending the district school and working on his father's farm in Ogden, N. Y., until his seventeenth year, when he lost his father. He then went to live with a sister in Lockport, N. Y., where he attended a classical school during the winter of 1844-45. He then taught school in Illinois and later in Lockport. Being passionately fond of books, and devoting himself to study out of school, he had learned to read and translate French and German with ease, without the assistance of a teacher. At this early period he read and digested the works of the most noted of the English poetical and prose writers, and conceived the plan of himself becoming an author. In 1847 he went to New York City and began to write for the press. He went to Boston, Mass., in 1848, and soon became known as a writer of popular tales under the *nom de plume* of Paul Creyton, and became active as editor and contributor to magazines and journals.

In the summer and autumn of 1855 he visited Europe, spending most of his time in France and Italy. In the summer of 1865, and the subsequent fall and winter, he made a tour of the South, visiting the principal cities and the battlefields of the Civil War. He became senior editor of the widely circulated monthly "Our Young Folks," and his contributions to it made that magazine the most popular of its kind in the country. He continued to be a frequent contributor after that magazine was merged in the "St. Nicholas" in 1873. He also wrote for "The Youth's Companion" and other periodicals. From 1888 to 1891 he spent three years abroad with his family, traveling and educating his children, and living chiefly in Italy, Switzerland and Germany. He has published a large number of books, written ostensibly for the young, but intended also for older readers. He received the degree of M.A. from Dartmouth College in 1884.

Mr. J. T. Trowbridge is the author of the following books: "Father Bright Hopes," 1853; "Martin Merrivale, His X Mark," 1854; "Neighbor Jackwood," 1857; "The Drummer Boy" and "Cudjo's Cave," 1863; "The Three Scouts," 1864; "The South and Its Battle Fields," 1866; "Neighbors' Wives," 1867; "The Vagabonds and Other Poems," 1869; "Lawrence's Adventurers," 1870; "Jack Hazzard and His Fortunes," 1871; "A Chance for Himself" and "Coupon Bonds and Other Stories," 1872; "Doing His Best," 1873; "Fast Friends," 1874; "The Young Surveyor" and "The Emigrant's Story and Other Poems," 1875; "The Book of Gold and Other Poems," "His Own Master" and "Bound in Honor," 1877; "Young Joe and Other Boys," 1879; "The Silver Medal," 1880; "The Pocket Rifle" and "A Home Idyl and Other Poems," 1881; "The Jolly Rover" and "The Tide Mill," 1882; "Phil and His Friends," 1883; "Farnell's Folly," 1884; "The Little Master" and "His One Fault," 1886; "Peter Budstone," 1887; "A Start in Life," "Biding His Time" and "The Lost Earl and Other Poems," 1888; "Adventures of David Vane and David Crane," 1889; "The Kelp Gatherers," 1890; "The Scarlet Tanager," 1891; "The Fortunes of Toby Trafford," 1892; "Woodie Thorpe's Pilgrimage," 1893; "The Satinwood Box," 1894; "The Lottery Ticket," 1895; "The Prize Cup," 1896; "Two Biddicut Boys and Their Adventures with a Wonderful Trick Dog," 1898; "My Own Story," 1903.

J. T. Trowbridge stands in the front rank of American prose writers and no American author has reached a wider public. By his stories for boys and girls, such as "Neighbor Jackwood" and "Cudjo's Cave," his novels, and his universally popular poems, he has endeared himself to the readers of two generations. Of his "Jack Hazzard Series" it may be said that they are almost unrivaled of their class. They are faithful studies of character and life—



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wholesome, fascinating, inspiring. In the story of his own life he tells of his boyhood on a farm in Western New York, of his struggles to secure an education, and his first efforts as a writer, which led him to New York and Boston, where he was thrown with some of the most eminent and picturesque men of the day. His reminiscences of Walt Whitman, Father Taylor, Emerson, Alcott, Longfellow and other men of letters are fresh and charmingly told. His autobiography, in fact, is notable for its vivid pictures of the past and its delightful style. He is the only surviving member of the famous group of New England authors, which included Longfellow, Emerson, Whittier, Lowell and others. Mr. Trowbridge celebrated his eightieth birthday on September 18, 1907, at his home on the beautiful shores of Arlington Lake, seven miles from Boston.

## CHILDREN :

*By first marriage:*

- i. ALICE, b. Mar. 29, 1861, in Somerville, Mass.; d. that day.
- ii. WINDSOR WARREN, b. Feb. 11, 1864, in Somerville; was graduated from the high school in Arlington, Mass., but his uncertain health prevented him from entering college. He was devoted to the study of birds, of which he left a very fine collection, mounted very beautifully by himself. If he had lived, he would, doubtless, have become a noted ornithologist. He died in Colorado Springs, Colo., where he had gone in search of health, Mar. 19, 1884; unm.

*By second marriage:*

- iii. GRACE EVELYN, b. July 24, 1874, in Arlington; m. July 21, 1904, Herbert H. Yeames of Hobart College, Geneva, N. Y., where they reside.
- iv. EDITH VENILIA, b. Aug. 1, 1876, in Arlington; m. Oct. 12, 1904, Carl Hans Vom Baur and resides in New York City.
- v. ARTHUR TOWNSEND, b. Aug. 25, 1883, in Arlington; was graduated as a mechanical engineer from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1906. He immediately took the position of drafting engineer with the Gifford-Wood Company in Hudson, N. Y. He remained there until November, 1907, when he came to New Haven, Conn., to take a position in the line of his profession with the Winchester Repeating Arms Company, with which he is at present connected. He is unmarried.

1163. CHARLES AUGUSTUS TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen V.*<sup>1071</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 5, 1817, in Harsheads, N. Y.; died April 13, 1889, in New York City; married August 1, 1873, in New York City, Mrs. Adelaide (Rose) Sayre.

Charles A. Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to Oakland county, Mich. At the age of sixteen he left the farm and went to live with his uncle, C. C. Trowbridge, in Detroit, and began to prepare himself for a mercantile life. His first experience was disastrous. He embarked in the milling business at Wacousta, Clinton county, but the panic of 1837 ruined him, as it did many others, and he went into bankruptcy, honestly turning over to his creditors all his property, except the suit of clothes that he wore. Later he engaged in the wholesale grocery business with S. P. Bredy in Detroit.

When the rich deposits of iron ore were discovered in Marquette county, he was one of the pioneers in developing that business, which has grown to such immense proportions. He organized the Collins Iron Company and built a furnace on the Dead river. The company owned a piece of land adjoining the New York mine, from which the late Samuel J. Tilden derived a large portion of his fortune. It was thought that the ore body of the New York must extend to the adjoining quarter section, so the Collins Company sunk a shaft to reach it, but without success. This was before the days of the diamond drill. They worked at their shaft until their funds gave out, when they were obliged to abandon it. When the panic of 1873 came on they went to the wall, and their land was sold under foreclosure of a mortgage. The purchaser went to

the old abandoned shaft, sunk but four feet and struck the ore body from which the New York mine had taken so much wealth. These facts illustrate the irony of fate.

Mr. Trowbridge was very much interested in the subject of a railroad to the Pacific coast and did much to secure the necessary legislation, and in the winter of 1864-5 made a journey overland across the continent for the purpose of personal observation. It was a perilous journey at that season of the year, and nearly cost him his life. When the discoveries of silver were made at Silver Islet on the north shore of Lake Superior, he became interested in the property and was secretary of the Silver Islet Mining Company until the day of his death, at which time he was also interested in a silver mine in South America.\*

NO CHILDREN.

**1164.** HON. ROWLAND EBENEZER TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen V.*<sup>1071</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 18, 1821, in Horseheads, N. Y.; died April 20, 1881, in Birmingham, Mich.; married November 20, 1851, in Birmingham, Mary Anna Satterlee, daughter of Samuel and Susannah (West) Satterlee, born February 16, 1823, in Birmingham; died April 18, 1893, in Birmingham.

Rowland E. Trowbridge was brought in the year of his birth to Troy, Oakland county, Mich., by his father, who settled in that town upon a farm. He entered Kenyon College in the Class of 1841. It was there that he made the acquaintance of Rutherford B. Hayes, afterward president of the United States. This acquaintance ripened into the closest friendship, which continued without interruption throughout his life. Stanley Matthews, late associate-justice of the U. S. Supreme Court, was also his warm friend in college days. In his ambition to succeed, he overtaxed the nerves of his eyes, and when he was graduated in 1841 he was obliged to abandon all thought of any calling which might require the use of his eyes, and so was unable to take up the study of his chosen profession, the law. Although he consulted eminent oculists, it was in vain, and for years he could not use his eyes even to read the current news of the day.

He became a farmer, and in 1848 settled in Barry county and cleared up a farm in the town of Thorndale. The following year he was elected supervisor of the town. In 1851 he exchanged his farm for one in Bloomfield, Oakland county, and settled there, having married that year. He was supervisor of Bloomfield in 1855. He was elected to the state senate in 1856 and 1858. He worked the farm until 1860, when he exchanged it for a milling property, and removed to Birmingham, Mich. In 1860 he was elected from the 4th District a representative to the Thirty-seventh Congress, serving on the committee on the post office and post roads. He was defeated by a small majority for re-election in 1862, but was again elected in 1864 to the Thirty-ninth Congress, and served on the committee on revolutionary claims and agriculture. He was also a delegate to the Philadelphia "Loyalists Convention," and was re-elected to the Fortieth Congress, serving as chairman of the committee on agriculture. He again became a farmer, and in 1873 took charge of the large Chandler farm near Lansing, in which he was successful. In 1880 he was appointed commissioner of Indian affairs by President Hayes, and held that office until the time of his death.

Mr. Trowbridge was president of the Central Michigan Agricultural Society and was widely recognized as a leading agriculturalist. He was a sincere, honest and incorruptible man, and was so acknowledged by all who knew him. In politics he was first a Whig, but became a Republican upon the organiza-

\* This sketch is in greater part taken from a paper read before the Oakland County Pioneer Society by Gen. Luther S. Trowbridge. (See note to the sketch of his father.)



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tion of that party. He was a clear and forcible speaker, and in debate, while not claiming much in the grace of oratory, his manifest fairness and candor in dealing with all public questions gave great weight to his arguments. This was well illustrated by the following incident. When the theory of fiat money swept over the country, he was called upon to discuss the subject of honest money. His argument was clear and forcible. After the meeting was dismissed a gentleman, a stranger to him, approached him and expressed great satisfaction. "But," said he, "Mr. Trowbridge, I could not discover to which of the old political parties you belong." He was not discussing party politics, but the great and important subject of honest money.\*

## CHILDREN BORN IN BLOOMFIELD, MICH. †

- i. SUSAN ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 7, 1852; resides in Birmingham, Mich.; unm.
- ii. STEPHEN VAN RENSSELAER, b. Jan. 1, 1855; entered the University of Michigan with the Class of 1876, but left there in the fall of his senior year. While a student there he was elected a member of the Psi Upsilon fraternity. After leaving college he pursued law studies in the office of Morse & Wilson in Ionia, Mich., 1877-9, and then began practice by himself in that city. He was prosecuting attorney for Ionia county, 1881-2, and was elected attorney-general of Michigan in 1889. He performed the duties of this office until May 25, 1890, when he resigned on account of ill health. He returned to the family home in Birmingham, where he d. Apr. 19, 1891; unm.
- iii. TILLMAN CONKLING, b. May 28, 1857; is a farmer in Birmingham; unm.
- iv. SAMUEL SATTERLEE, b. Mar. 11, 1860; was graduated from Michigan Agricultural College in 1878, and spent the following twelve years in the general land office in Washington, D. C. In 1890 he returned to his home in Birmingham, where he at present resides with his sister and brother on their farm, known as "Briarbank Farm." He is unmarried.

**1165.** EDMUND TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen V.*<sup>1071</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 10, 1825, in Troy, Mich.; died February 11, 1873, in Detroit, Mich.; married May 25, 1852, in Detroit, Cornelia Amouret Lyon, daughter of Edward and ——— (Lyman) Lyon, born July 20, 1832, in Burlington, Vt. She married, second, in Detroit, Col. Albert Jenks of San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal., and died in the latter city June 6, 1900.

Edmund Trowbridge prior to reaching his majority joined a surveying party under John Mullett and spent two summers in surveying in the upper peninsula of Michigan. He then became a clerk in the employ of Lieut., afterwards Gen., M. C. Meigs, when he was constructing the fortifications at Fort Wayne, near Detroit. He afterwards entered the hardware store of Alexander Newbold in Detroit, and later became a member of the firm of Pittman, Trowbridge & Jones in the forwarding and commission business in that city. He afterwards engaged in the ship chandlery business as senior member of the firm of Trowbridge, Wilcox & Co., in which he continued until the time of his death. Incidentally he became interested in vessel property and in manufacturing and mining, being connected with the Silver Islet Mining Company and interested in some coal mines in Illinois.

Mr. Trowbridge was an energetic, clear-headed business man. He was actively interested in charitable and philanthropic works. He was for many years a member of the vestry of Christ Church, Detroit. He died sincerely mourned by a large number of people who had been charmed by his genial, cheerful intercourse and aided by his generous help. His widow, after her second marriage, removed with her husband and children to San Francisco, Cal.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DETROIT, MICH.:

- i. MARTHA ELIZABETH, b. May 17, 1853; m. 1st, Sept. 29, 1880, Samuel Adams Ames of Riverside, Cal.; m. 2d, Oct. 7, 1903, Joseph Foxton and resides in Riverside.

\* See footnote \* on preceding page.

† Except iv, who was born in Birmingham, Mich.

- ii. EDWARD LYON, b. Feb. 24, 1857; d. Sept. 26, 1857.
- iii. KATHERINE ROGERS, b. Sept. 5, 1858; m., 1st, Oct. 13, 1878, William H. Booth of Kentucky; m., 2d, Mar. 15, 1894, Sewall Dolliver and resides in San Francisco, Cal.
- iv. EDMUND AUGUSTUS, b. Mar. 16, 1860; d. Dec. 11, 1879, in Jackson, Fla.; unm.
- v. WILLIAM, b. May 5, 1862; d. Aug. 12, 1862.
- vi. NELLIE HAMMILL, b. Nov. 1, 1863; m. Sept. 22, 1896, Walter Scott Newhall and resides in Los Angeles, Cal.
- 1280. vii. CHARLES CHRISTOPHER, b. Mar. 12, 1865.
- viii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Sept. 15, 1870; d. Apr. 29, 1872.

**1166.** PROF. WILLIAM PETIT TROWBRIDGE, (*Stephen V.*<sup>1071</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 25, 1828, in Troy, Mich.; died August 12, 1892, in New Haven, Conn.; married April 21, 1857, in Savannah, Ga., Lucy Parkman, daughter of Samuel Breck and Theresa (Halsey) Parkman, born May 19, 1831, in Savannah. She resides in New Haven.

William P. Trowbridge at the age of sixteen years and one month was appointed a cadet in the United States Military Academy at West Point. He stood at the head of his class at each annual examination during the four years' course at that institution, and was graduated in the Engineers with the highest honors in 1848. During the last year of the course he acted as instructor in chemistry. At his graduation he was assigned to the Corps of Topographical Engineers of the United States army. During the same year he was sent back to the military academy as assistant to Professor Bartlett in the department of philosophy, where he remained for three years. In 1851 he was detailed for duty on the United States Coast Survey under Professor Bache, a position he occupied for five years. During this period he was engaged, first in the triangulation of the coast of Maine, afterwards in the survey of the James and Appomattox rivers in Virginia, and in 1853 he was sent to the coast of California to conduct a series of tidal and magnetic observations extending from San Diego to Puget Sound, a distance of thirteen hundred miles. This duty occupied three years, and during that time, in his leisure hours, he collected several thousand specimens of the natural history of that coast, which he presented to the University of Michigan. The collection is said to be very complete and to embrace at least three-fourths of the natural history of that coast. In 1857 he resigned his commission in the army to accept the professorship of mathematics in the University of Michigan. Not finding that position just what he had anticipated, he resigned, and at the solicitation of Professor Bache accepted a civil appointment in the Coast Survey office at Washington, and remained there as his assistant until the beginning of the Civil War.

When the war broke out most of the employees of that office were of Southern sympathies and resigned, taking with them all the charts of Southern harbors. It is said that Professor Trowbridge was the only person left in the office who could prepare charts of the Southern harbors from the original field notes in the office, and for several months he was kept on that duty. He was then selected by General Totten, late engineer-in-chief of the army, to take charge of the branch office of the engineer department in New York City, where he was charged with the construction of fortifications on the East river, including the new fort at Willet's Point, opposite Fort Schuyler, the alteration and repairs of Fort Schuyler, and the alterations and repairs of the fortifications on Governor's Island. It was his duty to purchase all the engineering supplies required for the army in the East. He was charged with the construction of pontoon bridges for the armies in the field, supplying them with materials and tools for conducting siege operations and for building temporary fortifications. He had charge also of the supplies of materials, granite, brick, lumber,



*A. P. Towler*



iron and machinery for the permanent fortifications of the Atlantic coast, from Maine to New Orleans. He held this position until the close of the war.

In 1865 he was offered, without solicitation, and accepted the position of vice-president and general manager of the Novelty Iron Works, the largest manufacturing establishment in New York City, devoted to the construction of marine engines and heavy machinery of all kinds. This position he occupied until that corporation went into voluntary dissolution and the works were finally closed on account of the falling off of the steamship building business. He then, in 1870, was offered and accepted the appointment to the professorship of dynamical engineering in the Sheffield Scientific School of Yale College, New Haven, Conn. He was soon afterwards appointed a member of the New Haven Board of Harbor Commissioners, was later chosen its vice-president, and served on the board for many years. He was appointed adjutant-general of Connecticut by Gov. Charles R. Ingersoll and served in that capacity during the latter's terms of office, 1873-7. In 1877 he was offered and accepted the professorship of civil engineering in Columbia College in New York City. He held this position until his death, which occurred in New Haven, where he had made his home for many years.

Incidentally Professor Trowbridge rendered great service to the Census Bureau in gathering and arranging statistics on scientific subjects. His services were also called into requisition as consulting engineer in important matters. He designed and made the drawings for a high bridge across the East river from New York to Long Island, on the principle of what is now known as the cantilever bridge, and the design was approved by some of the most eminent engineers in the country, although a new departure in bridge building. He said at the time that he thought the next bridge across the Niagara river would be built on that principle as the conditions there were favorable for that method of construction, a prophecy soon after realized in the construction of the cantilever bridge at Niagara Falls. He was one of the commissioners appointed to examine and report upon the construction of the state capitol at Albany, and had the recommendations of that committee been followed, the state of New York would have been saved a large sum of money and secured a safe structure. He made many valuable contributions to the scientific literature of the day and was a very busy man in many fields of usefulness.

The following honorary degrees were conferred upon Professor Trowbridge: M.A. by the University of Rochester in 1856 and Yale College in 1870; LL.D. by Trinity College in 1880 and the University of Michigan in 1887. He was a member of the National Academy of Science and many other learned societies.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. KATHERINE HALSEY, b. Jan. 23, 1858; resides in New Haven, Conn.; unm.
- ii. LUCY PARKMAN, b. May 7, 1859; m. Oct. 10, 1899, Francis Gregory Ingersoll and resides in Rye, N. Y.
1281. iii. WILLIAM PETIT, b. Jan. 5, 1861.
1282. iv. SAMUEL BRECK PARKMAN, b. May 20, 1862.
- v. NANNIE BEIRNE, b. Sept. 26, 1864; resides in New Haven; unm.
- vi. PERCIVAL ELLIOTT, b. Sept. 15, 1867; d. Sept. 16, 1868.
- vii. JULIAN PERCIVAL, b. Jan. 10, 1869; d. Aug. 7, 1869.
- viii. CHARLES CHRISTOPHER, b. Apr. 26, 1870; prepared for college at Hopkins Grammar School, New Haven, and was graduated from Trinity College, Hartford, Conn., in 1892 with the degree of B.S. He is at present instructor in physics in Columbia University, New York City. He was given the honorary degree of doctor of science by Trinity College in 1908. He is a member of the Trinity Chapter of the Delta Psi fraternity. He is unmarried.

1167. REV. THILMAN CONKLING TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen V.*<sup>1071</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 28, 1831, in Troy, Mich.; died July 20, 1888, in Marash, Turkey; married May 15, 1861,

\* i-iii born in Washington, D. C.; iv in New York City; the others in Astoria, N. Y.

in Constantinople, Turkey, Margaret Riggs, daughter of Rev. Dr. Elias and Martha Jane (Dalzel) Riggs, born October 14, 1841, in Smyrna, Turkey. She resides in Aintab, Turkey.

Tillman C. Trowbridge had the fibre of his whole life set and toughened by the hardy and wholesome discipline of a frontier farmer's home, where he had the stimulus and benefit of learning to rely largely on his own efforts for the means of pursuing his studies. He fitted for college at Romeo, Mich., and entered the University of Michigan in 1848. He was graduated in 1852.\* Feeling called to the ministry, he entered Union Theological Seminary in New York City and was graduated from that institution in 1855. While in attendance there his interest became greatly aroused on the subject of foreign missions, and on his graduation he took an appointment under the American Board. He was ordained in Brooklyn, N. Y., in November, 1855, and soon after sailed for the East, reaching Constantinople early in 1856. He spent his first years of mission service in Constantinople, and then was sent on a long tour through Northern Armenia with Rev. Mr. Dunmore. In 1861 he returned to Constantinople, married, and for more than six years was in charge of the city mission work of Constantinople, interrupted only by a brief visit to America in 1866. In 1868 he removed to Marash to take part in the instruction of the Theological Seminary. In 1872 he was appointed to the work of raising funds for the college just then decided upon for Aintab, and started for England and America, where he prosecuted that work with great vigor and good success.

In 1876 he returned to Aintab and became associated in the direct management of the college, Central Turkey College, of which he was now appointed president, and to which he gave the larger part of his time, though always rendering important aid in mission work. Since that time his home was in Aintab, and, with the exception of brief visits to England to solicit funds for the college, he devoted his time and energy with inspiring zeal to promote the interests of the college and the material, moral, and religious progress of the people of Turkey. In this work his wide acquaintance with influential, wealthy and philanthropic people, his well-known integrity and good judgment, his quick and contagious sympathies, his unflinching cheerfulness and hope, gave his ready and tireless pen and his persuasive voice a very wide and effective influence, and it is not too much to say that the college owes a very large share of its present prosperity to the efforts he made in its behalf. His whole soul was wrapped up in the college, which he believed would surely become a great instrumentality in Christianizing the whole Turkish empire.

He was a regular correspondent of the London *Times*, and in his plain outspoken way he gave the English people much valuable information regarding the character of the Turkish government. In this he was most courageous, for it was perfectly well known by the Turkish authorities that he was the correspondent of the *Times*, and he knew this, and yet it never deterred him for one moment in exposing the weakness, the corruption and the horribly oppressive character of the Turkish government. He was a man of genuine piety, of quick sympathy, of broad and comprehensive purposes, of eminent and varied ability, widely known, honored and loved, an affectionate son and brother, a devoted husband and father, a faithful friend, a large-hearted philanthropist, a noble Christian man, and he left the world richer for his having lived in it.

He was taken away in the prime of life, in the midst of abundant labors. While assisting at a communion service in the city of Marash in Central Turkey, he was stricken with paralysis, and after lingering four days closed his useful and unselfish life. After public service at Marash, the body was taken to Aintab, where the funeral was held just at evening, under the shadow of the

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\* He was given the honorary degree of LL.D. by the University of Michigan in 1880.



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college building. An immense congregation of all nationalities and religions listened attentively to the tender and earnest words that were spoken, and with many expressions of grief followed the body to the grave in the corner of the college ground. So he rests under the shadow of the institution he had been so instrumental in founding, and among the people for whom he so long labored. For thirty-three years his life was one of unselfish devotion to the highest needs of his fellow-men. The gathering of 2,000 of the native population around his tomb at Aintab, many of them weeping as if they could not be comforted, told in a most impressive manner of the strong hold which he had gained in the affections of that people.\*

## CHILDREN:†

1283. i. WILLIAM RIGGS, b. Aug. 17, 1863.  
 ii. ELIZABETH MARTHA, b. Dec. 12, 1865; came to the United States in 1882. She attended Pontiac (Mich.) high school, and then entered the University of Michigan, where she took the classical and some medical courses. In 1888 she entered the training school for nurses in connection with Bellevue Hospital, New York City, where she took the full course and was graduated in 1893. She went to Turkey under the Woman's Board of Missions, and is now head nurse in the Azariah Smith Memorial Hospital at Aintab, Turkey. She is unmarried.  
 iii. EMMA RAY, b. Jan. 11, 1868; d. Dec. 21, 1869, in Marash, Turkey.  
 1284. iv. EDWARD DWIGHT, b. Oct. 1, 1870.  
 v. ISABELLA BLISS, b. Aug. 12, 1876; came to the United States in 1895; attended Ferry Hall Seminary, Lake Forest, Ill., for one year; and was graduated at Vassar College in 1900; m. John Merrill and resides in Constantinople, Turkey.  
 1285. vi. STEPHEN VAN RENSSELAER, b. May 28, 1881.

**1168.** GUY MAXWELL TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>1971</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1022</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 31, 1834, in Troy, Mich.; died December 25, 1900, in Pontiac, Mich.; married October 15, 1855, in Schodack, N. Y., Emily Ostrander, daughter of Simeon and Hannah (Fellows) Ostrander, born May 24, 1836, in Chatham, N. Y. She resides in Ionia, Mich.

Guy M. Trowbridge settled on a farm in Troy, Mich., near the old homestead, where he could be near his parents in case of need, and when his father died he went to the old home to care for and cheer the declining years of his mother. He was one of the prominent men of Oakland county, where he had always lived. He was for twenty years supervisor of Troy township and seven years deputy collector of internal revenue. He also served several terms on the Michigan Board of Control of Railroads. He was president of the Citizens Fire Insurance Company of Macomb and Oakland counties from its organization. He was an influential member of the Grange and held an important position in that organization up to the time of his death. He was prominent in the Oakland County Pioneer Society and was one of its most faithful members. He was active in religious affairs and was for over fifty years a member of the Presbyterian church in Troy and an elder for many years, having been chosen to that office in 1859 as the successor of his father.

Mr. Trowbridge was at all times an honored and respected resident of Oakland county, and was a man of sterling integrity. He enjoyed a host of friends, not only among the pioneers, but also with the younger generation with whom he had long been a favorite. In all his public life he was faithful, intelligent and honest. In the sometimes delicate and difficult duties connected with the revenue office he was so fair, so honest, and so just, that he gained the con-

\* Extracts from a notice prepared by Dr. Fuller of Central Turkey College.

† i-iii born in Constantinople, Turkey; iv in Marash, Turkey; v in London, England; vi in Aintab, Turkey.

fidence of all with whom he was brought in contact. All who knew him were united in commending him as an honest, earnest, whole-souled, generous Christian man, whose greatest pleasure in this life was making others happy, and whose noble life has been an inspiration to many.

## CHILDREN :

- i. CAROLINE ELIZABETH, b. July 16, 1859, in Schodack, N. Y.; m. Feb. 20, 1890, Gordon Archibald Benedict and resides in Ionia, Mich.
1286. ii. LOUIS OSTRANDER, b. July 8, 1861, in Troy, Mich.
- iii. EMILY PAULINE, b. Apr. 10, 1876, in Troy; is a trained nurse in Harper Hospital, Detroit, Mich.; unm.

**1169.** GEN. LUTHER STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE (*Stephen*<sup>1071</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 28, 1836, in Troy, Mich.; resides in Detroit, Mich.; married April 8, 1862, in Detroit, Julia Maria Buel, daughter of Hon. Alexander Woodruff and Mary Ann (Ackley) Buel, born May 17, 1841, in Detroit.

Luther S. Trowbridge after a thorough preparation in the schools of Michigan entered Yale College in the Class of 1857, but was compelled in the latter part of his junior year, through the partial loss of his eyesight, to abandon his studies for the time being and return to his home. He was subsequently, in 1866, granted a diploma from Yale with the degree of M.A. and his name was placed on the roll of his class. In the autumn of 1856, however, he began the study of law in the office of Sidney D. Miller of Detroit, and was admitted to the bar in 1858. In the following year he formed a partnership with Hon. Alexander W. Buel, which existed until 1862, at which time he entered the army as major of the 5th Michigan Cavalry, being commissioned September 2, 1862. He went with his regiment to the Army of the Potomac, and participated in the stirring scenes of the Gettysburg campaign, taking a prominent part in the severe cavalry fight on the right flank of the army in the battle of Gettysburg, and having a horse killed under him while leading a charge of his battalion.\*

On August, 25, 1863, while convalescing from a violent fever with which he had been stricken following the Gettysburg campaign, he was promoted to the rank of lieutenant-colonel of the 10th Michigan Cavalry, with which regiment he went to Kentucky and East Tennessee. His services in East Tennessee were important and laborious, but not such as to attract public attention. Scouting and skirmishing were the order of the day, but in addition to that he was directed to finish a partially constructed field fortification intended for the protection of a large railroad bridge at Strawberry Plains. Upon examination of the work he discovered a serious mistake in its plan. Had it been completed as laid out, the enemy could have placed their batteries on any one of four or five elevations within easy range, without coming under any fire from this work. Upon reporting the mistake, he was directed to change the plan of the work as suggested by him, which he did. The wisdom of the change was demonstrated twice afterwards when the place was attacked, once by General Wheeler with his cavalry corps of 6,000 men, and once by General Breckenridge with a mixed force of cavalry, infantry and artillery of about 5,500. The fort was successfully defended in the first case by 125 men of the 10th Michigan Cavalry with a section of a field battery in the redoubt referred to, and in the second case by 700 men and a section of artillery. In both cases the work of the artillery was most excellent, but had this fort, or redoubt, been completed as originally laid out they would have been useless, as they could not have reached the enemy's guns without going out into the open field and losing all the benefit of the protection of the fortifications.

\* This sketch is mainly a reprint of one in "Landmarks of Detroit."



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On July 25, 1864, Colonel Trowbridge was promoted to the colonelcy of his regiment. In January, 1865, he was appointed provost marshal general of East Tennessee, relieving Gen. S. P. Couter. He served in that capacity for two months, when, at his own request, he was relieved to take command of his regiment in the expedition under General Stoneman into Virginia and through the Carolinas, destroying railroads, capturing military supplies of all kinds, and inflicting great damage upon the Confederate cause. It was a notable expedition, for sixty-nine days subsisting on the enemy's country, without any base of supplies, marching nearly 2,000 miles, breaking up very thoroughly more than 125 miles of railroad, capturing vast quantities of supplies of ammunition, camp and garrison equipage, quartermaster commissary and medical stores, the city of Salisbury with its great quantity of stores, nineteen pieces of artillery and more than 1,100 prisoners. Continuing its march in the pursuit of Jefferson Davis, the expedition passed into Georgia, across Alabama, and up to the Tennessee river at Guntersville, where it took cars for East Tennessee, after an absence of sixty-nine days. Upon returning to Tennessee Colonel Trowbridge was assigned to the command of a cavalry brigade, and remained in that position until the close of the war and the expiration of his three years' term of service. He was brevetted brigadier-general and major-general of U. S. volunteers to date from June 15, 1865, for faithful and meritorious services. He was mustered out and honorably discharged September 1, 1865.

General Trowbridge resided in Knoxville, Tenn., from the close of the war until 1868, when he returned to Detroit, where he has since resided. In 1873 he was appointed by Governor Bazley inspector-general of Michigan state troops, a position which he held for four years. In 1875, without his previous knowledge, he was appointed collector of internal revenue for the First District of Michigan, holding that position until the spring of 1883. Under his administration the office assumed a degree of perfection which placed it in the first class of revenue offices of the United States, and it was a matter of public regret, and the cause of considerable disturbance in the Republican party of Michigan and other states, when he was asked, for no cause assigned, to resign in 1883.

Always a staunch Republican, true to his party's principles, faithful to the public trusts, a brave soldier, and a man of the strictest integrity of character, General Trowbridge has won the confidence and unqualified esteem of his fellow citizens. In July, 1883, he was appointed controller of the city of Detroit, resigning that position January 1, 1886, to accept the vice-presidency of the Wayne County Savings Bank of Detroit. After a service of four years and a half he resigned and accepted the position of private secretary to Hon. Luther Beecher, and upon the death of Mr. Beecher in 1892 was appointed one of the administrators of his estate. General Trowbridge now holds the office of appraiser in the U. S. Custom House at Detroit.

General Trowbridge is treasurer of the Detroit College of Medicine. He is a member of the Michigan Club, the Loyal Legion, of which he is one of the past commanders, and the G. A. R. He is also a member of the Yale chapter of the Alpha Delta Phi fraternity. In 1905 he compiled and published a "History of the 10th Michigan Cavalry." He was a member of Presbyterian and Congregational churches from the age of sixteen until 1883, then becoming a member of Christ Episcopal Church of Detroit.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DETROIT, MICH.:

- i. CLARA BUEL, b. Nov. 26, 1863; m. Oct. 14, 1886, Charles May Swift and resides in Detroit.
- ii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 28, 1866; resides in Detroit; unm.
1287. iii. ALEXANDER BUEL, b. Sept. 3, 1868.
- iv. MARGARET RIGGS, b. Sept. 6, 1872; m. Oct. 21, 1897, Charles Atwater Ricks and resides in Cleveland, Ohio.

- v. LUTHER STEPHEN, b. July 2, 1875; was graduated from Yale University with the degree of B.A. in 1897. He read law, was admitted to the bar, and is practicing his profession in his native city. He is unmarried.
- vi. JULIA ACKLEY, b. Feb. 20, 1878; resides in Detroit; unm.
- vii. EDMUND ROSS, b. Apr. 22, 1880; d. Mar. 1, 1895.

**1170.** MAJ. CHARLES FREDERICK TROWBRIDGE (*Charles C.*<sup>1072</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 12, 1837, in Detroit, Mich.; died February 9, 1878, in Ann Arbor, Mich.; married July 6, 1863, in Ann Arbor, Clara White Brigham, daughter of Dr. Philip Storey and Sophronia (Smith) Brigham, born February 22, 1842, in Ann Arbor. She married, second, February 6, 1883, in Detroit, Col. John Garland James, president of the State A. and M. College of Texas, and resides in Roff, Okla.

Charles F. Trowbridge entered the University of Michigan and was graduated from the literary department in 1860 and from the law department in 1861. He then entered the law office of Lothrop & Duffield in Detroit. At the outbreak of the Civil War he responded to President Lincoln's call for three months' troops. He enlisted in April, 1861, in the 1st Michigan Infantry, and the following month was appointed its sergeant-major and acting second lieutenant. On May 14, 1861, he was appointed a first lieutenant in the 16th U. S. Infantry. He was appointed aide-de-camp to General Porter to September, 1862 (brevet captain July 4, 1862), and was engaged at the battle of first Bull Run, the siege of Yorktown, the battle of Williamsburg, the Seven Days' Fight, and the battles of Malvern Hill and Antietam. He was appointed aide-de-camp to General Averill to September, 1863, and was engaged in the expedition of Kelly's Ford, the battle of Piedmont, the action of Hartwood Church, the pursuit of Confederates to Kelly's Ford, the battle of Kelly's Ford, Stoneman's raid, the battle of Fredericksburg, and the actions of Rocky Gap and Lewisburg.

He was appointed a captain in the 16th U. S. Infantry January 13, 1863, joined the regiment, and was engaged at the battle of Missionary Ridge, the reconnoissance to Buzzard's Roost and Tunnel Hill, and the battles of Jonesboro and Atlanta. During the march to Atlanta under Sherman, and by battle and sickness, his regiment was reduced to sixty men, and he was ordered back to Chattanooga on the sick list. He was appointed provost marshal of division, 14th Army Corps, to September, 1864. On September 1, 1864, he was appointed brevet major in the 16th U. S. Infantry, for gallant and meritorious services at the battle of Kelly's Ford, Va., and during the Atlanta campaign. He was with his regiment to March, 1865, and was regimental recruiting officer to September, 1866. He then rejoined his regiment and was on duty in Georgia. The 16th Infantry was consolidated with the 2d Infantry on March 3, 1869, and Major Trowbridge was transferred to it on April 17, 1869. He had never fully recovered from the sickness contracted on the march at Atlanta, and was finally certified to the retired list, but never regularly retired. In 1872 he went to Ann Arbor, Mich., where he resided until his death.

#### CHILDREN:

- i. KATHERINE SIBLEY, b. June 7, 1866, in Worcester, Mass.; resides with her mother; unm.
- ii. ANNETTE PEABODY, b. June 10, 1869, in Huntsville, Ala.; m. Feb. 18, 1892, Cabell Carrington Kinney and resides in Dallas, Tex.
- iii. PHILIP BRIGHAM, b. Dec. 9, 1871, in Huntsville; d. Sept. 26, 1872, in Detroit, Mich.

**1171.** WILLIAM FREDERICK TROWBRIDGE (*William F.*<sup>1074</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>1034</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 24, 1820, in Worcester, Mass.; died January 14, 1893, in Hudson, Mass.; married October 15,



*C. F. Howland*  
*16<sup>th</sup> Infy. U. S. A.*





1846, in Feltonville,\* Mass., Eliza Hutchinson Stuart, daughter of Silas and Susan (Emms) Stuart, born May 11, 1824, in Boston, Mass. She resides in Hudson.

William F. Trowbridge was brought up in Feltonville (Hudson), Mass., where he learned the shoemaking trade and was engaged in shoe manufacturing the remainder of his life. On October 1, 1850, he and Capt. Francis Brigham formed a partnership for the manufacture of shoes, under the firm name of F. Brigham & Co. They first carried on business in a wooden shop, later, in 1858, moving into a brick shop, which has since been burned. Mr. Trowbridge withdrew from the firm in 1866, and from that time carried on business by himself.

Mr. Trowbridge was one of the first two selectmen elected at the first town meeting held March 31, 1866, after the incorporation of the town of Hudson. He was prominent in town affairs, was a representative to the Massachusetts General Court, and held town offices almost continually until his death.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HUDSON,† MASS.:

1288. i. FREDERICK WILLIAM, b. June 15, 1849.  
 ii. BLANCHE, b. Dec. 5, 1852; m. Mar. 25, 1875, Thomas Mayhew Hathaway and resides in Hudson.  
 iii. STELLA STUART, b. Oct. 15, 1859; d. July 23, 1864.  
 iv. ELLSWORTH, b. Dec. 14, 1861; d. July 24, 1864.

**1172.** JOSEPH STEVENS TROWBRIDGE (*William F.*<sup>1074</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>1034</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), changed his name to JOSEPH STEVENS BRADLEY, born May 20, 1823, in Worcester, Mass.; resides in Hudson, Mass.; married, first, about 1845, Lucy Phillips. He married, second, March 4, 1857, in Charlestown, Mass., Lucy Ann Sawyer, daughter of Seth and Susanna (Frost) Sawyer, born October 7, 1827, in Charlestown; died September 10, 1893, in Hudson. He married, third, February 9, 1898, May E. Stevens.

Joseph S. Bradley‡ when three years of age was brought by his parents to Marlborough, Mass., and at the age of seven came to live with an aunt in Feltonville (now Hudson), Mass. He was able to devote only a very short time to acquiring the rudiments of education. He entered the shoe factory of Lorenzo Stratton and before he was twelve years old he had learned to make a whole shoe. Later on he worked in Stephen Pope's tannery, splitting leather, and learned to know leather thoroughly, becoming in time a practical shoemaker. When he was sixteen he worked for a time for Capt. Francis Brigham in Feltonville. At the age of seventeen he determined to see something of the world and he started for New Orleans. Learning that there was yellow fever there, he turned northward, and went to Saratoga Springs, N. Y., in the summer of 1841. He worked at his trade there from June to December. He then went to Ottawa, Canada, where he passed the winter. Tiring of a nomadic life, he returned to Feltonville and worked at his trade there, and in Worcester, Woburn, and neighboring places until 1850.

On October 1 of that year he began business on his own account in company with Capt. Francis Brigham and William F. Trowbridge, his brother, under the firm name of F. Brigham & Co., which became successful. Mr. Trowbridge withdrew from the firm in 1866 and Messrs. W. F. and W. B. Brigham came in. The firm continued until April 1, 1880, when Mr. Bradley withdrew to enter into a co-partnership with Henry R. Sayward of Cambridge, Mass. The firm name is Bradley & Sayward and occupies a large factory in Hudson, Mass., and

\* Now Hudson.

† Then Feltonville.

‡ The following sketch is condensed from a sketch of Mr. Bradley in the "History of Middlesex County, Mass."

a somewhat smaller one in Dover, N. H. The firm is one of the strongest and most active concerns in Massachusetts. No manufactory in Hudson runs more steadily or with less friction. Their goods are sold mostly in the South and Southwest, but their customers are found in twenty-eight states.

Mr. Bradley's time has not been given entirely to his own business. Prior to the incorporation of the town he served upon several committees seeking to accomplish the desired change, and was a member of the committee of five on the part of Hudson to make a final separation from Bolton. He was elected the first representative from Hudson in 1867, and during that year had the most important matters to handle that has ever been before the legislature in which Hudson interests were solely concerned. In 1870 he was elected town treasurer, and served continuously in that position until the election in 1890, when he declined longer to hold the office. During the period that he held this office he succeeded in placing the finances of the town on a more satisfactory basis than they had been previously. In 1877 he was elected a member of the board of selectmen, but declined a re-election the following year.

Mr. Bradley has always been connected with the banking interests of Hudson, and has been for many years a vice-president and one of the board of investment of the Hudson Savings Bank. He declined an election as president of the Hudson National Bank, but has been for many years a member of its directorate. He has also occupied prominent places in other organizations both at home and abroad. He has always been a believer in the Unitarian faith and a steady supporter of its church. He has long enjoyed a reputation for business ability and strict integrity. He is a lover of standard books and has not lost his liking for travel.

CHILDREN BORN IN HUDSON, MASS.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. WALTER, b. ———, 1846; d. ———.
- ii. MARY EVA, b. May 2, 1847; m. Frederick S. Dawes and resides in Hudson.
- iii. ELIZABETH, b. ———; d. ———.
- iv. JANE, b. ———; d. ———.
- v. FRANK, b. ———; d. ———.

*By second marriage:\**

- vi. SUSAN, b. ———; d. ———.

1173. FREDERICK WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*William F.*<sup>1074</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>1034</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 1, 1841, in Hull, Canada; resides in Hudson, Mass.; married, first, May 1, 1870, in Hudson, Ellen Theresa Pope, daughter of Daniel Folger and Maria (Cox) Pope, born September 1, 1846, in Hudson; died March 13, 1876, in Hudson. He married, second, December 19, 1878, in Hudson, Emma Elizabeth Randall, daughter of Jonathan and Elizabeth Russell (Brigham) Randall, born August 24, 1851, in Hudson.

Frederick W. Trowbridge at the age of nineteen entered the army in the Civil War. He enlisted May 25, 1861, for three years in Company C, 1st Massachusetts Infantry, and was discharged May 25, 1864. He re-enlisted December 31, 1864, in Company L, 3d Massachusetts Cavalry, and was discharged September 1, 1865. During his two terms of service he participated in fifty-two battles and skirmishes, and was twice wounded, at Fredericksburg and second Bull Run.

Mr. Trowbridge learned the shoemaker's trade at an early age. He resides in Hudson, Mass., where he holds the position of foreman with F. Brigham & Co., shoe manufacturers.

CHILD BORN IN HUDSON, MASS.:

*By first marriage:†*

1289. i. WILLIAM FREDERICK, b. Oct. 20, 1872.

\* No children by third marriage.

† No children by second marriage.

**1174.** AUGUSTUS SINNOCK TROWBRIDGE (*William F.*<sup>1074</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>1034</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 27, 1844, in Hull, Canada; resides in South Framingham, Mass.; married September 18, 1873, in Hopedale, Mass. Ada Whipple, daughter of Cyrus and Delight (Cushman) Whipple, born October 14, 1853, in Groton, Conn.

Augustus S. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Feltonville (now Hudson), Mass. He went into a shoe factory at the age of twelve years, and went all through the various departments. He settled in Hudson after his marriage. He removed to Dorchester, Mass., in 1879, and later resided in Dedham and Milford, Mass., before coming to South Framingham, Mass., his present residence. He was superintendent of a shoe factory in Milford for twenty-two years and was for three years a shoe manufacturer on his own account. He is at present engaged in the retail shoe business in South Framingham.

Mr. Trowbridge is a veteran of the Civil War. He enlisted for one year and was mustered September 16, 1862, and was appointed sergeant in Company I, 5th Massachusetts Infantry. He was discharged July 2, 1863. He re-enlisted for three years and was mustered March 11, 1864, and was appointed corporal in the 16th Battery, Massachusetts Light Artillery. He was discharged June 27, 1865. He became first lieutenant and then captain of Company I (the Hudson Light Guard), 5th Regiment of Massachusetts militia. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity and was for three years master of Doric Lodge, F. and A. M., of Hudson. He is also a member of the A. O. U. W. and the G. A. R.

## CHILDREN:

- i. JEANNETTE, b. Aug. 17, 1874, in Hudson, Mass.
- ii. AGNES, b. Mar. 15, 1879, in Hudson.
1290. iii. ARTHUR SINNOCK, b. Dec. 6, 1880, in Dorchester, Mass.

**1175.** JOSEPH ADDISON TROWBRIDGE (*Ephraim*<sup>1075</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>1034</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 20, 1820, in Marlborough, Mass.; died October 3, 1905, in Worcester, Mass.; married, first, October 11, 1842, in Stowe, Mass., Lucinda Maria Warren, daughter of Levi and Lucinda (Hale) Warren, born February 1, 1823, in Stowe; died November 10, 1846, in Southborough, Mass. He married, second, May 19, 1847, in Granby, Mass., Mary Emelia Ayres Clark, daughter of Augustus and Mary (Ayres) Clark, born December 28, 1824, in Granby; died December 25, 1900, in Westborough, Mass.

Joseph A. Trowbridge was for many years a merchant tailor in Southborough, Mass. He retired from business in late middle life and resided for a time in Westborough, Mass. After the death of his wife he went to live with his youngest daughter in Worcester, Mass., where he died about five years later.

Mr. Trowbridge was in business in Westborough during the Civil War and he attended to the cutting of the uniforms for Company K, 13th Massachusetts Infantry, the first company raised in the town, which left for the front in June, 1861. He was treasurer of the Leicester Piano Company of Westborough, which was incorporated in 1880 and carried on a prosperous business for a number of years.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SOUTHBOROUGH, MASS.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. MARIA LOUISA, b. Feb. 9, 1845; m. May 31, 1866, Lewis Pennel Day and resides in Westborough, Mass.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. MARY SUSANNE AYRES, b. July 20, 1848; m. May 24, 1871, William Walker Johnson and resides in Worcester, Mass.

1176. CHARLES NELSON TROWBRIDGE (*Luther*<sup>1076</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>1034</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 3, 1829, in Stowe, Mass.; died August 30, 1871, in Boston, Mass.; married September 1, 1860, in Boston, Isabel Lampan, daughter of Hiram and Diana (Sumrix) Lampau, born in Scranton Falls, Vt. She resides in Boston.

Charles N. Trowbridge was a clerk in a dry goods house in New York City and later held the same position in Boston, Mass.

NO CHILDREN.

1177. JOHN HASTINGS TROWBRIDGE (*Luther*<sup>1076</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>1034</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 3, 1833, in Stowe, Mass.; resides in Newark, N. J.; married, first, October 8, 1853, in Worcester, Mass., Calista S. Grow, born February —, 1835, in Westford, Vt.; died May 28, 1873, in New Haven, Conn. He married, second, June 10, 1876, in New York City, Anna Elizabeth Purdy, daughter of David Morgan and Agnes Christina (Adamson) Purdy, born January 20, 1851, in New York City.

John H. Trowbridge is a machinist. In the course of following his trade he has lived in Roxbury, Mass., 1853-56; New Haven, Conn., 1857-73; and New York City, 1874-80; before coming to Newark, N. J., his present residence. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity.

CHILDREN :\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. FRANK ROSWELL, b. Mar. 29, 1855.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. June 11, 1877; is a music teacher; resides with her parents; unm.
- iii. CHARLES SUMNER, b. July 3, 1878; is a machinist in Newark, N. J.
- iv. LOTTIE MAY, b. Sept. 9, 1879; resides with her parents; unm.
- v. JOHN HASTINGS, b. Nov. 16, 1882; is a clerk; resides with his parents; unm.
- vi. HATTIE LEONA, b. Feb. 8, 1884; is an artist; resides with her parents; unm.
- vii. ANNA ETHELYN, b. Mar. 30, 1890.

1178. LEONARD HUMASON TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>1077</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 27, 1827, in Houseville, N. Y.; died November 11, 1887, in Delta, Ohio; married June 19, 1851, in Delta, Belinda Clapper, daughter of John and Catharine (Hesser) Clapper, born November 1, 1834, in Hayesville, Ohio. She resides in Delta.

Leonard H. Trowbridge came at the age of seven years with his parents to Delta, Ohio. He grew up on the farm and continued farming until late in life. He settled after his marriage in Delta. In 1865 he purchased the Dunbar farm in Pike township and moved upon it. In the spring of 1883 he sold this farm and moved to Delta village, where he resided until his death.

Mr. Trowbridge saw all the developments of that part of the country, from forest, prairie and swamp, to productive fields, fine mansions, thriving villages, churches, schoolhouses, and railroads, telegraph and telephone facilities, and he bore his part in that development faithfully. He was a member of the United Brethren church in Delta.

CHILDREN :†

- i. ALFRED HENRY, b. July 22, 1852; d. Aug. 11, 1852.
- ii. ADELAIDE VANDORA, b. Sept. 25, 1853; d. Feb. 19, 1871, in Pike, Ohio; unm.
- iii. ALICE ORA, b. Feb. 15, 1856; m. Jan. 12, 1881, Ira Koos of Delta, Ohio.
- iv. ELDORA, b. Dec. 15, 1858; m. ———, 1877, Luther Shadle of Ottokee, Ohio.
- v. NETTIE, b. July 1, 1860; m. Feb. 1, 1879, Frank Meeker and resides in Lyons, Ohio.

\* i born in Roxbury, Mass.; ii-iv in New York City; v-vii in Newark, N. J.

† i-vii born in Delta, Ohio; viii-x in Pike, Ohio.

- vi. LA MONTE, b. Nov. 14, 1862; was born and reared on the farm where his grandfather first settled when he came to Ohio, half a mile west of Delta. He was never possessed of robust health, but at the age of eighteen prepared himself for teaching. He followed that profession in the country schools of the county for a number of years, and then accepted the position of teacher in the grammar department of the Delta high school. He held that position four years, when he decided to enter another field of labor. He went to Toledo, Ohio, and took a commercial course, after which he accepted a position as freight inspector for the Michigan Central railroad in that city, holding it until shortly before his death, which occurred July 9, 1892, in Delta; umm. He was a member of Fulton Lodge, No. 248, F. and A. M., and Octavius Waters Chapter, No. 154, R. A. M. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church and was highly esteemed by all who knew him.
- vii. WILLIAM SHERMAN, b. Nov. 1, 1864; was born and brought up on the farm on which his grandfather settled, half a mile west of Delta. He worked on the farm until 1887, when he went to work as a fireman on the Lake Shore railroad, continuing in that employ two years. He then returned home to oversee the farm. In 1895 he went into the harness and hardware business, but this proved too confining and his health became very poor, so he sold out in 1898 and went out on his farm again. He resides on his 80 acre farm near Delta. He is recognized as a man of character and honesty. He is a member of the Knights of Pythias. He is unmarried.
- viii. EMMA EDITH, b. Nov. 30, 1868; d. Sept. 13, 1870.
- ix. ADA MAY, b. Aug. 17, 1871; m. Dec. 25, 1897, Yuba Edward Downing and resides in Toledo, Ohio.
- x. HARVEY LINN, b. Nov. 19, 1875; d. Feb. 24, 1878.

