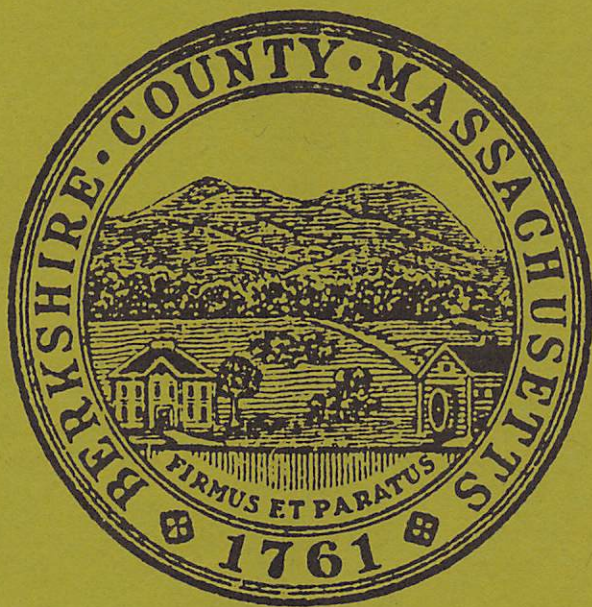


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These records were abstracted from the inscriptions recorded by former town of Washington historian, Louise Elliot.

KENT CEMETERY

KENT John, b. 1801[?], d. 17 Jan. 1870, ae 69
KENT Emmerson J., b. 1844[?], d. 12 Apr. 1868, ae 24
KENT Jane E., dau. of John, Jr., and Anna Kent, b. 1838[?], d. 20
Sept. 1848, ae 10
KENT John, b. 1766[?], d. 18 Feb. 1852, ae 86
KENT Mary, wife of John Kent, b. 1773[?], d. 29 June 1860, ae 87
BARNES Alexander, son of almon and Mary Barnes, b. 1832[?], d. 23
Nov. 1852, ae 20
BILL Charles, b. 1814[?], d. 5 Mar. 1880, ae 66

WEST BRANCH ROAD CEMETERY

INGALLS Emily, wife of David C. Ingalls, b. 1829[?], d. 13 Nov. 1850,
ae 21
SHAVER Margaret, wife of Peter Shaver, b. 1799[?], d. 10 Apr. 1850
ae 51
CODDING Cobb, b. 1768, d. 14 Nov. 1845, ae 77
CODDING Philena, wife of Cobb Coddington, b. 1768[?], d. 21 June 1854,
ae 86
BUCK George, son of J. and H. Buck, b. 1840[?], d. 19 Feb. 1843,
ae 3
WEST S.[?], b.[?], d. 1 Jan. 1849
CHAPEL Sibel J., wife of Nelson Chapel, b. 1804[?], d. 26 July 1845,
ae 41
CODDING[?] M.J.C.
CODDING [?], b. 1843, d. 15 Feb. 1843, ae 10m.
CODDING Zilpah J., dau. of Hosiah and Capillia
CODDING Chancey H., dau. of Hosiah and Capillia
FRENCH Allen G., b. 6 July 1816, d. 8 Mar. 1889, ae 72
FRENCH Nancy P., wife of Allen French, b. 1818, d. 16 Apr. 1864,
ae 46
WRIGHT Irwin, son of Edward and Anna, b. 1835, d. 11 Oct. 1849,
ae 13y 11m.
WRIGHT Harriet S., dau. of Edward and Anna Wright, b. 1842, d. 29
May 1842, ae 7y 2m.
FRENCH Allen P., son of Allen C. and Nancy P. French, b. 1884, d. 9
Sept. 1861, ae 17y 6m.

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SANGER Daniel, b. 1760, d. 26 Sep. 1844, ae 84
 SANGER Alice, wife of David Sanger, b. 1775, d. 3 Jan. 1842, ae 66
 M.S.[?] (Footstone)
 N.A.W. (Footstone)
 N.C.W. (Footstone)
 CHAPEL Percy, dau. of Johnathan and Martha Chapel, b.[?], d. 13 Feb. 1883, ae [?]
 CHAPEL Martha, b. 1779, d. 10 Aug. 1851, ae 72
 CHAPEL Johnathan, b. 1775, d. 18 Nov. 1852, ae 77
 PEASE Katherine, wife of Oliver Pease, b.[?], d.[?], ae 56
 BARNUM Samuel C.R., b. 1777[?], d. 26 Sept. 1810, ae 33
 PEASE Anna, dau. of Oliver and Katherine Pease, b. 1818, d. 22 Jan. 1829, ae 10
 PEASE Oliver, b. 1777, d. 13 Apr. 1850, ae 72
 Top of stone missing
 HIGGINS Patty, wife of Ira Higgins, b. 1820[?], d. 30 Aug. 1850, ae 30
 PEASE Lucinda, b. 1811[?], d. 19 Jan. 1863, ae 52
 SPARKS Ruth K.[?], b.[?], d. 21 Dec. 1812, ae[?]
 Illegible and broken stone
 PEASE Spencer, b. 20 Feb. 1809, d. 23 Jan. 1882, ae 72
 PEASE Lepha, b. 10 Jan. 1805, d. 24 Aug. 1884, ae 79
 PARTRIDGE Sidney, b. 1846[?], d. 30 Nov. 1871, ae 25
 PARTRIDGE Harvey, b. 1787, d. 30 Apr. 1871, ae 84
 WARD James, b.[?], d. [?] Feb. 1864, ae[?]
 WARD Eliza, wife of James Ward, b. 1784, d. 12 Apr. 1852, ae 68
 WARD James M., b. 1820, d. 10 June 1865, ae 46

TOWN HALL CEMETERY

MILLER Louisa, dau. of Peter and Celeslia, b.[?], d. 11 Nov. 1853, ae[?]
 MOORE Gertrude Hall, b. 1869, d. 1942, ae 73[?]
 BURNHAM Jane M., dau. of Nathaniel and Caroline, b. 4 Apr. 1853, d. 12 May 1854, ae 11m 8d
 Badly deteriorated stone
 AVERY Joseph, son of Joseph and Catherine, b. 1801[?], d. 15 Apr. 1810, ae 9
 BUSH Dorgis[?], dau. of Gideon and Margaret, b. 1788[?], d. 4 Oct. 1811, ae 23
 BUSH M. Gideon, b. 1750[?], d. 11 Apr. 1810, ae 60
 BUSH Margaret, b. 1754[?], d. 15 Apr. 1813, ae 59
 CLARK Amos, b.[?], d. [?] Aug. 1831, ae 60[?]
 CLARK Patience, relict of Amos Clark, b. 1744[?], d. 5 Apr. 1806, ae 62
 CONGDON Silas, son of William and [?], b.[?], d. 28 [?] 1822
 CONGDON Marilla, dau. of William and Sally, b. 1809, d. 22 May 1831, ae 22
 MORGAN [?] B., son of Joseph and Katherine, b. 1809, d. 26 Feb. 1809, ae 5wks.

