

tion: 1 mo. in 1776 in Capt. Ebenezer Hill's Co.; 1 mo. in 1777 in Capt. Ebenezer Hill's Co.; 3 mos. in 1778 in Capt. Ebenezer Hill's Co., Col. Dimon's Reg.; 1 week in 1779 in Capt. Ebenezer Hill's Co., Col. Dimon's Reg.; 6 mos. in 1779 in Capt. Ebenezer Hill's Co., Col. Dimon's Reg.; 6 mos. in 1780 as sergeant in Capt. Ebenezer Hill's Co., Col. Dimon's Reg. It is also stated that he was present as a soldier at the burning of Danbury and Fairfield, Conn. His residence at time of his enlistment was Greenfield, Conn., at time of application for pension, Fairfield, Conn.

143. ELIHU ALVORD (*Elisha, Thomas, Thomas, Alexander*), bapt. Fairfield, Conn., July 23, 1753; married Fairfield, Conn., Jan. 20, 1773, Mary Beers, prob. daughter of Samuel and Thankful (Osborne) Beers. She was bapt. Fairfield, Conn., July 17, 1748. Res. Fairfield, Conn. Child:

342. Elihu, b. Fairfield, Conn., Aug. 18, 1775.

343. David. (?) (There is doubt regarding this son. Descendants of Elihu Alvord, Jr., say that he had a brother who was lost at sea, unm. One descendant thought his name was David.)

Inventory of the estate of Elihu Alvord of Fairfield, Conn., was taken Nov. 2, 1778. U. S. Census for 1790 states that Elihu Alvord was head of a family in Litchfield Co., Conn., that year. In the family were 2 males over 16 years, 1 male under 16 years and 5 females. (Author is unable to explain this). There is a tradition that the widow of Elihu Alvord married a Perry of Fairfield, Conn., and had children.

Rev. War Service: "Alvord, Elihu, Private. Capt. Dimon's Co., Col. Beebe's Reg. of Fairfield, May, 1775. Minute men and volunteers." (Conn. Men in the Rev.)

144. MARY ALVORD (*Elisha, Thomas, Thomas, Alexander*), born Fairfield, Conn., Apr. 26, 1754; died in her 89th year; married Fairfield, Conn., Sept. 7, 1772, Jonathan Knap, son of David and Anna (Mallory) Knap. Res. Redding, Conn. Children:

a. Jonathan Alvord, d. aged 18.

b. Mary, mar. Joseph Dolph and had five children.

c. Anna, d. aged 14.

d. Aquilla, b. Dec. 5, 1785; mar. Margaret (Sands) Davis.

e. Priscilla, d. Apr. 20, 1864, unm.

f. Moses, b. Jan. 8, 1790; d. Dec. 27, 1863; mar. Ruth Getty.

g. Rachel, b. Sept. 6, 1792; d. Aug. 26, 1854; mar. Lewis Leach.

h. Anna, b. Apr. 22, 1798; d. Feb. 20, 1866; mar. George Pell.

Jonathan Knap's grandparents were Moses and Gandare (Adams) Knap, the latter is said to have lived to be over 106 years old.