**1179. JAMES McCLAIN TROWBRIDGE** (*Elisha*<sup>1077</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 14, 1835, in Delta, Ohio; resides in Kansas City, Mo.; married November 2, 1865, in ———, Amanda Rachel Conkling.\*

James M. Trowbridge was a soldier in the Civil War. Soon after leaving the army he married and settled in Illinois. He was engaged in farming for a number of years, and later has been moving around to a considerable extent. He resides at present in Kansas City, Mo.

## CHILDREN: †

- i. FRANK SHERMAN, b. June 20, 1866.  
 ii. MARY VICTORIA, b. May 11, 1868.  
 iii. Son.  
 iv. Daughter.  
 v. Daughter.

**1180. JOHN SUMNER TROWBRIDGE** (*Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 18, 1816, in Edinburgh, N. Y.; died February 11, 1905, in Delta, Ohio; married, first, February 2, 1840, in Delta, Hannah Amelia Hampton, daughter of Jonathan and Abigail (Harrison) Hampton, born November 18, 1821, in Lancaster, Ohio; died February 25, 1885, in Delta. He married, second, April 20, 1887, in Toledo, Ohio, Jennette Van Pelt, daughter of Anthony and Hannah (Reynolds) Van Pelt, born January 28, 1841, near Tiffin, Ohio. She resides in Delta.

J. Sumner Trowbridge emigrated at about the age of eighteen years with his father to Ohio. After his marriage he settled on a farm that his father gave him near Delta. He lived there until past middle life, when he moved into Delta to reside. He was a prosperous farmer and merchant.

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† One son and one daughter died in infancy.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DELTA, OHIO :

*By first marriage.\**

1291. i. MARTIN HENRY, b. July 12, 1841.  
 ii. EMMA JANE, b. Dec. 24, 1842; m. Nov. 24, 1864, Byron Howe and resides in McLouth, Kan.  
 iii. MARY OCTAVIA, b. Jan. 11, 1845; d. Oct. 3, 1845.  
 1292. iv. WILLARD OSCAR, b. Oct. 15, 1846.  
 1293. v. IRVING HINTON, b. Mar. 16, 1849.  
 vi. ADALINE AMELIA, b. May 30, 1851; m. Eugene Coleman of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.  
 vii. ELEANOR ELIZA, b. Nov. 15, 1853; m. Edward C. Crosby and resides in Sycamore, Ohio.†  
 1294. viii. CHARLES SUMNER, b. Nov. 15, 1857.  
 ix. JULIA MYRTIE, b. Apr. 6, 1862; m. Daniel B. Raber of Delta.†

1181. ANSON TROWBRIDGE (*Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 1, 1822, in Houseville, N. Y.; died August 17, 1888, in Toledo, Ohio; married, first, October 26, 1853, in Delaware, Ohio, Charlotte Elizabeth (Avery) Rowland, widow of Dr. Edward Rowland and daughter of Frederick and Lydia Matilda (Chamberlain) Avery, born April 18, 1822, in Delaware; died August 18, 1864, in Toledo. He married, second, March 13, 1869, in Detroit, Mich., Betsey Ann (Robertson) Morrill, widow of Charles Morrill of Sheboygan, Wis., and daughter of Rowland and Betsey (Trowbridge (No. 1035, i)) Robertson, born December 11, 1824, in Edinburgh, N. Y.; died February 25, 1886, in Toledo.

Anson Trowbridge went in boyhood with his father to Delta, Ohio. He was educated at the Ohio Wesleyan University at Delaware, Ohio, although he was not a graduate of that institution, illness during the latter part of his senior year preventing him from taking a degree. After leaving college he was engaged in teaching school for several years. He then removed to Toledo, Ohio. He resided there the remainder of his life and filled several clerkships in mercantile houses in that city.

## CHILD BORN IN TOLEDO, OHIO :

*By first marriage.\**

- i. MARY ROBERTSON, b. Sept. 24, 1858; is a music teacher (piano); resides in Toledo; unm.

1182. ALLEN SMITH TROWBRIDGE (*Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 3, 1825, in Houseville, N. Y.; resides in Delta, Ohio; married, first, July 6, 1851, in Delta, Amanda Fairchild, daughter of Francis and Abigail (Van Dyke) Fairchild, born January 5, 1829, in Raisinville, Mich.; died January 26, 1873, in Delta. He married, second, November 23, 1873, in North Adams, Mich., Albina Victoria Kempton, daughter of David Brown and Ann (Reed) Kempton, born June 12, 1837, in Hampden, Me.

Allen S. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his father to Ohio. He was brought up on his father's farm in Delta, and has resided in that town ever since, being engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DELTA, OHIO :

*By first marriage:*

1295. i. NEWTON EDGAR, b. July 17, 1852.  
 ii. ADILLAI EUPHEMIA, b. Sept. 19, 1854; m. Dec. 24, 1878, Ellis Corson and resides in Holland, Ohio.

\* No children by second marriage.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.





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- iii. FIDELIA DELOTIA, b. Aug. 11, 1857; m. Feb. 27, 1878, William Scott Marshall and resides in Boom, Mich.
- iv. MARY EVA, b. Aug. 25, 1860; m., 1st, Charles Skinner; m., 2d, Charles Hubbell and resides in Newark, N. J.\*
- v. WILLARD JAMES, b. Sept. 11, 1870; d. May 22, 1880.

*By second marriage:*

- 1296. vi. CARL DAVID, b. Nov. 24, 1874.

**1183.** CORNELIUS TROWBRIDGE (*Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 20, 1828, in Houseville, N. Y.; resides in Waldo, Fla.; married December 30, 1849, in Delta, Ohio, Celina Minerva Bradley, daughter of Alanson and Mary (Hubbard) Bradley, born August 21, 1830, in Volney, N. Y.

Cornelius Trowbridge came in childhood with his father to Ohio and was brought up on his farm in Delta. He settled there after his marriage, cleared a farm, and engaged in farming. In 1855 he sold the farm he had begun and bought more land, wholly woods, cleared it up and made a fine farm on which he built good buildings. He was living there at the outbreak of the Civil War.

He enlisted November 9, 1863, for three years in Company I, 38th Ohio Infantry. His regiment was assigned to Sherman's army and started from Ringgold, Ga., May 1, 1864. The portion of the army that he was in was fighting, or within hearing of fighting, until September 1, when the decisive battle that gained Atlanta was fought at Jonesborough, twenty-one miles below that city. He was wounded and supposed to be dead, and was carried back from the field and placed with the dead, but next morning when men came to bury the dead they found him alive, and he was then taken to the field hospital and cared for. He was ill a long time, and on his partial recovery was appointed ward master of the Crittendon Hospital in Louisville, Ky., and served in that capacity until the close of the war. He was mustered out June 26, 1865.

Mr. Trowbridge continued farming in Delta until 1878, when he sold his farm and went to Illinois, where he bought 160 acres of improved land. He lived there fifteen years, and then sold out and came to Waldo, Fla., his present residence.

CHILDREN BORN IN DELTA, OHIO:

- 1297. i. JULIUS ORLANDO, b. Dec. 26, 1850.
- 1298. ii. ALFRED EMERTON, b. Jan. 16, 1854.
- iii. MARTHA ANNETTE, b. May 7, 1867; d. Sept. 27, 1868.

**1184.** REV. LUTHER HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 10, 1833, in Houseville, N. Y.; died December 18, 1904, in Los Angeles, Cal.; married June 14, 1860, in Kalamazoo, Mich., Mary Elizabeth Day, daughter of Rev. Gershom Bulkley and Elizabeth (Benjamin) Day, born October 2, 1840, in Sturgis, Mich. She resides in New York City.

Luther H. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Ohio and grew to manhood on his father's farm in Delta. He pursued studies in Maumee City, and later, with Professor Page, removed to Kalamazoo College and was graduated from the classical department of that institution in 1860. The following year he was ordained to the ministry, being the first and only pastor of the newly organized church in Three Rivers, Mich. There he built a fine church edifice and increased the membership in eight years from thirty members to over four hundred. During the Civil War he was appointed chaplain of the 11th Michigan Infantry, but was not mustered.

He resigned his pastorate in Three Rivers in 1869 to accept the financial secretaryship of Kalamazoo College. In 1870 he founded the new series of

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

the *Christian Herald*, published in Detroit, Mich., official organ of the Michigan Baptist State Convention. He was editor and proprietor of this paper for over thirty-two years, owning its building and printing plant. His health failing, he retired from active business in the summer of 1902, and later went with his wife to California. He died about two years later in Los Angeles.

The following paragraph is excerpted from his funeral sermon preached by Rev. Robert J. Burdette in the Temple Baptist Church in Los Angeles.

"'Well done, good and faithful servant.' Sweetly these words fell upon the soul of this man as he looked upon the face of his Lord. For all the years of his life he had served, faithfully, tirelessly, joyfully. When at last his hand fell from the plough, low broad and abundant were the fields of his tillage. When the lightning carried the news throughout the breadth of this land last Sabbath that Luther Trowbridge had entered into rest, a thrill of sorrow ran through a hundred veins of Christian activity. In every department of Christian work in the Baptist denomination his voice had been heard, his hand had been felt, for nearly half a century of zeal and devotion. In our educational institutions, in every department of missions, home and foreign, in the work of the great publication society, in the pulpit and on the rostrum, in the councils of Christian organizations, among the leaders of great movements, and serving as zealously and happily with the rank and file, all his life he was a living power in the church of God."

As a memorial to her husband, Mrs. Trowbridge in 1905 deeded her home in Detroit to Kalamazoo College.\*

NO CHILDREN.

**1185.** WILLIAM CHESTER TROWBRIDGE (*Alanson*<sup>1079</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 13, 1824, in Edinburgh, N. Y.; resides in Delta, Ohio; married January 17, 1858, in Delta, Amanda Barnes Waldron, daughter of Jesse and Charlotte (Hoagland) Waldron, born October 15, 1837, in Allegan, Mich.

William C. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Delta, Ohio, and settled there after his marriage. He was for many years engaged in business there as a carpenter and joiner. He retired from active business about fifteen years ago.

CHILDREN BORN IN DELTA, OHIO:

- i. JAMES FRANCIS, b. Nov. 11, 1859; d. Jan. 26, 1860.
- ii. GEORGE ALBERT, b. Feb. 23, 1860; is a farmer in Delta; unm.
- iii. ARVILLA, b. Mar. 19, 1863; m. June 26, 1881, Arthur Otis William Smith and resides in Cleveland, Ohio.
- iv. FRANCIS CLARK, b. June 17, 1865; d. July 27, 1865.
- v. MARY ADELLA, b. Aug. 12, 1866; m. May 5, 1891, Jerome Clark Benjamin and resides in Rock Creek, Ohio.

\* Mrs. Mary E. D. Trowbridge pursued a course of study in Kalamazoo College and studied music in New York City. In 1869 she was called to the chair of music in Kalamazoo College, which position she filled for four years, resigning to devote her entire time to literary work. Removing to Detroit in 1873, she occupied a position on the editorial staff of the *Christian Herald* until April, 1902, when the failing health of her husband, Rev. Luther H. Trowbridge, made retirement from business necessary.

Mrs. Trowbridge is a member of a number of educational and philanthropic societies; was a constituent member and officer of the Twentieth Century Club, Detroit, and chairman of the finance committee of the Century Association which build the fifty-thousand dollar club building. Since 1872 Mrs. Trowbridge has been actively identified with the interests of the American Association for the Advancement of Science; has served under appointment of the state as examiner of schools of higher education; has prepared papers for meeting of the state board of health; and is the author of several brochures issued by the American Baptist Publication Society of Philadelphia; notably: "The Way of Life"; "This Do in Remembrance of Me"; and "Pioneer Days and Vacation Notes" (a series of European letters). In 1895 Mrs. Trowbridge was appointed historian by the Michigan Baptist State Convention, and with collaborators is preparing a history of the denomination in Michigan which is to be published early in 1908. ["Herringshaw's Encyclopedia of American Biography."]





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- vi. DORA MAY, b. July 31, 1872; d. Oct. 13, 1889.  
 vii. MINNIE BELL, b. May 17, 1875; d. May 24, 1875.  
 viii. FLORA ETTA, b. Apr. 16, 1878; d. Jan. 27, 1879.

**1186.** SOLOMON DEMING TROWBRIDGE (*Alanson*<sup>1079</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 10, 1828, in Houseville, N. Y.; resides in Charlotte, Mich.; married March 17, 1857, in Delta, Ohio, Emily Munger, daughter of Ephraim and Lucretia (Fleming) Munger, born February 9, 1836, in Milan, Ohio.

Solomon D. Trowbridge was brought in childhood by his parents to Delta, Ohio. He settled there after his marriage and engaged in farming. On November 9, 1863, he enlisted for three years in Company I, 38th Ohio Infantry. He served with Sherman's army and was discharged for disability October 24, 1864. He continued to live in Delta for some years after the war and then removed to his present residence, Charlotte, Mich.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DELTA, OHIO:

1299. i. WARREN MUNGER, b. Jan. 17, 1862.  
 ii. FRANCES ALENA, b. Oct. 25, 1865; d. Aug. 28, 1868.  
 1300. iii. FRANK, b. July 31, 1868.

**1187.** DR. GEORGE MARTIN TROWBRIDGE (*Alanson*<sup>1079</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 6, 1833, in Houseville, N. Y.; died February 7, 1885, in Centreville, Mich.; married May 17, 1862, in Kalamazoo, Mich., Lesbia Eudora Fox, daughter of Daniel Tompkins and Sarah Dimmock (Dean) Fox, born November 26, 1836, in Ulysses, Pa.; died October 22, 1904, in Ann Arbor, Mich.

George M. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Delta, Ohio, and grew to manhood on his father's farm there. He was graduated from Kalamazoo College in 1859 with the degree of B.A. and from the medical department of the University of Michigan in 1862 with the degree of M.D. He then established himself in practice in Centreville, Mich. On July 18, 1863, he was appointed assistant surgeon in the 19th Michigan Infantry. He served in that capacity until the close of the war, being with Sherman's army through Georgia and the Carolinas. He was mustered out June 10, 1865.

Doctor Trowbridge returned to his home in Centreville, Mich., where he continued in the active practice of his profession until his death. He was an earnest Christian and was a member of the Centreville Baptist church, being for many years one of its deacons and trustees, and superintendent of its Sunday school for twenty years.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CENTREVILLE, MICH.:

- i. MARY BELL, b. July 14, 1863; m. Sept. 12, 1889, Porter H. Timerman and resides in Sherwood, Mich.  
 1301. ii. PERRY FOX, b. Apr. 25, 1866.  
 iii. LUNA DELL, b. Mar. 20, 1867; d. Jan. 15, 1882.  
 1302. iv. JENNER CAREY, b. Oct. 1, 1868.  
 v. CLAUDE KNICKERBOCKER, b. Apr. 25, 1871; is in business in Cleveland, Ohio.†  
 vi. MYRA ASTRA, b. Nov. 2, 1872; d. Mar. 16, 1873.  
 1303. vii. DIC HECTOR, b. Nov. 19, 1873.  
 1304. viii. GLENN ARTHUR, b. Nov. 17, 1875.  
 ix. HUGH MILLER, b. Nov. 15, 1878; d. Dec. 22, 1880.

**1188.** JAMES WILLIAM WALLACE TROWBRIDGE (*James*<sup>1080</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 12, 1830, in Edinburgh, N. Y.; resides in Delta, Ohio; married November 12, 1856, in York Center,

\* Except ii, who was born in Three Rivers, Mich.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

Ohio, Lydia Hoag, daughter of Stephen and Elizabeth (Veeder) Hoag, born October 30, 1837, in Root, N. Y.; died October 5, 1885, in Delta.

James W. W. Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to Delta, Ohio. He has lived there ever since and has always been engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DELTA, OHIO:

1305. i. CHARLES FRANCIS, b. Apr. 30, 1858.  
 ii. ETTA, b. June 7, 1862; m. Dec. 17, 1884, Theodore Campbell and resides in Delta.

**1189.** AMASA TROWBRIDGE (*John W.*<sup>1081</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>1036</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 10, 1831, in Ashford, Conn.; died January 12, 1869, in Seymour, Conn.; married November 19, 1861, in New Haven, Conn., Amy Heflin Lawson, daughter of Ira and Ann (Bartlett) Lawson, born September 25, 1839, in Union, Conn. She married, second, Erastus Horton, and died November 19, 1893, in Minneapolis, Minn.

Amasa Trowbridge was a gun maker, and worked at his trade in Hartford and Whitneyville, near New Haven, Conn., before going to Seymour, Conn., a few years before his death. His death was a tragic one. A fire occurred in a factory in Seymour, and Mr. Trowbridge, who was a friend of the owner, volunteered to try to secure some important papers from the burning building. He went in, but before he could get out again he was overcome by the smoke and was burned to death. He was a very ingenious man, and made some remarkable guns of very fine bore for the shooting of birds. He mounted the birds he shot and was an expert taxidermist. He also made flutes, cornets, melodeons and organs. He was also an adept in photography.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1190.** ELISHA TROWBRIDGE (*John W.*<sup>1081</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>1036</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 25, 1833, in Ashford, Conn.; died February 4, 1901, in West Haven, Conn.; married October 3, 1861, in Hartford, Conn., Agnes Brown, daughter of Matthew and Janette (Anderson) Brown, born September 10, 1834, in New Haven, Conn.; died December 30, 1907, in New Haven.

Elisha Trowbridge learned the trade of a moulder. He followed it in Springfield, Mass., and Hartford, Conn., before removing with his family in 1872 to New Haven, Conn., where he resided for nearly thirty years. His home for many years was on the corner of Orange and Lawrence streets in the latter city. He was employed during that period at several of the local factories. From 1890 to 1892 he was foreman of Colt's factory in Hartford and in 1893 held the same position in the Lincoln factory in that city. In 1894 he became foreman of the Mathushek piano factory in West Haven, Conn., in which position he continued the remainder of his life. In 1900 he removed to a house which he had built in West Haven. He resided there until his death.

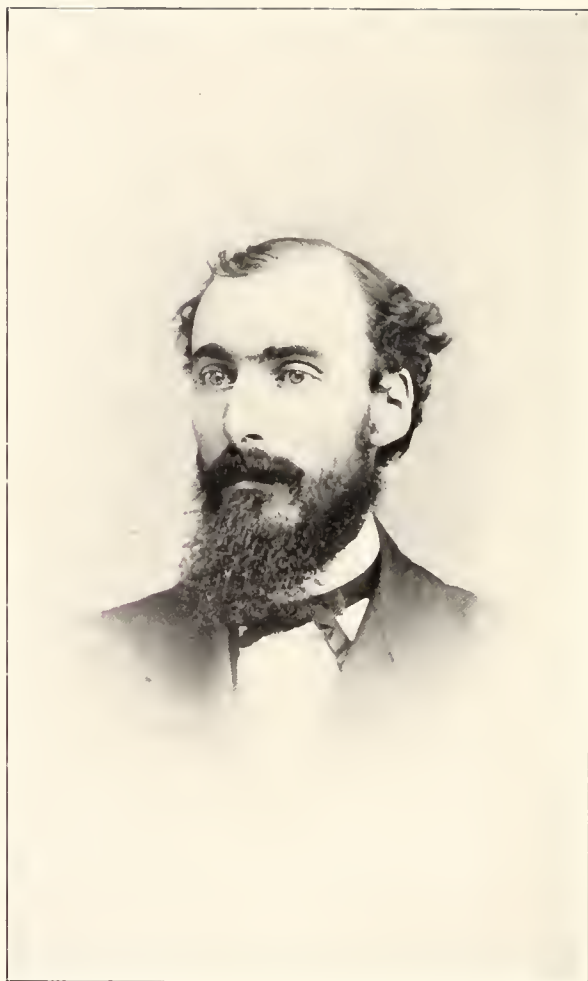
Mr. Trowbridge was a quiet man of the strictest integrity. He was greatly respected by his shopmates and all others who knew him, and his loss was keenly felt by a large circle of friends both in New Haven and West Haven. He was an earnest Christian and was for many years a regular attendant at the Humphrey Street Congregational Church in New Haven.

## CHILDREN:\*

1306. i. JOHN MATTHEW, b. Sept. 23, 1862.  
 ii. JANETTE, b. July 11, 1864; after leaving Hillhouse High School in New Haven, Conn., became a teacher. While engaged in teaching in New York

\* i-iii born in Springfield, Mass.; iv-v in Hartford, Conn.; vi in New Haven, Conn.





*John Philo Trowbridge*



City, she took a course in Teachers College, Columbia University, and in June, 1906, received the degree of B.Sc. She is now in charge of the physical education in the Eastern District High School of Brooklyn, N. Y. She is unmarried.

- iii. MARY ARSINA, b. Oct. 13, 1865; is a school-teacher; unm.
- iv. ELISHA GRANT, b. May 19, 1867; attended the public schools of New Haven until July 1, 1881, being then in the Hillhouse High School. He worked as a wood engraver in New Haven for about ten years, during which time he prepared himself for college. He was graduated from the Sheffield Scientific School, Yale University, in 1894 with the degree of Ph.D. He took up work on bridge engineering. He was appointed assistant engineer of the Passaic Steel Company, Paterson, N. J., and held that position several years. He resigned July 1, 1905, and spent several months in Europe. In September, 1906, he accepted the position of chief engineer with that company and at present is filling that office. He is unmarried.
- 1307. v. AMASA, b. Nov. 10, 1870.
- vi. CORNELIA BURTON, b. Nov. 15, 1876; prepared for college at the Hillhouse High School, entered Cornell University and was graduated in 1899 with the degree of Ph.B. She is at present teaching in the New York City High School. She is unmarried.

**1191.** INGOLDSBY WORK TROWBRIDGE (*Philander*<sup>1082</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>1036</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 9, 1845, in Eastford, Conn.; resides in Pomfret, Conn.; married January 21, 1879, in Putnam, Conn., Caroline May Perrin, daughter of Jedediah and Harriet (May) Perrin, born June 15, 1848, in Pomfret.

Ingoldsby W. Trowbridge was educated in the schools of his native town. He became a farmer and owns "Owaneco Farm" in Pomfret, Conn. He was a representative in the Connecticut Assembly in 1897 and 1898.

CHILDREN BORN IN POMFRET, CONN.:

- i. LUCIA PERRIN, b. Aug. 13, 1880; m. Sept. 19, 1907, Albert E. Colcord and resides in Portland, Me.
- ii. JOHN WORK, b. Feb. 9, 1886.

**1192.** REV. JOHN PHILO TROWBRIDGE (*Philander*<sup>1082</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>1036</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 10, 1849, in Eastford, Conn.; resides in North Rochester (Marion P. O.), Mass.; married May 15, 1874, in New Haven, Conn., Clara Parker Hooker, daughter of Andrew Jackson and Esther (Goodspeed) Hooker, born March 13, 1850, in Southbridge, Mass.

John P. Trowbridge studied at the public schools in his native town and became a land surveyor. He entered Norwich Free Academy in 1867 and was graduated in 1870, being poet of his class. He went to Amherst College in 1870 and pursued special and advanced studies. In 1871 he entered Yale Divinity School and was graduated with the degree of B.D. in 1874. He began preaching at the First Congregational Church, Putnam, Conn., May 26, 1872; was ordained September 17, 1874, and installed over the Congregational church in Standish, Me.; was dismissed by the council November 11, 1881, and was pastor over the Second Congregational Church in Woodstock, Conn., February 1, 1882, to January 1, 1888; pastor at Bethlehem, Conn., January 1, 1888, to October 1, 1892; pastor at Eastford, Conn., December 29, 1892, to December 30, 1900, being also pastor of the Second Congregational Church, Woodstock, Conn., his former parish, from January 1, 1892, to January 1, 1897. He was installed pastor at Rochester, Mass., his present settlement, January 1, 1901.

Rev. John P. Trowbridge has made frequent contributions in prose and verse to the newspapers and magazines of the day. He has published historical and biographical sketches and sermons, especially relating to the life of Rev. Dr. Joseph Bellamy, for 50 years pastor of the church in Bethlehem, Conn.; of

Gen. Nathaniel Lyon, a relative and fellow-townsmen, who fell in the Civil War; and of Col. Thomas Knowlton of Ashford, the Revolutionary hero. His most recent article is entitled "Samuel Kirkland and his Times." In his ministry Mr. Trowbridge has been eminently successful both as a preacher and pastor.

## CHILD BORN IN STANDISH, ME.:

- i. ESTHER HOOKER, b. June 9, 1879; m. June 9, 1904, Joseph Priestley Catlin and resides in Lynn, Mass.

**1193.** WILLARD TROWBRIDGE (*Asaph*<sup>1083</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>1036</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 6, 1851, in Eastford, Conn.; died July 5, 1886, in Norwich, Conn.; married September 22, 1875, in Centerbrook, Conn., Harriet M. Clark, daughter of Chapman and Roxana (Clark) Clark, born August 10, 1845, in Saybrook, Conn. She married, second, June 30, 1897, in Norwich, Henry E. Griswold and resides in Norwich.

William Trowbridge was in business as a carpenter and builder in Norwich, Conn.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1194.** MYRON ASAPH TROWBRIDGE (*Asaph*<sup>1083</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>1036</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 16, 1853, in Eastford, Conn.; resides in West Springfield, Mass.; married April 18, 1882, in Palmer, Mass., Martha Scarborough, daughter of Henry and Phoebe (Saunders) Scarborough, born November 22, 1864, in Sturbridge, Mass.

Myron A. Trowbridge is a locomotive engineer on the Boston and Albany railroad. His home is in West Springfield, Mass.

## CHILDREN:

- i. FRANCES OLATH, b. Feb. 13, 1883, in Springfield, Mass.
- ii. GEORGE WILLARD, b. Feb. 23, 1890, in West Springfield, Mass.

**1195.** CLEMENT JORDAN TROWBRIDGE (*Nelson C.*<sup>1084</sup>, *Clement*<sup>1037</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 5, 1851, in Augusta, Ga.; died March 29, 1886, in New York City; married September 7, 1882, in Paris, France, Henrietta Howell, daughter of William Edwin and Lorreta (Brooks) Howell, born October 25, 1851, in New York City; died June 13, 1883, in New York City.

Clement J. Trowbridge was a banker and broker with an office on Broad street, New York City.

## CHILD BORN IN NEW YORK CITY:

- i. HENRIETTE OLIVE, b. June 13, 1883.

**1196.** NELSON SEYMOUR TROWBRIDGE (*James S.*<sup>1085</sup>, *Clement*<sup>1037</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 6, 1845, in Battle Creek, Mich.; resides in Glen Ellen, Cal.; married May 19, 1869, in East Oakland, Cal., Kate Clayton, daughter of Prof. Joshua Elliot and Naomi Bollen (Wagner) Clayton, born October 23, 1848, in Dudleyville, Ala.

Nelson S. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Jackson, Cal. He was graduated from the California State Normal School in 1866, and for the next two years taught school. He was then for one year bookkeeper at the Oneida Mine, in Amador county, after that at Santa Cruz, and next at Eureka, Nev. He then became manager of a large general merchandise store at Tybo, Nye county, Nev. For the last years of his stay there he was superintendent of the 2G. mine and mill. In 1888 he removed with his family to Berkeley, Cal., where he engaged in the merchandise business for three years. But the lure of mining was too strong, and he took charge, in 1894, of the Bald Eagle Mine in

Sundum, Alaska, fifty miles southeast of Juneau. He was there for five years, and during that time his family made the trip from Berkeley to Sundum four times, spending some of the most interesting months of their lives in that wild and picturesque country. Ill health drove him back to California, where he mined in several different counties until 1904. In the spring of that year, in conjunction with his eldest daughter, he embarked in the poultry business in Glen Ellen, Cal., where he and his family now reside. The outdoor life and fine climate of Sonoma county have completely restored him to health, and he leads a most active and influential life in the little settlement.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. JAMES CLAYTON, b. Oct. 5, 1870; d. Oct. 18, 1872, in Eureka, Nev.
- ii. JESSIE JUNE, b. June 13, 1874; m. July 13, 1898, Robert Kelsey Haskell and resides in Glen Ellen, Cal.
- iii. ELOISE HAMMOND, b. Mar. 19, 1877; m. Nov. 10, 1901, Frank Leeman Ellis and resides in Tulare, Cal.
- iv. LESLIE AMELIA, b. Oct. 12, 1881; m. Apr. 9, 1905, William Mainland Brown, Jr., and resides in Oakland, Cal.
- v. KATE ELLIOT, b. Jan. 8, 1885.
- vi. NELSON SEYMOUR, b. Nov. 18, 1888.
- vii. OLIVE ROSE, b. Dec. 4, 1890.

**1197.** EDWARD CLEMENT TROWBRIDGE (*James S.*<sup>1085</sup>, *Clement*<sup>1037</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 29, 1847, in Battle Creek, Mich.; died September 6, 1874, in Jackson, Cal.; married May 3, 1869, in Jackson, Mattie Louise Gilliland, daughter of William Janes and Emma Jones (Young) Gilliland, born August 24, 1852, in Cashville, Yolo county, Cal. She married, second, February 15, 1877, in Jackson, Edward Gunn Freeman and resides in Oakland, Cal.

Edward C. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Jackson, Cal. He resided there the remainder of his life, being associated with his father in business.

## CHILDREN BORN IN JACKSON, CAL. :

- i. LILLIAN ELOISE, b. Aug. 3, 1871; m. May 9, 1888, Edward Augustus Freeman and resides in Jackson.
- ii. MATTIE EDNA, b. Apr. 2, 1874; m. Jan. 19, 1893, Thomas Horace Peek and resides in Jackson.

**1198.** CHARLES RUSSELL TROWBRIDGE (*Amos*<sup>1092</sup>, *Amos*<sup>1041</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 27, 1858, in Ashford, Conn.; resides in Wellsville, Mo.; married November 13, 1889, in Farber, Mo., Emma Oaks, daughter of Isaac Newton and Elisabeth (Waltrip) Oaks, born January 9, 1863, in White Hall, Ill.

Charles R. Trowbridge at the age of ten years went West with his parents and in early manhood came with them to Wellsville, Mo. He has lived there ever since and is engaged in farming. He is a member of the Methodist Episcopal church in Wellsville.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WELLSVILLE, MO. :

- i. JENNIE MAY, b. Mar. 15, 1891.
- ii. KATE ELISABETH, b. Feb. 28, 1894.
- iii. RUSSELL NEWTON, b. Oct. 26, 1896.
- iv. MILDRED H., b. Sept. 24, 1903.

**1199.** ANDREW CLARK TROWBRIDGE (*Amos*<sup>1092</sup>, *Amos*<sup>1041</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 30, 1862, in Ashford, Conn.; resides in Oak Park, Ill.; married January 22, 1890, in Plymouth, Ohio, Emma Rosetta

\* i born at the Oneida Mine, Amador county, Cal.; ii in Salt Lake City, Utah; iii-iv in Tybo, Neb.; v in Mark West, Cal.; vi-vii in Berkeley, Cal.

Dawson, daughter of William and Rebecca (Doty) Dawson, born October 29, 1868, in Plymouth.

Andrew C. Trowbridge went West in boyhood with his parents. He is a machinist and works at automatic machines. He lives in Chicago, Ill.

CHILDREN BORN IN CHICAGO, ILL.:

- i. CLARENCE DOW, b. Aug. 15, 1894; d. Oct. 19, 1895.
- ii. ELMER RUSSELL, b. Nov. 13, 1900.
- iii. LUCILE, b. Aug. 16, 1907.

**1200.** DR. EDWARD WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*William R.*<sup>1095</sup>, *Amasa*<sup>1043</sup>, *William*<sup>1020</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 16, 1849, in Watertown, N. Y.; resides in Watertown; married June 7, 1873, in Black River, N. Y., Lily Springsteen, daughter of William Henry and Emeline (Butterfield) Springsteen, born December 4, 1850, in Black River.

Edward W. Trowbridge attended the grammar and high schools in his native city, and studied medicine with his father, Dr. William R. Trowbridge. He is engaged in the practice of his profession in Watertown, N. Y.

CHILD BORN IN PHILADELPHIA, N. Y.:

- i. LENA SHERMAN, b. Apr. 10, 1875; m. Oct. 6, 1897, Edwin Caper Macomber and resides in Easton, Pa.

**1201.** STANTON SYLVESTER TROWBRIDGE (*William R.*<sup>1095</sup>, *Amasa*<sup>1043</sup>, *William*<sup>1020</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 10, 1854, in Watertown, N. Y.; resides in Rochester, N. Y.; married September 18, 1877, in Gouverneur, N. Y., Helen Grace Utley, daughter of Albert Monroe and Helen Adelia (Van Buren) Utley, born September 24, 1857, in Watertown.

Stanton S. Trowbridge was admitted to the practice of law in the state of New York in June, 1877, and at once began practice in his native city, Watertown, N. Y. He continued in the active practice of his profession there until the spring of 1898. He removed to Rochester, N. Y., where he became owner and principal of the Monroe County Business Institute, which he has since continued to conduct. He resides in that city.

Mr. Trowbridge while a resident in Watertown was very prominent in politics, church affairs and fraternalism. He was a member of the board of supervisors of Jefferson county in 1883 and 1884; chairman of the Democratic county committee in 1884; and was for three years member of board of excise of the city of Watertown. He served four years in the New York State National Guard. He was an active member of the Episcopal Church; was a member of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew; and assisted in the organization of and was trustee of the Church of the Redeemer and the Trinity Workingmen's Club. He is a member of various secret orders, including the I. O. O. F., the Red Men, and the Foresters, being first high-counsellor of the latter order in the state of New York, 1890-2.

CHILD BORN IN WATERTOWN, N. Y.:

- i. ETHEL BROWN, b. July 21, 1878.

**1202.** DR. FREDERICK GUTEAU TROWBRIDGE (*William R.*<sup>1095</sup>, *Amasa*<sup>1043</sup>, *William*<sup>1020</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 30, 1857, in Watertown, N. Y.; resides in Watertown; married September 27, 1897, in Watertown, Minnie Frances Austin, daughter of Enoch Olin and Anna Louise (Baker) Austin, born June 27, 1875, in Carthage, N. Y.

Frederick G. Trowbridge attended the Watertown grammar and high schools, and in 1874 commenced the study of medicine with his father, Dr. William R.

Trowbridge. In fall of 1881 he entered the University of Buffalo and was graduated from that institution in 1883, receiving the degree of M.D. Since then he has been in the active practice of his profession in the city of Watertown, N. Y.

Doctor Trowbridge joined the Independent Order of Odd Fellows November 5, 1885, and was made a past grand in the order December 31, 1888.

NO CHILDREN.

**1203.** WILLIAM AMASA TROWBRIDGE (*William R.*<sup>1095</sup>, *Amasa*<sup>1043</sup>, *William*<sup>1020</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1093</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 14, 1866, in Watertown, N. Y.; resides in Watertown; married September 10, 1902, in Gouverneur, N. Y., Carlotta Louise Seamon, daughter of Albert Ruthern and Mary Elizabeth (Smith) Seamon, born September 15, 1875, in Gouverneur.

William A. Trowbridge was graduated from the Watertown high school in 1885. He has been for many years active and prominent in the fraternal circles of his native city. He is connected with the *Lodge Record*, the leading secret society journal, and has a host of friends throughout the state. Perhaps no one man has done more to awaken interest in Odd Fellowship in his vicinity. As traveling representative of the *Lodge Record*, he has been constantly among the various lodges of fraternal orders and has been in attendance as well at the conventions of many secret bodies, gaining a wide acquaintance among fraternity men throughout the state.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of Canton Ridgely; Montezuma Encampment and Watertown City Lodge, No. 291, I. O. O. F.; Garland Rebekah Lodge, No. 151, I. O. O. F.; Kahuago Tribe, No. 185, I. O. R. M.; Kahuago-Pontiac Haymakers' Assembly, No. 1852; and Jefferson Encampment and Court Garland City, No. 809, I. O. F.; of the latter of which he was a charter member. He was chosen high conductor for the state during the years 1896 and 1897.

CHILD BORN IN WATERTOWN, N. Y.:

i. FREDERICK LYNDEN, b. June 2, 1908.

**1203a.** LAWRENCE WILLIAMS TROWBRIDGE (*Lawrence D.*<sup>1097</sup>, *Artemas*<sup>1045</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1021</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1093</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 29, 1879, in Palmyra, N. Y.; resides in New York City; married September 3, 1907, in Newtown, Ind., Helen Campbell, daughter of Herbert and Anabel (Russell) Campbell, born September 7, 1882, in Newtown.

Lawrence W. Trowbridge attended the union school at Newark, N. Y. He studied law in Newark, and practiced his profession there until May, 1901, when he removed his office to New York City, where he has since been in practice. He attended the New York University Law School, 1902-4, and was graduated there in the latter year with the degree of LL.B. He resides in New York City.

NO CHILDREN.

**1204.** GEORGE EDWARD TROWBRIDGE (*Charles E.*<sup>1098</sup>, *George*<sup>1046</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1021</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1093</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 25, 1857, in Pomfret, Conn.; resides in North Uxbridge (Linwood P. O.), Mass.; married February 27, 1889, in Whitinsville, Mass., Ella Jane Johnston, daughter of James and Ann Jane (Crane) Johnston, born January 16, 1860, in Douglas, Mass.

George E. Trowbridge was educated in the public schools of Whitinsville, Mass., where his parents resided, and also in the English and the Classical High School of Providence, R. I. At an early age he became associated with Hon. Arthur F. Whitin and Charles E. Trowbridge, his father, in the Whitins-

ville Spinning Ring Company in Whitinsville. In 1887 he was taken into partnership and made superintendent of the shops, and has since continued in that office. Previous to his marriage he had built a home in North Uxbridge, Mass., where his two children were born. In 1900 he built his present residence on Maple street.

Mr. Trowbridge is independent in politics. He is active in municipal affairs, having been on various committees of the town. He is a trustee of the Thayer Memorial Library of Uxbridge, a trustee of the Whitinsville Savings Bank, and a member, trustee and treasurer of the Whitinsville Methodist Episcopal church. He is a man of high moral character, public spirit and business ability.

CHILDREN BORN IN NORTH UXBRIDGE, MASS.:

- i. CLARA FERN, b. Oct. 22, 1891.
- ii. RUTH ELSEBETH, b. July 21, 1894.

**1205.** LEWIS HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Benjamin C.*<sup>1100</sup>, *William*<sup>1048</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 14, 1842, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; resides in Plymouth, Wis.; married December 5, 1865, in Sheboygan Falls, Mary Smith, daughter of John and Isabelle (Waugh) Smith, born August 13, 1840, in LaFayette, N. Y.

Lewis H. Trowbridge at the age of eighteen became a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted June 1, 1861, in Company B, 8th Wisconsin Infantry, and was discharged September 16, 1865. He settled after his marriage in Mitchell, Wis., and was engaged in farming there about twenty years. He then removed to Nebraska, where in company with his son he engaged in farming and raising cattle on a ranch eleven miles west of Merriman. He was elected in the fall of 1898 county commissioner for a term of three years. In 1900 he left his son in charge of the ranch and returned to Wisconsin. He resides in Plymouth, Wis., having retired from active business.

CHILDREN BORN IN MITCHELL, WIS.:

1308. i. BENJAMIN CHARLES, b. June 19, 1868.
- ii. LOTTIE MAY, b. Nov. 27, 1875; d. June 17, 1880.

**1206.** WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Benjamin C.*<sup>1100</sup>, *William*<sup>1048</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 29, 1849, in Mitchell, Wis.; resides in Plymouth, Wis.; married, first, August 8, 1878, in Plymouth, Martha Harmon, daughter of Simon and Ann (Parish) Harmon, born ———, 1848, in Lyndon, Wis.; died in the spring of 1880 in Mitchell. He married, second, November 5, 1884, in McGregor, Iowa, Emeline Burlingame, daughter of Henry and Jane (Rounseville) Burlingame, born ———, 1851, in McGregor; died February 26, 1891, in Plymouth. He married, third, August 10, 1898, in Plymouth, Nora Rounseville,\* daughter of Samuel and Nancy Ann (Kittel) Rounseville, born January 14, 1864, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.

William Trowbridge was for many years a member of the firm of Gaffron & Trowbridge, hardware dealers, in Plymouth, Wis. He is now retired from business and is residing in Plymouth.

CHILD BORN IN MITCHELL, WIS.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. ELLA CLARITY, b. Aug. 12, 1879; m. Dec. 7, 1904, Charles Hiram Humphrey and resides in Plymouth, Wis.

\* A sister of the wife of his nephew No. 1308.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PLYMOUTH, WIS.:

*By third marriage:\**

- ii. THEO JANE, b. June 12, 1899.
- iii. WILLIAM LUMSDEN, b. July 22, 1901.
- iv. OLIVE MARGARET, b. Oct. 9, 1903.
- v. MARY ALMA, b. Nov. 30, 1905.

**1207.** THADDEUS CHAPIN TROWBRIDGE (*James L.*<sup>1102</sup>, *William*<sup>1048</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 2, 1853, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; resides in Sheboygan Falls; married October 11, 1886, in Sheboygan Falls, Magdalena Christina Peter, daughter of Adam and Christina (Cramer) Peter, born March 16, 1861, in Scott, Wis.;

Thaddeus C. Trowbridge has always lived on the farm he now owns, which was bought from the government by his grandfather Trowbridge in 1836.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SHEBOYGAN FALLS, WIS.:

- i. JOHN LEWIS, b. Mar. 7, 1888.
- ii. JAMES WILLIAM, b. Sept. 8, 1892.
- iii. SARAH DOROTHY, b. Sept. 3, 1903.

**1208.** DR. CHARLES COBB TROWBRIDGE (*James L.*<sup>1102</sup>, *William*<sup>1048</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 27, 1866, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; resides in Fond du Lac, Wis.; married November 10, 1892, in Fond du Lac, Emily Baker Jones, daughter of Edward Henry and Emily Louise (Baker) Jones, born September 10, 1863, in Fond du Lac.

Charles C. Trowbridge is practicing dentistry in Fond du Lac, Wis.

## CHILD BORN IN FOND DU LAC, WIS.:

- i. DONALD HOWLETT, b. Apr. 5, 1896.

**1209.** WALES HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*William H.*<sup>1104</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 8, 1850, in Hinsdale, N. Y.; resides in Stevens Point, Wis.; married, first, April 17, 1879, in Weyanwega, Wis., Pruella Jane Morse, daughter of Samuel and Charlotte Elizabeth (Swan) Morse, born May 12, 1856, in Royalton, Wis.; died May 15, 1884, in Spencer Brook, Minn. He married, second, July 15, 1886, in Stevens Point, Mary Zimmer, daughter of John and Dora (Gesiler) Zimmer, born December 13, 1866, in Stevens Point.

Wales H. Trowbridge is a shoe dealer in Stevens Point, Wis.

## CHILDREN:†

*By first marriage:*

- i. IVY JANE, b. Aug. 28, 1880; d. Sept. 28, 1881, in Merrill, Wis.
- ii. RUBY PRUELLA, b. Mar. 15, 1884; d. Oct. 4, 1897, in Spencer Brook, Minn.
- iii. A son, b. June 28, 1887; d. June 30, 1887.

*By second marriage:*

- iv. MARGUERITE HAZEL, b. Dec. 17, 1893.

**1210.** CLARENCE ALPHONSO TROWBRIDGE (*William H.*<sup>1104</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 29, 1855, in Olean, N. Y.; died May 7, 1904, in Hurley, Wis.; married December 25, 1878, in Mondovi, Wis., Olive Cornelia Thames,‡ daughter of Nelson Stephen and Sarah Jane (Thompson) Thames, born April 7, 1858, in Scott, Wis. She resides in Hurley.

\* No children by second marriage.

† i and iii born in Merrill, Wis.; ii in Lovinia, Minn.; iv in Stevens Point, Wis.

‡ A sister of the wife of his cousin No. 1212.

Clarence A. Trowbridge was by trade a carpenter and woodworker. At the time of his death he was foreman in the iron mines shop in Hurley, Wis. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity, the Odd Fellows, the Knights of Pythias and the Modern Woodmen.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. BLANCHE JOSEPHENE, b. Sept. 30, 1879.
- ii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Dec. 1, 1881; d. Apr. 9, 1882.
- iii. EVA LOUISA, b. Feb. 5, 1886; d. Feb. 25, 1886.
- iv. EVALINE MAY, b. Dec. 29, 1886; d. Feb. 26, 1887.
- v. LILA ETHEL, b. June 16, 1889.
- vi. BERTHA CHRISTIANA, b. Oct. 2, 1893.
- vii. ESTELLA ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 21, 1896.

**1210a.** FREDERICK BENJAMIN TROWBRIDGE (*William II.*<sup>1104</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 6, 1866, in Green Bay, Wis.; resides in Jamestown, N. D.; married September 2, 1888, in Merrill, Wis., Theresa Anna Combs, daughter of Peter and Anna Delight (Palmer) Combs, born July 5, 1872, in Pine River, Wis.

Frederick B. Trowbridge was a farmer and dairyman for many years in Merrill, Wis. He recently moved to a farm in Jamestown, N. D.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MERRILL, WIS. :†

- i. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Dec. 16, 1889.
- ii. HARRY FREDERICK, b. Oct. 3, 1893.
- iii. RAYMOND CHARLES, b. Feb. 20, 1895.
- iv. MABEL ANNA, b. Mar. 31, 1897.
- v. RUTH PEARL, b. Dec. 3, 1905.

**1211.** WILLIAM CLARENCE TROWBRIDGE (*Charles II.*<sup>1105</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 25, 1855, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; resides in Mondovi, Wis.; married December 25, 1884, in Mondovi, Maggie Seyforth, daughter of Frederick and Annie (Meyer) Seyforth, born October 14, 1864, in Lima, Wis.

William C. Trowbridge is a carpenter in Mondovi, Wis.

## CHILD BORN IN MONDOVI, WIS. :

- i. WINFRED RANEE, b. Jan. 26, 1886; d. May 28, 1894.

**1212.** CHARLES LESTER TROWBRIDGE (*Charles II.*<sup>1105</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 1, 1860, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; resides in Mondovi, Wis.; married July 22, 1882, in Mondovi, Alma Thames,‡ daughter of Nelson Stephen and Sarah Jane (Thompson) Thames, born November 1, 1863, in Sheboygan, Wis.

Charles L. Trowbridge is a carpenter in Mondovi, Wis.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MONDOVI, WIS. :

- i. A daughter, b. Mar. 28, 1883; d. that day.
- ii. EDWIN ALPHONSO, b. Apr. 27, 1885.
- iii. BERTHA, b. Jan. 29, 1888.
- iv. LEIGH, b. Dec. 6, 1898; d. Jan. 2, 1900.

**1213.** JAMES WALTER TROWBRIDGE (*Charles II.*<sup>1105</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 13, 1865, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; resides in Mondovi, Wis.; married May 20, 1889, in

\* i born in Mondovi, Wis.; ii in Merrill, Wis.; iii-iv in Memotan Junction, Wis.; the others in Hawley, Wis.

† Except i, who was born in Texas, Wis.

‡ A sister of the wife of his cousin No. 1210.



Mondovi, Eva Myrtle Wicks, daughter of Mark Lyon and Louisa Jane (Cook) Wicks, born April 29, 1869, in Whitehall, Wis.

James W. Trowbridge resides in Mondovi, Wis. He is a dealer in coal, lime, cement and brick, and is local agent for the Standard Oil Company. He was made a Mason on September 26, 1906.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MONDOVI, WIS.:

- i. MYRTLE IRVEMA, b. Aug. 17, 1890.
- ii. HUGH WALTER, b. Jan. 18, 1894.
- iii. EARL EUGENE, b. Jan. 5, 1896.
- iv. BEULAH MAY, b. Aug. 16, 1898.

**1214.** EDWIN JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Alpheus M.*<sup>1106</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 5, 1856, in Ischua, N. Y.; resides in Ischua; married June 26, 1878, in Allegany, N. Y., Rose Mathewson, daughter of Darius Duane and Lovina (Carpenter) Mathewson, born August 8, 1863, in Springville, N. Y.

Edwin J. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in his native place, Ischua, N. Y. He and his wife are members of the Baptist church there.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ISCHUA, N. Y.:

- i. MYRTIE ELNORA, b. Apr. 7, 1879; d. Aug. 10, 1879.
- ii. NORA BELLE, b. Oct. 26, 1880; m. Oct. 18, 1900, Ernest M. Strait and resides in Ischua.
- iii. MABEL EDNA, b. Jan. 17, 1883; m. Oct. 1, 1900, Charles W. Van Brunt and resides in Allegany, N. Y.
1309. iv. CHARLES DARIUS, b. July 22, 1885.
- v. INA CLAIRE, b. July 26, 1887.
- vi. GLENN EUGENE, b. May 31, 1889.
- vii. LENA MAY, b. July 31, 1891.
- viii. FLOYD VERNON, b. Sept. 30, 1898; d. Feb. 16, 1899.

**1215.** CHARLES FREDERICK TROWBRIDGE (*Alpheus M.*<sup>1106</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 27, 1859, in Ischua, N. Y.; died February 13, 1885, in Franklinville, N. Y.; married October 12, 1881, in Franklinville, Marian Fields, daughter of Jonathan and Angeline (Reynolds) Fields, born November 23, 1859, in Franklinville. She married, second, October 27, 1887, in Franklinville, Albert D. Hedding and resides in Franklinville.

Charles F. Trowbridge worked on his father's farm in Ischua, N. Y., until his marriage. He and his wife then settled in Franklinville, N. Y., on a farm which she had inherited two years previously from her mother. He lived there until his death.

## CHILD BORN IN FRANKLINVILLE, N. Y.:

1310. i. MARSHALL GRANT, b. July 21, 1883.

**1216.** ALBERT ALPHEUS TROWBRIDGE (*Alpheus M.*<sup>1106</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 9, 1861, in Ischua, N. Y.; resides in Ischua; married October 5, 1886, in Ischua, Julia Minetta Chase, daughter of Walter and Florence Maria (Hill) Chase, born October 21, 1869, in Lyndon, N. Y.

Albert A. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in his native place, Ischua, N. Y. He is a member of the Knights of the Maccabees, and he and his wife are members of the Baptist church there.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ISCHUA, N. Y.:

1311. i. GUY A.,\* b. Apr. 30, 1888.
- ii. WALTER CHASE, b. June 11, 1892.

\* Initial only.

**1217.** AL HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Edwin G.*<sup>1107</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 3, 1858, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; resides in Hancock, Mich.; married October 21, 1878, in Charlotte, Mich., Emma Loring, daughter of Allen Taylor and Eliza (Oliver) Loring, born February 22, 1860, in Muscatine, Iowa.

A. Henry Trowbridge is a carpenter by trade. He has been for over thirty years in the employ of the Quincy Mining Company in Hancock, Mich. He is a member of the Knights of the Maccabees and has been a commander of that order.

CHILDREN BORN IN HANCOCK, MICH. :\*

- i. ROSE MARY, b. Dec. 6, 1879; d. Dec. 13, 1881.
1312. ii. EVERETTE GOING, b. Dec. 20, 1881.
- iii. EDITH MAY, b. June 1, 1884.
- iv. CLYDE BENJAMIN, b. Feb. 14, 1887.
- v. EARL LORING, b. July 21, 1889.

