

MELVIN COTTON.

Married, first, Joanna Dennis, of Londonderry, New Hampshire, January 30, 1783.

Their children:

Thomas—Born October 12, 1783. Died 1851.

Joanna—Born February 3, 1785. Married Eleazer Morton, 1812. Died 1856.

Clarissa—Born February 28, 1787. Married Matthew Caldwell.

Dennis—Died young.

Martha—Born January 12, 1791. Married Mr. Richardson, in Hartland, Vermont.

Ward—Born February 25, 1793. Died November 28, 1868. Married Charity Bates.

Betsey—Born February 23, 1795.

Diana—Born May 19, 1797. Died 1846. Married, first, Daniels; second, Mr. Chamberlain.

Mrs. Joanna Dennis Cotton died at Hartland, Vermont, September 14, 1797.

Melvin married, second, Hannah Esterbrook, November 7, 1799. Their children:

Porter—Born August 25, 1800.

Theoda—Born December 14, 1801. Married, first, Mr. Tabor; second, Mr. Holton, in 1832.

Betsey—Born August 25, 1803. Married Mr. Fuller, in 1835.

Melvin—Died December 16, 1846.

Mrs. Hannah Cotton died May 30, 1854, aged 83 years.