

ordnance, and was mustered out July 7, 1865. After the war he engaged in trade in Clinton, Me., from which town he was elected representative to the State Legislature in 1868-9. In 1869, he was appointed School Supervisor for Kennebec county, under a new educational law providing for county supervision of public schools, holding this position for two years and a half. This office he resigned to accept the position of Postal Clerk on the M. C. R. R., and 1 Jan. 1874, he received the appointment of Special Agent of the U. S. Postal Department for New England, which position he has since filled with great acceptance to the Department. He resides in Augusta.

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JULIA A. BIGELOW,⁷ was born in Skowhegan, 4 Oct. 1837, and married Amasa G. Bixby, 21 Feb. 1859. Mr. Bixby was born at Norridgewock, 1 Sept. 1827. At the time of her marriage, Mr. Bixby was living at Grinnell, Iowa, and she started for her western home a few days after her marriage. She died at Grinnell, 24 Feb. 1862. A woman of rare mental gifts, and sweet disposition. Son :

156. George Bigelow,⁸ b. 8 Jan. 1861.

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MARTHA J. BIGELOW,⁷ was born in Skowhegan, 7 Dec. 1841, and married Amasa G. Bixby of Grinnell, Iowa, 10 Aug. 1866. Mr. Bixby now resides at Boulder City, Colorado. Children :

157. Bert. Boardman,⁸ b. 23 Dec. 1872.

158. Ben. Boardman,⁸ b. 13 Oct. 1875.