**1218.** BENJAMIN JAMES TROWBRIDGE (*Edwin G.*<sup>1107</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 19, 1864, in Hancock, Mich.; resides in Medford, Ore.; married, first, August 19, 1891, in Camas Valley, Ore., Nettie Martindale, daughter of Alston and Nancy Katherine (Fitzhugh) Martindale, born September 12, 1868, in Camas Valley; died March 14, 1900, in Camas Valley. He married, second, September 18, 1901, in Colfax, Wash., Alice Elizabeth (Guck) Flynn, widow of Thomas A. Flynn of Hancock and daughter of Caspar and Eva (Race) Guck, born November 2, 1864, in Hancock.

Benjamin J. Trowbridge received his early education at the schools of his native place and went in early manhood to Oregon. He married and settled in Camas Valley, Douglas county, where in 1893 he and his brother Edwin opened a general merchandise store. About two years later the latter decided to return to Wisconsin and sold his interest to Benjamin, who continued the business alone until 1900, when he too sold out. He then came to Medford, Jackson county, Ore., his present residence. He there formed a partnership with John F. White, under the firm name of White & Trowbridge, and they are carrying on successfully a general real estate and insurance business. Their operations include timber, mineral, fruit and agricultural lands, residence property and stock farms.

CHILDREN BORN IN CAMAS VALLEY, ORE. :

*By first marriage:*

- i. MARY, b. Feb. 7, 1894.
- ii. RONALD, b. July 31, 1897.
- iii. RAYMOND, b. June 23, 1899.

CHILD BORN IN MEDFORD, ORE. :

*By second marriage:*

- iv. BENJAMIN JAMES, b. May 29, 1903.

**1219.** EDWIN GUY TROWBRIDGE (*Edwin G.*<sup>1107</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 19, 1873, in Hancock, Mich.; resides in Medford, Ore.; married July 17, 1894, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis., Emily Marguerite Hertzberg, daughter of Otto and Emily (Hartman) Hertzberg, born August 24, 1876, in Sheboygan Falls.

Edwin G. Trowbridge remained at home and attended the schools in his native town until he was sixteen years old, when he began to serve his apprenticeship at the machinist's trade. During this latter period his parents removed to Sheboygan Falls, Wis., and after serving his time he went to his parents' home there and attended the Sheboygan Business College. After receiving his diploma he

\* Except i, who was born in Hebron, Neb.

went in 1893 to Camas Valley, Ore., where he and his brother Benjamin opened a general merchandise store. Four months later he returned to Wisconsin to be married and then began housekeeping in Camas Valley.

Not being suited with the country, at the end of fourteen months he sold out his interest in the business to his brother and returned to Sheboygan Falls. Six months later he removed to Hancock, Mich., where he became foreman of the machine shop of the Atlantic mine. He held that position two years and then went to Marinette, Wis., and worked there for the Marinette Gas Engine Company, until that firm moved to Chicago Heights, Ill., when he went with them as foreman in their machine shop, remaining in that position until March, 1905. He then came to Medford, Ore., his present residence, and bought the Medford Iron Works, which he has since conducted with success.

## CHILDREN :

- i. HAROLD BERTRAM, b. June 30, 1896, in Camas Valley, Ore.
- ii. FLORENCE MAY, b. June 18, 1901, in Hancock, Mich.

**1220.** FRANK TROWBRIDGE (*Horace*<sup>1109</sup>, *Elijah H.*<sup>1050</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 10, 1857, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; resides in Sheboygan Falls; married November 1, 1882, in Fond du Lac, Wis., Emma Eliza Galland, daughter of William and Mary (Smithson) Galland, born November 1, 1864, in Lamartine, Wis.

Frank Trowbridge after his marriage made his home in Fond du Lac, Wis., until early in 1907, when he returned to his native place, Sheboygan Falls, Wis., where he at present resides. He is by profession a mechanical engineer. He has spent quite a number of years in gold mining in Colorado. In 1901 he completed a technical course of stationary engineering, electricity and drawing at Scranton, Pa.

## CHILD BORN IN FOND DU LAC, WIS. :

- i. LULU GALLAND, b. July 28, 1883; d. Apr. 21, 1885.

**1221.** OTIS CUTTING TROWBRIDGE (*Horace*<sup>1109</sup>, *Elijah H.*<sup>1050</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 13, 1866, in Fond du Lac, Wis.; resides in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; married January 25, 1899, in Sheboygan Falls, Luella Mary Bemis, daughter of Francis Tower and Gertrude (Denison) Bemis, born September 22, 1873, in Sheboygan Falls.

Otis C. Trowbridge was a shoe dealer for some years in Sheboygan, Wis. He is now interested in and is general manager of the White Wagon Works in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.

## CHILD BORN IN SHEBOYGAN, WIS. :

- i. WALTER STANLEY, b. Dec. 21, 1899.

**1222.** GEORGE TYLER TROWBRIDGE (*George O.*<sup>1110</sup>, *Elijah H.*<sup>1050</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 24, 1854, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; resides in Santa Rosa, Cal.; married February 5, 1880, in Oakland, Cal., Emma Bertram Flint, daughter of Edward Putnam and Emma (Du Bois) Flint, born February 25, 1858, in San Francisco, Cal.

George T. Trowbridge came with his parents in 1876 to Oakland, Cal. He resided there until 1883, when he moved to Sonoma county. He lived on a ranch near Windsor until 1904, when he removed to Santa Rosa, his present residence. He is a prominent real estate broker in Oakland and Santa Rosa, in both of which cities he is also an extensive land owner. He sells ranches and homes, and builds and sells houses on the installment plan, being a building and loan

association in himself. He owns several farms, all of which he looks after and conducts himself, preferring to do that rather than rent them out. His various interests keep him a very busy man.

Mr. Trowbridge has represented Sonoma county in the California State Board of Trade, which meets as a body monthly in San Francisco. He is a director in the Farmers Fire Insurance Company of Sonoma county; a member of the Horticultural Society, of which he is treasurer; a member of the Farmers Institute of California, which is under the auspices of the University of the State of California; and a member of the Society of Grangers, of which he is a past overseer. In 1897 he was president of the Good Roads League of Sonoma county and was its vice-president in 1898. He also served several terms on the legislative committee of good roads.

Mr. Trowbridge is a 33d degree Mason. He is a member of Santa Rosa Commandery, No. 14, K. T., and Santa Rosa Chapter, No. 45, R. A. M., and is a member and past master of Russian River Lodge, No. 181, F. and A. M. He is also a member of Islam Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S., of San Francisco. He and his wife are members of the Order of the Eastern Star. During their residence in Oakland they united with the First Congregational Church of that city, in which they still retain their membership.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. MABEL BERTRAM, b. Dec. 30, 1880; m. Dec. 6, 1903, George A. Dohn.
- ii. GRACE TYLER, b. July 16, 1882.
- iii. ALICE GERTRUDE, b. Feb. 10, 1885; m. June 16, 1906, George Scott.
- iv. BESSIE LOUISE, b. July 27, 1886.
- v. LLOYD, b. Nov. 13, 1887.
- vi. HAROLD, b. May 5, 1890.
- vii. FLORENCE, b. July 10, 1892.
- viii. EDWARD GEORGE, b. Dec. 24, 1894.
- ix. WILBUR CUTTING, b. Oct. 1, 1904.

**1223.** HENRY OTIS TROWBRIDGE (*George O.*<sup>1110</sup>, *Elijah H.*<sup>1050</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 11, 1859, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; resides in San Francisco, Cal.; married January 1, 1885, in Oakland, Cal., Lillie Delger, daughter of Frederick and Ernestine (Blecher) Delger, born February 21, 1866, in Oakland.

Henry O. Trowbridge came with his parents to California in 1876. He remained in Oakland, Cal., where he formed a partnership with D. W. Kirkland, under the firm name of Kirkland & Trowbridge, and was engaged in the drug business for a number of years. He recently removed to San Francisco, where he is in business at present. He was elected a member of the Bohemian Club of that city some years ago.

## CHILD BORN IN OAKLAND, CAL.:

- i. DELGER, b. Mar. 10, 1889.

**1224.** LEWIS HERSEY TROWBRIDGE (*George O.*<sup>1110</sup>, *Elijah H.*<sup>1050</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 14, 1869, in Fond du Lac, Wis.; resides in San Francisco, Cal.; married June 12, 1889, in Oakland, Cal., Lillian Ella Heery, daughter of Thomas and Mary Ann (Beggs) Heery, born March 28, 1871, in New York City.

Lewis H. Trowbridge went at the age of seven years with his parents to Oakland, Cal., and came with them to Windsor, Sonoma county. He started life as a carpenter, and has been contracting several years with fairly good success. He resides in San Francisco, Cal.

\* i-ii born in Oakland, Cal.; v and ix in Santa Rosa, Cal.; the others in Windsor, Cal.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. LELAND STANFORD, b. Mar. 10, 1890.
- ii. TYLER OTIS, b. June 21, 1892.
- iii. MERVYN, b. Aug. 24, 1894.
- iv. JACK, b. May 14, 1897.
- v. LOUISE MARIE, b. Mar. 18, 1900.
- vi. GLADYS, b. Mar. 3, 1902.
- vii. LEWIS HERSEY, b. Sept. 2, 1904.

**1225.** WALTER SPRAGUE TROWBRIDGE (*Charles A.*<sup>1111</sup>, *Elijah H.*<sup>1050</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 6, 1867, in Sheboygan, Wis.; resides in Colorado Springs, Colo.; married September 21, 1891, in Galesburg, Ill., Carrie Louise Driggs, daughter of Henry Clinton and Martha Ellen (Anderson) Driggs, born April 17, 1868, in Galesburg.

Walter S. Trowbridge learned the jewelry business of his father, and pursued the trade of watchmaker and engraver during the years 1885 to 1890. In September, 1890, he accepted a position as traveling representative of the Waterbury Watch Company of Waterbury, Conn. In 1893 he gave up traveling and established the Trowbridge School of Watchmaking, Engraving and Optics in Winona, Minn. After a most successful four years he sold his school in 1897, and became traveling representative of J. T. Scott & Co., wholesale jewelers, of New York City.

In November, 1898, he opened a retail jewelry store in Winona, Minn., which he conducted until 1900, at which time he was compelled by failing health to seek a dry climate, and he finally located at Colorado Springs, Colo. Being a graduate of the Northwestern College of Ophthalmology and Otology, he opened an office as eyesight specialist, and at present is practicing his profession in Colorado Springs.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of Colorado Springs Lodge, No. 309, B. P. O. Elks, and Lodge No. 21, Knights of Pythias, of Winona, Minn.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1226.** JOHN TAYLOR TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>1112</sup>, *John*<sup>1051</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 19, 1837, in St. Louis, Mo.; resides in St. Louis; married April 25, 1861, in St. Louis, Virginia Gratiot Billon, daughter of Charles Pierre and Frances (Riddick) Billon, born in St. Louis.

John T. Trowbridge is traveling salesman for the St. Louis Dental Manufacturing Company of St. Louis, Mo. His residence is in that city.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ST. LOUIS, MO.:

1313. i. DANIEL, b. Feb. 9, 1862.
1314. ii. FRANK BILLON, b. Apr. 8, 1865.
- iii. LILLY, b. Oct. 1, 1871; d. Aug. 10, 1872.

**1227.** JOHN SEWALL TROWBRIDGE (*Jonathan H.*<sup>1114</sup>, *John*<sup>1051</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 10, 1833, in Portland, Me.; died April 3, 1892, in Newton, Mass.; married, first, January 18, 1860, in Boston, Mass., Marietta Allen Smith, daughter of John Nichols and Jane Coulyard (Trufant) Smith, born September 2, 1831, in Bath, Me.; died July 30, 1885, in Paris Hill, Me. He married, second, January 24, 1888, in Somerville, Mass., Harriette Howard Weld, daughter of Alexander Hamilton and Hannah ((Sargent) Brown) Weld, born February 5, 1854, in Somerville. She resides in Somerville.

\* i, ii and iv born in Windsor, Cal.; iii in Fulton, Cal.; v-vii in San Francisco, Cal.

John S. Trowbridge at the age of twelve years came to Boston, Mass., and was apprenticed to a maternal uncle, P. H. Walker, who was engaged in the manufacture of scales. In the course of time he was admitted a partner in the firm of P. H. Walker & Co., and when Mr. Walker retired he became its sole member and owner, under the firm name of J. S. Trowbridge & Co., manufacturing and dealing in fine scales, coffee mills, etc., and sporting goods. He continued in this business until his death. He resided in Cambridge, Mass., until after his second marriage, when he removed to Newton, Mass., where he made his home the remainder of his life.

Mr. Trowbridge when a young man was a member of the Boston Tigers, a celebrated military organization. He and his first wife attended the Church of the New Jerusalem.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CAMBRIDGE, MASS.:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. MARIETTA SEWALL, b. July 11, 1862; d. Apr. 4, 1874.  
 1315. ii. FRED PORTER, b. July 4, 1868.  
 iii. ERNEST SHELDON, b. Oct. 7, 1869; d. Mar. 28, 1871.

**1228.** GEORGE GARDNER TROWBRIDGE (*Jonathan*<sup>1114</sup>, *John*<sup>1051</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 16, 1849, in Portland, Me.; resides in Chelsea, Mass.; married February 6, 1879, in Chelsea, Josephine Leyford, daughter of Byley and Vashti (Shattuck) Leyford, born August 19, 1853, in Nashua, N. H.

George G. Trowbridge in early manhood came to Chelsea, Mass., where he has since made his home. He is at present a salesman in the city of Boston.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of Winnisimmet Lodge, No. 24, I. O. O. F.; is a member and past commandant of Grand Canton Ridgely, No. 13; and is a member of Samaritan Encampment, No. 23, of Chelsea, Mass.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1229.** EPHRAIM STONE TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1115</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1052</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 8, 1833, in Newton, Mass.; resides in West Roxbury, Mass.; married November 5, 1874, in Boston, Mass., Mary Jane Haigh, daughter of George and Elizabeth (Raynor) Haigh, born January 5, 1842, in Halifax, Yorkshire, England.

Ephraim S. Trowbridge is engaged in mercantile business as a clerk in Boston, Mass. He resides in West Roxbury, Mass.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ROXBURY, MASS.:

1316. i. WALTER JOHNSON, b. Oct. 9, 1877.  
 ii. ETHEL MAY, b. Mar. 19, 1880; d. July 18, 1880.

**1230.** JAMES EDMUND TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1115</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1052</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 11, 1836, in Newton, Mass.; resides in Newton Upper Falls, Mass.; married February 15, 1866, in Newton Upper Falls, Angelina Elizabeth Keyes, daughter of George Washington and Elizabeth (Westcott) Keyes, born February 15, 1839, in Newton Upper Falls; died January 5, 1899, in Newton Upper Falls.

James E. Trowbridge learned the trade of a tinsmith. He is at present senior member of the firm of Trowbridge & Easterbrook, conducting a general tinning business and dealing in stoves, furnaces and hardware in Newton Upper Falls, Mass.

\* No children by second marriage.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON UPPER FALLS, MASS. :

- i. THEODA MARIA, b. Mar. 19, 1867; m. June 28, 1893, Eugene Chandler Jewett and resides in Newton Upper Falls.
- ii. GEORGE EDMUND, b. Jan. 30, 1875; d. Aug. 12, 1875.
- iii. JAMES EDMUND, b. May 18, 1879; d. June 17, 1879.
- iv. LIZZIE ANGELINA, b. Nov. 4, 1881; d. that day.

**1231.** CAPT. ASA FULLER TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1115</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1052</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 29, 1843, in Newton, Mass.; died April 15, 1903, in Brockton, Mass.; married October 27, 1869, in Newton, Alice Jane Edes, daughter of Jeremiah and Hannah Curtis (Chubbuck) Edes, born July 2, 1849, in Newton. She resides in Brockton.

Asa F. Trowbridge went to sea in 1861, at the age of eighteen years. He followed the sea for twenty-five years, and during that time was in command of the ships *Ladoga*, *Edith* and *Canada* and the schooner *Mary L. Peters*, making voyages to San Francisco, Australia, South America and the West Indies. He retired from the sea in 1886. He had made his home in his native place, Newton, Mass., up to 1888. He removed in that year to Ayer, Mass., and for the next six years was engaged in the milk business there. In 1895 he came to Brockton, Mass., where he conducted a lunch room up to the time of his death.

Captain Trowbridge was made a Mason in Dalhousie Lodge, Newtonville, Mass., November 2, 1881. He was transferred to Paul Revere Lodge of Brockton after his removal to that city, and in 1902 joined Satucket Chapter, R. A. M., and the council of Brockton. He was also a member of Brockton Lodge, No. 218, Knights of Honor.

## CHILD BORN IN NEWTON, MASS. :

- i. GERTRUDE MINDWELL, b. May 29, 1879; m. Mar. 5, 1903, Westbrook Knight Morrill and resides in Brockton, Mass.

**1232.** CHARLES BENJAMIN TROWBRIDGE (*Charles*<sup>1116</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1052</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 14, 1841, in Cambridge, Mass.; resides in Providence, R. I.; married June 1, 1863, in Providence, Frances Remington, daughter of Daniel and Betsey L. (Briggs) Remington, born September 3, 1842, in Providence.

Charles B. Trowbridge, his son and Mr. Henry O. Potter compose the firm of Daniel Remington & Son, cotton brokers in Providence, R. I.

## CHILD BORN IN PROVIDENCE, R. I. :

1317. i. EDWARD REMINGTON, b. May 16, 1867.

**1233.** WILLIAM WALDO TROWBRIDGE (*William II.*<sup>1118</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1052</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 26, 1881, in West Newton, Mass.; resides in West Newton; married November 27, 1905, in West Newton, Helen Etta Gould, daughter of George Frederick and Addie Louise (Moore) Gould, born May 16, 1882, in Newton Upper Falls, Mass.

William W. Trowbridge obtained his early education in the public schools of the city of Newton for five years, then at Spear's private school at Newton, then at Allen's school at West Newton. He then entered the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in Boston in 1900 and was graduated from there in 1904 with the degree of B.S., as a mining engineer. The following fall he entered Columbia University in New York City and took a post-graduate course in mining. He gained some experience in mining during the summers of the years he was studying at the Institute of Technology by working in various mines in Colorado. In the early part of 1905 he went to Mexico and made an examination

of a mining property, and in November, 1905, he was appointed manager of the Boston and Oaxaca Mining Company, with headquarters at the city of Oaxaca, Mexico. He returned from Mexico in December, 1906, and in August, 1907, he entered into the real estate and insurance business with A. L. Barbour, under the firm name of Barbour & Trowbridge, with an office in West Newton.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of the Mining Engineering Society of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, and of the Casino de Oaxaca. His home is in West Newton, Mass.

CHILD BORN IN WEST NEWTON, MASS. :

- i. EDMUND WALDO, b. Nov. 1, 1906.

**1234.** WILLIAM OTIS TROWBRIDGE (*Otis*<sup>1119</sup>, *William*<sup>1053</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 25, 1836, in Newton, Mass.; died December 25, 1883, in Old Point Comfort, Va.; married June 25, 1867, in Boston, Mass., Lucy Barron Shattuck Frost, daughter of William Rufus and Catharine (Hunting) Frost, born April 6, 1840, in Boston. She resides in Boston.

William O. Trowbridge attended school in his native place, Newton, Mass., and while still a young man engaged in business there at the old planing mill on Church street. When the Civil War broke out he enlisted for nine months September 12, 1862, in Company B, 44th Massachusetts Infantry. He spent most of his term of service at Newbern, N. C., and was discharged June 18, 1863.

Upon his return he was engaged as superintendent of the Mason and Hamlin Organ Company, then located on Cambridge street, Boston. The business at that time was in its infancy, and much of its success may be attributed to the wise and careful management, excellent business judgment and earnest faithfulness of Mr. Trowbridge. When the company built the large and finely appointed factory at Cambridgeport, the whole matter was placed under his supervision, even to the making of the plans. He continued in this position until his death.

Mr. Trowbridge was known within the wide circle of his acquaintance as a man of noble character, cheerful disposition, and one whose sympathies were easily enlisted in any good cause. His kind, brotherly regard and personal interest in all the three hundred or more men of whom he had charge endeared him to them, and welded together the employer and employed in strong bonds of fraternal sympathy and interest, and this feeling was very appropriately demonstrated at his funeral by the presence of this large body of workmen and the floral tribute of respect sent there by them.

Mr. Trowbridge was from boyhood a member of Eliot Church in Newton. On April 21, 1876, he was chosen one of its deacons and fulfilled the duties of that office for a term of five years. His prominent religious life as a member of that church was fittingly spoken of in the funeral address of Rev. Mr. Calkins, his pastor and friend, who said in part: "I have never lost an associate in church work who was on the whole so useful. There were no ornamental works in his mind; everything was called into play to do good, and his way to do good was to serve the church of God; to stand by the minister; to keep his mind free from all clerical details that he might give himself entirely to the exercise of the word; in short, to see that the preaching and pastoral work, and every department of the minister's work, be done as efficiently as possible. Mr. Trowbridge never laid one needless care on me; never made one unnecessary suggestion; always lifted, never deposited, burdens. I have no knowledge, and I think he had no consciousness of that wonderful gift of his, to guide without seeming to dictate. But the way itself was open as the day. He had a mind to work. He lived to be useful. His entire consecration and his cheerful readiness were qualities of his character.







*J. Eliot Nowledge.*

## CHILDREN :

1318. i. WALTER BACON, b. Oct. 30, 1869, in Boston, Mass.  
 ii. FLORENCE, b. Mar. 1, 1872, in Newton, Mass.; d. May 22, 1873.  
 iii. MIRIAM, b. Nov. 8, 1874, in Newton.

**1234a.** GEORGE SEWALL TROWBRIDGE (*Otis*<sup>1119</sup>, *William*<sup>1053</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 28, 1843, in Newton, Mass.; died September 9, 1886, in Newton; married December 23, 1869, in Hopkinton, Mass., Emily Jones Claffin, daughter of Albert and Ann Maria (Walker) Claffin, born July 10, 1843, in Hopkinton; died June 2, 1895, in Newton.

George S. Trowbridge obtained his education in the Newton public schools and then entered the wholesale drug business in Boston, Mass., as a bookkeeper, holding that position for several years. Afterwards he was connected with the Everett National Bank of Boston as teller, and later with the Natick National Bank as cashier, a position he held for seventeen years and until the time of his death.

Mr. Trowbridge was a genial, popular man. He was an indefatigable worker in the Eliot Congregational Church of Newton, of which he was a member. He possessed a rich bass voice and was a valued member of the chorus choir of the church for many years. He was superintendent of the primary department of the Sunday school, and organized and maintained what was known as the Eliot Singing Band, composed of children, which became an important factor in the school life, to the enjoyment of every one who attended the services of the church. Towards the latter part of his life he was elected a deacon of the church, but did not serve any length of time, owing to illness. He was an influential member of the Newton Musical Association, and labored hard for its life and efficiency. His acquaintance was large in Newton, Boston and elsewhere, and he was held in very high esteem.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1235.** JOHN ELIOT TROWBRIDGE (*Otis*<sup>1119</sup>, *William*<sup>1053</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 20, 1845, in Newton, Mass.; resides in Newton; married September 14, 1870, in Newton, Frances Amelia Blodgett, daughter of Henry and Louisa (Allen) Blodgett, born December 6, 1844, in Boston, Mass.

J. Eliot Trowbridge received his early education in the Newton public schools and private instruction in high school studies. He inherited decided musical talent, and at the age of fifteen began study of the organ under Dr. Benjamin C. Blodgett, head of the music department of Smith College, Northampton, Mass. Later he studied the piano with Prof. Junius W. Hill, at that time at the head of the music department of Wellesley College. A strong inclination for music composition led him to give early and serious attention to harmony, counterpoint and fugue, and to devote himself to the study of the classics.

For more than forty years Mr. Trowbridge has been a church organist and choirmaster in churches in and around Boston, and at the present time holds this position with the First Methodist Episcopal Church in Newton Centre, Mass., having a vested choir of men and boys. He has been with this church eight years. His longest service as organist and choirmaster thus far has been in the Second Congregational Church in West Newton, Mass., a period of fourteen years.

In 1866 he entered the service of Messrs. Mason & Hamlin of Boston, as salesman of reed organs, and remained in their employ thirty-five years. He has been for the past five years, and is at the present time, with the M. Steinert &

Sons Company in Boston, the largest dealers in pianos, etc., in New England. For more than twenty years he has taught music, piano, organ, harmony, etc., to many students, some of whom have become capable musicians and teachers. His residence is Newton, Mass.

As early as 1872 Mr. Trowbridge began to publish his compositions and in that year appeared the first of a long series of works. He has written in large and small forms, including works for the organ, cantatas, Te Deums, psalms, anthems, quartets, responses and solos. His most prominent musical compositions (1872-1907) are: oratorios, "Emmanuel" and "Paul the Apostle"; cantatas, "Heroes of '76" (operatic), "Peace of Jerusalem," "How Admirable are Thy Tabernacles," and "Mass in E Major"; organ music, "Trowbridge Reed Organ Method," 110 select pieces for church and cabinet organ. He has published 95 anthems, choruses, quartets, solos, duos and trios.

Mr. Trowbridge has served as pianist for the Newton Musical Association and has organized large choruses to give the standard oratorios. In 1884 he was elected conductor of the Auburndale Musical Union. He has brought out, with orchestra, chorus and noted soloists, his own larger works, and in every way identified himself with the practical experience of knowing just what large chorus organization can accomplish. To this practical knowledge, then, is due to no slight extent the popularity which Mr. Trowbridge's works have enjoyed for years, and enjoy now more than ever.\*

CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:

- i. LOUISA ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 3, 1871.
- ii. AGNES BACON, b. Oct. 27, 1876.
- iii. HENRY OTIS, b. July 18, 1878; is a draftsman; resides in Newton; unm.

**1236.** JAMES WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*James N.*<sup>1129</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 28, 1860, in Newton, Mass.; died November 11, 1894, in North Conway, N. H.; married August 6, 1891, in Bridgewater, Mass., Nettie Forrest Thompson, daughter of Jacob Perkins and Florence (Leach) Thompson, born September 6, 1869, in Halifax, Mass. She resides in Cambridge, Mass.

James W. Trowbridge entered mercantile life and for three years prior to his death he had held a good position as a salesman in a clothing house in Brockton, Mass. His health failed early in 1894, and he went to Echo Lake Farm in North Conway, N. H., where he died a few months later. He was a man of kind and genial disposition, and made friends wherever he went.

NO CHILDREN.

**1237.** ALMARIN TROWBRIDGE (*Almarin*<sup>1121</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 19, 1851, in Charlestown, Mass.; died December 5, 1878, in Red Wing, Minn.; married January 1, 1877, in Charlestown, Katie Darling, daughter of William and Dorcas (Richardson) Darling, born January 5, 1854, in Groton, Vt. She married, second, July 1, 1886, in Boston, Mass., Mark Shultis and resides in Brookline, Mass.

Almarin Trowbridge attended the Charlestown, Mass., public schools, and while he was a student in the Charlestown high school the principal, Mr. Emory, noticed his mechanical ability and advised him to go to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Influenced by this and the kindly interest of a teacher, Miss Chamberlain, he took his examinations, and at the age of sixteen entered that institution, from which he was graduated with honors four years later, in

\* A sketch of Mr. Trowbridge appeared in the *Musical Record and Review* for June, 1891.



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1871. His first position was with Mr. Channing Whitaker of Lowell, Mass., where his duties were to make plans for mills and other buildings. Because of ill health, he was obliged to leave there and return home.

Mr. Trowbridge became an hydraulic engineer of great promise, and would, doubtless, but for his early death, have soon ranked among the first in his profession. Most of the drawings for Mr. J. P. Frizell's articles on hydrostatics and the hydrostatic press which appeared in "Johnson's Universal Cyclopædia" in 1882 were made by him, he being in Mr. Frizell's employ at the time the articles were written; the Cyclopædia, however, did not appear until after his death. In the fall of 1878 he secured a position in the U. S. engineer's office in St. Paul, Minn., and went there with his young wife. While residing there, he contracted typhoid fever and died that December in Red Wing, Minn.

The following letter was written to his father soon after his death.

"Engineer Office, U. S. Army.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 11th, 1878.

MR. A. TROWBRIDGE, Boston, Mass.,

*My dear Sir:* I write to tell you how keenly the death of your son was felt by all connected with this office. Although here but a short time, he had made his mark as a zealous, careful, competent assistant. I never met anybody who took up whatever subject was assigned to him more readily and with more method, and who gave greater promise of eminence in his profession.

A day or two before his departure for Red Wing he complained of headache and asked leave of absence—a request readily granted. As soon as informed of his illness, I wrote him, in effect, to take his own time and get well, and not to worry. But his mind was, I fear, too active for his body.

With sympathy for yourself and family, and for your son's wife,

I am, very truly yours,

CHAS. J. ALLEN, U. S. A."

Mr. Trowbridge as an hydraulic engineer was indeed an authority. Besides his mechanical ability, he was an excellent musician, composing music for the piano and organ, both of which he played. He was a fine German scholar, and also possessed artistic and literary talent to a considerable degree. He was a man of unusually fine and able character. His control of temper, begun in boyhood, is said to have been almost perfect. Under all circumstances he was a gentleman, generous, kind and considerate of others. He was also imbued with philanthropic principles, having, young as he was, plans for model tenement houses, and various projects to help the poor and unfortunate.

CHILD BORN IN CHARLESTOWN, MASS.:

- i. ELIZABETH DARLING, b. May 21, 1879.

**1238.** JOSEPH SOUTHER TROWBRIDGE (*Almarin*<sup>1121</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>1954</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1923</sup>, *Thaddens*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 18, 1854, in Charlestown, Mass.; died February 7, 1903, in Denver, Colo.; married, first, January 22, 1880, in Boston, Mass., Alice Amelia Cann, daughter of Henry Andrew and Helen Mar (Tobey) Cann, born May 27, 1859, in Boston; died September 11, 1884, in Winchester, Mass. He married, second, December 5, 1895, in Stoneham, Mass., Louise Belmont Manchester, daughter of Frank Herbert and Harriet Augusta (Fuller) Manchester, born March 31, 1871, in North Raynham, Mass. She resides in Boston.

Joseph S. Trowbridge received his education in the public schools of his native place and was graduated from the Charlestown high school at the age of seventeen. On November 6, 1873, he became messenger in the National Union Bank in Boston, Mass., with which his father was connected for so many years. He was appointed receiving teller November 1, 1878, and paying teller March 1, 1892.

He held this position until April 1, 1902, when he was compelled to resign on account of ill health. He twice went to Denver, Colo., hoping that the change would prove beneficial to his health, but such proved not to be the case, and he died there a few months after his second arrival.

Mr. Trowbridge resided in Boston until the spring of 1881, when he moved to Winchester, Mass. After his second marriage and until he went to Denver he made his home in Stoneham, Mass. As a young man he served in the state militia. He was a member of the Calumet Club of Winchester and the Corinthian Yacht Club of Marblehead. He was a member of the Unitarian church in Winchester.

## CHILDREN :

*By first marriage.\**

1319. i. ALMARIN, b. Mar. 27, 1881, in Boston, Mass.  
 1320. ii. HENRY EVERARD, b. Apr. 23, 1882, in Winchester, Mass.  
 iii. ALICE AMELIA, b. Sept. 9, 1884, in Winchester; m. Sept. 9, 1906, Vincent Percival and resides in Dorchester, Mass.

1239. WILLIAM RUFUS TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1122</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 29, 1851, in Bath, Ga.; resides in North Augusta, S. C.; married November 7, 1872, in 121st district, Richmond county, Ga., Amelia Haseltine Morris, daughter of Rev. Edmund and Caroline (Hardy) Morris, born March 7, 1854, in Graniteville, S. C.

William R. Trowbridge in 1858, at the age of six years, began his school duties at Bath Academy, Bath, Ga., which he attended until 1867, when he entered Prof. J. Alma Pelot's private school for boys near Augusta, Ga., where he completed his course in 1870. For a number of years he was engaged in planting in Blythe, Richmond county, Ga., but since 1890 has been in the building contracting business in Augusta. In February, 1905, he removed with his family to North Augusta, S. C., a suburb of Augusta, where he resides at present.

Mr. Trowbridge soon after his marriage united with the Bath Baptist church, of which his father-in-law was minister, and he became very prominent in its affairs.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BLYTHE, GA. :

1321. i. CLARENCE ALMARIN, b. Aug. 16, 1873.  
 ii. EDMUND WILLIAM, b. Oct. 5, 1874; is in the hardware business in Augusta, Ga.; unm.  
 iii. EULA MAY, b. Dec. 5, 1875; m. Dec. 23, 1902, Robert Newton Haynie and resides near Blythe.  
 iv. EUGENIA SARAH, b. Apr. 16, 1877; m. July 9, 1902, Charles Burton Hicks and resides in Atlanta, Ga.  
 v. DAISY OIE, b. Feb. 28, 1879; m. Dec. 10, 1903, Robert Allen Crockett, Jr., and resides near Sylvania, Ga.  
 vi. ALICE MARIA, b. Jan. 18, 1881.  
 vii. INEZ BEATRICE, b. Sept. 28, 1883; d. Mar. 7, 1884.  
 viii. HATTIE LEE, b. Jan. 26, 1886; m. June 21, 1905, Edward Oliver Templeton and resides near Blythe.  
 ix. JONES RUFUS, b. Oct. 29, 1887; in 1893 entered Blythe Academy, which he attended until 1902, when he entered Osbourne's Business College, where he completed his course in 1903. He is at present connected with the Georgia Chemical Works, fertilizer manufacturers in Augusta, Ga., and resides with his parents in North Augusta, S. C. He is unmarried.  
 x. TRUMAN MORRIS, b. Sept. 28, 1889.  
 xi. LOUIS FREDERICK, b. Feb. 14, 1892.  
 xii. RUTH BEATRICE, b. Dec. 20, 1896.

1240. JOHN FRANCIS TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1122</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 20, 1853, in Bath, Ga.; resides in Bath (Blythe P. O.); married March 20, 1883, in Bath.

\* No children by second marriage.



Emmaline Evans McNair, daughter of Lee Beverly and Rosa Elizabeth (Rheney) McNair, born August 15, 1860, in Waynesborough, Ga.

John F. Trowbridge is engaged in farming on a farm given him by his father in 1876. He resides two and one-half miles south of Bath, Ga.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BATH, GA.:

- i. MARIA, b. Oct. 7, 1884.
- ii. SALLIE, b. July 31, 1886.
- iii. ROSA LOU, b. Sept. 30, 1888.
- iv. FANNIE, b. Dec. 25, 1890.
- v. IRENE, b. Feb. 8, 1893.
- vi. MARY GERTRUDE, b. May 23, 1895.
- vii. JOHN EVANS, b. July 2, 1897; d. Oct. 8, 1898.

**1241.** JAMES WALTER TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1123</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 21, 1853, in Bath, Ga.; resides in Bath (Blythe P. O.); married March 25, 1876, in Bath, Idelette Euphemia Goddard,\* daughter of William Henry and Margaret Euphemia (White) Goddard, born September 2, 1856, in Savannah, Ga.

James W. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Bath, Ga. He is an elder in the Bath Presbyterian church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BATH, GA.:

1322. i. LUCIEN ASH, b. Mar. 26, 1880.
- ii. JULIAN COTTINO, b. Nov. 15, 1882.
- iii. ALBERTA EUPHEMIA, b. Aug. 26, 1885.
- iv. JAMES WALTER, b. Jan. 23, 1889.
- v. HARPER BACON, b. Nov. 17, 1891.
- vi. MARION EUGENE, b. Aug. 17, 1894.
- vii. ELWYN PINCKNEY, b. May 26, 1897.

**1242.** FRANCIS VALLOTTON TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1123</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 26, 1857, in Bath, Ga.; resides in Bath; married July 6, 1879, in Bath, Leona May Goddard,† daughter of William Henry and Margaret Euphemia (White) Goddard, born May 17, 1863, in Charleston, S. C.

Francis V. Trowbridge is engaged in farming on the farm owned formerly by his father in Bath, Ga.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BATH, GA.:

- i. FRANCIS GODDAED, b. Sept. 12, 1880.
- ii. RAYMON, b. Jan. 28, 1888.
- iii. WILLIAM ALMARIN, b. June 1, 1890.
- iv. MONTFORD SCHLEY, b. Apr. 21, 1892.
- v. MOULTRIE CLYDE, b. Nov. 19, 1894.
- vi. KATIE MAY, b. July 2, 1897.
- vii. FREDERICK LEONARD, b. Sept. 29, 1900.
- viii. LEONA GRACE, b. Apr. 21, 1906.

**1243.** WILLIAM PINCKNEY TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1123</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 5, 1862, in Bath, Ga.; died March 18, 1891, in Augusta, Ga.; married October 10, 1889, in Augusta, Alice Rodgers. She married, second, \_\_\_\_\_.

William P. Trowbridge was engaged in mercantile business in Augusta, Ga.

## NO CHILDREN.

\* A sister of the wife of his brother No. 1242.

† A sister of the wife of his brother No. 1241.

**1244.** GEORGE FREEMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac C.*<sup>1124</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 1, 1858, in Boston, Mass.; resides in New York City; married November 21, 1883, in New York City, Annie Franklin Wendell, daughter of Jacob Livingston and Emma Ann (Seidel) Wendell, born July 9, 1865, in Philadelphia, Pa.

George F. Trowbridge was educated in the public schools of his native city. He went into the exporting house of Gray & Danforth of Boston, who removed to New York City in March, 1881. The business was succeeded by the Strong & Trowbridge Co., of which concern he has been the managing head and in which he holds the office of vice-president and treasurer.

Mr. Trowbridge after his marriage resided in New York City and later in Montclair, N. J. In the latter place he was a member and director of the Montclair Club. In 1905 he returned to New York to reside. He is a member of the New York Chamber of Commerce, Down Town Association and other clubs, and is also secretary of the American Exporters and Importers Association. He attends the Congregational Church.

CHILD BORN IN BROOKLYN, N. Y.:

- i. ANNIE FREEMAN, b. Feb. 7, 1885; m. June 5, 1907, Harry Comly Fling and resides in New York City.

**1245.** ISAAC WALTER TROWBRIDGE (*Isaac C.*<sup>1124</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 22, 1863, in Boston, Mass.; resides in Montclair, N. J.; married February 9, 1899, in New York City, Emily Wyckoff Smith, daughter of Moses and Emily (Wyckoff) Smith, born October 28, 1874, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

I. Walter Trowbridge received his education in the Boston public schools. He came to New York City and entered on a business career with Strong & Trowbridge. He afterwards became a professional accountant and continued in that business until 1902, when he became auditor of the Strong & Trowbridge Co., exporters, of New York City, with whom he is at present associated. He resides in Montclair, N. J.

CHILDREN:

- i. THOMAS, b. July 14, 1901, in New York City.
- ii. GEORGE FREEMAN, b. June 6, 1906, in Montclair, N. J.

**1246.** REV. CHARLES REUBEN TROWBRIDGE (*James A.*<sup>1123</sup>, *Reuben*<sup>1055</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 1, 1859, in Baltimore, Md.; resides in Easton, Pa.; married April 28, 1886, in York, Pa., Anna Margaret Lilly, daughter of Rev. Aaron Walter and Margery Ann (Herman) Lilly, born October 26, 1861, in York.

Charles R. Trowbridge received the foundation of his education in the public schools of his native city, from which he went in 1878 to Pennsylvania College, Gettysburg, Pa., the foremost literary institution of the Lutheran Church in the East. After a four years' course he was graduated with honors in 1882. He returned to Gettysburg in the fall of the same year to enter the Lutheran Theological Seminary, the oldest theological institution of the Lutheran Church in the United States. He was graduated in 1885, after a full course in theology, and was ordained to the ministry of the Lutheran Church in September, 1885. He accepted a call to the pulpit of the Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church in Trenton, N. J.

He remained there until September, 1888, when he received and accepted a call to St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Easton, Pa. After serving this congregation for four years he was urgently requested in 1892 to undertake work in





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Baltimore, Md., by the congregation of St. Paul's Lutheran Church of that city, and he became its pastor and served this people until the summer of 1896. Failing health compelled him to give up the active duties of the ministry, and he retired to his former home in Easton, Pa., for a period of rest. After some months he found himself able to resume preaching and pastoral duties, and in January, 1898, he began supplying the pulpit of his former charge in Easton, to the full pastorate of which he was for the second time called in March, 1898.

Mr. Trowbridge was for two years (1895-7) a member of the Foreign Mission Board of the General Synod of the Lutheran Church in the United States, having in charge missions among the people of India and West Africa. He is secretary of the board of trustees of Irving College and Music Conservatory for Young Women, Mechanicsburg, Pa. He has been elected to membership in the Pennsylvania State Society of the Cincinnati, Maryland Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, Pennsylvania-German Society, American Association for the Advancement of Science and the college fraternity of Sigma Chi. He has also served as vice-president of the Historical Society of the Lutheran Church.\*

## CHILD BORN IN BALTIMORE, MD.:

- i. JAMES LILLY, b. May 18, 1894.

**1247.** CHARLES HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Henry E.*<sup>1127</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>1056</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 31, 1851, in Cambridgeport, Mass.; resides in Melrose, Mass.; married May 23, 1877, in Stoneham, Mass., Georgie E. Richardson, daughter of Henry C. and Catherine (Simonds) Richardson, born December 1, 1852, in Melrose.

Charles H. Trowbridge is in business as a painter in Melrose, Mass.

## CHILD BORN IN MELROSE, MASS.:

- i. LENA, b. Sept. 23, 1879.

**1248.** GEORGE WARREN TROWBRIDGE (*Henry E.*<sup>1127</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>1056</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 11, 1853, in Cambridgeport, Mass.; resides in Needham, Mass.; married January 13, 1881, in Newton Upper Falls, Mass., Martha Ann Buttrick, daughter of David Henry and Julia Ann (Thayer) Buttrick, born April 19, 1863, in Boston, Mass.

George W. Trowbridge is a farmer. He resided some years in Newton, Mass., and at present resides in Needham, Mass.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:

- i. ALICE MAY, b. May 16, 1882; d. Sept. 19, 1897.
- ii. WARREN, b. Nov. 24, 1886.
- iii. EVERETT, b. Mar. 20, 1890.
- iv. ROBERT SKIDMORE, b. Oct. 10, 1892.

**1249.** DR. EDWARD HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*William S.*<sup>1128</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>1056</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 1, 1856, in Portland, Me.; resides in Worcester, Mass.; married September 5, 1888, in Framingham, Mass., Carrie Louise Parker, daughter of Charles Webster and Harriet (Phillbrick) Parker, born February 19, 1860, in Boston, Mass.

Edward H. Trowbridge was graduated from the Portland high school in 1875, being one of the speakers at the graduation exercises. For the six months following he read law, but, not being satisfied with the law, he fitted for college.

\* Mr. Trowbridge was invited to send his photograph for reproduction here, but declined.

and in the fall of 1877 entered Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H. While a student there he was elected a member of the Alpha Delta Phi fraternity. He was admitted to the Phi Beta Kappa at Dartmouth at his graduation. He was graduated in 1881, receiving the degree of B.A., and was one of the Commencement speakers.

In July, 1881, he began the study of medicine at the Portland Medical School and attended lectures at the Medical School of Maine at Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Me. After devoting three full years to medical study he was graduated from the latter institution in 1884. During the last two years of attendance at the recitations at the Portland Medical School he was in the office of Dr. S. C. Gordon. He spent the year from August 1, 1884, to August 1, 1885, as house physician and surgeon at the Maine General Hospital. He then spent two months in study in New York City. In the latter part of September, 1885, he came to Worcester, Mass., and commenced the practice of his profession, and has continued actively employed in it up to the present time.

Doctor Trowbridge was appointed in 1890 surgeon to the out-department of the Worcester City Hospital and in 1896 one of its visiting surgeons, which latter appointment is still in force. In the summer of 1905 he was abroad and visited the hospitals in London and Paris, and took a course in surgery in Vienna. Doctor and Mrs. Trowbridge spent the summer of 1907 in Europe, the doctor devoting some time to study at Vienna. In December, 1907, he was elected a member of the Worcester school board for a term of three years.

Doctor Trowbridge is a member of the Massachusetts Medical Society, which he joined in 1885, and the American Academy of Medicine. While in Portland he became a member of Maine Lodge, No. 1, I. O. O. F. He was made a Mason in Quinsigamond Lodge of Worcester, Mass., in 1889. He was for several years surgeon of the Worcester Continentals, a well-known military organization, resigning that position in 1901.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. PARKER VINCENT, b. Aug. 1, 1889; d. Aug. 6, 1889.
- ii. PARKER, b. Oct. 31, 1890.
- iii. GLADYS ISABELLE, b. June 3, 1893.
- iv. LOUISE, b. Feb. 4, 1896.

**1249a.** CHARLES IRVING TROWBRIDGE (*Charles I.*<sup>1130</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>1056</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 20, 1862, in Portland, Me.; died January 5, 1898, in Boston, Mass.; married June 12, 1887, in Boston, Nellie ———, who died January 7, 1898, in Boston.

Charles I. Trowbridge was a clerk in a trust company in Boston, Mass.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BOSTON, MASS.:

- i. HAROLD STEPHEN, b. May 20, 1888; resides in Craftsbury, Vt.†
- ii. LESTER, b. Dec. —, 1889; d. ———, 1896.
- iii. ETHEL MONA, b. May 7, 1891‡.

**1250.** HERBERT MOULTON TROWBRIDGE (*Theodore W.*<sup>1133</sup>, *Stephen W.*<sup>1057</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 5, 1876, in New York City; resides in Los Angeles, Cal.; married June 8, 1904, in Los Angeles, Rosalie Winton Woods, daughter of Oliver Bryson and Anna Yeatman (Anderson) Woods, born November 17, 1877, in Trinidad, Colo.

\* i-ii born in Framingham, Mass.; iii-iv in Worcester, Mass.

† Was adopted after his parents' death by Noble H. Kinney of Craftsbury and his name changed.

‡ Legally adopted by George Averell of Topsfield, Mass., and name changed to Ethel Trowbridge Averell.

Herbert M. Trowbridge grew up in his parent's home in Newton, Mass. He was for a time a bookkeeper in Boston, Mass. He removed to Los Angeles, Cal., and is a clerk in the Los Angeles National Bank.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1251.** CHARLES CAPEN TROWBRIDGE (*Asa*<sup>1138</sup>, *Nathan*<sup>1059</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 3, 1861, in Brighton, Mass.; died April 1, 1905, in Marlborough, Mass.; married September 15, 1896, in Marlborough, Abby Putnam Eaton, daughter of Joshua Putnam and Lucy Chamberlain (Sanger) Eaton, born June 13, 1872, in Lynn, Mass. She married, second, August 12, 1906, in New York City, Virgil W. Fuller and resides in Andover, Mass.

Charles C. Trowbridge went with his parents to Marlborough, Mass. He later formed a partnership there with Arthur C. Lamson, under the firm name of Lamson & Trowbridge, hardware dealers. He continued in this connection until his death.

## CHILD BORN IN MARLBOROUGH, MASS.:

- i. CHARLOTTE, b. May 8, 1905.

**1252.** EDWARD JACKSON TROWBRIDGE (*Asa*<sup>1138</sup>, *Nathan*<sup>1059</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 12, 1863, in Brighton, Mass.; resides in Sanbornton (Tilton P. O.), N. H.; married October 16, 1889, in Framingham, Mass., Eva Harriet White, daughter of Frederick Augustus and Adelaide Betsey (Young) White, born January 21, 1871, in Charlestown, Mass.

Edward J. Trowbridge went to Framingham, Mass., in June, 1879. He lived there until March, 1895, when he removed to his present home in Sanbornton, N. H. He is a farmer. He and his wife are members of the Congregational church in that town.

## CHILDREN BORN IN SANBORNTON, N. H.:

- i. MARION FULLER, b. June 27, 1893.
- ii. ADDIE ELIZABETH, b. May 13, 1897.
- iii. KATHERINE EVA, b. Dec. 10, 1900.
- iv. IDA LOUISE, b. Oct. 6, 1902.

**1253.** GEORGE EDWARD TROWBRIDGE (*Edward B.*<sup>1140</sup>, *Nathan*<sup>1059</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 28, 1862, in West Newton, Mass.; resides in West Newton; married November 9, 1887, in West Newton, Alice Amelia Whitman, daughter of Silas and Helen Parker (Leonard) Whitman, born December 4, 1862, in Inglisville, Nova Scotia.

George E. Trowbridge was for some years in the milk business in his native town, but lately ill health has prevented his being in active business. He resides in West Newton, Mass.

## CHILD BORN IN WEST NEWTON, MASS.:

- i. HELEN ADELIA, b. Feb. 25, 1891; d. Aug. 7, 1892.

**1254.** ALPHEUS EUGENE TROWBRIDGE (*Edward B.*<sup>1140</sup>, *Nathan*<sup>1059</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 9, 1864, in West Newton, Mass.; resides in West Newton; married October 11, 1885, in West Boylston, Mass., Susan Warren Flagg, daughter of Ward Nicholas and Mary Ann (Warren) Flagg, born May 8, 1863, in Boylston, Mass.

\* Except i, who was born in Framingham, Mass.

Alpheus E. Trowbridge is a clerk in a large grocery house in his native place, West Newton, Mass.

## CHILD BORN IN WEST NEWTON, MASS.:

- i. ELNA GERTRUDE, b. Apr. 2, 1891.

**1255.** FREDERICK LAWRENCE TROWBRIDGE (*Edward B.*<sup>1140</sup>, *Nathan*<sup>1059</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 25, 1868, in West Newton, Mass.; resides in Newton, Mass.; married December 28, 1892, in Newton, Carrie Adelaide Wellington, daughter of Henry Francis and Eliza Ann (Ewell) Wellington, born May 15, 1869, in Newton.

Frederick L. Trowbridge is manager's assistant in the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston, Mass. He resides in Newton, Mass.

## CHILD BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:

- i. LAWRENCE WELLINGTON, b. Mar. 25, 1899.
- ii. AVIS, b. Feb. 23, 1907.

**1256.** EDWIN TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>1142</sup>, *Asa*<sup>1060</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 24, 1844, in Newton, Mass.; died April 2, 1896, in Franklin, Mass.; married November 24, 1865, in Boston, Mass.; Flora Augusta Kingsbury, daughter of Fisher and Caroline Maria (Daniels) Kingsbury, born May 13, 1845, in Franklin. She resides in Franklin.

Edwin Trowbridge developed musical ability at an early age and played the organ in church the first time when eight years old. He established himself in business in Franklin, Mass., as a manufacturer of upright pianos, under the firm name of the Trowbridge Piano Co., of which he was the sole owner at his death. Since his decease the business has been successfully carried on by his widow, who has continued to be its sole owner.

Mr. Trowbridge was a fine musician and was prominent in local musical circles. He held the position of organist in Franklin for twenty-one years, and at the time of his death the society for which he was playing had engaged his services for life. He was of a quiet, retiring disposition, making and keeping hosts of friends. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity and the Odd Fellows.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1257.** CHARLES HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Charles P.*<sup>1143</sup>, *Asa*<sup>1060</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 12, 1855, in Brookline, Mass.; resides in Oakham, Mass.; married, first, November 19, 1879, in Hopkinton, Mass., Martha Smith Bradford, daughter of James and Waity Jane (Bean) Bradford, born October 14, 1857, in Hopkinton; died May 17, 1881, in Oakham. He married, second, June 19, 1893, in Oakham, Jane Eliza (Davis) Presho, daughter of Leonard Wood and Caroline Basima (Holmes) Davis, born February 11, 1854, in Oakham.