BROOKER Samuel, b. 1761, d. 5 Nov. 1848, ae 87
Also his wife Polly, b. 1780, d. 9 Sept. 1858, ae 78

BROOKER Polly, (see above footstone)

SPRAGUE Abigail A.S., dau. of Thankful Sprague, b. 1808, d. 11 Apr. 1810, ae 2 "nearly"

MERRICK Gideon, b. 1744, d. 7 Dec. 1834, ae 90
also his wife Betsey, b. 1753, d. 3 Apr. 1826, ae 73

PHILLIPS James, b. 1724, d. 5 Mar. 1793, ae 69

ASHLEY Moses, b.[?], [?], d. 29 Apr. 1792, ae [?]

ASHLEY Sarah, wife of Moses Ashley, b. 1722[?], d. 4 Jun. 1795, ae 73

DANKS Harriet, dau. of Silvester and Mindwell, b. 1801, d. 17 May 1810, ae 9; also three infants

ASHLEY Sarah, b.[?], d. 1795, ae[?]

HOLMES Mr. [?]

HOLMES Mrs. [?]

Badly deteriorated stone

Elizabeth

Badly deteriorated stone

THOMSON[?] Hufus[?], b.[?], d. 1845[?], ae [?]

CHAPEL Turner; b. 1778, d. 19 Apr. 1818, ae 40

Badly deteriorated stone.

NOBLE Hannah, wife of Zenas Noble, b. 1748[?], d. 4 Jan. 1791, ae 43

NOBLE Zenas

NOBLE Laurie, dau. of John S. and Mary L.

BELL Marry, wife of Simpson Bell, b.[?], d. 25 Mar. 1810, ae[?]

BELL Simpson, b. 1749, d. 6 Aug. 1815, ae 66

BELL[?] Abel[?], badly deteriorated stone - Abel

HOPKINS Samuel, b.[?], d.[?], ae 27. "We loved him much but Jesus loved him more".

BELL Samuel, b. 1805[?], d. 4 Apr. 1855, ae 50
also Clarissa, his wife, b. 1804[?], d. 29 June 1855, ae 51

BELL Clarissa A., b. 1826[?], d. 26 Oct. 1852, ae 26
Samuel H., b. 1833[?], d. 16 Oct 1850, ae 17
J.B.M., b. 1842, d. 13 June 1851, ae 9
"Children of Samuel and Clarissa Bell."

BOHRER Emil A., Mass. Sp. 6 Co. 116 Inf. Regt. WWI, b. 5 Nov. 1886, d. 17 Apr. 1971, ae 84

BOHRER Mrs. Emil, b.[?], d. 1976[?], ae [?]

ENSIGN Harvey, b. 1758[?], d. 2 Nov. 1785, ae 27

Badly deteriorated stone

THORP Dorcas[?], wife of Eurola[?] Thorp, b.[?], d. 12 Jan. 1842, ae [?]

THORP Dorcas M., dau. of Dorcas and Eurola, b. 1825[?], d. 7 Oct. 1826, ae 1

THORP Miranda E., dau. of David and Dorcas P. Thorp, b. 1834[?], d. 14 Oct. 1838, ae 4

THORP Henry D., son of David and Dorcas P., b. 1835[?], d. 31 May 1855, ae 19

THORP Mary E., dau. of David and Dorcas[?] P., b. 1837[?], d. 15 Oct. ae 1

THORP Joseph E., son of David and Dorcas P., b.[?], d. 29 Aug. 1844, ae [?]

- THORP Sylvester B., son of David and Dorcas P., b.[?], d. 25 Dec. 1840, ae 11[?]
- THORP Dorcas P., wife of David Thorp, b. 1851[?], d. 31 Oct. 1851, ae 36[?]
- NOBLES Charles, b. 1793[?], d. 12 Dec. 1874, ae 81
C.[?], "We miss thee at home", b. 1799, d. 19 Jan. 1866, ae 66
- WELLS Capt. Elisha, b. 1758[?], d. 11 Feb. 1825, ae 67
Also Clara, his wife, b. 1764[?], d. 27 May 1835, ae 71
- WELLS Caroline A., b. 1802[?], d. 8 Mar. 1819, ae 17
Jane G., b. 1814, d. 9 Sep. 1815, ae 11
Henry G., b. 1818, d. 10 Aug. 1818, ae 3m
Children of Elisha A. and Anna Wells
- BEACH Seldon E., son of William and Lucy, b. 1844, d. 10 June 1846, ae 2
- STEVENS Major John, b. 1736[?], d. 20 Nov. 1801, ae 65
- LAWRENCE Goerge, son of Jeremiah and Phoebe (stone badly decayed)
- LAWRENCE John S., b. 1788[?], d. 24 Mar. 1872, ae 84
- WOODWORTH Hannah, wife of Josiah, b. 1763[?], d. 23 Sep. 1784, ae 21
- HUNT Horice, son of Samuel and Joanna, b. 1797[?], d. 22 Dec. 1810, ae 13
- CHAMBERLIN Joel, b. 1740[?], d. 5 May 1800, ae 60
- CHAMBERLIN Lydia, wife of Joel, b. 1736, d. 24 May 1789, ae 53
- CORNING Samuel, b. 1798[?], d. 26 Oct. 1825, ae 27
- CHAPEL Laura S., wife of James M., b. 1816[?], d. 10 May 1852, ae 36
- CHAPEL Peter, b. 1789[?], d. 19 Nov. 1850, ae 61
Rhoda L., wife of Peter Chapel, b. 1796[?], d. 20 Aug. 1859, ae 63
- CHAPEL Mary Ann, dau. of Peter and Rhoda, b. 1868[?], d. 16 Apr. 1887, ae 19
- CHAPEL William, son of Peter and Rhoda, b. 1836, d. 29 May 1837, ae 11m 8d
- CHAPLIN Joseph, b. 1736[?], d. 17 June 1776, ae 40
- MILLIKAN Amanda, wife of Robert, b. 1794[?], 2 July 1820, ae 26
- MILLIKAN Susanna, wife of George, b. 1794[?], d. 22 Aug. 1822, ae 28
"Adieu my friends a long adieu, My children dear farewell,
Prepare to me your God on high and in Christ's kingdom dwell."
- MILLIKAN John, b. 15 Nov. 1786, d. 8 Nov. 1854, ae 68
- MILLIKAN Dorothy, wife of John, b. 1793[?], d. 27 Feb. 1829, ae 36
- BALLENTINE Harriet, dau. of William G. and Wealthy, b. 1818[?], d. 25 Oct. 1835, ae 17
- BALLENTINE Rev. William, "first minister of this town", b. 1750[?], d. 30 Nov. 1820, ae 70

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Note: Neither Mrs. Wells nor the Editor has examined the tombstones or otherwise attempted to resolve discrepancies. Errors and inconsistencies may be the result of the stonecutting, the transcribing, or the original typing from Mrs. Elliot's notes. As with any printed material, a check with the original may be in order. Editor.

