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DOOLITTLE FAMILY

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AMZI DOOLITTLE, JR.,  
At the age of 94.

# ABRAHAM DOOLITTLE,

AND SOME OF HIS DESCENDANTS.

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*Man is his own star; and the soul that can  
Render an honest and a perfect man  
Commands all light, all influence, all fate,  
Nothing to him falls early, or too late.  
Our acts our angels are, or good or ill,  
Our fatal shadows that walk by us still.*

—JOHN FLETCHER.



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## Abraham Doolittle and some of his Descendants.

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**T**HE origin of the name Doolittle is somewhat obscure. Bardsley in his *English Surnames* inclines to the opinion that it originated as a nick name, in common with many others after the advent of the Normans in England. W. A. Curtis, in an article in the *N. Y. Churchman*, holds that Doolittle is an Americanization of the good Huguenot French name *De l'Hotel*. There is no doubt however that the name has been one of long standing in England, although it is not often found in the history of that country. Hon. Mark Doolittle says in the *N. E. Gen. Reg.*, Vol. 6, p. 293, "That there were prominent Puritan divines (certainly one) flourishing at the time of the great emigration to New England, is well attested. One of the most remarkable men of this sect, was the Rev. Thomas Doolittle, who was a native of Kidderminster in Worcestershire, where he was born in 1630, and for whom the famous Richard Baxter, had a great regard and affection. After completing his college course at Pembroke Hall, in Cambridge, he became minister of Alphage, in London, and kept a private academy in Crophledge. He trained up several ministers of note also. After the Restoration, he became one of the ejected ministers by the act of uniformity. Ten years after, Charles II, licensed him to preach, which

license was long to be seen (perhaps to this day) in the vestry in Markwell St., where he used to preach. His curious kindred may be glad to learn this fact. Mr. Doolittle died in London, May 24, 1707, aged 77, and was the last of the ejected ministers in London. He was the author of twenty treatises, chiefly of a theological character." See Granger's Biographical Hist. Eng., Vol. 67—8. Rev. Thomas Doolittle was the third son of Anthony Doolittle, a grocer. I have a copy of his Treatise on the Lord's Supper, a small 24 mo. of 178 pages published in London. 1665. It contains a good portrait of the author by R. White.

Two brothers, John and Abraham Doolittle came from England to Boston as early as 1640 and perhaps earlier. John settled at Rumney Marsh, near Chelsea, where he was quite a prominent man, as will be seen from the following extracts from the Reports of the Record Commissioners of Boston. "14th., of 1 mo., 1652-3 att a generall Towne Meeting" there was chosen "for constable at Romly Marsh John Doelittell." See Report No. 2, p. 114.

"The 12th 1 mo., 1654-5, att a meeting this Day upon publique notis from house, was chosen John Dolittle and others to run the line betweene Lyn and Boston and Charlestown and Boston." See Report No. 2, p. 123.

"Mar. 9, 1662-3, att a publick meeting of all ye inhabitants upon lawful warnings from house to house, was chosen for the yeare ensueing John Doolittle surveyor of highway at Rumny Marsh." See Report No. 7, p. 14.

"18 of 1 mo., 1670-1, John Doelittle was chosen constable for Rumny Marsh." See Report No. 7, p. 59.

1674. In Rumny Marsh rate appears the name of John Doolittle. See Report No. 1, p. 59.

"Apr. 1680, John Dolittle was chosen Tythingeman at Rumny Marsh." See Report No. 7, p. 139.

"1681, John Flood for himself and the estate of Jno. Doolittle in Rumny Marsh rates." See Report No. 1, p. 76.

These extracts are introduced for the purpose of illustrat-

ing the methods of doing business in those times and for shewing the estimate of the man among his fellows.

John Doolittle died in 1681; he left no children, so willed his property to his wife Sybel, to whom he was married Oct. 30, 1674. She had been the widow of Miles Nutt, of Malden, and first of John Riddle. See Savage's Gen. Dict.

Abraham Doolittle whose descendants we trace is said to have been the ancestor of all who bear the name in America. As before stated he was an early emigrant to New England, going from Boston to New Haven about 1640, where he purchased or built a house. In 1644 he took the oath of fidelity, and was chosen sheriff of the county; he also served several times as deputy from New Haven. In 1668 he became interested with others in the new settlement of Wallingford, and in 1670, he was one of the committee to manage its affairs, being one of the first and most prominent settlers there. "He was a member of the vigilance committee in the time of King Philip's war, and his dwelling was fortified during this time by a picket fort, against any attack which might be made by the Indians."\* He served several years as one of the selectmen, and was chosen deputy to the General Court for the years 1679-83 and 84.

It seems that he was one of the most prominent men in the early settlement of Wallingford as well as a trusted citizen. At his death his estate was valued at £342. His descendants are numerous and may be found in nearly every section of the Union. Many bearing the name have attained to enviable positions, distinguished as physicians, lawyers, judges, divines and members of Congress, as well as patriots in the war of the Revolution and the late Rebellion.

ABRAHAM DOOLITTLE was born in England 1619, m. (1) Joan Allen, dau. of James Allen of Kempston, Co., Bedford, Eng.† (2) July 2, 1663, Abigail Moss, b. Apr. 10, 1642; d.

\*Vide History of Wallingford, Conn.

†Will of "James Allen of Kempston, in the county of Bedford, blacksmith, 7 January, 1656, proved 20 January, 1657. To my son Roger Allen, now living in New England, the full sum of thirty pounds and to his chil-

Nov. 5, 1710. (She was the dau. of John Moss, one of the original proprietors of New Haven, also of Wallingford and a prominent man in each. He died 1707 at the remarkable age of 103 years.) Abraham Doolittle d. in Wallingford, Aug. 11, 1690, aged 70. Children by first marriage:

- I. Sarah b. — ; m. 1673, William Abernathy of Wallingford. He d. 1718. They had two sons, William and Samuel.
- II. Abraham, b. Feb. 12, 1649; m. (1) Nov. 9, 1780, Mercy Holt, dau. of William of New Haven. She was born 1649. He m. (2) Feb. 12, 1689, Ruth Lothrop dau. of Sam-

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dren ten pounds to be equally divided amongst them within six months after my decease. To my daughter Joane the now wife of Abram Doolittle, living now also in New England, the full sum of ten pounds, and to her children ten pounds to be equally divided amongst them within six months after my decease. To my son William twelve pence and to his daughter Elizabeth ten shillings at the age of sixteen. To my daughter Martha Parkes five pounds and to each of her sons, Matthew and John, twenty shillings apiece. To my daughter Martha also one sap cupboard, one mattress, one pair of sheets, one green chair, one green stool, one barrell, one feather bed and one feather bolster, (the last two) in case my daughter Joane comes not to demand the same within two years. To Richard Parkes, husband unto Martha Parkes, half a crown. To my daughter Mary Warren's children, Mary, Rebecca and Margaret Warren and James Warren, three pounds apiece at sixteen years of age. To her other four sons, William, John, Thomas and Henry Warren, forty shillings apiece. To my son John Allen that messuage, house and out house, with the close adjoining, lying in Kempston Wooden, and one close called "nyne Leyes." And the remainder to my son John, whom I make executor, and I appoint my two trusty and well beloved friends John Amps of Kempstone and William Ridgeley of Newport Pagnell overseers, to each of whom twelve pence.

Witness: Edmund Allen, Luke Pickeringe, the mark of Sara Wilt. Wootton 36.

Roger Allen or Alling, of New Haven, is said to have married Mary, eldest daughter of Thomas Nash. Their son James, born it is said 24 June, 1657, was the third minister of Salisbury and married Elizabeth, daughter of the Rev. Seaborn Cotton, of Hampton.

Abram Doolittle was of New Haven and the father of a large family.  
Henry F. Waters."

Vide Genealogical Gleanings in England, in N. E. Gen. Reg. Vol. 46, p. 331.

- uel of New London; m. (3) June 5, 1695, Elizabeth Thorp, dau. of Samuel of New Haven. She d. in 1736 aged 60 years. He d. in Wallingford Nov. 10, 1732, aged 83 years.
- III. Elizabeth, b. Apr. 12, 1652; m. Dr. John Brockett. (?)
- IV. Mary, b. Feb. 22, 1654; d. young.
2. V. John, b. June 14, 1655.
- VI. Abigail, bapt. May 22, 1659; d. young.
- VII. Samuel, b. July 7, 1665; m. (1) Mary Strickland, m. (2) Eunice, and settled in Middletown, Conn.
- VIII. Capt. Joseph, b. Feb. 12, 1666; m. (1) Apr. 24, 1690, Sarah, dau. of Samuel and Sarah <sup>(Little)</sup> Brown. She was b. Aug. 8, 1672. He m. (2) Oct. 5, 1720, Elizabeth Holt. She d. June 3, 1768, aged 73 years. He d. May 15, 1733, aged 66 years. He resided in Wallingford where he was a captain and deputy sheriff in 1713-16.
- IX. Abigail, b. Feb. 26, 1668-9; d. 1690, ~~ann.~~
- X. Ebenezer, b. July 6, 1672, m. Apr. 6, 1697, Hannah, dau. of Samuel and Hannah Hall. She was b. March 11, 1673 and d. July 27, 1758. He settled in Cheshire and d. Dec. 6, 1711.
- XI. Mary, b. March 4, 1673; m. Jan., 1713 Solomon Goff.
- XII. Daniel, b. Dec. 29, 1675; m. Hannah dau. of John and Martha (Peck) Cornwell of Middletown. She was b. Sept 5, 1677, and d. Jan. 16, 1736. He settled in Wallingford, and d. 1755.
- XIII. Theophilus, b. July 28, 1678; m. Jan. 5, 1698, Thankful, dau. of David Hall. She d. June 2, 1715. He m. (2) Elizabeth

Howe. He died Mar. 26, 1740. He was ancestor of Theophilus who was the first settler in Burlington, Vt., in 1808.