Charles H. Trowbridge at the age of five years was sent from home to live with the family of Mr. Page Austen in Oakham, Mass. In the year 1868 he commenced work on a farm and he continued working for various individuals for about ten years. On March 1, 1878, he began to carry the United States mail between Oakham and North Brookfield, Mass., continuing in this occupation, with the exception of six months, from November 1, 1887, which he spent in California, until July 1, 1890. During the remainder of the year 1890 and the year 1891 he was employed in a crockery store in North Brookfield, going from there to Ware, Mass., where he continued in a branch of the same store until



1892. He then returned to Oakham and for a year was engaged in farming there. On June 15, 1893, he became clerk in the grocery store of N. W. Packard in Oakham, a position he has since filled. He resides in a home that he owns in that village.

## CHILD BORN IN OAKHAM, MASS.:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. ETHEL AUSTEN, b. Mar. 28, 1881; d. Sept. 12, 1881.

**1258.** JOSEPH CHACE TROWBRIDGE (*Charles P.*<sup>1143</sup>, *Asa*<sup>1060</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1024</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 5, 1869, in Brookline, Mass.; resides in Stoughton, Mass.; married September 29, 1891, in Sharon, Mass., Mattie Alice Clapp, daughter of James Bradford and Eliza (Phillips) Clapp, born February 25, 1874, in Westfield, Mass.

Joseph C. Trowbridge is engaged in the restaurant business in Stoughton, Mass.

## CHILD BORN IN STOUGHTON, MASS.:

- i. JOSEPH CHACE, b. Apr. 11, 1892.

**1259.** WILLIAM EDWARD TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1145</sup>, *John*<sup>1061</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 13, 1819, in Warren, Me.; died April 21, 1904, in Togus, Me.; married December 16, 1846, in Waldoboro, Me., Maria Martha Brown, daughter of John and Parnel (Doane) Brown, born December —, 1818, in Waldoboro; died July 22, 1866, in Waldoboro.

William E. Trowbridge settled in Waldoboro, Me., where he was for many years a spar maker. He was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted June 9, 1861, for three years in Company G, 4th Maine Infantry. He was wounded in the left ear in the battle of Bull Run. He was taken prisoner at Alexandria, but was soon paroled. He was transferred to Company D, 24th Veteran Reserve Corps, March 15, 1864, and was mustered out June 27, 1864. He resided the latter years of his life at the National Soldiers' Home in Togus, Me. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WALDOBORO, ME.:

- i. HIRAM O., b. Dec. —, 1849; d. May 20, 1874, in Waldoboro; unm.
- ii. WILLIAM, b. ———, 185—; d. aged less than 1 year.
- iii. WILLIAM, b. ———, 185—; d. aged less than 1 year.
- iv. GEORGE BRINTON, b. ———, 185—; d. aged 2½ years.

**1260.** JOHN DAVIS TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1145</sup>, *John*<sup>1061</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 22, 1822, in Waldoboro, Me.; died May 31, 1875, in Waldoboro; married January 6, 1848, in Waldoboro, Sarah Abigail Castner, daughter of Charles and Margaret (Bornheimer) Castner, born February 22, 1828, in Waldoboro. She resides in Waldoboro.

John D. Trowbridge, like his father and all of his brothers, learned the trade of spar making, and was engaged in this business in Waldoboro, Me., where he also owned a farm. He was one of the most honorable and conscientious of men, strictly temperate, and having a high regard for all Christian enterprises, and was held in great esteem by his fellow citizens. He was a regular attendant of the Congregational church in Waldoboro, of which his widow is a member.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. MARY CASTNER, b. Jan. 2, 1849; m. Sept. 5, 1874, Capt. Thomas Franklin Sprout and resides in Waldoboro, Me.

\* No children by second marriage.

† i and vi-vii born in Waldoboro, Me.; the others in Damariscotta, Me.

- ii. CLARA, b. Dec. 20, 1851; d. Apr. 9, 1854.
- iii. EMMA, b. Oct. 17, 1853; m. Oct. 18, 1892, David Wood Potter and resides in Waldoboro.
- iv. GEORGE, b. Mar. 23, 1856; d. Sept. 5, 1856.
- v. EVERETT, b. Feb. 4, 1858; grew up in his native place, Waldoboro, Me. He was for fifteen years a dealer in groceries, crockery and glassware there, and then for a number of years was not engaged in business. He was chosen a deacon in the Waldoboro Congregational church, and also served as its clerk and superintendent of its Sunday school. He was also a member of the town's school committee. In November, 1903, he located in Mausfield, Mass., where he later engaged in the manufacture of flavoring extracts, in which he has since continued. He is unmarried.
- vi. EDWARD ALLYN, b. Oct. 8, 1866; received his early education in the public schools of Waldoboro, his native place. On January 3, 1885, he came to Boston, Mass., in which city he has since resided. He attended the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, from which he was graduated in 1886, and is a registered pharmacist in both Maine and Massachusetts. After his graduation he was for some years engaged in the drug business in Boston. He then became a salesman with Belding Bros. & Co., silk manufacturers, of Boston, and remained with that concern until 1905. He then entered the employ of the Warren Soap Manufacturing Company of Boston, manufacturers of textile soaps and chemicals. He was connected with it several years as a salesman and is now a member of the firm.

Mr. Trowbridge has long been prominent in politics in Boston. He was a member of the Republican committee of Ward 11, the Back Bay-Beacon Hill section of the city, for ten years continuously (1893-1903), when he resigned solely on account of the demands of his business. During this time he devoted himself with the most painstaking care to the service of the party. He has never held any public office, either elective or appointive, although there is no doubt that the Republicans of his ward would have supported him enthusiastically for any office in their gift. During his term of service he was for three years treasurer of his ward committee and three years its chairman, and is known by all leading politicians as an exponent of clean and wholesome politics, and his loyalty to a very wide circle of friends is second only to his devotion to the cause of good citizenship. When Jesse M. Gove resigned the presidency of the city committee in 1901, Mr. Trowbridge was strongly urged by the leaders to become the head of the organization, but he felt that he would not be able to do justice to the position without too entirely neglecting his private interests, and was obliged to decline.

Mr. Trowbridge united in early youth with the Waldoboro Congregational church and became a member by letter of the Park Street Congregational Church in Boston. He is a member of the Congregational Church Union and the New England Sabbath Protective League. He is a member of the Young Men's Christian Association, and served on the committee of its International Jubilee Convention in Boston in June, 1901. He is also a member of Revere Lodge of Masons; St. Paul's Chapter, Royal Arch Masons; Boston Council, Royal and Select Masons; De Molay Commandery, Knights Templar; the Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants; the Massachusetts Society of the Sons of the American Revolution; the Republican Club of Massachusetts; the Massachusetts Civic League; and the Park Street Club of Boston, of which he is an ex-president.

Mr. Trowbridge has been indefatigable in collecting the records of the descendants of his great-grandfather, John Trowbridge, and it is due to his efforts that his branch of the family is presented in so complete a form. He resides in Boston and is unmarried.

- vii. JOHN DAVIS, b. Dec. 15, 1868; d. that day.

**1261.** ROBERT TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1145</sup>, *John*<sup>1061</sup>, *John*<sup>1023</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 6, 1825, in Waldoboro, Me.; died October 26, 1873, near Brunswick, Ga.; married November 15, 1849, in Providence, R. I., Sarah Jane Lambert, daughter of John G. and Susan (Weaver) Lambert, born March 27, 1825, in Waldoboro; died July 4, 1852, in Waldoboro.

Robert Trowbridge learned the trade of a spar maker in his native place. He settled after his marriage in Rockland, Me., and engaged in shipbuilding. He



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was also for a number of years inspector of customs there. He died while in the South, whither he had gone for the sake of his health. He was a member of the I. O. O. F.

## CHILD BORN IN ROCKLAND, ME.:

1323. i. FREDERICK KENT, b. Nov. 30, 1851.

**1262. JAMES TROWBRIDGE** (*John*<sup>1145</sup>, *John*<sup>1061</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 31, 1830, in Waldoboro, Me.; resides in Somerville, Mass.; married July 3, 1853, in Charlestown, Mass., Abbie Frances Smith, daughter of David and Huldah (Kelley) Smith, born February 6, 1835, in Charlestown; died April 20, 1903, in Somerville.

James Trowbridge learned the spar maker's trade in Waldoboro, Me., his native place. Soon after reaching his majority he went to Charlestown, Mass., where he worked at his trade for several years. He then came to reside in Somerville, Mass., where he is at present in business as a carpenter.

## CHILDREN:

- i. CARRIE LOCKE, b. Aug. 27, 1854, in Charlestown, Mass.; m. Nov. 5, 1875, Sidney A. Morley and resides in Somerville, Mass.
- ii. ELLA FRANCES, b. Jan. 19, 1858, in Somerville; m. June 15, 1883, Mark J. Elvedt and resides in Somerville.

**1263. EDWIN TROWBRIDGE** (*John*<sup>1145</sup>, *John*<sup>1061</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 25, 1834, in Waldoboro, Me.; died February 2, 1885, in Thomaston, Me.; married April 15, 1859, in Rockland, Me., Hannah Laurie Bradford, daughter of Ebenezer and Annie (Lowry) Bradford, born June 3, 1833, in Waldoboro; died November 1, 1887, in Thomaston.

Edwin Trowbridge was taught the trade of spar making by his father, and was engaged in business as a mast and spar contractor, first in Waldoboro and later in Thomaston, Me. In his business he was an exceptional master, and superior in his capacity of efficiency and agreeably handling a body of men.

Mr. Trowbridge and his family were members of the Baptist church in Thomaston, and for several years he served as one of its deacons. To the world at large the principal things that commended themselves were his open, square, honorable life with all his fellowmen, his excellent judgment, the result of a remarkably well-balanced mind, and his kindly treatment of everybody under all circumstances regardless of his station, wealth or culture. He was a man of comparatively few words, but abounding in good acts and leading a noble life, and was highly esteemed by his fellow citizens for his sterling worth of character. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity.

"Mr. Trowbridge set aside, during his life, one tenth of his property for religious and benevolent purposes at home and abroad. Although that tenth part increased more rapidly than did the rest of his estate, he never made use of it for any other purpose than that to which he had first devoted it. He never let his left hand know what his right hand did, and it was not until after his death that even his own family knew how great, in proportion to his means, had been his charities. Both he and his wife were sincere Christians and their lives were daily given to the service of God in its highest spiritual meaning."

## CHILDREN BORN IN WALDOBORO, ME.:

1324. i. HENRY, b. Mar. 16, 1860.
- ii. STELLA, b. Jan. 17, 1862; m., 1st, Feb. 1, 1883, Hon. Albert Perham Gould of Thomaston, Me.; m., 2d, Apr. 20, 1891, Hervey Williams Whitaker, M.D., and resides in Thomaston.

**1264.** CHARLES TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1145</sup>, *John*<sup>1061</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 14, 1842, in Wadoboro, Me.; died July 5, 1875, in Charlestown, Mass.; married December 18, 1872, in Charlestown, Harriet Frye Archer,\* daughter of William and Maria Head (Davis) Archer, born January 19, 1840, in Charlestown. She resides in Charlestown.

Charles Trowbridge, like his father and brothers, learned to be a spar maker. When a young man he went to Charlestown, Mass., where he followed his trade until his death. He was a Free Mason, being a member of lodge and chapter, and at one time held the office of principal sojourner.

NO CHILDREN.

**1265.** BENJAMIN FRANKLIN TROWBRIDGE (*Nathan S.*<sup>1147</sup>, *John*<sup>1061</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 1, 1838, in Northport, Me.; resides in Everett, Mass.; married ———, 1861, in Chelsea, Mass., Martha Smith Chipman, daughter of ——— and Ruth (Smith) Chipman, born ———, 1838, in Wellfleet, Mass.; died ———, 1895, in Yonkers, N. Y.

Benjamin F. Trowbridge in early life followed the sea for thirteen years. In the course of his voyages he sailed to many European ports, the East Indies, South America and Australia. His vessel was engaged in transporting troops and war supplies from the latter country during the Crimean War. His last voyage was in a ship belonging to Bath, Me., from Shields, England, with coal to New Haven, Conn. He then took up the painting trade, at which he has since worked in several places. His present residence is Everett, Mass.

CHILDREN : †

- i. ELLA GERTRUDE, b. Oct. 13, 1862; m. July —, 1878, Manuel Solis and resides in Chelsea, Mass.
- ii. HATTIE FRANCES, b. Mar. 7, 1867; m. June 9, 1891, John Seymour Kettell and resides in Yonkers, N. Y.
- iii. ALBERT EDWIN, † twins, d. in infancy.
- iv. MAMIE, † (b. Mar. 15, 1869; m. Frederick Leon Read and resides in Yonkers.
- v. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. Dec. 8, 1872; resides in New York City.
- vi. ANNETTA EVELINE, b. Sept. 20, 1874; d. in infancy.

**1266.** GEORGE PHINEAS TROWBRIDGE (*Phineas P.*<sup>1149</sup>, *Phineas*<sup>1062</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 29, 1848, in Leominster, Mass.; died June 1, 1895, in Lowell, Mass.; married September 25, 1878, in Chelmsford, Mass., Esther Lunette Blodgett, daughter of George Thomas and Abby Meriba (Plummer) Blodgett, born July 5, 1854, in Westford, Mass. She resides in Fitchburg, Mass.

George P. Trowbridge was a machinist by trade and was in the employ of the Merrimac Manufacturing Company in Lowell, Mass., at the time of his death.

Mr. Trowbridge was for over ten years a member of Company G, the Putnam Guards, 6th Regiment, M. N. G. He rose to the rank of first sergeant, being appointed to that position January 1, 1876, and holding it until he resigned from the service in June, 1879. He was a member for more than twenty years of Warmeset Lodge, Knights of Pythias, of which and of Garfield Colony, United Order of Pilgrim Fathers, he was a member at his death.

CHILD BORN IN LOWELL, MASS. :

- i. CLARENCE LENDALL, b. Feb. 24, 1881; was graduated from Lowell Commercial College in June, 1896, and became bookkeeper in a retail store in Lowell, where he remained until September, 1899. He then entered the

\* A sister of the wife of his nephew No. 1323.

† i born in Portland, Me.; ii in Chelsea, Mass.; iii-v in New Haven, Conn.; vi in Higganum, Conn.



office of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company in Fitchburg, Mass., where he remained until October, 1901. He then entered the office of the Boston and Maine Railroad Company, remaining there until June, 1906, when he accepted his present position, which is in the executive department of the Simonds Manufacturing Company of Fitchburg. He is a member of Aurora Lodge, F. and A. M., Thomas Chapter, R. A. M., and Jerusalem Commandery, K. T. of Fitchburg. He is unmarried.

**1267.** FRANK PEIRCE TROWBRIDGE (*Phineas P.*<sup>1149</sup>, *Phineas*<sup>1062</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 25, 1853, in Lowell, Mass.; died April 13, 1899, in Lowell; married November 27, 1889, in Lowell, Margaret Jane Dailey, daughter of Michael and Hanorah (Murphy) Dailey, born October 18, 1862, in Lawrence, Mass. She resides in Lowell.

Frank P. Trowbridge was a steam and gas fitter by trade, and was so employed at the time of his death. He lived all of his life in his native place, Lowell, Mass.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LOWELL, MASS.:

- i. ETHEL MAY, b. May 7, 1891; d. July 2, 1891.
- ii. FRANK JONES, b. Dec. 14, 1892.
- iii. GRACE EVELYN, b. July 7, 1897.

**1268.** CHARLES CLEAVELAND TROWBRIDGE (*Charles A.*<sup>1150</sup>, *Phineas*<sup>1062</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 4, 1850, in Leominster, Mass.; resides in Leominster; married, first, December 5, 1874, in Fitchburg, Mass., Catherine Jeannette Richardson, daughter of Thurston and Harriet Butterfield (Adams) Richardson, born June 25, 1855, in Leominster; died November 30, 1883, in Leominster. He married, second, May 16, 1894, in Leominster, Jennie Louise (Grant) Locke, widow of James Locke of Leominster and daughter of George and Mary Ann (Lane) Grant, born October 24, 1866, in Halifax, Nova Scotia.

Charles C. Trowbridge resides in Leominster, Mass., his native place. He is a comb maker in the employ of the W. D. Earl Horn Comb and Pin Company of Leominster.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of Tahanto Lodge, Ancient Order of United Workmen, in which he took the master's degree July 1, 1886.

## CHILDREN BORN IN LEOMINSTER, MASS.:

*By first marriage:\**

- i. GRACE GERTRUDE, b. Apr. 21, 1875; d. Aug. 10, 1876.
- ii. ALDEN ADAMS, b. Mar. 10, 1877; attended the public school of his native town and lived there until he was twenty-six years of age, the last eight of which he worked at comb making with the W. D. Earl Company. He then entered the Waltham Horological School, Waltham, Mass., where he learned watchmaking. He is at present employed by Mr. A. De Montigny, jeweler, in Nashua, N. H. He is unmarried.
- iii. CLAYTON EARL, b. Dec. 11, 1879; d. Apr. 4, 1881.
1325. iv. ERNEST CLEAVELAND, b. Aug. 27, 1881.

**1269.** HENRY HIRE TROWBRIDGE (*Charles A.*<sup>1150</sup>, *Phineas*<sup>1062</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 8, 1857, in Leominster, Mass.; resides in Leominster; married June 3, 1880, in Leominster, Emma May Clifford, daughter of John† and Emma (Kitchen) Clifford, born July 27, 1857, in Worcester, Mass.

\* No children by second marriage.

† He at one time added a middle initial "A" to distinguish himself from another of the name in the same town with him.

Henry H. Trowbridge resides in Leominster, Mass., his native place. He is employed as a comb maker with the W. D. Earl Horn Comb and Pin Company of Leominster.

Mr. Trowbridge joined Leominster Lodge, No. 86, I. O. O. F., March 16, 1887, of which he was installed vice-grand January 7, 1891, noble grand July 8, 1891, and past grand January 6, 1892. He joined Tahanto Lodge, A. O. U. W., of Leominster February 4, 1889, in which he served two terms (1894 and 1895) as master workman and was retired to the past master's chair January 2, 1896.

## CHILD BORN IN LEOMINSTER, MASS.:

1326. i. CLARENCE HENRY, b. Feb. 24, 1884.

**1270.** GEORGE FRANK TROWBRIDGE (*George N.*<sup>1152</sup>, *Jepthah*<sup>1063</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 24, 1845, in Lowell, Mass.; resides in Rochester, N. H.; married October 15, 1872, in South Berwick, Me., Josephine Goodwin, daughter of George and Eliza (Hill) Goodwin, born February 18, 1848, in Bangor, Me.; died July 12, 1889, in Nashua, N. H.

George F. Trowbridge was a merchant in Nashua, N. H., for some years. He is at present a clerk in the Hotel Wrisley in Rochester, N. H.

## CHILD BORN IN NASHUA, N. H.:

i. MARA, b. May 16, 1878; d. Mar. 24, 1879.

**1271.** ALFRED LORENZO TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1153</sup>, *Jepthah*<sup>1063</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 21, 1844, in Westborough, Mass.; resides in Newport, R. I.; married, first, August 2, 1876, in Worcester, Mass., Charlotte (Edwards) Westcott, widow of Henry Westcott of Sterling, Conn., and daughter of Henry and Abby (Reed) Edwards, born July 20, 1840, in Canterbury, Conn.; died November 5, 1902, in Newport. He married, second, February 20, 1904, in Newport, Emma Augusta Anthony, daughter of Joseph Russell and Alice Wade (Young) Anthony, born September 22, 1852, in Newport.

Alfred L. Trowbridge at the age of fifteen years left the Westborough high school, which he had attended for only three terms, to learn a trade in the wagon and sleigh manufactory of his maternal grandfather. He remained in his employ until the outbreak of the Civil War. On his eighteenth birthday, March 21, 1862, he enlisted for three years in Company K, 13th Massachusetts Infantry, but was taken ill and was discharged for disability at Falmouth, Va., May 24, 1862. He re-enlisted April 28, 1864, for ninety days in the 6th Unattached Company of Infantry, Independent Division of Massachusetts volunteer militia, and was stationed at Readville, Mass., until he was discharged August 2, 1864, at the expiration of his term of service.

Directly after this he went to Lowell, Mass., to learn the machinist's trade, and remained there nearly four years. After his marriage, in 1876, he settled in West Medway, Mass., and carried on the business of a wheelwright there four years. He then sold it out and has since that time been in the machinist's business. During this time he worked six years for the Herreshoffs, yacht builders, in Bristol, R. I. In 1894 he came to work at the U. S. torpedo station at Newport, R. I., where he has since continued to be employed.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of Charles E. Lawton Post, No. 5, G. A. R., Department of Rhode Island, and was its commander four years (1902-5). While a resident of Providence, R. I., he joined the United Order of Pilgrim Fathers.

NO CHILDREN.

**1272.** BENJAMIN AVERY TROWBRIDGE (*George A.*<sup>1157</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1066</sup>, *John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 3, 1837, in New York City; resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.; married September 8, 1869, in New York City, Mary Williams Ketcham, daughter of Edward Woodhull and Sarah Ann (Hayden) Ketcham, born January 18, 1845, in New York City; died April 13, 1887, in Brooklyn.

Benjamin A. Trowbridge at the age of three years went to live with his grandparents in Framingham, Mass., where he received his education in the grammar and high schools. He lived in the home of his grandparents until his father gave up business and came to reside in Framingham in 1858, when he went to live with him. He was engaged in farming summers and in the lumber business winters. In 1859 he engaged in the ice business, and was the first to use and introduce the ice plow in Framingham. In 1862 he went to New York City and was a provision dealer in Fulton Market until 1897. He was then proprietor of a livery stable in that city until 1900, when he retired from active business. He has been a member of the Consolidated Stock Exchange of New York City from 1886 until the present time.

Mr. Trowbridge united at an early age with the Congregational church in Framingham, Mass., in which he still retains his membership. He resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW YORK CITY:

- i. MILLIE KETCHAM, b. Aug. 29, 1870; m. Apr. 9, 1892, Adolph Norden, Jr., of Brooklyn, N. Y.
- ii. GEORGE EDWARD, b. Dec. 3, 1871; when a young man was a clerk in the Asbestos Works in New York City and later a clerk in the jewelry store of the Gorham Manufacturing Company in that city. He was then owner of a provision store in Fulton Market for some years. He then engaged in farming on Long Island, N. Y. For the past few years he has been general manager of the Winthrop country estate in Jericho, Long Island. He is unmarried.
- iii. JESSIE ALVORD, b. Sept. 13, 1873; m. Apr. 19, 1894, Alfred Ritchie Innes and resides in Brooklyn.
- iv. NELLIE MAY, b. Sept. 26, 1877; resides with her father: unm.

**1273.** GEORGE ALVORD TROWBRIDGE (*George A.*<sup>1157</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1066</sup>, *John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 6, 1843, in New York City; died November 29, 1872, in Baltimore, Md.; married January 11, 1872, in Boston, Mass., Frances Mary (Seward) Perry, widow of George L. Perry of Framingham, Mass., and daughter of Thomas and Martha Ann (Dexter) Seward, born April 14, 1846, in Chelsea, Mass. She resides in Winthrop, Mass.

George A. Trowbridge was fifteen years old when his parents returned to Framingham, Mass. He remained on the old homestead until he entered the employ of Brooks Bros., clothiers, in New York City, where he had full charge of the furnishing goods department. He joined Company A, 22d Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., November 22, 1864, and continued in it as a private until April 12, 1866, when he was promoted to corporal.

He remained with Brooks Bros. until he and his brother Edmund engaged in the grocery business in Framingham, their firm being known as Trowbridge Bros. The latter part of his life and until the spring of 1872 he was with Alden L. Drake in the coal and wood business in Boston, Mass. Early in September, 1872, he and his wife went to Baltimore, Md., for the sake of his health, but he died in that city the following November.

## CHILD BORN IN BOSTON, MASS.:

- i. FRANCES ALVORD, b. Dec. 15, 1872; d. Sept. 5, 1873.

**1274.** EDMUND TROWBRIDGE (*George A.*<sup>1157</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1066</sup>, *John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 24, 1846, in New York City; died June 3, 1900, in Framingham, Mass.; married October 2, 1871, in Framingham, Addie Frances Parker, daughter of Orre and Mary Louise (Moulton) Parker, born February 3, 1854, in Monson, Mass. She resides in Framingham.

Edmund Trowbridge went in boyhood with his parents to Framingham, Mass. He became a clerk in the general store of George Metcalf in that town and was afterwards clerk in a provision house in New York City. He then returned to Framingham and was proprietor of the store in which he formerly was a clerk. He later was for several years a partner with his elder brother, Benjamin, in the provision business in New York City. About 1882 he opened a furnishing goods store in Chicago, Ill., and later was a partner in a brokerage firm in that city. In 1888 he returned to Framingham, where he passed the last years of his life, retired from all active business.

## CHILDREN :

- i. MAUDE, b. Mar. 7, 1873, in Framingham, Mass.; d. Mar. 18, 1880.
- 1327. ii. EDMUND PARKER, b. Dec. 17, 1876, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

**1275.** WILLIAM HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*George A.*<sup>1157</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1066</sup>, *John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 3, 1850, in New York City; resides in South Framingham, Mass.; married October 9, 1876, in South Framingham, Mary Buckminster Phipps, daughter of Joseph and Helen Curtis (Bell) Phipps, born August 17, 1849, in Framingham, Mass.; died March 14, 1886, in Framingham.

William H. Trowbridge when two years of age was sent to the old Trowbridge homestead in Framingham, Mass. He led the life of a farmer's boy there until 1871, when he went to work in the grocery store of Trowbridge Bros. in Framingham Center. In 1872 he was employed by John R. White & Son, coal dealers in Boston, Mass., as bookkeeper, staying there about two years. He then went to New York City and learned the cutter's trade of J. B. West. In 1875 he moved to Akron, Ohio, and went into the merchant tailoring business with T. B. Albert. That year he went to Cincinnati, Ohio, and was employed as cutter for Ray Bros. In 1876 he moved to South Framingham, Mass., and engaged in merchant tailoring and the general furnishing business, in which he continued until 1887.

Mr. Trowbridge in 1883 built the first opera house in Framingham, called Elmwood Opera House, seating one thousand, and managed the same for sixteen years and until it burned in 1899. In 1894 he remodeled the building called Elmwood Rink and made of it what has been known for twelve years as Company E Armory. He is at present engaged with the care of his various real estate holdings in Framingham. He resides in South Framingham.

Mr. Trowbridge since 1885 has acted in a fiduciary capacity for a large number of family estates. He is a member of the American Legion of Honor, Knights of Honor and Royal Arcanum. He is also a member of the Framingham Board of Trade, an associate member of Company E, M. V. M., and an associate member of G. A. R. Post, No. 163. He has taken interest in assisting the compiler to gather the records of the Framingham branch of the family.

## CHILD BORN IN SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, MASS. :

- i. IDA FRANCIS, b. June 23, 1879; m. June 19, 1901, Dr. Louis D. H. Fuller and resides in Wellesley Hills, Mass.

**1276.** CHARLES OZIAS TROWBRIDGE (*George A.*<sup>1157</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1066</sup>, *John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 21, 1853, in New York City; resides in Framingham, Mass.; married October 25, 1880, in



*Wm. H. Frothingham*







*John Rowbridge*



Framingham. Matilda Goddard Allen, daughter of Hervey Wilber and Clarissa (Howe) Allen, born April 30, 1858, in Boston, Mass.

Charles O. Trowbridge was brought in infancy by his parents to Framingham, Mass., in which town he has since resided. He was for many years engaged in the grocery and dry goods business there, but is now retired.

Mr. Trowbridge was elected in March, 1886, a member of the board of overseers of the poor and continued in office until March, 1895, being chairman of the board for the two preceding years from March, 1893. He has been warden and presiding officer of the First voting precinct for a number of years. He has also been elected a delegate to the Republican state convention for two years, and to the county and U. S. Congressional conventions. He was also chosen to serve on several of the committees having in charge the 200th anniversary celebration of the town of Framingham in 1900. In March, 1906, he was elected to serve for a term of three years on the Framingham board of health, and has since his election acted as secretary of that body.

NO CHILDREN.

**1277.** PROF. JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John H.*<sup>1158</sup>, *John*<sup>1067</sup>, *John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 5, 1843, in Boston, Mass.; resides in Cambridge, Mass.; married June 20, 1878, in Boston, Mary Louise Thayer, daughter of Seth Turner and Elizabeth (White) Thayer, born August 10, 1842, in Brookline, Mass.

John Trowbridge completed his studies preparatory to college at the Boston Latin School. He entered Harvard University and was graduated with honors from the Lawrence Scientific School in 1866. After graduation he taught mathematics in the university as assistant to Professor Eustis for three years, 1866-9. He was then appointed assistant professor of mathematics in the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, but never performed the duties of that position, having been called to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology as instructor in physics and superintendent of the drawing department. He was afterwards appointed assistant professor of physics in the same institution, and then full professor of descriptive geometry and its applications. He soon after resigned, however, and that year returned to Harvard and established a laboratory course in physics, being appointed assistant professor of experimental physics, a position he held until 1880. He had received the honorary degree of S.D. from Harvard in 1873. In 1888 he was appointed director of the Jefferson Physical Laboratory of Harvard University and Rumford professor of the application of science to the useful arts.

Professor Trowbridge was elected a member of the National Academy of Sciences in 1878. He was a member of the international congress of electricians which met at Paris in 1883, and a delegate to the United States congress of electricians which met in Philadelphia in 1884. In the latter year he was elected vice-president of the section of physics of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. He is also a member of the American Philosophical Society. For several years he edited the "Annual of Scientific Discovery" and is now associate editor of the "American Journal of Science."

Professor Trowbridge when still a young man distinguished himself by writing essays on literary and scientific subjects of marked ability, and reviews published in the "Nation" and other periodicals. He has since written many papers on physics, and particularly on electricity. His chief work has been on the subject of electricity and its relation to light and heat. He is the author of "The New Physics," 1884; "The Electrical Boy," 1891; "Three Boys on an Electrical Boat," 1894; "What is Electricity?," 1896; "The Resolute Mr. Pansy," 1897; and "Philip's Experiment in Electrical Science," 1898.

NO CHILDREN.

**1278.** DR. GROSVENOR REUBEN TROWBRIDGE (*John S.*<sup>1159</sup>, *Josiah*<sup>1068</sup>, *John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 14, 1863, in Buffalo, N. Y.; died May 20, 1908, in Buffalo; married October 18, 1893, in Rochester, N. Y., Lucy Sanderson Horton, daughter of Joseph Homet and Abbie (Newcomb) Horton, born December 18, 1872, in Bernice, Pa. She resides in Buffalo.

Grosvenor R. Trowbridge, like his father and grandfather, was a physician in Buffalo, N. Y. He received his early education in the schools of his native city and prepared for college at the Buffalo Classical School. He was graduated from Williams College, Williamstown, Mass., in 1884 with the degree of B.A. and from the medical department of the University of Buffalo in 1887 with the degree of M.D. He was then for a year and a half house surgeon at the Rochester, N. Y., city hospital. In 1889 he was appointed assistant physician at the State Hospital for the Insane at Danville, Pa., resigning that position in 1894 to enter private practice in Buffalo, with which he had been occupied up to the time of his death.

Doctor Trowbridge was surgeon for the Lehigh Valley and the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad companies. He was a member of the Williams chapter of the Alpha Delta Phi fraternity and of the North Presbyterian Church of Buffalo.

NO CHILDREN.

**1279.** BENJAMIN WALTER TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1160</sup>, *Josiah*<sup>1068</sup>, *John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 11, 1853, in Fort Erie, Canada West; resides in Los Angeles, Cal.; married February 24, 1888, in San Bernardino, Cal., Helen Marian Spear, daughter of Erastus and Maria (Parnell) Spear, born December 7, 1849, in West Medway, Mass.

Benjamin W. Trowbridge went in early manhood to Los Angeles, Cal. Since March 20, 1887, he has been a member of the Los Angeles Fire Department and is at present driver of Chemical Engine No. 5.

NO CHILDREN.

**1280.** CHARLES CHRISTOPHER TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1165</sup>, *Stephen V.*<sup>1071</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 12, 1865, in Detroit, Mich.; resides in San Francisco, Cal.; married February 27, 1889, in San Francisco, Edith Laura Sharp, daughter of William and Margaret (Graham) Sharp, born April 18, 1865, in Sacramento, Cal.

Charles C. Trowbridge when nine years of age went to Hellmouth College, London, Canada. In the latter part of 1876 he and the other members of his family came to San Francisco, Cal., to live, making their home in the Palace Hotel for a number of years. After leaving school he secured employment in a wholesale stationery store, but, his health not being very good and the nature of the work very confining, he went to Riverside in Southern California to live. With a friend he opened a stationery store there, but the business was not successful. He decided to go on the stage, and at once went to New York and engaged with the Whitney "Rob Roy" Opera Company. He was with them three seasons. He then returned to San Francisco and entered the office of the Fire Underwriters' Inspection Bureau in that city, with which he has since remained.

CHILDREN BORN IN SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.:

- i. CHARLES CHRISTOPHER, b. May 17, 1898.
- ii. MIRIAM, b. Oct. 22, 1900.
- iii. EDITH, b. Feb. 24, 1905.

**1281.** WILLIAM PETIT TROWBRIDGE (*William P.*<sup>1166</sup>, *Stephen V.*<sup>1071</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 5, 1861, in Washington, D. C.; resides in Tacoma, Wash.; married July 19, 1904, in Tacoma, Grace Thorp Derickson, daughter of Richard Wood and Frances Harriet (Thorp) Derickson, born October 16, 1868, in Meadville, Pa.

William P. Trowbridge prepared for college at Hopkins Grammar School, New Haven, Conn., and entered the School of Mines, Columbia College, New York City, and afterwards entered the Sheffield Scientific School at Yale, where he took a special course of studies during the year 1880-1. For several years following he was in the United States government hydrographic service, first at Wilmington, Del., and later under Colonel McFarland, U. S. A., engaged in the work of improving New York Bay and waters in that vicinity. Afterwards he was engaged in government irrigation survey work in the West, which was done under the direction of Major John Powell of the U. S. Geological Survey. The work was carried on in New Mexico, Arizona, California, Nevada, Idaho and Wyoming. In this connection he also made topographical surveys of parts of Idaho, surveying several thousand square miles. In 1894 he became assistant land commissioner of the St. Paul and Duluth Railroad Company, with headquarters in St. Paul, Minn., and held that position until that railroad was sold to the Northern Pacific Railway Company. He then entered the employ of the Griffin Wheel Company and was with it in Kansas City, Mo., Detroit, Mich., and Tacoma, Wash., being its local superintendent. He has recently engaged himself in the real estate business in the latter city, being much occupied in buying lands for railroads, in which he has had wide experience.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1282.** SAMUEL BRECK PARKMAN TROWBRIDGE (*William P.*<sup>1166</sup>, *Stephen V.*<sup>1071</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 20, 1862, in New York City; resides in New York City; married January 16, 1896, in New York City, Sophia Pennington Tailer, daughter of Henry Austin and Sophia (Pennington) Tailer, born April 22, 1871, in New York City.

S. Breck P. Trowbridge pursued his college preparatory studies at Hopkins Grammar School in New Haven, Conn. He was graduated from Trinity College, Hartford, Conn., in 1883 with the degree of B.A. He received the honorary degree of M.A. from that institution in 1893. After his graduation he entered the School of Mines, Columbia College, New York City, from which he was graduated in 1886 with the degree of Ph.B. He was then a member of the American School of Classical Studies, Athens, Greece, 1886-7, during which time he superintended the construction of buildings in Athens for the school. He then entered the Ecole des Beaux Arts, Paris, from which he was graduated with honors in 1890. Since that time he has practiced architecture in New York City, and has taken a high place in his profession.

Mr. Trowbridge is an honorary member of the British Institute of Archaeology and membre correspondant de la Société des Architectes Diplômés par le Gouvernement Français; founder and has been twice president of the Society of Beaux Arts Architects; member of the executive committee of the New York Chapter of the American Institute of Architects; trustee and member of the executive committee of the Academy of Rome; member of the committee on architecture of the Fine Arts Federation; and fellow of the American Institute of Architects. He was vice-president of the Alliance Française, New York, in 1904. He is a member of the New York state societies of the Sons of the Revolution and the Society of Colonial Wars. He is also a member of the Union, Century, Racquet and Tennis, and St. Anthony clubs of New York City; the Ardsley Club, Ardsley on Hudson; and the Trinity chapter of the Delta Psi fraternity.

Mr. Trowbridge's military service has been as follows: He enlisted in Troop A. 1st Cavalry, N. G. S. N. Y., August 7, 1890; served throughout the Buffalo riots in 1892; was commissioned 2d lieutenant in the 12th Regiment Infantry, N. G. S. N. Y., May 14, 1894, and commissioned 1st lieutenant, October 30, 1895; served throughout the Brooklyn riots, 1895; resigned and received full and honorable discharge December 2, 1896.

NO CHILDREN.

**1283.** WILLIAM RIGGS TROWBRIDGE (*Tillman C.*<sup>1167</sup>, *Stephen V.*<sup>1071</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 17, 1863, in Constantinople, Turkey; resides in Chicago, Ill.; married March 26, 1893, in Faribault, Minn., Adeline Ada Wilson, daughter of Rev. Sherman B. and Harriet C. (Jewett) Wilson, born June 11, 1871, in Brandon Hill, Jamaica, West Indies.

William R. Trowbridge received his elementary education in England and in Massachusetts, coming to the United States to attend school in 1878. In 1882 he visited his family in Constantinople. He entered the academic department of the University of Michigan, of which he was a member from 1883 to 1886, leaving that department in the latter year to enter the medical department of the same institution, which he attended until the death of his father in 1888. He then accepted a position as a teacher in Bordentown (Pa.) Military Institute, and later taught at Shattuck School in Faribault, Minn. In the summer of 1893, a few months after his marriage, he became associate master of Rugby School in Kenilworth, Ill., of which he became head master a few years later, and where he remained until 1903. He then was appointed principal of the Helena, Mont., high school. He continued in charge of that school until the summer of 1907, when he resigned to take a year for study at the University of Chicago. He is a member of the University of Michigan chapter of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity.

The Helena, Mont., *Independent* of June 5, 1907, pays him the following tribute:

"In Helena Professor Trowbridge has been a singular and insistent influence for all that is best in education. He has led his contemporaries with a virile and cleanly knowledge of boy-youth, and every normal child in this community reverences Trowbridge as a friend, a champion, and a wise director of childhood. For all his talent as a teacher of juveniles, Professor Trowbridge has brought to his service here the eloquence of a lecturer, the training of an artist, and the sincerity of a true educator. We envy the town that gets Trowbridge. To us he is and has been the gentleman of nurture, the scholar, the practician and the poet all in one. Modesty and power are in him. His spirit in educational work is as pure and as well qualified as any that can be found in America.

In Mr. Trowbridge will be found the rare, the odd, the new combination of the gentleman pedagogue. Which comes first is the question. Mr. Trowbridge will fit in any wise and modern school or scheme of learning. He is one of the men who have made education understandable; he is and will be, no matter where he goes, an influence for the tender, decent theories of broad nurture. Professor Trowbridge has been one of the biggest and best influences in the educational life of this town, and we regret his going."

NO CHILDREN.

**1284.** EDWARD DWIGHT TROWBRIDGE (*Tillman C.*<sup>1167</sup>, *Stephen V.*<sup>1071</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 1, 1870, in Marsh, Turkey; resides in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil; married November 9, 1897, in Detroit, Mich., Flora Lindsay, daughter of Archibald Gilchrist and Ruth Lewis (Meginnity) Lindsay, born July 10, 1868, in Detroit.

Edward D. Trowbridge came to the United States in 1882 and made his home with his uncle Gen. Luther S. Trowbridge in Detroit, Mich. He attended the Detroit high school and later (1887-8) the academic department of the University of Michigan. He left the latter at his father's death and took a position

on a Detroit newspaper. He later became manager of the American Telegraph and Telephone Company in Cleveland, Ohio, and from there returned to Detroit as general superintendent of the long distance service of the Michigan Telephone Company. He remained in that position until 1906, when he was invited by the Tramway, Light and Power Company of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, to take general charge of the telephone system of that city. He accepted the position and has since then been occupied with his duties there.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLEVELAND, OHIO :

- i. ARCHIBALD LINDSAY, b. Apr. 19, 1899.
- ii. MARGARET RIGGS, b. Sept. 28, 1901.
- iii. EDWARD DWIGHT, b. Dec. 5, 1902.

**1285.** REV. STEPHEN VAN RENSSELAER TROWBRIDGE (*Tillman C.*<sup>1167</sup>, *Stephen V.*<sup>1071</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 28, 1881, in Aintab, Turkey; resides in Aintab; married June 21, 1906, in Brooklyn, N. Y., Blanche Louise Horton, daughter of Byron and Elizabeth (Douglas) Horton, born in Brooklyn.

Stephen van R. Trowbridge came to the United States in 1895 to attend Rugby School in Kenilworth, Ill., of which his elder brother was master, and he there prepared for college. He was graduated from Princeton University in 1902 with the degree of B.A. He studied for the ministry in the Hartford Theological Seminary, from which he was graduated in 1905. After his ordination he became assistant to Rev. Dr. S. P. Cadman of the Central Congregational Church of Brooklyn, N. Y. After the dedication of St. Paul's Chapel, erected with money provided by the liberal jubilee gift of the members and friends of Rev. Dr. Cadman's church previous to the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of its organization, Mr. Trowbridge was placed in charge of it, and remained its minister until he and his wife sailed for Turkey soon after their marriage to begin their missionary labors.

Mr. and Mrs. Trowbridge received their commission from the American Board through the Central Congregational Church of Brooklyn, and they reached Aintab on December 6, 1906. They are engaged in missionary work in the Central Turkey field, their home being in the city of Aintab. Mr. Trowbridge's share of service is in touring the villages and remote towns of this field to preach the Gospel and coöperate with the churches which have been founded in twenty various centers.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1286.** LOUIS OSTRANDER TROWBRIDGE (*Guy M.*<sup>1168</sup>, *Stephen V.*<sup>1071</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 8, 1861, in Troy, Mich.; resides in Pontiac, Mich.; married April 28, 1886, in Pontiac, Eva Morris, daughter of Joseph H. and Eliza Jane (Barkman) Morris, born December 17, 1864, in Pontiac.

Louis O. Trowbridge is engaged in farming on the family homestead in Troy township, Oakland county, Mich.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PONTIAC, MICH. :

- i. GUY THORPE, b. Aug. 16, 1888.
- ii. MARGUERITE, b. June 9, 1896.

**1287.** PROF. ALEXANDER BUEL TROWBRIDGE (*Luther S.*<sup>1169</sup>, *Stephen V.*<sup>1071</sup>, *Luther*<sup>1032</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 3, 1868, in Detroit, Mich.; resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.; married August

17, 1896, in Great Neck, Long Island, N. Y., Gertrude Mary Sherman, daughter of John Taylor and Julia Champion (Deming) Sherman, born May 5, 1867, in Brooklyn.

Alexander B. Trowbridge received his education preparatory to college in the public schools of his native city. He was graduated from Cornell University in 1890 with the degree of B.S. in architecture. From 1893 to 1895, inclusive, he studied architecture in the Ecole des Beaux Arts, Paris. He practiced architecture in Detroit from 1895 to 1897. In the latter year he was appointed professor of architecture in Cornell University and was placed in charge of the College of Architecture. He held the position of director of the College of Architecture until the summer of 1902, when he resigned and went again to Europe for two years of advanced study. In 1904 he came to New York City and formed a partnership with Mr. Frederick L. Ackerman, under the name of Trowbridge & Ackerman, and it is recognized as one of the leading firms of architects of that city.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of the American Institute of Architects, the Society of Beaux Arts Architects, the Architectural League, the Municipal Art Society, the New York Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, the Kappa Alpha Society, the Brooklyn Armstrong Association, the National Arts Club and the Sands Point Golf Club.

## CHILDREN:

- i. SHERMAN, b. May 22, 1897, in Detroit, Mich.
- ii. ALICE, } twins,
- iii. ALEXANDER BUEL, } b. Dec. 19, 1898, in Ithaca, N. Y.
- iv. STEPHEN VAN RENSSELAER, b. Aug. 15, 1907, in Port Washington, N. Y.

**1288.** FREDERICK WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*William F.*<sup>1171</sup>, *William F.*<sup>1074</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>1034</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 15, 1849, in Hudson, Mass.; resides in Hudson; married June 14, 1870, in Bolton, Mass., Ella Elizabeth Fairbank, daughter of Omar and Rachel Sophia (Fairbank) Fairbank, born July 28, 1850, in Leominster, Mass.; died April 28, 1905, in Hudson.

Frederick W. Trowbridge resides in Hudson, Mass., his native place. He learned the shoemaking trade and was in business with his father until the latter's death in 1893. He is at present in the employ of the Hefft shoe factory in Hudson. He is a past grand of Hudson Lodge, No. 154, I. O. O. F.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1289.** WILLIAM FREDERICK TROWBRIDGE (*Frederick W.*<sup>1173</sup>, *William F.*<sup>1074</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>1034</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 20, 1872, in Hudson, Mass.; resides in Marlborough, Mass.; married December 18, 1897, in Boston, Mass., Malvina Boivin, daughter of Francis and Rose (Bouley) Boivin, born September 9, 1873, in Marlborough.

William F. Trowbridge is a bookkeeper for a shoe factory in Marlborough, Mass., and resides in that city.

He enlisted there during the Spanish-American War, May 6, 1898, in Company F, 6th Massachusetts Regiment, U. S. V. He performed service in Porto Rico and Cuba, and was mustered out January 21, 1899. He is a member of the Sons of Veterans and the Spanish War Veterans. He is also a member of Holy Trinity P. E. Church in Marlborough.

## CHILDREN BORN IN MARLBOROUGH, MASS.:

- i. HELEN ADELAIDE, b. Dec. 23, 1898.
- ii. ARLINE, b. Nov. 23, 1900.

**1290.** ARTHUR SINNOCK TROWBRIDGE (*Augustus S.*<sup>1174</sup>, *William F.*<sup>1074</sup>, *Joseph*<sup>1034</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1016</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 6, 1880, in Dorchester, Mass.; resides in South Framingham, Mass.; married October 2, 1906, in South Framingham, Ethel Lowell, daughter of George Franklin and Mary Ellen (Reece) Lowell, born July 12, 1886, in Boston, Mass.

Arthur S. Trowbridge is a salesman with the Tracy Brothers Leather Company in Boston, Mass. He resides in South Framingham, Mass.

NO CHILDREN.

**1291.** MARTIN HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*John S.*<sup>1180</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 12, 1841, in Delta, Ohio; died October 17, 1899, in Burdett, Mo.; married October 8, 1866, in Ottawa, Ill., Marcia Ette Nichol, daughter of John Tilton and Rebecca (Mickey) Nichol, born January 17, 1845, in Ashland county, Ohio. She resides in Burdett.

Martin H. Trowbridge worked on his father's farm in Delta, Ohio, until soon after the outbreak of the Civil War. He enlisted August 25, 1861, for three years in Company I, 38th Ohio Infantry. He was appointed corporal June 1, 1862, and sergeant July 15, 1862. He re-enlisted and was promoted quartermaster-sergeant June 10, 1865. He was mustered out as a veteran July 12, 1865. After the war he went West. For a short time after his marriage he lived in Washington county, Neb., but finally settled near the village of Burdett, Bates county, Mo., where he was engaged in farming until his death.

CHILDREN BORN IN BATES COUNTY, MO.:

1328. i. MARCUS ELMER, b. Aug. 5, 1867.  
 ii. FLORENCE REBECCA, b. Apr. 5, 1870; m. July 3, 1891, George Thomas Marshall and resides in Burdett, Mo.  
 1329. iii. WILLARD ORR, b. Nov. 27, 1875.  
 iv. EDITH ALZINA, b. Dec. 7, 1877; m. Feb. 23, 1899, Albert Morton Harris and resides in Burdett.  
 v. JAMES ARTHUR, b. May 1, 1880; d. Sept. 21, 1881.  
 vi. HERBERT TILTON, b. Jan. 15, 1882; is a farmer in Burdett; unm.

**1292.** WILLARD OSCAR TROWBRIDGE (*John S.*<sup>1180</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 15, 1846, in Delta, Ohio; resides in Delta; married July 22, 1886, in Denver, Colo., Mary Ann Murphy, daughter of Edward and Elizabeth (Doran) Murphy, born March 25, 1850, in county Wexford, Ireland.

W. Oscar Trowbridge assisted his father on the farm in Delta, Ohio, until the summer he was sixteen years old, when he became a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted June 18, 1863, for six months in Company F, 86th Ohio Infantry.† He assisted in the pursuit and capture of John Morgan in Ohio, and then marched through Kentucky and was present at the surrender of Cumberland Gap. He remained on garrison duty at that place until ordered home for his discharge, which he received February 10, 1864. He re-enlisted March 18, 1864, for three years in Company K, 67th Ohio Infantry. He landed at City Point, Va., on May 5, and during that month was engaged in the skirmishes at Chester Heights, Ware Bottom Church and near Hatchers. During June he was in the attack on Howlett House and the action at Deep Bottom, Va. He lay in the front line of works at Petersburg, being under a continuous fire for thirty days, his position being opposite the "crater." During the spring of 1865 he was continually engaged. He participated in the charge on Fort Grey on April 2, and followed and was present at the surrender of General Lee at Appomattox. He received his discharge December 18, 1865.

\* Except i, who was born in Washington county, Neb.

† His name is printed Oscar W. in the regimental roster.

In the spring of 1866 he went to Omaha, Neb., and in the following spring went to work on the Union Pacific railroad, and was so employed until its completion in 1869. He then went to the mines of Nevada. He prospected through every state and territory of the Pacific coast until 1880, when he returned to Denver, Colo., where he resided until 1893. He then returned to his native place, Delta, Ohio, where he has since been engaged in business as a brick and stone mason.

## CHILD BORN IN DENVER, COLO.:

- i. ELLEN ELIZA, b. Sept. 16, 1888.

**1293.** IRVING HINTON TROWBRIDGE (*John S.*<sup>1180</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 16, 1849, in Delta, Ohio; resides in Marseilles, Ill.; married, first, October 9, 1873, in Delta, Eleanor Jane Stall, daughter of James Taylor and Eleanor (Allen) Stall, born November 27, 1853, in Delta; died June 10, 1893, in Marseilles. He married, second, August 15, 1894, in Marseilles, Rebekah Satterlee Pomeroy, daughter of Cyrus Williams and Abigail (Cook) Pomeroy, born April 14, 1866, in South Orange, N. J.

Irving H. Trowbridge was born on his father's farm near Delta, Ohio. The family moved into Delta, and he attended the village school. He was then sent to school at Three Rivers, Mich., and from there to Adrian College. After his graduation he was for five years in the drug business in Delta, and then in 1876 came to Marseilles, Ill., where he purchased a drug store, which he has since continued to conduct with success.