GENEALOGICAL RESOURCES
IN BERKSHIRE COUNTY LIBRARIES

by Charlotte P. Davis*

DALTON FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Main Street, Dalton Doris Lamica, librarian

The Dalton library is in the front section of the Dalton Town Hall on the ground floor. It is quite large and very pleasant. A small special room houses the town's history and genealogy books. The collection here has special emphasis on Dalton, much of it donated to the library by Winthrop Crane.

Special books about Dalton are interesting and varied. "The Dalton Plan," a new progressive educational plan of the 1920s is in eight books, probably the most complete set around. Others are: Dalton and the World War, 1917-1918, 150th Anniversary of Dalton, 1784-1934, The First 175 Years of Crane Papermaking, History of Dalton Methodist Church, and Down Memory Lane by "Cap" Couch, (a weekly column in the Dalton News-Record). Veterans Graves in Dalton has maps of all Dalton cemeteries from the Revolution through W.W.I. Other books about the military are Civil War, Company K, 49th Regiment (Byron West was commander of Company K) and Personal Sketches - Dalton in the Civil War.

Other pertinent Dalton items: Town Reports, 1866 to the present, and the Guest Register for the Great Hearth Lodge on Mount Weston in Dalton, 1888-1893. This lodge was owned by Lieut. Gov. Weston. The history of the library is recorded in a book picturing the interior and scrapbooks of newspaper items about the library from 1925 to the present.

There are genealogies and biographies on William Frances Bartlett, William Cullen Bryant, Josephine Boardman Crane, W. Murray Crane, Zenas Crane, Kirch Kirchner, Mathias, and Sabina and Col. Ephraim Williams.

Dalton was included in the series Massachusetts Vital Records to 1850. The library has copies of Dalton Vital Records to 1850 and fifteen books for mostly Berkshire County towns.

There are bound copies of The Dalton News-Record, 1961 to the present with some gaps, and U.S. Army newspaper The Stars and Stripes, February 1981 to June 1919.

The genealogist will find such standard reference works as Child's Gazetteer of Berkshire County, Beer's and Smith's histories of Berkshire County, Western Massachusetts History (4 vols.), and Commonwealth History of Massachusetts (5 vols.), and a few histories of surrounding towns published in recent years.

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Atlases are available: Berkshire County 1904; Massachusetts 1891, 1895, and 1904; also the Statistical Atlas of the United States 11th Census (1898).

The librarian will answer genealogical questions by mail that do not involve extensive research.

Library hours: Monday and Wednesday, 12 noon to 8:00 P.M.; Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday, 12 noon to 5:30 P.M.; Saturday, 11 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Telephone 684-0049.

Town Clerk's Office. One is able to go directly from the library into the town clerk's offices, so all records there are easily accessible. The town's vital records begin in 1843; earlier records are in the previously mentioned Dalton Vital Records to 1850. This office also has the Acts and Resolves of the Massachusetts Supreme Court from 1939 to the present day, often good sources for the genealogist.

EGREMONT LIBRARY

South Egremont Mrs. Florence Wheeler, librarian

The Egremont library is small but pleasant. It occupies the ground floor of the building that formerly served as the Town Hall (next to the cemetery). The 1832 building was used as an academy for fifty years until it became the Town Hall.

In this library are two books on the Goodall-Goodale Family (Salem and South Egremont). One finds the large well-known History of Berkshire County and histories of surrounding communities. Egremont has only one town history - Egremont, written for the Bicentennial.

There are no church records, newspaper records, or vital statistics here. Some Egremont town reports are in the library but most are upstairs, packed in boxes and piled loosely on the top shelves. They would be very hard to use, may not be complete, and no one knows how far back they go.

The second floor of the building is devoted to a fine, small historical museum. Large old books are on every available shelf, ones not found in many libraries. Leather bound too! The eight volume set Records of the Colony of New Plymouth in New England covers deeds, court orders, laws, judicial acts, etc., from 1620 to 1682. Another surprise - Massachusetts Public Documents, a complete set from 1895 to 1906, a good source of information for the genealogist. The number of volumes for each year varies, but for 1895 alone there are twelve volumes.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts sends a bound copy of Acts and Resolves to every library in the state each year. At first libraries were given instructions to keep them, but later were given permission to dispose

of them if not used. Most libraries have given up trying to store them. They can be a valuable source and in this museum one finds them, all in excellent condition. The first set consists of thirty-two volumes of Acts and Resolves of the Province of Massachusetts Bay, 1692-1803. Beginning in 1804, the Acts and Resolves contain cases in the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts. Only a few volumes are missing from 1804 to 1934.

Egremont, unfortunately, was not included in the Massachusetts Vital Records to 1850 series. But carefully stored in the second floor museum are 154 volumes of this set. Some still have their paper covers on! Genealogists look for these because they include not only the town vital records but the local church and gravestone records.

The museum has a number of scrapbooks on local people and events, Beers' Atlas of Berkshire County, and the Massachusetts Historical Commission's Historical Site Inventory of Egremont.

Library hours: Monday and Thursday, 1:00 - 6:00 P.M.; Saturday, 10:30 A.M. - 1:30 P.M. Telephone 528-1474.

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DENIS J. LESIEUR, HEAD OF THE LENOX LIBRARY, LENOX, MASS.

The appointment of Denis J. Lesieur to the position of Librarian of the Lenox Library was announced by the Library Trustees. The Berkshire Family History Association recently honored him and his wife, Shirley, at an appreciation dinner to celebrate this event. Mr. Lesieur had been supervisor of the local history and genealogy division of the Berkshire Athenaeum.

Founding president of the Berkshire Family History when it became an independent organization in 1979, Denis served as president for three years. He has initiated numerous successful programs for the Association, including publication of The Berkshire Genealogist, which he edited from the first number through Volume 3, Number 1. He has served as research director and member of the board of directors, responsibilities he will continue after assuming his new position in September of this year.

Mr. Lesieur was honored by the Board of Directors in 1983 by presentation with a life membership in the Berkshire Family History Association.

ANCESTOR TABLES

We begin the printing of Ancestor Tables with great expectations and with some trepidation.

Expectations spring from the values of the Tables as stated by Donald Lines Jacobus, who began the printing of Ancestor Tables in the January 1955 issue of The American Genealogist. He saw the values of this feature as: allowing subscribers to record for themselves and family their known ancestors through their great-great-grandparents; starring progenitors about whom little is known and correspondence invited; and providing information for those with cognate lines.