2. JOHN DOOLITTLE<sup>2</sup>, (*Abraham*<sup>1</sup>), born in New Haven, June 14, 1655; m. (1) Feb. 13, 1682, Mary Peck. She was b. Mar. 4, 1666. She died before 1716. (She was the dau. of John Peck of Wallingford; her mother was Mary Moss, dau. of John Moss, one of the first proprietors of New Haven. Her grandfather was Wm. Peck, a merchant from London, b. in 1601, also one of the original proprietors of New Haven, who died at the age of 90 years.) All of her ancestors were prominent men. John Doolittle m. (2) Jan. 29, 1717, Grace Blakesley, probably widow of John, of New Haven. He settled in Wallingford. Date of his death not ascertained. Children:

I. Esther, b. Jan. 24, 1683.

II. Lieut. Samuel, b. Feb. 4, 1685; m. *Mary* ~~Mehitable~~ ———; m. (2) Jane ———. He settled in Palmer, Mass., in 1731, and died there July 17, 1736. The children of Samuel Doolittle were, Mary, b. June 16, 1712; Ephraim was of Worcester in 1757, Mindwell, b. June 15, 1715; Moses b. Oct. 18, 1732 in Palmer, a child probably by second marriage.

Davis in his history of Wallingford is in error when he says that Samuel Doolittle settled in Northfield and died there in 1736. In the Record of Deeds at Springfield, Mass., Vol. 4, p. 185, I find that Samuel Doolittle late of Hartford, Ct., bought a farm in the Elbows (now Palmer) Oct. 7, 1731 of Thomas Richardson. The name of Lieut. Samuel Doolittle occurs quite frequently in the town history of Palmer, from 1732 until his death. In 1732 he was one of the signers of a peti-

2 Samuel —  
one of the first settlers  
in Wallingford  
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tion to the General Court for redress. In 1733 he was appointed one of a committee to lay out necessary roads. In the same year he was one of a committee to build the first meeting house in Palmer. The following quaint notice of his death is found on the Palmer records. "Lieut. Samuel Doolittle Departed this Life on Saturday ye 17th Day of July, 1736, after a Short Illness of two or three days, and was Decently Inter'd on the Day following, after ye Afternoon Service, it being the Sacrament Day, a multitude of people Respectfully attended ye Funeral." I have an original deed given by his son Ephraim, of the farm, as he styles it, of his late honored father Samuel Doolittle, in Palmer; the farm was sold for £300, and the deed was dated July 1, 1757, and was signed by Ephraim and Sarah Doolittle. He was then of Worcester and was called gentleman in the deed. I am unable to gain further information concerning the descendants of Samuel Doolittle; with the exception of Ephraim, who I have no doubt is the subject of the following, found in Winsor's History of Boston Vol. 3, p. 107:

"It is probable that the earliest works raised after Lexington day were some breast-works thrown up across what is now the college yard (Harvard) and it is probable also that they were raised early in May by Colonel Ephraim Doolittle and his men, and, Drake says, Landmarks of Middlesex, p. 243, 'that they extended to the right as far as Holyoke Place.' Near

these breastworks and north of the college buildings was the house still standing, now belonging to Harvard University, which was occupied by Gen. Ward." Col. Ephraim Doolittle's autograph is given in connection with the above in Windsor's History and corresponds with the signature in my possession.

- III. Sarah, b. Feb. 16, 1686.
- IV. Susanna, b. Apr. 5, 1688; died young.
- 3. V. Benjamin, b. July 10, 1695.
- VI. Susanna, b. Feb. 4, 1706.
- VII. Eunice, b. May 30, 1707.
- VIII. John, b. Feb. 6, 1712; m. Hannah— .  
He died in Wallingford, Conn., in 1746-7.

3. REV. BENJAMIN DOOLITTLE<sup>3</sup>, (*John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>), was born in Wallingford, Ct., July 10, 1695, graduated at Yale, 1716, was the first settled minister in Northfield, Mass., in 1718, where he died in the ministry, Jan. 9, 1748-9. He m. Oct. 14, 1717, Lydia, dau. of Samuel and Mary (Bradley) Todd, and grand-daughter of Christopher Todd, one of the original proprietors of New Haven. Mary Bradley was dau. of William and Alice (Prichard) Bradley, b. Apr. 30, 1653. Her father and mother were the first settlers of New Haven.

The widow of Rev. Benjamin Doolittle m. (2) Oct. 26, 1763, Lieut. Jonathan Belding, (3) Nov. 1778, Japhet Chapin of Springfield;\* he d. 1786, and his widow returned to Northfield where she d. June 16, 1790, aged 92. "She appeared to be full of faith and good works." (Church Records.)

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\*The following, written by Miss Mary Montague of Granby, a great grand daughter of Mr. Chapin, is of interest. "At the date of this marriage, Mr. Chapin was 82 years old, and Mrs. Belding 80. Yet they were so strong that they rode on horseback from Chicopee to Northfield, forty miles, without weariness. She arrayed in a rich sky-blue camlet riding hood, made for the occasion, by his daughter Katherine. Parts of the garment are still in the possession of the writer." "It is said that she possessed great mental as well as physical ability, that she received an unusually refined culture, before her first marriage, and ever after had

Rev. Benjamin Doolittle from Wallingford, Ct., was invited to supply the pulpit in Northfield, Mass., in Nov. 1717, his preaching proving acceptable a call to settle there was extended to him which was accepted, and he was ordained over the newly organized church, probably Sept. 2, 1718. His settlement included a dwelling house, sixty acres of land and £100 in money, to be paid in installments in three years. His salary was fixed at £65 per annum for six years, and £75 thereafter, together with an ample supply of fire wood. Subsequently himself and widow received grants of land aggregating 855 acres. He came to Northfield when there were but thirty families in town, and when the community were often harassed by the French and Indian incursions. In 1724 his house and buildings were surrounded by a line of pickets as a defense. In 1744 a mount was raised as an additional defense for him at an expense of £18, 7s, 6d. This shows in what perilous times his lot was cast. From Temple and Shelden's Hist. of Northfield, p. 163 we learn that "Rev. Mr. Doolittle combined the two professions of theology and medicine. He was a regularly educated physician and surgeon, and was furnished with books and instruments, and kept a supply of drugs. His own townsmen and the inhabitants of the new settlements as they were made, above Northfield, and the garrisons at Fort Dummer, and the Ashuelots, and No. 4, depended on his services, and in the battles and skirmishes of the old French war, the wounded were brought to him for treatment. In

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the privilege of that class of society, calculated to increase it. My impression, from what I have heard through those who were well acquainted with her is that her moral and religious character were fully equal to her other attainments. She had been a school teacher before marriage, and in her old age, she devoted much of her time to the instruction of her numerous grandchildren, retaining her faculties to the last. Her death in her 92d year, was occasioned by a fall, while taking one of these children from a table upon which it had climbed."

After the death of Mr. Chapin, his widow returned to Northfield, where she was always known as "Madam Doolittle," and the notice of her death, June 19, 1790, on the church records is that of "Madam Doolittle."

his prime, his medical practice became so large and lucrative as to awaken some jealousy among his tax-paying parishioners."

Mr. Doolittle was a useful and successful man as pastor and surgeon, and living as he did in the midst of war alarms, his position must have been a trying one. He was a man of thought and decision and met promptly all difficulties. In the midst of his usefulness, his death came suddenly and without warning as will appear from the following account given in the *Boston Gazette and Weekly Journal* of Jan. 24, 1748-9. "We are informed that on Jan. the 9th instant, the Rev. Mr. Doolittle, pastor of the church in Northfield, was suddenly seized with a pain in his breast, as he was mending a fence in his yard, and died in a few minutes time, to the inexpressible grief of the town in general, as well as his own family in particular." Rev. Jonathan Ashly of Deerfield preached the funeral sermon from Mark xiii, 37 and Rev. iii, 3. This sermon was published, but contains nothing of note bearing upon the life and character of Mr. Doolittle, which is to be regretted. Mr. Doolittle published one of his sermons in 1743, which he called "An Enquiry into Enthusiasm, being an account of what it is, the Original, Progress and Effect of it." He also published in 1750, "A Short Narrative of the Mischief done by the French and Indian enemy, on the western frontiers of the Province of Massachusetts Bay," a pamphlet of 24 pages. This is a concise account of the events amidst which he lived and was an actor, and has formed the foundation on which has been constructed all succeeding accounts of these times. Mr. Drake in his *Particular History of the five years French and Indian War in New England*, pays a high tribute to his memory. "He was an author deserving the most honorable mention, yet almost entirely unknown, even in the section of country to which his work particularly relates, and the time has not yet arrived among the people there, in which a sense of their obligation has manifested itself in any way of which the world is aware, beyond a head and foot stone in a cemetery

at Northfield, with a commemorative inscription upon the former."

The inscription on the tombstone referred to above is as follows:

"In memory of the Rev. Mr. Benjamin Doolittle, First Pastor of the Church of Christ in Northfield, who died Jany. ye 9. 1748, in the 54th year of his age, and 30th year of his ministry.

Blessed with good intellectual parts,  
Well skilled in two important arts,  
Nobly he filled the double station,  
Both of a preacher and physician,  
To cure men's sicknesses and sins,  
He took unwearied care and pains,  
And strove to make his patient whole,  
Thorough in body and soul.  
He lov'd his God, lov'd to do good,  
To all his friends vast kindness show'd,  
Nor could his enemies exclaim,  
And say he was not kind to them.  
His labors met a sudden close,  
Now he enjoys a sweet repose.  
And when the just to life shall rise  
Among the first he'll mount the skies."

Children of Rev. Benjamin and Lydia Doolittle born in Northfield, Mass.

