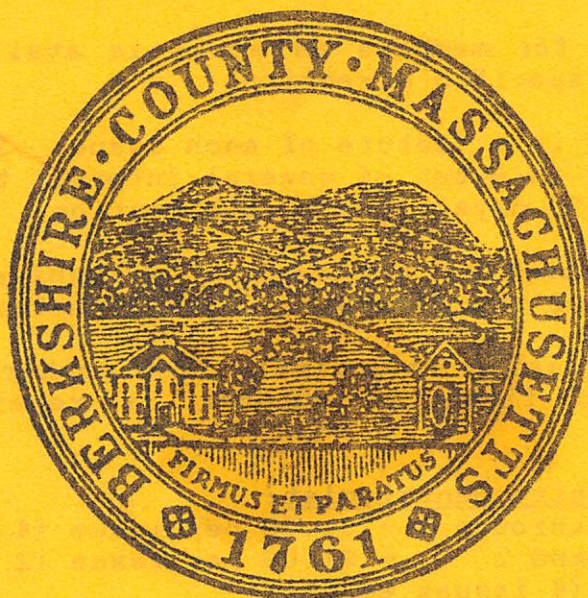


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PRIVATE SMITH OF NEW MARLBOROUGH AND THE MASSACHUSETTS LINE

by Mary Ann Long Skinner*

Following are synopses of the National Archives pension application files of five men named Smith who came from New Marlborough and served as privates in the Massachusetts Line in the Revolution. They are: Amos Smith (b.1762), David Smith (b.1757), Ebenezer Smith 3rd (b. ca. 1761), Elias Smith (b. ca.1765), and Richard Smith (b. 1761). In the original documents the name "New Marlborough" is followed in every case by "County of Berkshire, State of Massachusetts" or a similar phrase, which has been omitted here. My comments are in brackets. All references to the New Marlborough Vital Statistics (NMVS) are taken from the typescript copy in the NEHGS library.

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AMOS SMITH PRIVATE, MASSACHUSETTS LINE FILE NO. S-7553

Amos Smith, aged 70, applied for a pension in 1832 while a resident of Whitestown, Oneida County, New York. He said that he was born at New Marlborough on 5 July 1762 and lived there until February 1789 when he moved to the part of Whitestown, Oneida Co., New York that later formed the town of Westmoreland. After twelve years he moved to the present town of Whitestown. In 1777 he went into the army as a substitute for Josiah Whiting of New Marlborough, who had been drafted. He entered Lt. Eli Harman's company, whose orderly sergeant was Adam Cason. This was in Col. John Collier's regiment, Gen. Fellows' brigade. They marched from New Marlborough to Fort Edward, New York, and then to Fort Ann, Kingsbury, and "different places" retreating before Burgoyne's army. He was discharged near Kingsbury in August and returned to New Marlborough. [Ft. Edward, Ft. Ann, and Kingsbury are near Glens Falls, N.Y.] He was under the command of Gen. Schuyler at Fort Edward and believed that Gen. Nicholson's brigade served with them. In May or June of 1779 he volunteered at New Marlborough for nine months and was marched to Great Barrington to be mustered in and then on to Springfield and to West Point to join the Continental army. He believed he was in Capt. Renick's company, Col. Brewer's regiment. The regiment was later commanded by Col. Sprout. He also remembered Maj. Tupper and said they were in Gen. Patterson's brigade, Massachusetts Line.

He said that Gen. Washington's headquarters was at West Point part of the time he was there, that he remembered seeing Gen.

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Washington several times, and that Gen. Arnold was there at West Point part of the time. They remained at West Point until the "fore part of the winter" when they marched to Fish Kill Barracks to winter quarters and he remained there until he was discharged in February. He "well knew" Capt. Luke Hitchcock of the Continental Line and believed they belonged to the same regiment. He also knew Lt. Foot. Amos Smith seems to have gotten a three party character reference from John Frost and George Foote, Presbyterian ministers in Whitestown, and from Needham Maynard, judge and farmer, of New Hartford, but the copy of the affidavit is not complete. They referred to him as "Capt. Amos Smith".

In 1834 Jedediah Smith, 68 years old, of Walworth, Wayne County, N.Y. said that he was Amos Smith's brother and substantiated Amos's statement almost word-for-word.

[Amos Smith, born 5 July 1762, and Jedediah Smith, born 24 October 1766, were sons of Amos and Mary Smith. (NMVS)]

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DAVID SMITH
PRIVATE, MASSACHUSETTS LINE
FILE NO. R-9675

David Smith applied for his pension in 1818 while a resident of Brutus, Cayuga Co., N.Y. He said that in 1776 he enlisted at New Marlborough in Capt. Soul's company, Col. Whitcomb's regiment, served his one year enlistment and was discharged. [Although his file number starts with "R" to indicate "rejected", David Smith was awarded a pension in 1818. His widow's pension was rejected.]

In 1837 Richard Smith of Albany, N.Y., aged 77, made a deposition saying that he was the brother of David Smith, deceased, that David was in the Revolutionary War for about four years, and that his first service was at Boston for about one year. He also stated that he and David enlisted together at New Marlborough in Capt. Allen's company, Col. Wigglesworth's regiment, went with the troops to North and South Carolina, and that David continued in service three years after his enlistment. He said that he was present at the wedding of David Smith and Abigail Hatch in Sheffield, Mass. in 1780 and that they were married by Jedediah Ward, Justice of the Peace. [Actually they were married in 1779 by Jabez Ward.] Richard said that David died at Brutus, Cayuga Co., N.Y. about fifteen years earlier [around 1822] leaving Abigail his widow and that Abigail still lived in Brutus in 1837.

In 1837 Abigail Smith of Brutus, N.Y. applied for a pension. She said that she was the widow of David Smith and that he was in the "army of the Revolutionary War" for four years: mostly a

militia-man, partly in the Continental troops, and for some time clerk to one Col. Stark. She thought he was in the Battles of Bunker Hill and Monmouth and that he was at one time in Capt. Soul's company and at another in Capt. Allen's company, Col. Wigglesworth's regiment. She said that before he entered the army he lived with his father's family in New Marlborough. She also said that he was furloughed from the army on account of ill health and was brought home by his brother, Dr. Benjamin Smith of New Marlborough, that his disease, gravel, [kidney stone] was contracted while in the army and caused his death. She then gave a long excuse for not having his discharge paper. [Not unusual.]

She then said that she and David were married on 20 May 1779 in Sheffield and that he died on 30 August 1822 and that she remained his widow.

In December 1837 at Weedsport, N.Y. Abigail Smith's son-in-law Alonzo L. Smith, the postmaster of Weedsport, wrote to the pension office about her case, which had apparently been rejected in February 1837. He said that his wife was Abigail Smith's youngest child and that Abigail had lived with them for "years past".

In 1838 James Hyde, clerk of the town of New Marlborough, provided an affidavit certifying that David Smith and Abigail Hatch were married on 20 May 1779 in New Marlborough by Mr. Jabez Hatch, Justice of the Peace.

In 1839 Benjamin Smith of New Marlborough, physician, "of lawful age", made a deposition for his brother David Smith. He said that David entered the service in January 1776 in Capt. Moses Soul's company under Col. Asa Whitcomb, that nearly a year later he heard that David was "dangerously sick" at Fort George and so he went there to get him and brought him home. After David's health improved he rejoined the southern army in Capt. Allen's company, Col. Wigglesworth's regiment, and he remained in the army three or four years until near the close of the war. Benjamin Smith's character was attested to by Levi L. Smith, Justice of the Peace.