Trepidation arises from the comments of George McCracken, successor to Mr. Jacobus as editor of TAG, on the occasion of the printing of the 200th Ancestor Table in January, 1971: "...it should be said that the Editor would not weep if no more (Tables) arrived, but since they seem to be popular he resigns himself to more drudgery of this kind." Part of the frustration must have arisen from contributors deviating from the "carefully considered" rules "either through misunderstanding or deliberately". We ask that you carefully follow the the simple rules below.

Trepidation arises, also, from the realization that the Editor may not have enough "general genealogical knowledge" to detect or suspect errors in the ancestry in the Tables. In another context, Donald Jacobus took to task editors of genealogical publications: "Some of them, I feel, make a mistake in including ... lines of descent of members. Material of this type is too often prepared by amateurs of insufficient experience and should be checked before acceptance by trained editors who possess a great deal of general genealogical knowledge." TAG 40:1:63 (January 1964). We ask that your Tables be based on careful documentation.

Rules for Submission of Ancestor Tables

- 1) One Ancestor Table will be printed for the ancestors of a member and one for the spouse of a member.
- 2) Limit Tables to six generations. If member wishes to submit more than six generations, the line of a parent or grandparent may be substituted, indicating the relationship. The line of a descendant will not be printed.
- 3) Numbering system. You are number 1. Your father is number 2; your mother number 3. The number of the fathers in succeeding generations is twice that of the child; the number of the mother is that of the father plus one.
- 4) Give the full name of each person; birth and death years; main places of residence; limited to three.
- 5) Place names: use standard, not postal, abbreviations; i.e. Mass., not MA. If places of residence are the same for husband and wife, do not repeat for wife. State names need not be repeated if no misunderstanding will arise.
- 6) No Table will knowingly be printed if it is in print elsewhere unless significant new material has been added.

- 7) Where no information is known, indicate thus: 27. ____ or 52-55.
8) An asterisk (*) may be used to indicate that more information is requested.
9) Single line entries are preferred. We are still experimenting with format, but at present a line is 75 spaces.

Tables not complying with these guidelines, or whose data seem open to question, cannot be printed.

ANCESTOR TABLES

I. Stanley Eugene Moore, 26 Hazelwood Terrace, Pittsfield, Mass. 01201

I

1. Stanley Eugene Moore, 1924- , Brattleboro, Vt.

II

2. Earle Clifford Moore, 1903- , Brattleboro, Vt.; W. Palm Beach, Fla.
3. Beatrice Estelle Ford, 1901- ,

III

4. Merle Lemuel Moore, 1882-1962, Wilmington, Vt.
5. Melvena Marie Reando, 1887-1965, Wilmington, Vt.
6. Harry Leroy Ford, 1875-1965, Burlington, Vt.
7. Martha May Hersey, 1874-1966.

IV

8. Lester Clifford Moore, 1857-1927, Wilmington, Vt.
9. Elsie Almira Smith, 1860-1949.
10. Peter Napoleon Reando, 1861-1949, Tupper Lake, N.Y.
11. Eugenie Jennie Cadorette, 1867-1950.
12. Jacob Washington Ford, 1846-1911, Randolph, Vt.
13. Ida Estelle Phillips, 1855-1928.
14. George W. Hersey, 1839-1915, Worcester, Vt.
15. Melissa Ainsworth, 1839-1900.

V

16. Truman Moore, 1813-1896, Wilmington, Vt.
17. Olive Smith, 1818-1905.
18. Lemuel Smith, 1839-1908, Dover and Brattleboro, Vt.
19. Emily Almira Hubbard, 1838-1907.
20.* Leon Riendeau, ca. 1830-1926, Roxton Falls, Que.; Northampton, Mass.
21.* Philomene Fontaine (dit Pion), -1914.
22.* Pierre Cadorette, -1881, Roxton Falls, Que.
23. Adeline Laplante (dit Bonnier), 1832-1919.
24. Washington Ford, 1810-1883, Braintree and Berlin, Vt.
25. Mary Crane, 1816-1901.
26. Calvin B. Phillips, 1813-1896, Roxbury and Randolph, Vt.
27. Louisa Jane McCollom, 1812-1885.
28. Nathaniel Stone Hersey, 1788-1866, Callais, Vt.
29. Asenath Slayton, 1799-1862.
30. Hiram Ainsworth, 1805-1888, Woodbury, Vt.
31. Roxana Jack, 1805-1862.

VI

32. Isaac Moore, 1782-1867, Wilmington, Vt.
33. Leura Marsh, 1784-1866.

34. Jonathan Smith, 1770-1844, Conway, Mass. and Dover, Vt.
35. Olive Hayward, 1776-1871.
36. Samuel Holmes Smith, 1794-1881, Halifax, Vt.
37. Mercy Niles, 1802-1879.
38. Frederick Graves Hubbard, 1811-1909, Wilmington and Halifax, Vt.
39. Arvilla Morgan, 1811-1905.
- 40.* Leon Riendeau, - , Boucherville, Que.
- 41.* Charlotte Gauthier, - .
- 42.* Joseph Fontaine (dit Pion), - , St. Denis sur Richelieu, Que.
- 43.* Francoise Kimineur, - .
- 44.* Jean Baptiste Cadoret, - , St. Cuthbert de Berthier, Que.
- 45.* Josephite Glasson, - .
- 46.* Francois Bonnier, - , St. Denis sur Richelieu and Notre Dame de Stanbridge, Que.
- 47.* Sophie Charbonneau, - .
48. Elisha Ford, 1785-1869, Braintree, Vt.
49. Asenath Spear, 1790-1865.
50. William Crane, 1775-1854, Reading and Berlin, Vt.
51. Susannah Dutton, 1784-1881.
- 52.* Isaac Phillips, -1829, Westmoreland, N.H.
- 53.* Mary (or Patty) Carr, - .
54. Alexander McCollom, 1771-1858, Ludlow and Stockbridge, Vt.
55. Meribah Sargent, 1782-1830.
56. Elijah Hersey, 1752-1850, Hingham and Leicester, Mass.
57. Beulah Waite, 1753-1804.
58. Jesse Slayton, 1762-1846, Brookfield, Mass. and Calais, Vt.
- 59.* Betsy Bucklin, - .
60. Wareham Ainsworth, 1780-1812, Woodstock, Conn. and Calais, Vt.
- 61.* Nancy Thayer, - .
62. Andrew Jack, 1768-1835, New Boston, N.H.; Marshfield & Plainfield, Vt.
63. Mary Brown, 1772-1862.

II. George David Hoyt. Submitted by his daughter, Mary Hoyt DeGiorgis,
121 Howard Street, Pittsfield, Mass. 01201

I

1. George David Hoyt, 1881-1946, Arlington, Vt., and Pittsfield, Mass.

II

2. Frederick William Hoyt, 1859-1935, Sandgate and Arlington, Vt.
3. Alice May Crofut, 1861-1957, Arlington, Vt., and Pittsfield, Mass.

