

Mr. King married, in Barre, on the 29th of August, 1855, Rhoda R. Dodge daughter of Andrew J. Dodge, and they had three children; Cora, who became the wife of A. P. Johonnott and died leaving a daughter, Cora K. Nathaniel C., who was born June 4, 1861, was educated at the University of Vermont and Columbia, and is a prominent physician in Brockton, Mass. Charles Carroll, who was born January 13, 1863, is a graduate of Harvard University and the Law School also, and is now an associate judge of Brockton, Mass.

In 1872, Mr. King was asked to run for Senator, and finally consented to become one of the candidates. He was nominated in the county convention and elected by a Republican majority of 1700. In that session were H. H. Powers, of Lamoille county, since Judge and Congressman, G. A. Ballard of Franklin county, Lyman G. Hinckley, of Orange county, later Lieutenant Governor, Gen. W. G. Veazy, of Rutland county, Heman Carpenter, Washington, Vt., John L. Butterfield, Windham, Vt., Julius Converse was Governor that year and Russell S. Taft, Lieutenant Governor. In 1874 Mr. King was re-elected. Among the important members of this Senate were the Hon. E. P. Walton, of Washington county, ex-member of Congress, Hon. Carroll S. Page, of Lamoille county, since Governor, who is now United States Senator, Mason S. Colburn, of Bennington county, J. W. Rowell, of