In 1851 Sophronia Smith of Cayuga Co., N.Y. stated that she was the daughter of the late Abigail Smith and David Smith, that Abigail died in Cayuga Co. on 12 July 1841 and that she is one of the surviving children. She then executed a power of attorney which was witnessed by Sophia Smith.

[For a discussion of David Smith's family, see the comments under Richard Smith, following page]

EBENEZER SMITH
PRIVATE, MASSACHUSETTS LINE
FILE NO. W-11465

Ebenezer Smith applied for his pension in 1818 while a resident of Walton, Delaware County, New York. He said that he enlisted under the name of Ebenezer Smith 3rd at New Marlborough on 12 July 1779 for nine months. He then went to West Point and was enrolled in the main army in Maj. Furnall's company, Col. Sprout's regiment, which he thought was the Third Regiment, Massachusetts Line. He was discharged 12 April 1780 at Newburgh, N.Y.

He said that previous to this he served three months in the militia and was in the "battle of the taking of Burgoyne" [Saratoga] and that he also served two other nine month terms, the details of which he had forgotten.

In 1820, while living at Delhi, Delaware Co., New York, he made another statement and gave his age as 58. He said he was enlisted on 12 July 1779 by Col. John Collar in "New Malberough", marched to Springfield to draw his equipage and then to West Point under the command of Lt. Stover. He was then put in Maj. Fernal's company, Lt. Miller commanding, under Col. Sprout in the 3rd Massachusetts Regiment, Gen. Patterson's brigade.

He gave his occupation as wagon maker but said he was infirm and then proceeded to demonstrate his level of poverty. He had household goods and tools worth \$161 and debts of \$102. He listed his family as: his wife, his daughter Catherine, 18, son James, 14, and daughter Mary, 9.

In 1838 Catherine Smith of Andes, Delaware Co., N.Y., aged 67, applied for her pension. She said that she was and remained the widow of Ebenezer Smith, that they were married on 28 Feb. 1788, and that he died on 5 Feb. 1823. She then provided a page from their Bible which she said was in her husband's handwriting. It said "Ebenezer and Cata Smith was married Feb. 28, 1788". She explained that she was always called "Cata" or "Caty", never Catherine.

The page from the family bible also says:

Anna born 14th Janu. 1789
Orange born 26th Novem 1790
Ebn. born 11th Decm 1792
Matthew B. Febr. 10th 1795
Philander Smith born 27th April 1796
Caty [?] Joanna Smith born August [dim]
James Milton Smith born febr 14th 1805
Mary Salvira [?] Smith born Novem 8th, 1810

In 1835 Ray and Catharine Hitt of York, Livingston Co., N.Y. made a statement that Catherine Smith, widow of Ebenezer Smith, was a Revolutionary pensioner, that she lived in York and died there on 5 Nov. 1844 and left the following children: Anna McCorrey, Orrin Smith, Catharine Hitt, James M. Smith, and Mary S. Blakeslee, and that Orrin and James M. Smith had since died.

[Ebenezer Smith 3rd of New Marlborough and Catherine Balling (or Bellamy) of Sheffield were married 28 Feb. 1788. (NMVS)]

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ELISHA SMITH
PRIVATE, MASSACHUSETTS LINE
FILE NO. S-35073

Elisha Smith applied for a pension in 1818 while a resident of Seneca County, New York. He was "aged 53 years or more does not know precisely". He said that he joined the army in May 1781 in Massachusetts in Capt. Ebenezer Smith's company, that he served to the end of the war, was discharged at West Point, and served in no battle except "with the Cowboys so called on the North River".

In 1820 while a resident of Wolcott, Seneca Co., N.Y., Elisha Smith gave his age as 56 and said he enlisted in the spring of 1781 in "New Maltbury" in Capt. Ebenezer Smith's company, Col. Calvin Smith's regiment, and was discharged at West Point in "January or December 1783".

His personal property in 1820 consisted only of a half burnt great chair, all that was saved when his house burned. He said "my family consists only of myself" but a scratched out sentence appears to say "I have neither wife nor children, my wife is dead and my children of age or married". He said he was a farmer but could only work half time.

In 1833 he applied to have his pension transferred to Monroe County, Michigan, where he had moved with his two sons, his only remaining children.

[An Elisha Smith is listed in the 1790 Census for New Marlborough with one male over 16, one under 16, and one female. A Joel Smith is listed on the adjacent line.]

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RICHARD SMITH
PRIVATE, MASSACHUSETTS LINE
FILE NO. W-25009

Richard Smith applied for a pension in 1818 while living in Brutus, Cayuga County, New York. He said that in 1778 he enlisted in New Marlborough in Capt. Noah Allen's company, Col. Edward Wigglesworth's regiment, Gen. Glover's brigade. He served nine months and was discharged by Gen. Sullivan at Providence, Rhode Island. He was in the Battle of Monmouth under Gen. Morgan and also in "the battle of Rhode Island".

David Smith, also of Brutus, attested to this and said that he was Richard's brother, went into the service with him, and was discharged with him.

In 1820, when living in Phelps, Ontario Co., N.Y., Richard Smith said that after the service already described he was transferred to Capt. Rennick's Company in Col. Nixon's regiment, Gen. Patterson's brigade, and discharged at West Point, year not recollected. He gave his age as 59 and said that he was a farmer, troubled with rheumatism and gravel, and unable to support himself and his 54 year old wife, Mary.

In 1818, Edward Annable of Aurelius, Cayuga Co., N.Y. said that in 1778 he was an orderly sergeant in Capt. Allen's company and "well remembers" Richard's enlistment.

Also in 1818, Darius Howe of Brutus, Cayuga Co., N.Y. said that he knew Richard from his youth and that he [Howe] was an ensign in the army in 1778 and knows that Richard joined then as a "nine month man".

Mary Smith, aged 71, applied for her pension in 1838 while a resident of Milton, Saratoga Co., N.Y. She said that she was the widow of Richard Smith, Revolutionary pensioner, that she married him on 1 December 1785, that he died on 15 January 1838, that her previous surname was Redington, and that she was married at her father's house in the town of Richmond, Berkshire Co., Mass.

Smith Cogswell of the city of Albany, N.Y. made a statement in 1838 supporting Mary Smith's application. He said he was 59 years old, was born in Richmond, Berkshire Co., Mass. and was well acquainted with both Richard and Mary Smith, having known them both since his childhood. He said that in 1838 Mary lived with her sister in Milton, Saratoga Co., and that for about a year before his death Richard Smith had lived in Albany but that he died in Milton in 1838.

[David and Richard Smith were the sons of David and Consolation (Wheeler) Smith whose children's birthdates are given in the NMVS as follows:

Samuel, b. 25 Jan., 1753
Benj., b. Apr. 11, 1755

David, b. May 15, 1757
 Richard, B. Nov. 19, 1761
 Obidiah, b. Jan. 20, 1765
 Laban, b. Jan. 26, 1768
 Gilbert, b. July 25, 1771

David Smith (Sr.) was born ca. 1726 and died in 1774 (gravestone, New Marlborough cemetery). I know nothing about his family. Consolation Wheeler was born in Bolton, Mass. on 28 April 1732. the daughter of Benjamin and Hannah (____) Wheeler. Benjamin Wheeler was the first white settler of New Marlborough (1739). Consolation (Wheeler) Smith died on 9 March 1808 in New Marlborough. I am descended from her son, Samuel.]