III

4. George Parker Hoyt, 1835-1913, Sandgate and W. Arlington, Vt.
5. Elizabeth Mat(h)ilda Turner, 1839-1894.
6. David Crofut, 1822-1899, Arlington, Vt.
7. Martha Eunice Hawlet, 1821-1908, Arlington, Vt., and Wooster, Ohio

IV

8. Frederick Dudley Hoyt, 1807-1878, Sandgate and Arlington, Vt.
9. Lucetta Parker, 1812-1887, Townshend and Arlington, Vt.
10. William Turner, 1815-1885, Salem, N.Y., and Sandgate, Vt.
11. Jane Van der Poel, 1811-1884, Kinderhook, N.Y., and Sandgate, Vt.
12. James Crofut, 1794-1835, Arlington, Vt.

13. Jane Lendrum, 1796-1885, Ireland and Arlington, Vt.

14. Elijah Hawley, 1774-1858, Arlington, Vt.

15. Eunice B. Perry, 1781-1850.

V

16. Henry (Harry) Hoyt, 1783-1861, Sandgate, Vt.

17. Matilda Buck, 1785-1845.

18.* George W. Parker, 1779, 1871, Arlington, Vt.

19. Ellis/Alice/Alice Walden, 1782-1870.

20. James Turner, III, -1857, Salem, N.Y.

21. Matilda Safford, 1790-1871, Salem, N.Y. and Arlington, Vt.

22. Andries Van der Poel, 1754-1812/13, Kinderhook and Poelsburg, N.Y.

23.* Elizabeth Smith, 1770-1848, Poelsburg, N.Y.

24.* David Crofut, 1753/5-1835, Connecticut and Arlington, Vt.

25.* Phebe Dayton, - , Arlington, Vt.

26.* David Lendrum

27.* Elizabeth Car(r)uthers

28. Andrew Hawley, 1732-1801, New Milford, Conn., and Arlington, Vt.

29. Ann Hard, -1827, Arlington, Vt.

30. Josiah Perry, 1751-1799, N. Bennington, Vt.

31. Hannah Yeomans, 1753- .

VI

32. David Hoyt, 1743-1822, Guilford, Conn., and Sandgate, Vt.

33. Lucy Dudley, 1749-1787.

34. Abel Buck, 1755- , Conn., N.Y., and Vermont

35. Betsey Munson, - , Sandgate, Vt.

36-37.

38. James Walden, 1753- , Dighton, Mass. and R.I.

39. Celia _____, 1770- .

40. James Turner, II, - , Salem, N.Y.

41. Eleanor Hunsdon.

42. Gideon Safford, Jr., 1754-1838, Preston, Conn., and Salem, N.Y.

43. Lucy Freeman, 1755-1835.

44. Jacobus VanDerPoel, 1709- , New York.

45. Neeltje Huyck, 1719/20- .

46.

47.* Cornelia

48. James Crofut, - , Connecticut

49. Catherine _____.

50. Caleb Dayton, 1734-1818, New Milford, Conn., and Arlington, Vt.

51. Sarah Taylor

52-55.

56. Jeheil Hawley, 1712- , New Milford, Conn., and Arlington, Vt.

57.* Sarah Dunning

58. James Hard, - , Connecticut

59. Hannah Kimberley, - .

60-63.

BIBLE RECORDS

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We have inverted and capitalized surnames to facilitate scanning the record.

BIRTHS

WOODFORD Israel, Apr. 20th 1779
WOODFORD Lowly (Lowley), Apr. 26th 1775
Children of the above, born at Avon, Conn.
Hervey Monson, July 12th 1795
Romanta, Dec. 14th 1797
Amon Whitfield, Dec. 31st 1799
Publius Virgilius, June 10th 1802
Emily Augusta, Aug. 12th.1804
Truman Osborne, Jan. 1807
Maria Ann, Feb. 1st 1810
Lowley Emeline, May 17th 1813
Israel Lonzo, Apr. 27th 1816 in Pompey, N.Y.
Sarah Fitch, June 25th 1819 " " "

NORTHROP Abraham, Apr. 9th, 1774, at Tyringham, Mass.
JONES Pamela (wife of the above), Feb. 14th 1779, at Berkhemsted, Conn.
Children of above parents, born at Pompey, N.Y.
NORTHROP Ransom, June 21st. 1803
Hiram J., Aug. 25th.1805
Mary Ann J., Apr. 4th.1810
Lorenzo, Apr. 25th 1812
Ashley R., Mch. 15th 1814
Albert L., Oct. 26th 1816
Pamela, May 4th.1819

WOODFORD Clinton Northrup, Oct. 28th.1846
Florence Amelia, Feb. 25th,1852

NORTHROP Mary P., at Pompey, Oct. 1st.1834
Clark L., at Pompey, Apr. 3rd.1837
Sarah Maria, at Pompey, Feb. 20th.1848
Francis M., at Pompey, Oct. 7th.1844
Olive L., at LaFayette, N.Y., Jan. 16th.1812

WOODFORD Israel L., Apr. 27th.1816

NORTHROP Pamela, May 4th.1819
Ames, 1731
Hannah, 1736
Abraham, (at Tyringham), Apr. 9th.1774

JONES Pamela, (Consort), Feb. 14th.1779, Berkhemsted

MORLEY John, Apr. 23.1789

CARPENTER Vliet, July 2nd.1801
Emily A., Oct. 4th.1805
Mary A.J., Apr. 4th.1810
Nehemiah, Sept. 3rd.1828
Ann Amelia, June 15th.1833
Juliette, Jan. 27th.1836

FAY Howard E., Dec. 1st.1857
Hubert E., Feb. 25th.1861

MARRIAGES

NORTHROP/ Abraham Northrup of Tyringham, Mass., to Pamela Jones of
JONES Burkhamsted, Conn., by the Rev. Church, Jan. 17th.A.D.1802.

NORTHROP/ Ransom Northrup of Pompey to Eunice Farnham of Pompey, N.Y.,
FARNHAM by the Rev. Barrows, April 11th.A.D.1827.

NORTHROP/ Hiram J. Northrup to Louisa Jones, June 15th.1836.
JONES

NORTHROP/ Mary A.J. Northrup to John Morley, July 6th.1848.
MORLEY

CARPENTER/ Vliet Carpenter to Emily Wilcox, Sept. 27th.1826.
WILCOX

MORLEY/ Mary A.J. Morley to Vliet Carpenter of Dewitt, March 24th.1852.
CARPENTER

WOODFORD/ Israel L. Woodford and Pamela Northrup, Jan. 12th.1842.
NORTHROP

WOODFORD Israel and Lowley were married April 14th.1794.

