

408. CAPT. JOHN FLETCHER⁷ WELLMAN (*John⁶, Ariel⁵, Jedediah⁴, Joseph³, Isaac², Thomas¹*) was born at Napoli, N. Y., 29 April 1839; died 12 Oct. 1911. He married 1 March 1865, ABIAH JEANETTE PRATT, daughter of Hiram and Mahala (Ballard) Pratt of Otto, Cattaraugus County, N. Y. She was born at Collins, Erie County, N. Y., 25 Feb. 1841; and is now (1917) living.

He removed from Fredonia, N. Y., to Kansas in 1884, and to Carlsbad, San Diego County, Cal., in 1896. He was a farmer. He enlisted as a private in the 154th Reg't New York Vols. and was commissioned Captain, 4 March 1862. He was captured at Gettysburg but escaped on the way to Richmond and returned to his regiment and served till 11 June 1865, Civil War.

Children, born at Fredonia, N. Y.:

629. i. ERNEST PRATT⁸, b. 20 April 1866. -

ii. MARY HARRIET, b. 9 Oct. 1868; artist at Carlsbad; graduate University of Kansas, A.B., 1892; A.M., 1894; Ph.B., University of California 1898. She m. George Boardman and lives in Delano, Cal.

iii. GEORGIANA ABIAL, b. 6 May 1871; d. 23 March 1873.

630. iv. SCOTT IRVING, b. 25 Sept. 1876, at Otto, N. Y.

v. ANNA WINIFRED, b. at Otto, N. Y., 22 May 1879; m. at Los Angeles, Cal., 29 June 1913, William Mathews, son of James Hood and Mary (Peck) Mathews. He was b. at Fayetteville, N. Y., 16 April 1875. Child: *Ruth Anna Mathews*, b. at Los Angeles, Cal., 24 March 1914.

Grandfather

Son is

John Martin Wellman, Sr.

*Rev. Joshua Wyman Wellman, Descendants of
Thomas Wellman of Lynn, Massachusetts (Boston:
Arthur Holbrook Wellman, 50 Congress St., 1918)*