

## FIFTH GENERATION.

"How loved, how honored once, avails thee not;  
To whom related or by whom begot;  
A heap of dust alone remains of thee;  
'Tis all thou art, and all the proud shall be."—POPE.

117. RUTH CUTLER THOMAS<sup>5</sup> (dau. of Orsamus,<sup>4</sup> Dr. William,<sup>3</sup> Amos,<sup>2</sup> William<sup>1</sup>) was b. in Provincetown Dec. 17, 1804; m. June 15, 1823, to William Allerton, b. in Birmingham, Eng., June 8, 1801. He d. at Gloucester, Mass., April 13, 1880. She d. at Gloucester Sept. 4, 1874.

They had twelve children, all born in Provincetown:—

- 310. CAROLINE ALLESTON, b. Nov. 7, 1824; d., unm., 1844.
- 311. ORSAMUS THOMAS ALLESTON, b. Aug. 17, 1825. He m. 1st Louisa L. Perham July 17, 1863; she d. Feb. 15, 1867. He m. 2d Louisa Wanson, still living. He d. at Gloucester in the fall of 1868. He had two children; nfr.
- 312. HELEN ALLESTON, b. Oct. 6, 1828; m. David Sanford Hopkins, of Orleans, Mass., where she now lives; has four children; nfr.
- 313. ABBIE BEALS ALLESTON, b. Dec. 4, 1830; m. Joseph M. Caton Nov. 24, 1823; his parents were b. in Lisbon, Portugal; both now living in Provincetown; had one child; nfr.
- 314. RUTH HINGCLEY ALLESTON, b. Aug. 20, 1833; d. Dec. 12, 1841.
- 315. ELIZABETH SCOTT ALLESTON, b. June 25, 1836; m. Benjamin Wanson; she d. —; had five or six children; nfr.
- 316. WILLIAM JAMES ALLESTON, b. July 10, 1838; d. Nov. 12, 1838.
- 317. CAROLINE ALLESTON (twin), b. same date; d. Dec. 1, 1838.
- 318. MARY CAROLINE ALLESTON, b. June 20, 1839; m. at Beverly, Mass., to Addison Allen; she d. at Gloucester.
- 319. WILLIAM ALLESTON, b. April 26, 1842; d. Jan. 4, 1845.
- 320. RUTH ALLESTON, b. Feb. 14, 1845; m. George Douglass Sept. 10, 1872; she d. at Gloucester April 10, 1887; had three children; nfr.
- 321. WILLIAM ALLESTON, b. July 27, 1848; d. Aug. 14, 1849.

119. ABIGAIL BEALS THOMAS<sup>5</sup> (dau. of Orsamus,<sup>4</sup> Dr. William,<sup>3</sup> Amos,<sup>2</sup> William<sup>1</sup>) was b. in Provincetown, Mass., May 28, 1809. After the death of her father, Nov. 22, 1822, she, with her sister, Pauline, was adopted