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EARMARKS AS GENEALOGICAL TOOLS

Earmarks won't tell you anything about your ancestry (we hope) but they do place a farmer at a certain point in time. These men lived in New Ashford, Mass., and had earmarks registered to them.

March 6, 1811	Ephraim Farrington	Oct. 18, 1812	Henry Beach
March 6, 1811	Jesse Mason	Nov. 12, 1812	John Pratt, Jr.
March 10, 1811	John Smith	Nov. 13, 1812	Kiler? Kent
May 14, 1811	Peregrin Turner		Levi Goodell
May 30, 1811	James Roys - Taken	May 24, 1814	Atwater Beach
	by Jotham Beach	May 24, 1814	Rhoda Beach
June 15, 1811	Jonathan Engrem	Dec. 10, 1814	Jason White, Jr.
June 1, 1812	Thomas Powell		

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VETERANS OF SHAYS' REBELLION

Copied from an old record book in Montgomery, Massachusetts

Return of such of the inhabitants of the Town of Montgomery as have been concerned in the late rebellion and have taken and subscribed the oath of Allegiance to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts before me Edward Walker Esq. one of the Justices of the Peace within and for the County of Hampshire.

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| 1. Abner Rice Jr. | 6. Abiel Petters |
| 2. Le-ianel Mallory | 7. John Share |
| 3. George Gorham | 8. William Rice |
| 4. Nirum Mallory | 9. William Keiguin? |
| 5. Abner Rice | 10. Henry Parks |

Westfield 23rd March 1787

Edward Walker, Jus. Peace

MASSACHUSETTS MIGRANTS TO MICHIGAN

The Elmer I. Shepard Collection

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See instructions for this section in the previous installment. For any entry ending with an asterisk, the only additional information in the Shepard Collection is the source of the data published here.

BLACKMER, David, b 1803, Hampshire Co., Mass.; Mich. 1856*
 BLISS, Elizabeth, b 1795, Berkshire Co., Mass.; N.Y.; Mich.
 BLISS, Obadiah, b 26 July 1792, Rehoboth, Mass., Savoy, Mass.;
 N.Y. 1820; Ohio; Mich.
 BLIVEN, George W., b 16 Mar 1821, Great Barrington, Mass.; Ohio;
 Mich. 1833
 BLIVEN, Samuel, b 28 Feb 1792, Westerly, R.I.; Berkshire Co., Mass.
 1820; Ohio 1827; Mich. 1833
 BOIES, John K., b 5 Dec 1828, Blandford, Mass.; Mich. 1845*
 BOLTWOOD, Lucius, Hampshire Co., Mass.; Mich. 1836
 BOND, Betsy, b Mar 1793, Heath, Mass.; Mich.
 BOND, Jonas, b 17 July 1763, Conway, Mass.; N.Y. 1800; N.Y. 1832;
 Mich.
 BOND, Jonas, b 23 Jan 1810, Lanesborough, Mass.; N.Y. 1823; Mich.
 1835
 BOND, Josiah, b 26 Sept 1799, Conway, Mass.; N.Y. 1800; Mich. 1848
 BOND, Samuel, b 1784, Worcester Co., Mass.; Lanesborough, Mass.;
 N.Y. 1823; Mich. 1836
 BONNEY, Tryphosa, b 10 Apr 1791, Chesterfield, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich.
 BONNEY, Walter E., b 1791, Chesterfield, Mass.; Mich.
 BOUGHTON, Guy C., b Stockbridge, Mass.; Ohio 1818; Mich.
 BOUGHTON, Selleck C., b 30 June 1796, W. Stockbridge, Mass.; Pa.
 1822; Mich. 1831
 BOURN, Seth, b 1833, Berkshire Co., Mass. (Savoy?); Mich. 1862*
 BOW, Charles, b 1794, Berkshire Co., Mass.; N.Y.; Mich.
 BOWEN, Daniel W., b 1810, Cheshire, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich. 1854
 BOWEN, Henry 3rd, b 1807, Cheshire, Mass.; N.Y. 1814; Mich. 1849
 BOYD, William A., b 1785, Richmond, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich.*
 BOYDEN, Luther, b 30 Sept 1788, Conway, Mass.; Mich. 1826
 BRADISH, Calvin, b 26 Dec 1773, Hardwick, Mass.; Cummington, Mass.;
 N.Y. 1793; Mich. 1831
 BRADLEY, Adoniram, b 1799, Sandisfield, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich.
 BRADLEY, Eunice J., Lanesborough, Mass.; Mich.
 BRADLEY, William, Lee, Mass.; Ohio 1835; Mich. 1852
 BRALEY, Phineas, b 1811, Berkshire Co., Mass.; Mich. 1823*
 BRANCH, Nathan C.? b 2 Mar 1821, Worthington, Mass.; Ohio; Mich.
 1846
 BREWSTER, Elizabeth M., b 1808, Worthington, Mass.; Mich.
 BRIGHAM, Deac. Curtis, b 1793, Franklin Co., Mass.; Mich. 1834
 BRONSON, Daniel, Berkshire Co., Mass.; N.Y. 1794; Mich. 1818

BROWN, Caroline, b 27 Apr 1817, Charlemont, Mass.; Mich. 1837
 BROWN, Cynthia, b 1800 or 02, Cheshire, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich.
 BROWN, Esack, b Cheshire, Mass.; N.Y. 1810; Mich.
 BROWN, Ethan, b 11 Mar 1791, Stockbridge, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich.
 BROWN, Henry Billings, b 2 Mar 1836, Lee, Mass.; Mich. 1859
 BROWN, Jonas, b 19 Aug 1794, Heath, Mass.; Mich. 1836
 BROWN, Joseph, b 11 Apr 1785; N.Y. 1810; Mich.
 BROWN, Luther, b 15 Apr 1792, Windsor, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich.
 BROWN, Matilda, b 1777, Rowe, Mass.; N.Y. 1806; Pa. 1837; Mich.
 1830
 BROWN, William, b Ashfield, Mass.; N.Y. 1819; Pa. 1837; Mich.
 BROWNELL, Susan A., b 1823, N.Adams, Mass.; Mich.
 BROWNELL, Thomas, b 1804, N.Adams, Mass.; Mich. 1825
 BRYAN, Richard, b 1786, Cheshire, Mass.; Mich. 1838
 BULL, Albert E., b 1808, Sheffield, Mass.; Mich. 1836
 BULLOCK, George W., b 1809, Savoy, Mass.; Mich. 1836*
 BURDEN, Nancy, b 1805?, Lanesborough, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich.
 BURLINGAME, Rachel, b Berkshire Co., Mass.; Mich.
 BUSH, David, b Pittsfield, Mass.; N.Y. 1809; Mich. 1838*
 BUSHNELL, Mary Burnett, b 1782, Chesterfield, Mass.; Mich.
 BUTTRICK, Rosamond, b 1808, Hawley, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich.
 CALL, Eunice, b 1802, Colrain, Mass.; N.Y.; Ohio; Mich.
 CANFIELD, Matthew, New Marlborough, Tyngham, Mass.; Conn.; Mich.
 CANFIELD, Oliver, Tyngham, Mass.; Ohio; Mich.
 CARD, Charles M., b 1825, Stockbridge?, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich. 1868*
 CARD, Laura A., b 1827, Williamstown, Mass.; Mich.
 CARPENTER, Ezra, b 1776, Attleboro, Mass.; Savoy, Mass.; N.Y.
 1803; Mich. 1826
 CARPENTER, Josiah, b 17 Nov 1801, Adams, Mass.; N.Y. 1826; Mich.
 1836
 CARY, Selden P., b 1819, Williamstown, Mass.; Mich. 1853*
 CASE, Ezekiel, b Washington, Mass.; N.Y. 1810; Mich. 1830
 CASEY, Samuel, b 1802, Lanesborough, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich. 1826*
 CHAPIN, Hannah, b Franklin Co., Mass.; Vt.; Mich.
 CHAPMAN, Alcott C., b 1793, Pittsfield, Mass.; Mich. 1816? *
 CHAPMAN, Lucius W., b 1820, Franklin Co., Mass.; Mich. 1870*
 CHAPMAN, Wellington, b 1814, Hampshire Co., Mass.; Mich. 1841*
 CHAPMAN, William H.H., b 1841, Berkshire Co., Mass.; Mich. 1841*
 CHILDS, Henry Bapster, b 22 Dec 1814, Shelburne, Mass.; Mich.
 CHILDS, Sophia, b 1789, Pittsfield, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich.
 CHURCH, Chandler M., b 31 July 1804, Berkshire Co., Mass.; N.Y.
 1806/7; Mich. 1834; Cal. 1851
 CLAPP, Luther, b Hampshire Co., Mass.; Ohio 1840; Mich.
 CLARK, Lucius L., b 29 Nov 1816, Hawley, Mass.; Mich. 1839
 CLARK, Lydia, b 1803?, Hampshire Co., Mass.; Mich.
 CLARK, Orange, b Berkshire Co., Mass.; N.Y.; Ohio 1831; Mich. 1854*
 CLARK, Polly, b 1792, Colrain, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich.
 CLARK, William A., b Pittsfield, Mass.; N.Y. 1820; Mich.
 CLARKE, Franklin S., b 17 Apr 1812, Berkshire Co., Mass.; N.Y.
 1825; Mich. 1843
 COLLINS, John, b 1816, Hampshire Co., Mass.; Mich.*