- I. Oliver b. Oct. 28, 1718; d. May 6, 1746.
4. II. Lydia, b. Aug. 24, 1720.
- III. Charles, b. July 31, 1722, enlisted in the expedition to Louisburgh under Capt. Alexander in 1745 and was never heard from again. In this connection the following is given as a curiosity. It was found by Mr. Geo. Sheldon and copied from an old account book used by John Stebbins of Deerfield, and published in the Gazette and Courier of Greenfield, June 28, 1890. "1743, May 23, Charles Doolittle to
 

a pare of shoas	0-20-0
To a pare of butts	3-5-0
1744, to a pare of shoas for yourself	1--1-0
to a bullet pouch	0-4-0

1744-5, Feb. 16, to a pare of shoas 1-2-0

1745, June, to a pare of shoas 1-2-0

1747, Lushus Doolittle (brother of Charles) to a pare of pumps and a pare of downs 3-3-0"

Charles Doolittle was a son of Parson Doolittle of Northfield and the above is probably the last trace of him. He was in the expedition against Louisburg which sailed soon after this date. His fate is unknown as he was never heard from.

5. IV. Eunice, b. July 24, 1724.
6. V. Susanna, b. June 13, 1726.
7. VI. Lucius, b. May 16, 1728.
8. VII. Chloe, b. May 4, 1730.
- VIII. Lucy, b. Feb. 27, 1731-2; d. young.
- IX. Thankful, b. Jan. 20, 1733-4; m. July 10, 1750, Oliver Willard, a soldier of Fort Dummer.
9. X. Amzi, b. Nov. 15, 1737.
10. XI. Lucy, b. July 15, 1741.
- XII. A son, d. young; date of birth or death unknown.

4. LYDIA DOOLITTLE<sup>4</sup>, (*Benjamin*<sup>3</sup>, *John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>.) b. Aug. 24, 1720; m. Lieut. John, son of Peter Evens, b. 1711; was of Hinsdale in 1753. He d. Feb. 23, 1781. She d. Apr. 2, 1806, aged 85. Children:

- I. Asher, major at Rockingham, Vt., m. 1779.
- II. Ethni.
- III. Ore.
- IV. Jeri, of Hartland, Vt., 1786.
- V. Asa, of Hartland, Vt., 1786.
- VI. Henry, settled in Guilford, Vt.
- VII. Eldad, b. Apr. 27, 1749; m. Betsey, settled in Hinsdale.
- VIII. Mindwell, b. Apr. 27, 1749.

IX. Medad, b. 1750, m. Mary who d. Mar. 8, 1833, aged 83. He d. Apr. 11, 1833.

X. Lydia, bapt. Nov. 16, 1757; m. 1778, Ebenezer Cooper.

XI. Urial, bapt. Sept. 23, 1753, m. Oct. 10, 1774, Lucinda Evans.

XII. John, bapt. June 29, 1755; d. young.

XIII. Elizi, bapt. July 2, 1758, of Hartland, 1768.

XIV. John, bapt. Nov. 2, 1760; m. Dec. 30, 1778, Rhoda Putnam.

XV. Phila, bapt. Dec. 12, 1762.

XVI. Selah, b. 1678; d. Oct. 11, 1792.

5. EUNICE DOOLITTLE<sup>4</sup>, (*Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*), b. July 24, 1724; m. Samuel Ashley, removed to Winchenden about 1754, lieut. 1764. Children:

I. Oliver, b. Oct. 20, 1743.

II. Tirza, b. Dec. 24, 1745.

III. Col. Samuel, b. Sept. 29, 1747; m. Lydia, dau. of Lucius Doolittle.

IV. Thankful, b. Nov. 10, 1749; m. Oct. 7, 1771, John Alexander.

6. SUSANNA DOOLITTLE<sup>4</sup>, (*Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*), b. June 13, 1726, m. Seth, son of Zacheriah Field, b. 1712; grad. Yale College, 1732, many years the leading man in Northfield, town treasurer and clerk for a long time, and school master for 40 years. He was fitted for college by Rev. Mr. Doolittle, served under Capt Kellogg, 1733 and took an active part in the defense of the frontier, during the French and Indian war, was captain in Col. Israel Williams' regiment, 1759. He d. May 3, 1792. She d. Nov. 15, 1787. Children:

I. George, b. Dec. 22, 1742; Serg. at surrender of Burgoyne, d. Jan. 22, 1803. He m. July 5, 1769, Martha, dau. of Samuel Smith.

II. Rufus, b. Nov. 22, 1744; m. Elizabeth, dau. of Moses Field.

- III. Katherine, b. May 29, 1746; d. Aug. 24, 1746.
  - IV. Katherine, b. Aug. 1, 1747; m. Sept. 23, 1767, Elijah Mattoon.
  - V. Sybel, b. Oct. 15, 1749; m. Aug. 5, 1768, Oliver Doolittle.
  - VI. Susanna, b. July 10, 1751; m. Mar. 18, 1771, Ashel Stebbins.
  - VII. Francis, b. June 23, 1753; d. Feb. 1, 1770.
  - VIII. Olive, b. Aug. 19, 1755; m. Cotton Dickinson.
  - IX. Rhoda, b. Oct. 21, 1757; m. Sylvanus Watriss.
  - X. Henry, b. Sept. 2, 1759; m. Feb. 3, 1783, Rhoda Stratton, who died Nov. 21, 1833. He was a soldier in 1779; d. Jan. 4, 1813.
7. LUCIUS DOOLITTLE<sup>4</sup>, (*Benjamin*<sup>3</sup>, *John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>.)  
 b. May 16, 1728; m. Sarah, dau of Dea. Samuel Smith. He was a soldier in the French and Indian war; kept a tavern at the north end of Northfield street. Children:
- I. Oliver, b. Dec. 3, 1746; m. Aug. 5, 1768, Sybel, dau. of Seth Field; he d. Apr. 29, 1827. She died Sept. 14, 1836, aged 86.
  - II. Charles, b. Sept. 4, 1748, physician; m. Aug. 2, 1747, Tabitha, dau. of Daniel Morton, (2) Editha Ruggles. Settled at Hardwick, Mass.
  - III. Benjamin, b. Nov. 6, 1751; d. Apr. 16, 1762.
  - IV. Lydia, b. Dec. 25, 1753; m. Aug. 9, 1770, Col. Samuel Ashly of Winchester.
  - V. Sarah, b. Dec. 25, 1756; d. Apr. 20, 1773.
  - VI. Lucius, b. Nov. 11, 1761, physician, m. Esther, dau. of Daniel Morton, settler in Hardwick.
  - VII. Benjamin, b. Jan. 12, 1764; m. Dec. 21, 1784, Editha dau. of Paul Field. Settled in Winchester.
  - VIII. Jesse, b. Feb. 2, 1766, settled in Lyndon, Vt.
  - IX. Calvin, b. July, 1768, shoemaker, Lyndon,

Vt., 1793; m. Oct. 23, 1791, Sarah Harvey,  
(2) wid. Mary (Larabee) Peabody.

X. Arastus, b. Aug. 10, 1771, landlord; d. Jan.  
27, 1830. He m. Patty, dau. of Geo.  
Field. She d. Sept 29, 1843.

XI. Sarah, b. July 6, 1773; m. Oct. 11, 1811,  
Maj. Elisha Alexander.

8. CHLOE DOOLITTLE<sup>4</sup>, (*Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>,*)  
b. May 4, 1730, m. about 1746, Moses Evens, son of Peter,  
he was b. Mar. 17, 1721, soldier in French war, 1756, re-  
moved to Warwick about 1761, d. Feb. 6, 1807. Children:

I. Mary, b. Oct. 29, 1846, d. in infancy.

II. Moses, b. Oct. 15, 1747, settled in Warwick.

III. Mercy, b. Sept. 29, 1749.

IV. Lucretia, b. Feb. 2, 1752; m. Urial Jones.

V. Ira, b. Feb. 5, 1754.

VI. Joseph, b. Oct. 10, 1756.

VII. Anna, b. Mar. 28, 1759.

VIII. Imri, b. Dec. 7, 1761.

IX. Zerah, of Windsor, Vt., 1786.

X. Arad, b. Aug. 12, 1770.

9. AMZI DOOLITTLE<sup>4</sup>, (*Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>,*)  
b. in Northfield, Mass., Nov. 15, 1737; m. Dec. 6, 1757,  
Jerusha b. 1742, dau. of Dea. Samuel and Sarah (Morton)  
Smith. (son of Preserved and Mary, dau. of Chilab Smith,  
son of Samuel and Mary dau. of James Ensign, son of Rev.  
Henry Smith, who probably came over in the Elizabeth in  
1635, was settled in the ministry at Weathersfield 1640  
where he d. 1648.) In 1756 Amzi Doolittle belonged to the  
Northfield foot Co. In Oct. of that year when the news of  
Montcalm's victories was received, he with 16 others was  
drafted out of the Co., to serve under Gen. Winslow, but  
whether the men went into active service at the time does  
not appear. Soon after his marriage he removed to War-  
wick, Mass., as the town records show that he was there in  
1760, as one of a committee to lay out a tract of land forty  
rods square around the meeting house for a burial place and

other purposes. At the first town meeting held in Warwick May 9, 1763, he was elected treasurer. Sept. 5, 1774, a company of 50 minute men was raised by the town, of which Samuel Williams was captain, James Bell, lieut., and Amzi Doolittle, ensign. He served as one of the selectmen in 1767 and 1776. In 1777 he removed to Townsend, Vt. then a newly settled town, where he bought a large tract of forest-land in the south part of the town, which he cleared. He gave his sons Amzi, Origin and Roswell a tract of forest which they cleared for themselves in the vicinity of the home farm. In 1824 he removed with his sons Amzi and Origin to Winchester, N. H., where he d. Apr. 9, 1830, aged 93 years. His wife Jerusha (Smith) d. Oct. 19, 1844 at the advanced age of 102 years. Children b. in Warwick, Mass.:

- I. Electa, b. Aug. 12, 1760; m. Caleb Rich, removed to New Haven, Vt. She d. there Mar. 1822, leaving a family.
- II. Levina, b. Dec. 12, 1761; m. ——— Hicks, moved to state of N. Y., where she d. leaving a family.
- III. Luther, b. Jan. 14, 1764; m. Mary Hazeltine, <sup>Town</sup> b. Aug. 5, 1766, dau. of Paul Hazeltine of Townsend, the first white person born in Townsend, Vt. In 1784 he was one of a company from Townsend who marched to Brattleboro to withstand the Yorkers. Later in life he removed to Michigan where he d. Aug. 25, 1821, and left children. (Have been unable to obtain further trace of his family.)
11. IV. Lucy, b. Dec. 13, 1765.
12. V. Amzi, b. Feb. 24, 1768.
- VI. Junia, b. May 5, 1770; unm., d. at Jamaica, Vt., June 27, 1791.
13. VII. Origin, b. Jan. 20, 1773.
14. VIII. Roswell, b. Feb. 4, 1775.
15. IX. Jerusha, b. Aug. 21, 1777.