Mr. Trowbridge was elected a member of the board of supervisors from Rutland township in 1890, and served in this capacity six years, until 1896, when he retired from the county board and was nominated and elected from the 27th District to the Illinois legislature. For a new member he was especially honored, being made chairman of the mines and mining committee. This committee passed out a number of valuable bills, the gross weight bill being the most important. It passed the legislature and was made the basis of settlement of the last miners' strike, and is considered the most beneficial legislation the miners have had for many years. He also served on the committees of "education," "license," "civil service," "drainage and waterways," and "geology and science." His record in the regular and special session was so satisfactory that his renomination was conceded by all, and he was re-elected. During his second term he was chairman of the committee on education, and a member of the committees on "building, loan and homestead," "drainage and waterways," "associations," "house steering committee," and "sanitary affairs."

Mr. Trowbridge is well known in Masonry. He is a member of Marseilles Lodge, No. 417, Shabbona Chapter, No. 37, and Ottawa Commandery, No. 10. He has been interested in furnishing data of the Delta branch of the family.

## CHILDREN:\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. LUELLA, b. Aug. 16, 1874; d. Aug. 31, 1874.
- ii. LESLIE JAMES, b. Aug. 9, 1875; is a druggist in Chicago, Ill.; unm.
- iii. IRENE, b. Apr. 28, 1878; m. Oct. 28, 1903, Francis Drake Buzzell and resides in Ottawa, Ill.
- iv. RALPH EDWARD, b. Jan. 24, 1885; is a stenographer and bookkeeper in Marseilles, Ill.

*By second marriage:*

- v. CYRUS POMEROY, b. Aug. 4, 1895.
- vi. IRVING HARRISON, b. Oct. 22, 1897.
- vii. ABIGAIL, b. Nov. 6, 1900.

\* i-ii born in Delta, Ohio; the others in Marseilles, Ill.



**1294.** CHARLES SUMNER TROWBRIDGE (*John S.*<sup>1180</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 15, 1857, in Delta, Ohio; resides in Seneca, Ill.; married June 22, 1884, in Weston, Mich., Marion Augusta Carrier.\*

Charles S. Trowbridge is proprietor of a drug store in Seneca, Ill.

## CHILD BORN IN MARSEILLES, ILL.:

- i. RAYMOND WALLAGE, b. July 29, 1886.

**1295.** NEWTON EDGAR TROWBRIDGE (*Allen S.*<sup>1182</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 17, 1852, in Delta, Ohio; resides in Boon, Mich.; married March 20, 1879, in Hastings, Mich., Priscilla Hull, daughter of Horatio and Sarah (Sonafrank) Hull, born July 28, 1857, in Baltimore township, Barry county, Mich.

Newton E. Trowbridge assisted his father in the management of the farm in Delta, Ohio, until he was twenty-one. He then hired out at farm work by the month and day until the fall of 1878, when he went to Michigan. In the following spring he was married in Hastings, Rutland township, Barry county, and lived in that township one year. He then moved to Boston township, Ionia county, where he lived until 1883, when he moved to Pike township, Fulton county, Ohio. In February, 1884, he removed to Wexford county, Mich., where he bought 40 acres of land in the woods of Boon township and commenced to hew out a home.† Cadillac, the county seat, thirteen miles away, was the nearest post office and trading point. The railroad was built through that part of the county in 1888, and a station located two and one-half miles from his farm, but he did not have a neighbor in sight until 1893. He is engaged in dairying on his farm of 120 acres in Boon.

Mr. Trowbridge became a member of the United Brethren Church in Ohio in 1875. In the summer of 1885 he organized a Sunday school in Boon, and since that time he has been active in the work of the school, having held the positions of teacher, assistant superintendent and superintendent. In 1893 he united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, in which he has been recording steward, trustee, and class leader. He has also held the township offices of school district visitor in 1884, assessor in 1895, and director in 1895 and 1899.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BOON, MICH.:‡

- i. WILLARD ALBERT, b. Aug. 31, 1882.  
 ii. JESSIE, b. Mar. 2, 1888.  
 iii. EARL, b. June 19, 1891.  
 iv. LAWRENCE LEE, b. Mar. 27, 1893.

**1296.** CARL DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Allen S.*<sup>1182</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 24, 1874, in Delta, Ohio; resides in Toledo, Ohio; married October 25, 1894, in Delta, Fannie Gallagher, daughter of William and Elizabeth (Raker) Gallagher, born August 26, 1869, in Colton, Ohio.

Carl D. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in Delta, Ohio. He came to Toledo, Ohio, after his marriage and is at present connected with the post office in that city as a letter carrier.

## NO CHILDREN.

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† "I arrived there the last day of February, 1884. The snow was three feet deep on the level and the thermometer registered 35 degrees below zero at two o'clock when we left Cadillac for our place."

‡ Except i, who was born in Boston township, Ionia county, Mich.

**1297.** JULIUS ORLANDO TROWBRIDGE (*Cornelius*<sup>1183</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 26, 1850, in Delta, Ohio; resides in Waldo, Fla.; married February 4, 1874, in Delta, Martha Amelia Pease, daughter of Ansel and Enfield (Hancock) Pease, born October 7, 1851, in Delta.

Julius O. Trowbridge was engaged in farming in his native place, Delta, Ohio, and in Morrison, Ill., before coming to Florida to live. He is farming in Waldo, Fla. He is a member of Waldo Lodge, No. 38, Knights of Pythias.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. LAWRENCE WINTON, b. June 27, 1875; is farming with his father; unm.
- ii. CLAUDE COURTLAND, b. Sept. 7, 1877; served in the Spanish-American War as bugler of Company M, 1st Florida Infantry. He is a clerk in a grocery store in Waldo, Fla.; unm.
- iii. EARL ALFRED, b. Jan. 16, 1881; is farming with his father; unm.
- iv. LEE ORLANDO, b. Mar. 9, 1883; is farming with his father; unm.
- v. FLORICE CELINA, b. Jan. 1, 1886.
- vi. CORNELIA ENFIELD, b. July 27, 1888.

**1298.** ALFRED EMERTON TROWBRIDGE (*Cornelius*<sup>1183</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 16, 1854, in Delta, Ohio; died September 13, 1891, in Morrison, Ill.; married June 23, 1880, in Adrian, Mich., Marguerite McFarlan, daughter of John and Mary (Blythe) McFarlan, born October 10, 1857, in Adrian. She resides in Adrian.

Alfred E. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in Delta, Ohio. He learned to be a bookkeeper. He followed that occupation in Toledo, Ohio, for several years and later in Morrison, Ill., where he died.

## CHILD BORN IN TOLEDO, OHIO:

- i. IONE MARGUERITE, b. May 1, 1884; d. Sept. 2, 1886.

**1299.** WARREN MUNGER TROWBRIDGE (*Solomon D.*<sup>1186</sup>, *Alanson*<sup>1079</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born January 17, 1862, in Delta, Ohio; resides in Charlotte, Mich.; married July 4, 1888, in Vermontville, Mich., Louisa Theada McGinness, daughter of George and Harriet (Bates) McGinness, born December 21, 1869, in Murray, Northumberland county, Canada.

Warren M. Trowbridge is a painter by trade, but is at present engaged in farming in Charlotte, Mich.

## CHILDREN:

- i. LILA BLANCHE, b. Mar. 12, 1890, in Kalamo, Mich.
- ii. LENA HAZEL, b. Oct. 25, 1891, in Charlotte, Mich.
- iii. EMMA LUELLA, b. Jan. 2, 1898, in Kalamo.

**1300.** FRANK TROWBRIDGE (*Solomon D.*<sup>1186</sup>, *Alanson*<sup>1079</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 31, 1868, in Delta, Ohio; resides in Charlotte, Mich.; married ———, 1893, in Vermontville, Mich., Anna Cross.

Frank Trowbridge is a painter and paper hanger by trade, but is now engaged in farming in Charlotte, Mich.†

**1301.** PROF. PERRY FOX TROWBRIDGE (*George M.*<sup>1187</sup>, *Alanson*<sup>1079</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 25, 1866, in Three Rivers, Mich.; resides in Columbia, Mo.; married September 4, 1894, in Albion, Mich., Grace Hall, daughter of Delimere and Alice (Sykes) Hall, born March 9, 1872, in Vermontville, Mich.

\* i born in Delta, Ohio; ii-v in Morrison, Ill.; vi in Milton, Fla.

† He failed to answer the compiler's letters, so it is not known if they have had any children.





*S. Hector Trowbridge.*

Perry F. Trowbridge received his early education in the public schools at Centreville, Mich., in which city his father was in practice as a physician. He attended the Michigan State Normal School in Ypsilanti, Mich., from 1886 to 1889, receiving the degree of B.Pd. For the next two years, 1889-90 and 1890-91, he taught German and sciences in Kalamazoo College. He was a student in the University of Michigan for the year 1891-92 and was graduated at the end of the year with the degree of Ph.B. He was instructor in pedagogy in Michigan State Normal College, 1892-93; assistant in chemistry in the University of Michigan until Christmas, 1893, when he had a leave of absence to take the chair of mathematics in Kalamazoo College for 1894; assistant at the University of Michigan, 1894-95; and instructor in chemistry there, 1895-1901. He was on leave of absence for the year 1898-99 for study in the chemical laboratories of Germany.

Beginning in January, 1902, he was in the sugar business, as chemist and agricultural superintendent, until January, 1905, spending two seasons in Michigan and one season in California. He was research chemist in nutrition investigation at the University of Illinois during 1905, and that year received the degree of M.A. from the University of Michigan. He received the degree of Ph.D. from the University of Illinois in 1906. He was instructor in chemistry in the latter institution from 1906 until June, 1907, also continuing research. In July, 1907, he was appointed assistant professor of chemistry in the University of Illinois, but resigned to become assistant professor of agricultural chemistry (in charge) and associate chemist to the experiment station at the University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo., where he is located at present. His scientific contributions have been published in the "Journal of the American Chemical Society" and "Zeitung Pharmacie."

## CHILDREN:

- i. HUGH MERTON, b. May 15, 1899, in Marburg, Germany.
- ii. ELEANOR, b. Apr. 13, 1901, in Ann Arbor, Mich.
- iii. VERNOR HALL, b. Oct. 23, 1902, in Crowell, Mich.
- iv. NEVA, b. Feb. 10, 1906, in Champaign, Ill.

**1302.** JENNER CAREY TROWBRIDGE (*George M.*<sup>1187</sup>, *Alanson*<sup>1079</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 1, 1868, in Centreville, Mich.; resides in Kalamazoo, Mich.; married October 14, 1891, in Wasepi, Mich., Hercia Knox, daughter of Charles Frederick and Juliet (Engle) Knox, born September 27, 1868, in Nottawa, Mich.

Jenner C. Trowbridge learned bookkeeping and stenography. He is at present in the office of the Kalamazoo Corset Company in Kalamazoo, Mich.

## CHILD BORN IN WASEPI, MICH.:

- i. LUNA JOSEPHINE, b. Oct. 21, 1892.

**1303.** PROF. DIC HECTOR TROWBRIDGE (*George M.*<sup>1187</sup>, *Alanson*<sup>1079</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 19, 1873, in Centreville, Mich.; resides in Oak Park, Ill.; married August 28, 1900, in Jackson, Mich., Mary Stuart Muns, daughter of Frank Fairbank and Emma A. (Stuart) Muns, born December 18, 1879, in Grand Ledge, Mich.

D. Hector Trowbridge received his early education in the schools of his native place, being graduated from the Centreville high school in 1891. He was graduated from Teller's Business College, Kalamazoo, Mich., in March, 1892, and was employed as a stenographer and bookkeeper in Chicago, Ill., for the remainder of that year and into 1893. While he was working in Chicago his mother moved to Ann Arbor, Mich., and he, being desirous of obtaining a higher education, went to that city in the fall of 1893 and entered the Ann Arbor high school, from which he was graduated the following June. That fall he entered the

University of Michigan. He was graduated in 1898 with the degree of B.S. in chemistry. Having limited means, he had worked every summer as a stenographer and bookkeeper in Chicago to help pay his way through college. Before his graduation he had been engaged as instructor of physics and chemistry in the Adrian, Mich., high school, and he was there during the school year of 1898-99. He was then appointed instructor of chemistry in Lewis Institute, Chicago, and held that position until 1907, when he was promoted to be assistant professor of chemistry. He fills that position at present.

## CHILDREN :

- i. GLADYS MUNX, b. Nov. 13, 1903, in Chicago, Ill.
- ii. FRANCES LESBIA, b. Apr. 19, 1907, in Oak Park, Ill.; d. Feb. 12, 1908.

**1304.** GLENN ARTHUR TROWBRIDGE (*George M.*<sup>1187</sup>, *Alanson*<sup>1079</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 17, 1875, in Centreville, Mich.; resides in New York City; married August 2, 1901, in New York City, Margaret Hanniffy, daughter of Michael and Mary (Fitzpatrick) Hanniffy, born May 10, 1881, in Athenry, county Galway, Ireland.

Glenn A. Trowbridge was educated in the public schools of Centreville and Ann Arbor, Mich. He became a soldier in the Spanish-American War. He enlisted at Island Lake, Mich., in May, 1898, in Company H, 31st Michigan Infantry, and went with his regiment to Camp Thomas, Chickamauga Park. He was appointed mounted orderly under Major-General Brooke at the 1st Army Corps headquarters. He was on duty at headquarters at Chickamauga Park, and accompanied General Brooke to Porto Rico and through that island. In October, 1898, he went home on sick furlough, but rejoined his regiment at Camp Poland, Knoxville, Tenn., on November 30. He went with it to Camp Onward, Savannah, Ga., and to Santa Clara province, Cuba. While there he was made trumpeter of his company, Company H. He returned to the United States in May, landing at Savannah, and was honorably discharged while he lay in the hospital in that city, ill with typhoid fever. He returned home the latter part of that month.

After regaining his health, he enlisted on July 10 in the Signal Corps, U. S. army. He was on recruiting duty at Detroit for about a month and then went to the signal corps post at Fort Myer, Va. In the fall of 1899 he was detailed for duty at headquarters of the Department of the East at Governor's Island, New York harbor. He was promoted to first class private and to corporal. In August, 1901, he went from Governor's Island to Alaska, and was on duty in charge of military telegraph line construction in the Fort Gibbon section, along the Yukon river, until he was honorably discharged at Fort Gibbon in July, 1902. During the remainder of 1902 and into 1903 he was engaged in line construction work in the state of Washington. From October, 1903, to July, 1904, he was employed as a bookkeeper in New York City. Since the latter date, and up to the present time, he has been with the Western Electric Company, New York City, in the engineering department, his duties being line material inspection.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEW YORK CITY :

- i. GEORGE MARTIN, b. Aug. 21, 1904.
- ii. GRACE HANNIFFY, b. Jan. 17, 1906.
- iii. CHARLES FOX, b. Apr. 16, 1907.

**1305.** CHARLES FRANCIS TROWBRIDGE (*Wallace W.*<sup>1188</sup>, *James*<sup>1080</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 30, 1858, in Delta, Ohio; resides in Delta; married November 2, 1882, in Delta, Julia Shaffner, daughter of John and Anna (Steinbach) Shaffner, born July 27, 1863, in Haverstraw, N. Y.

Charles F. Trowbridge is engaged in farming near Delta, Ohio, his native place.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DELTA, OHIO:

- i. CLIFFORD WELLINGTON, b. Apr. 11, 1883.
- ii. MAUDE SHAFFNER, b. Oct. 27, 1884; m. Aug. 6, 1904, Clyde H. Arnold and resides in Delta.
- iii. ANNA LAURA, b. Nov. 26, 1888.
- iv. WALLACE MARION, b. Aug. 19, 1890; d. Dec. 27, 1894.
- v. RAY MAURICE, b. May 16, 1892.
- vi. HAZEL KIRKE, b. Jan. 14, 1894.
- vii. FRANCIS HOAG, b. Apr. 5, 1896.
- viii. JOSEPHINE FLORENCE, b. Mar. 12, 1898.
- ix. METRA ELDORA, b. Nov. 28, 1900.
- x. MARJORIE MAY, b. Aug. 16, 1902.
- xi. MILDRED LOUISE, b. Oct. 12, 1904.
- xii. EMMA MARIE, b. May 4, 1907.

**1306.** JOHN MATTHEW TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>1190</sup>, *John W.*<sup>1081</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>1036</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born September 23, 1862, in Springfield, Mass.; resides in New Haven, Conn.; married October 10, 1888, in New Haven, Cornelia Whitney Powell, daughter of Henry and Hannah Maria (Lee) Powell, born June 29, 1863, in Newburgh, N. Y.

John M. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to New Haven, Conn., where he attended the public schools and at present resides. He inherited mechanical skill from his father and grandfather, and, like them, is an expert at his trade. He is a machinist in the employ of the Winchester Repeating Arms Company, New Haven.

## CHILDREN:

- i. HENRY ELISHA, b. Sept. 22, 1889, in New Haven, Conn.
- ii. GEORGE ALLEN, b. Dec. 26, 1892, in Hartford, Conn.

**1307.** AMASA TROWBRIDGE (*Elisha*<sup>1190</sup>, *John W.*<sup>1081</sup>, *Elisha*<sup>1036</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 10, 1870, in Hartford, Conn.; resides in Hartford; married September 4, 1900, in North Haven, Conn., Mary Caroline Bishop, daughter of Joseph Edwin and Margaret (Stuart) Bishop, born April 15, 1870, in North Haven.

Amasa Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to New Haven, Conn. He attended the public schools and prepared for college at the Hillhouse High School in that city. He was graduated from the Sheffield Scientific School, Yale University, in 1891 with the degree of Ph.B. In 1896 he enlisted in the Engineer Division, Connecticut Naval Battalion, and was made chief engineer in 1897. He was commissioned a passed assistant engineer, with the relative rank of lieutenant, junior grade, in the United States navy, June 22, 1898, and served as chief engineer of the U. S. S. *Catskill* until honorably discharged September 27, 1898.

He was appointed in 1899 instructor of mechanical engineering in Lehigh University and remained there four years, until 1903, when he resigned to accept an appointment as adjunct professor in Columbia University, New York City. He continued in that position until February 1, 1905, when he resigned in order to enter commercial life. He accepted the position as works manager of the Veeder Manufacturing Company, Hartford, Conn., and is at present filling his duties with that concern.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, American Society of Naval Engineers and the Sigma Xi fraternity. He edited a translation of Weisbach's "Mechanics of Air Machinery," for which he wrote an appendix on "American Practice in Air Machinery." He defined a large portion of the "mechanical" and "marine" words for the 1906 revision of the

"Century Dictionary" and made the 1907 revision of the "mechanical" and "marine" articles for the "International Encyclopaedia."

NO CHILDREN.

**1308.** BENJAMIN CHARLES TROWBRIDGE (*Lewis H.*<sup>1205</sup>, *Benjamin C.*<sup>1109</sup>, *William*<sup>1048</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born June 19, 1868, in Mitchell, Wis.; resides in Merriman, Neb.; married March 1, 1904, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis., Flora Ann Rounseville,\* daughter of Samuel and Nancy A. (Kittell) Rounseville, born January 4, 1868, in Sheboygan Falls.

Benjamin C. Trowbridge came as a young man with his father to Nebraska and until the latter's return to Wisconsin was associated with him in the management of their cattle ranch eleven miles west of Merriman. Since his father's departure he has been conducting the ranch alone.

NO CHILDREN.

**1309.** CHARLES DARIUS TROWBRIDGE (*Edwin J.*<sup>1214</sup>, *Alpheus M.*<sup>1106</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 22, 1885, in Isehua, N. Y.; resides in Isehua; married July 18, 1905, in Allegany, N. Y., Sarah Emma Wenn, daughter of Peter and Charlotte A. (Carmon) Wenn, born January 13, 1884, in Binghamton, N. Y.

Charles D. Trowbridge owns and operates a woodworking factory in the village of Fitch in the town of Isehua, N. Y. He and his wife are members of the First Baptist Church of Lestershire, N. Y. Mrs. Trowbridge, who is a graduate of the Buffalo Normal School, is the author of several song poems recently published.

CHILD BORN IN HUMPHREY, N. Y.:

i. ELWYN DAVID, b. June 28, 1906.

**1310.** MARSHALL GRANT TROWBRIDGE (*Charles F.*<sup>1215</sup>, *Alpheus M.*<sup>1106</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 21, 1883, in Franklinville, N. Y.; resides in Franklinville; married October 16, 1906, in Franklinville, Evelyn Windsor, daughter of George Waterman and Chloe Anna (Evans) Windsor, born March 15, 1887, in Amnin township, McKean county, Pa.

Marshall G. Trowbridge attended a country school and in the fall of 1901 entered Ten Broeck Academy, Franklinville, N. Y. Eager to earn a livelihood, he left the academy at the end of the second year and secured employment on the Pennsylvania railroad, later being employed on the Erie railroad. He has always loved a good home life and, therefore, in 1906 he returned to Franklinville, where he married and has since resided. His present employment is as expressman for the Adams Express Company in the village of Franklinville.

NO CHILDREN.

**1311.** GUY A.† TROWBRIDGE (*Albert A.*<sup>1216</sup>, *Alpheus M.*<sup>1106</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 30, 1888, in Isehua, N. Y.; resides in Isehua; married January 10, 1906, in Isehua, Ethel Esther Morris, daughter of David O. and Mary Jane (Sherman) Morris, born March 28, 1887, in Franklinville, N. Y.

Guy A. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in his native town, Isehua, N. Y.

CHILD BORN IN ISCHUA, N. Y.:

i. HERBERT A.,† b. Mar. 5, 1908.

\* A sister of the third wife of his uncle No. 1206.

† Initial only.



**1312.** EVERETTE GOING TROWBRIDGE (*A. Henry*<sup>1217</sup>, *Edwin G.*<sup>1107</sup>, *James*<sup>1049</sup>, *William*<sup>1022</sup>, *James*<sup>1010</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 20, 1881, in Hancock, Mich.; resides in Hancock; married December 3, 1906, in Hancock, Helen Mabel Pryor, daughter of Joseph Francis and Helen Lenore (Shea) Pryor, born October 7, 1883, in Houghton, Mich.

Everette G. Trowbridge is engaged in the general insurance business in Hancock, Mich., his native place.

NO CHILDREN.

**1313.** DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*John T.*<sup>1226</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1112</sup>, *John*<sup>1051</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 9, 1862, in St. Louis, Mo.; died August 31, 1899, in St. Louis; married September 27, 1893, in Alton, Ill., Maude Edna Cooper, daughter of Thomas B. Cooper, born September 16, 1875, in St. Louis. She resides in Upper Alton, Ill.

Daniel Trowbridge was a bookkeeper in St. Louis, Mo.

CHILDREN:

- i. HELEN EDNA, b. May 31, 1895, in St. Louis, Mo.
- ii. NELLIE VIRGINIA, b. Aug. 19, 1898, in Alton, Ill.; d. June 29, 1899, in Alton.

**1314.** FRANK BILLON TROWBRIDGE (*John T.*<sup>1226</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1112</sup>, *John*<sup>1051</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 8, 1865, in St. Louis, Mo.; resides in St. Louis; married October 11, 1893, in St. Louis, Alice Leah Schenck, daughter of Peter Voorhees and Ruth Anna (McCune) Schenck, born December 16, 1871, in Peoria, Ill.

Frank B. Trowbridge has always resided in his native city, St. Louis, Mo. He attended the public schools there until his eighteenth year, when he entered the Commercial Bank. He remained with that institution ten years, the last eight as its teller. He then became teller of the State National Bank and at present holds that position.

Mr. Trowbridge is a member of the Royal Arcanum and of Christ P. E. Church of St. Louis.

CHILDREN BORN IN ST. LOUIS, MO.:

- i. VOORHEES SCHENCK, b. July 27, 1894.
- ii. ALICE FRANCES, b. May 28, 1897.

**1315.** FRED PORTER TROWBRIDGE (*John S.*<sup>1227</sup>, *Jonathan H.*<sup>1114</sup>, *John*<sup>1051</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born July 4, 1868, in Cambridge, Mass.; resides in Alston, Mass.; married June 12, 1906, in Boston, Mass., Maud Elizabeth Golder, daughter of Henry Williams and Elvira Frances (Chandler) Golder, born September 18, 1870, in Belgrade Lakes, Me.

Fred P. Trowbridge after completing a course of studies at the English High School, Boston, Mass., in 1885 entered the employ of his father, who was in business in that city under the firm name of J. S. Trowbridge & Co., manufacturers of fine scales, coffee mills, etc., and dealers in sporting goods. He remained with his father until the latter's death in 1892, when he bought the business and continued it, under the firm name of The J. S. Trowbridge Co., until 1899, when he sold it. He then engaged in real estate business, in which he has since then continued. He is in the office of the Lynn Real Estate, Trust and Improvement Company in Boston, Mass.

NO CHILDREN.

**1316.** WALTER JOHNSON TROWBRIDGE (*Ephraim S.*<sup>1229</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1115</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1052</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 9, 1877, in Roxbury, Mass.; resides in Somerville, Mass.; married September 20, 1904, in Somerville, Ellen Tamour Stone, daughter of Henry Harrison and Eunice Lucy (Curtis) Stone, born January 19, 1880, in Somerville.

Walter J. Trowbridge is a salesman in Boston, Mass. He resides in Somerville, a suburb of that city.

## CHILD BORN IN SOMERVILLE, MASS.:

- i. ALDUS STONE, b. Oct. 31, 1905.

**1317.** EDWARD REMINGTON TROWBRIDGE (*Charles B.*<sup>1232</sup>, *Charles*<sup>1116</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1052</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born May 16, 1867, in Providence, R. I.; resides in Providence; married April 28, 1892, in Providence, Alice Mae Eastman, daughter of James Henry and Elizabeth Frances (Finley) Eastman, born August 6, 1869, in Meriden, Conn.

Edward R. Trowbridge is a member of the firm of Daniel Remington & Son, cotton brokers, in Providence, R. I., his father and Mr. Henry O. Potter being the other members of the firm.

## CHILD BORN IN PROVIDENCE, R. I.:

- i. CHARLES EASTMAN, b. June 9, 1895.

**1318.** WALTER BACON TROWBRIDGE (*William O.*<sup>1234</sup>, *Otis*<sup>1119</sup>, *William*<sup>1053</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born October 30, 1869, in Boston, Mass.; resides in New York City; married October 13, 1897, in Newton, Mass., Effie Mary Hibbard, daughter of Hermon Elisha and Mary Anice (Holyoke) Hibbard, born June 9, 1872, in Newton.

Walter B. Trowbridge prepared for college at the public grammar school and also at the Allen School of his native city, and was graduated from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1892, taking the degree of S.B. He then entered the employ of Westinghouse, Church, Kerr & Co., engineers, and in the fall of 1895 he was appointed treasurer and general manager of the Eppler-Welt Machine Company. In March, 1899, that company was one of those consolidated into the United Shoe Machinery Company. He continued in the employ of the latter company as its purchasing agent, and was chairman of the building committee for the new manufacturing plant which that company built at Beverly, Mass. He filled this position until the fall of 1902, when he entered the office of Messrs. Hayden, Stone & Co., bankers and brokers, in Boston, and remained with that firm about five years. His home during this period was in Newton, Mass. Early in 1907 he again associated himself with Westinghouse, Church, Kerr & Co., and is at present connected with the New York office of that corporation.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:

- i. OTIS HIBBARD, b. June 2, 1899.
- ii. MADELAINE, b. Nov. 13, 1904.

**1319.** ALMARIN TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph S.*<sup>1238</sup>, *Almarin*<sup>1121</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 27, 1881, in Boston, Mass.; resides in Dorchester, Mass.; married June 15, 1904, in Dorchester, Belle Florence Leighton,\* daughter of John Edgar and Flora Emma (Proctor) Leighton, born April 30, 1882, in Cambridge, Mass.

\* A sister of the wife of his brother, No. 1320.

Almarin Trowbridge attended the public schools of Winchester, Mass., until he went to Worcester Academy, Worcester, Mass. He was graduated there in 1899, standing fifth in his class and delivering an oration at the graduation exercises. In the fall of that year he entered Harvard University, having passed all the examinations for the college and the Lawrence Scientific School. Owing to his father's poor health, he was forced to leave before completing his course at Harvard, and he went into business life. He was with Bradstreet & Co. in Boston, Mass., until August, 1901, when he accepted a position with Lawrence & Co., dry goods commission merchants, in Boston. He is now head bookkeeper on the Cochecho Manufacturing Company account.

Mr. Trowbridge has resided since 1902 in Dorchester, Mass., where he purchased a home that year. He is a member and an officer of the Colonial Club of Dorchester. At Worcester Academy he was a member of the Sigma and Legomathenian societies, and is secretary and treasurer of his class association. He and his wife attend Pilgrim Church, Upham's Corner, Dorchester.

NO CHILDREN.

**1320.** HENRY EVERARD TROWBRIDGE (*Joseph S.*<sup>1238</sup>, *Almarin*<sup>1121</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born April 23, 1882, in Winchester, Mass.; resides in Dorchester, Mass.; married June 1, 1905, in Dorchester, Floris Rhea Leighton,\* daughter of John Edgar and Flora Emma (Procter) Leighton, born July 28, 1885, in Somerville, Mass.

Henry E. Trowbridge, like his brother, was educated in the public schools of Winchester and the Worcester Academy. He is at present employed as a traveling salesman by the United Shoe Machinery Company of Boston, Mass. He resides in Dorchester, Mass., in a home which he built after his marriage.

NO CHILDREN.

**1321.** CLARENCE ALMARIN TROWBRIDGE (*William R.*<sup>1239</sup>, *John*<sup>1122</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 16, 1873, in Blythe, Ga.; resides in Thomson, Ga.; married April 29, 1902, in Thomson, Ga., Mabel Shields, daughter of James Llewellyn and Nannie Winsor (Morris) Shields, born March 5, 1875, in Thomson.

Clarence A. Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in Blythe, Ga. In 1895 he came to Augusta, Ga., and is with the Inter-State Cotton Oil Mill Company of that city. He resides in Thomson, Ga.

CHILDREN BORN IN AUGUSTA, GA.:

- i. KENNARD SHIELDS, b. May 26, 1903.
- ii. CLARENCE ALMARIN, b. Aug. 31, 1906.

**1322.** LUCIEN ASH TROWBRIDGE (*James W.*<sup>1241</sup>, *William*<sup>1123</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>1054</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1023</sup>, *Thaddeus*<sup>1011</sup>, *William*<sup>1004</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 26, 1880, in Bath, Ga.; resides in Augusta, Ga.; married March 28, 1907, in Birmingham, Ala., Margaret Pinckney Cameron, daughter of Maxwell Alexander and Louise (Robinson) Cameron, born March 5, 1882, in Aberdeen, Miss.

Lucien A. Trowbridge resides in Augusta, Ga. He is superintendent of the Augusta district for the Continental Insurance Company.

NO CHILDREN.

\* A sister of the wife of his brother No. 1319.

**1323.** FREDERICK KENT TROWBRIDGE (*Robert*<sup>1261</sup>, *John*<sup>1145</sup>, *John*<sup>1061</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 30, 1851, in Rockland, Me.; resides in Waldoboro, Me.; married November 7, 1877, in Charlestown, Mass., Lucy Maria Archer,\* daughter of William and Maria Head (Davis) Archer, born July 18, 1851, in Charlestown.

Frederick K. Trowbridge when a young man went to Boston, Mass., and was employed in a leather store there for a number of years. He then returned to Maine, and is a rural U. S. mail carrier. He resides in Waldoboro, Me.

NO CHILDREN.

**1324.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Edwin*<sup>1263</sup>, *John*<sup>1145</sup>, *John*<sup>1061</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born March 16, 1860, in Waldoboro, Me.; resides in Colorado Springs, Colo.; married November 10, 1885, in Union, Me., Flora May Lancaster, daughter of Benjamin Franklin and Aurora (Norcross) Lancaster, born June 24, 1863, in Winthrop, Me.

Henry Trowbridge fitted for college at the high school in Thomaston, Me., and entered Colby College, Waterville, Me. He partially worked his way through college and was graduated in 1883 with honors, standing among the first four in a class of thirty. He then entered the Albany Law School, from which he was graduated in 1885. In the fall of that year he married and immediately went to Denver, Colo., where he was admitted to the bar and began his professional career. He and his wife began housekeeping very economically, but in less than two years he had an acre of ground and a house of his own, and was making money so fast that had he cleaned up in 1890 he would have had \$50,000 out of the profits of real estate investments in Denver. But, like a good many others, he held on until the panic of 1893 wiped out those assets; and he started in over again, this time strictly sticking to his profession, which he has for the most part done ever since. During the period before that panic, however, he was connected with the sales of some of the most central business properties of Denver, where now stand some of its large blocks. In 1895 he moved his office from Denver to Cripple Creek, Colo., where he remained until 1903, and then removed to Colorado Springs, Colo., where he has since resided and had his principal office. Mr. Trowbridge was elected district attorney for the 4th Judicial District of Colorado in 1900, his term of office being four years, from January 8, 1901, to January 10, 1905.

It was during his term of office as district attorney that there occurred the severe labor troubles in Cripple Creek district. That district was included in his official territory, and things there were then very turbulent. Only those who have been on the ground when so heated controversies have occurred, which breed a small state of civil war, can fully understand the importance of a cool head and an impartial mind. Mr. Trowbridge so conducted the duties of his office during those trying times as to command the respect of both sides of the controversy, and their judgment was that he was bent upon meting out impartial justice to all men regardless of their position. As an instance of this, the records of the court show that he not only prosecuted workmen charged with crimes, but also as vigorously prosecuted military officers who had illegally imprisoned miners.

In 1906 he was appointed by his successor assistant district attorney for the same district, a position he holds at present. The district embraces seven counties and 90,000 people, and both as district attorney and assistant he has been successful to a marked degree. During the year 1907, for example, out of eighty-five criminal cases of all classes disposed of by him only five defendants

\* A sister of the wife of his uncle No. 1264.



*Henry Trowbridge*



obtained a verdict "not guilty." The bar has frankly told Mr. Trowbridge that he is the most efficient prosecutor the district has ever had, and among the business men of Denver and every other section where he has lived he has maintained an honorable name.

Mr. Trowbridge while a student at Colby College was elected to the Phi Beta Kappa society and the Delta Upsilon fraternity. He is also a member of the Colorado Springs Lodge of Elks and the Colorado Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DENVER, COLO. :\*

- i. GRACE NELSON, b. Jan. 3, 1887.†
- ii. RUTH ELIZABETH, b. Mar. 14, 1889; d. June 19, 1896, in North Conway, N. H.
- iii. EUGENE LANCASTER, b. Feb. 27, 1890.
- iv. JOHN, b. Feb. 8, 1899.

**1325.** ERNEST CLEAVELAND TROWBRIDGE (*Charles C.*<sup>1268</sup>, *Charles A.*<sup>1150</sup>, *Phineas*<sup>1062</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 27, 1881, in Leominster, Mass.; resides in Gardner, Mass.; married September 27, 1905, in Manchester, N. H., Maude Elma Hooker, daughter of William Henry and Addie Ann (Van Orman) Hooker, born May 12, 1877, in Ellenburg, N. Y.

Ernest C. Trowbridge is a druggist in Gardner, Mass. He is a member of Hope Lodge, F. and A. M., of Gardner, and of North Star Chapter, R. A. M., of Winchendon, Mass.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1326.** CLARENCE HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Henry H.*<sup>1269</sup>, *Charles A.*<sup>1150</sup>, *Phineas*<sup>1062</sup>, *John*<sup>1025</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1012</sup>, *Caleb*<sup>1005</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born February 24, 1884, in Leominster, Mass.; resides in Leominster; married June 12, 1906, in Leominster, Veta White, daughter of Charles Lomse and Celina (Suratte) White, born April 30, 1885, in Fox Creek, N. B.

Clarence H. Trowbridge is a comb maker and is employed at the Earl Horn Comb and Pin Company in Leominster, Mass.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1327.** EDMUND PARKER TROWBRIDGE (*Edmund*<sup>1274</sup>, *George A.*<sup>1157</sup>, *Edmund*<sup>1066</sup>, *John*<sup>1029</sup>, *John*<sup>1015</sup>, *John*<sup>1007</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1002</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born December 17, 1876, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; resides in Derry, N. H.; married January 22, 1901, in Boston, Mass., Elizabeth Ward Pratt, daughter of George Henry and Helen Jane (Riley) Pratt, born September 27, 1879, in Newton, Mass.

Edmund P. Trowbridge at the age of five years went with his parents to Chicago, Ill., where they lived until he was twelve years old, when they removed to Framingham, Mass. He attended the public schools in Chicago and Framingham and studied one year in Wesleyan Academy, Wilbraham, Mass. After leaving school he was employed as an hotel clerk in Boston. Leaving that occupation, he entered the employ of the Charles A. Mellen Co., Boston, manufacturers of interior finish, mantels and tiling. After being with this company three years he purchased their entire stock. He carried on the business some six months and then sold out.

In November, 1900, he accepted a situation with the *Newton Journal*, Newton, Mass. In 1901 it was incorporated as The Newton Journal Publishing Company, with Mr. Trowbridge as treasurer. In 1903 he sold his interest in this company, and purchased the *Derry News* in Derry village, N. H. He also bought a

\* Except iv, who was born in Cripple Creek, Colo.

† Miss Trowbridge was graduated from Colorado College, Colorado Springs, in June, 1908.

residence in the farming section of East Derry. In 1904 he moved the plant to Derry, the business section of the town, and increased the plant to quite an extent. In December, 1907, he purchased the large plant of the Magnet Publishing Company, publishers of the Derry *Enterprise*, and consolidated the two plants as the Derry *News*, now having one of the largest weekly newspapers and job printing plants in the country.

## CHILD BORN IN EAST DERRY, N. H.:

- i. LOUISE, b. May 9, 1905.

**1328.** MARCUS ELMER TROWBRIDGE (*Martin II.*<sup>1291</sup>, *John S.*<sup>1180</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born August 5, 1867, in Washington county, Neb.; resides in Adrian, Mo.; married November 16, 1895, in Adrian, Elizabeth Welton Wright, daughter of Thomas Hugh and Catharine Rebecca (Henry) Wright, born January 25, 1872, in Front Royal, Va.

Marcus E. Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to Missouri and grew up on his father's farm near Burdett, Bates county. After his marriage he settled in the neighboring town of Adrian, where he has since been engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN ADRIAN, MO.:

- i. CATHARINE VIRGINIA, b. Aug. 22, 1896.
- ii. FREDERICK CARLETON, b. Nov. 15, 1898.
- iii. RALPH NICHOL, b. Mar. 11, 1902.

**1329.** WILLARD ORR TROWBRIDGE (*Martin II.*<sup>1291</sup>, *John S.*<sup>1180</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1078</sup>, *Willard*<sup>1035</sup>, *James*<sup>1018</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1009</sup>, *James*<sup>1003</sup>, *James*<sup>1000</sup>, *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born November 27, 1875, in Bates county, Mo.; resides in Bates county (Burdett P. O.); married July 2, 1899, in Burdett, Mo., Brookie Ellen Ferguson, daughter of Thomas Benton and Jerusha Mahala (Huff) Ferguson, born March 26, 1881, in Jackson county, Mo.

Willard O. Trowbridge was engaged in farming for several years in Compton, Ark., but is now farming in his native place, near Burdett, Bates county, Mo.

## CHILDREN BORN IN COMPTON, ARK.:

- i. HAROLD ALLEN, b. Mar. 7, 1900.
- ii. RAYMOND MAXWELL, b. July 31, 1901.
- iii. BESSIE ROSE MARIE, b. Aug. 20, 1903.
- iv. CLARENCE DEE, b. Nov. 15, 1906.

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\* Except i, who was born in Bates county, Mo.



OTHER TROWBRIDGE FAMILIES



BENJAMIN STRAWBRIDGE, OR TROWBRIDGE,  
 OF CHATHAM, CONN.,  
 AND HIS DESCENDANTS

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**1350.** BENJAMIN TROWBRIDGE, born ———, 167—, in Wales?;\* died ———, 1742, in Chatham,† Conn.; married July 9, 1705, in East Haddam, Conn., Hannah (———) Ackley, widow of Thomas Ackley of East Haddam, who died March 6, 1772, in Chatham, aged 94 years.

Benjamin Strawbridge, Strowbridge‡ or Trowbridge, for in the latter form his descendants in later years have spelled the name, is said to have emigrated from Wales\* to New England early in the eighteenth century. He settled in that part of the town of Middletown, Conn., later established as the town of Chatham. His farm was in the lower corner of the parish across Salmon river. He lived on the Chatham side of the road dividing Chatham and Westchester parish in Colechester. There he passed the rest of his life, engaged in farming. He and his wife were members of the Congregational church in Westchester, a place of worship most convenient to their home.§

CHILDREN BORN IN CHATHAM,|| CONN.:\*\*

- i. MARY, b. ———, 170—; m. Jan. 1, 1734, Clement Bates of Chatham.
- ii. MEHITABLE, b. ———, 170—.
- iii. ANNA, b. ———, 170—; m. Nov. 22, 1739, James Booge of East Haddam, Conn.
- iv. JANE, b. ———, 171—; m. Joshua Luther of Chatham.
- v. ABIGAIL, b. ———, 171—.
1351. vi. JOHN, b. ———, 1718?.
1352. vii. BENJAMIN, b. ———, 1720.

**1351.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born ———, 1718?, in Chatham, Conn.; died ———, 179—,†† in Chatham; married ———, 174—, in Colechester, (Westchester)?, Conn. Hannah Crocker, daughter of Isaac and Elizabeth (———) Crocker of Colechester, who was buried February 9, 1880, in Chatham, aged 89 years.

\* Statement of his grandson No. 1356 to his granddaughter Mrs. Nancy N. Markham (a daughter of No. 1356, ii) of Natick, Mass.

† Then the 3d parish of Middletown, East Side, and the 6th of Middletown proper.

‡ The spelling in early records of that part of Connecticut is Strawbridge, Strobridge, Strowbridge, Trobridge and Trowbridge.

§ The church in Chatham was not organized until 1748.

|| Then a parish of Middletown.

\*\* In the order their names are given in the "agreement between the heirs of Benjamin Trowbridge of Middletown," dated Aug. 3, 1742. "Son Benjamin is to have the house and home lot."

†† He died before his wife, but was living as late as 1790, for on July 16 of that year he divided his lands between his children as follows: "to John Trowbridge, Jr., of Chatham the farm I live on, 60 acres and buildings, except 10 acres from the north part this day given my son Jonathan and daughter Susannah Strong. John, Jr., to give his parents a life use in the property." John, Jr., bought the interests of his above brother and sister in July, 1792.

The compiler is indebted to Mr. Frank Farnsworth Starr of Middletown, Conu., for many items about the Chatham family of Trowbridges.

John Trowbridge lived on a farm of 70 acres on the east side of the highway between Chatham and Colechester, Conn. A few years prior to his death he gave this farm to his son John, reserving a life use in it for himself and wife. He and his family were members of the Westchester Congregational church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CHATHAM, CONN. :\*

- i. JOHN, b. Mar. 22, 1743; d. young.
- ii. JONATHAN, bapt. between June 21 and July 12, 1747; d. young.
- iii. SUSANNAH, bapt. May 13, 1750; d. young.
- iv. JONAH, b. Feb. 17, 1752; d. young.†
- v. SUSANNAH, bapt. between Aug. 25 and Sept. 29, 1754;‡ m. Nov. 27, 1782, Benjamin Strong of Haddam, Conn.
1353. vi. JONATHAN, b. ———, 1757.§
1354. vii. JOHN, b. ———, 1759.

**1352.** BENJAMIN TROWBRIDGE (*Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born ———, 1720, in Chatham, Conn.; died June 30, 1786, in Chatham; married, first, March 31, 1746, in Chatham, Hope Snow, who died June 20, 1760, in Chatham. He married, second, September 23, 1761, in Chatham, Esther Gates, who died September 19, 1783, in Chatham, aged 62 years. He married, third, June 2, 1784, in East Haddam, Conn., Sarah (———) Harvey. She married, third, Oliver Olecott of East Haddam.

Benjamin Trowbridge|| inherited his father's farm of nearly 60 acres in Chatham, and resided there all his life.\*\* He and his family were members of the Westchester Congregational church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CHATHAM, CONN. :

*By first marriage:††*

- i. COUZENS, b. Feb. 8, 1747; d. ———, 1815,‡‡ in Chatham; unm.
- ii. SUSANNAH, b. Jan. 23, 1753; d. Sept. 29, 1783, in Chatham; unm.
1355. iii. BENJAMIN, b. Mar. 1, 1755.
- iv. HENRY, b. Dec. 3, 1758; was a soldier in the Revolution, being in Capt. Amos Jones' company, recruited in Colebester, Conn. He was killed Sept. 19, 1777, in the battle of Saratoga; unm.§§
1356. v. EBENEZER, b. June 17, 1760.

**1353.** JONATHAN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1351</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born ———, 1757, in Chatham, Conn.; died ———, 1831, in Freetown, N. Y.; married ———, 1777, in Durham?, Conn., Sarah ———,||| who died ———, 1833, in Freetown, aged 72 years.

Jonathan Trowbridge was a farmer. He lived in his native town until about the year 1800, when he made a trip on horseback to Chenango county, N. Y., and selected a farm in the town of New Berlin. He returned to Chatham for his

\* Births recorded in Middletown, Conn., Town Records; baptisms in Westchester Congregational Church Records.

† Probably, as his name does not appear in the division described in footnote †† p. 681.

‡ Born 1758 by "Strong Genealogy."

§ Bapt. Jan. 16?

|| Westchester Congregational Church Records spell the name of this family Strowbridge.

\*\* The distribution of his estate was made Sept. 1, 1786, to his widow Sarah and sons Couzens, Benjamin and Ebenezer. [Middletown, Conn., Probate Records.]

†† No children by the second or third marriages.

‡‡ Administration was granted on his estate Mar. 7, 1815. Distribution to Benjamin Trowbridge and the estate of Ebenezer Trowbridge. [Middletown, Conn., Probate Records.]

§§ "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 506.

||| "Sarah, wife of Jonathan Strowbridge," united with the church in East Hampton, Conn., by letter from the church in Durham, Conn., Apr. 23, 1779. [East Hampton, Conn., Congregational Church Records.]

family and brought them to their new home in an ox-team, he riding horseback at their side. He lived in New Berlin nearly twenty years and then moved to Freetown, Cortland county, in the same state, where he resided until his death. He and his wife were members of the Baptist church in Texas Valley, the only church for miles around.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CHATHAM, CONN.:

- i. HANNAH, b. May 7, 1778; m. Seth Bronson of Freetown, N. Y.
- ii. JONAH, bapt. Dec. 25, 1779;\* "went to sea and was never heard of again."
- iii. ANNA, b. ———, 1785; d. ———, 1863, in Freetown; unm.

**1354.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1351</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born ———, 1759, in Chatham, Conn.; buried February 17, 1819, in Chatham; married July 8, 1790, in East Hampton?, Conn., Susannah Bates.†

John Trowbridge was a farmer in Chatham, Conn. He had his father's farm. He owned 46 acres on the east side of the highway and 15 acres on the west side, where his house stood.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CHATHAM, CONN.:

1357. i. JOHN, b. Sept. —, 1792.
- ii. SUSANNAH, b. ———, 1794; m., 1st, Dec. 11, 1823, Asa Grover of Chatham; m., 2d, Apr. 3, 1842, Albert Welden of Glastonbury, Conn.
- iii. A child, b. Oct. —, 1796; d. July 1, 1797.
- iv. ITHMAR, b. ———, 1798; d. Mar. —, 1848, in Chatham; unm.

**1355.** BENJAMIN TROWBRIDGE (*Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born March 1, 1755, in Chatham, Conn.; died January 12, 1822, in New York City; married ———.‡

Benjamin Trowbridge was a soldier in the Revolution. In his application for a pension, which was granted him, he describes his service in the army as follows:§ "he enlisted in the First Regiment, First Brigade, of Connecticut troops in the Continental service,|| under Colonel Prentiss in the company commanded by Capt. Eliphalet Holmes, at East Haddam, in the State of Connecticut, about the month of March, 1777. He enlisted for three years. From thence deponent was ordered to New York, from thence to Horse-Neck, and from Horse-Neck to Drake's Mills near the North River, from thence to Valley Forge near the Schuylkill, where the army wintered. In the following year deponent was at the battle of Germantown, under the same officers. Deponent was also at the battle of Monmouth and at that time was put under the command of Marquis de Lafayette. Deponent was a private in the army. He was at no

\* In Durham, Conn.

† In 1826 Susannah Grover deeds to John Trowbridge of Chatham "all my interest in our mother's dower in our father's estate in Chatham."

‡ As he was a Sound pilot, one or more of the marriages recorded at Providence (see "Rhode Island Trowbridges" in this book) may have been his. A grandniece of his (a daughter of No. 1356, ii) wrote, "he settled in Rhode Island after the war."

§ "On this 28th day of April, 1818, Benjamin Trowbridge of the City of New York, aged 64 years or thereabouts," made his first declaration, which recites that he served three years and six months as a private in Captain Holmes' company, 1st Regiment, Connecticut Line, and that he has lost his discharge. Jonathan Little makes affidavit to Benjamin Trowbridge having performed said service, they having been together in Captain Holmes' company, Colonel Prentiss' regiment. Benjamin Trowbridge makes a second declaration on June 27, 1820, "aged 65," in which he describes his service more fully, as here printed. He was placed on the pension roll of New York.

|| 1st Regiment, Connecticut Line.

particular place than the above mentioned, received no wounds, was discharged in March, 1780, by Colonel Starr (if deponent recollects right), deponent's term of service having expired.\*

He became a pilot on Long Island Sound, and resided in New York City for a number of years prior to his death. He was known in his native place as "Captain" Trowbridge.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. A daughter, b. about 1792.
- ii. A daughter, b. about 1799.
- iii. A daughter, b. about 1801.
- iv. HENRY, b. about 1808.

**1356.** EBENEZER TROWBRIDGE (*Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born June 17, 1760, in Chatham, Conn.; died December 24, 1814, in East Haddam, Conn.; married ———, 1786?, in East Hampton?, Conn., Naomi Hodge, daughter of Samuel and Mary (Loveland?) Hodge, born March 15, 1761, in East Hampton; died May —, 1847, in South Glastonbury, Conn.

Ebenezer Trowbridge lived on his father's farm in his native town until he entered the army during the Revolution. He was corporal in Capt. Benjamin Durkee's matross company, and served from March 19, 1782, to March 19, 1783.‡ A grandson wrote that he was lieutenant of his company at his discharge. He settled after his marriage in East Haddam, Conn., near the Colchester line on what is now called Trowbridge Hill. He lived there the remainder of his life and was a farmer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN EAST HADDAM, CONN.:

- i. SUSANNAH, b. June 17, 1787; m. June 16, 1808, George Lee of Colchester, Conn.
- ii. NAOMI, b. ———, 1789?; m. Apr. 9, 1809, Charles Brooks of East Haddam.
1358. iii. HENRY, b. Apr. 12, 1791.
- iv. HOPE, b. ———, 179-; m. Apr. 13, 1815, Pliny Ackley of East Haddam.
- v. POLLY, b. ———, 179-; m. ———, 1818?, David Ackley of East Haddam.
1359. vi. DAVID, b. Feb. 2, 1804.

\* Benjamin Trowbridge in Capt. Eliphalet Holmes' company; enlisted Apr. 26, 1777; discharged Apr. 26, 1780. ["Connecticut in the Revolution," pp. 154, 404.]