- COLT, "Col." George, b 10 May 1807, Pittsfield, Mass.; Fla. 1828; Cuba 1836; Mich. 1853
- COLT, Sylvia E., b 1796, Pittsfield, Mass.; Mich.
- COLTON, John Batchelor, b 11 Mar 1827, Conway, Mass.; Mich. 1844
- COMSTOCK, John, b 1774, Mass.; N.Y. 1788; Mich. 1830
- CONANT, Charles R., b 1814, Franklin Co., Mass.; Vt. 1823; Mich. 1851*
- CONKLIN, Ebenezer H., b 1790, Lenox, Mass.; N.Y. 1806; Mich. 1831*
- CONVERSE, Ephraim, b 1 Dec 1779, Brookfield, Belchertown, Mass.; Mich. 1851
- COOK, Edwin, b 30 Nov 1812, Hadley, Mass.; N.Y. 1834; Mich. 1851
- COOK, George, b 1828, Hampshire Co., Mass.; Mich. 1845
- COOK, Justin, b 1802, Hampshire Co., Mass.; Mich. 1845
- COOK, Randolph, b 1831, Hampshire Co., Mass.; Mich. 1845
- COOLEY, Chester, b 1790, Berkshire Co., Mass.; N.Y.; Mich. 1850*
- COOPER, Sarah, b 5 June 1803, Cheshire, Mass.; N.Y. 1810; Mich.
- COTRELL, Lucy, b 1817, Worthington, Mass.; Mich.
- COVEY, Hiram, b 1802, Mt. Washington, Mass.; N.Y. 1814; Mich. 1837*
- CRANDELL, Edgar B., b Cheshire, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich. 1878*
- CRANDELL, Stephen R., b 30 Jan 1836, W. Stockbridge, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich. 1878
- CRESSY, Erastus, b Rowe, Mass.; Mich. 1842
- CROSS, Darius, b 5 June 1814, Rowe, Mass.; Ashfield, Mass.; Mich.
- CROSS, Jude, b Rowe, Mass.; Mich.
- CROSS, Prudence, b 1807, Rowe, Mass.; Mich.
- CROW, Farley, b 1824 Cheshire, Mass.; N.Y. 1827; Mich. 1845*
- CULVER, Martin, b Chester, Mass.; N.Y. 1826; Mich. 1837
- DALRYMPLE, James, Colrain, Mass.; N.Y. 1818?; Mich.
- DAMON, I.B.T., b 1826, Hampshire Co., Mass.; Mich. 1850*
- DARWIN, S.A., b 28 Mar, Pittsfield, Mass.; Mich. 1836
- DAVIS, Ebenezer, b 1800, Conway, Mass.; N.Y. 1827; Mich. 1831*
- DAVIS, Samuel C., b 1779, Lee, Mass.; Mich. 1839*
- DAWES, George W., b 1847, Goshen, Mass.; Mich. 1865*
- DEAN, Ailes?, b 1818, Adams, Mass.; Mich.
- DEAN, Benjamin, b 1806, New Ashford, Mass.; Mich. 1858
- DEAN, Jessie F., b 1856, Berkshire Co., Mass.; Mich.
- DEAN, Mary A., b 1854, Lee, Mass.; Mich.
- DENSMORE, Julina, b Conway, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich.*
- DICKINSON, Asa, b Great Barrington, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich. 1848*
- DOLE, Nancy, b 4 Oct 1832, Shelburne, Mass.; Mich.
- DONELSON, Abel, Colrain, Mass.; Mich. 1827
- DONELSON, Ira, Colrain, Mass.; Mich. 1837
- DOUGLAS, Clinton, b 1788, Sandisfield, Mass.; N.Y. 1805; Mich.*
- DRYER, Allen, b 1772, Stockbridge, Mass.; N.Y. 1800?; Mich.*
- DRYER, Harriet L., b 1823, Stockbridge, Mass.; Mich.
- DUNBAR, William, b 28 Feb 1807, W. Stockbridge, Mass.; Mich. 1832
- DUNHAM, Cornelius, b Franklin Co., Mass.; N.Y. 1820; Mich. 1865
- ELDRIDGE, Caleb, b Berkshire Co., Mass.; N.Y. 1835?; Mich.*
- ELLIS, John, b 26 Nov 1815, Ashfield, Mass.; Mich. 1843
- ETHERIDGE, Samuel, b 1788, Adams, Mass.; Mich. 1836*
- EVERETT, Franklin, b 26 Jan 1812, Worthington, Mass.; N.Y. 1840; Mich. 1846

FARNSWORTH, Dr. Charles, b 18 Feb 1802, Hawley, Mass.; N.Y.; Ohio; Mich. 1837

FAXON, Thomas, b Conway, Mass.; Mich.

FERRY, Joseph N., b Berkshire Co., Mass.; N.Y. 1800; Mich.

FIELD, James, b July, 1787; N.Y.; Mich.

FISHER, John, b 1784, Charlemont, Mass.; Mich. 1836

FISHER, John, b 4 Aug 1829, Charlemont, Mass.; Mich. 1836

FISK, Ebenezer, b 1785, Shelburne, Mass.; Mich.

