

Nov. 27, 1784, administration of the estate of Luther Alvord, late of South Hadley, deceased, was granted to Nathaniel Ingram. His estate was insolvent. Elizabeth Alvord was appointed guardian to Zerusha Alvord, aged 4 years, and Elizabeth Alvord, aged 2 years. Mrs. Elizabeth Alvord married 2nd, Josiah Church and had children: Josiah, Ruth, Sophia, Dosha, Luther.

Rev. War Service: "Alvart, Luther, South Hadley, Capt. Noadiah Leonard's Co., Col. Woodbridge's Reg. Receipt for advanced pay dated Cambridge, June 24, 1775. Also Corporal. Muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1777. Enlisted May 9, 1775. Service 3 mos."

"Alvord, Luther, South Hadley, Private, Capt. Moses Montague's Co., Col. Ruggles Woodbridge's Reg. which marched on the alarm Apr. 19, 1775; service 8 days. Reported enlisted Apr. 20, 1775. Also order for a bounty coat or its equivalent in money, dated Cambridge, Dec. 25, 1775. Also Lieut. Martin Waite's Co., Col. Woodbridge's Reg. Pay abstract for travel allowance etc. Marched to New Providence on an alarm at Bennington, Aug. 17, 1777; service 4 days. Also muster roll sworn to in Hampshire Co., Jan. 6, 1778. Also Capt. Enoch Chapin's Co., Col. Elisha Porter's Reg. Enlisted Sept. 24, 1777; dis. Oct. 18, 1777; service 1 mo. in Northern Department." (Mass. Soldiers in Rev.)

161. MARTHA ALVORD (*Saul, John, Thomas, Alexander*), born Northampton, Mass., June 29, 1747; died Bolton, Conn., Mar. 25, 1817; married 1st, Bolton, Conn., Dec. 31, 1766, Judah Strong, son of David and Thankful (Loomis) Strong. He was born Bolton, Conn., Nov. 28, 1738; died Bolton, Conn., July 1, 1784. She married 2nd, Bolton, Conn., Dec. 11, 1788, Rev. George Colton, A. M., son of Rev. Benjamin and Elizabeth (Pitkin) Colton. He was born West Hartford, Conn., July 11, 1736; died Bolton, Conn., June 27, 1812. Res. Bolton, Conn. Children:

- a. Martha, b. Bolton, Conn., Oct. 4, 1767; d. Bolton, Conn., Nov. 28, 1835; mar. Oct. 4, 1787, Elijah Hammond.
- b. Judah, b. Bolton, Conn., July 25, 1771; d. Bolton, Conn., Apr. 29, 1829; mar. Nov. 29, 1792, Jerusha Warner.
- c. Rachel, b. Bolton, Conn., Oct. 16, 1773; d. Bolton, Conn., Mar. 1, 1841; mar. May 1, 1800, Rev. Marshfield Steele, A. M.
- d. Joseph Churchill, b. Bolton, Conn., Oct. 3, 1775; d. Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 3, 1844; mar. 1st, Dec. 6, 1804, Catharine Neilson; 2nd, May 23, 1811, Jane Kain.
- e. Tirzah, b. Bolton, Conn., Apr. 22, 1780; d. North Brookfield, Mass., Jun. 18, 1855; mar. Sept. 11, 1800, Rev. Thomas Snell, of Brookfield, Mass.
- f. David, b. Bolton, Conn., Oct. 1, 1782; mar. Hartford, Conn., Feb. 23, Elizabeth Kilbourn.