

Jan. 25, 1725. He was a volunteer at the siege of Louisburg, and was taken prisoner in an assault on the fortress, May 26, 1745, carried to France, exchanged, returned home and settled at Deerfield, N. H. There he carried on the manufacture of iron and blacksmithing, having machinery operated by water-power, employed a large number of men in digging iron ore and converting it into iron. He was a very active business man, and was one of the town's Selectmen from 1767 to 1775. The first survey of the town of Unity was made by him. He died at Deerfield, April, 1809. Their children were:

- i. DANIEL,⁶ b. about 1749, who was killed by a falling tree.
- ii. JAMES, b. about 1751; m. Margaret Glidden, Feb. 9, 1775.
- iii. NATHANIEL, b. May 12, 1753; m. Sally Marshall. Capt. Daniel Ladd had two other wives and ten children, who were by his second wife. JAMES,⁶ the second son of Joanna (Dudley) and Capt. Daniel Ladd, had by his wife Margaret Glidden, seven children, viz: 1, *Jeremiah*,⁷ m. Nancy Rowe; 2, *Noah*, b. Oct. 16; 1778, m. Sally Bartlett, Sept. 2, 1804; 3, *Charles Ira*, m. Peggy Huntoon, Feb. 24, 1811; 4, *Mehetabel*; 5, *Abigail*; 6, *Hannah*; 7, a daughter, m. Gale.

NATHANIEL,⁶ the third son of Capt. Daniel Ladd and Joanna Dudley, lived at Unity, N. H., and there had by his wife, Sally Marshall, nine children. He died June 8, 1824, and she died, his widow, April 13, 1834. Their children were:

- i. BETSEY,⁷ b. Nov. 27, 1775; m. John Thurston, son of Moses and Eliza, (Clifford) Thurston.
- ii. DANIEL, b. Oct. 13, 1777; m. Eliza Smith.
- iii. MOSES, b. Mar. 6, 1779; m. Lorinda Robinson.
- iv. DUDLEY, b. Aug. 28, 1780; m. Louisa Perry.
- v. SUSANNA, b. Aug. 22, 1782; m. Simeon B. Chase, and had: 1, Daniel,⁸ b. May 17, 1810; 2, Nathaniel L., b. Oct. 30, 1813; 3, Phebe G., b. Mar. 15, 1812; 4, Hannah L., b. Aug. 19, 1815; 5, Amos, b. Feb. 18, 1818; 6, Joseph, b. May 1, 1821; 7, Mary, b. May 1, 1821; 8, Sally, b. Feb. 22, 1823; 9, Simeon B., b. Feb. 5, 1829.
- vi. LUCRETIA, b. May 1, 1784; m. Samuel Daniels, and had eight children, viz: 1, Sylvester, b. 1812; 2, Betsey, b. 1814; 3, Zarina, b. 1816; 4, Almira, b. 1818; 5, Louisa S., b. 1819; 6, Sylvanus, b. 1822; 7, Abigail, b. 1824; 8, Lorinda, b. 1827.
- vii. NATHANIEL, b. June 18, 1786; m. Abigail Weed.
- viii. AARON, b. Nov. 1, 1790; m. Nancy Buck.
- ix. JOHN, b. Mar. 31, 1793; m. Sally F. Weed.