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10. LUCY DOOLITTLE<sup>4</sup>, (*Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*), b. July 15, 1741, m. Aug. 20, 1765, Simeon b. Aug. 20, 1739, son of Japhet and Thankful (Dickenson) Chapin. He was of Chicopee; a lieutenant in the Revolutionary army, d. May 20, 1799. She d. Sept. 2, 1824. "She was a lady of cultivated mind, having good opportunity for improvement, both in her parents' and her husband's house. She taught school before marriage, became hopefully pious at 16, and acquired extensive religious knowledge. She was very useful in society, and especially among the sick; at the funeral her pastor said, 'A mother in Israel had indeed fallen.'" (Mary Montague.) Children:

- I. Roswell, b. Apr. 16, 1767; m. Aseneth Chapin.
- II. Lucy, b. Nov. 1768; m. 1789, Joseph Allen, East Windsor, Ct.
- III. Melinda, b. Oct. 2, 1770; m. John Montague, of Granby.
- IV. Simeon, b. Aug. 1772; d. 1776.
- V. Thankful, b. Oct., 2, 1774; m. Bezaleel Chapin, (2), Elijah Torrey.
- VI. Aseph, b. June, 1776; d. 1777.
- VII. Lydia, b. Mar. 31, 1778; m. Robert Wright.
- VIII. Sarah, b. June, 1779; d. 1780.
- IX. Simeon, b. June 22, 1781; m. Dorcas Strong; captain; was of Oswego, N. Y.
- X. Sarah, b. Dec. 3, 1784; m. (1) Towers Franklin, m. (2) Samuel Poneroy, of Somers, Ct.

11. LUCY DOOLITTLE<sup>5</sup>, (*Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*), b. Dec. 13, 1765; m. Dr. John Hazleton, of West Townsend, Vt., b. 1759, son of Paul, and grandson of Col. John Hazleton. She died in West Townsend, Vt., Aug. 18, 1805. He m. (2) a sister of Dr. Nathan Weeks. He was representative in the Vermont Legislature in 1792-3-6 and in 1803. He owned and lived upon the farm where John Sanderson now resides. His house was built in 1785 and was

located in West Townsend on the old road leading to Windham, Vt. He had an extensive practice; at one time he was a physician in the Revolutionary army; late in life he removed to Manchester, Vt., where after 40 years of practice he died July 1, 1822. He had 13 children, all of whom died in infancy excepting three; the surviving children were (I), Marsha, m. Asa Stevens, of Jamaica, Vt., who later removed to Penn., where children survive them, (II), Jerusha, m. Mathias Summer, of Townsend, (III), Lucy, the youngest of the family, b. Jan. 25, 1803, m. May 6, 1822, Hiram Doolittle, of Townsend.

12. AMZI DOOLITTLE<sup>5</sup>, (*Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. Feb. 24, 1768; m. Feb. 26, 1788, Esther, b. Nov. 14, 1768, dau. of Thomas and Hannah (Miller) Barber. He died in Winchester, N. H., Jan. 20, 1863, aged 94 years and 10 months. She d. there June 20, 1853, aged 84 years. He settled on a farm in Townsend, near his father, which he cleared; being a man of marked ability, he took an active part in the civil and political affairs of the town; he was justice of the peace, selectman, deputy sheriff and representative for 1816-17 and 21, holding some of the other positions many years. He was also high in the order of Free Masonry. In 1824 he removed with his brother Origin, to Winchester, N. H., where they bought a farm of 300 acres just east of the village, where he resided the remainder of his life. He had no children, but adopted a nephew of his wife's, Hiram Shepard, son of Joseph and Sybel (Barker), who took the name of Doolittle and became his heir-at-law.

13. ORIGIN DOOLITTLE<sup>5</sup>, (*Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. Jan. 20, 1773, in Warwick, Mass.; m. June 19, 1798, Hannah, b. May 28, 1775, a twin sister of Sybel, who m. Joseph Shepard, dau. of Thomas and Hannah Babrer. He d. in La Morlle Bureau Co., Ill., Feb. 26, 1856. She d. July 8, 1858. Like his brother he received a forest tract of land in Townsend, where he resided till 1824, when he removed to Winchester with his brother Amzi as related above. In 1854 he removed with his family to La Morlle, Ill. He

was a well to do farmer. Children born in Townsend, Vt.

17. I. Philinda, b. Mar. 12, 1799; m. Lyman Gould.
18. II. Amory, b. Oct. 15, 1801.
19. III. Charles Henry, b. Jan. 19, 1803.
20. IV. Willard, b. Aug. 29, 1805.
21. V. Hannah Eliza, b. June 16, 1807.
22. VI. Lucius, b. Apr. 10, 1809.
- VII. Origin, b. Mar. 22, 1812; d. Apr. 5, 1812.
23. VIII. Caroline Esther, b. Aug. 22, 1815.
- IX. William Origin, b. Apr. 7, 1818; drowned in the Ashuelot river, Winchester, June 15, 1826.

14. ROSWELL DOOLITTLE<sup>5</sup>, (*Amzi<sup>3</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*), b. in Warwick, Feb. 4, 1775; m. Jan. 23, 1806, Charissa, b. in Deerfield, Mass., Jan. 26, 1788, dau. of Ebenezer and Abigail (Bartlett) Burt, (son of Lieut. Jonathan and Bridget (Barnard) son of Dea. Henry, son of Dea. Jonathan, son of Henry the emigrant from England in 1633, who settled in Springfield, 1640). He had partially cleared the farm, given him by his father, and erected a substantial frame house to which he took his bride from Brattleboro, the same day of marriage, to the music of the old time sleigh bells. The last house they passed before reaching their future home, was built of logs, and occupied by a colored family, and every pane of the only window was darkened by an ebony face as the couple passed by, much to the bride's amusement. By industry and frugality he accumulated quite a handsome property for those days. Their children were born and reared on the old farm; they removed to the village of Jamaica, Vt., in 1849. There she d. May 25, 1858; he then removed to Wardsboro, Vt., where he resided with his son Oscar until his death which occurred Apr. 14, 1863. They were both members of the Congregational church in Townsend. Children born in Townsend, Vt.

- I. Luke Paine, b. Oct. 16, 1806; d. July 12, 1811.

- II. Oscar Burt, b. July 24, 1810; d. Mar. 13, 1812.
24. III. Eliza Paine, b. Feb. 25, 1812.
25. IV. Oscar Burt, b. June 28, 1813.
26. V. Edwin Sidney, b. May 4, 1818.
27. IV. Sarah Charissa, b. Oct. 13, 1819.
15. JERUSHA DOOLITTLE<sup>5</sup>, (*Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*) b. Aug. 21, 1777; m. 1795, Squire, son of Gen. Samuel Fletcher, of Townsend, Vt. Children:
- I. Fanny, b. May 22, 1796; d. Dec. 30, 1853.
- II. Lucius, b. Feb. 6, 1799; d. June 13, 1885.
- III. Samuel H., b. July 22, 1800; d. Apr. 22, 1885.
- IV. Mary, b. July 23, 1802; d. Apr. 15, 1859.
- V. Eliza, b. Jan. 23, 1804; d. Jan. 19, 1881. She m. (2) Jan. 22, 1807, Willard, b. Oct. 30, 1766, son of Samuel Taft, of Uxbridge, Mass., she d. Apr. 11, 1863; he d. Sept. 14, 1845. Children b. in Putney, Vt.:
- I. Frederick W., b. Mar. 3, 1810; d. Jan. 30, 1828, unmarried.
- II. Cincinnatus, C., b. Nov. 13, 1811; m. Sept. 30, 1836, Abby S. Haynes, b. Oct. 6, 1814; he d. July 15, 1864. Their children were, Harriet E., b. Feb. 13, 1841, d. Mar. 4, 1841, Ellen M.; b. Oct., 15, 1845, d. Oct. 19, 1875.
16. HIRAM DOOLITTLE<sup>6</sup>, (*Amzi<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*) b. in Newfane, Vt., May 26, 1800; was the son of Joseph and Sybel Shepherd; when about 12 years old was adopted by Amzi Doolittle, his uncle, who gave him his name; m. May 6, 1822, Lucy, b. Jan. 25, 1803, dau. of of Dr. John, and Lucy (Doolittle) Hazeltine. He d. Apr. 23, 1877; she d. in Winchester, May 1, 1892. Hiram Doolittle, farmer, removed to Winchester, in 1824, and afterward resided on his father's homestead. Children, excepting the eldest b. in Winchester:

