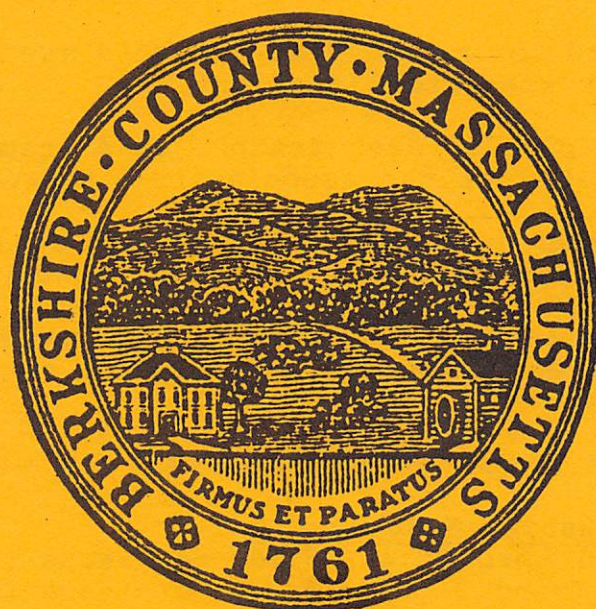


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GENEALOGICAL RESOURCES IN BERKSHIRE COUNTY LIBRARIES

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Williamstown Public Library

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This centrally located library blends well with the lovely colonial homes in the area but unfortunately the interior is inefficient for a library. The genealogist will find a fine collection of interesting helpful books and material on the first and second floors but the material is scattered, due to space limitations. A proposed new addition should relieve this situation.

This is another library in the county that allows the local historical society space for displays and it, in turn, has one of the largest war book collections in the area. The curator of "The House of Local History" on the second floor is Nancy Burstein. Her usual hours are Wednesday 1 to 8 P.M. and Saturday 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.

The history of Williamstown is well documented - far better than that of any other county town. The most outstanding work is by Professor A.L. Perry, Origins of Williamstown and Williamstown and Williams College, both indexed. Another, Boyhood Reminiscences by Judge Keyes Danforth (1895) with an index, not only describes life in Williamstown but describes every house and owner! There are other town histories by Browne, Egleston, the Williamstown Historic Commission, and Another Williamstown, the Cotton Textile Industry in a New England Community (1826-1929) by Powell. Shorter histories are Rise and Fall of South Williamstown (1762-1900), Carmel Monastery History, and History of the White Oaks Section of Williamstown. Williamstown Oral History, with transcriptions of interviews of senior citizens by the students at the college is another source. Many fine histories of the college augment and blend well with histories of the town.

The Williamstown Library has a large collection of photographs stored in acid free boxes. In seven large, indexed note books, a sheet of paper for every photograph is numbered and has detailed descriptions, giving quick access to the photographs. Worthy of mention are large paperback books - North Adams and Vicinity Illustrated (1898, Adams and Williamstown) and Pictur-
esque Berkshire, North and South.

The huge 1893 ledger, A Prescription Book of the College Pharmacy, with the prescriptions pasted in, could be helpful.

Fortunately Williamstown was included in the set of books Massachusetts Vital Records to 1850. The library has 153 volumes of this fine set of 239 volumes published by the state. However, they have a unique addition. Professor Elmer Shepard realizing that the Williamstown Vital Records to 1850 did not contain any of the wives' maiden names, proceeded to carefully research and list these missing surnames! He used the town's old marriage records in the Town Hall and old Probate Court records.

Williamstown census records are here for 1800, 1810, 1820, and 1870. One also finds the printed books for the 1790 Census for all our New England states.

The only printed family genealogies are those of Joseph White and Col. Benjamin Simonds, and Charles Sumner Cole's biography. However, family records are here for these families: Goodell, Sherman, Gardiners of Narragansett, Noble, Eldridge, Harrison, Spencer, Hudson, Smedley, Maecck, John Barney Wright, and Angevine. Anyone researching local families will find the library has an index to the families listed in the Proprietors Book in the Town Hall - even the page number. Very helpful.

Town Reports can be important. Here one finds most of these from 1875 to 1904, and from 1915 to the present. Copies of Williamstown land deeds from 1771 to the 1830s are almost complete. The only school records are the School Committee Reports for 1885, 1888, 1890, and 1900-1903.

No church records are stored here but the following books are important - Informal History of St. John's Parish (1969) by F.B. Chaffee; History and Proceedings of Commemoration of the 150th Anniversary of the First Congregational Church (1915) by Rev. J. DePeu; 200 Years - a History of the Church of Christ in Williamstown (1965) by R. Fraser.

Williamstown Directories (no longer being printed) cover 1874, 1899-1900, 1903-04, 1937, 1942, 1948, and 1961-81. The following newspapers are bound - Williamstown News from 1959 through 1973, Williamstown Advocate from 1981 through 1984, and the American Advocate from April 12, 1827 to January 5, 1831 (a weekly Williamstown newspaper). At the Williams College Sawyer Library one finds on microfilm the North Adams Transcript from 1936 to the present and a microfilm reader.

Very fine local cemetery records are available in the Cemetery Office at the Eastlawn Cemetery. (See map on page 35.)

The most unusual book is The Register by Dr. William H. Tyler, with index. It includes vital records for the following families: Tyler, Clothier, Cole, Noble, Hall, Cook, Baldwin, and Hamilton. Then follow lists and dates of the pioneers of New

Ashford, Ashford and Lanesborough; death dates of people living in Hancock, Otis, and Lyndonville; lists and dates of people living in Silver Creek, N.Y., Knowlsville, N.Y., and church members of Medina, N.Y.

The large well known Atlas has fine maps of the Williamstown area. The library has the publication for the following years: 1858, 1876, 1894, and 1904.

It must have been the "in" thing to be married in Pownal, Vermont; judging by the number of Massachusetts people who went over the state line in the early 1800s. Professor Elmer Shepard copied the list of marriages and his third copy is in this library, Berkshire Genealogical Notes - Marriages in Pownal, Vermont to 1850.