Benjamin H. Trowbridge of Indiana county, Pa., on July 25, 1818, makes declaration for a pension as follows: "Benjamin H. Trowbridge, aged 61, declares that he enlisted in 1775 in Captain Hansbrook's company of foot, Colonel Windcoop's regiment of the Connecticut Line, and served the whole of said term; that he in 1776 enlisted in Captain Mills' [Amasa Mills of New Hartford, Conn.?] company, Colonel Wills' regiment, and served for the term of one year; that he enlisted again in 1777 in Captain Holmes' company, Colonel [Solomon] Wills' regiment for the term of three years, and served for the whole of said term and was in the year 1780 discharged from the service, and . . . that he has lost his written discharge." [Signed: Benjamin H. Trowbridge.]

On Sept. 26, 1820, "Benjamin H. Trowbridge, aged 63 last June, of Washington, Indiana county, Pa., declares: he was enlisted in Captain Holmes' company in the First Connecticut Regiment commanded by Colonel Starr in the spring of 1777 for the term of three years, which he served, and was at the battles of Danbury, Richfield, Camphill, Monmouth and Germantown, White Marsh; and this declarant had previously served in the New York Line seven months and one year under Captain Mills and Colonel Wills in the Connecticut Line, and was discharged at West Point in the year 1779. . . . he was also at the battle of White Plains. . . . My family consists of my wife Margaret, aged 61. I am by profession a laborer." [Signed: Benjamin H. Thompson.]

The compiler has not found the birth of any Benjamin H. Trowbridge. There was a Benjamin Thompson, a drummer, in Capt. Seth Holmes' company Aug. 3-Sept. 14, 1778. A Benjamin Thompson was in the New York Line, but not under the above officers according to "New York in the Revolution."

The grandchildren of No. 1450 were asked if the above Benjamin H. Trowbridge and wife Margaret were not their grandparents but did not answer this question.

† By U. S. Pension Office Records.

‡ "Connecticut in the Revolution," p. 588.

**1357.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1354</sup>, *John*<sup>1351</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born September —, 1792, in Chatham, Conn.; died October 13, 1883, in Chatham; married May 9, 1826, in Colehester, Conn., Margery Shipman, born May —, 1805, in Colehester; died November 5, 1858, in Chatham.

John Trowbridge passed his life in his native town. He was a farmer.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CHATHAM, CONN.:

1360. i. DANIEL, b. Mar. 30, 1827.  
 1361. ii. WILLIAM ALLEN, b. Nov. 17, 1829.  
 1362. iii. JOHN GILBERT, b. Jan. 2, 1832.  
 iv. HARRIET NEWELL, b. May 14, 1836; m. June 26, 1867, Alden Smith of East Haddam, Conn.  
 1363. v. LYMAN CHADWICK, b. Nov. 14, 1841.

**1358.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born April 12, 1791, in East Haddam, Conn.; died September 12, 1869, in Barber, Minn.; married March 26, 1812, in Haddam, Conn., Polly Bailey, born August 11, 1793, in Haddam; died December —, 1879, in Barber.

Henry Trowbridge was brought up on his father's farm in his native place, East Haddam, Conn., and is said to have gone as a youth to work on a relative's farm in Lewis county, N. Y. He became a soldier in the War of 1812. He enlisted September 8, 1812, in Captain Miller's company, Colonel Cox's regiment, New York militia, and was discharged October 23, 1812. He served from September 14, 1813, to October 7, 1813, in Captain Shepard's company, and from July 30, 1814, to August 26, 1814, in Captain Schofield's company. He was on duty at Sackett's Harbor during his several terms of service.\*

He is said to have lived a few years after his marriage in East Haddam. In the spring of 1817 he removed to Leyden, N. Y., where he lived about twenty-five years. He then emigrated to Dane county, Wis., going later to Jefferson and Columbus, Wis. He later settled in Barber township, eight miles east of Blue Earth, Faribault county, Minn., where he passed the remainder of his life. He was a farmer. For his service in the War of 1812 his widow received a pension.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. SALLY, b. Nov. 8, 1814; m. Dec. 8, 1831, Hosea Thayer of Leyden, N. Y.  
 1364. ii. ALANSON, b. Mar. 30, 1816.  
 1365. iii. DAVID, b. Dec. 28, 1817.  
 iv. NAOMI, b. June 9, 1820; m. ———, 1852, Lewis Braman of Jefferson, Wis.  
 1366. v. HENRY, b. Apr. 3, 1822.  
 1367. vi. FREEMAN, b. Sept. 17, 1824.  
 vii. MARY, b. Jan. 19, 1828; m. Walter Weaver of Northfield, Minn.  
 1368. viii. ANSEL, b. July 18, 1834.  
 1369. ix. TRUMAN, b. Nov. 4, 1837.

**1359.** DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born February 2, 1804, in East Haddam, Conn.; died June 11, 1863, in South Glastonbury, Conn.; married December 21, 1826, in South Glastonbury, Mary Chapman, daughter of Amos and Polly (Taylor) Chapman, born January 22, 1802, in South Glastonbury; died January 8, 1881, in South Glastonbury.

David Trowbridge was a farmer in South Glastonbury, Conn.

## CHILDREN:

1370. i. DAVID SAMPSON, b. June 27, 1827, in South Glastonbury, Conn.  
 1371. ii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Dec. 30, 1830, in Portland, Conn.

\* U. S. Pension Office Records.

† i-ii born in East Haddam, Conn.; the others in Leyden, N. Y.

**1360.** DANIEL TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1357</sup>, *John*<sup>1354</sup>, *John*<sup>1351</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born March 30, 1827, in Chatham, Conn.; died January —, 1889, in Hebron, Conn.; married ———, 1849, in Hebron, Eliza Brown, daughter of Aaron and Lanra (Wilson) Brown, who died July 2, 1875, in Hebron.

Daniel Trowbridge was a farmer and teamster in Hebron, Conn.

CHILD BORN IN HEBRON, CONN.:

1372. i. FRANKLIN JOHN, b. May 9, 1850.

**1361.** WILLIAM ALLEN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1357</sup>, *John*<sup>1354</sup>, *John*<sup>1351</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born November 17, 1829, in Chatham, Conn.; died May 4, 1892, in Coventry, Conn.; married January 17, 1861, in East Haddam, Conn., Sarah Frances Bates, daughter of John and Mary Ann (Clark) Bates, born October 15, 1838, in Haddam, Conn. She resides in Coventry.

William A. Trowbridge was a farmer. He lived in East Haddam and later in Coventry, Conn.

CHILDREN:

- i. WILLIAM CLAYTON, b. Aug. 17, 1863, in East Haddam, Conn.; is a farmer in Coventry, Conn.; unm.
- ii. ALMIRA CONE, b. Jan. 28, 1866, in East Haddam; m. Sept. 9, 1886, Stephen Morey Carpenter and resides in Willimantic, Conn.
- iii. EDITH MAY, b. June 23, 1878, in Coventry; m. May 29, 1894, Clayton Ward Hanks and resides in South Willington, Conn.

**1362.** JOHN GILBERT TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1357</sup>, *John*<sup>1354</sup>, *John*<sup>1351</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born January 2, 1832, in Chatham, Conn.; died November 10, 1893, in Westchester, Conn.; married September 8, 1874, in Chatham, Clarissa Jeanette Beers, daughter of Eliphalet and Siminda (Brown) Beers, born June 18, 1839, in Chatham. She resides in North Westchester, Conn.

John G. Trowbridge was a farmer near the village of Westchester, Conn.

NO CHILDREN, *but adopted*:

1373. i. FREDERICK, b. Jan. 18, 1873, in Glastonbury, Conn.\*

**1363.** LYMAN CHADWICK TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1357</sup>, *John*<sup>1354</sup>, *John*<sup>1351</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born August 14, 1841, in Chatham, Conn.; died August 29, 1869, in East Haddam, Conn.; married February 9, 1864, in Rockville, Conn., Jane Louise Lyman, daughter of Anson and Sarah (Ingraham) Lyman, born September 22, 1845, in Vernon, Conn. She resides in Waterbury, Conn.

Lyman C. Trowbridge after his marriage lived in Fair Haven, in the eastern part of the city of New Haven, Conn. He was a street railroad conductor for a time, and was then in the retail meat and grocery business there for about two years, and later was a short time in 1866 with the Adams Express Company in New Haven. He then removed to Waterbury, Conn., and opened a fish market, which he conducted until just before his death. He was made a Free Mason in Fair Haven January 15, 1867.

CHILDREN:

- i. LILLIAN HARRIET, b. May 3, 1865, in Fair Haven, Conn.; m. May 31, 1905, Joseph H. Callbreath, M.D., and resides in Waterbury, Conn.
- ii. ELLA, b. Oct. 29, 1866, in New Haven, Conn.; d. Aug. 29, 1868.
1374. iii. EDWIN LYMAN, b. Mar. 5, 1868, in Waterbury,

**1364.** ALANSON TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenzer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born March 30, 1816, in East Haddam, Conn.; died October

\* He is a son of Alonzo Warner of North Westchester, Conn. His name was changed to Trowbridge.



5, 1885, in Columbus, Wis.; married March 30, 1843, in Aztalan, Wis., Clarissa Thayer, daughter of Manley and Lydia (Thayer?) Thayer, born June 3, 1824, in Leyden, N. Y. She resides in Columbus.

Alanson Trowbridge came to Jefferson county, Wis., with his father. He settled after his marriage in Columbia county, and was engaged in farming in Columbus the remainder of his life.

## CHILD BORN IN COLUMBUS, WIS.:

1375. i. ORRIN ALANSON, b. June 24, 1851.

1365. DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born December 28, 1817, in Leyden, N. Y.; died January 3, 1892, in Hillsborough, Wis.; married, first, March 25, 1840, in Leyden, Nancy P. Filley, daughter of Henry Filley, born January 2, 1816, in Leyden; died May 16, 1862, in Columbus, Wis. He married, second, July 4, 1867, in Faribault county, Minn., Sarah (Straight) Norton, widow of Henry Norton of that county and daughter of Joseph and Fanny (Whittaker) Straight, born October 2, 1835, in Greene, N. Y.; died September 12, 1894, in Hillsborough.

David Trowbridge left his native town soon after his marriage and settled in Stow Corners, two miles west of Kent, Summit county, Ohio. In the summer of 1852 he "went west" into Illinois and located in McHenry county, near Marengo. About eight years later he went to Columbus, Columbia county, Wis., where his older brother had settled, and soon after removed to Blue Earth, near Delavan, Faribault county, Minn. He called himself "of Walnut Lake," that county, when he enlisted in the Civil War. He was enrolled December 19, 1863, and mustered January 4, 1864, as a private in Company H, 2d Minnesota Cavalry. He was the oldest man in his company and his comrades in arms called him "Dad." He received his discharge May 16, 1865.\*

After his second marriage he lived near Delavan, Faribault county, Minn., until about 1877, when he removed to a farm about four and one-half miles from Hillsborough, Vernon county, Wis., where he resided until his death. With the exception of the time he was in the army, he was engaged in farming all his life.

## CHILDREN:†

*By first marriage:*

- i. CARLOS, b. Jan. 31, 1841; d. May 13, 1843.
- 1376. ii. IRA, b. Oct. 3, 1842.
- iii. LUCY MARIA, b. July 12, 1844; m. Jan. 1, 1867, John A. Merry of Washburn, N. D.
- 1377. iv. LORENZO, b. July 4, 1846.
- 1378. v. CARLOS, b. July 11, 1848.
- vi. ADALINE, b. Apr. 8, 1850; m. June 23, 1869, Henry Clay Haynes and resides in Streetsboro, Ohio.
- 1379. vii. HENRY ALVIN, b. Apr. 16, 1852.
- 1380. viii. ADIUS EUGENE, b. May 28, 1854.
- 1381. ix. LEWIS JEROME, b. May 13, 1856.
- x. MARY LODEMA, b. Apr. 6, 1858; m. July 4, 1876, William Barnard Forry and resides in Garden Grove, Cal.
- 1382. xi. ALBERT HERMAS, b. May 16, 1860.

*By second marriage:*

- xii. CYNTHIA, b. Nov. 8, 1872; m. Nov. 10, 1890, William Ichabod Straight and resides in Hillsborough, Wis.
- xiii. MYRTIA, b. June 1, 1875; d. June 21, 1876.

\* Minnesota Adjutant General's Report.

† i-vii born in Stow Corners, Summit county, Ohio; viii-ix in McHenry county, Ill.; x-xi in Columbus, Wis.; xii-xiii near Delavan, Minn.

**1366.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born April 3, 1822, in Leyden, N. Y.; died August 30, 1896, in Neligh, Neb.; married November 29, 1848, in Cottage Grove, Wis., Hannah (Allen) Hollerbush, daughter of Rev. Timothy and Elisabeth (Hess) Allen, born March 12, 1826, in Centreville, N. Y.; died October 9, 1900, in Neligh.

Henry Trowbridge went with his parents to Dane county, Wis. He was a soldier in the Mexican War, being a private in Company F, 4th Wisconsin Infantry. He enlisted in March and was discharged July 27, 1848, at Pascagoula, Miss. He married that fall and settled as a farmer in Cold Spring, Jefferson county, Wis. He later became a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted at Whitewater August 15, 1862, for three years in Company D, 29th Wisconsin Infantry, and was discharged for disability June 15, 1863. He re-enlisted August 23, 1864, for one year or during the war in Company G, 42d Wisconsin Infantry, and was discharged June 11, 1865, at Cairo, Ill.

About January, 1868, he removed with his family to Clear Lake, Iowa, where his oldest daughter was then living. The following summer the whole family started with teams for Colorado, but stopped in Cuming county, Neb. In the summer of 1869 he and his son-in-law rented a farm seven miles from West Point, Cuming county. In the summer of 1871 they and another son-in-law, who had recently entered the family, took claims in Antelope county, Neb., moving onto them that fall. Mr. Trowbridge lived there the remainder of his life.

Mr. Trowbridge became a member of the United Brethren Church in 1853, and remained a faithful member until 1873, when he united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, in which he continued until his death, having lived the life of a consistent Christian.

CHILDREN BORN IN COLD SPRING, WIS.:

- i. IREBE MELISSA, b. Mar. 11, 1850; m. June 30, 1867, Stephen Hills and resides in Gordon, Neb.
- ii. AMELIA, b. Apr. 20, 1853; m. May 7, 1871, John Henry Crawford of Neligh, Neb.
- iii. MARY ANN, b. May 23, 1858; m., 1st, July 21, 1878, Jefferson Gier of Neligh; m., 2d, Aug. 3, 1905, Henry Francis Keller and resides in Neligh.
1383. iv. ALBERT FRANKLIN, b. Oct. 28, 1860.
1384. v. GEORGE HENRY, b. Feb. 3, 1864.

**1367.** FREEMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born September 17, 1824, in Leyden, N. Y.; resides in Wilder, Minn.; married, first, November —, 1846, in Elvers, Wis., Emily Randall, daughter of Hiram and Melissa (Chapman) Randall, born ———, 1830, in ———, Ohio; died July 3, 1865, in Columbus, Wis. He married, second, March 20, 1866, in ———, Mary Ann Fuller, born July 5, 1834, in ———, Vt.\*

Freeman Trowbridge went with his parents to Dane county, Wis., and married there and engaged in farming. He lived in Jefferson and later in Columbus, Wis. He enlisted there during the Civil War. He enlisted February 16, 1864, in Company D, 4th Wisconsin Cavalry, and was mustered out August 20, 1865. He later removed to a farm in Wilder, Jackson county, Minn., where he lives at present. He is postmaster there. He has been a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church for about forty years.

CHILDREN:

*By first marriage:*

- i. SARAH, b. ———, 1847?; d. aged 6 years.
1385. ii. HIRAM, b. Feb. 10, 1848?.

\* He failed to answer the compiler's letters.

- iii. FREEMAN, b. ———, 1849?; was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted Feb. 15, 1864, in Company M, 4th Wisconsin Cavalry, and d. Sept. 7, 1864, in Baton Rouge, La.; unm.
- iv. CYRENUS, b. ———, 185-?.
- v. HENRY, b. ———, 185-; resides in Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.\*
- vi. MELISSA, b. ———, 185-; m. ——— Rolph, and resides in Saskatoon.\*

*By second marriage:*

- vii. EMILY, b. ———, 186-.
- viii. WILLIAM, b. ———, 187-; resides in Huron, S. D.\*
- ix. JESSIE, b. ———, 187-.

**1368.** ANSEL TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born July 18, 1834, in Leyden, N. Y.; died ———, 188-, in Delavan, Minn.; married ———, 186-, Diantha Lane. She resides in Delavan.\*

Ansel Trowbridge, like his older brothers, came with his parents to Wisconsin and, like them, was a farmer.

## CHILDREN:

- i. ALONZO, b. ———, 186-.
- ii. ———.
- iii. ———.
- iv. ———.

**1369.** TRUMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born November 4, 1837, in Leyden, N. Y.; resides in Superior, Iowa; married ———.\*

Truman Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Wisconsin and accompanied them to Minnesota. He was drafted during the Civil War, and was mustered December 28, 1864, in Company II, 4th Minnesota Infantry, and was discharged with his regiment July 19, 1865. He is a farmer in Superior, Iowa.

## CHILDREN:

- i. WILLIAM, b. ———, 185-?.
- ii. JAMES, b. ———, 185-?.
- iii. ORRIN, b. ———, 186-?.
- iv. LOTTIE, b. ———, 186-?.
- v. IDA, b. ———, 186-?.
- vi. LOUIS, b. ———, 186-?.

**1370.** DAVID SAMPSON TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>1359</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born June 27, 1827, in South Glastonbury, Conn.; resides in Centerbrook, Conn.; married February 23, 1850, in South Glastonbury, Dorcas Ann Lane, daughter of Selah and Maria (Holland) Lane, born October 14, 1829, in Litchfield, Conn.

David S. Trowbridge was a ship carpenter for many years, but is now engaged in farming in Centerbrook, Conn.

## CHILDREN:

- 1386. i. FRANKLIN PIERCE, b. Sept. 9, 1852, in South Glastonbury, Conn.
- ii. ISABELLE NAOMI, b. July 6, 1854, in Portland, Conn.; m. Nov. 12, 1872, Frank Wilber Scoville and resides in Centerbrook, Conn.

**1371.** WILLIAM HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>1359</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born December 30, 1830, in Portland, Conn.; resides in South Glastonbury, Conn.; married ———, 1855, in ———, Julia Hodge.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

daughter of Dudley and Mary Elizabeth (Walker) Hodge, born July 2, 1836, in West Stafford, Conn.

William A. Trowbridge is a farmer in South Glastonbury, Conn.

CHILDREN BORN IN SOUTH GLASTONBURY, CONN. :\*

- i. NANCY NAOMI, b. July 21, 1856.
- ii. EZRA P., b. June 5, 1858; resides in Hartford, Conn.†
- iii. FREDERICK TALCOTT, b. Aug. 15, 1862; resides in East Glastonbury, Conn.‡
- iv. GRACE AMELIA, b. Apr. 5, 1866; m. Aug. 28, 188-, George L. Carpenter and resides in South Glastonbury, Conn.†

**1372.** FRANKLIN JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Daniel*<sup>1360</sup>, *John*<sup>1357</sup>, *John*<sup>1354</sup>, *John*<sup>1351</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born May 9, 1850, in Hebron, Conn.; resides in Watch Hill, R. I.; married January 28, 1872, in Colchester, Conn., Frances R. Fuller.

Franklin J. Trowbridge is a photographer in Watch Hill, R. I.

CHILDREN BORN IN COLUMBIA, CONN. :

- i. MINNIE EDNA, b. Apr. 7, 1874; m. Feb. 14, 1898, Daniel Jones and resides in North Westchester, Conn.
1887. ii. WILLIAM LYMAN, b. Dec. 5, 1875.

**1373.** FREDERICK TROWBRIDGE (born Warner,‡ adopted son of John G. Trowbridge, No. 1362), born January 18, 1873, in Glastonbury, Conn.; resides in Manchester, Conn.; married November 7, 1894, in East Hampton, Conn., Lena Cecilia Goff, daughter of Orrin Lucius and Ann Eliza (Butler) Goff, born October 21, 1876, in East Hampton.

Frederick Trowbridge is a mechanic in Manchester, Conn.

NO CHILDREN.

**1374.** EDWIN LYMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Lyman C.*<sup>1363</sup>, *John*<sup>1357</sup>, *John*<sup>1354</sup>, *John*<sup>1351</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born March 5, 1868, in Waterbury, Conn.; resides in Waterbury; married August 4, 1896, in Middletown, Conn., Estella Wickmire Johnson, adopted daughter of Charles Johnson of Torrington, Conn., and daughter of Henry and Nancy Laura (Whitney) Wickmire, born November 23, 1864, in Bantam, Conn.

Edwin L. Trowbridge conducts an express office and business in Waterbury, Conn. He is a member of the Independent Order of Red Men and Harmony Lodge, No. 42, F. and A. M.

NO CHILDREN.

**1375.** ORRIN ALANSON TROWBRIDGE (*Alanson*<sup>1364</sup>, *Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born June 24, 1851, in Columbus, Wis.; resides in Columbus; married January 1, 1880, in Columbus, Isabell Pederson, daughter of Ole and Ingera (Johnson) Pederson, born December 19, 1851, in Columbus.

Orrin A. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in his native place, Columbus, Wis.

CHILD BORN IN COLUMBUS, WIS. :

- i. PAUL, b. Feb. 14, 1881; was graduated in 1903 from the University of Wisconsin.

\* Except iii, who was born in Portland, Conn.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

‡ See footnote p. 686.

**1376.** IRA TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>1365</sup>, *Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born October 3, 1842, in Stow Corners, Ohio; resides in Candor (Vergas, P. O.), Minn.; married July 4, 1867, in Shelbyville, Minn., Arcelia McReynolds, daughter of Aaron and Rachel (Galloway) McReynolds, born March 23, 1848, in Killingworth, Conn.

Ira Trowbridge came with his parents to Columbus, Wis. When nineteen years old he became a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted August 15, 1862, for three years in Company G, 23d Wisconsin Infantry. He participated in the battle of Chickasaw Bayou, La., the actions at Grand Gulf and Port Gibson, Miss., the battle of Champion's Hill, the action at Black River Bridge, the siege of Vicksburg, the action at Carrion Crow Bayou (where he received a slight wound in the right shoulder), the battle of Mansfield, La. (where he received a gunshot wound in the head), the action at Cane River, La., the siege of Spanish Fort (Mobile), and the actions at Blakeley, Ala., Magnolia Hill, Miss., Pleasant Hill, La., and Fort Hindman, Ark. He was discharged July 4, 1865.

After his marriage he engaged in farming in Blue Earth county, Minn. In 1880 he removed to Ottertail county, Minn., and settled on a government homestead in the town of Candor, about ten miles south of Detroit, where he has lived ever since, engaged in farming and saw milling. He has held the office of town chairman.

"Gradually the native monarchs of the forest have fallen before the woodman's axe, and the fields and meadows have broadened and extended to the shores of the beautiful lake which was named in honor of the pioneer who is the subject of this sketch. The primitive log hut has given place to the more pretentious frame structure, there are large barns for the accommodation of the live stock, and the garden contains a good growth of fruit and shade trees and flowering shrubs. Looking back over these years, Mr. and Mrs. Trowbridge, doubtless, have occasion to recall to mind the performance of a great deal of hard work and all the trials and privations incident to pioneer life. But as they contemplate the change that has been wrought, and view their pleasant farm home surroundings, they have reason to feel that their efforts have not been in vain."

## CHILDREN BORN IN CANDOR, MINN.:\*

- i. ELMER, b. Mar. 28, 1879.
- ii. MINNIE, b. July 4, 1880; d. July 27, 1881.
- iii. MABEL, b. Aug. 27, 1883.
- iv. VIOLETTE, b. June 30, 1887.
- v. JOHN LOGAN, b. Oct. 20, 1889.
- vi. CHARLES, b. Dec. 2, 1892.

**1377.** LORENZO TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>1365</sup>, *Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born July 4, 1846, in Stow Corners, Ohio; resides in Des Moines, Iowa; married February 20, 1867, in Faribault county, Minn., Lydia Jane Townsend,† daughter of Jonathan and Rachel (Ridgeway) Townsend, born November 21, 1851, in Waveland, Parke county, Ind.; died January 29, 1889, in Des Moines.

Lorenzo Trowbridge came with his parents to Wisconsin. He went into the Civil War at the age of seventeen. He enlisted from Columbus, Wis., October 16, 1863, in the 13th Battery, Wisconsin Light Artillery, served with it, and was mustered out July 20, 1865. He went with his father to Faribault county, Minn. After his marriage he removed to Illinois and from there to Iowa. He is a contractor in Des Moines, Iowa, being chiefly occupied with grading contracts.

\* Except i, who was born in Good Thunder, Blue Earth county, Minn.

† A sister of the wife of No. 558; the latter and No. 1377 not being related by Trowbridge blood.

## CHILDREN :\*

- i. IRA ALVIN, b. Nov. 22, 1869; is a farmer in Highland Park, near Des Moines, Iowa.
- ii. LEONORA BELLE, b. June 12, 1872, in Danville, Ill.; m. May 19, 1895, George Vernon Atchley and resides in Des Moines.
- iii. EUNICE ELVA, b. June 29, 1876, in Saylorville, Iowa; m. Nov. 26, 1896, Roy Patterson and resides in Nevada, Iowa.
- iv. LUTHER EDWIN, b. Dec. 25, 1879.
- v. CAROLINE, ) twins, d. aged 10 months.
- vi. ADALINE, ( b. Sept. 17, 1882; m. ——— Jones and resides in Des Moines.
- vii. LEWIS JEROME, b. Dec. 7, 1885; is a blacksmith by trade.

**1378.** CARLOS TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>1365</sup>, *Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born July 11, 1848, in Stow Corners, Ohio; resides in Wallace, Idaho; married, first, March 17, 1869, in Barber, Minn., Mary Hartman. He married, second, November 2, 1891, in Spokane, Wash., Cora Belle Hawley, daughter of Charles S. and Sarah Jane (McNeal) Hawley, born August 15, 1871, in Erie, Ill.

Carlos Trowbridge came with his parents to Wisconsin. At the age of fifteen he became a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted at Columbus, Wis., October 27, 1863, in the 13th Battery, Wisconsin Light Artillery, and was mustered out July 20, 1865. He is a carpenter by trade and lives in Wallace, Idaho.†

**1379.** HENRY ALVIN TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>1365</sup>, *Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born April 16, 1852, in Stow Corners, Ohio; resides in Page, Neb.; married March 29, 1881, in Neligh, Neb., Etta Lucy Bradeen, daughter of Jason C. and Sarah Emily (———) Bradeen, born July 30, 1861, in Milo, Me.

Henry A. Trowbridge came with his parents to Wisconsin and Minnesota. He is a blacksmith in Page, Holt county, Neb.‡

**1380.** ADIUS EUGENE TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>1365</sup>, *Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born May 28, 1854, in McHenry county, Ill.; died September 4, 1906, in St. Paul, Minn.; married February 13, 1876, in Waterville, Minn., Jane Piper, daughter of Johnston and Samantha (Evans) Piper, born June 19, 1858, in Waterville; died May 23, 1906, in St. Paul.

A. Eugene Trowbridge came with his parents to Wisconsin and Minnesota. He became a locomotive engineer and was employed in that capacity by the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad Company at the time of his death. His home was in Brainerd, Minn.

## CHILDREN :

- i. MAUD, b. June 13, 1877, in Albert Lea, Minn.; resides with her brother; unm.
- ii. CHESTER ARTHUR, b. July 12, 1883, in Millbank, S. D.; is a locomotive fireman; resides in St. Paul, Minn.; unm.

**1381.** LEWIS JEROME TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>1365</sup>, *Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born May 13, 1856, in McHenry county, Ill.; resides in Lanesboro, Minn.; married January 9, 1879, in Lanesboro, Rachel Hanson, daughter of Ole and Rachel (Swenson) Hanson, born January 1, 1852, in ———, Iowa.

Lewis J. Trowbridge came with his parents to Wisconsin and then to Minnesota. He is a plumber in Lanesboro, Minn.§

\* Complete records were not sent to the compiler.

† He failed to complete his family record and mentioned no children.

‡ He failed to complete his family record. He is said to have two sons and six daughters.

§ He failed to complete his family record. He is said to have eight children.

**1382.** ALBERT HERMAS TROWBRIDGE (*David*<sup>1365</sup>, *Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born May 16, 1860, in Columbus, Wis.; resides in Clitherall, Minn.; married February 13, 1888, in Fergus Falls, Minn., Emma Whiting, daughter of Almon and Lydia (Ferbush) Whiting, born in Sidney, Iowa.

Albert H. Trowbridge was adopted by and lived with a family named Burk until he was fourteen years of age, and then he struck out for himself. Since his marriage he has lived for most of the time in Clitherall, Minn. He is in the employ of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, his present position being that of watchman in the roundhouse in Staples, Minn.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CLITHERALL, MINN.:

- i. DELLA FAY, b. Mar. 24, 1889.
- ii. MAMIE LODEMA, b. Feb. 13, 1891.
- iii. SANNIE GRINNELL, b. Dec. 27, 1893.
- iv. ALICE EMMA, b. Oct. 16, 1895; d. Feb. 16, 1897.
- v. GLADYS HARRIET, b. Aug. 9, 1897.
- vi. HARRY ALMON, b. Feb. 7, 1900.
- vii. JAMES VERNON, b. Nov. 15, 1902.
- viii. KENNETH MCKINLEY, b. Jan. 23, 1904.

**1383.** ALBERT FRANKLIN TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>1366</sup>, *Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born October 28, 1860, in Cold Spring, Wis.; resides in Plain View, Neb.; married October 20, 1897, in Plain View, Lottie Ann Goodspeed, daughter of Eugene and Margaret Ann (Hull) Goodspeed, born July 20, 1871, in Hawkeye, Iowa.

Albert F. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Antelope county, Neb. He lived in Neligh until 1899, when he removed to Plain View, Pierce county, Neb., where he is at present engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN:

- i. PANSY EUNICE, b. Oct. 14, 1898, in Neligh, Neb.
- ii. VIOLET EVELYN, b. Feb. 16, 1900, in Plain View, Neb.

**1384.** REV. GEORGE HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Henry*<sup>1366</sup>, *Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born February 3, 1864, in Cold Spring, Minn.; resides in Walden, Colo.; married, first, September 6, 1887, in Neligh, Neb., Martha McMichael, daughter of William and Margaret (Holmes) McMichael, born September 6, 1867, in Philadelphia, Pa.; died November 1, 1888, in Redfield, Iowa. He married, second, July 21, 1892, in Neligh, Sarah Elizabeth Mullenix, daughter of John Henry and Mary Ann (Small) Mullenix, born September 1, 1871, in Valton, Wis.

George H. Trowbridge came in childhood with his parents to Neligh, Antelope county, Neb., and there grew to manhood on his father's farm. He attended the common and high schools and college one year at Neligh. In September, 1888, he and his first wife went to Omaha, Neb., and in October to Redfield, Iowa, where she soon after died. He did very little business for a year or more following his wife's death, visiting among his relatives most of the time. On January 20, 1891, he went to Neligh and rented his father's farm. In 1892 he bought 96 acres of it and that year married again and went to live on his farm. In June, 1893, they and her family left for Colorado, and they arrived in Mosca, Colo., in August. In April, 1894, he became a clerk in a hardware store there and continued in that position until October, when he took a school in Costilla, Colo., and taught there two years. In October, 1896, he was appointed assistant postmaster at Mosca, and served about two years. In September, 1899, he moved to Colorado Springs, Colo., where he bought an interest in a grocery store, continuing in this business nearly one year, when he sold out.

On September 1, 1900, Mr. Trowbridge took pastoral work in the Methodist Episcopal Church and was immediately sent to Snyder, Colo. He has continued in that ministry in Colorado up to the present time, being now located in Walden, Colo.

## CHILD BORN IN MOSCA, COLO.:

*By second marriage:\**

- i. MARTHA BEATRICE, b. Sept. 28, 1896.

**1385.** IRAM TROWBRIDGE (*Freeman*<sup>1367</sup>, *Henry*<sup>1358</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born February 10, 1848?, in Jefferson, Wis.; resides in Wilder, Minn.; married June 30, 1867, in Hebron, Wis., Helen Parker, daughter of Benjamin and Mary Ann (Fuller) Parker, born September 4, 1844, in Jefferson.

Iram Trowbridge enlisted at Columbus, Wis., December 2, 1863, in the 13th Battery, Wisconsin Light Artillery. He was mustered out July 20, 1865. He was farming several years in South Dakota, but sold his farm there and is now farming in Wilder, Minn.

## CHILD:

- i. DELSANA, b. July 1, 1869; m. ———, 1886, Charles Gibb and resides in Wilder, Minn.

**1386.** FRANKLIN PIERCE TROWBRIDGE (*David S.*<sup>1370</sup>, *David*<sup>1359</sup>, *Ebenezer*<sup>1356</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1352</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born September 9, 1852, in South Glastonbury, Conn.; resides in Salem, Conn.; married, first, November 9, 1875, in Colechester, Conn., Emma L. Main of Montville, Conn. He married, second, October 7, 1891, in Colechester, Annie Julia (Drea) Murphy, widow of William Edward Murphy and daughter of Patrick and Catherine (Voss) Drea, born January 29, 1858, in Waterford, Conn.

Franklin P. Trowbridge is a lumberman and storekeeper in Salem, Conn.

## NO CHILDREN.

**1387.** WILLIAM LYMAN TROWBRIDGE (*Franklin J.*<sup>1372</sup>, *Daniel*<sup>1360</sup>, *John*<sup>1357</sup>, *John*<sup>1354</sup>, *John*<sup>1351</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1350</sup>), born December 5, 1875, in Columbia, Conn.; resides in East Haddam (Hadlyme, P. O.), Conn.; married May 31, 1902, in East Haddam, Nettie Bartman, daughter of Charles and Georgie (Phelps) Bartman, born April 25, 1885, in East Haddam.

William L. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in East Haddam, Conn.

## CHILDREN BORN IN EAST HADDAM, CONN.:

- i. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Mar. 13, 1903.
- ii. CHARLES ROBERT, b. Mar. 16, 1904.
- iii. EDNA ADELLA, b. Sept. 14, 1905.
- iv. ESTELA MAY, b. Mar. 3, 1906.

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\* No child by first marriage.



## RHODE ISLAND TROWBRIDGES

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1388. JOHN TROWBRIDGE married Maria Foster of Sandwich, Mass., who died before March 3, 1718.

CHILDREN :

- i. MARY.
- ii. MARIA.\*

———— TROWBRIDGE married Maria Mowry (born 1692).

CHILDREN :

- i. MARY.
- ii. MARIA.\*

JOHN TROWBRIDGE of Sandwich married February 3, 1725-6, in Portsmouth, R. I., Ruth Lawton of Dartmouth, Mass.

CHILDREN BORN IN NEWPORT :

- i. MERCY, b. Nov. 30, 1726.
- ii. GEORGE, b. May 25, 1732.

1389. ALICE TROWBRIDGE married April —, 1709, in North Kingston, ———.

1390. EBENEZER TROWBRIDGE married November 13, 1740, in Newport, Mrs. Abigail Wilson.

EBENEZER TROWBRIDGE was in June, 1744, master of the privateer sloop, *Charming Betty*, of Newport, of 80 tons, 10 guns, and 80 men, Capt. Josiah Jennings.

EBENEZER TROWBRIDGE was in November, 1745, and April, 1746, first lieutenant of the brigantine, *Prince Frederick*, of Newport, of 170 tons, 18 guns, and 125 men, Capt. Peter Marshall.

EBENEZER TROWBRIDGE was captain of the last-named vessel in 1747. ["Civil and Military List of Rhode Island," pp. 691, 694-7.]

1391. TEMPERANCE TROWBRIDGE married March 19, 1766, in Newport, Samuel Hathaway, and died May 15, 1823, in Taunton, Mass.

1392. ANN TROWBRIDGE married October 18, 1772, in Bristol, Nathaniel Bentley of Newport.

1393. BENJAMIN TROWBRIDGE married July 11, 1762, in Newport, Eunice Thomolin.

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\* "160 Allied Families," p. 150.

1394. BENJAMIN TROWBRIDGE married June 19, 1787, in Providence, Hannah Mason.\*

1395. BENJAMIN TROWBRIDGE married January 21, 1794, in Providence, Sarah Barry.

1396. BENJAMIN TROWBRIDGE married April 26, 1795, in Providence, Nancy Mason.

1397. ABBY STROWBRIDGE married May 25, 1794, in Providence, John Messenger.

1398. ABIGAIL STROBRIDGE married August 23, 1801, in Providence (West Side), William West.

1399. HANNAH TROWBRIDGE married November 21, 1813, in Providence, Jacob Fiske.

Some of those in this section may have belonged to the Strobridge family recorded in Mrs. Guild's "Strobridge-Strawbridge Family."

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\* See footnote † to No. 1355.

# ORSON TROWBRIDGE

OF SHEFFIELD, MASS.,

AND HIS DESCENDANTS

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**1400.** ——— TROWBRIDGE\* (*ancestry untraced*), born ———, 17—, in ———; died ———, 17—, in ———; married Sarah Smith, daughter of Dea. Ebenezer and Sarah (Shaler) Smith, born May 2, 1747, in Sheffield, Mass. She married, second,† Silas Marvin of Sheffield, and died March 18, 1839, in Sheffield.

CHILD BORN IN SHEFFIELD, MASS.?:

1401. i. ORSON, b. about 1769.‡

**1401.** ORSON§ TROWBRIDGE (———<sup>1400</sup>), born about 1769, in Sheffield, Mass.?: died ———, 18—, in Cincinnati, Ohio;|| married July 19, 1789, in Sheffield, Lydia Sturges, born ———, 1771, in Sheffield?: died April 4, 1863, in Sheffield.

Orson Trowbridge was a farmer in Sheffield, Mass. He is said to have left his family there and to have gone first to New York and then to Cincinnati, Ohio.

CHILDREN BORN IN SHEFFIELD, MASS.:

- i. SARAH, b. Apr. —, 1790; d. Feb. 27, 1877, in Sheffield; unm.
- ii. POLLY, b. ———, 1793; d. Sept. 27, 1877, in Sheffield; unm.
- 1402. iii. WILLIAM, b. ———, 1795.
- 1403. iv. MARVIN, b. Sept. 7, 1797.
- 1404. v. SILAS, b. ———, 1799.
- vi. CHILEAB, b. ———, 1801; d. Dec. 23, 1831, in Sheffield; unm.
- 1405. vii. SHALER, b. ———, 1804.

**1402.** WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*Orson*<sup>1401</sup>, ———<sup>1400</sup>), born ———, 1795, in Sheffield, Mass.; died June 10, 1838, in Sheffield; married November 9, 1831, in Sheffield, Hannah (Keep) Curtis, widow of Roswell Curtis of Sheffield and daughter of Capt. Jabez and Elizabeth (Rogers) Keep. She married, third, John Carey of Sheffield.

William Trowbridge lived all of his life in his native town and was a blacksmith. He inherited the residence of Silas Marvin, who was the second husband of his grandmother Trowbridge.

NO CHILDREN.

**1403.** MARVIN TROWBRIDGE (*Orson*<sup>1401</sup>, ———<sup>1400</sup>), born September 7, 1797, in Sheffield, Mass.; died September 12, 1873, in Grove Station, Greenville county, S. C.; married ———, 1819, in Abbeville county, S. C., Mary Pendle-

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\* His relationship, if any, to the other Trowbridges (No. 123 and his four sons) in Sheffield, Mass., has not been discovered.

† Before Aug. 4, 1795, when her father's will was proved.

‡ Only child of his mother by either husband.

§ Sometimes incorrectly spelled *Austin* in Sheffield records.

|| It is said, and before June 22, 1813.

ton Latimer, daughter of Clement Thoble and Isabella (Gaines) Latimer, born September 19, 1803, in Abbeville county; died October 1, 1894, in Piedmont, S. C.

Marvin Trowbridge served an apprenticeship at cabinetmaking in Litchfield, Conn., and followed that trade the remainder of his life. In early manhood he went to Abbeville, S. C., with an organized company, formed for the purpose of making cases for the Seth Thomas Clock Company of Plymouth, Conn. While he was in business in Abbeville a very large number of men were instructed in the trade in his shops. He and his wife were baptized into fellowship in the Baptist church in Abbeville September 20, 1842.

CHILDREN BORN IN ABBEVILLE, S. C.:

1406. i. WILLIAM CLEMENT, b. Jan. 29, 1821.  
 ii. HARRIET CAROLINE, b. July 2, 1824; m. Oct. 1, 1844, Artemas H. Smith of Greenville, S. C.  
 iii. MARY ANN, b. Nov. 22, 1826; m. William Henry Johnson of Grove Station, S. C.  
 iv. LYDIA ISABELLA, b. Feb. 1, 1828; m. Apr. 18, 1859, Dr. Granville Franklin Jenkins of Fairview, S. C.  
 v. ELIZA CATHARINE, b. June 20, 1830; a retired school-teacher; resides in Piedmont, S. C.; unm.  
 1407. vi. SILAS FLEMING, b. Mar. 31, 1832.

**1404.** SILAS TROWBRIDGE (*Orson*<sup>1401</sup>, ———<sup>1400</sup>), born ———, 1799, in Sheffield, Mass.; died October 13, 1877, in Kalamazoo, Mich.; married October 15, 1839, in Canaan, Conn., Clarissa Root,\* daughter of Sylvester and Aehsa (Ranney) Root, born ———, 180—, in ———; died April —, 1878, in Kalamazoo.

Silas Trowbridge went with his brother Marvin to Abbeville, S. C., and remained there two years. He then returned to Sheffield, Mass., and in 1832 emigrated to Kalamazoo, Mich. He became one of its leading residents, was an extensive landowner there and a man of wealth.

CHILDREN BORN IN KALAMAZOO, MICH.:

- i. MARY I., b. ———, 1840; m. Capt. Alfred C. Wortley† of Kalamazoo.  
 1408. ii. JEROME BIRD, b. ———, 1846.

**1405.** SHALER TROWBRIDGE (*Orson*<sup>1401</sup>, ———<sup>1400</sup>), born ———, 1804, in Sheffield, Mass.; died December 15, 1882, in Sheffield; married, first, ———, 1826, in Sheffield?, Mary Westover, daughter of Luther and Catharine (———) Westover, born ———, 1808?, in Sheffield?; died ———, 1842, in Sheffield. He married, second, November 1, 1843, in Canaan, Conn., Amanda Robinson, who died April 4, 1882, in Sheffield.

Shaler Trowbridge learned the blacksmith's trade from his oldest brother in Sheffield, Mass., but did not follow it. He engaged in farming, living just outside the village of Sheffield. After his second marriage he owned a farm for a few years in Salisbury, Conn., but returned to Sheffield and lived there many years before his death.

CHILDREN BORN IN SHEFFIELD, MASS.:

*By first marriage:*

- i. SARAH, b. May 10, 1827; m. Feb. 6, 1851, Henry Munn of Sheffield.  
 ii. JULIA ANN, b. Sept. 6, 1832; m. July 12, 1853, Charles Orville Dewey of Sheffield.  
 1409. iii. SILAS MARVIN, b. Mar. 15, 1834.  
 iv. WILLIAM WESTOVER, b. Apr. 15, 1838; d. Oct. 24, 1855, in Sheffield.

\* She was dismissed from the Congregational church in Sheffield, Mass., to that in Kalamazoo, Apr. 17, 1840.

† Failed to make this record complete.

*By second marriage:*

- v. JOHN, b. ———, 1845; d. unm.\*  
 vi. LYDIA, b. ———, 1847; resides in Sheffield; unm.

**1406.** WILLIAM CLEMENT TROWBRIDGE (*Marvin*<sup>1403</sup>, *Orson*<sup>1401</sup>, ———<sup>1400</sup>), born January 29, 1821, in Abbeville, S. C.; died July 23, 1893, in Piedmont, S. C.; married November 8, 1869, in Kalamazoo, Mich., Mary A. (Smith) Whitcomb, daughter of Judge ——— Smith of Batavia,, N. Y., who died May 18, 1892, in Kalamazoo.

William C. Trowbridge in early life engaged in the cotton business in Hamburg, S. C. He was later in the general merchandise business with his brother under the firm name of W. C. Trowbridge & Bro. He was an invalid many years of his life and resided in Kalamazoo, Mich., for a number of years previous to his death.

NO CHILDREN.

**1407.** SILAS FLEMING TROWBRIDGE (*Marvin*<sup>1403</sup>, *Orson*<sup>1401</sup>, ———<sup>1400</sup>), born March 31, 1832, in Abbeville, S. C.; resides in Piedmont, S. C.; married February 24, 1859, in Fairview, S. C., Sally Jane Nesbitt, daughter of Maj. William and Cynthia (Mahaffee) Nesbitt, born July 28, 1838, in Fairview.

Silas F. Trowbridge formed a partnership with his brother in the general merchandise business under the firm name of W. C. Trowbridge & Bro. After the outbreak of the Civil War he hastened to offer himself to the Confederate cause. Severe injuries that he had received in a fall from a church building two years previous caused his rejection by the board of examiners for service in the artillery, in which he wished to enlist, and he was therefore obliged to take a place in a service that carried him in the Western and Virginia armies. He "continued soul and body in the Confederate service and surrendered two weeks after Johnston's surrender."

Mr. Trowbridge returned home from the war to find that the stock of his store had been sold to the families of soldiers, who could not pay for the same and from whom he could collect nothing, as they had been either ruined by the war or killed on the battlefield. He at last found a friend who loaned him \$500, and with that he again started in mercantile business, beginning in an old shop 12 x 18. In 1890, when he turned the business over to his eldest son, it had grown so that there were fifteen clerks employed to carry it on and its credit extended to the chief cities of the country. The firm name was Nesbitt, Trowbridge & Co., doing both a wholesale and retail general merchandise business.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GREENVILLE COUNTY, S. C.:†

- i. TECOA MAYDELLE, b. Feb. 16, 1860; d. Apr. 29, 1862.  
 ii. SALLIE ANNETTE, b. Nov. 7, 1861; m. Nov. 7, 1888, James Arnold Nesbitt and resides in Piedmont, S. C.  
 iii. EMMIE ELIZA, b. Dec. 6, 1863; m. Dec. 24, 1884, William N. West and resides in Piedmont.  
 iv. MARY CYNTHIA, b. May 11, 1866; m. Nov. 24, 1897, Dr. Thomas George Crymes and resides in Greenville, S. C.  
 1410. v. WILLIAM NESBITT, b. Dec. 20, 1867.  
 vi. LILLIAN MAUD, b. Jan. 11, 1870; m. Aug. 17, 1886, Robert Duff Sloan and resides in Piedmont.  
 vii. SUE FREDDIE, b. May 20, 1877; is a school-teacher in Piedmont; unm.  
 viii. SILAS DUNKLIN, b. Aug. 17, 1879; is an architect in Atlanta, Ga.; unm.  
 ix. JAMES PRESTON, b. Oct. 19, 1882; is a graduate of Penn Dental College and is practicing his profession in Pelzer, S. C.; unm.

\* It is supposed by relatives, who wrote, "he left home and was never heard of again."

† In Grove Station, except ix, who was born in Piedmont, S. C.

1408. JEROME BIRD TROWBRIDGE (*Silas*<sup>1404</sup>, *Orson*<sup>1401</sup>, ———<sup>1400</sup>), born ———, 1846, in Kalamazoo, Mich.; died June 10, 1907, in Kalamazoo; married October 29, 1885, in Detroit, Mich., Elmora Gale, daughter of George Henry and Sarah Ellen (Brown) Gale, born September 3, 1857, in Kalamazoo; died November 29, 1891, in Detroit.

Jerome B. Trowbridge received his early education in the public schools of his native city and later attended Kalamazoo College. For a number of years he was a member of the firm of Trowbridge & Crosby, grocers, in Kalamazoo. He was a wealthy property owner in that city and about 1887 retired from active business.\*

## CHILD BORN IN KALAMAZOO, MICH.:

- i. PERRIN GALE, b. Mar. 4, 1891.

1409. SILAS MARVIN TROWBRIDGE (*Shaler*<sup>1405</sup>, *Orson*<sup>1401</sup>, ———<sup>1400</sup>), born March 15, 1834, in Sheffield, Mass.; resides in Geneva (South Haven P. O.), Mich.; married August 12, 1862, in South Haven, Ellen Ellsworth, daughter of Ammi and Margaret (Buys) Ellsworth, born October 9, 1841, in Sodus, N. Y.; died November 20, 1906, in South Haven.

Silas M. Trowbridge removed with his father, after the latter's second marriage, to Salisbury, Conn., where he lived for a year or two. In 1851, at the age of seventeen, he accompanied his uncle Silas Trowbridge, who had been East on a visit, on his return to his home in Kalamazoo, Mich. Since that time he has lived for the most part either in or near South Haven, Mich. He has been in the vessel business on the Lakes, lumbered, and been in saw and flour milling. Since the burning of his flour mill a few years ago he has been farming as a pastime. He has a farm of a little over 400 acres and fruit land in Geneva township, one and one-half miles east of South Haven village. He has resided the greater part of the time in the village, where he also owns property. His sons and son-in-law reside on the home farm, where each own a house of their own. After the death of his wife his daughter and her husband rented their farm and moved into the homestead to keep house for Mr. Trowbridge.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GENEVA, MICH.:

1411. i. WILLIAM ELLSWÖRTH, b. July 18, 1863.  
 1412. ii. SILAS EDWARD, b. Mar. 5, 1875.  
 iii. ELLEN ELLSWÖRTH, b. Nov. 19, 1879; m. June 10, 1901, Godfrey Henry Merkle and resides in Geneva.

1410. WILLIAM NESBITT TROWBRIDGE (*Silas F.*<sup>1407</sup>, *Marvin*<sup>1403</sup>, *Orson*<sup>1401</sup>, ———<sup>1400</sup>), born December 20, 1867, in Greenville county, S. C.; resides in Piedmont, S. C.; married July 25, 1899, in Piedmont, Ida Elizabeth Poole, daughter of Flavius Josephus and Mary Elizabeth (Johnson) Poole, born July 23, 1874, in Spartanburg county, S. C.

William N. Trowbridge was brought up in mercantile business by his father and succeeded to the latter's business, becoming sole owner and proprietor of Nesbitt, Trowbridge & Co., conducting a wholesale and retail general store, and also proprietor of the Cedar Falls Roller Mills, for flour, meal, bran and feed. He was most successful in business, but, being such an incessant worker, his health failed, and he was compelled to abandon his business career and resort to farming. He has been engaged in the latter occupation for about four years past and is much improved in health.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PIEDMONT, S. C.:

- i. NELLIE MAY, b. May 23, 1900; d. June 11, 1902.  
 ii. SILAS JOSEPH, b. Apr. 21, 1903.  
 iii. THELMA, b. Oct. 7, 1904.  
 iv. HARRY HUNT, b. July 2, 1907.

**1411.** WILLIAM ELLSWORTH TROWBRIDGE (*Silas M.*<sup>1409</sup>, *Shaler*<sup>1405</sup>, *Orson*<sup>1401</sup>, ———<sup>1400</sup>), born July 18, 1863, in Geneva, Mich.; resides in Geneva (South Haven P. O.); married December 15, 1889, in South Haven, Sarah Edith Van Orden, daughter of Edwin Southwick and Mary Dexter (Loper) Van Orden, born January 9, 1868, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

William E. Trowbridge is engaged in farming on a farm given him by his father on the latter's home farm in Geneva township, near South Haven, Mich.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GENEVA, MICH.:

- i. BESSIE MAY, b. Sept. 12, 1890.
- ii. MABELLE ELLSWORTH, b. Jan. 18, 1892.
- iii. EDNA MILDRED, b. Sept. 20, 1895.
- iv. WILLIAM EARL, b. Jan. 9, 1897.