- I. Esther Eliza, b. Mar. 19, 1823; d. Apr. 14, 1854.
- II. Amzi Lafayette, b. Mar. 5, 1825; d. June 27, 1825.
- III. William Amzi, July 4, 1824; d. Aug. 24, 1882; unmarried, was a soldier in the war of the Rebellion. \*
28. IV. Charles Henry, b. Nov. 22, 1827.
29. V. George Hamilton, b. Dec. 13, 1830.
30. VI. John Hazeltine, b. May 6, 1833.
31. VII. Joseph Shepherd, b. Jan. 9, 1835.
- VIII. Christini Harriet, b. May 2, 1838; d. July 19, 1853.
- IX. Hiram Lafayette, b. Oct. 2, 1839; d. Mar. 10, 1841.
32. X. Marion Lucy, b. Aug. 3, 1842.
- XI. Jerusha Martha, b. Sept. 10, 1844; d. Nov. 26, 1844.
17. PHILINDA DOOLITTLE<sup>6</sup>, (*Origin*<sup>5</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>4</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>3</sup>, *John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>.) b. Mar. 12, 1799; m. Apr. 9, 1821, Lyman Gould, b. Oct. 8, 1791. She d. Mar. 1, 1876; he d. May 15, 1864. He was farmer and blacksmith and resided in Newfane, Vt. Children b. in Newfane, Vt.:
- I. Jane Louisa, b. June 7, 1822; m. July 3, 1843, Alanson B. Chase.
- II. Oscar Origin, b. Aug. 31, 1824; m. Dec. 16, 1852, Caroline Fisher Wood.
- III. Hannah Philinda, b. Sept. 9, 1827; m. Nov. 10, 1845. She d. Nov. 10, 1863.
- IV. Lyman Willshire, b. Mar. 19, 1829; m. 1850, Augustus Gilson, he d. Nov. 20, 1886.
18. AMORY DOOLITTLE,<sup>6</sup> (*Origin*<sup>5</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>4</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>3</sup>, *John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>.) b. Oct. 14, 1801, m. (1) May 18, 1834, Sophia White, b. May 24, 1804; d. Mar. 22, 1839. He m. (2) Nov. 7, 1839, Emily Severence, b. in Gill, Mass., July 28, 1806. She d. in West Brookfield, Mass., July 8, 1888. He d. Mar. 31, 1872. He was at one time a dentist in New York City

and later resided in Hennepin, Ohio, but at the time of his death had been some time the station agent at Chicohee, Mass. Children by first marriage b. in Hennepin, O.:

I. Sophia Emory, b. Sept. 17, 1836; m. ———  
George Healey. She d. in Birmingham,  
Eng., leaving a family of several children.

II. Edward Spencer, b. Mar. 7, 1859; m. Jan.  
18, 1864, Anna Folmell, of Horsham, Pa.,  
b. Oct. 14, 1847. Occupation, baker, re-  
sides in No. Wales, Pa. Has no child-  
ren.

Children by second marriage b. in Chicopee,  
Mass.

33. III. Ella Maria, b. Sept. 9, 1840.

34. IV. Caroline Benton, b. Mar. 17, 1842

V. Amoret Lovilla, b. Aug. 27, 1843; d. Sept.  
26, 1844.

19. CHARLES HENRY DOOLITTLE<sup>6</sup>, (*Origin<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Ben-  
jamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. in Townsend, Vt., Jan. 19, 1803;  
m. April 23, 1828, Hannah Marie Wade, b. —, 1811. She  
d. Sept. 20, 1837. He m. (2d) Hannah Ann Ryers, b. Dec.  
23, 1812. He d. in Loudenville, Ohio, Dec. 13, 1844. She  
d. Dec. 23, 1855. He was a cabinet maker and resided at  
first in New York city, but died in Ohio. Children:

I. William Oscar, b. July 12, 1831; unmarried;  
He accompanied his uncle, Loring Picker-  
ing, on his overland journey to California  
in 1849; became interested in gold mining  
in which he was successful. He was  
found dead near Marysville, Cal., in Sept.  
1851. Suppose to have been killed by  
Indians for his money.

35. II. Mary Tabitha, b. in Newburg, N. Y., July  
12, 1831.

III. Richard Henry, b. Dec. —, 1834; d. April  
2, 1840.

36. IV. Charles Covell, b. Feb. 16, 1836.

## Children by second marriage:

37. V. George Edmond, b. July 6, 1838.  
 VI. Nicholes West, b. Oct. 7, 1840; d. Oct. 4, 1844.
38. VII. Thomas B., b. Nov. 8, 1843. He resides in Omaha, Neb.
20. WILLARD DOOLITTLE<sup>6</sup>, (*Origin<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*), b. Aug. 29, 1805; m. Feb. 2, 1830, Sophia Babcock, b. Feb. 24, 1803. He d. Dec. 21, 1856. She d. May 13, 1891, in Mansfield, O. He was born in Townsend, Vt., and moved to Loudonville, O., in 1846. He d. in Haynesville, O. Children born in Townsend, Ct.:
39. I. William Emerson, b. Oct. 22, 1830. Resides in Bon Air Mines, 8 miles from Sparta White Co., Tenn.
40. II. Lucius Onzlaw, b. Dec. 27, 1832.  
 III. Gilbert Willard, b. Oct. 11, 1834; d. Jan. 23, 1853.
41. IV. Mandana Eliza, b. Aug. 27, 1840.
21. HANNAH ELIZA DOOLITTLE<sup>6</sup>, (*Origin<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*), b. June 14, 1807; m. Horace Pecker-  
 ing, b. in Richmoud. N. H. He is still living (1892); She d. July 9, 1889. He is a carpenter and farmer, removed from Winchester to Lamole, Ill., Nov-1854. Children:
- I. Lodema Fostina, b. Oct. 29, 1830; m. April 1859, William Keyes. Resides in Mendota, Ill., (1892.)
- II. Child d. in infancy.
- III. Herbert Leslie, b. Aug. 4, 1841; m. 1869, Laura Minerly. She d. Jan. 1873; m. (2) Sept. 27, 1881, Eva Seeley. Lives in Eagle, Iowa.
- IV. Mattie Lavina, b. April 29, 1843; m. 1865, Cicero Stoughton. Resides in Pery, Iowa.
- V. Abbie Eliza, b. June 29, 1835; m. Feb. 1873, Channy Moody. Resides in Berkley, Iowa.

VI. Horace Greeley, b. June 26, 1847; d. May 1863.

22. LUCIUS DOOLITTLE<sup>6</sup>, (*Origin<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*), b. April 10, 1809; m. July 23, 1830, Eleanor Ayers, b. Feb. 22, 1812. He d. Oct. 20, 1862. She is still living (1892). He resided in Perryville, O., where he was a merchant. Children.

42. I. Martha Ann, b. at Perrysville, O., Aug. 22, 1830.

II. Caroline Eliza; m. Frank Bryant, resides in Chicago.

43. III. Isaac Newton, b. Dec. 17, 1840.

44. IV. Lucina, b. Feb. 29, 1842.

V. Erastus Sparrow, b. about 1843, d. Nov. 5, 1843.

VI. Lucius, b. about 1846; d. about 1847.

45. VII. Roseltha Leonora, b. Sept. 10, 1848.

46. VIII. William Theodore, b. Mar. 30, 1848.

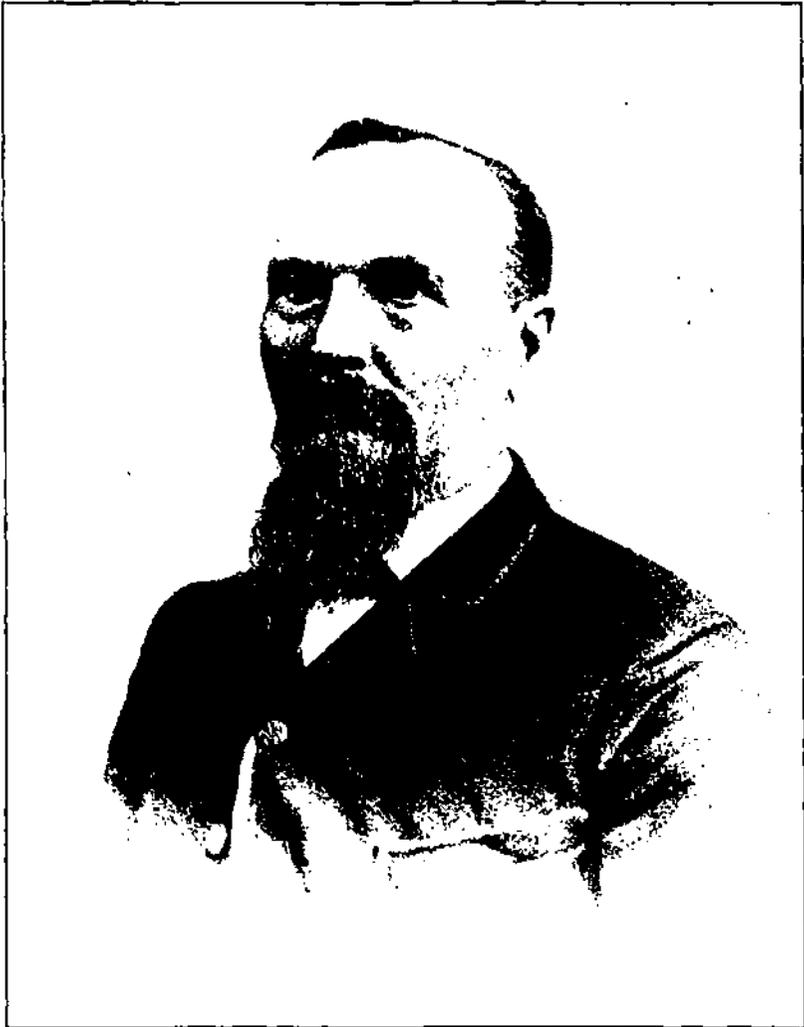
47. IX. David Ayers, b. Mar. 24, 1852.