Berkshire County history is well covered by books by D.D. Field, Phillips, Beers, R.H. Cooke, Birdsall, W.P.A., Peattie, Palme, and Child's Gazetteer. There are copies of histories of the surrounding towns. Also Biographical Review and History of Berkshire County, both having sketches of leading citizens in the county; also Wright's Story of Western Massachusetts, the four volume set of family history.

The library has many fine histories of Massachusetts as well as genealogical books such as Cutter's New England Families; Virkus and Marquis' First Families of America and Genealogy of Mayflower Planters.

In addition to material pertinent to Williamstown, are Adams marriage records from 1760-1846 and a survey of Savoy Mountain State Forest Cemeteries.

Books concerning wars the United States has fought are together in fine glass cases - one of the finest collections in the county.

They are:

Revolutionary War - Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors in the Revolution (Vol. 13 missing); Record of the Dedication of the Monument to the Evacuation of Boston 1776 (Dorchester Heights); History of the Battle of Bunker Hill; Remember the Ladies - Outstanding Women of the American Revolution; A Guide to the Revolutionary War Manuscripts in the New York State Library by Stefan Bielinski 1976; Massachusetts Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, Soldiers and Sailors Whose Graves Have Been Designated by the Society, 1901; Massachusetts Society of the Sons of the American Revolution (members and genealogy 1899).

War of 1812 - Records of the Massachusetts Militia in the War of 1812.

Civil War - History of Massachusetts in the Civil War by Schouler (1868); Civil War Massachusetts Army and Navy 1861-65

(2 volumes); Minute Men of '61 by Nason; History of the Civil War in America (3 volumes); Equestrian Statue of Major Gen. Hooker; Dedication of the Statue of Rear Admiral John Ancrum Winslow; Dedication for Major General Nathaniel Prentiss Banks; Memorial to Patrick A. Collins; The Melvin Memorial (brothers Asa, John and Samuel); Massachusetts Monuments. Histories (all separate books) of Massachusetts Regiments - 1st Cavalry, 1st Heavy Artillery, Nim's 2nd Massachusetts Battery, 3rd Regiment, 3rd Cavalry, 5th Battery, 5th Regiment, 8th Infantry, 9th Massachusetts Volunteers, 10th Battery, 10th Regiment, 13th, 15th, 17th, 19th, 20th, 24th, 37th, 39th, 45th, 48th, 50th, 52nd, The Brave Black 54th and 57th. Early History of the Department of Massachusetts G.A.R. 1866-1880; Souvenir of 24th National Encampment G.A.R. 1890; Grand Army Blue Book 1906; Massachusetts G.A.R. Proceedings of Encampment 1907-24. Last, but certainly not least, Frank Leslie's illustrated book History of the Civil War (1896).

World War I - Officers and Enlisted Men of U.S. Naval Service Who Died During the World War (1920); Williams College in World War I.

Mrs. Jenks will answer genealogical questions by mail if they are brief and do not involve extensive research. A donation for this service is appreciated.

Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday - 10:00 A.M.-5:30 P.M.
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 Saturday - 10:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M.
 Closed Saturday during July and August.

A copy machine is available in the library.
 Telephone 413-458-5369

Note: Anyone researching a family or person connected in any way with Williams College should check the Williamsiana Collection in Stetson Hall (ground floor). It includes fine records concerning faculty, students, and college history.

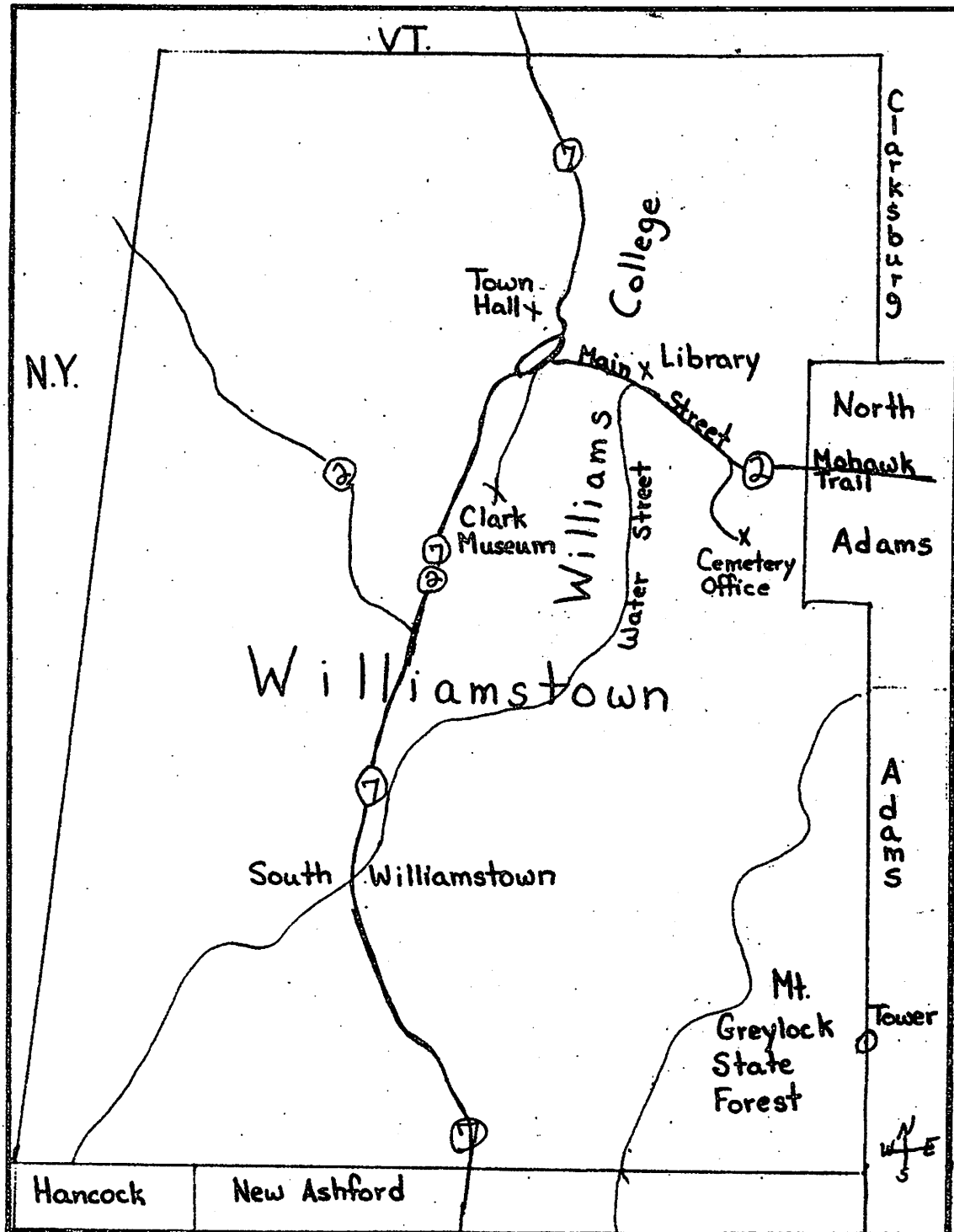
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WILLIAMSTOWN - Incorporated 1765 - Town Govt. - Berkshire County
 Early name - West Hoosuck Plantation.