**1412.** SILAS EDWARD TROWBRIDGE (*Silas M.*<sup>1409</sup>, *Shaler*<sup>1405</sup>, *Orson*<sup>1401</sup>, ———<sup>1400</sup>), born March 5, 1875, in Geneva, Mich.; resides in Geneva (South Haven P. O.); married November 28, 1900, in South Haven, Grace Margaret Merkle, daughter of Godfried and Julia Minnie (Seefeld) Merkle, born October 27, 1875, in Chicago, Ill.

Silas E. Trowbridge is engaged in farming in Geneva township, near South Haven, Mich., on a farm given him by his father on the latter's home farm.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GENEVA, MICH.:

- i. VIOLET ISABELLE, b. Feb. 24, 1902.
- ii. FLOSSIE, b. June 9, 1904.
- iii. RAYMOND, b. Feb. 7, 1907.

# ORSON T. TROWBRIDGE

OF POTTAWATOMIE COUNTY, KAN.,

AND HIS FAMILY

**1413.** ORSON THOMAS TROWBRIDGE (*ancestry untraced\**), born March 2, 1844, in ———, Pa.; died January 29, 1889, in Adams Peak, Kan.; married May 23, 1875, in Adams Peak, Laura Jane Lance, daughter of Samuel B. and Elizabeth (Cook) Lance, born August 21, 1856, in Platt county, Mo.; resides in Wa Keeney, Kan.

Orson T. Trowbridge was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted from Clayton county, Iowa, November 18, 1861, in Company K, 1st Iowa Cavalry. He settled after his marriage near Beloit, Mitchell county, Kan., and lived there until 1883, then removing to Pottawatomie county, Kan., where he lived until his death. His family removed in 1904 to Trego county, near Wa Keeney, Kan.

#### CHILDREN:†

1414. i. WILLIAM RUTHERFORD, b. Mar. 7, 1876.  
ii. EDNA MAY, b. Mar. 16, 1878; m. Feb. 17, 1897, Henry H. Hartman and resides near Flush, Pottawatomie county, Kan.  
iii. ELLA ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 11, 1880; m. Aug. 9, 1899, Edward Marion Robinson and resides in Wa Keeney, Kan.  
1414a. iv. HOMER JOHN, b. Sept. 4, 1884.

**1414.** WILLIAM RUTHERFORD TROWBRIDGE (*Orson T.*<sup>1413</sup>), born March 7, 1876, in Mitchell county, Kan.; resides near Wa Keeney, Kan.; married March 22, 1899, in Westmoreland, Kan., Della May Walker, daughter of Jacob Bayard and Mary Catherine (Mark) Walker.

William R. Trowbridge is engaged in farming. He lived near Westmoreland, Pottawatomie county, Kan., until January, 1905, when he removed to a farm near Wa Keeney, Trego county, Kan., his present residence.

#### CHILDREN:‡

- i. ETHEL LULA, b. May 24, 1901.  
ii. BEULAH CECIL, b. Dec. 27, 1902.  
iii. ELVA LORENA, b. Nov. 26, 1904.  
iv. LOWELL WESLEY, b. June 27, 1907.

**1414a.** HOMER JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Orson T.*<sup>1413</sup>), born September 4, 1884, in Pottawatomie county, Kan.; resides near Wa Keeney, Kan.; married August 24, 1904, in Fostoria, Kan., Jessie Lorena Cook, daughter of George F. and Martha Ellen (Coop) Cook, born December 30, 1884, in Downs, Kan.

Homer J. Trowbridge is engaged in farming near Wa Keeney, Kan.

#### CHILD BORN IN WA KEENEY, KAN.:

- i. ELSIE GENEVA, b. July 7, 1905.

\* He had brothers: CHARLES, who went to Mexico; JOHN, who resides in Erie, Kan., and failed to answer the compiler's letters; and sisters: MATTIE, who married ——— Eldridge and resides in Erie, and failed to answer; two more sisters.

† i-iii born near Beloit, Mitchell county, Kan.; iv near Fostoria, Pottawatomie county, Kan.

‡ i-iii born near Westmoreland, Kan.; iv near Wa Keeney, Kan.



# JOEL TROWBRIDGE

OF CORNWALL, CONN.,

## AND HIS DESCENDANTS

**1415.** JOEL TROWBRIDGE,\* born October 17, 1778, in Litchfield county, Conn.;† died December —, 1862, in ———, Ohio; married October —, 1799, in Cornwall, Conn., Jane Baldwin, daughter of Henry and Jane (Shipman) Baldwin, born ———, 1781, in Saybrook, Conn.; died February —, 1839, in Plymouth Hollow, Conn.

Joel Trowbridge was left motherless when very young and was adopted and reared by a friend of his mother named Steele. He became a miller and cooper in Cornwall, Conn., where he lived many years. Late in life he went to the home of his youngest daughter in Ohio and died there.

### CHILDREN BORN IN CORNWALL, CONN.:

1416. i. HENRY BALDWIN, b. Dec. 25, 1800.  
ii. PRUDENCE JANE, b. ———, 1805; m. Mar. 12, 1829, Jared Wyllis Curtis of Torrington, Conn.
1417. iii. JOEL ANDREW, b. Apr. 8, 1808.  
iv. LUCY ANN, b. ———, 1810; m. ———, 1829, Abel Avery of Goshen, Conn.  
v. MARY, b. ———, 1812; m. 1st, ———, 1834, Pitkin Hawkins of Goshen; m., 2d, Joseph Wooster of Goshen.  
vi. HANNAH, b. Nov. —, 1813; m. Sept. 30, 1833, Henry Skilton Hotchkiss of Thomaston, Conn.  
vii. FLORA, b. ———, 1817; m. ———, 1837, Orrin Hawkins of ———, Ohio.

**1416.** HENRY BALDWIN TROWBRIDGE (*Joel*<sup>1415</sup>), born December 25, 1800, in Cornwall, Conn.; died June 12, 1860, in Burlington, Wis.; married January 13, 1820, in Goshen, Conn., Anna Essex Beach, daughter of Francis Ashbury and Grace (Smith) Beach, born November 25, 1801, in Goshen; died April 4, 1888, in Burlington.

Henry B. Trowbridge settled in Goshen, Conn., after his marriage. He lived there until October, 1833, when he removed with his family to Rochester, N. Y., moving from there in 1835 to Lewiston, N. Y. In 1848 he emigrated with his family, except his two oldest sons, to Racine county, Wis., settling in the town of Burlington, where he lived the remainder of his life. He was engaged in farming and dairying.

\* "Was an only child of Absalom and Cbloë (Bishop) Trowbridge. Absalom was a native of Devon, England, and came to America as a bugler in Burgoyne's army. His wife was born in Dublin, Ireland, and was of English parentage, her mother being a Jennings of Birmingham, England. She died while her son was an infant and Absalom returned to England, where he married again and had other children." [Letter from the late Mr. Francis H. Trowbridge (No. 1419), a great-grandson of Joel Trowbridge.]

† By same authority above.

No connection between the above Absalom and Absalom (No. 140) has been proved. Cornwall records tell nothing of Joel's father. Stephen Trowbridge (No. 159) enlisted in the Revolution as "of Cornwall" in 1777 and Isaac Trowbridge (No. 119) lived a few miles east of Cornwall, but no proof of any relationship to Joel has been found.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GOSHEN, CONN.:\*

- i. DIADEMA GRACE, b. Oct. 31, 1820; m. Sept. 16, 1849, James Francis Pierce of Ionia, Iowa.
- 1418. ii. JOEL MOFFIT, b. Dec. 11, 1822.
- 1419. iii. FRANCIS HUBBARD, b. Jan. 22, 1825.
- iv. ANNE ELIZA, b. Aug. 9, 1827; m. Nov. 6, 1852, Joseph Chauncey Rooker and resides in Burlington, Wis.
- 1420. v. HENRY WILSON, b. Nov. 29, 1829.
- vi. ANDREW AVERY, b. July 7, 1832; d. Oct. 24, 1834.
- vii. MARY JANE, b. Nov. 6, 1834; m. Mar. 12, 1857, Sylvester Turner of Burlington.

1417. JOEL ANDREW TROWBRIDGE (*Joel*<sup>1415</sup>), born April 8, 1808, in Cornwall, Conn.; died June 12, 1881, in Stanford, N. Y.; married ———, 1845, in Stanford, Velina Bockecé Haskins, daughter of Seymour and Freelove (Marlin) Haskins, born March 7, 1829, in Stanford. She resides in Baldwinville, N. Y.

Joel A. Trowbridge settled after his marriage in the town of Stanford, Dutchess county, N. Y. He was a carpenter by trade.

## CHILDREN:†

- i. FRANCES ELIZA, b. Nov. 28, 1846; m. Sept. 8, 1861, Luman Place of Stanfordville, N. Y.
- ii. SARAH ANN, b. May 29, 1854; m. Rev. Eugene Edmunds Colburn of Boston, Mass., and Wells, Me.
- 1421. iii. HENRY ANDREW, b. Apr. 29, 1856.
- iv. LUBBIE ALIDA, b. Oct. 14, 1858; m. John A. Smith.
- 1422. v. CHARLES WILLIAM BALDWIN, b. Oct. 12, 1861.

1418. JOEL MOFFIT TROWBRIDGE (*Henry B.*<sup>1416</sup>, *Joel*<sup>1415</sup>), born December 11, 1822, in Goshen, Conn.; died June 10, 1872, in Stockton, Cal.; married February 17, 1846, in Pekin, N. Y., Exene Rundell, daughter of Ambrose and Marinda (Belding) Rundell, born August 30, 1828, in Pekin. She resides in Kalamazoo, Mich.

Joel M. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Lewiston, N. Y. After his marriage he settled in Pekin village in the neighboring township of Cambria and engaged in farming. He was also a civil engineer. He was a soldier in the Civil War. He was enrolled August 30, 1862, and was appointed first sergeant in the 23d Battery, New York Light Artillery. He participated in the attack on New Berne, March 14, 1863, and was discharged the following day for disability.

In 1864 he emigrated to Burlington, Wis. He was there engaged in civil engineering. In 1867 and 1868 he was U. S. assessor for Racine county. In 1872 he went to Stockton, Cal., and died there not long after his arrival. He was a Mason and was buried in Masonic ground in San Francisco.

## CHILDREN BORN IN PEKIN, N. Y.:‡

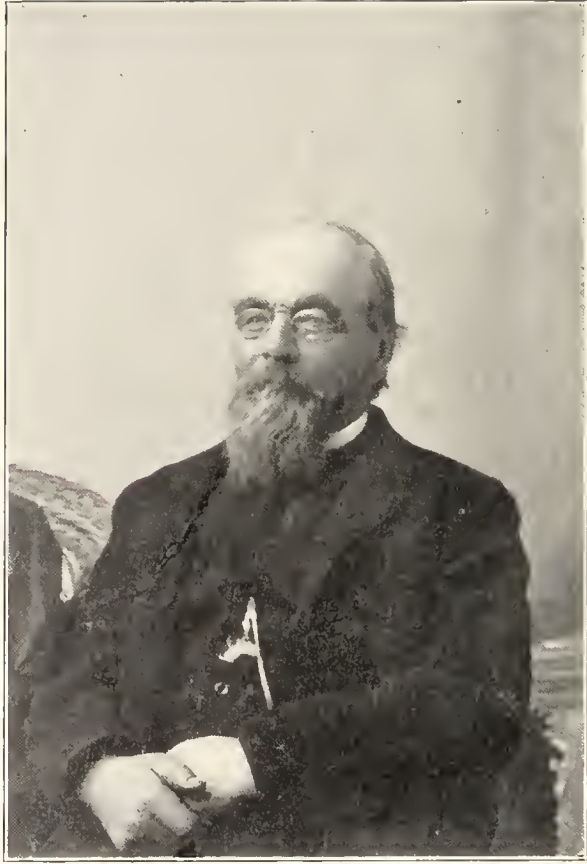
- i. EDNA EXENE, b. Aug. 7, 1847; m. Nov. 27, 1872, John Jackson and resides in Coopersville, Mich.
- ii. ANNA MARINDA, b. Nov. 15, 1849; d. Aug. 25, 1853.
- iii. OSCAR LLEWELLEN, b. Oct. 21, 1851; d. Jan. 27, 1861.
- iv. IDA ADELINÉ, b. Dec. 21, 1853; d. Sept. 30, 1870.
- v. ADA ZENETTE, b. Aug. 11, 1856; m. Aug. 25, 1875, Melvin P. Forbes of San Francisco, Cal.
- vi. JESSIE MELVERN, b. June 22, 1867; m. Oct. 16, 1893, John Franklin O'Mara and resides in Kalamazoo, Mich.

\* Except vii, who was born in Rochester, N. Y.

† i-ii born in Amenia, N. Y.; iii-v in Stanford, N. Y.

‡ Except vi, who was born in Burlington, Wis.





*F. H. Trowbridge*

1419. FRANCIS HUBBARD TROWBRIDGE (*Henry B.*<sup>1416</sup>, *Joel*<sup>1415</sup>), born January 22, 1825, in Goshen, Conn.; died November 29, 1901, in Neligh, Neb.; married, first, October 30, 1844, in Cambria, N. Y., Lorinda Belmer, daughter of Anthony and Mary Ann (Laundre) Belmer, born June 6, 1830, in Franklin county, N. Y.; died November 10, 1899, in Neligh. He married, second, November 24, 1900, in Neligh, Jennie B. (Haskell) Kelsey, widow of J. H. Kelsey and daughter of Charles and Eliza Jane (Davis) Haskell, born November 24, 1834, in Milo, Me. She resides in Neligh.

Francis H. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Lewiston, N. Y., and became a farmer. He continued to live in Niagara county, N. Y., until 1855, when he followed his parents and other members of his family to Burlington, Racine county, Wis. He there continued to be engaged in farming. He was appointed assistant of U. S. assessor for one-half of his county, being the only farmer appointed in his congressional district.

From 1861 to 1864 he was chairman of a county committee of five to encourage enlistments in the army, his only son being among the first of those who enlisted. In 1864 President Lincoln asked for three regiments of infantry from Wisconsin to serve 100 days. Mr. Trowbridge helped recruit one of these regiments, the 39th Wisconsin Infantry, and, leaving his wife and five little girls at home—his only son was then serving in the army—he went to the front as second lieutenant of Company D, having been commissioned May 21, 1864. This regiment left the state for Memphis on June 13 and rendered efficient service in the brilliant operations in the Southwest, contributing in no small degree to the victories of the national arms.

Mr. Trowbridge was elected supervisor of Racine county in 1866 for a term of two years, there being three supervisors to a county. In the fall of 1868 he removed to Mercer county, Mo., and from there to Antelope county, Neb., in April, 1873, as one of the earliest settlers of Neligh. He resided there the remainder of his life. In 1874 he was elected school director and had the principal care of building the first school-house, and was elected a justice of the peace the same year. In 1878 he was elected a member of the state legislature for a term of two years. He was appointed one of three appraisers of school lands in 1879 and one of three census enumerators in 1880. After the incorporation of Neligh, he was elected to represent it in the county board of supervisors for 1894 and 1895, also during those years served as its mayor. He was county correspondent of the U. S. Department of Agriculture for more than twenty-five years.

Mr. Trowbridge, besides being occupied with his farm and public duties, also wrote insurance, for the most part for neighboring farmers. He was also local agent for a Minnesota and an Illinois nursery. He was made a Mason in Wisconsin in 1863, and was a charter member of Howell Lodge, No. 71, of Neligh, being its second master, 1881-3. He was the first commander of John C. Tremont Post, No. 68, G. A. R., of Neligh, organized in 1882. He was president of the Neligh Cemetery Association for ten years and also served as volunteer funeral director. His varied business and duties made Mr. Trowbridge a very busy man and he contributed greatly to the advancement and prosperity of Neligh. He was much interested in gathering data of his branch of Trowbridges, descended from his grandfather, for this genealogy.

## CHILDREN :\*

1423. i. ADELBERT EMILIUS, b. Aug. 16, 1845.
- ii. EDWARD HENRY, b. Feb. 28, 1851; d. June 21, 1851.
- iii. FRANCES ADELAIDE, b. Sept. 29, 1852; m. Jan. 1, 1869, Nathaniel Corby and resides in Neligh, Neb.

\* i born in Lewiston, N. Y.; ii in Wheatfield, N. Y.; iii in Pekin, N. Y.; iv-viii in Burlington, Wis.

- iv. MARY ELLA, b. Feb. 3, 1856; m. Sept. 5, 1869, Francis Asbury Collings and resides in Princeton, Mo.
- v. ANNA LORINDA, b. Feb. 28, 1859; m. Dec. 25, 1874, Stephen Hall and resides in Neligh.
- vi. GRACE ELIZA, b. July 21, 1861; d. Oct. 8, 1869, in Ravanna, Mo.
- vii. FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE, b. July 17, 1863; m. July 17, 1880, Herbert Marion Eldridge and resides in Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada.
- viii. LENNAH EMMA, b. Feb. 2, 1867; m. Sept. 29, 1886, John Lyman Babcock and resides in Neligh.

1420. HENRY WILSON TROWBRIDGE (*Henry B.*<sup>1416</sup>, *Joel*<sup>1415</sup>), born November 29, 1829, in Goshen, Conn.; died October 5, 1896, in Neligh, Neb.; married August 7, 1858, in East Troy, Wis., Loretta Pauline Hartman, daughter of Lewis and Amelia (Zimmerman) Hartman, born July 26, 1843, in Magnon, Wis. She resides in Neligh.

Henry W. Trowbridge went in boyhood with his parents to Lewiston, N. Y., and from there in 1848 to Burlington, Wis. He married and lived there until 1873, when he accompanied his brother Francis to Neligh, Neb. He resided there until his death. He was engaged in farming all of his life.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. MARY JANE, b. Aug. 8, 1860; m. Mar. 15, 1880, Joshua Jones Melick of Neligh, Neb.
- ii. EMILY ANNIS, b. Jan. 14, 1862; m. Mar. 30, 1881, William Henry Woodworth and resides in Norfolk, Neb.
- 1424. iii. EDWARD HENRY, b. May 30, 1864.
- iv. INA MATILDA, b. Jan. 27, 1866; resides with her mother; unm.
- v. JOEL ANDREW, b. Oct. 25, 1869; d. Sept. 7, 1880.
- vi. AMY ALMEDA, b. Sept. 3, 1880; d. Feb. 19, 1884.
- vii. FRANK AUGUSTUS, b. Feb. 9, 1885; is a farmer in Neligh; unm.

1421. HENRY ANDREW TROWBRIDGE (*Joel A.*<sup>1417</sup>, *Joel*<sup>1415</sup>), born April 29, 1856, in Stanford, N. Y.; died November 27, 1893, in Philmont, N. Y.; married October 16, 1878, in Pleasant Valley, N. Y., Anna Moody, daughter of Benjamin and Phebe (Fowler) Moody, born June 17, 1851, in Dutchess county, N. Y.; died December 29, 1891, in Philmont.

Henry A. Trowbridge was a paper maker. He worked at that trade and also for a time was in a cotton mill. He resided in Stanfordville and Philmont, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN STANFORDVILLE, N. Y.:

- 1425. i. WILLIAM EUGENE, b. July 8, 1879.
- 1426. ii. BERTRAM FRANKLIN, b. June 18, 1880.
- 1427. iii. CLARENCE ANDREW, b. Sept. 9, 1885.
- iv. PHEBE ETHEL, b. June 17, 1889; resides with her uncle in Baldwinsville, N. Y.; unm.
- v. JULIA ANNA, b. Sept. 26, 1891; resides in Philmont, N. Y.; unm.

1422. CHARLES WILLIAM BALDWIN TROWBRIDGE (*Joel A.*<sup>1417</sup>, *Joel*<sup>1415</sup>), born October 12, 1861, in Stanford, N. Y.; resides in Baldwinsville, N. Y.; married December 2, 1885, in Plainville, N. Y., Emma Josephine Kruesse, daughter of Jacob Kruesse.

Charles W. B. Trowbridge is a shipping clerk in a large flouring mill in Baldwinsville, N. Y. He served on the board of aldermen of that city from 1895 to 1899, being elected from the second ward on the Republican ticket.

## NO CHILDREN.

\* i-v born in Burlington, Wis.; vi-vii in Neligh, Neb.

**1423.** ADELBERT EMILIUS TROWBRIDGE (*Francis H.*<sup>1419</sup>, *Henry B.*<sup>1416</sup>, *Joel*<sup>1415</sup>), born August 16, 1845, in Lewiston, N. Y.; resides in Pasadena, Cal.; married March 3, 1865, in East Troy, Wis., Almeda Isadore Matteson, daughter of John Matteson, born July 18, 1847, in Honey Creek, near Madison, Wis.; died April 5, 1903, in Neligh, Neb.

Adelbert E. Trowbridge at the age of about ten years accompanied his parents to their farm in Burlington, Wis. When only sixteen he entered the army in the early days of the Civil War. He enlisted September 1, 1861, in Company C, 1st Wisconsin Infantry. He was in the campaign through Kentucky and Tennessee into Alabama, and was discharged for a serious disability June 25, 1862. He enlisted again September 14, 1863, in Battery C, 1st Wisconsin Heavy Artillery. He was appointed first corporal, was promoted third sergeant, and earned an enviable reputation as a drill master. He was an active participant in all the engagements around Chattanooga, including the battle of Lookout Mountain and the assault on Missionary Ridge. He was promoted second lieutenant of Company E, 47th Wisconsin Infantry, February 2, 1865, and was finally mustered out as first lieutenant of his own company in September, 1865, having had sole command of his company for five months.

Mr. Trowbridge married and settled as a farmer in Wisconsin. He later followed his father to Neligh, Neb., where he was prosperously engaged in farming for many years. He held various town and school offices, and was active in all educational matters, and proved himself a good and substantial citizen. He removed a few years ago to Pasadena, Cal., his present residence.

## CHILDREN:\*

- i. MINNIE MAY, b. Nov. 16, 1865; m. Nov. 16, 1880, Fremont Bradene of Alberta, Canada.
- ii. JOHN FRANCIS, b. Mar. 27, 1867; is a farmer in Superior, Neb.
- iii. MIRIAM CRAWFORD, b. May 26, 1869; m. ———, 1885, Charles Brittell and resides in Holton, Mich.
- iv. ARMINA LOUISE, b. Mar. 12, 1874; m. Oct. 30, 1888, George Thompson and resides in Superior.
- v. BINA ALBERTA, b. Dec. 28, 1875; m. ———, 1882, Jacob Thompson and resides in Wilsonville, Neb.
- vi. WILLIAM MATTESON, b. Nov. 18, 1877; is a farmer in Superior.
- vii. ALICE ELSIE, b. Sept. 9, 1880; m. Dec. 25, 1899, Scott Odell and resides in Superior.
- viii. GOLDIE ADELAIDE, b. Sept. 29, 1885.

**1424.** EDWARD HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*Henry W.*<sup>1420</sup>, *Henry B.*<sup>1416</sup>, *Joel*<sup>1415</sup>), born May 30, 1864, in Burlington, Wis.; resides in Neligh, Neb.; married October 23, 1889, in Neligh, Nancy Electa Atkins, daughter of Albert Edward and Phebe (Smith) Atkins, born May 15, 1869, in Sterling, Ill.

Edward H. Trowbridge came in boyhood with his parents to Neligh, Neb. He has lived there ever since and is engaged in farming.

## CHILDREN BORN IN NELIGH, NEB.:

- i. FLOSSIE INA, b. Feb. 24, 1891.
- ii. ALBERT EDWARD, b. Aug. 24, 1893.
- iii. FORREST HENRY, b. May 10, 1896.

**1425.** WILLIAM EUGENE TROWBRIDGE (*Henry A.*<sup>1421</sup>, *Joel A.*<sup>1417</sup>, *Joel*<sup>1415</sup>), born July 8, 1879, in Stanfordsville, N. Y.; resides in Hudson, N. Y.; married October 14, 1898, in Hudson, Lillian Lura Harrington, daughter of Joshua and Eliza C. (Hermance) Harrington, born May 18, 1879, in Hudson.

William E. Trowbridge is a baggage master on the New York Central railroad. He resides in Hudson, N. Y.

## NO CHILDREN.

\* i born in Raymond, Wis.; ii in Burlington, Wis.; iii-v in Honey Creek, near Madison, Wis.; vi-vii in Neligh, Neb.; viii in Cheyenne county, Kan.

**1426.** BERTRAM FRANKLIN TROWBRIDGE (*Henry A.*<sup>1421</sup>, *Joel A.*<sup>1417</sup>, *Joel*<sup>1415</sup>), born June 18, 1880, in Stanfordville, N. Y.; resides in Philmont, N. Y.; married December 27, 1899, in Philmont, Carrie Emma Albert, daughter of Samuel and Mary E. (Traver) Albert, born June 3, 1878, in Philmont.

Bertram F. Trowbridge resides in Philmont, N. Y.

NO CHILDREN.

**1427.** CLARENCE ANDREW TROWBRIDGE (*Henry A.*<sup>1421</sup>, *Joel A.*<sup>1417</sup>, *Joel*<sup>1415</sup>), born September 9, 1885, in Stanfordville, N. Y.; resides in Philmont, N. Y.; married May 8, 1903, in Philmont, Bessie Edna Gifford, daughter of Charles and Harriet (Wheeler) Gifford, born December 6, 1883, in Catskill, N. Y.

Clarence A. Trowbridge resides in Philmont, N. Y.

NO CHILDREN.



A DELAWARE COUNTY, N. Y., FAMILY  
OF TROWBRIDGES

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**1427a.** ——— TROWBRIDGE (*ancestry untraced*<sup>#</sup>), born ———, 17—, in ———; died ———, 1810,† in ———; married Elizabeth Watson.

CHILDREN :

- i. WATSON, b. ———, 180—,‡
- ii. ELIZA, b. ———, 180—; m. ——— Sweet of Allegany county, N. Y.
- 1427b. iii. ARNOLD SMITH, b. ———, 1808, in Delaware county, N. Y.

**1427b.** ARNOLD SMITH TROWBRIDGE (———<sup>1427a</sup>), born ———, 1808, in Delaware county, N. Y.; died ———, 18—, in ———; married October —, 1833, in Groton, N. Y., Hannah Niver, daughter of Adam and Mary (Seamans) Niver, born October 14, 1812, in ———, N. Y.; died May 21, 1891, in Dryden, N. Y.

CHILDREN :§

- i. ADAM, b. Aug. 1, 1834; "went to sea when a young man and was never heard from."
- ii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Apr. 4, 1836; m. Dec. 22, 1853, Sullivan Ladd and resides in McLean, N. Y.
- iii. ELIZA, b. Sept. 8, 1839; m. Mar. 22, 1868, Charles Stanton and resides in Freeville, N. Y.

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\* Can he be No. 127, vii?

† "Killed by an accident in the woods when his youngest son was two years old."

‡ "Had a son *Charles*, who was a lieutenant in the Civil War."

——— TROWBRIDGE, m. Caroline Marsh, daughter of Thomas and Martha (Campbell) Marsh of Tompkins and Allegany counties, N. Y., born about 1818 in [Lansing township?] Tompkins county. CHILD: *Charles Egan*.

§ i-ii born in Allegany county, N. Y.; iii in Dundee, Mich.

# CAPT. STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE

OF MILFORD, CONN.,

AND HIS FAMILY

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**1428.** CAPT. STEPHEN TROWBRIDGE\* (*ancestry untraced*), born ———, 1781, in Milford, Conn.; died March 15, 1876, in Milford, aged 95; married, first, July 27, 1822, in New Haven, Conn., Laura Hubbell of West Haven, Conn. He married, second, Sarah A. Beers, who died December 3, 1868, in Milford, aged 60.

Stephen Trowbridge followed the sea for many years. In November, 1817, he bought of George Cogswell the house known as the "Washington House," on the east side of the village "green," Milford, Conn., which dated from the middle of the eighteenth century, and there he kept hotel about twenty years.

Captain Trowbridge, as he was known, was a man of dignified and reserved manners, and was highly respected in Milford.

#### CHILDREN BORN IN MILFORD, CONN.:

- i. LAURA W., b. ———, 182-?; m. ——— Reynolds of West Haven, Conn.
- ii. SARAH MARTHA, b. ———, 182-?; resides in Hartford, Conn.; unm.†
- iii. A daughter, b. ———, 18—; d. ———, 18—.

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\* "Jan. 15, 1799, Stephen Trowbridge, being a minor about 18 years old, *son of Stephen Trowbridge* late of Milford deceased, chose Peter Hepburn to be his guardian. No real estate." [New Haven, Conn., Probate Records, vol. 19, p. 304.] The compiler was unable to identify this "Stephen late of Milford," or find the date of the marriage in any Milford records. It is said, "his [No. 1428's] father went into the army and was never heard from again."

Capt. Stephen Trowbridge's mother was Susannah Hepburn, daughter of Peter and Susannah (Baldwin) Hepburn, born about 1758 in Milford.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

# SEYMOUR TROWBRIDGE

OF NEW YORK AND VERMONT

AND HIS FAMILY

1429. SEYMOUR TROWBRIDGE (*ancestry untraced\**), born ———, 1——, in Granville, N. Y.; died ———, 18—, in ———, —; married Mabel Stevenson, born ———, 1803, in "New England"; died September —, 1882, in Grand Rapids, Mich.

CHILDREN :

- i. WILLIAM.†
- ii. CHARLES.‡
- 1429a. iii. JEROME, b. July 19, 1831, in ———, Vt.

1429a. JEROME TROWBRIDGE (*Seymour*<sup>1429</sup>), born July 19, 1831, in ———, Vt.; resides in Grand Rapids, Mich.;§ married, first, July —, 1866, Martha Smith, who died ———, 1879. He married, second, May 1, 1880, Ida (Underwood) Weldon, born May 14, 1860, in Richfield Springs, N. Y.; died August 24, 1889, in Grand Rapids.

CHILDREN :

*By first marriage:*

- i. ———, m. Frederick H. Bidgood and resides in Grand Rapids, Mich.§
- ii. ———, m. Oscar P. Markham and resides in Grand Rapids.§
- iii. ———, m. John E. Denkema and resides in Grand Rapids.§
- iv. FREDERICK, resides in Chicago, Ill.§
- v. JEROME, resides in St. Louis, Mo.§

*By second marriage:*

- vi. LIRA, b. ———, 188—; d. aged 4 years.
- vii. MILDRED WELDON, b. Oct. 26, 1886; is a music teacher in Grand Rapids; unm.

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\* The compiler was unable to connect him with other Trowbridges bearing his Christian name, as his son failed to answer the letters of inquiry. The mention of the town of Granville, N. Y., is a coincidence at least. See No. 168, footnote ††.

† He left a daughter, Mrs. E. Smith of Grand Rapids, Mich., and other daughters in Rockford, Mich.

‡ Left children in Grand Rapids, who failed to answer the compiler's letters.

§ Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

# JACOB TROWBRIDGE

OF LEBANON, OHIO,

AND HIS FAMILY

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1430. JACOB TROWBRIDGE (*ancestry untraced*), born ———, 17—, in ———, Pa.; died ———, 1831, in Lebanon, Ohio; married Lany Elizabeth Egbert.

CHILDREN :

- i. STANLEY.
- 1430a. ii. JOSEPH, b. ———, 1812, in ———, Ohio.
- iii. JOHN.
- iv. WILLIAM.
- v. JACOB.
- vi. SARAH ANN.
- vii. ELIZABETH.
- viii. JANE.
- ix. CATHARINE.
- x. MARTHA.

1430a. JOSEPH TROWBRIDGE (*Jacob*<sup>1430</sup>), born ———, 1812, in ———, Ohio; died ———, 1876, in ———, Ohio; married ———, 1833, in ———, ———, Jane Fauber, daughter of Jacob Fauber, born ———, 1809, in ———, Va.; died ———, 1865, in ———, Ind.

CHILDREN :

- i. JACOB, of ———, Wash.
- ii. MARGARET, m. ——— of ———, N. Y.
- iii. CLARA, m. ——— of Denver, Colo.
- iv. WILLIAM, b. Feb. 29, 1840, in St. Joseph county, Ind.; is a laborer in Denver, Colo. He was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted in December, 1864, from Marshall county, Ind., in Company H, 155th Indiana Infantry, and was mustered out August 4, 1865.
- v. JANE, m. ——— of Plymouth, Ind.
- vi. HARRIET.

# JOHN TROWBRIDGE

OF MT. VERNON, ILL.,

## AND HIS DESCENDANTS

**1431.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*ancestry untraced*), born ———, 1798, in Groton, Mass.?<sup>\*</sup> died October 15, 1875, in Mt. Vernon, Ill.; married July 1, 1836, in Benton, Ill., Letitia Burke, daughter of Benjamin Franklin and Nancy (Vaughn) Burke, born ———, 18—, in ———, Ky.; died ——— 18—, in Wayne county, Ill.

John Trowbridge settled in Franklin county, Ill. He lived in the country, the nearest village and post office being Benton. He taught school most of his life.

### CHILDREN BORN IN BENTON, ILL.:

- i. MANISSETT, b. Aug. 1, 1839; d. in infancy.
- ii. ELMERCE, b. Sept. 19, 1840; d. in infancy.
1432. iii. ALBERT ANDERSON, b. Apr. 15, 1842.
- iv. NANCY, b. Oct. 4, 1843; d. in infancy.
- v. FANNY ABIGAIL, b. Nov. 11, 1844; resides with her youngest brother; unm.
- vi. JEFFERSON FRANCIS, b. Jan. 6, 1846; d. Oct. 8, 1878, in Taylorville, Ill.†
- vii. BOSWELL, b. Oct. 20, 1848; d. in infancy.
- viii. SUSAN ANN, b. July 3, 1850; m., 1st, Thomas J. McBride; m., 2d, Benjamin Franklin Kinsall; m., 3d, Jan. 7, 1879, Joseph Tucker Durham, all of Omaha, Ill.
1433. ix. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. Feb. 25, 1853.

**1432.** ALBERT ANDERSON TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1431</sup>), born April 15, 1842, in Benton, Ill.; died February 25, 1898, in Bernie, Mo.; married, first, August 10, 1860, in Gordon Prairie, Ill., Melvina Arterburn, daughter of Samuel and Darinda (Wolf) Arterburn, born February 4, 1841, in Xenia, Ill., died ———, 1861, in Xenia. He married, second, ———, 1869, in Wayne county?, Ill., Mary Smira (Arterburn) Cox, widow of Bartley G. Cox and a sister of his first wife, born December 2, 1833, in Xenia; died April 6, 1899, in Nye, Mo.

Albert A. Trowbridge at the age of twenty entered the army. He enlisted from Wayne county, Ill., for three years, August 9, 1862, in Company C, 111th Illinois Infantry. His son wrote: "He was promoted to be a corporal and was with Sherman from Atlanta to the sea, and was wounded in the battle of Resaca, Ga." He was mustered out June 6, 1865. After the war he was engaged in farming in Wayne county, where he served as constable four years. He then moved to a farm near Mt. Vernon, Jefferson county. He removed to Malden, Mo., in 1881, and a few years later to Bernie, Mo., where he passed the rest of his life. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

<sup>\*</sup> By his son No. 1433. The compiler did not find his birth in the records there. His relationship, if any, to the other Trowbridges in Groton (see No. 1025) was not proved.

<sup>†</sup> He was married twice. His second wife was Louisa Pugh, who had no children. It is not known if he had children by his first marriage. The postmaster of Taylorville knew of none.

## CHILDREN:\*

*By first marriage:*

- i. DORA LETITIA, b. May 6, 1861; m. Dec. 8, 1887, Joseph Elfers and resides in Nye, Mo.

*By second marriage:*

- ii. MELVINA CHARLOTTE, b. Oct. —, 1868; m., 1st, July 30, 1887, George Houston Riddle of Hennem, Mo.; m., 2d, Oct. 28, 1900, George Thomas Crawford of Ash Hill, Mo.  
 1434. iii. WILLIAM ALBERT, b. July 18, 1870.  
 1435. iv. MILTON ANDERSON, b. Apr. 21, 1872.  
 v. MARY SMIRA, b. ———, 1874; m. Randall J. Ray and resides in Fisk, Mo.

**1433.** BENJAMIN FRANKLIN TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1423</sup>), born February 25, 1853, in Benton, Ill.; resides in Wayne county (Bluford P. O.), Ill.; married February 16, 1869, in Brush Creek township, Ill., Sarah Catherine Burkett, daughter of John and Margaret (Slaver) Burkett, born June 10, 1854, in Wayne county.

Benjamin F. Trowbridge is a farmer. His farm lies in Wayne county, Ill., near Fairfield, the county seat.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WAYNE COUNTY, ILL.:†

- i. JOHN, b. Oct. 28, 1871.  
 ii. HESTER ANN, b. Sept. 24, 1874; d. June 2, 1876.  
 1436. iii. WILLIAM FRANCIS, b. Dec. 21, 1877.  
 iv. FREDERICK RANSOM, b. Oct. 28, 1879.  
 1437. v. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. July 13, 1882.  
 vi. LAURA ALICE, b. Aug. 24, 1885.  
 vii. WALTER ERNEST, b. Dec. 19, 1888.  
 viii. GRACE, b. Oct. 24, 1890.  
 ix. A child, b. Mar. 10, 1891; d. in infancy.  
 \* x. BERTHA ANGELINE, b. May 9, 1893.  
 xi. A child, b. Dec. 16, 1895; d. in infancy.

**1434.** WILLIAM ALBERT TROWBRIDGE (*Albert A.*<sup>1432</sup>, *John*<sup>1431</sup>), born July 18, 1870, in Wayne county, Ill.; died February 10, 1898, in Bernie, Mo.; married July 18, 1886, in Malden, Mo., Lucy Jane Stewart, daughter of Jonas Plumer and Jane Emeline (Carns) Stewart, born June 29, 1870, in Malden. She married, second, December 10, 1899, in Bernie, John Robert Summers and resides in Bernie.

William A. Trowbridge was a farmer in Malden and Bernie, Mo. He was a member of the General Baptist Church.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BERNIE, MO.:‡

- i. ALBERT VIRGIL, b. July 15, 1887.  
 ii. JONAS WILLIAM, b. Sept. 18, 1889.  
 iii. OLLIE JANE, b. Feb. 19, 1894.  
 iv. SAMUEL PLUMER, b. Apr. 20, 1898; d. Nov. 28, 1898.

**1435.** MILTON ANDERSON TROWBRIDGE (*Albert A.*<sup>1432</sup>, *John*<sup>1431</sup>), born April 21, 1872, in Jefferson county, Ill.; resides in Alicia, Ark.; married December 12, 1888, in Malden, Mo., Nancy Caroline Galoway, daughter of Leandrew and Mollie (Smith) Galoway, born in Malden.

Milton A. Trowbridge has always followed farming as his occupation. He settled after his marriage in Bernie, Stoddard county, Mo., and lived there until 1898, when he moved to Poplar Bluff, Mo., the county seat of Butler county.

\* I born in Xenia, Ill.; ii-iii in Wayne county, Ill.; iv-v in Jefferson county, Ill.

† Except ii and iii who were born in Barnhill township, near Pawnee, Sangamon county, Ill.

‡ Except i, who was born in Malden, Mo.

He was elected constable of Poplar Bluff township in 1900, and the same year, although a Republican, he was appointed by a Democratic sheriff deputy sheriff of Butler county.\* He was so efficient in the conduct of his office that at the expiration of his two years' term he was urged to allow himself to be renominated by acclamation, but he declined the honor. In September, 1903, he removed with his family to his present residence, Alicia, Ark.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BERNIE, MO.:†

- i. ALBERT VENNIE, b. Oct. 17, 1889; d. Mar. 12, 1890.
- ii. MILTON JEFFERSON, b. Feb. 29, 1891; d. Mar. 17, 1893.
- iii. ROBERT EDWARD, b. July 10, 1892; d. Mar. 20, 1893.
- iv. CLAUDE CECIL, b. Nov. 23, 1894.
- v. CLARENCE LEANDREW, b. Aug. 28, 1897.
- vi. IVER MILTON, b. May 26, 1902.

**1436.** WILLIAM FRANCIS TROWBRIDGE (*Benjamin F.*<sup>1433</sup>, *John*<sup>1431</sup>), born December 21, 1877, in Barnhill township, Sangamon county, Ill.; resides in Wayne county (Bluford P. O.), Ill.; married July 3, 1900, in Fairfield, Ill., Rosa Smith, daughter of Buck and Amanda (Forth) Smith, born August 10, 1884, in Wayne county.

William F. Trowbridge is farming near Fairfield, Wayne county, Ill.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WAYNE COUNTY, ILL.:

- i. EVERT RAMON, b. June 16, 1902.
- ii. ETHEL, b. Aug. 28, 1904.
- iii. HARRY, b. Dec. 6, 1905.

**1437.** BENJAMIN FRANKLIN TROWBRIDGE (*Benjamin F.*<sup>1433</sup>, *John*<sup>1431</sup>), born July 13, 1882, in Wayne county, Ill.; resides in Wayne county (Keenes P. O.); married August 14, 1900, in Fairfield, Ill., Hannah Gregory, daughter of Jacob and Nancy (Wood) Gregory, born June 6, 1882, in Wayne county.

Benjamin F. Trowbridge is engaged in farming near his father and brother in Wayne county, Ill.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WAYNE COUNTY, ILL.:

- i. HOMER, b. Sept. 2, 1901.
- ii. DELBERT, b. Sept. 16, 1903.

\* Soon after his election he had an exciting adventure in arresting a, so-called, wild man in Ash Hill, near Poplar Bluff, who was seven feet tall and very powerful and armed; and trace chains and padlocks were made use of before the prisoner was finally overpowered.

† Except vi, who was born in Poplar Bluff, Mo.

## ONTARIO, CANADA, TROWBRIDGES

"The family descend from David Trowbridge, born in 1762, who emigrated from near Troy, N. Y., across the Niagara frontier into Canada during or soon after the Revolution. He was a soldier in the War of 1812, being a color sergeant in the British army, and fought all through the war. He was in action at the battle of Queenston and at the battle of Lundy's Lane he was placed in the van of the regiment there in action. He came through the war unharmed. For his services he and his wife Mary received a grant of 200 acres of land from the government of Upper Canada. He died in 1816. His widow married again. He had brothers: Crispus Trowbridge, who settled at Niagara about 1774, and emigrated to Canada, and George Trowbridge, who served twenty-one years as a lieutenant in the British army. David Trowbridge had daughters: Elizabeth, Phebe, Keziah, Hannah, Mary, Eliza and Margaret, and one son: Lambert." [Letter from Francis H. Trowbridge No. 1439, v.]

1438. LAMBERT TROWBRIDGE (*David*), born ———, 1805, in ———, Canada?; died ———, 1890, in Sutorville, Ontario, Canada; married ———, 1827, in Vaughn township, Elgin county, Ontario, Elizabeth Spiker, daughter of Christopher and Margaret (Best) Spiker, born ———, 1808, in Vaughn; died ———, 1887, in Sutorville.

Lambert Trowbridge was a farmer and a member of the Minanite Church.

### CHILDREN BORN IN MALAHIDE TOWNSHIP, ONTARIO, CANADA:

1439. i. DAVID, b. ———, 1830.  
ii. HENRY, b. ———, 1858; m. Annie Stonehouse; d. 1893 in Forest, Ontario, leaving no children.  
There were other sons who died young.

1439. DAVID TROWBRIDGE (*Lambert*<sup>1438</sup>, *David*), born ———, 1830, in Malahide township, Elgin county, Ontario, Canada; died ———, 1889, in Sutorville, Ontario; married ———, 1854, in Malahide. Eliza Shively, daughter of Frederick and ——— (Warner) Shively, born ———, 1837, in Malahide; resides in Sutorville.\*

David Trowbridge was engaged in farming. He resided in Forest until 1880, when he sold his farm there and removed to Brooke township near the present post office of Sutorville, Ontario.

He was a "hard shell" Methodist, Wesleyan, and was for many years class leader at Forest. When he moved to Sutorville he gave to the Wanstead Methodist Conference the site where the old log church now stands. He lived in that neighborhood until his death.

### CHILDREN BORN IN FOREST, ONTARIO, CANADA:

- i. ALBERT EDWARD, b. ———, 1864; is a prosperous farmer in Sutorville, Ont.\*  
ii. JANNETT, b. ———, 186-; m. Robert Taylor and resides in Sutorville.\*  
iii. CHRISTINA, b. ———, 186-; m. R. J. Lucas and resides in Sutorville.\*  
iv. ESMERALDA, b. ———, 187-; m. Duncan Campbell and resides in Sutorville.\*

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.



- v. FRANCIS HENRY, b. ———, 1873; resides in Winnipeg, Canada. He was born on his father's farm in Forest, Ont., and came at the age of seven with his parents to Sutorville. He passed through the common school and received a preliminary high school education, but was unable to complete the course. He was for a time a brakeman on the fast freight line of the Grand Trunk railway between Sarnia, Ont., and Niagara Falls. He worked at stave and sawmill work and learned the stave jointing trade. He later worked at building granolithic walks, and was for three years foreman on the civic works in Winnipeg. He there took a course in Central Business College. He was engaged in the committee rooms of Hon. W. J. Hanna, K. C., provincial secretary of Ontario, at the time of his first election as member of Parliament for West Lambton. He also was a clerk in the office of Robertson & Murray, barristers, Winnipeg, during the winter of 1906, and has since continued the study of law.

At the present time he is in business for himself, and deals in mortgages, stocks, bonds, insurance and real estate. He has also studied mineralogy and has discovered mineral wealth, which he expects to develop at some future time. He is unmarried.

Five more children died young.

## A HUDSON AND CATSKILL, N. Y., FAMILY OF TROWBRIDGES

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1440. ——— TROWBRIDGE (*ancestry untraced*), born ———, 1——, in ———; died ———, 1823, in Hudson, N. Y. :\* married, ———, 181—, in Stonington, Conn. † Mrs. ——— Halstead. ‡

### CHILD BORN IN STONINGTON, CONN. :

1441. i. JAMES WARREN, b. Dec. 25, 1819.

1441. JAMES WARREN TROWBRIDGE (———<sup>1440</sup>), born December 25, 1819, in Stonington, Conn.; died November 10, 1873, in New York City; married May 20, 1846, in Catskill, N. Y., Cornelia Bliven, daughter of Charles L. Bliven, born October 12, 1829, in Coxsackie, N. Y. She resides in Watervliet, N. Y.

James W. Trowbridge married and settled in Catskill, N. Y. He enlisted there for three years in the army during the Civil War. He was enrolled August 8, 1862, in Company F, 120th New York Infantry. He served in the defense of Washington and later participated in the following battles and actions: Fredericksburg, Chancellorsville, Gettysburg (wounded in the ankle during the second day's battle), James City, Mine Run, Wilderness, Spottsylvania, North Anna, Cold Harbor, Weldon Railroad, Deep Bottom, Parksburg, Strawberry Plains, Boyton Plank Road, Hicksford Raid, Hatcher's Run, Petersburg Works, White Oak Ridge, Fall of Petersburg, Datersville Road and Appomattox. He was mustered out June 20, 1865.

### CHILDREN BORN IN CATSKILL, N. Y. :

1442. i. CHARLES EDWARD, b. June 30, 1850.

ii. ALBERT H., b. ———, 185-?: is a mechanic in Albany, N. Y.; resides in Watervliet, N. Y.

1442. CHARLES EDWARD TROWBRIDGE (*James W.*<sup>1441</sup>, ———<sup>1440</sup>), born June 30, 1850, in Catskill, N. Y.; resides in Watervliet, N. Y.; married November 21, 1873, in West Troy, N. Y., Margaret Keith, daughter of Neil and Ann (Loren) Keith, born March 23, 1853, in Woodstock, Canada.

Charles E. Trowbridge resides in Watervliet, N. Y. §

### CHILD BORN IN WATERVLIET, N. Y. :

i. HARRIET C., b. Oct. 21, 1874.

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\* The compiler could not find any mention of him in the surrogate's records in that city.

† No Trowbridge records were found in Stonington Town Records.

‡ She is said to have had by her first husband David, John and Marie of Athens, N. Y., but no Halstead there answered the compiler's letters.

§ Record from Mr. Charles E. Trowbridge, a grandson.

§ He failed to supply further data.

SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE OF SENECA FALLS,  
N. Y.  
AND HIS FAMILY

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1443. SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE\* (*ancestry untraced*). born ———, 182-?, in ———, ———; died ———, 18—, in ———, ———; married ———, 1844, in ———, ———, Abby Reade,† who died May 20, 1882, in Seneca Falls, N. Y.

CHILDREN:‡

- i. ANNA, b. Oct. 27, 1845; m. Dec. 7, 1862. Benjamin Green and resides in Seneca Falls, N. Y.
- ii. OSCAR, b. June 29, 1847; resides in Seneca Falls.§
- iii. JUSTUS, b. Feb. 28, 1850; resides in Seneca Falls.§
- iv. JACOB, b. Aug. 22, 1852.
- v. LOREN, b. Aug. 10, 1859.
- vi. JENNY, b. May 28, 1862.

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\* "His father disappeared before he was born."

† "A native of Pennsylvania."

‡ i, ii and iv born in Fayette, N. Y.; iii in Penfield, N. Y.; v-vi in Ontario, N. Y.

§ Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

# IRA TROWBRIDGE

OF MANSFIELD, CONN.,

AND HIS FAMILY

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1444. IRA TROWBRIDGE (*ancestry unknown\**), born ———, 17—, in ———; killed in the battle of Tippecanoe, November 7, 1811; married August 21, 1808, in Coventry, Conn., Cynthia Crossman, daughter of Ebenezer and Mehitable ((Palmer) Dow) Crossman, born July 22, 1783, in Coventry; died ——— 18—, in ———.

CHILD BORN IN COVENTRY, CONN.:

1444a. i. IRA EDWIN, b. May 18, 1809.

1444a. IRA EDWIN TROWBRIDGE (*Ira<sup>1444</sup>*), born May 18, 1809, in Coventry, Conn.; died ———, 18—, in ———; married, first, September 13, 1840, in Mansfield, Conn., Almira Clark. He married, second, March 19, 1844, in Mansfield, Emily Abbey, daughter of Shubael and Polly (Hartshorn) Abbey, who died ———, 1881, in Mansfield Center.

Ira E. Trowbridge was a farmer and lived in Mansfield Center. His widow's will disposed of a house and fourteen acres and seven acres of woods.

NO CHILDREN.†

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\* No relationship to No. 23 was discovered.

† By the second wife's will, and none by the first wife are recorded in Mansfield records.

# ALARIC TROWBRIDGE

OF STEUBEN COUNTY, N. Y.,

AND HIS DESCENDANTS

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1445. ALARIC TROWBRIDGE\* (*ancestry untraced*), born ———, 18—, in ———, Mass.; died ———, 18—, in Greenwood, Steuben county, N. Y.; married ———, 18—, in ———, Elizabeth Liddiard.†

Alaric Trowbridge was engaged in farming in Greenwood, N. Y.

