

second, Nathaniel Ladd,\* being his third wife, and by him had:

- i. PAUL,<sup>5</sup> twin to Love, b. Mar. 6, 1719; m. Martha Folsom.
- ii. LOVE, b. Mar. 6, 1719, twin to Paul.
- iii. DUDLEY, lost at sea.
- iv. MERCY.

PAUL<sup>5</sup> LADD (*Mercy*<sup>4</sup> (*Hall*) *Hilton*, *Elizabeth*<sup>2</sup> *Dudley*, *Rev. Samuel*,<sup>2</sup> *Gov. Thomas*<sup>1</sup>), born Mar. 6, 1719; married Martha, daughter of Nathaniel Folsom, of Exeter, 1747. He died Feb., 1783. His wife died July 17, 1804. He lived at first a few years in Stratham, and then removed to Epping, N. H., and bought a farm where Nottingham square now is. It is now called the "Drake farm," and is a part of the Nottingham town farm. About 1754 he bought a farm on Red Oak Hill, in Epping. He was a New Light disciple of Whitefield. His children were:

- i. PAUL,<sup>5</sup> b. Feb. 26, 1749, *unn.*
- ii. DUDLEY, twin to Paul, m. Lydia Haines (dau. of Daniel,) who was b. at Epping, July 5, 1754, and they removed to Deerfield, N. H., in 1778-9. She died there July 9, 1813, aged 59. He was a deputy sheriff in Deerfield twenty-five years, and also a school teacher. He died at Deerfield, July 3, 1818, aged 69. His children were: 1, *John Folsom*,<sup>7</sup> b. Apr. 19, 1775; m. Dorothy Smith; 2, *Mercy*,<sup>7</sup> b. 1783, *unn.*; d. Aug. 1852; 3, *Lydia*,<sup>7</sup> b. April 14, 1785; m. Benj. Smith, of Epping, and had: (1), Dudley,<sup>8</sup> b. Nov. 12, 1804; (2), Stephen Smith,<sup>8</sup> b. Dec. 2, 1806; m. Mary Robinson, Dec. 3, 1840, and had: Dyer S.,<sup>9</sup> b. Mar. 18, 1849; (3), *Mercia*,<sup>8</sup> b. Dec. 22, 1810; (4), *Lydia L.*,<sup>8</sup> b. July 9, 1814; (5); Benjamin,<sup>8</sup> b. July 3, 1818; (6), *Mary Jane*,<sup>8</sup> b. Sept. 23, 1822; (7), *John Folsom*,<sup>8</sup> b. Apr. 20, 1824. See *Ladd Family*, by Warren Ladd; also *History of Nottingham*, and *Kelley's Papers*.

JOANNA<sup>5</sup> DUDLEY (*James*,<sup>4</sup> *Stephen*,<sup>3</sup> *Rev. Samuel*,<sup>2</sup> *Gov. Thomas*<sup>1</sup>) was born at Exeter, N. H.; married, about 1748 Capt. Daniel Ladd, who was born at Kingston, N. H.,

\*Nathaniel Ladd's first wife was Catherine, daughter of Edward Gilman, of Exeter, and his second wife was Miss Rachael Rollins, of Stratham, who died July 22, 1717 s. p. He was killed by the Indians, Aug. 11, 1691. He had been a millwright, and real-estate dealer. He lived first at Exeter, then at Stratham, and last at Exeter. The brick house at Exeter, built by him, is now owned by Dr. John Perry. Mr. Ladd gave part of it to his son Elias in 1742. He sold his farm at Stratham to his son Paul in 1747.