FISK, Ebenezer, 3rd, b 28 Aug 1815, Shelburne, Mass.; Mich. 1839

FISK, Joseph, b 1810, Charlemont or Windsor, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich. 1834*

FISK, Joseph, Ashfield, Mass.; Mich. 1838*

FISK, Roswell, b Berkshire Co., Mass.; Mich. 1837*

FLOWERS, William, b Ashfield, Mass.; N.Y. 1800?; Mich.

FOLLET, J.I., b 1818, Dalton, Mass.; Ohio; Ind. 1842; Mich. 1852*

FORD LINE of Cummington, Mass.: Andrew¹, Andrew², Hezekiah³, Hezekiah⁴, Hezekiah⁵, Hezekiah⁶.

FORD, Anselm, b 6 June 1788, Cummington, Mass.; Ohio 1841; Mich.

FORD, Charles, b 22 Jan 1809, Cummington, Mass.; Ohio 1850; Mich.

FORD, Eugene F., b 5 Apr 1841, Cummington, Mass.; Ohio 1850; Mich. 1869

FORD, George F., b 2 Mar 1838, Cummington, Mass.; Ohio 1850; Mich.

FORD, Hezekiah, 4th, b 1759, Abington, Mass.; Ohio 1842; Mich.

FORD, Levi B. b 19 Mar 1836, Cummington, Mass.; Vt. 1849; Ohio 1850; Mich. 1863

FORD, Amos, to Gorham, Ohio.

FORD, Hosea, b 4 Apr 1810, Cummington, Mass.; to Gorham, Ohio

FORD, Otis, b Shelburne Falls, Mass.; to Richfield, Ohio

FORD, Philena, b 6 Aug 1807, Plainfield, Mass.; Mich. 1828

FORD, William, b Berkshire Co., Mass.; N.Y.; Mich. 1833*

FRARY, David, b Becket, Mass.; Ohio 1804; Mich. 1817

FRAZER, Stephen, b 8 Mar 1773, Kingston, R.I.; Williamstown, Mass.; N.Y.; Blissfield, Mich.

FRENCH, Nathaniel, b Berkshire Co., Mass.; N.Y. 1810?; Mich.

FULLER, Philo C., b New Marlborough?, Mass.; N.Y. 1815?; Grand Rapids, Mich.

GARDNER, W.A.H., b 1819, Hancock, Mass.; N.Y. 1825; Mich. 1855*

GARLIC(K), Lucy, b Lanesborough, Mass.; Mich.

GATES, Aaron, b 4 Mar 1771, Conway, Mass.; N.Y. 1810?; Mich.

GIBBENS, John E., b 1 Sept 1822, Berkshire Co., Mass.; Mich.

GIBBS, Lovilla, b 1836, Berkshire Co., Mass.; Mich.

GILBERT, Daniel, b 1786, Sheffield, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich. 1844*

GILBERT, Hiram, b 1834, Worthington, Mass.; Mich. 1854*

GOODRICH, Chancey Smith, Conway, Mass.; Mich. 1827

GOODWIN, Justus, b Lenox, Mass.; N.Y.; Mich.*

GRAGG, John, b 1785, Colrain, Mass.; Mich. 1826

GRAHAM, Wanton, b 1790, Cheshire, Mass.; N.Y. 1815?; Mich. 1830?*

GRANGER, David, b Sandisfield, Mass.; N.Y. 1830?; Mich.

GRANGER, Francis, b 1806, Hampshire Co., Mass.; N.Y.; Ohio 1836; Mich. 1852

(To be continued)

ANCESTOR TABLES

Margaret Angelini, Editor

[An asterisk preceding an entry indicates that the correspondent is seeking more information on that ancestor.]

XLVII. Pamela Jean Clark. Submitted by Pamela Jean Clark Hall,
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I.

1. Pamela Jean Clark, 1950- ; Minneapolis, Minn.; Florida; Alabama.

II.

2. Delmar Ray Clark, 1926- ; Brook Park, Minn.; Florida; Alabama.
3. Nancy Ellen Briggs, 1929- ; Minneapolis; Washington, D.C.; Florida.

III.

4. George Washington Clark, 1899-1957; Rolfe, Iowa; Brook Park.
5. Anna Helena Anderson, 1895-1985; Brook Park; Napoleon, Ohio.
6. George Nathan Briggs, 1886-1944; St. Paul, Minn.; Forest Hills, New York.
7. Molly Ward, 1890-1950; Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin; Minneapolis.

IV.

8. Charles Henry Clark, 1863-1937; Lincolnshire, England; Brook Park.
9. Gordena Fisher, 1869-1937; Norden, Germany; Cherokee County, Iowa.
10. Alfrid Andersson, 1845-1922; Bjurum, Sweden; Mora, Minn.
11. Mathilda Alm, 1853-1946; Bjurum; Mora.
12. William Pardee Briggs, 1851-1900; Lafayette, Wis.; Dixon, Illinois.
13. Nancy Ellen Stewart, 1855-1925; Lock Haven, Pa.; New Rochelle, N.Y.
14. James G. Ward, 1861-1926; Eau Claire, Wis.; Chippewa Falls.
15. Margaret Ray Josie, 1867-1952; Chippewa Falls; Minneapolis.

V.

16. John W. Clark, 1867-1952; Coningsby, England; Hartland, Mich.
17. Frances Hoff, 1827-1894; Stickney, England; Hartland.
18. Franz Fisher, 1842-1927; Norden, Germany; Rolfe, Iowa.
19. Gertrude Fischer, 1847-1921; Norden; Rolfe.
20. Anders Andersson, 1814-1863; Broddetorp and Bjurum, Sweden.
21. Christina Larsdotter, 1815-1857; Horn, Sweden.
22. Per Gustaf Alm/Urberg, 1816-1896; Bjurum and Lilla Hasthagen, Sweden.
23. Maja Hansdotter, 1810-1888; Bjurum.
24. Nathan Howard Briggs, 1818-1893; Hancock, Mass.; Reedsburg, Wisconsin.
25. Margaret North, 1820-1904; Hancock; Reedsburg; Minnesota.

26. George Stewart, 1824-1898; Lycoming County, Pa.; Oxford Jct., Iowa.
27. Zilmira McCloskey, 1830-1888; Clinton Co., Pa.; Oxford Jct.
28. John Ward, 1826-1910; Warrington, England; Eau Claire.
29. Alice Dobson, 1833-1906; England; Eau Claire.
30. Malcom Josie, 1828-1908; Belleville, Canada; Chippewa Falls.
31. Mary Valliere, 1844-1901, Canada; Chippewa Falls.
- VI.
32. Isaac Clark, 1782- ; Coningsby, England.
33. Elizabeth Burrows, 1799- ; North Kyme, England.
34. Joseph Hoff, 1800- ; Skirbeck, England
35. Elizabeth , 1793- ; Stickford, England.
- 36-37.
38. John Fischer, - ; Norden, Germany.
39. Antje Johanna Arends, 1821- ; Norden.
- 40-43.
44. Fredrik Urberg, 1779- ; Jonkoping, Sweden
45. Anna Brita Lindberg, 1777- ; Soderman, Sweden.
46. Hans Larsson, 1779- ; Bjurum.
47. Lena Jonsdotter, 1781- ; Norra Vanga, Sweden.
48. Benjamin Nicholas Briggs, 1794-183?; Hancock; New York.
49. Mary Ann (Polly) Smith, 1798-1853; Hancock; Lafayette, Wis.
50. William North, - ; England; Hancock.
51. Mary McCall, - ; Scotland; Hancock.
52. Andrew Stewart, 1793- ; Jersey Shore, Pa.; Loganville, Wis.
53. Margaret , 179?- ; Jersey Shore; Loganville.
- 54-55.
56. William Ward, - ; England.
- 57.
58. Benjamin Dobson, - ; England.
59. Rachel , - ; England.
- 60-61.
62. E. Valliere, - ; Canada; New York.
63. Elizabeth , - ; Canada; New York.