NORTHROP/ Abraham Northrup and Pamela Jones, Jan. 12th.1802.
JONES

WOODFORD/ Florence Amelia Woodford and Lucien P. Case, June 18th.1873.
CASE

WOODFORD/ Lucien L. Woodford and L. Neva Birdseye, Aug. 23rd.1882.
BIRDSEYE

NORTHROP/ Lorenzo Northrup to Delia W. Clark, July 1st.1833.
CLARK

- NORTHROP/ Ashley R. Northrup to Marthy A. Conner, Mar. 15th.1848,
CONNER in Nicholasville, Ky.
- NORTHROP/ Pamela Northrup to Alonzo I. Woodford, Jan. 12th.1842.
WOODFORD
- NORTHROP/ Lorenzo Northrup to Olive Sherman of LaFayette, Oct. 10th.
SHERMAN 1849.
- NORTHROP/ Mary P. Northrup to Wm. L. Fox of Niagara Falls, Dec. 15th.
FOX 1852.
- NORTHROP/ Lucien C. Northrup to Marcia L. Holbrook, Dec. 23rd.1857.
HOLBROOK
- FOX/ Mrs. Mary P. Fox, at Pompey, to W.L. Webber of Batavia,
WEBBER March 14th.1860.
- NORTHROP/ Lucien C. Northrup to Frances Knapp, Oct. 7th.1863.
KNAPP

DEATHS

- NORTHROP Amos, Feb. 9th.1810 (79) Died at Tyringham
Hannah, his consort, Apr. 22nd.1804 (68) Died at Tyringham
Miriam, Daughter of the above, Feb. 1830
- NORTHROP Abraham, Nov. 7th.1846
Pamela, Jan. 12th.1860
Albert, Aug. 11th.1849
Hiram J., Dec. 17th.1865
Ransom, Jan. 14th.1867
- CARPENTER Vliet, July 3rd.1879
- MORLEY Sept. 4th.1850.
- CARPENTER Juliett, Nov. 22nd.1841
Nehemiah, Aug. 27th.1841
Emila A., Mch. 5th.1851
- FAY Ann A. Carpenter, Feb. 13th.1869
Howard C., June 14th.1870
Herbert C., Sept. 20th.1872
- WOODFORD Clinton Northrup, March 10th.1867
Israel, Jan. 1st.1852, Aged 82 Yrs. 9 Mo.
Lowley, Aug. 19th.1860 Aged 85 Yrs. 4Mo.
- GOODWIN Maria, May 7th.1838 Aged 28 Yrs. 3 Mo.
- WOODFORD Hervey M., Nov. 3rd.1863 Aged 81 Yrs. 3Mo. 21 da.
Emily, Oct. 27th.1849 Aged 45 Yrs. 2 Mo. 15 da.
Romanta, June 12th.1880 Aged 82 Yrs. 5 Mo. 28 da.
Truman V., Feb. 3rd.1883 Aged 76 Yrs.
Amon W., Oct. 5th.1884 Aged 84 Yrs. 9 Mo. 5 da.
- CARPENTER Mary Ann, Feb. 7th.1882
- NORTHROP Martha A., Aug. 19th.1882 at Car_____, Ill.
Ashley R., Sep. 1st.1894 at Macomb, Ill.
Lorenzo, Aug. 27th.1895
Olive L., Oct. 24th.1898

WOODFORD Sarah F., Sept. 18th.1901
Israel Lonzo, June 25th.1903
Pamela N., Feb. 9.1907
NORTHROP Delia W., Feb. 26th.1848
Olive C. Oct. 24th.1898
WEBBER Mary P., June 26th.1893
Worthey, Nov. 3rd.1874
NORTHROP Clark Lucien, Sept. 11th.1901

From Bible printed in Philadelphia by William W. Harding in 1873 and owned by Mrs. F. M. Northrup.

MARRIAGES

NORTHROP/ Lucien C. Northrup and Frances M. Knapp, Oct. 7th.1862,
KNAPP at Pompey, N.Y.
NORTHROP/ Robert Garfield Northrup and Edna M. Leach, Aug. 24th.1916,
LEACH at Brooklyn, N.Y.
PLATTS/ John Milton Platts and Mary Calista Northrup, Aug. 4th.1920,
NORTHROP at Sebastopol, California.

BIRTHS

KNAPP Fidelia Geraldine, Aug. 7th.1842, d. Feb. 23rd.1895
KNAPP Harry, 1805
BEARD Ruth Howe, 1894
BEARD Carolyn, 1914
BEARD Carrie Peck, 1864
KNAPP Catherine, 1832
PRICE Gertrude L., May 21st.1854
NORTHROP Clark Lucien, Apr. 3rd.1837
KNAPP Frances Marian, Oct. 7th.1843
NORTHROP Mary Calista, Mch. 20th.1867
BEARD Robert, March 30th 1863
BEARD Florence, Apr. 25th.1881
BEARD Carl, Sep. 13th.1885
BEARD Ward, June 12th.1894
ELLIS Mary Knapp, Oct. 30th.1885
ELLIS Arthur, Nov. 8th.1861

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NEW BRUNSWICK FAMILIES

WE LIVED, a newsletter covering New Brunswick, will be discontinued this summer by its publisher, Cleadie B. Barnett. Anyone interested in her work may write Maryellen R. Bolduc, who has a complete set of the newsletters, including the last issues. Address: Maryellen R. Bolduc, Star Route Box 25, Grant St., Plainfield, MA 10170.

BERKSHIRE COUNTY PEOPLE
IN THE
ACTS, LAWS, AND RESOLVES OF MASSACHUSETTS

The Acts and Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts are full of the record of special action taken by the Senate or the House of Representatives for the benefit of individuals or groups of persons. The same is true of the Acts and Resolves ...of the Province of the Massachusetts Bay. If you would like to consult them for yourself, check with your selectmen with whom complete sets were deposited by the Secretary of the Commonwealth or with the local public library or town clerk to whom the volumes have often been relegated.

We will print abstracts from the Acts as space permits, hoping to excite you to look for yourself.

...to John Burghardt the second of Great Barrington, the sum of sixteen pounds to reimburse him for the charge he sustained in the Cure of his son, Hugo Burghardt, a minor under twenty-one, of a wound he received from a Party of Insurgents in the Action of Sheffield in February 1787 by a musket ball and three buckshot lodged in one of his shoulders. 25 June 1790. Acts and Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Resolves, May Session, 1790. Chapter 86.

To the Town of Lanesborough, towards the support of Samuel Harrison and Son, from 7 May 1789 to 7 May 1790, the Poor of the Commonwealth, 19:12:6. Resolves, May Session, 1790. Chapter 92.

Petition of Azariah Ashley in behalf of the Town of Washington praying for payment of accounts Town have paid for nursing, Doctoring & Boarding one John Linman a native of Denmark. February 16, 1791. Resolves, January Session, 1790. Chapter 42.