A part of Williamstown called "Blackinton" annexed to North Adams (1900).

Sections: BUXTON, CHARITYVILLE, COLESVILLE, HEMLOCK BROOK,
 NORTHWEST HILL, RIVERSIDE, SHERWOOD,
 SOUTH WILLIAMSTOWN, SWEET'S CORNER,
 WHITE OAKS, WILLIAMSTOWN STATION.

from Directory of Massachusetts Place Names being compiled by Charlotte P. Davis. (This will be a directory of Sections or Villages, Towns, Cities, and Counties, and their early and present names)



WILLIAMSTOWN

with location of the Public Library and other record sources**

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RECORDS OF HENRY W. BISHOP, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
RICHMOND AND LENOX, MASSACHUSETTS, 1825-1865

Abstracted by Marcia J. Eisenberg

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No. 11 Fitch vs Smith

13 August 1825. Sanford Fitch of West Stockbridge, yeoman, versus Daniel Smith, of West Stockbridge, Husbandman. In a plea of Debt. Sd Fitch at a Justices Court holden before John C. Deming, Esquire, Justice of the Peace at West Stockbridge, 1 January 1823, recovered Judgement against Smith for \$16.84 damages and costs at \$2.34. Judgment unsatisfied to sum of \$10.47. Plaintiff appears by Kellogg & Kellogg, his attorneys; defendant did not appear. Judgement for \$12.08 & costs \$3.10. 15 August 1825. Pp. 14-15

No. 12 Kirby vs Warner

13 August 1825. Zebulon Kirby of Stockbridge, yeoman, versus Emroy Warner of West Stockbridge, Labourer. At West Stockbridge, 15 April 1825, note to pay \$3.25; not paid, nor interest. Plaintiff appears by Kellogg & Kellogg, attorneys. Kirby to recover \$3.25 damages and \$3.04 costs. 15 August 1825. P. 16

No. 13 Fitch vs Smith

13 August 1825. Sanford Fitch of West Stockbridge, yeoman, versus Arial Smith of West Stockbridge, Husbandman. On 11 January 1823 before John C. Deming, Esq., Justice of Peace of West Stockbridge, recovered judgement against Smith for \$14.05 debt or damages & \$3.34 cost; unsatisfied. Plaintiff appears by Kellogg & Kellogg, his attorneys. Fitch to recover \$8.32 debt & costs of \$3.10. 15 August 1825. Pp. 17-18

No. 14 King vs Green

10 September 1825. Alanson King of Canaan, N.Y., Esquire, versus Moses Green of West Stockbridge, Labourer. Green indebted to King for \$20.00. Plaintiff appears by Robbins Kellogg, his attorney. King to recover \$16.40 debt & \$3.37 costs. 16 Jany. 1826. Pp. 18-19

No. 15 Woodruff vs Tracy

10 Sept. 1825. Isaac Woodruff of West Stockbridge, Husbandman, versus Erastus Tracy of Richmond, Husbandman. Tracy indebted for goods, wares, and merchandise \$10.00. Plaintiff appears by Robbins Kellogg, his attorney; to recover \$2.08 debt & \$2.52 costs. 14 October 1825. Pp. 19-20

No. 16 Adams et al vs Bartlett

1 October 1825. Washington Adams of Great Barrington and William Barns of West Stockbridge, Clothiers, versus Joshua W.

Bartlett of Great Barrington, Inn holder. Plaintiffs had performed works, labours & services for Bartlett in & about the carding of his wool and dieying & finishing the Defendant's cloth. \$20.00 due. Represented by Robbins Kellogg, their attorney. Adams & Barns do recover \$6.24 debt & costs of \$3.50. 14 October 1825. Pp.21-22

No. 17 Edwards vs Webster

22 October 1825. Orlando Edwards of West Stockbridge, Merchant, versus Eli Webster of West Stockbridge, Cooper. On 2 January 1824, defendant promised William Edwards to pay \$12.06 & interest on demand. Plaintiff is lawful owner of note. To Orlando, damage of \$20.00, \$13.41 debt, \$2.76 costs. 15 November 1825. Pp. 22-23

No. 18 French vs Smith

22 October 1825. Thos French of West Stockbridge, yeoman, versus John D. Smith of Lenox, Husbandman. Damages \$5.64 and costs of suit at \$3.04 awarded. 15 November 1825. Pp. 23-24

No. 19 Combs vs Smith

19 November 1825. Joseph Combs of West Stockbridge, Husbandman, versus Daniel Smith of West Stockbridge, Husbandman. On 15 January last past, Smith promised to pay Joseph \$20.00 by 1st of June next, with interest; hath not paid. Damages of \$20.00. Plaintiff appears by Robbins Kellogg, his attorney. Joseph to recover debt and \$3.22 costs. 23 Nov. 1825. Pp.24-25.