48. X. Margaret Virginia, b. Mar. 24, 1852. } Twins.

49. XI. Charles Henry, b. Mar. 5, 1854.

23. CAROLINE ESTHER DOOLITTLE<sup>6</sup>, (*Origin<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*), b. Aug. 22, 1815; m. May 22, 1833, Loring Pickering. They resided in Winchester, N. H., until the Spring of 1837, when they removed to St. Louis; shortly after, on account of the illness of their only child, a son, then removed to Hennepin, Ill., where the child died. Mr. Pickering was appointed postmaster at Hennepin. There he entered upon the business of journalism in which he has since been so successful. In 1845 he went back to St. Louis where he established the St. Louis Union. But in 1849 when the gold fever broke out, he started with his wife and a store of provisions across the plains with wagons drawn by oxen. They were five months on the journey and entered California Oct. 28, 1849. After a brief residence in several places, they finally settled in San Francisco in 1852. There he established "The Morning Call" and "Daily Evening Bulletin,"





ORRIN PEER ALLEN.

of which papers he is the senior partner. He has been a very successful man and to day is accounted a millionaire. Mrs. Pickering spent some five years in Europe. She possessed rare qualities of mind and heart, and at the time of her death which occurred at San Francisco June 18, 1879, she was universally lamented. She left no children; as before her only child, Guliver Verplank, died young. Mr. Pickering has since married, and still enjoys ripe old age.

24. ELIZA PAINE DOOLITTLE<sup>6</sup>, (*Roswell<sup>6</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>2</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. Feb. 25, 1812; m. Oct. 25, 1832, Robert<sup>7</sup> (son of Robert<sup>6</sup> and Rhoda (Cady) Allen, Joseph<sup>6</sup>, Nathaniel<sup>4</sup>, Edward<sup>3</sup>, Edward<sup>2</sup>, Hope<sup>1</sup>.) b. in Shutesbury, Mass., April 16, 1805; d. in Vernon, Ct., where he had lived for more than 30 years, Aug. 21, 1889. He was deacon of the church in Vernon, was a man of broad Christian charity and generous to a fault; his widow survives and resides with her son, Jason, in Vernon, Vt., (1893). Children:

- I. Orrin Peer, b. Sept. 30, 1833, in Wallingford, Vt., m. (1) Hattie L. M. Garvin, of Boston, Feb. 20, 1860; she d. Feb. 25, 1862; m. (2) June 16, 1863, Lucinda E. Scott, of Vernon, Vt. He is a pharmacist and resides in Palmer, Mass. Is the author of the genealogy of the Allen, Burt, Cady, Doolittle, Johnson, Noyes, Scott and other allied families.
- II. Jason Cady, b. in Wallingford, Vt., Feb. 26, 1835; m. Dec. 1, 1864, Mary S. Combes.
- III. Julia Augusta, b. in Newfane, Vt. July 30, 1837; d. there Jan. 27, 1839.
- IV. Charles Anderson, b. in Jamaica, Vt., Jan. 1, 1840; m. Sept. 6, 1864, Abbie E. Ball; d. in Athens, Vt., Sept. 9, 1872.
- V. Robert Clark, b. in Jamaica, Vt., Oct. 8, 1842; m. (1) June 18, 1864, Jane A. Lockwood, of No. Springfield, Vt.; she d. April 29, 1867; m. (2) Oct. 3, 1867, Lucy Cook

Lockwood; d. Nov. 7, 1868; m. (3) Nov. 15, 1869, Mrs. Hattie M. Henry. He resides in No. Springfield, Vt.

VI. Sarah Augusta, b. in Jamaica, Vt., Oct. 30, 1846; m. Jan. 18, 1869, Lafayette Stoddard of Vernon, Vt.

VII. Vesta Eliza, b. in Windham, Vt., Nov. 6, 1854; d. in Vernon, Vt., Jan. 16, 1862.

25. DEA. OSCAR BURT DOOLITTLE<sup>6</sup>, (*Roswell<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*) b. June 28, 1813; m. Mar. 14, 1837, Fannie E. Robbins; she b. May 13, 1718; d. Dec. 22, 1860. Farmer, has resided in Wardsboro, Vt., for many years. Children:

I. Albert, b. in Wardsboro, Vt., Aug. 31, 1838; m. (1) Mrs. M. A. Knapp; she d. July 14, 1871; m. (2) Mrs. M. H. Moore. Has one child, Hattie W., b. May 13, 1869.

II. Henry, b. May 9, 1840; d. Aug. 20, 1864; unmarried.

III. Charissa, b. Dec. 28, 1843; unmarried, resides with her father.

26. EDWIN SIDNEY DOOLITTLE<sup>6</sup>, (*Roswell<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*) b. May 4, 1818; m. July 3, 1844, Philitta, dau. of Benjamin Muzzy of Jamaica, Vt. she b. May, 11 1823. He was a man of large business capacity. He removed from Townsend to Jamaica, Vt., where he engaged in farming and general trade, later he removed to Edford, Henry Co.; Ill., where he died Feb. 19, 1862. She died there Jan. 9, 1879. Children:

50. I. Aucephas Roswell, b. in Townsend, Vt., Apr. 29, 1845.

51. II. Edmond B., b. in Jamaica, Vt., Apr. 24, 1854.

27. SARAH CHARISSA DOOLITTLE<sup>6</sup>, (*Roswell<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*) b. Oct. 23, 1819; m. Nov. 15, 1841, Nelson, son of Jonathan Dunklee, of Marlboro, Vt., b. Oct. 15, 1812, she d. in Vernon, Vt., May 26, 1856. He m. (2)

June 29, 1858, Martha H. Farr, of Windham, Vt., she d. June 17, 1861, b. Apr. 4, 1830. He m. (3) Apr. 30, 1862, Mrs. Orsaline K. Harvey, nee Stoddard, b. Apr. 19, 1827. He has resided many years in Vernon, Vt., where he has accumulated a handsome property as a farmer. Children by first marriage:

- I. Aurora Bernice, b. in Townsend, Apr. 29, 1844, m. Dec. 31, 1862, Gilbert F. Gould, Vernon, Vt.; he d. there Feb. 24, 1892. He was held in high esteem by his fellow townsmen, as is attested by the fact that he held the offices of selectman, lister, constable, collector, Auditor, overseer of the poor, etc. Children born in Vernon, (1) Frank Waldo, b. Feb. 27, 1864; d. Apr. 29, 1864; (2) Inez Aurora, b. Oct. 22, 1867; (3) Nina Edith, b. Aug. 30, 1874; (4) Gincie Florence, b. July 15, 1884.
  - II. Herbert Sanborn, b. in Townsend, Vt., Nov. 10, 1847, m. (1) Mar. 31, 1869, Mary L. Priest, of Hinsdale, N. H., b. Jan. 1, 1851; she d. Dec. 23, 1870; he m. (2) Nov. 14, 1872, Edith A. Kellogg, b. Jan. 22, 1844, in Brookfield, N. Y. They have one child, Leon Herbert, b. July 25, 1875, in Holyoke, Mass. The family reside in South Hadley, Mass.
  - III. Eulalia Maria, b. at Westminster, Vt., June 9, 1850, m. May 10, 1869, Roswell Wyman Russell, b. at Vernon, Vt., Mar. 10, 1814. They reside in Vernon, Vt., their children are, (1) Myron Roswell, b. July 11, 1872; (2) Nelson Winthrop, b. Aug. 18, 1880.
28. CHARLES HENRY DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Hiram*<sup>8</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>5</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>4</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>3</sup>, *John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>.) b. Nov. 22, 1827, m. Jan. 25, 1854, Susan C. Hayes; she d. Jan. 17, 1863; m. (2) Mar. 14,

1865; Mrs. Mariette (Buffum) Prescott, of Richmond, N. H., b. Feb. 13, 1830. He d. Mar. 27, 1883, at Richmond, N. H.

Children by first marriage:

- I. Hattie Alice, b. Nov. 4, 1854; d. Dec. 31, 1863.
52. II. Abbie Marion, b. Apr. 6, 1856.
- III. Henry Freeman, b. Sept. 5, 1858; d. Dec. 31, 1868.
- IV. May Madeline, b. Sept. 9, 1860; d. Jan. 6, 1864.
53. V. Idella Hayes, b. July 5, 1862.

Children by second marriage:

54. VI. Lizzie May, b. June 14, 1867.
55. VII. Katie Belle, b. Nov. 5, 1869.
- VIII. Flora Grace, b. Jan. 27, 1872.

GEORGE HAMILTON DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Hiram<sup>6</sup>, Amzi<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. Dec. 13, 1830. m. Mar. 24, 1863, Sarah Ann Shepherd, of Greenwich, N. Y., b. Jan. 4, 1842. He is a farmer and resides on the homestead of his grandfather in Winchester, N. H. Children:

- I. Etta Emily, b. Sept. 23, 1865; d. Sept. 22, 1872.
56. II. Eleanora Lucy, b. Aug. 1, 1867.
- III. Franklin Delos, b. May 16, 1873; d. Nov. 9, 1879.
- IV. George Leon, b. Dec. 18 1875.
- V. Hattie Grace, b. Jan. 14, 1881; d. Jan. 20, 1884.

30. JOHN HAZELTINE DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Hiram<sup>6</sup>, Amzi<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. May 6, 1833; m. Aug. 18, 1858, Maria Burbank, b. Feb. 9, 1841. Resides in West Springfield, Mass. He enlisted in the 14th Regiment N. H. Vol., Sept., 1862, discharged June, 1865. Children:

- I. Walter Amzi, b. Mar. 18, 1859; m. Jan. 1, 1880, Barbara Campbell. He was killed by an accident on the cars, Feb. 25, 1888.
- II. Edward Fremont, b. Mar. 26, 1861; m. Mar.

20, 1888, Ida Garrison, she d. June 1, 1890. He resides in Springfield, Mass. He m. (2) Apr. 25, 1892, Mary Martin, of Warren.

57. III. Rosina Emma, b. Oct. 3, 1866.

31. JOSEPH SHEPHERD DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Hiram*<sup>6</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>5</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>4</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>3</sup>, *John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>.) b. Jan. 9, 1835; m. Oct. 17, 1858, Amanda H. Beebe, b. July 21, 1835, at Westmorland, N. H. Resides at Marlboro, N. H. Children:

I. Irving Woodward, b. in Keene, N. H., May 21, 1860; m. Nov. 12, 1886, Hattie Throop, b. ———, 1867. Residence, Topeka, Kan.

