A tribute from the I. O. O. F. "In early life Brother Huntington became a member of the Central Baptist Church and was very active there for several years. After his marriage he transferred by letter to the Stewart St. Baptist Church, of which his wife was a member. Our brother was strongly attached to the Order of Odd Fellows, and formed among the brethren of that Order some of the sweetest and dearest friendships." He was able therein to perform some of his best work in assisting others, and was consequently active and happy among the brethren there from March 11, 1873, when he joined Crescent Lodge, No. 24, the remainder of his life. He was Recording Secretary of the Lodge two different terms covering several years, Financial Secretary two years, and Treasurer several years."

#### CHILDREN.

- 1. GERTRUDE LOUISE, born March 17, 1876, in Providence, R. I.
- 2. A Son, born and died April 1, 1878.
- 3. ARTHUR PARKER, born February 10, 1888, in East Greenwich, R. I. This is an adopted child, the son of Mrs. Huntington's sister. He enlisted as apprentice in the U. S. Navy, in the hospital corps, and was on the U. S. S. Prairie, and was attached to the 1st Brigade, Second Advance Regiment, U. S. Marine Corps, at the taking of Vera Cruz, Mexico, in 1914.

# 1. 2. 4. 3. 10. 8. 4. 3.

JAMES REED HUNTINGTON, born August 30, 1865, in Providence, R. I.; married, June 22, 1892, in Providence, R. I., Elizabeth Royal, daughter of Gideon and Mary (Monarch) Taylor. She was born in Providence, July 21, 1870. Mr. Huntington is a bookkeeper, and a Baptist. He lives in Providence. Mrs. Huntington died there December 21, 1910.

#### CHILD.

1. ROYAL REED, born December 1, 1895, in Providence, R. I.

# 1.2.4.3.11.

BENJAMIN HUNTINGTON, born in Norwich, February 22, 1786. He married March 5, 1767, Mary, daughter of Joseph and Mary (1. 3. 9. 2.) Carew, and widow of James Noyes Brown. She died April 24, 1777. He was chosen to succeed his father in the office of town clerk, March 5, 1764, and resigned the post to his son Phillip. He was one of the selectmen, with Barnabas (1. 2. 4. 2. 7.), Samuel Tracy, and Elijah Brewster, who called together the first revolutionary meeting held in Norwich, June 6, 1774.

#### HUNTINGTON GENEALOGY.

### CHILDREN.

This family were born in Norwich.

- \* 1. MARY, born March 8, 1768.
- \* 2. PHILLIP, born September 26, 1770.
  - 3. ALICE, born March 21, 1773. She married, in 1802, William Baldwin, and died, having had no children.
  - DANIEL, born June 10, 1776. He married, in November, 1803, Sarah Potter, of New London, and died, without children, October 12, 1805. His wife was born December 23, 1780, and died, April 8, 1850, as her grave stone attests.

# 1.2.4.3.11.1.

MARY (HUNTINGTON) CARPENTER, born March 8, 1768, in Norwich, Conn. She married, October 29, 1791, Gardner Carpenter, and lived in Norwich.

#### CHILDREN.

- 1. GROBGE, born July 27, 1795.
- 2. MARY ELIZABETH, born October 12, 1797.
- 3. GARDNER, born March 29, 1802.
- 4. HENRY, born November 10, 1804.
- 5. JOHN, born March 4, 1807.
- 6. CHARLES, born October 21, 1810.

### 1.2.4.3.11.2.

PHILIP HUNTINGTON, born September 26, 1770, in Norwich, Conn. He married, January 17, 1796, Phila Grist, who died November 30, 1806, aged 38. He was chosen town clerk, immediately on the death of his father, September 11, 1801, and served in this office until his death, which took place February 4, 1825.

### CHILD.

\* 1. BENJAMIN, born in Norwich, April 24, 1798.

## 1. 2. 4. 3. 11. 2. 1.

BENJAMIN HUNTINGTON, born April 24, 1798, in Norwich Town, Conn.; married September 80, 1830, in Norwich, Conn., Margaretta Dunlap Perit.

He was a merchant. He was elected Town Clerk February 14, 1825, to succeed his father who died February 4. The office of town clerk seems to have been handed down from father to son, as Christopher Huntington, the first male child born in Norwich, was elected town clerk, to succeed Richard Bushnell, and the office was held by Isaac, his son, from December 6, 1726, to January 9, 1764. His son, Benjamin, succeeded him March 5, 1764, and held

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