No. 20 Fanning vs Tyler

10 Dec. 1825. Richard Fanning of West Stockbridge, Taylor, versus Platt B. Tyler, Physician, of West Stockbridge. On 1 December defendant was indebted for \$20.00 for divers works labours and services performed in Plaintiff's business as a Tailor and for goods, wares, merchandise and trimmings. Plaintiff appears by Robbins Kellogg, his attorney. Richard to recover from Platt \$9.02 debt and \$2.99 costs. 19 Dec. 1825. Pp. 26-27

No. 21 Brown vs Wood

21 January 1825. James Brown of Pittsfield, Gentleman, versus John Wood of Great Barrington, Shoemaker. At Canaan, New York, on 17 February 1824, defendant gave his note, promised to pay Peter R. Crandall ninety days after, \$18.43 and interest. Plaintiff is lawful bearer and owner of note. Damages of \$20.00. Plaintiff appears by Robbins Kellogg, his attorney. James to recover debt and costs of \$3.36. 23 Jan'y 1826. Pp. 27-28

No. 22 Kirby vs Pratt

21 January 1826. Elisha Kirby of New Lebanon, Columbia County, New York, Merchant, versus Arnold Pratt of Great Barrington, Husbandman. At New Lebanon to wit at Richmond on 9 January

current, indebted to plaintiff in sum of \$40.00 for divers goods, wares and merchandise. Damages of \$20.00. Plaintiff appears by Robbins Kellogg, his attorney, who moves to amend writ, inserting real name of Elihu for Elisha; liberty given. Action continued for Judgement til 6 March next. Pp. 29-30

No. 23 Merriman Lester vs Rich^d Quackingbush

28 January 1826. Meriman Lester, Clother, of West Stockbridge, versus Richard Quackingbush & Isaac Woodruff of West Stockbridge, Labourers. On 11 July last at West Stockbridge defendants gave their note to pay 90 days afer receipt \$17.50 in white marble stone, sawed fit for market, at cash price to be delivered at Lester's shop in West Stockbridge, with interest. Plaintiff was ready and waiting at Lester's shop to receive stone as promised. \$20.00 damages. Plaintiff appears by Robbins Kellogg, his attorney. Merriman to recover of Richard and Isaac \$10.55 debt and \$5.17 costs. 31 Jany 1826. Pp. 31-32

No. 24 Kirby vs Kellogg

28 January 1826. John Kirby of New Lebanon, Columbia County, New York, yeoman, versus John Kellogg of West Stockbridge, Deputy Sheriff. In a plea of trespass for that John Kellogg on ninth of January current at Great Barrington with force and arms took and carried away a two horse waggon of the Plaintiff, value of \$20.00, and converted same to his own use & did other enormities . . . against the Peace of this Commonwealth & damage to Kirby of \$20.00. Plaintiff appears by Robbins Kellogg, Esq., his attorney. Defendant reserves right to plead in Court of Common Pleas; says he is not guilty and puts himself on trial. By Sam^l Jones his atty. Appears to me that Defendant is not guilty and to recover costs at \$2.92. Pp. 32-33

No. 25 Brown vs Smith

4 February 1826. Bradford B. Brown of Alford, Trader, versus Daniel Smith of West Stockbridge, yeoman. On 14 July 1824, defendant promised to pay on demand \$11.15 & interest; neglects and refuses to do so. Plaintiff appears by Robbins Kellogg, his attorney; to recover \$11.43 debt & costs \$3.05. Feby 6th 1826. Pp.33-34

No. 26 Whitwood vs Carley

4 February 1826. Deodatus C. Whitwood of West Stockbridge, Merchant, versus Sally G. Carley of Austerlitz, Columbia County, New York, Gentlewoman, otherwise called Sally G. Carley late of West Stockbridge, Gentlewoman. Sd Carley being justly indebted to the Plaintiff for money expended by the Plaintiff. Plf by Robbins Kellogg, his attorney. Deodatus C. to recover \$18.38 debt and cost \$3.06. Feby 6, 1826. Pp. 34-36

No. 27 Harris vs Crossen et al

4 February 1826. Joseph Harris of Hartford, Washington County, N.Y., Merchant, versus Edward Crossen, husbandman, & Barzillai

Brown of Alford, Tanner & Courrier. Defendants being indebted for \$20.00. Plf appeared by Robbins Kellogg, his atty. Joseph to recover \$12.02 debt & costs at \$5.57. Feby 6, 1826. Pp. 36-37

No. 28 Cone et al vs Castle et al

28 January 1826. Epaphrodetus Cone & Benjamin Cone of West Stockbridge, yeomen, versus John Castle Junr of Stockbridge & Abraham Crane of West Stockbridge, Husbandmen. Indebted to Plaintiffs for \$30.00, as well for use and occupation of certain real estate and buildings and mill of the Plaintiffs as for goods and merchandise sold and delivered and as for grazing sundry cattle, horses and sheep by the plaintiffs, and work, labour, and services by them. Plaintiffs appeared by Robbins Kellogg their attorney. Action continued to fourth Saturday of February AD 1826. Plaintiffs and defendants appeared. Defendants say they never made promises in manner alleged and put themselves on trial. Further continued to 11 March next. Now on, 11 March 1826, neither party appears. 11 March 1826. Pp. 37-39

No. 29 Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Chas^s Windslow vs Luther Plumb

Know all men that I, Luther Plumb of West Stockbridge, Esquire, do owe Charles Windslow of Preble, Courtland County, N.Y., merchant \$14.62 to be paid on first of January 1827. Dated at West Stockbridge 3 November 1826. Acknowledged before Henry W. Bishop, Just Peace. Pp. 39-40

