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TIMOTHY ROGERS.

Timothy Rogers, a descendant of John Rogers, who was born in Watertown, Mass., September 11, 1641, and served in the Narragansett war of 1675, for which he received for his services from the Massachusetts Colonial Court a land grant lying west of Penneluck pond in West Dunstable, N. H.

Mr. Rogers was killed by the Indians, August 5, 1695, and subsequently his land grant was transmitted to his grandson, Timothy, who was born November 30, 1717.

He was a trapper and fur-trader with the Indians. To comply with Colonial law whoever held this land title came here prior to 1729. He built, or caused to be built, a turning mill within the land grant. This mill was situated on a little brook about one mile west of South Merrinack, which flowed into Witch brook, the location being about half a mile north of the present school house in District Number 8 at North Hollis, now situated in the extreme south part of Amherst, N. H.

The place where this mill was situated is known to this day as "Rogers pond."