Petition of Isaac Kneeland, Elijah Owen Junr., Roderick Norton, Isaac Loveland, Paul Larkum, Stephen Pelton, and Moses Cook, that they be compensated for their exertions and expenses in apprehending and prosecuting James Roberts and others for making and passing counterfeit dollars, and that they be paid by the Treasurer of Berkshire County out of the forfeitures of Simon Granger, James Roberts and others. Treasurer directed to pay 133 dollars to be equally divided. 18 Feb. 1802. Resolves, January 1801, Chapter 81.

Pauper Accounts. Resolves, January 1801. Chapter 146

To town of Adams for Boarding, cloathing, and nursing Orpah Estes, Catharine an Indian, and Freeman Blakely to 30 Jan. 1802

To Alford for boarding and cloathing William Maxfield to 25 Dec. 1801.

To Egremont for boarding and cloathing Mary Daley and her three Idiot children to 12 Jan 1802

To Great Barrington for boarding and cloathing Isaac Hoose, Mary Hoose, Catharine Hoose, and Tom a negro to 2 Jan. 1802.

To Lenox for boarding, cloathing John Howe, Christopher Crow, Abraham Palmer and his two children to 14 Jan, 1802.

THE BOOKSTALL

by Denis J. Lesieur

Records of The People of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York, 1689-1880. Edited by Florence Christoph and Peter R. Christoph. Selkirk, N.Y.: Bethlehem Historical Association, 1982. ix, 460 pp., illus., index. \$25.00.

The increasing popularity and practice of genealogy has fueled an equally strong surge in the publication of local records. This book by Florence and Peter Christoph is especially welcome, given the difficulties inherent in trying to locate and use local records in New York State. While not a complete substitute for the actual records, published versions do allow initial research to proceed and reasonable assumptions to be made.

Most of the records contained in the volume begin in 1793, although actual settlement of Bethlehem occurred more than a century before. Since the town was not incorporated until 1793, earlier records are scattered in other surrounding jurisdictions of which Bethlehem was a part, including Rensselaerwyck and the Town of Watervliet. It is unfortunate that the Christophs did not include at least a brief mention of the extent and location of these earliest records, particularly since they cover a long and significant segment of time in the development of the town, as well as Albany County.

Those records included in the book, however, are well done. The researcher is given a wide span of local records with which to work, ranging from church and cemetery records to the U.S. Census reports for Bethlehem from 1800-1840. Since each type of record is copied in its original format and to its conclusion, each has its own section. A brief historical introduction precedes the segments, explaining the genesis and location of the original records. A composite index for the entire contents is also provided. As an added feature, frequently encountered surnames are listed in front of the index, together with their English and Dutch variant spellings. Such a guide is welcome for a work that deals with the Hudson Valley area and its heavy settlement by the Dutch.

The technical production of the volume is also impressive. The type is large and easily read, with a minimum of typographical errors detected. This last point is especially important for any published records, because even the smallest error can create havoc with genealogical research. Illustrations of the various records are interspersed throughout the text, together with historical photographs of Bethlehem and some of its prominent inhabitants. Unfortunately, the reproduction of 1767 and 1866 maps of the town are rather blurred, rendering them difficult to read.

Beyond such minor problems, however, Records of the People of the Town of Bethlehem is a fine work that should serve as a model for similar efforts by other towns. It is to be hoped that the publication of local records will encourage the study of the social and economic development of small towns and families, the basic elements of American history.

AT THE ATHENAEUM

Items listed here are gifts to the Local History and Genealogy Collection of the Berkshire Athenaeum. The name and address of the person from whom the item may be purchased are included unless otherwise requested.

AUSTIN. Descendants of John Austin of Greenwich, Connecticut: Vermont Migrations to New York and West. By Edith Austin Moore, with additions by Marion Jones, 1981. 45 pp., maps, illus., notes, index. \$20.00. Write: Marion Jones, Silver Creek, NY 14136

CANADA. An "Ordinary" of Arms from Heraldry in Canada. By D.E. Kennedy. Vols. 1-10, 1966-1976. 113 pp., illus. Gift of Harriet Sawyer.

CANADA. Melanges Genealogiques. Cahier X. Noms Quebecois Americanises. By Raymond Gingras. 21 pp., biblio. Gift of Harriet Sawyer.

CANADA. A Topographical Dictionary of Lower Canada. 1831 ed. Microfiche. Gift of Harriet Sawyer.

EDDY. The Eddy Homesteader. February 1981 - July 1982. Gift of Marjorie Griggs.

FLORANCE. We, the Florances/Florences. By Charles Wesley Florance, Jr. ii, 86 pp., appendixes. \$15.00. Write: The Author, 602 Northridge, San Antonio, TX 78209.

GENEALOGICAL HELPER, 1975 - 1981. Nibley, Utah: Everton Publishers. Bimonthly journal. Gifts of Don Lutes and Walter McIntosh.

GRAY. The Gray Family of Hancock County, Maine. By Almon A. Gray and Walter A. Snow, 1976. 260 pp., illus., index. \$20.00. Write: Box 99, Brooksville, ME 04617.

GRINDLE. The Grindle Family of Hancock County, Maine. By Walter A. Snow et al, 1978. 318 pp., illus., index. \$25.00.

MC INTOSH. A Genealogical Record of Families in New England Bearing the Name McIntosh. By Walter H. McIntosh. 73 pp., index. \$17.50.

MAINE. Brooksville, Maine. A Town in the Revolution. By Walter A. Snow, 1976. 74 pp., illus., notes. \$14.00. Write: The Compiler, Box 99, Brooksville, ME 04617.

MASSACHUSETTS. Lists of Persons Whose Names Have Been Changed in Massachusetts, 1780-1892. Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co., 1972 reprint. 522 pp., indexes. Gift of Harriet Sawyer.

NEW ENGLAND. New England Cemeteries. A Collector's Guide. By Andrew Kull. Brattleboro, Vt.: Stephen Greene Press, 1975. xvii, 253 pp., photos, maps, index. Gift of Edith Leidhold.

THE QUERY SECTION

by J. Bradley Cooper

Queries, while just that, should be more than requests for information. The Query Section can be a forum facilitating the interchange of genealogical material. The ideal query should suggest the possession of other information which the generator of the query will exchange with anyone who answers the query, should this be desired.

For example: a query such as "John Doe born about 1870 married Mary Moe about 1896. Need lineage and all data on John and Mary." displays a lack of homework. It indicates also that the generator of the query has little information to share with anyone answering the query. It is unlikely that anyone who may have spent years accumulating material from 1620 to 1870 will bother to present the results of such a search as an answer to the query. Nor should the originator of the query expect that this will be done.

Had the query been worded differently the prospect of securing results might have been increased. For example: "John Doe born 2 July, Sheffield, married Mary Moe, Lenox, 5 June 1896. Need parents of John and Mary." is much more likely to secure results.

Once the parentage of John and Mary is obtained, the next step would be to generate a similar query as to the grandparents. In this step-by-step method the entire lineage chain could be constructed. It is much more likely that other researchers will share bits and pieces of their findings than the complete genealogical structure. This may be a time consuming process but so was the accumulation of the information to which the generator of the query desires access.

