

In 1877 he removed to Amherst, Mass., where he engaged in the dry-goods business; in the spring of 1887 he removed to Milford, Mass., where he is doing business under the firm name of Thomas & Woolcott, continuing his business at the same time in Amherst. He was a member of the First Congregational Church in Amherst and, at the time of his removal to Milford, was one of the deacons of that church. March 29, 1865, he m. Miss Lucy A. Parkhurst, of Templeton, Mass., dau. of Paul K. and Almira J. Parkhurst.

They have had three children :—

629. HERBERT EDWIN THOMAS, b. April 13, 1872; d. Dec. 6, 1874.

630. GRACE THOMAS, b. Dec. 6, 1875.

631. HARRY P. THOMAS, b. March 4, 1878.

284. DANIEL RUGGLES⁵ (son of Lucinda [Thomas] Ruggles,⁴ Daniel,³ Amos,² William¹) was b. March 9, 1800; m. Sarah Mayo, of Hampden, Me.; d. Sept., 1862.

He had three children :—

632. SARAH B. RUGGLES, d. in infancy.

633. MARY L. RUGGLES, b. Dec. 2, 1827, in Carmel, Me.; m. J. G. Croxford Jan. 1, 1849, and had issue.

634. SARAH D. RUGGLES, d. young.

285. LUCINDA RUGGLES⁵ (dau. of Lucinda [Thomas] Ruggles,⁴ Daniel,³ Amos,² William¹) was b. in Carmel, Me.; m. 1st Enoch Mayo, 2d John Gillison, of Orano, Me., by whom she had one child.

She had by her first husband nine children, three of whom died in infancy :—

635. ENOCH MAYO.

636. DANIEL T. MAYO.

637. LUCINDA A. MAYO.

638. MELINDA MAYO.

639. GEORGE A. MAYO.

640. ALMIRA MAYO.

By second husband :

641. KATE GILLISON.