No. 30 Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Tilden vs Salmon

Know all men that I, Luther Salmon of Richmond, yeoman, do owe Elam Tilden of New Lebanon, Columbia County, N.Y., merchant \$9.18 to be paid on fourteenth of November 1826. Dated at Richmond 6 November 1826. Acknowledged before me Just. Peace. P. 40

No. 31 Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Gilbert vs Salmon

Know all men that I, Luther Salmon of Richmond, yeoman, do owe Nancy Gilbert of New Lebanon, Columbia County, N.Y., single-woman, \$17.46 to be paid on fourteenth of Novr 1826. Dated at Richmond 6 November 1826. Acknowledged before me Just. Peace. Pp. 40-41

No. 32 Brown vs Dickinson

24 February 1826. Bradford B. Brown of Alford, Trader, versus Ira Dickinson of West Stockbridge, stone cutter. Indebted for \$30.00 in goods, wares, and merchandise sold and delivered as well as for work, labour, and sevicies. Plaintiff appeared by Robbins Kellogg, his attorney. Defendant comes not into court. Bradford B. Brown to recover \$7.73 debt & cost at \$3.20. 29

Jany 1827. Pp.42-43

No. 33 Hinman vs Foshet [or Fosket]

24 February 1826. Lyman Hinman of West Stockbridge, Husbandman, versus Nathaniel Foshet [or Fosket] of West Stockbridge, Waggon-maker. Def Indebted for \$20.00 for works, labour, and services. Plaintiff appeared by Robbins Kellogg. Lyman Hinman to recover \$11.60 debt & cost at \$2.79. 25 Feby 1826. Pp.43-44

No. 34 Taylor vs Lester

24 February 1826. Sylvester Corodon Taylor West Stockbridge, Labourer, versus Merriam Lester of West Stockbridge, Clothier. Defendant at Richmond on 23 October 1824 gave note to Plaintiff for \$8.21 with interest, one year from date. Plaintiff appears by Robbins Kellogg, his attorney. Taylor to recover \$9.90 debt & costs at \$2.07. 25 Feby 1826. Pp. 45-46

No. 35 Brown vs Hill

24 February 1826. Bradford B. Brown of Alford, Trader, versus Rufus I. Hill of West Stockbridge, Husbandman. On 15 February last past, by note, For Value received, Hill promised to pay \$11.84 & interest on demand. Plaintiff appears by Robbins Kellogg, his attorney. To recover \$12.15 debt & cost \$3.12. 25 Feby 1826. Pp. 46-47

No. 36 Lovejoy vs Crane

24 February 1826. Dan Lovejoy of Canaan, Columbia County, New York, Merchant, versus John R. Crane of West Stockbridge, Labourer. Defendant at Canaan to wit at Richmond on 28 of December last past promised to pay on demand, thirty days after, \$6.68 with interest. Damage \$10.00. Plaintiff appeared by Robbins Kellogg, his attorney. To recover \$6.75 debt & cost at \$3.17. 25 Feby 1826. Pp. 47-48

No. 37 Bradley vs Pratt

24 February 1826. Hanford Bradley of Chatham, Columbia County, N.Y., Husbandman, versus Arnold Pratt of Great Barrington, Husbandman. At Chatham to wit at Richmond, indebted to Plaintiff for \$20.00, as well for money received as for money laid out by Plaintiff, who appears by Robbins Kellogg. Bradley to recover \$7.38 debt & \$3.50 costs. 25 Feby 1826. Pp. 48-50

No. 38 Hinman vs Crane

24 February 1826. Enoch Hinman of West Stockbridge, yeoman, versus Nelson H. Crane of West Stockbridge, Labourer. On 14 January in year current, defendant indebted for \$30.00 for diverse good, wares, and merchandise, as well for money and for work, Labour, & services. Plaintiff appears by Robbins Kellogg, his attorney. Hinman to recover debt & cost (both unspecified). No date of execution given. Pp. 50-51

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STATE CENSUS OF MASSACHUSETTS, 1855

BECKET, NORTH PARISH

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		Daniel P. Chaffee	13 M		Mass.
		Ellen C. Chaffee	10 F		Mass.
91	112	Richard Church	43 M	Farmer	Mass.
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		Catherine S. Barber	1 F		Mass.
102	123	William Messenger	32 M	Farmer	Mass.
		Lydia A. Messenger	37 F		N.Y.
		Adelbert W. Messenger	7 M		Mass.
		Elmer N. Messenger	5 M		Mass.
		Lucy Messenger	60 F		Mass.
		Seaton[?] D. West	6 M		N.Y.
		George E. West	3 M		N.Y.
		Gilbert Beaudry	18 M		Canada
103	124	Harvey Phelps	55 M	Farmer	Mass.
		Laura Phelps	44 F		Mass.
		James H. Phelps	21 M	Farmer	Mass.
		George F. Phelps	20 M	Farmer	Mass.
		Mary J. Phelps	17 F		Mass.
		Addalade M. King[?]	17 F		Mass.
		Annah P. King[?]	12 F		Mass.
		Emma L. Phelps	5 F		Mass.
		Allen Printice	20 M	Farmer	Mass.
		Johanna Olira	20 F		Ireland
104	125	James W.[?] Cross	42 M	Farmer	Mass.
		Jane B. Cross	41 F		Mass.
		Emily F. Cross	17 F		Mass.
		Ellen M. Cross	15 F		Mass.
		Mary J. Cross	12 F		Mass.
		James W. Cross	10 M		Mass.
105	126	Amos G. Ballou	35 M	Farmer	Mass.
		Mary Ballou	32 F		Mass.
		Thiron[?] Ballou	8 M		Mass.
		Martha Ballou	4 F		Mass.
		David Ballou	69 M	Farmer	Mass.
		Mary P. Ballou	21 F		Mass.
		Harlan Clapp	- M		Mass.
106	127	Alexander Garrino	49 M	Labourer	Canada
		Adus[?] Garrino	32 F		Canada
		Alex Garrino	18 M	Labourer	Canada

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Peter Garrino	16 M	Labourer	Canada
Lake Garrino	13 M		Canada
Margaret Garrino	8 F		Canada

This completes the abstract of the 1855 census of Becket, including Becket, North Parish.

