

- iii. CORA-LUELLA⁶, b. June 25, 1850; l. She was m. Sept. 19, 1876, to David Sheean, a lawyer of Galena; no ch. (1884). She was b in Utopia, O.
- iv. EUGENE-OLIVER⁶, b. July 12, 1853, in Utopia; m. Sophia Comstock, Sept. 5, 1876. Studied law, but at present is a R. R. station agent near Chicago; no ch. 1884.

SAMUEL-ARTHUR⁵ m., first, Dec. 19, 1867, Lydia Warner, of Jo Daviess Co., Ills., who d. Feb., 1874.

- ch. i. JOHN-EDGAR⁶, b. Mar. 17, 1869, near Leon, Decatur Co., Ia.
 - ii. GEORGE-ARTHUR⁶, b. May 4, 1871, in Jo Daviess County, Illinois.
- m., second, April 23, 1880, Mary Michaels, of Colesburg.
- ch. iii. HETTY⁶, b. Aug. 1, 1881.
 - iv. Daughter⁶, b. Oct. 11, 1883.

S. A. lives on a farm near Manchester, Delaware Co., Ia., farmer. S. A. and L. W. had one ch., unnamed; d. day of birth.

John-Clark⁴, b. at Cantwell's Bridge, Newcastle Co., Delaware. Delaware being a slave State, the facilities for obtaining an education were very limited to children of parents not in affluent circumstances. His whole time at school did not exceed six months. He was taught to read and write by an older brother and sister. At his father's death, being then only 15 years old, he was thrown entirely upon his own resources to make his way in the world; bound himself an apprentice to Joseph C. Griffith, to learn the carpenter's trade, he agreeing to give him one month's schooling a year during the apprenticeship, or till he should be 21 years of age. This continued three years, when Mr. Griffith quit the carpenter's trade, and took up pump-making, keeping John at that and hiring him out to other parties by turns.

Objecting to this, and finding Mr. Griffith of an overbearing and exacting nature, a breach was made which could not be healed, and he appealed to the Orphan's Court asking a discharge from his indentures, examining witnesses and pleading his own case. This discharge was granted Sept. 21, 1837. He worked at Wilmington till April 21, 1838, when he started for Galena, Ill., at which place he arrived May 11, where he has spent most of his time since, except eight years farming. He