XLVIII. Esther Elizabeth Mould. Submitted by Esther Mould
Leidhold, 55 West Union St., Pittsfield, MA 01201

- I.
1. Esther Elizabeth Mould, 1914- ; Morrisville, Vt.
Pittsfield, Mass.
- II.
2. Fred Willis Mould, 1868-1950; Keeseville, N.Y.; Williamstown,
Vt.; Morrisville.
3. Susan Jane Barrows, 1880-1935; Morrisville.
- III.
4. Henry Monroe Mould, 1843-1910; West Stockholm, N.Y.;
Keeseville.
5. Salome Bushnell, 1842-1920; Keeseville; Morrisville.
6. Russell Ebenezer Barrows, 1818-1917; Stowe, Vt.; Morrisville.
7. Cornelia Rachel Blakely, 1851-1926; Mooers, N.Y.; Morrisville.

IV.

8. Willis Mould, 1822-1883; West Stockholm; Keeseville.
9. Amanda M. Goulding, 1822-1844; Potsdam, N.Y.; Keeseville.
10. Nile Bushnell, 1801-1880; Waitsfield, Vt.; Keeseville.
11. Sophia Brigham, 1806-1898; Bakersfield, Vt.; Keeseville.
12. Ebenezer Barrows, 1805-1896; Stowe.
13. Sarah Russell, 1814-1848; Stowe.
14. *Caleb Blakely, - ; Hyde Park, Vt.; Mooers; Morrisville.
15. *Catherine Deyo, 1827-1873; Hyde Park; Mooers; Morrisville.

V.

16. Thomas Mould, 1796-1889; Charlotte, Vt.; Norfolk, N.Y.; West Stockholm.
17. Caroline Taylor, 1799-1871; Williston, Vt.; West Stockholm.
18. Joseph Goulding, 1785-1852; Holden, Mass.; Keeseville.
19. Lydia Mellen, 1780-1837; Cape Cod, Mass.; Keeseville.
20. Doud Bushnell, 1762-1848; Saybrook, Conn.; Waitsfield; Buckland, Mass.
21. Lucy Joyce, 1767-1841; Guilford, Conn.; Waitsfield; Buckland.
22. Eli Brigham, 1774-1848; Bakersfield.
23. Mary Harrington, 1776-1822; Bakersfield.
24. Ebenezer Barrows, 1778-1855; Middleboro, Mass.; Stowe.
25. Ruth Churchill, 1783-1832; Stowe.
- 26-31.

VI.

32. Joseph Mould, - ; England; Charlotte, Vt.
- 33.
34. Eldad Taylor, 1756- ; St. Lawrence City, N.Y.; Becket, Mass.; Williston, Vt.
35. Jerusha Taylor, 1759- ; Plainfield, Mass.; Williston.
36. John Rice Goulding, 1762-1813; Holden, Mass.
37. Ruth Webb, 1764-1815; Holden.
- 38-39.
40. Gideon Bushnell, 1720-1776/7; Saybrook, Conn.; Westbrook, Conn.
41. Temperance Chapman, 1728-1807; Westbrook; Salisbury, Conn.
42. William Joyce, 1733-1754; Barbados; Guilford.
43. Eunice Bishop, 1736- ; Guilford.
44. Jonas Brigham, 1748-1826; Westboro, Mass.; Bakersfield.
45. Hannah (Anna) Draper, - ; Watertown, Mass.; Bakersfield.
- 46-47.
48. Samuel Barrows, 1738- ; Middleborough, Mass.
49. Sarah Thomas, - ;
50. Ichabod Churchill, 1746- ; Middleborough.
51. Sarah Tinkham, - ; Halifax, Mass.
- 52-63.

XLIX. Patricia Ellen Coughlin. Submitted by Patricia Zanetta,
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I.

1. Patricia Ellen Coughlin, 1929- ; Oakland, Cal.; Orangevale, Cal.; Folsom, Cal.

II.

2. James John Coughlin, 1871-1937; Pittsfield, Mass.; Oakland, Cal.

3. Adelaide Lydia Iorio, 1890-1937; New York, N.Y.; Oakland.

III.

4.*Denis Coughlin, 1816-1898; Cork Co., Ireland; Pittsfield.

5.*Abigail Barrett, 1848-1902; Ireland; Pittsfield.

6.*Peter Pasquale Iorio, 1864- ; Italy; New York,

7.*Catherine Chiesi, 1864- ; Italy; New York

IV.

8.*James Coughlin, - ; Cork County.

9.*Ellen Barrett, - ; Ireland.

10.*Garrett Barrett, - ; Ireland.

11.*Hannah Ronan, - ; Ireland.

L. **Jean MacDonald Wheeler.** Submitted by Jean Wheeler Blackmur,
Box 537, Diablo, CA 94528.

I.

1. Jean MacDonald Wheeler, 1930- ; Great Barrington, Mass.;
Hartford, Ct.; Diablo, Cal.

II.

2. Robert Kellogg Wheeler, 1892-1980; Great Barrington.

3. Hazel Belle MacDonald, 1893-1982; Vancouver, B.C., Canada;
Great Barrington.

III.

4. John Cooper Wheeler, 1860-1897; Great Barrington.

5. Lucy Hale Kellogg, 1858-1933; Sheffield, Mass.; Great
Barrington.

6. Angus MacDonald, 1857-1943; Wallace, N.S., Canada; Hartford;
Vancouver.

7. Margaret Isabel Thompson, 1861-1939; Pictou, N.S., Canada;
Hartford; Vancouver.

IV.

8. Merritt Ives Wheeler, 1826-1907; Great Barrington.

9. Sarah Elizabeth Cooper, 1820-1901; Sheffield; Great Barrington.

10. Dr. Silas Root Kellogg, 1799-1877; Sheffield.

11. Lucy Church Hale, 1816-1895; Wethersfield, Ct.; Sheffield.

12. John Morrison MacDonald, - ; Nova Scotia.

13. Mary Ann Seaman, - ; Nova Scotia.

14. Robert Thompson, 1813- ; Glasgow, Scotland; Nova Scotia.

15. Margaret Isabel Oliver, - ; Nova Scotia.

V.