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Date of Enumeration 6/1/1855

J.G. Northrup, Sworn Agent

1	1	Daniel Burt	30 M	Depot Agent	Mass.
		Amanda Burt	25 F		Vt.
		Alice Burt	2 F		Mass.
2	2	John H. Howland	37 M	Inn Holder	Mass.
		Julia Ann Howland	35 F		Mass.
		Eliza Ann Howland	13 F		Mass.
		Harriet E. Howland	10 F		Mass.
		Emma J. Howland	9 F		Mass.
		James Cudehee	30 M	Laborer	Ireland
		Bridget Clancy	20 F		Ireland
3	3	Daniel B. Foster	26 M	Farmer	N.Y.
		Millicent Foster	20 F		Mass.
		Lawrence Foster	3 M		Mass.
		Sarah J. Foster	7m F		Mass.
		Sarah Foster	71 F		Mass.
		William Olin	25 M		N.Y.
		Mary Cormier	31 F		Ireland
4	4	Luther H. Brown	47 M	Farmer	Mass.
		Addaline Brown	46 F		Mass.
		Cynthia Brown	17 F		Mass.
		Herbert Brown	10 M		Irela
		Nancy Brown	73 F		Mass.
		Charles Thompson	17 M	Laborer	Mass.
5	5	Israel Cole	83 M	Farmer	Mass.
		Molly Cole	78 F		R.I.
		Sally Jenks	57 F		Mass.
		Homer H. Jenks	30 M	None	Mass.
6	6	Sally Heath	81 F		R.I.
7	7	Isaac G. Cole	36 M	Physician	Mass.
		Mary J. Cole	32 F		Mass.
		Daniel Cole	7m M		Mass.
8	8	Lansing J. Cole	50 M	Physician	N.Y.
		Caroline Cole	40 F		N.Y.
		Gordon E. Cole	22 M	Lawyer	Mass.
		Emma Cole	10 F		Mass.
		Henry Cole	5 M		Mass.

9	9	John Crawford	31 M	Tailor	Scotland
		Mary A. Crawford	27 F		N.Y.
		Martha Crawford	8 F		Maine
		Gillen[?] Crawford	4 F		Mass.
10	10	Edwin R. Brown	31 M	Cabinet Maker	Mass.
		Marella Brown	30 F		Mass.
		E.S. Brown	4 M		Mass.
		H.T. Brown	2 M		Mass.
		Hiram Brown	25 M	Painter	Mass.
11	11	Truman Viner	22 M	Laborer	Mass.
		Betsey C. Viner	22 F		Mass.
		Nancy A. Viner	2 F		Mass.
12	12	Alb G. Bliss	28 M	Physician	Mass.
		Olivia Bliss	25 F		Mass.
		Adelia Bliss	3 F		Mass.
13	13	Hollis Mansfield	42 M	Shoe Maker	N.H.
		Cynthia Mansfield	38 F		Mass.
		Mason Mansfield	17 M	Clerk	Mass.
		Edmund Mansfield	7 M		Mass.
		Ella F. Mansfield	2 F		Mass.
14	14	Stephen S. Bryant	33 M	Laborer	Mass.
		Lucy Bryant	39 F		Mass.
		Susan Bryant	7 F		Mass.
		Prudence Hilliard	50 F		Mass.
15	15	F.A. Potter	25 M	Grocer	Mass.
		Cynthia Potter	21 F		Mass.
		John M. Potter	16 M	Clerk	Mass.
16	16	Augustus Crane	29 M	Mechanic	Mass.
		Mary J. Crane	27 F		Mass.
		Cellestia Crane	10 F		Mass.
		Lois J. Crane	7 F		Mass.
		Marrietta Crane	3 F		Mass.
		Peter Dooley	33 M	Lumber Man	Ireland
		Catherine Dooley	27 F		"
17	17	Franklin J. Pettibone	27 M	Waggon Maker	Mass.
		Harriett A. Pettibone	26 F		Vt.
		Daniel Pettibone	5 M		Mass.
		Charles Pettibone	2 M		Mass.
		Bishop Pettibone	19 M		Mass.
		Charles Pettibone	21 M		Mass.
		Ellen [no last name]	19 F		Ireland
18	18	Justice B. Lane	30 M	Sash & Blind Manuf.	N.Y.
		Sarah G. Lane	35 F		N.Y.
		James R. Lane	3 M		Mass.
19	19	Joseph G. Northrup	33 M	Clerk	Mass.
		Louisa Northrup	29 F		N.Y.
		Abby Northrup	9 F		Mass.
		Willis Northrup	4 M		
		Howard Northrup	1 M		Mass.

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XVII. Charles Sewall Babcock. Contributed by his granddaughter,
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1. Charles Sewall Babcock, 1856-1919; Stockbridge.