II. Warren Joseph, b. July 30, 1864, in Winchester, N. H.; m. June 2, 1888, Frances Martin, b. ———, 1864. Residence, 108 West 123 street, New York.

58. III. Arthur Manning, b. Nov. 22, 1868, in Winchester, N. H.

32. MARION LUCY DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Hiram*<sup>6</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>5</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>4</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>3</sup>, *John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>.) b. Aug. 3, 1842, m. Mar. 24, 1863, Franklin B., b. Aug. 21, 1839, son of Franklin Shepherd. Children:

I. Elmer Ellsworth, b. Nov. 14, 1864; m. 1884, Carrie Piper.

II. Lulu Emma, b. May 7, 1867; m. Nov. 7, 1889, Albert Edward Viggers.

33. ELLA MARIA DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Amory*<sup>6</sup>, *Origin*<sup>5</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>4</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>3</sup>, *John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>.) b. Sept. 5, 1840, in Chicopee, Mass.; m. Apr. 26, 1864, Richmond Hathaway, b. Apr. 26, 1840. They reside in Chicopee, Mass. Child:

I. Frank Nelson, b. Aug. 16, 1868, in Chicopee, Mass.; m. Oct. 17, 1890, Rosa E. Ariel. Has one child, Elsie May, b. Feb. 3, 1892.

34. CAROLINE BENTON DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Amory*<sup>6</sup>, *Origin*<sup>5</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>4</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>3</sup>, *John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>.) b. Mar. 17, 1842, in Chicopee, Mass.; m. July —, 1859, Barnard R. Gilbert, b.

Jan. 10, 1838. Residence, West Brookfield, Mass. Children:

- I. Charles Elmer, b Apr. 26, 1860, in Chicopee, Mass.
- II. Emma Luella, b. Nov. 19, 1867, in West Brookfield, Mass., m. Nov. 19, 1890, Julius D. Garfield. Their child, George Louis, b. July 28, 1891, in Springfield, Mass.
- III. Louis Amory, b. June 22, 1872, in West Brookfield, Mass.

35. MARY TABITHA DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Charles Henry<sup>6</sup>, Origin<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>3</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>8</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. in Newburgh, N. Y., July 12, 1831; m. in New York city, by Rev. Dr. Burchard. Dec. 18, 1850, to Edwin Post, b. Oct. 30, 1821, in Florida, N. Y. He removed to Galesbury, Ill., Sept., 1854, and to Waverly, Neb., Nov., 1880, where he now resides. Children:

- I. Albert Schuyler, b. Oct. 5, 1851, in Newburgh, N. Y.; killed by a runaway team at Ottawa, Ill., July 20, 1890. He was a scholar of fine attainments, having graduated from Knox College with the highest honors of the class. He was private secretary for many years to his uncle, Gen. Post, when U. S. Consul to Vienna. At the time of his death he was associated with the leading paper at Ottawa, Ill.
- II. Theodore, b. Oct. 20, 1854; d. Mar. 7, 1860.
- III. Ida, b. Sept., 19, 1856; m. Sept. 19, 1883, Prof Milton E. Churchill. He is a professor in Illinois College and resides at Jacksonville, Ill. Have three children.
- IV. Charles, b. Jan. 5, 1860; m. Sept. 6, 1882, Clara Henderson. Residence in Redland, Cal. They have four children.
- V. Delia, Cora, b. Aug. 6, 1862.

- VI. Sidney, b. May 21, 1864.
- VII. Walker, b. Feb. 28, 1866; d. Sept. 17, 1867.
- VIII. Edwin, b. Jan. 1, 1868.
- IX. Florence Joanna, b. Jan. 27, 1870.
- X. Mary, b. June 21, 1871.
- XI. Lewellyn Duffield, b. Mar. 23, 1873.
- XII. Freeman, b. May 6, 1875.
36. CHARLES COVEL DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Charles Henry*<sup>6</sup>, *Origin*<sup>5</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>4</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>3</sup>, *John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>.) b. in New York city, Feb. 16, 1836; m. Apr. 11, 1866, Mary A. Manning, b. in Pictou, N. S., Mar. 22, 1846. Children:
- I. Charles Slade, b. Sept. 27, 1868; d. Apr. 11, 1881.
  - II. William Freeman, b. 21, 1871.
  - III. Walter Post, b. Oct. 29, 1873.
  - IV. Harry Paul, b. Dec. 5, 1883.
37. GEORGE EDMOND DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Charles Henry*<sup>6</sup>, *Origin*<sup>5</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>4</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>3</sup>, *John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>.) b. July 6, 1838; m. May 28, 1863, Mary E. Stineour, b. Mar. 17, 1839. Children:
- I. Hattie Ann, b. Aug. 12, 1864; m. June 24, 1888, Charles H. Thoring, had a daughter, Hattie Thoring; d. June 15, 1891.
  - II. Charles Edgar, b. Jan. 7, 1867; d. Feb. 3, 1868.
  - III. Clarence Herold, b. Sept. 7, 1869.
- M. (2) July 4 1876, Harriet M. Brokow, b. Sept. 26, 1846. Children:
- IV. Ira Edmond, b. June 21, 1877; d. Oct. 8, 1886.
  - V. Herbert Montreville, b. Feb. 28, 1881. Residence, Logansport, Cass Co., Ind.
38. THOMAS BENTON DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Charles H.*<sup>6</sup>, *Origin*<sup>5</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>4</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>3</sup>, *John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>.) b. in Perryville, O. Nov. 8, 1843; m. July —, 1862, Prudence E. Swift, b. Oct. 8, 1844, n Ashland, O. He removed to Omaha, Neb., in 1883. Children:

I. Mary Ellen, b. Dec. 11, 1863; d. Oct. 6, 1865.

II. Jennie Estelle, b. Mar. 4, 1867.

III. Charles Albert, b. Sept. 10, 1869.

39. WILLIAM EMERSON DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Willard*<sup>6</sup>, *Origin*<sup>5</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>4</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>3</sup>, *John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>.) b. Oct. 22, 1830; m. Dec. 18, 1851, Mary Jane Yarnell, b. May 1, 1833, d. in Ill., Jan. 26, 1879; m. (2) June 10, 1880, Mrs. Phebe Ellen, dan. of Victor Buchanan, and widow of John Passmore, she was b. May 11, 1843. He removed from Townsend, Vt., with his parents in 1846 to Loudonville, O., thence to Hayesville. He incurred the gold fever in 1850 and went to California, where he worked in the gold mines on Yaubar river for awhile, returning home in 1851, by way of Central America. He lived in Hayesville until 1868, when he moved to Lawrence Co., Ill. In 1881 he removed to Tenn., and resides at Bon Air mines, some eight miles from Sparta, White Co., where he is operating a saw mill. Children:

I. Merrick Eugene, b. in Hayesville, O., May 5, 1853; m. Dec. 25, 1877, ———; d. Oct. 10, 1878.

II. Eva Idella, b. in Hayesville, O., Feb. 13, 1857; d. Mar. 10, 1858.

III. Nettie Aurilla, b. in Hayesville, O., Nov. 16, 1858.

IV. Mattie Y., b. in Ill., Apr. 6, 1881.

40. LUCIUS ONSLOW DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Willard*<sup>6</sup>, *Origin*<sup>5</sup>, *Amzi*<sup>4</sup>, *Benjamin*<sup>3</sup>, *John*<sup>2</sup>, *Abraham*<sup>1</sup>.) b. in Townsend, Vt., Dec. 27, 1832; m. — — —, Martha Watkinson, b. in Doncaster, England., Oct. 10, 1839. He is a farmer, and resides in Mansfield, O. Children:

I. Lucius, b. Dec. 30, 1867; d. Dec. 30, 1867.

II. Herbert Onslow, b. Mar. 21, 1869.

III. Martha Mandana, b. Jan. 2, 1871.

IV. James Sabine, b. Oct. 25, 1872.

V. William Watkinson, b. Mar. 6, 1873.

VI. Rufus Percyville, b. Nov. 13, 1875.

VII. Mary Elzina, b. Aug. 8, 1877.

VIII. Milton Oscar, b. Mar. 27, 1880.

41. MANDANA ELIZA DOOLITTLE<sup>2</sup>, (*Willard<sup>5</sup>, Origin<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*) b. in Townsend, Vt., Aug. 27, 1840; m. Aug. 4, 1869, Rev. David Nelson Lyon, b. July 9, 1842. He is stationed in Soochow, China, where he has been a missionary most of the time since Jan. 7, 1870. His wife is now in Wooster, O., with her children: Children:

I. David Willard, b. near Yi Fias, China, in a Chinese boat, May 18, 1870; he graduated from the University in Wooster, O., in 1891, and is now, 1892, taking a course at the McClintock Theological Seminary in Chicago.

II. Abbia Mary, b. at Hang Chow, China, Sept. 14, 1872.

III. Charles Hodge, b. at Hang Chow, China, Apr. 1, 1874.

IV. Sophia Blanche, b. at Hang Chow, China, Aug. 2, 1876.

V. Lois Deborah, b. at Hang Chow, China, Oct. 7, 1878.

VI. John Neyins, b. at Wooster, O., Jan. 10, 1881.

VII. Walter Stanley, b. at Wooster, O., June 2, 1884.

42. MARTHA ANN DOOLITTLE<sup>2</sup>, (*Lucius<sup>5</sup>, Origin<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*) b. at Perrysville, O., Aug. 22, 1830; m. Mar. 30, 1848, A. Hurlburt, an editor in Upper Sandusky, O. He went to California in 1846, and is supposed to have been killed by Indians. She m. (2) in 1852, Charles Hubbard, b. in Bradford, N. H. He was an engineer, d. in Kansas City, in 1889, where she still resides. Children:

I. Farrett, b. at Bradford, N. H., Apr. 10, 1854.

II. Jennie Tarrett, b. at Bradford, N. H., Apr. 19, 1854, twins; d. Apr. 19, 1862.

III. Hattie E., b. at Bradford, N. H., Apr., 1856.

43. ISAAC NEWTON DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Lucius<sup>6</sup>, Origin<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. Dec. 17, 1840; m. Sept. 5, 1862, Sarah Gormdry, of England, d. Oct. —, 1871; m. (2) —, Emily Jane Storeck, of Galveston, Ind. He resides in Chicago. Children:

I. Daughter, d. young.

II. Warren S., b. at Logansport, Ind., Aug. 26, 1876.

III. Harry, b. at Logansport, Nov. 24, 1878; d. Nov. 22, 1880.

44. LUCINA DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Lucius<sup>6</sup>, Origin<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. Feb. 29, 1842; m. Oct. 1, 1861, Joseph H. Leech, b. in Greenville Co., Ontario, Can., Feb. 6, 1833. Residence, 4622 Wabash avenue, Chicago. Child: Carrie May, b. at Lima, O., May 6, 1865.

