

present Court House stands. In 1749 his name appears in the list of polls at Northampton, residence on Main St. In 1755 he received for services as sexton 3£ 13s 4d. He also held the office of constable in 1753.

Dec. 20, 1743, John Alvord conveys to his son Saul Alvord a certain parcel of land.

Nov. 20, 1751, Saul Alvord received of his father, John Alvord a deed of land in Hadley Precinct.

"Apr. 17, 1754, Saul Alvord of Northampton, saddler, for fifty pounds" conveyed "to Gideon Alvord land in South Hadley, called the Fall Wood Field; bounded northerly by sd Gideon Alvord's own land, westward by the Great River, etc. Another piece, bounded southward by John Alvord, Jun.; westward by a highway, etc."

"Mar. 17, 1759, Saul Alvord of Northampton, Yeoman," conveyed, "to Lient. Elisha Strong one third part and three acres over and more than one third part of the whole of the original lot in that division of Comons called the first in Long Division which was originally laid and recorded to Thomas Alvord. Said lot is the eleventh lot in said division and is recorded to be eleven rods wide and is bounded northward by the tenth original lot laid out to Dea. Ebenezer Strong etc."

"June 17, 1760, Thomas White of South Hadley and Saul Alvord of Northampton, Mass. Executors of the will of John Alvord late of South Hadley, deceased, in consideration of 250 pounds" conveyed "unto Jonathan Baker of Ashford now South Hadley, the real estate of John Alvord containing one hundred and twenty acres with a house and barn, it being the farm on which the said John Alvord lately dwelt."

(This land is in what is now called South Hadley, on the Conn. River near the ferry.)

"Apr. 12, 1761, Saul Alvord of Northampton, in consideration of one hundred and sixty-three pounds, lawful money, paid by Elisha Alvord," conveyed "a certain small piece of land in Northampton situated near the Meeting House in said town, being in quantity about seventy-three rods, with the Dwelling House, Shop, and all the other buildings of every sort, standing thereon; the said piece of land lies circumscribed by the line as is herein after mentioned. That is to say; the first line begins at a young button wood tree standing in the corner of sd. Tract, and runs East forty-three degrees North four rods and one link from ye end of that line; the next line runs North ten degrees, thirty minutes East, nine rods and twenty-two links; and from the end of that line, etc., etc."

(This is the land that Elisha Alvord sold to sundry persons, upon which the court house now stands.)

In the year 1761, "Saul Alvord of Northampton" purchased land in Bolton, Conn. His first residence in Bolton was directly opposite the Bolton Center Cemetery. The following year he united with the church in Bolton, Conn., recommended from the church in North-