II

2. Collins Hunt Babcock, 1832-1881; Lenox, Stockbridge.
3. Julia Antoinette Stafford, 1838-1921; Great Barrington, Stockbridge

III

4. Joseph Maxfield Babcock, 1786-1864; New Bedford, Lanesboro, Lenox
5. Olive Clark, 1790/1-1856; Lenox, Lanesboro
6. Sewall Stafford, 1807[?]-1844; Stockbridge
7. Maria Simons[Symonds], 1817[?]-1840; Sandisfield, Great Barrington, Stockbridge

IV

8. Eastland Babcock, 1762- ; New Bedford, Hancock
9. Elizabeth Claghorn, 1758-1849; New Bedford, Lenox
10. Samuel Clark, 1756-1829; Middletown, Conn.; Lenox
11. Hannah Way, 1757-1839; Wallingford, Meriden, Conn.; Lenox
12. Jesse Stafford, 1773/4-1849; West Greenwich, R.I.; Stockbridge
13. Ruth Rathbun, 1779/80-1861; West Greenwich, R.I.; Stockbridge
- 14.*Zalmon Simons [Symonds]
- 15.*Clarissa

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16. Benjamin Babcock, 1726-1809; Dartmouth, Mass.
17. Virtue Eastland, 1729/30-1786; Dartmouth
18. William Claghorn, c.1733-1793; Eastville, Edgartown, New Bedford
19. Thankful Dexter, 1738-1795; Falmouth, Edgartown, New Bedford
20. Samuel Clark, 1729-1777; Middletown, Conn.
21. Mary[Mercy] Cook, 1734-1821; Middletown, Conn.; Otis
22. John Way, Jr., 1719-1811; Wallingford, Conn.
23. Hannah Royce, 1727- ; Wallingford, Mediden, Conn.
- 24.*Thomas Stafford
- 25.*Mary
26. Samuel Rathbun, 1748-1840; West Greenwich, R.I., Lee, Stockbridge
- 27.*Hannah , c. 1756-1826; West Greenwich, R.I., Lee, Stockbridge

- 33.*Jemima , -1727;
- 34. Joseph Eastland, 1705-1750/51; Plymouth, Dartmouth
- 35. Freelove Shepherd, 1697-1754; Portsmouth, R.I., Dartmouth
- 36. Thomas Claghorn, 1692/3-1784; Barnstable, Sandwich
- 37. Susannah Gibbs, 1712-1786; Sandwich, Eastville
- 38. Samuel Dexter, -before 1742; Falmouth
- 39.*Elizabeth Bug
- 40. Ambrose Clark, 1696-1764; Middletown, Conn.
- 41. Elizabeth Ward, 1694-c. 1780; Middletown
- 42. Jacob Cook, 1707-1800; Truro, Otis, Mass.
- 43.
- 44. John Way, 1698-1751; New London, Conn., Wallingford
- 45. Mary Ashborn[Ashland], - ; Milford, Conn.
- 46. Timothy Royce, 1705-1737; Wallingford
- 47. Mindwell Whaples, c.1707-1748
- 48-51.
- 52. Nathaniel Rathbun, c.1726-1810; Exeter, R.I., Stockbridge
- 53.*Mary , 1730-1825; Exeter, Stockbridge
- 54-63.

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- 1. Jessie Katharyn Nichols Mace, 1886-1941; Richmond, Mass.

II.

- 2. William Larabee Nichols, 1839-1918; Richond, Mass.
- 3. Sarah Winston Cunningham, 1858-1911; Mason, Ohio, Richmond, Mass.

III.

- 4. Sylvanus Horace Nichols, 1802-1870; Amity, Mo., Richmond, Mass.
- 5. Mary Ann Cogswell, 1806-1876; Richmond, Mass.
- 6. Richard Hamilton Cunningham, 1834-1886; Mason, Ohio, Richmond, Mass.
- 7. Lydia A. Cox, 1826-1908; Mason, Ohio

IV

- 8. John Nichols, Jr., 1759-1829; Richmond, Mass.
- 9. Phebe Hand, 1762-1826; Easthampton, N.Y., Richmond, Mass.
- 10. Stephen Cogswell, 1771-1823; Schenectady, N.Y., Richmond
- 11. Elizabeth Hand, 1774-1863; Richmond, Mass., Newtown, N.Y.
- 12. John Theodore Cunningham, 1794-1863; Lebanon, Ohio, Penn.
- 13. Sarah Winston, 1795-1876; Richmond, Mass., Lebanon, Mason, Ohio
- 14. Richard Mount Cox, 1794-1860; Mason, Ohio
- 15. Mary Ann Huston, 1795-1878; Mason, Ohio

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- 16. John Nichols, Sr., 1734-1820; Long Island, N.Y., Richmond
- 17. Experience Hedges, 1734-1813; Southampton, N.Y., Richmond

18. Daniel Hand, Sr., 1720-1775; Easthampton, L.I., N.Y.
19. Phebe Jessup, - ; Southampton, L.I., N.Y.
20. Asahel Cogswell, 1741-1792; Farmington, Conn., Richmond, Mass.
21. Dorcas Fuller, 1748- ; Richmond, Mass., Lebanon, Conn.
22. Daniel Hand, Jr., 1744-1841; Easthampton, N.Y., Richmond, Mass.
23. Elizabeth Miller, 1748-1813; Richmond, Mass.
24. William Cunningham
- 25.
26. Daniel Griscom Winston, 1768-1814; Southington, Conn., Richmond, Mass.
27. Jerusha Peirson, 1770-1830; Richmond, Mass., Glens Falls, N.Y.
28. William Cox, 1763-1809; Freehold, N.J.
29. Margaret Mount, 1770-1847; Hightstown, N.J., Mason, Ohio
30. Samuel Huston, 1758-1839; Penn.
31. Martha
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32. Samuel Nichols, 1703- ; Marblehead, Topsfield, Mass.
33. Abigail
34. Samuel Hedges, 1707-1735; East Hampton, L.I., N.Y.
35. Experience Talmage, - ; East Hampton, L.I., N.Y.
36. John Hand, 1694-1755; East Hampton, L.I., N.Y.
37. Esther Fithian, 1699-1720; East Hampton, L.I., N.Y.
38. John Jessup, 1698- ; Southampton, L.I., N.Y.
39. Phebe , 1699- ;
40. Samuel Cogswell, 1713- ; Farmington, Conn., Richmond, Mass.
41. Mary Langdon, 1716- ; Farmington, Conn.
42. Jeremiah Fuller, 1717- ; Rehoboth, Mass., Farmington, Conn.
43. Bethia Dean
44. Daniel Hand, Sr., 1720-1775; East Hampton, L.I., N.Y.
45. Sarah Peirson, 1722-1759; East Hampton, L.I., N.Y.
46. Timothy Miller, 1713-1770; East Hampton, L.I., N.Y.
47. Hannah Stratton, 1717-1784; East Hampton, L.I., N.Y.
- 48-51.
52. Stephen Winston, 1733- ; Wallingford, Conn.
53. Rosanna Cogswell, 1739- ; Southington, Conn.
54. Nathan Peirson, 1748-1826; Richmond, Mass., Bridgehampton, N.Y.
55. Jerusha Sandford, 1752-1776; Richmond, Mass., Bridgehampton, N.Y.
56. Thomas Cox II, 1730-1794; Freehold, N.J.
57. Sarah Kinnan, 1733-1815; Monmouth Co., N.J.
58. Richard Mount, 1741-1825; Hightstown, N.J.
59. Lydia Dey, 1748-1804; Hightstown, N.J.
60. Samuel Huston, -1784; Londonderry, Ireland
61. Isabella Sharon
- 62-63.