16. Claudius Wheeler, 1790-1863; Great Barrington.

17. Mary Ives, 1790-1870; North Haven, Ct.; Great Barrington.

18. John Lewis Cooper, 1786-1876; Great Barrington; Sheffield.

19. Mary Fellows, 1798-1870; Sheffield.

20. Silas Kellogg, Jr., 1758-1836; Sheffield.

21. Rhoda Root, 1758-1833; Sheffield.

22. Joseph Hale, Jr., 1784-1837; Oswego, N.Y.; Wethersfield.

23. Lucy Church, 1788-1864; Springfield, Mass.; Wethersfield.

24. John MacDonald, 1791-1858; Nova Scotia.
25. Catherine Morrison, - ; Nova Scotia.
26. Capt. William Seaman, ca.1796-1874; Whitehaven, England;
Nova Scotia.
- 27-29.
30. John George Oliver, -1854; Tatamagouche, N.S., Canada;
- 31.
- VI.
32. Capt. Truman Wheeler, 1741-1815; Southbury, Ct.; Great
Barrington.
33. Huldah Cadwell, 1751-1798; Wintonbury, Ct.; Great Barrington.
34. Capt. James Ives, 1751-1826; North Haven; Great Barrington.
35. Mary Brackett, 1759-1830; New Haven, Ct.; Great Barrington.
- 36.*Simeon Cooper, 1765- ; New Haven; Canaan, N.Y.; Great
Barrington.
- 37.*Elizabeth Lewis, 1768- ; New Haven; Canaan; Great
Barrington.
38. John Fellows, Jr., 1765-1813; Sheffield.
- 39.*Polly S(h)ears, - ; Sheffield.
40. Deac. Silas Kellogg, 1714-1792; Westfield, Mass.; Sheffield.
41. Ruth Root, 1722-1817; Westfield; Sheffield.
42. Aaron Root, 1720-1809; Westfield; Sheffield.
- 43.*Rhoda King, 1731- ; Sheffield.
44. Joseph Hale, Sr., 1758- ; Glastonbury, Ct., Oswego.
- 45.*Sarah Moseley, - ; Glastonbury.
46. Jonathan Church, 1760-1804; Springfield.
47. Theodosia Morley, 1769-1848; West Springfield, Mass.;
Wethersfield;
48. John MacDonald, - ; Scotland; Nova Scotia.
- 49-51.
52. John Seaman, - ; England.
53. Mary Ann Dodd, - ; England.

LI. **Edith M. Ruel.** Submitted by Edith M. Fagley, Grove Avenue,
Rt.44, Pittsfield, MA 01201.

- I.
1. Edith M. Ruel, 1921- ; Lanesboro, Mass.; Pittsfield, Mass.
- II.
2. Joseph Louis Ruel, 1894-1968; Adams, Mass.; Lanesboro;
Pittsfield.
3. Mabel Hattie Denno, 1896-1974; Adams; Lanesboro; Pittsfield.
- III.
4. Louis Edmond Ruel, 1859-1927; St. Charles, P.Q., Canada;
Adams.
5. Edith Gaudette, 1860-1913; Adams.
6. Napoleon Denno, 1868-1941; Mooers, N.Y.; Adams; Lanesboro.
7. Henrietta Raymond, 1867-1908; Mooers; Altona, N.Y.; Adams.
- IV.
8. Anselme Ruel, 1822-1860; St. Charles.
9. Anastasie Gosselin, 1827-1883; St. Henri, P.Q., Canada;
St. Charles.

10. Anthony Gaudette, 1838-1924; Canada; Adams; Athol, Mass.
 11. Rosetta Spring, 1843-1927; Spencer, Mass.; Adams; Athol.
 12. John Denneau, 1821-1904; Canada; Mooers.
 13. Rosalie Bashaw, 1840-1913; Mooers.
 14. Luke Raymond, 1834-1901; Canada; Altona; Mooers.
 15. Marie Dumond, 1840-1870's; Champlain, N.Y.; Chazy, N.Y.; Altona.
- V.
16. Jean Baptiste Ruel, 1786-1864; St. Valier, P.Q., Canada; St. Charles.
 17. Catherine Marseau, -1872; St. Valier.
 18. Antoine Gosselin, - ; St. Henri, Lauzon-Canada.
 19. Anastasie Bilodeau, - ; St. Henri.
 20. Antoine Gaudette, 1810-1862; Adams; St. Hyacinthe, Canada.
 21. Sophia Laprise, 1820-1892; Adams; St. Hyacinthe.
 - 22.*John Spring, 1818-1900's; Canada; Spencer, Mass.; Adams.
 - 23.*Rosetta White, 1825-1900's; Canada; Spencer; Adams.
 24. John Baptiste Deneau, - ; LaPrairie, P.Q., Canada.
 25. M. Anne Carbonneau, - ; LaPrairie.
 26. Constant Bachand, 1801-1850's; St. Edward, P.Q., Canada; Mooers.
 27. Julie Babeu, 1806-1891; LaPrairie; Mooers; N. Hudson, N.Y.
 28. Luc Raymond, 1808-1890; Mooers; LaPrairie.
 29. Louise Lanctot, 1809-188-; Mooers; LaPrairie.
 - 30.*Pascal Dumont, 1795-1855; Canada; Champlain, N.Y.
 - 31.*Julie Cross (LaCroix), 1816-18--; Canada; Champlain; Chazy.
- VI.
32. Ignace Ruel, 1755-1834; St. Charles.
 33. M. Anne Bernier, 1752-1836; St. Charles.
 34. Augustin Marseau, 1738-1819; Isle Orleans, P.Q., Canada; St. Valier.
 35. Celeste Malbeuf, - ; St. Pierre, P.Q., Canada; St. Thomas, P.Q., Canada.
 36. Louis Gosselin, 1765- ; Isle Orleans.
 37. Josette Gagne, - ; St. Henri.
 38. Ignace Bilodeau, - ; St. Charles.
 39. Anastasie Lacasse, - ; St. Charles.
 40. Pierre Gaudet, - ; St. Denis, P.Q., Canada.
 41. M. Adelaide Montigny, - ; St. Denis.
 42. Jean Baptiste Laprise, - ; St. Denis.
 43. M. Anne Payan, - ; St. Denis.
 - 44.* Fountain (Spring), - ; St. Denis.
 - 45.* , - ; St. Denis; Worcester County, Mass.
 46. Leblanc (White), - ; Canada; Worcester County
 - 47.* , - ; Canada; Worcester County.
 48. Jean Baptiste Deneau, - ; LaPrairie.
 49. Angelique Jolivette, - ; LaPrairie.
 50. Jean Carbonneau, - ; LaPrairie.
 51. M. Anne Pitre (Jean), - ; LaPrairie.
 52. Constant Bachand, - ; Boucherville, P.Q., Canada.
 53. M. Anne Trottier, - ; Grondines, P.Q., Canada; Boucherville.

54. Jean Baptiste Babeu, - ; LaPrairie.
 55. Julie Guimond, - ; Boucherville; LaPrairie.
 56. Pierre Raymond, - ; LaPrairie.
 57. Elisabeth Galerneau, - ; Dortneuf, P.Q., Canada;
 LaPrairie.
 58. Francois Lanctot, - ; St. Constant, P.Q., Canada;
 LaPrairie.
 59. Louise Chabot, - ; St. Constant; LaPrairie.
 60-63.

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EARLY NAMES OF BERKSHIRE COMMUNITIES

We are all familiar with the current names of our Berkshire County cities and towns. However, the genealogist is often working back in the 1700's when the original or early names were quite different. (An asterisk indicates that the town was originally incorporated under that name.)

CURRENT NAME	EARLY NAME
Adams	East Hoosuck Plantation
Alford	Podunke
Becket	Plantation No. 4
Cheshire	Scrabbletown
Dalton	Ashuelot Equivalent
Egremont	York
Florida	Bullock's Grant
Hancock	Jericho Plantation
Lanesborough	New Framingham Plantation
Lee	Hoplands
Lenox	Yokum
Mount Washington	Tauconnuck Mountain Plantation
Otis	Louden*
Peru	Partridgefield *
Pittsfield	Pontoosuck Plantation
Richmond	Richmont *
Sandisfield	Plantation No. 3
Savoy	Plantation No. 6
Sheffield	Housatonic Lower Plantation
Stockbridge	Indian Town
Tyringham	Housatonic Township No. 1
Washington	Hartwood
West Stockbridge	Queensborough
Williamstown	West Hoosuck Plantation
Windsor	Gageborough *

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GENEALOGICAL RESOURCES IN BERKSHIRE COUNTY LIBRARIES

by Charlotte P. Davis*

THE BERKSHIRE ATHENAEUM

1 Wendell Avenue
Pittsfield, Mass.

Mrs. Ruth T. Degenhardt
Local History Librarian

This library has a vast amount of material for the genealogist. It will take several issues of BERKSHIRE GENEALOGIST just to give a general survey. The most outstanding features are the unusual and detailed "collections". They are known by the names of Corbin, Cooke, Shepard, Brown, Hoyt and Williams.