A number of queries have been received which present considerable information but do not ask a question or state what is desired. These cannot be published because the nature of the desired response is not disclosed. The query must begin or end with a specific request or it cannot produce results. If there is only a wish to correspond with anyone with a similar interest, this should be stated in the query.

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QUERIES

Unless otherwise specified, all locations are in Massachusetts.

83008

WESTOVER

Benjamin Galt Westover, born 29 March 1816, Sheffield, seven children in family. Need parents and any brothers or sisters. Family moved to New York state when he was a small boy. Was father's name Abijah?
Marilyn Westover, 105-N 12th St., Clear Lake, IA 50428

83009

MUNSON

The Thomas Munson Foundation is currently updating family records preparatory to publication of volume three of the family history. Any Munson interested in Munson genealogy is invited to contact their Historian. Connie Munson Downie, 505 Lingle Terrace, Lafayette, IN 47901

83010

BATES - SLADE

Oren Bates, son of John and Sophia (Slade) Bates, born Pittsfield, 1815. Need any and all information on this family.

83011

ALLEN - BROWN

Isaac Allen married Lydia Brown, Adams, 18 January 1789. Had children Nancy, Nehemiah, John (perhaps). Where were they born? Lydia died 1831, where?

Patricia Abrams, 1900 NW 21 Street, Gainesville, FL 32605

83012

CAPE COD FAMILIES

There was a great exodus from Cape Cod to Lee between the early 1770s and early 1800s. We are compiling a list of these people. Need the names of anyone born on the Cape who settled in Lee during this period.

Mrs. Richard P. Davis, 9 Navin Ave., Lee, MA 01238

83013

AISTON - LEETE - CONE

Robert Aiston, sometimes Aston, Asten, Austin, etc., married Sarah Malvina Leete, daughter Alexander and Sally (Cone) Leete, Batavia, N.Y., 16 November 1844. Need ancestry of Robert, date of death, and place of burial.

83014

CONE

Wish to correspond with descendants of Norris Cone, son of Solomon and Sally (Richmond) Cone of Guilford, Conn.; moved to Linn County, Iowa, 1838. Similar interest in descendants of his brother, Samuel Whittlesey Dana Cone, married in Marion, Iowa, 1846, died there 1853.

83015

AISTON

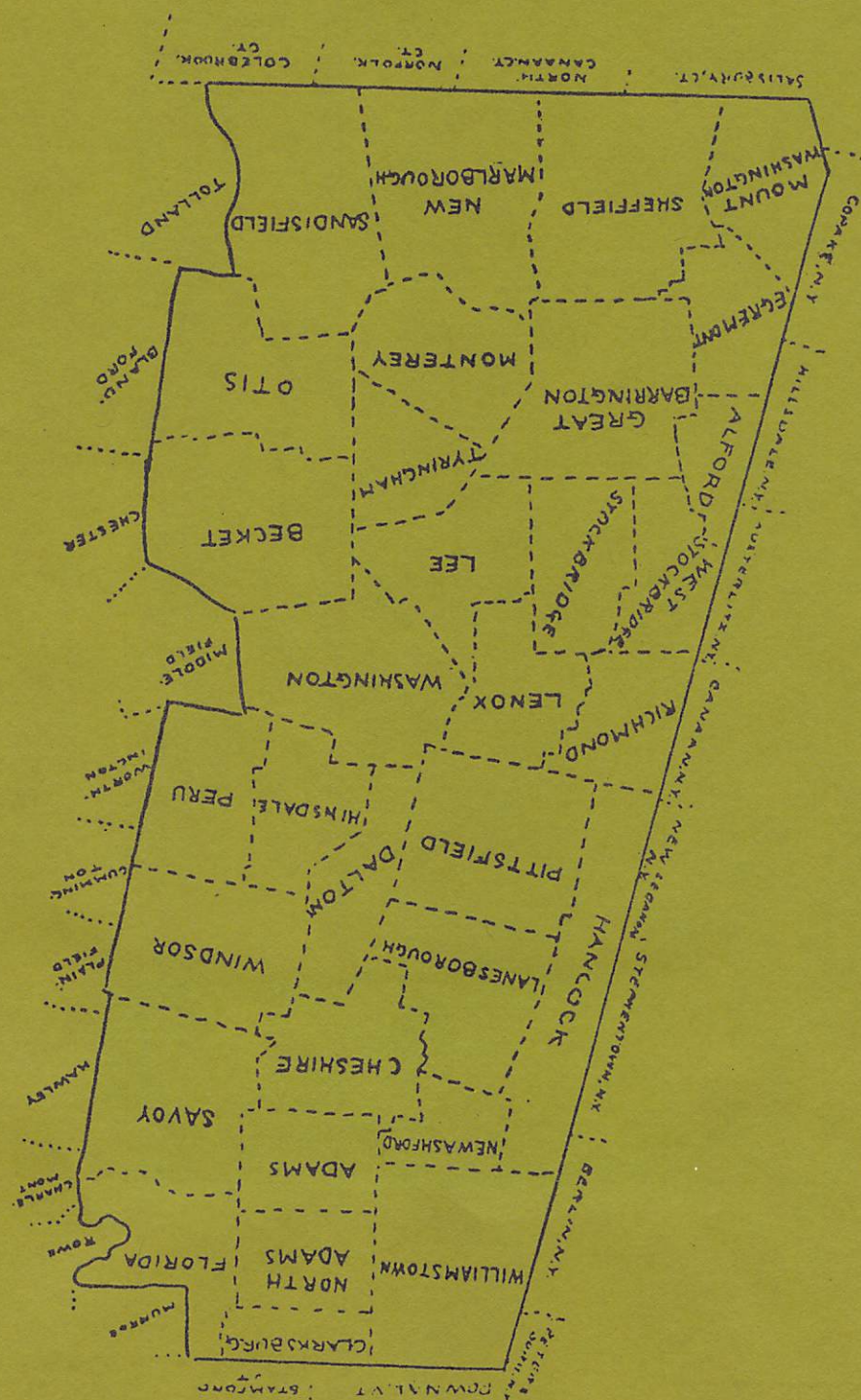
Seek information on Sylvester Aiston, married Hattie in Marshalltown, Iowa, and had son Frederick, who was sent back to western Massachusetts Aiston family as guardians.

83016

RICHMOND

Jacob Richmond m. Sarah Dean ca. 1758; was in Louisbourg expedition 1745; land records show in Waterbury, Conn., Farmington, Haddington, Killingworth, Guilford, Conn. Daughter Sally m. Solomon Cone at Guilford, Conn., migrated with married children to Genesee Co., N.Y. Seeking ancestry of Jacob Richmond. Would appreciate information from anyone on above. Mrs. L.A. Chamberlain, 1900 Kanner Hwy., #10-104, Stuart, FL 33497

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