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FLUKE		C-056	HUTCHINSON		B-062
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FORD		C-029	INGALLS		B-026
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QUERY SECTION

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FAMILY ASSOCIATIONS

Requests for information on family associations is sufficient to warrant publication on a trial basis of some of the data. To at least two problems the most happy solution may not have been achieved. First of all is the sheer number of them listed - over six thousand and this is by no means all of them.

Our computer department has prepared an alphabetical listing of all header surnames appearing in queries over the past three years. This should be the best indication of families in which members are interested. Beginning with Adams we will run through this list and publish as many as can be fitted into each issue of the Genealogist.

The next problem is that many families have more than one organization. The Brown family has nine. Families derived from Scottish clans, in particular, may have associations in several states or geographical areas. Some organizations are keyed to specific immigrant ancestors and are not of general interest, even to those with the same surname. For example, there is a Brown Family Association and also a Brown, Ignatius and Ann Reynolds of St. Mary's County, Md., Family Association. To provide the broadest coverage, and that as speedily as possible, only one organization will be listed for a particular family, the one deemed to be of most general interest, not to be construed as an endorsement as we know nothing about any of them. However, there will be an indication of the number of different associations keyed to the family, thus:

Adams Family Association (3)
or Brown Family Association (9)

Anyone desiring a further breakdown must request it from the Query Editor with SASE.

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ANGELL. Thomas Angell Family Association

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QUERIES

The Query Section is for the convenience of members. Queries are printed on a space-available basis.

All locations are in Massachusetts unless otherwise noted.

86022 POWELL-ADKINS-MEAD
 Calvin Powell, son of Miles Powell and Jemima Adkins, m. Sally Mead in Lanesboro Congregational Church 1798. Who were Sally Mead's parents?
 Marjorie Baker, 8532 Nevada Ave., Canoga Park, CA 91304

86023 BECKER-BEIS-BREMER
 Wish to correspond with descendants of the following New York families: Becker, Beis, Bremer, Lown, Schumacher, Reisdorfin, Sisselaair, Volabd, Zufeldt.

86024

SMITH-GRIMES

William Coe Smith m. Mary Grimes, Whately, Franklin Co., 29 Oct. 1797. Need parents of William and Mary.

Irene Wilson, 2210 8th Ave. W., Bradenton, FL 33505

86025

WATKINS-MERRYFIELD

Seek parents of Eunice Watkins, b. 1753-1755, m. Thomas Merryfield, Westfield, 24 June 1773. They resided Becket, moving to Portage Co., Ohio, after 1818.

86026

WATKINS-RILEY

Eunice Watkins's mother was probably Irish. Was she Eunice Riley, b. Wethersfield, Conn., 1734? Will pay \$50 to first person furnishing proof of both parents of Eunice (Watkins) Merryfield.

Dorothy Many, 62 Glendale Ave., Middletown, CT 06457

86027

CHASE-WILSON-FLETCHER

Jane Chase, b. N.Y. 14 Jan 1828, d/o Joseph Chase, b. N.H., and Margaret Wilson, b. N.H., m. William Fletcher ca. 1848. They resided Gillette, Pa.; both died there; bur. Cherville Cemetery. William Fletcher prob. b. Candor, Tioga Co., N.Y. Aug. 1815. Need parents of Joseph, Margaret, and William.

86028

SMITH-WHITNEY

Nathan Smith of Sandisfield, m. 6 Oct. 1831, Mahitable Havens Whitney of Otis. They had children Simeon Curtis and Julia Eliza, bpt. 11 Apr. 1840. Mahitable's parents prob. Hezekiah and Mahitable (Havens) Whitney. When and where did Nathan die; who were his parents?

Mary Clinton, N. 8119 Orchard Prairie Rd., Spokane, WA 99207

86029

HEATH-RUMMER

Azariah Heath/Heth b. East Haddam, Conn., 1765; d. Broome Co., N.Y., 184-; m. prob. 1771 Martha Rummer who d. Broome Co. 1856. When and where were they married? Azariah and Martha were in Adams in 1790 and Broome Co. 1794. Need information about Martha's parents and ancestors.

86030

HEATH-LAMB

Need date and place of death and burial of Azariah and Hannah (Lamb) Heath, parents of above.

Dewey C. Eldridge, 1284 E. Maine Rd., Johnson City, NY 13790

86031

SPERRY-BISHOP-BARRETT-FULLER

Need all information descendants of Aaron Sperry of Alford, prob. son of Aaron and Abigail (Bishop) Sperry. Pension file of Aaron gives age of 17 in 1780, m. Alford 1785 Polly Barrett, daughter of Rev. Avery Barrett; moved to N.Y., d. 1797. Daughter Sarah married William Filler of Springwater, N.Y. Polly died Victor, N.Y., 1849.

Dolores Ring, 5923 Bertro Drive, LaMesa, CA 92041.

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