45. ROSELTHA LEONORE DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Lucius<sup>6</sup>, Origin<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. at Loudenville, O., Sept. 10, 1848; m. Apr. 21, 1864, William Jacobs; m. (2) July 1, 1875. Matthew Rogers, b. Oct. 23, 1852. Residence, Horton, Brown Co., Kan. Children by first husband:

I. Ella, b. at Mount Vernon, O., Mar. 23, 1865, she m. T. B. Twombly, Jr. Residence, Chicago.

II. Joseph W., b. at Norwalk, O., Feb. 25, 1867. Residence, Horton, Kan.

Children by second marriage, b. at Lafayette, Ind.:

III. Edith, b. Nov. 9, 1876; d. Nov. 16, 1876.

IV. Carrie, b. Nov. 9, 1877; d. July 9, 1878.

V. Lottie, b. Nov. 9, 1878.

46. WILLIAM THEODORE DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Lucius<sup>6</sup>, Origin<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. at Loudenville, O., Mar. 30, 1848. m. Dec. 26, 1878, Elizabeth Stroock, b. at Logansport, Ind., Dec. 30, 1854. His occupation is that of

engineer. Resides in Sioux Falls, Dakota. Children b. at Sioux City, Iowa:

I. Jessie M., b. Jan. 20, 1875, d. Jan. 26, 1878.

II. Walter S., b. Feb. 14, 1877.

III. May Grace, b. Dec. 20, 1884.

47. DAVID AYERS DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Lucius<sup>6</sup>, Origin<sup>6</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. Mar. 24, 1852; m. Nov. 27, 1878, Mary Sophia Lindofer, b. at Reading, Pa., May 27, 1857. Residence, 1126 West 26th street, Chicago. Has one child:

I. Newton Ayers, b. Aug. 9, 1878.

48. MARGARET VIRGINIA DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Lucius<sup>6</sup>, Origin<sup>6</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. Mar. 24, 1852; m. ———, 1876, William Wall, b. April 25, 1841, at Worcester, Eng. Children:

I. Charles Louis, b. at Honohulu, Sandwich Islands, Mar. 18, 1879.

II. Hazel, b. at San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 9, 1888.

49. CHARLES HENRY DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Lucius<sup>6</sup>, Origin<sup>6</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. at Upper Sandusky, O., Mar. 5, 1854; m. Sept. 19, 1878, Flora Bonebrake, b. in 1831, at South Bend, Ind.; m. (2) May 11, 1887, Augusta Sophia Nelson, b. at Stockholm, Sweden, Aug. 9, 1861. He is a machinist and engraver. Residence. Chicago. Children by first marriage:

I. Joseph Oscar, b. at Chicago, July 29, 1879.

II. Leroy Oscar, b. at Sioux City, Iowa, May 11, 1883.

By second marriage:

III. Harry Carleton, b. at Chicago, June 23, 1888.

50. AUCEPHAS ROSWELL DOOLITTLE<sup>7</sup>, (*Edwin<sup>6</sup>, Roswell<sup>6</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. at Townsend, Vt., Apr. 29, 1845; m. Nov. 9, 1870, Mary Lucinda Greenwalt, b. June 25, 1852, at Fordslawn, O. He has been a very successful business man; resides in California. Children b. at

Edford, Ill., except the last two who were b. at Grand Ireland, Neb.

- I. Benjamin Muzzy, b. Oct. 24, 1871.
  - II. Carrie May, b. Jan. 1, 1873; m. 1891, at Portland, Oregon, A. A. Cheney.
  - III. Louis Halstead, b. Aug. 23, 1874.
  - IV. Cora Burnell, b. Jan. 15, 1876.
  - V. Hattie Dell, b. Dec. 16, 1877.
  - VI. Mabel Maud, b. June 22, 1882; d. Sept. 3, 1882.
  - VII. Dora Daisy, b. Dec. 21, 1883; d. July 19, 1884.
51. EDMOND B. DOOLITTLE<sup>1</sup>, (*Edwin S.<sup>2</sup>, Roswell<sup>3</sup>, Amzi,<sup>4</sup> Benjamin<sup>5</sup>, John<sup>6</sup>, Abraham<sup>7</sup>*.) b. at Jamaica, Vt., Apr. 24, 1854; m. Sept. 10, 1878, Julia E. Kimberly, b. Dec. 27, 1851. Farmer, resides in Edford, Henry Co., Ill. Children:
- I. Herbert, b. Nov. 11, 1881.
  - II. Leroy E., b. Mar. 8, 1883.
52. ABBIE MARION DOOLITTLE<sup>8</sup>, (*Charles H.<sup>1</sup>, Hiram<sup>2</sup>, Amzi<sup>3</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>5</sup>, John<sup>6</sup>, Abraham<sup>7</sup>*.) b. at Windsor, Vt., Apr. 6, 1856; m. Sept. 18, 1879, Frederic Swan, b. at Winchester, N. H., Feb. 2, 1851. Residence, Winchester, N. H. Children:
- I. Lelia Ida, b. Sept. 10, 1881.
  - II. Charles Ralph, b. July 8, 1883.
  - III. Rena Wryta, b. July 28, 1891.
53. IDELLA HAYES DOOLITTLE<sup>9</sup>, (*Charles H.<sup>1</sup>, Hiram<sup>2</sup>, Amzi<sup>3</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>5</sup>, John<sup>6</sup>, Abraham<sup>7</sup>*.) b. at Winchester, N. H., July 5, 1862; m. Dec. 31, 1882, Charles Pickett, b. at Winchester, N. H., Apr. 5, 1859. Residence, Baldwinsville, Mass. Children b. at Winchester, N. H.:
- I. Charles Edward, b. May 5, 1885.
  - II. Flora Belle, b. May 3, 1888.
54. LIZZIE MAY DOOLITTLE<sup>10</sup>, (*Charles H.<sup>1</sup>, Hiram<sup>2</sup>, Amzi<sup>3</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>5</sup>, John<sup>6</sup>, Abraham<sup>7</sup>*.) b. at Richmond, N. H., June 14, 1867; m. Dec. 30, 1885, Frank E. Cook, b. at Richmond, N. H., Oct. 28, 1866. Residence, Baldwinsville, Mass. Child:

I. F. Ettielyn, b. at Winchester, N. H., Oct. 15, 1887.

55. KITTIE BELLE DOOLITTLE<sup>3</sup>, (*Charles H.<sup>1</sup>, Hiram<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. at Richmond, N. H., Nov. 5, 1869; m. Apr. 4, 1887, Clinton Barrett, b. Mar. 9, 1866. Residence, Winchester, N. H. Child:

I. Alice Addie, b. June 12, 1890.

56. ELEONORA LUCY DOOLITTLE<sup>3</sup>, (*George H.<sup>1</sup>, Hiram<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. at Marshall, Ia., Aug. 1, 1867; m. Apr. 10, 1889, S. John Pentland, b. Aug. 24, 1867. Residence, No. 1 Mason street, Worcester, Mass. Child:

I. Clarence George, b. May 17, 1890; d. Jan. 21, 1891.

57. ROSINA EMMA DOOLITTLE<sup>3</sup>, (*John H.<sup>1</sup>, Hiram<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. Oct. 3, 1866; m. July 2, 1888, Charles H. Prior. Resides in Canton, O. Child:

I. Ethel Louisa, b. Apr. 11, 1889.

58. ARTHUR MURRAY DOOLITTLE<sup>3</sup>, (*Joseph S.<sup>1</sup>, Hiram<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. at Manchester, N. H., Nov. 22, 1868; m. Mar. 10, 1890, Emma M. Aldrich. Residence, Marlboro, N. H. Child:

I. Heman Aldrich, b. Nov. 24, 1890.

59. NETTIE AURILLA DOOLITTLE<sup>3</sup>, (*William Emerson<sup>1</sup>, Willard<sup>5</sup>, Origin<sup>5</sup>, Amzi<sup>4</sup>, Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Abraham<sup>1</sup>*.) b. Nov. 16, 1858; m. Dec. 25, 1877, James Hicks Buchanan. Resides near St. Francisville, Ill. Children:

I. Sara, b. Nov. —, 1878.

II. Eva, b. Jan. 29, 1880.

III. Floyd, b. Mar. —, 1884.

IV. Fred, b. Mar. —, 1886.

V. Irene, b. Mar. —, 1888.

VI. Charles, b. May 6, 1891.

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NOTE.—In this brochure the author essays to give an account of one branch of the Doolittle family, viz: the descendants of Amzi, son of Rev. Benjamin Doolittle, nearly all of whom will be found in their place. The

material for Amzi's descendants has been obtained from family records and from personal correspondence with the members of the families represented, so that it is hoped the matter will be found quite reliable. It is to be regretted, however, that no trace has been found of the family of Luther, son of Amzi<sup>4</sup>. Any information concerning his family will be thankfully received by the author, also reports of any omissions in any of the other families.



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