## CHILDREN :‡

- 1445a. i. JOHN TAYLOR, b. Aug. 26, 1830.
- 1445b. ii. OLIVER, b. Sept. 2, 1832.§
  - iii. MARTHA, m. Norman Reynolds of Greenwood, N. Y.§
  - iv. MARIA, m. Eldridge Alvord of Greenwood.
  - v. GEORGE, killed in the battle of the Wilderness; unm.
  - vi. WILLIAM, d. Feb. —, 1863, in Greenwood; unm.
  - vii. ALARIC WELLS, resides in Canisteo, N. Y.; unm.
- 1445c. viii. GIDEON MONDAY, b. June 16, 1849.§
- ix. ELIZABETH, m. John Dean of Whitesville, N. Y.

1445a. JOHN TAYLOR TROWBRIDGE (*Alaric*<sup>1445</sup>), born August 26, 1830, in Geneva, N. Y.; died June 4, 1861, in Hartsville, Steuben county, N. Y.; married March 4, 1858, in Hartsville, Eliza Lucretia Phelps, daughter of Dana and Hannah (Amidon) Phelps, born September 6, 1837, in Monroe, Mass. She married, second, Henry M. Hall and resides in Elva (Millington P. O.), Mich.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HARTSVILLE, N. Y. :

- i. HUBERT TYLER [*Haradon*],|| b. ———, 1859; is a machinist; resides in Greenfield, Mass.§
- ii. HANNAH EUDORA ELIZABETH\*\* [*Haradon*], b. ———, 1861; m. Marshall Jenks of Cheshire, Mass., and resides in Gill, Mass.

1445b. OLIVER TROWBRIDGE (*Alaric*<sup>1445</sup>), born September 2, 1832, in Sodus Bay, N. Y.; died August 9, 1907, in Greenwood, N. Y.; married ———, 18—, in ———, N. Y., Helen Stevens.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GREENWOOD, N. Y. :

- 1445d. i. ALBERT L., Feb. 4, 1859.
- ii. CLARA, m. ——— Emery and resides in Buffalo, N. Y.§
- iii. LEE, resides in Andover, N. Y.§
- iv. ERNEST, resides in Montpelier, Ohio.§

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\* His sister and his mother, Mrs. ——— Robinson?, a widow, were living in Ravenna, Ohio, in 1858.

† "From England at the age of eight years."

Record from the widow of the eldest child.

‡ Order of birth uncertain. i born in Geneva, N. Y.; ii in Sodus Bay, N. Y.; the others in Greenwood, N. Y.

§ Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

|| Adopted in infancy by Erastus G. Haradon of Savoy, Mass., and name changed to Haradon.

\*\* *Fanny E.* in the adoption papers.

1445c. GIDEON MONDAY TROWBRIDGE (*Alaric*<sup>1445</sup>), born June 16, 1849, in Greenwood, N. Y.; resides in Greenwood;\* married January 1, 1870, in ———, N. Y., Phoebe Rocelia Reynolds, daughter of Orville Reynolds, born November 17, 1851, in Clyde, N. Y.; died October 5, 1904, in Pekin, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GREENWOOD, N. Y.:

- 1445e. i. WILLIAM PERRY, b. Nov. 10, 1871.  
 ii. MYRA ELIZABETH, b. June 9, 1879; m. Feb. 3, 1906, Harold K. Mabon and resides in Pekin, N. Y.

1445d. ALBERT L. TROWBRIDGE (*Oliver*<sup>1445b</sup>, *Alaric*<sup>1445</sup>), born February 4, 1859, in Greenwood, N. Y.; resides in Greenwood; married December 6, 1879, in Greenwood, Olive Emily Fenton, daughter of David and Jane (Jackson) Fenton, born September 21, 1862, in Greenwood.

Albert L. Trowbridge is engaged in the manufacture of cheese boxes in Greenwood, N. Y.

## CHILD BORN IN GREENWOOD, N. Y.:

- i. FLORENCE, b. Oct. 13, 1890; m. Aug. 12, 1905, Herbert McCaffery and resides in Greenwood.

1445e. REV. WILLIAM PERRY TROWBRIDGE (*Gideon M.*<sup>1445c</sup>, *Alaric*<sup>1445</sup>), born November 10, 1871, in Greenwood, N. Y.; resides in Knoxville, Pa.; married September 2, 1903, in Greenwood, Mabelle Evelyn Young, daughter of Henry W. and Avice Charlotte (Daily) Young, born March 27, 1882, in Greenwood.

William P. Trowbridge is pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church in Knoxville, Pa.

## CHILD BORN IN JASPER, N. Y.:

- i. AVICE ROCELJA, b. June 30, 1905.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

# JOHN STROWBRIDGE

OF CANTON, MASS.,

## AND HIS DESCENDANTS

1446. JOHN STROWBRIDGE (*ancestry untraced\**), born ———, 169-*i*, in ———; died ———, 17—, in Canton, Mass.; married March 28, 1720-1,<sup>†</sup> in Dorchester, Mass., Elizabeth Andrews, daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth ((———) Ludden) Andrews, born October 15, 1700, in Weymouth, Mass.; died ———, 17—, in Canton.

John Strowbridge, or Strowbridge, came in the ship *Elizabeth* to Boston, Mass., in the fall of 1719,<sup>‡</sup> possibly from the north of Ireland. He soon after his arrival settled in Ponkapoag, in that part of Stoughton, Mass., now Canton, and belonged to the first parish. He was a farmer. "Elizabeth Strowbridge, wife of John Strowbridge," renewed the covenant there March 31, 1723. John's name does not appear on Stoughton tax lists, but his son, Samuel, was taxed in 1744, and in due time the latter's son Seth was taxed.

### CHILD BORN IN DORCHESTER, MASS.:

1447. i. SAMUEL, b. May — (bapt. June 23<sup>§</sup>), 1723.

1447. SAMUEL STROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1446</sup>), baptized June 23, 1723, in Canton, Mass.; died ———, 1—, in Canton?; married November 24, 1748, in Dedham, Mass., Judith Smith, daughter of Robert and Judith (Heslop) Smith, born July 19, 1726, in Dedham; died ———, 1—, in Canton?.

Samuel Strowbridge settled as a farmer in Canton, Mass. He was a soldier in the French and Indian War. His name appears as sentinel in a muster roll of Capt. Benjamin Larrabee's company, dated Boston, May 31, 1748, for service from April 1 to September 1, 1747. His name appears in the muster roll of Major Stephen Miller's company (training band list) Colonel Miller's regiment of militia, dated Stoughton, May 3, 1757.\*\*

### CHILDREN BORN IN CANTON, MASS.:

1448. i. SETH, b. Oct. 13, 1749.  
ii. ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 6, 1752; m. Aug. 13, 1772, William Crane of Canton.  
iii. HANNAH, b. Mar. 20, 1755; m. July 1, 1777, George Jordan of Canton.  
iv. SAMUEL, b. May 26, 1762; was a soldier in the Revolution.<sup>††</sup>  
v. REBECCA, b. June 3, 1766.

\* His family is included in this volume, as some of them have been entered in records and printed in other genealogies as *Trowbridge*. They are not included in Mrs. Guild's "*Strowbridge Genealogy*." See "*History of Canton, Mass.*"

† Dorchester town clerk's "return" to Boston; also given Nov. 11, 1720.

‡ "Boston Record Commissioners' Reports," vol. 13, p. 63.

§ First parish of Stoughton as "Samuel Trobridge, son of John and Elizabeth Trobridge," Massachusetts Archives, vol. 92, p. 140.

\*\* Ditto, vol. 95, p. 342.

†† "History of Canton, Mass.," p. 628.

**1448.** SETH STROWBRIDGE (*Samuel*<sup>1447</sup>, *John*<sup>1446</sup>), born October 13, 1749, in Canton, Mass.; died April 3, 1830, in Canton; married, first, ————,\* 1775, in Canton. Jemima Upham, daughter of Abijah and Jemima (Bailey) Upham. He married, second, May 30, 1786, in Stoughton, Mass., Sibyl Holmes, daughter of Dea. Philip and Mary (Waters) Holmes, born October 20, 1761, in Stoughton; died December 9, 1826, in Canton.

Seth Strowbridge settled in his native town. He was a soldier in the Revolution. He served in Capt. James Endicott's minutemen raised at the Lexington alarm.† His name later appears on the roll of Col. Benjamin Tupper's regiment, in which he enlisted October 1, 1782, and served three months.‡ The names of Seth and Samuel Strowbridge are signed to the petition for the incorporation of Canton, April 17, 1795. They were Universalists in religion.

## CHILDREN BORN IN CANTON, MASS.:

1449. i. WILLIAM, b. ———, 177—.§  
 ii. SETH, b. ———, 177—.§  
 iii. SAMUEL, b. about 1779; d. Apr. 4, 1838, in Canton, aged 59.

**1449.** WILLIAM STROWBRIDGE (*Seth*<sup>1448</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1447</sup>, *John*<sup>1446</sup>), born ———, 177—, in Canton, Mass.; died ———, 18—, in Sharon, Mass.‡; married October 11, 1801, in Sharon, Rhoda Drake, daughter of Joseph and Ruth (Keith) Drake, born January 25, 1780, in Sharon;|| died December 10, 1868, in Sharon.

William Strowbridge was living in Sharon, Mass., at the time of his marriage. No further trace of him was found.

NO CHILDREN?\*\*\*

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\* Intention published Mar. 11, 1775.

† "History of Canton," p. 617.

‡ Massachusetts Revolutionary Rolls, vol. 60, p. 22. His name was also given as Trowbridge.

§ By "Upham Genealogy," which prints their father's name *Seth Trowbridge*.

|| Or Mansfield.

\*\*\* No children are remembered by Mr. George H. Whittemore, the town clerk of Sharon, who knew Mr. Strowbridge in his boyhood.



# BENJAMIN STRAWBRIDGE, STROWBRIDGE OR TROWBRIDGE

OF WILLIAMSPORT, PA.,

AND HIS DESCENDANTS

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1450. BENJAMIN STRAWBRIDGE\* (*ancestry untraced*), born ———, 17—, in ———; died July 18, 1821, in Williamsport, Pa.; married ———, 18—, in ———, Margaret Kinman, daughter of Jesse and Margaret (Mulcahy) Kinman, born ———, 17—, in ———. She married, second, Samuel Hagerman of Williamsport, and died November 10, 1854, in Green Valley, Dillon township, Tazewell county, Ill.

Benjamin Strawbridge\* lived in Williamsport, Pa., at the time of his death, but no account of his origin, life and occupation has come down to his descendants. He is said to have been born near Belfast, Ireland.† His widow and her second husband emigrated in 1833 to Dillon township, Tazewell county, Ill., taking with them her two youngest sons.

#### CHILDREN BORN IN WILLIAMSPORT, PA. :

- 1451. i. BENJAMIN, b. May 14, 1814.
- 1452. ii. JESSE, b. Oct. 15, 1816.
- 1453. iii. JOHN, b. Aug. 1, 1818.

1451. BENJAMIN STRAWBRIDGE (*Benjamin*<sup>1450</sup>), born May 14, 1814, in Williamsport, Pa.; died February 15, 1898, in Malone township, Tazewell county, Ill.; married July 11, 1844, in Williamsport, Sarah Calvert, daughter of William and Polly (Polhemus) Calvert, born October 3, 1823, in Williamsport; died July 6, 1902, in Malone.

Benjamin Strawbridge was left fatherless at the age of seven years and at sixteen was bound out to one John Smith to learn the shoemaker's trade. He settled in Williamsport and lived there many years. On December 25, 1844, he was appointed sheriff of Lycoming county and kept the old prison over seven years. In 1850 he was appointed a notary public and for several years after that was a grand juror. In 1860 he was elected to the office of county treasurer, being the only Democrat elected on the ticket on which he ran. In the spring of 1869 he removed with his family to Malone township, Tazewell county, Ill., near Green Valley, where he was engaged in farming the remainder of his life.‡

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\* Strowbridge or Trowbridge, for these three ways of spelling the family name have been followed by descendants of his three sons.

† Letter from his grandson No. 1451, iv. Perhaps he was not born there himself and belonged to one of the Strawbridge families mentioned in Mrs. Guild's "Strowbridge-Strawbridge Genealogy."

‡ "Father often boasted of his nationality—Ireland and Belfast. My mother's family came from Nottingham, England, being 16 weeks crossing the sea and burying one child at sea during the passage." [Letter from his son Benjamin F. Strawbridge of Green Valley, Ill.]

## CHILDREN BORN IN WILLIAMSPORT, PA.:

- i. JOHN B., b. Dec. 6, 1844; m. Dec. —, 1871, in Chicago, Ill., Mary G. Hicks (d. Mar. 12, 1898, in San Diego, Cal.); is a farmer in Green Valley, Ill.
- ii. WILLIAM R., b. Sept. 27, 1846; m. Mar. 8, 1866, in Williamsport, Lizzie Cashen; resides there.
- iii. MARY G., b. Sept. 5, 1848; m. Joseph Piatt of Williamsport.
- iv. BENJAMIN F., b. Dec. 12, 1850; is a farmer in Green Valley, Ill.\*
- v. JESSE, b. Apr. 14, 1852; m. Jan. 25, 1883, in Green Valley, Minnie Squire; is a farmer in Delavan, Ill.
- vi. EMMA, b. Dec. 21, 1854; m. Jan. 2, 1872, Thomas N. Mehan and resides in Mason City, Ill.†
- vii. HARRY S., b. Oct. 5, 1859; m. Dec. 20, 1883, in Green Valley, Alice C. Watts; is a farmer in Green Valley.
- viii. GEORGE B., b. July 7, 1862; m., 1st, May 10, 1883, in Green Valley, Etta V. Watts (d. Dec. 17, 1888); m., 2d, Dec. 28, 1894, in Green Valley, Emma Wagner; is a farmer there.
- ix. PARSON W., b. Dec. 14, 1864; m. Nov. 27, 1887, in Kansas City, Mo., Georgia S. Perry, daughter of Littleton and Caroline (Malcolm) Perry, b. Mar. 20, 1870, in Kansas City; is a clerk in that city.

**1452.** JESSE STROWBRIDGE (*Benjamin*<sup>1450</sup>), born October 15, 1816, in Williamsport, Pa.; died January 28, 1869, in Williamsport; married September 9, 1847, in Williamsport, Elizabeth Boyer Fessler, daughter of Frederiek and Catherine (Fessler?) Fessler, born January 31, 1820, in Williamsport; died March 10, 1891, in Green Valley, Ill.

Jesse Strowbridge went in 1833 with his mother and step-father to Dillon township, near Green Valley, Tazewell county, Ill. He grew up and became a farmer there. He died while on a visit to his elder brother in Williamsport, Pa.

## CHILDREN BORN IN DILLON TOWNSHIP, TAZEVELL COUNTY, ILL.:

1454. i. FERDINAND, b. Mar. 13, 1849.
- 1454a. ii. BENJAMIN FREDERICK, b. July 17, 1851.
- iii. MARY, b. Dec. 22, 1853; d. that day.
- iv. LAURA ISABELL, b. Nov. 10, 1855; m. Oct. 10, 1877, Samuel Blackburn Bradfield and resides in Green Valley, Ill.
- 1454b. v. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Nov. 4, 1858.
- 1454c. vi. GILMAN JUSTICE, b. Sept. 20, 1863.

**1453.** JOHN TROWBRIDGE (*Benjamin*<sup>1450</sup>), born August 1, 1818, in Williamsport, Pa.; died January 21, 1904, in Green Valley, Ill.; married November 12, 1853, in Pekin, Ill., Sarah Ann Holt, daughter of Jonah and Betsey (Mathews) Holt, born June 10, 1832, in Mt. Vernon, Knox county, Ohio. She resides in Green Valley.

John Trowbridge went at the age of fifteen with his mother and step-father to Tazewell county, Ill., and there sought employment with his uncle Jesse Kinman, who owned a gristmill on the Mackinaw river. Later he bought a farm from the government, which at that date was simply a wild prairie inhabited by deer, wolves and other wild animals. Here he settled and developed a farm. He was a model farmer, and his example was a stimulus to others. He joined the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1858, and was faithful in attendance at and active to promote the welfare of the church he loved. He died, enjoying the esteem of all in the community where he had so long resided.

"Mr. Trowbridge was one of the pioneers who helped to make this beautiful spot of earth what it is. He not only blazed the pathway through the forests and over the trackless prairie, but he helped to build up and civilize this community and give the people that live here to-day the privileges they enjoy.

\* He supplied the data for the biographical sketch of his father.

† She supplied the family register.

"With a well-stored memory, and, being a natural orator, his quaint remembrances and stories of early days were historical facts that to the younger generation are invaluable. He could tell of the times when the only houses for a radius of many miles were those built of logs along the banks of the Mackinaw, when the city of Delavan consisted of only one frame house, when Green Valley City was as yet unheard of, when the wild deer and wolves were plentiful, and he could also tell of the pleasures and the hardships of the early settlers. This man asked not for fame or riches, he simply wanted to be a good citizen, to live an honest, upright life and set an example for good that could never die; his efforts have been crowned with success. Honored, respected and beloved, a man of whom all his neighbors and acquaintances were justly proud, he was eagerly welcomed wherever he went. A model husband, a loving father, love of home and family were strongly marked traits in his character, and yet his great heart was so kind and so tender that it beat in sympathy with all mankind and with all God's creatures." [The Green Valley Banner, Jan. 29, 1904.]

## CHILDREN BORN IN GREEN VALLEY, ILL. :

1455. i. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. Aug. 14, 1854.  
 ii. ALICE CARY, b. Mar. 12, 1856; m. June 4, 1889. Frank B. Welch of Green Valley.  
 iii. DILLA, b. Mar. 28, 1858; m. Apr. 28, 1897, Samuel Donley and resides in Delavan, Ill.  
 iv. EMMA E., b. Jan. 9, 1860; m. Apr. 9, 1894, B. Reed Mowry and resides in Emden, Ill.  
 v. SARAH E., b. Jan. 9, 1861; resides in Green Valley; unm.  
 1456. vi. JOHN FRANK, b. May 9, 1863.  
 1457. vii. JESSE, b. Mar. 12, 1869.  
 1458. viii. TEIS, b. Nov. 19, 1870.  
 1459. ix. LEWIS HENRY, b. Dec. 20, 1872.

**1454. FERDINAND STROWBRIDGE** (*Jesse*<sup>1452</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1450</sup>), born March 13, 1849, in Dillon township, Tazewell county, Ill.; resides in Bradford, Kan.; married, first, September 22, 1869, in Dillon, Adelaide Elliott, who died May 30, 1896. He married, second, Clara Elliott Johnson.\*

Ferdinand Strowbridge is a farmer in Bradford, Kan.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GREEN VALLEY, ILL. ? : †

- i. JESSIE.  
 ii. MARY ELIZABETH.  
 iii. MAY.  
 iv. LAURA.  
 v. GRACE.  
 vi. BENJAMIN, resides in Los Angeles, Cal.\*  
 vii. ALICE.  
 viii. FREDERICK, resides in Topeka, Kan.\*  
 ix. NORA, m. \_\_\_\_\_ and resides in Battle Creek, Mich.  
 x. NELLIE, m. \_\_\_\_\_ and resides in Bradford, Kan.  
 xi. OLA, } twins.  
 xii. ORA, }  
 xiii. FRANCIS, d. in infancy.  
 xiv. HAZEL, d. in infancy.

**1454a. BENJAMIN FREDERICK STROWBRIDGE** (*Jesse*<sup>1452</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1450</sup>), born July 17, 1851, in Dillon township, Ill.; died February 19, 1905, in Green Valley, Ill.; married January 22, 1878, in Malone, Ill., Luella Mary Giffin, born July 17, 1855, in Malone. She resides in Green Valley.\*

Benjamin F. Strowbridge was a farmer in Green Valley, Ill.

## CHILDREN BORN IN GREEN VALLEY, ILL. :

- i. ETHEL.  
 ii. MYRTLE.  
 iii. ELIZABETH.  
 iv. MARY.  
 v. ESTELLA.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† i-x are married.

**1454b.** WILLIAM HENRY STROWBRIDGE (*Jesse*<sup>1452</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1450</sup>), born November 4, 1858, in Dillon township, Ill.; resides in Green Valley, Ill.; married February 14, 1889, in ———, Anna Belle Fisher, born February 16, 1861, in Sand Prairie, Ill.\*

William H. Strowbridge is a farmer in his native place, Green Valley, Ill.

CHILDREN BORN IN GREEN VALLEY, ILL.:

- i. BLANCHE.
- ii. DONALD.

**1454c.** GILMAN JUSTICE STROWBRIDGE (*Jesse*<sup>1452</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1450</sup>), born September 20, 1863, in Dillon township, Ill.; resides in Green Valley, Ill.; married January 31, 1895, in ———, Minnie Alice Robinson, born February 8, 1868, in Sand Prairie, Ill.\*

Gilman Justice Strowbridge is a farmer in Green Valley, Ill., his native place.

CHILD BORN IN GREEN VALLEY, ILL.:

- i. LORETA.

**1455.** GEORGE WASHINGTON TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1453</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1450</sup>), born August 14, 1854, in Green Valley, Ill.; resides in Washington, D. C.; married June 7, 1888, in Wheeling, W. Va., Carrie E. Cowgill, daughter of Jephtha and Amanda (Mead) Cowgill, born July 11, 1859, in Martins Ferry, Ohio.

George W. Trowbridge at an early age engaged in agricultural pursuits with his father. He attended the public school, the Delavan, Ill., high school, and later the Peoria Business College. In 1879 he moved to Chicago, Ill., where he engaged in the real estate business and entered the employ of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway Company. He later accepted a position as freight traveling agent of the Merchants Transportation Company, with headquarters in Chicago. During this employment he became a member of the Elgin Board of Trade. In 1898 he was appointed an internal revenue agent, and is now in charge of the Baltimore division. He resides in Washington, D. C.

CHILDREN BORN IN CHICAGO, ILL.:

- i. DAISY ETHEL, b. Mar. 10, 1890.
- ii. AGNES COWGILL, b. June 11, 1894.
- iii. WILLIAM SCOTT, b. May 12, 1897.

**1456.** JOHN FRANK TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1453</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1450</sup>), born May 9, 1863, in Green Valley, Ill.; resides in Delavan, Ill.; married August 26, 1886, in Delavan, Etta Ballinger, daughter of Lafayette and Sarah Elizabeth (Burke) Ballinger, born April 29, 1868, in Monticello, Ind.

J. Frank Trowbridge is engaged in farming in his native place, Green Valley, Ill.

CHILDREN BORN IN GREEN VALLEY, ILL.:

- i. JOHN, b. Oct. 29, 1887.
- ii. MAY, b. Nov. 10, 1889.

**1457.** JESSE TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1453</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1450</sup>), born March 12, 1869, in Green Valley, Ill.; resides in Green Valley; married December 1, 1887, in Green Valley, Dora Watts.

Jesse Trowbridge is a painter by trade. He lives in Green Valley, Ill.†

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† Failed to answer the compiler's letters, so it is not known if they have had any children.

**1458.** TEIS TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1453</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1450</sup>), born November 19, 1870, in Green Valley, Ill.; resides in Green Valley; married February 13, 1895, in Green Valley, Fannie Dixon Martin, daughter of Joseph Warren and Cornelia Alzina (———) Martin, born January 30, 1870, in Green Valley.

Teis Trowbridge is a farmer in his native place, Green Valley, Ill.

## CHILDREN:

- i. EMMA CORNELIA, b. June 13, 1897, in Cedar, Iowa.
- ii. HELEN, b. Dec. 18, 1898, in Green Valley, Ill.

**1459.** LEWIS HENRY TROWBRIDGE (*John*<sup>1453</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>1450</sup>), born December 20, 1872, in Green Valley, Ill.; resides in Green Valley; married March 12, 1899, in Green Valley, Mary Matilda McGalliard, daughter of Aaron and Olivia (Hall) McGalliard, born October 12, 1874, in Green Valley.

Lewis H. Trowbridge is a farmer in Green Valley, Ill., his native place.

## NO CHILDREN.

## WILLIAM STRAWBRIDGE

## OF IRELAND

## AND HIS DESCENDANTS

**1459a.** WILLIAM STROWBRIDGE, son of William\*, born ———, 18—, in Ireland; died February 20, 1897, in Springboro, Ohio; married Evelyn Abbott, who died December 7, 1897, in Springboro.

## CHILD BORN IN SPRINGBORO, OHIO:

- i. JOHN C. TROWBRIDGE,† b. Oct. 25, 1856; is in the dry goods business in Louisville, Ky.; m. Oct. 3, 1888, in Shelbyville, Ky., Minnie Beckham, daughter of Dr. B. M. and Mary E. (Carpenter) Beckham, b. June 15, 1858, in Shelbyville.

\* WILLIAM STRAWBRIDGE, living in 1844 in Ireland, had CHILDREN: *William* (see No. 1459a above); *a daughter*, living with Dr. Strawbridge (no relation) in ———, Pa.?: *Jane*, m. July 14, 1833, Rev. Thomas McKeown of Philadelphia, Pa.; *James*; *Andrew*, came to Philadelphia in 1858, now resides in Springboro, Ohio; *George*; *Martha Jane*.

† Thus in this family can be found three spellings of the family name.

## TROWBRIDGES OF RECENT ENGLISH DESCENT

**1460.** WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (*son of William* (see footnote below, No. vi)), born ———, 1829, in London, England; died May 13, 1892, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; married ———, 18—, in London, Clara Gordon Hall, born ———, 1827, in London; died December 2, 1895, in Brooklyn.

William Trowbridge was employed under his father in the Imperial Gas Works in London until 1868, when he emigrated to the United States. He settled in Greenpoint, Brooklyn, and lived there the rest of his life. He was a steam fitter.

### CHILD BORN IN LONDON, ENGLAND:

- i. THOMAS, b. Jan. 23, 1865; resides in Brooklyn, N. Y., and is a member of the firm of Armstrong & Co., producers of apple cider and vinegar.

**1461.** GEORGE TROWBRIDGE (*son of Elias* (see footnote, No. viii, end)), born June 14, 1844, in Donhead, St. Mary's, Wiltshire, England; resides in Salt Lake City, Utah; married August 19, 1872, in Salt Lake City, Sarah Eliza Coshell, daughter of Robert and Mary Ann (Giles) Coshell, born September 16, 1848, in London.

George Trowbridge emigrated when a young man to the United States. He settled in Salt Lake City, Utah, where he married and has since resided, except for an occasional visit to his old home in England. He learned the trade of a bricklayer, and is now a contractor.

### CHILDREN BORN IN SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH:

- i. GEORGE ROBERT, b. June 8, 1873; m. Apr. 28, 1897, Emma Briggs; is a bricklayer in Salt Lake City.
- ii. JAMES ELIAS, b. Sept. 3, 1874; m. Nov. 11, 1896, Edith Sargent; is a bricklayer in Salt Lake City.
- iii. CLARA, b. Apr. 22, 1876.
- iv. MARONI COSHELL, b. Jan. 11, 1878; d. Jan. 12, 1898.
- v. ALFRED COSHELL, b. Aug. 23, 1880; d. Sept. 3, 1881.

WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE (d. aged 122) and his wife, Sarah (d. aged 114) of Wiltshire, England, had:

### CHILDREN:\*

- i. LUCY, b. May 23, 1782.
- ii. JOHN, b. Mar. 6, 1784.
- iii. MARY, b. Oct. 8, 1785.
- iv. ANN, b. Apr. 11, 1787.
- v. THOMAS, b. Jan. 15, 1791.
- vi. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 20, 1792; employed for many years as foreman at the Imperial Gas Works, London.†
- vii. MARIA, b. Sept. 8, 1794.
- viii. ELIAS, b. Mar. 27, 1796; d. Aug. 27, 1855, in Five Ways, Ludwell, near Salisbury, Wiltshire, England; m. ———, 1828, in St. George's, Hanover Square, London. Rebecca Read, b. Mar. 5, 1803; d. May 9, 1881, in Five Ways. CHILDREN (born in Donhead, St. Mary's, Wiltshire): *Elias*, b. Mar. 8, 1829, resides near Reading, Berks.; *Ann Butt*, b. Oct. 8, 1832; m. T. Chivral and resides in London; *James*, b. Sept. 10, 1834, resides in Five Ways (above); *Rebecca*, b. Feb. 27, 1840; d. July —, 1869; *Sarah*, b. June 25, 1842; *George*, b. June 14, 1844.‡
- ix. MARY BUTT, b. June 17, 1798; m. Adam Sanger.
- x. GEORGE, b. Apr. 7, 1800.

\* Records furnished by Mr. George Trowbridge of Salt Lake City, Utah.

† See No. 1460.

‡ See No. 1461.

- vi. REBECCA, b. Aug. 2, 1882.
- vii. ALICE CAROLINE, b. Aug. 16, 1884.
- viii. CHARLOTTE ANN, b. Aug. 25, 1886.
- ix. LUCY PHEBE, b. Aug. 11, 1888.
- x. SOPHIA HANNAH, b. Nov. 27, 1890.

**1462.** WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE, born ———, 1——, in Wiltshire, England; died ———, 1854, in Campbell, Mich.; married ———, 18——, in ———, England, ———, who died ———, 1856, in Campbell.

William Trowbridge with his wife and four sons emigrated from England in the spring of 1846 to Canada West and settled in Tilbury township. Two years later they removed to Ionia county, Mich., and settled on farms in the present village of Campbell, near the town of Clarkville.

## CHILDREN BORN IN WILTSHIRE, ENGLAND:\*

- i. WILLIAM, b. ———, 1825.†
- 1463. ii. ELIJAH, b. July 11, 1827.
- iii. ELISHA, b. ———, 1829; is a farmer in Campbell, Mich.‡
- iv. JAMES, b. ———, 183—; is a farmer in Campbell.§
- v. MARY, b. ———, 183-?; m. ——— Mifflin and lived in Canada. Three other daughters remained in England.

**1463.** ELIJAH TROWBRIDGE (*William*<sup>1462</sup>), born July 11, 1827, in Wiltshire, England; died November 6, 1890, in Spokane, Wash.; married ———, 1851, in Canada, Secelena Oliver, daughter of Charles and Christa (Goodfellow) Oliver, born December 29, 1827, in Wiltshire; died November 3, 1901, in Spokane.

Elijah Trowbridge lived in Ionia county, Mich., until 1886, when he removed to Spokane, Wash.

## CHILDREN BORN IN IONIA COUNTY, MICH.:

- 1464. i. CHARLES OLIVER, b. Oct. 16, 1852.
- ii. MARTHA C., b. Nov. 9, 1853.
- iii. MARY ANN, b. May 12, 1855.
- iv. PRAXEL KEMP, b. June 14, 1857.
- v. REUBEN ELIJAH, b. July 25, 1859.
- vi. JOHN L., b. June 15, 1862.
- vii. GEORGE F., b. Nov. 26, 1863.
- viii. MELVIN G., b. Sept. 1, 1868.

**1464.** CHARLES OLIVER TROWBRIDGE (*Elijah*<sup>1463</sup>, *William*<sup>1462</sup>), born October 16, 1852, in Sheparay township, Ionia county, Mich.; resides in Spokane, Wash.; married October 9, 1879, in Fox Lake, Wis., Susan Elizabeth Devolve, daughter of George and Mary Ann (Sutz) Devolve, born April 2, 1855, in ———, Pa.

Charles O. Trowbridge is a millwright and mill builder and superintendent construction work. His office is in Spokane, Wash., where he resides.

## CHILDREN:

- i. CHARLES ERNEST, b. June 29, 1880, in Campbell, Mich.
- ii. RALPH EDWARD, b. Sept. 10, 1893, in Spokane, Wash.

\* Order of births uncertain. Family records sent by No. 1464.

† He came with his wife and two children with his father to Canada and Michigan. His children were: *Secelena* and *Albert*. The latter was in a Michigan regiment in the Civil War and was last heard of in the battle of Pittsburg Landing.

‡ Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

§ He is supposed to be the James Trowbridge who enlisted from Ionia county in the Civil War in Company C, 3d Michigan Infantry, and was mustered out September 25, 1866.

1465. GEORGE TROWBRIDGE (*son of Henry\**), born April 12, 1841, in Blandford, Dorset, England; resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.; married June 4, 1874, in New York City, Susan Hazzard, daughter of Edward and Jane (Dundas) Hazzard, born June 20, 1846, in Tulley, Feranama, Ireland.

George Trowbridge enlisted in Pool, Dorset, October 12, 1858, in the 2d Brigade, 14th Regiment, and served through the New Zealand campaign 1861-6, and received a service medal. After taking his discharge, he emigrated to the United States and settled in Brooklyn, N. Y.

## CHILDREN BORN IN BROOKLYN, N. Y.:

- i. GEORGE WESLEY, b. Aug. 9, 1875; m. May 22, 1895, in Brooklyn, Sarah Teller and resides in Brooklyn.
- ii. EDWARD HAZZARD, b. Feb. 8, 1877; d. Mar. 12, 1885.
- iii. HENRY JOHN, b. Sept. 28, 1880; resides in Brooklyn.
- iv. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 29, 1882; d. July 4, 1883.

1466. JAMES TROWBRIDGE, born ———, 1840, in England;† died ———, 18—, in ———; married September 19, 1864, in Danbury, Conn., Mariette Frances Buckley, daughter of Stephen E. and Harriet (Rockwell) Buckley, born January 24, 1846, in Bridgeport, Conn. She resides in Danbury.

James Trowbridge emigrated to the United States and was living in New Haven, Conn., early in the period of the Civil War. He enlisted there November 25, 1862, as bugler of Company E, 1st Connecticut Cavalry. He was admitted to the hospital July 26, 1864. He returned to his regiment on December 29 and served to the end of the war. He then came back to his home in Danbury, Conn., but in the summer of 1865 he left there, and was never heard from again.

## CHILD BORN IN DANBURY, CONN.:

- i. HATTIE ESTELLA, b. June 6, 1865; resides in Danbury; unm.

1467. THOMAS TROWBRIDGE,‡ born about 1822, in Donhead, St. Mary's, Wiltshire, England; died October 15, 1885, in Lexington, Ky.; married September —, 1855, in Hairfield, Middlesex, England, Annie Platt, daughter of James and Phoebe (Perkins) Platt, born July 18, 1832, in Flowers Farm, Herts., England; died March 10, 1903, in Lexington.

Thomas Trowbridge was a member of the police force in England. In the spring of 1871 he came from Hounslow, England, to the United States with his wife and six children and settled in Lexington, Ky.

## CHILDREN BORN IN HOUNSLOW, MIDDLESEX, ENGLAND:§

- i. EMMA, b. Feb. 19, 1858; m. Feb. 21, 1877, Charles E. Wilson and resides near Lexington, Ky.
- ii. ANNIE, b. Sept. 29, 1861; m. Sept. 20, 1882, Thomas Aubrey and resides in Paris, Ky.
- iii. THOMAS ARTHUR, b. Aug. 13, 1863; is proprietor of a stove, tinware, roofing, etc., business in Lexington; unm.

\* HENRY TROWBRIDGE (son of Christopher of Oxford, Dorsetshire, and brother of George, James and Charles), b. about Dec., 1800, in Phipin, Oxford, Dorset; d. ———, 1869, in Blandford, Dorset; m. in Blandford, Mary Hannam, daughter of Robert and Hannah Hannam, b. about 1803 in Blandford; d. ———, 1870, in Blandford. CHILDREN (born in Blandford): *Richard*, b. 1833, enlisted 1851 in the 95th Regiment, served through the Crimean War and the Indian Mutiny and was discharged May 6, 1861; m. May 15, 1861, in Dublin, Ireland, Mary Gaven; went to Winchester, England, where he joined the police force; *Henry*, b. 1835, enlisted 1857 in 7th Fusiliers; d. of dysentery Sept. 13, 1865, in Quebec, Canada; *Mary*, b. 1838; m. Sampson Bright of Blandford; *George* (see No. 1465), b. Apr. 12, 1841; *Mary Jane*, b. 1843; m. 1866, Enos Seviour of Blandford.

† By his marriage record in Danbury, Conn.

‡ Son of JESSE TROWBRIDGE of Wiltshire, England, who m. ——— Turner and had, besides No. 1467, CHILDREN: *James* of the Royal Guards; *Charles*; *George*; *John*; *Alfred*; *Jane*.

§ Except vii, who was born in Lexington, Ky.



- iv. MARTHA, b. Feb. 3, 1865; m. Oct. 19, 1882, Charles C. Gribbin and resides in Lexington.
- v. JAMES, b. Dec. 13, 1867; is a blacksmith in Paris; unm.
- vi. EDWARD, b. Feb. 17, 1871; d. Oct. 28, 1871.
- vii. FLORENCE SELINA, b. Dec. 29, 1875; resides in Lexington; unm.

**1468.** HENRY TROWBRIDGE, born ———, 184—, in ———, England; died ———, 18—, in ———; married ———, 1870, in London?, England, Clara Clark, who died ———, 1881, in London.

CHILDREN BORN IN LONDON, ENGLAND:\*

- i. ANNIE CLARA, b. Mar. 7, 1871; m. Charles L. Thomas and resides in Bristol, Conn.
- ii. GEORGE HENRY, b. Mar. 7, 1873; is a tower operator for the Rock Island Railway Company in Chicago, Ill.
- iii. WILLIAM, b. ———, 1879.

**1469.** CAPT. HENRY TROWBRIDGE,† born May 29, 1865, in Bourton, Dorset, England; resides in Gloucester, Mass.; married October 28, 1897, in Grand Bank, Fortune Bay, Newfoundland, Jessie Green, daughter of George and Mary Amelia (Hickman) Green, born March 11, 1876, in Grand Bank.

Henry Trowbridge was taken back to England after his mother's death, and lived with her mother, Mrs. Maria Penny. He is engaged in the fisheries off Grand Bank, Newfoundland.

**1470.** ALEXANDER H. TROWBRIDGE,‡ a native of Canada, is clerk of the U. S. District Court in Boston, Mass.; married Mary Jane Deering, daughter of Frank Deering, who died February 25, 1891, in Worcester, Mass.

CHILD BORN IN NEWTON, MASS.:

- i. LAURA, b. Aug. 3, 1882.

\* They were sent to the McPherson family in Stratford, Ontario, Canada, after their mother's death.

† Son of WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE who m. Sarah Penny. She was b. in Bourton, Dorset, England. She m., 2d, ——— Carter, and d. in New Orleans, La.

‡ He has a brother RANSOM M. TROWBRIDGE, a newspaper man, residing recently in Worcester, Mass. They failed to answer the compiler's letters.

## MISCELLANEOUS TROWBRIDGE RECORDS

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MARY TROWBRIDGE (died 1669) married John Collins of Branford and Guilford, Conn. [Talcott Ms. in the library of the New Haven Colony Historical Society, New Haven, Conn.] The compiler could not connect her with the family of Thomas Trowbridge No. 1.

The name JOHN STRABRIDG\* appears on the roll of Capt. William Turner's company, from April 7, 1676, which was stationed at the garrison at Hadley, September 23, 1676, during King Philip's War. There is no evidence that he took part in the Falls Fight.† No later record of him has been found. Was this not John *Stockbridge* who "swore fidelity" at Haverhill in 1677?

"Newton, Mass., Vital Records," recently published, mentions the deaths of two Trowbridges: "M. S., December 28, 1701-2, aged 28," and "P., October 23, 1713, aged about 60." The compiler thinks there could have been no Trowbridges of those initials, unless possibly the former was the first wife of No. 1001.

"THOMAS TROWBRIDGE died on board the sloop *Seaflower*, from Ireland to Boston, Mass., in February, 1741." [Boston Record Commissioners' Reports, Vol. 15, p. 328.]

"The Winchell Family History" states that, ——— TROWBRIDGE of Nine Partners, N. Y., married ——— daughter of Robert and Lydia (Hurlburt) Wiachell. An examination of the wills of Robert (dated December 11, 1758) and Lydia (dated June 20, 1773) Winchell of North East, N. Y., shows that there was one daughter, Anna, the fourth of seven children named in her father's will, and the only unmarried daughter in her mother's will, who might have married a Trowbridge. Her father was born in 1705, and she must have been born prior to 1750, perhaps nearer 1740. Eli (No. 185) had a brother, Seeley, who lived in Nine Partners. The compiler could not connect her with any Trowbridge.

BETSEY TROWBRIDGE married December 24, 1801, Elisha Bill of Windham, Conn., and died April 22, 1843, aged 70. ["Bill Genealogy," p. 250.]

JOHN TROWBRIDGE married January —, 1818, Martha Phelps, daughter of David and Mary (Sperry) Phelps, born March 26, 1792, in Cambridge, Washington county, N. Y. She was then living in Brantford, Ontario, Canada. Her brother Beriah Phelps, of Brantford, married Lydia Robinson (born 1813), daughter of Daniel and Martha (Trowbridge) Robinson of Genesee county, N. Y. ["Phelps Genealogy."] Perhaps this John was a son of No. 171.

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\* Strowbridge in "Massachusetts Archives," vol. 68, p. 212, and "New England Historical Genealogical Register," vol. 41, p. 79.

† "Soldiers in King Philip's War," pp. 240, 361.

CHARLES TROWBRIDGE (died January 25, 1849,) married Mary Phelps, daughter of Elisha\* and Ancesta Elizabeth (Vanderlip) Phelps, born March 8, 1829, in Brantford. ["Phelps Genealogy."]

DANIEL H. TROWBRIDGE of ———, N. Y., had a daughter, *Lucy*, married, 1842, Lorenzo Dow Ayres of Genesee, N. Y. ["Ayres Genealogy."] Can this Daniel be No. 164 or No. 272?

MARY LOUISA TROWBRIDGE married December 25, 1844, Barton B. Wilkinson (born 1802). He was in Aurora, Ill., in 1869, but was unknown there in 1899.

———— TROWBRIDGE married Sally Cook, who was a sister of Silas Cook of Lansingburgh, N. Y., whose will was proved 1821 [Rensselaer County Surrogate Records], George Cook and ———, wife of Fitch Skinner.

J———— TROWBRIDGE married ———, 18 [21?], Irene Noxon, daughter of B. Davis and Sally Ann (Van Kleeck) Noxon. She married, second, ——— Lake. ["Van Kleeck Genealogy."]

CLINTON TROWBRIDGE married Catharine Ann Newcomer and had a daughter: *Ellen*, married 1877, Robert Henry Chase of Williamsport, Pa.†

MARY ANN TROWBRIDGE, a widow, died August 13, 1888, in Norwich, N. Y. Her will, dated April 26, 1887, with codicil, dated August 3, 1888, mentions, son *William H. Trowbridge* of Middletown, N. Y.† [Chenango county, N. Y., Surrogate Records.]

JAMES TROWBRIDGE, born in Massachusetts, died May 29, 1824, in New York City, aged 27 years. [New York City Vital Records.]

"JANE TROWBRIDGE of Litchfield, Conn., married, first, July 12, 1861, Edwin Banks Alvord of Torrington, Conn. She married, second, a New York man." [Letter from Mr. E. J. Steele of Torrington to Mr. S. M. Alvord of Hartford, Conn., who is compiling an Alvord genealogy.] The compiler could not find any reference to her in Litchfield records or in the family records of descendants of No. 145.‡

\* A brother of Martha Phelps of the last paragraph of preceding page. Were they related to No. 1438?

† This family failed to answer the compiler's letters.

‡ It may be that William Trowbridge, No. 215, i, page 186, was married and that she was his daughter.

The following Trowbridges who served in the Civil War the compiler was unable to trace:\*

GEORGE M. TROWBRIDGE† resides in Tomah, Wis.‡ He was a soldier in the Civil War. He enlisted January 4, 1864, in Company D, 25th Wisconsin Infantry, was transferred to Company D, 12th Wisconsin Infantry, June 2, 1865, and was mustered out July 16, 1865. He married Polly O. Bigelow, daughter of Joseph and Catherine (Chillott) Bigelow, born March 17, 1835, in Crown Point, Wis.

## CHILD:

- i. IDA, m. ——— Webster and resides in Tomah, Wis.‡ ["Bigelow Genealogy."]

GEORGE TROWBRIDGE, Bear Valley, Cal., enlisted December 11, 1864, in Company H, 7th California Infantry, and was mustered out March 1, 1866. He drew a pension and died in 1895. No other claim on file at the U. S. Pension Office.

DAVID A. TROWBRIDGE, St. Louis, Mo., enlisted September 1, 1861, for three years, was appointed corporal of Company L, 5th Illinois Cavalry, and was discharged for disability November 17, 1863. Recruit for U. S. army November —, 1864. Was he No. 650, i, page 372?

EDWIN TROWBRIDGE, Hillsdale, Mich., enlisted August 4, 1861, for three years, was appointed sergeant of Company F, 42d Illinois Infantry, and was discharged for disability, as a private, January 13, 1862.

HENRY H. TROWBRIDGE, Belvidere, Ill., enlisted May 6, 1864, for 100 days in Company C, 142d Illinois Infantry, and was mustered out October 26, 1864. He re-enlisted at Rockton, Ill., February 1, 1865, for one year, and was mustered out September 21, 1865. He is a pensioner and resides in Idaho Falls, Idaho.‡

JAMES TROWBRIDGE, Sheffield, Ill., enlisted September 1, 1862, for three years in Company C, 66th Illinois Infantry, and was mustered out June 20, 1865. He is a pensioner and resides in Brewster, Neb. Is he No. 650, iv, page 372?‡

GEORGE TROWBRIDGE, Floyd county, Ind., enlisted for six months, mustered August 12, 1863, in Company E, 117th Indiana Infantry, and was mustered out in Company F, February 25, 1864.

SAMUEL TROWBRIDGE, Clarksville, Iowa, aged 18, born in Indiana [about 1843], enlisted May 20, 1861, in Company I, 3d Iowa Infantry, wounded slightly on the left hand at Blue Hills, and was mustered out September 17, 1861. He is a pensioner and resides in Kenilworth, D. C.‡

WILLIAM H. TROWBRIDGE, Kent county (Grand Rapids?), Mich., enlisted in Company I, 10th Michigan Cavalry, mustered out August 28, 1865.

\* Some of the following Trowbridges may have been Strowbridges or may have assumed the name of Trowbridge. Data taken from official state rosters.

† He is said to have had an uncle THOMAS TROWBRIDGE, who went from Port Henry, Essex county, N. Y., to Iowa, and had five children.

‡ Failed to answer the compiler's letter.

BYRON TROWBRIDGE, aged 18 [born about 1844], enlisted for three years, enrolled at Oswego, N. Y., September 13, 1861, in Company C, 81st New York Infantry.

B. TROWBRIDGE, aged 18 [born about 1844], enlisted for three years, enrolled at Fort Ann, N. Y., August 9, 1862, in Company D, 123d New York Infantry.

JAMES TROWBRIDGE, aged 26 [born about 1836], enlisted for three years, enrolled August 12, 1862, in Company B, 122d New York Infantry. His widow, Mrs. Charity Trowbridge, is a pensioner and resides in Baldwinsville, N. Y.\*

CYRENUS TROWBRIDGE,† aged 35 [born about 1826], enlisted for three years and enrolled September 10, 1861, Worthington, Ohio, was a musician in Company D, 46th Ohio Infantry, and was discharged for disability June 26, 1862.

CYRENUS TROWBRIDGE, aged 39 [born about 1823], enlisted for three years September 16, 1862, in Company K, 58th Ohio Infantry, and was discharged for disability March 1, 1864.

CYRENUS TROWBRIDGE, aged 30 [misprint?], enlisted for three years March 18, 1864, was a private in Company G, 13th Ohio Cavalry, and was discharged for disability September 23, 1864.

CYRENUS TROWBRIDGE, aged 42 [born about 1823], enlisted for one year January 17, 1865, in Company D, 188th Ohio Infantry, and was mustered out June 17, 1865. The U. S. Pension Office wrote the compiler, "alleged widow of above soldier remarried." She is Mrs. Elizabeth Wycoff and resides in Unionville Center, Ohio.\*

HENRY H. TROWBRIDGE, aged 18 [born about 1843], enlisted April 20, 1861, for three months in Company G, 15th Ohio Infantry, organized at Upper Sandusky, Ohio. He re-enlisted September 27, 1861, in Company H, 55th Ohio Infantry, organized at Norwalk, Ohio. He died of disease July 30, 1862, in the hospital in Baltimore, Md., and was buried in Loudon Park cemetery.

JAMES W. TROWBRIDGE, aged 34 [born about 1830], enlisted May 2, 1864, for 100 days in Company E, 153d Ohio Infantry, made up of the militia of Clearmont and Clarke counties, and was mustered out September 9, 1864. His widow, Sarah J. Trowbridge, was a pensioner and died in May, 1906, in Williamstown, Ohio.\*

WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE, aged 21 [born about 1842], enlisted October 16, 1863, for three years in Company K, 12th Ohio Cavalry, mustered at Cleveland, Ohio, and was mustered out August 2, 1865. He is a pensioner and resides in the National Military Home, Montgomery county, Ohio.\*

ALBERT V. TROWBRIDGE, aged 29 [born about 1832], Sharon, Vt., enlisted December 9, 1861, for three years in Company H, 7th Vermont Infantry, and died of disease August 6, 1862, in Baton Rouge, La. His mother, Mrs. Lydia C. Trowbridge, was a pensioner, resided in Sharon, Vt., and died there in December, 1884.

\* Failed to answer the compiler's letters.

† Not No. 440, page 291.

## TROWBRIDGES OF GERMAN DESCENT

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The German families of Trobrits, Trobritz, Trobitsch and Trobitz in the United States are beginning to change the spelling of their name to TROBRIDGE and TROWBRIDGE. Among those who have done so are:

Mrs. MINNIE E. TROWBRIDGE of Chicago, Ill., the widow of the late Oswald Trobitsch, and their children.

## ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS

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A few additional records and corrections were received just as these pages were being sent to the bindery.

CALEB TROWBRIDGE, No. 66, page 102, died March 27, 1908, at the home of his son in San Mateo county, Cal., just outside the city of San Francisco.

MRS. KATHERINE V. (SHIELDS) TROWBRIDGE, wife of No. 94, page 119, was born in Middle Haddam, Conn.

WILLIAM TROWBRIDGE, No. 125, page 138, may have lived in Hubbardton, Vt., just previous to his removal to New York.

DANIEL TROWBRIDGE, No. 257, page 205, is said by his granddaughter, No. 469, vii, to have married, first, Lucretia Darling, who was the mother of his two oldest children. This does not agree with the family record sent by Daniel's sister which has been printed on an earlier page.

MRS. EMILY A. (MCCLLOUD) TROWBRIDGE, No. 501, page 317, was the daughter of Charles and Harriet (Wilson) McCloud.

MR. AND MRS. MARVIN W. BLACKMER, No. 560, v, page 337, were married October 30, 1899.

WILLIAM E. S. TROWBRIDGE, No. 626, page 363, died June 16, 1908, in Downers Grove, Ill.

WILLIAM L. TROWBRIDGE, No. 663, iii, page 377, is a clerk in the office of the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley Railroad Company in Vicksburg, Miss. He married November 27, 1907, in Vicksburg, Annie Henry May, daughter of Arthur Hicks and Martha Elizabeth (Henry) May, born February 25, 1884, in Martin, Miss.

JOHN P. TROWBRIDGE, No. 762, page 421, died July 13, 1908, in Jersey City, N. J.

MRS. MINNIE L. (HACKETT) TROWBRIDGE, No. 800a, page 435, was born in New York City and the maiden name of her mother was Laura Jane Hall.

CARRIE E. TROWBRIDGE, No. 980, ii, page 495, married July 6, 1908, William David Wendel and resides in New Haven, Conn.

The maiden name of the first wife of No. 1105, page 580, in a late letter from her son is corrected from Louisa Hollister to Almyra McColister.

NANNIE B. TROWBRIDGE, No. 1166, v, page 609, married September 19, 1908, Prof. James William Toumey and resides in New Haven, Conn.





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