THE WILLIAM WILLIAMS COLLECTION

Many years ago, the personal papers, letters and deeds of Col. William Williams of Pittsfield were given to the Athenaeum and they were stored in the vault. During the Depression, W.P.A. workers copied and typed all of this material. The well typed sheets were bound into three volumes. Then they carefully indexed this work and that was bound into Volume 4. The material in these four volumes has been microfilmed by the Mormons and is therefore available through the LDS Branch Libraries.

William Williams was born in 1711 in Weston, Mass. He had an unsuccessful business career in Boston but in 1739 he began his 17 year military career that covered the French and Indian War. He finally settled in Pittsfield in 1758 and died here in 1785. Most of the interesting letters and papers pertain to his military activities and the early Pittsfield town meetings, officers and affairs. To briefly summarize:

- . His list of 321 names of men who enlisted and joined the 8th Regiment raised in Massachusetts Bay in 1745 and sailed from Boston 25 June 1745 to join the army at Louisburg under command of Lt. Col. Pepperrell. Also list of the officers in this 8th Regiment.
- . Deerfield Muster Roll of 1748.
- . A 1754 list of soldiers and laborers used to build Fort Anson at Pontoosuck (later Pittsfield).
- . List of names of the Detachment of Sir William Pepperrell's Regiment at the Onida Carrying Place (Oswego area) 1755.
- . List of names of men Williams paid for work 1755-56.
- . List of names of men who returned arms by Major Day. No date.
- . Northampton 1758. List of soldiers belonging to Capt. Day's Co.
- . List of Captain's names under the command of Col. William Williams. 1758 list from Fort Miller.

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- . List of men belonging to Col. William Williams who returned their arms to him before they left the Camp at Lake George on return of invasion of Canada.
- . List of people Col. William Williams owed money 1767.
- . Williams' deeds for his purchases of lands and servants (negro). Also old Indian deeds from Berkshire County 1737-1754.
- . 1761 Pittsfield (Pontoosook) Assessor list.
- . Pittsfield Town Meetings agenda and town officers for 1765, 1768, 1778 and 1779.
- . List of men who worked building the bridge over river by Dean Crowfoote.
- . 1768 list of Militia Train Band in Pittsfield and places adjacent under command of Capt. Charles Goodrich.
- . 1778- names of those who swore oath of allegiance to the king.
- . 1789 Pittsfield school tax - names of those taxed.
- . 1842- Stockholders of the Western Railroad.
- . 1840- List of stockholders and town they were from, for Pontoosuc Woolen Mfg. Co., Pittsfield.
- . Ashawelot Equivalent (Dalton). Plot plan of original lots (from Registry) and names of owners.

THE HOYT COLLECTION

[Given by Mary Hoyt DeGiorgis in memory of her parents, George David and Fannie (Jones) Hoyt.]

This Berkshire County material consists of two drawers filled with an alphabetical card file. There are over 500 cards with individual Berkshire County residents' names on each. Some cards are filled, others are sparse.

These cards have 18th and 19th century vital records, Registry of Deeds records, Probate Court records and court action as recorded in Acts and Resolves. Every statement is well documented. Many of the cards refer to a tavern ledger kept by Isaac Marsh of Stockbridge¹.

Another feature of this collection is the cards for Berkshire County towns listing the original proprietors (from Registry of Deeds records).

¹ In the Stockbridge Library are two tavern ledgers and two day books kept by Isaac Marsh. They record in detail all his tavern business in Stockbridge from 1775 to 1791. These records give his customers' names, the town where they lived and how and when they paid their bill. The tavern was located in the center of Stockbridge near the site of the present Red Lion Inn.

STATE CENSUS OF MASSACHUSETTS, 1855:
CHESHIRE
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Abstract by Meta Stark

220	220	George DeWitt	45 M	Blacksmith	Mass.
		Olive DeWitt	50 F		"
		Melvina DeWitt	19 F		"
221	221	Schoolhouse			
222	222	Albert Wells	30 M	Farmer	Mass.
		Francis Wells	26 F		"
		Rodney D. Wells	8 M		"
		Charles M. Wells	2 M		"
223	223	Schoolhouse			
224	224	Nathan Sayles [?]	75 M	Farmer	R.I.
		Hearty Sayles	72 F		Mass.
		Alanson Wood	47 M	Farmer	"
		Almedia Wood	38 F		"
		John L. Wood	6 M		"
		William H. Perkins	16 M	Laborer	"
		Julia A. Rice	21 F		"
225	225	John Burt	57 M	Farmer	"
		Chloe Burt	52 F		"
		George M. Burt	24 M	Farmer	"
		Chloe J. Burt	21 F		"
		Elijah Barber	19 M	Laborer	"
226	226	William F. Card	25 M	Farmer	"
		Emily A. Card	21 F		"
		Morse Woodruff	27 M	Laborer	"
227	227	Asa Card	48 M	Farmer	"
		Ann E. Card	39 F		"
		Sheaubel [?] L. Card	20 M	Farmer	"
		Marcus E. Card	10 M		"
228	228	Sylvanus Scott	71 M	Farmer	"
		Malanthia [?] Scott	70 F		"
		Brown S. Scott	36 M	Farmer	"
		Huldah M. Scott	27 F		"
229	229	William Cain	52 M	Shoemaker	"
		Ziphora Cain	47 F		"
		Arnold B. Cain	22 M	Laborer	"
		Rufus B. Cain	19 M	"	"
		Ira B. Cain	15 M		"
		Sylvia Cain	13 F		"
230	230	Steward White	47 M	Farmer	N.Y.
		Elizabeth White	43 F		"
		Mary White	21 F		Mass.
		Betsey White	18 F		"
		Cynthia White	16 F		"
		Susan E. White	14 F		Mass.
		David D. White	11 M		"

		Ada White	8 F		"
		Alice L. [?] White	4 F		"
		Eli White	73 M	Pauper	N.Y.
231	231	Edward A. Sanders	30 M	Laborer	Mass.
		Avis A. Sanders	25 F		"
		Mary A. Sanders	4M F		"
232	232	Joseph Burt	67 M	Farmer	"
233	233	Calvin Loomis	76 M	Farmer	"
		Anna Loomis	72 F		"
		Eunice Loomis	60 F		"
234	234	Alden Jenks	42 M	Farmer	"
		Lydia Jenks	35 F		"
		Francis Jenks	17 F		"
		Mary E. Jenks	15 F		"
235	235	Pardon Lincoln	60 M	Farmer	R.I.
		Mary Lincoln	61 F		"
236	236	Schoolhouse			
237	237	Consider Smith	47 M	Laborer	Mass.
				(Deaf & Dumb)	
		Lovinia A. Smith	56 F		"
		Abigail H. Smith	16 F		"
238	238	Shubael Lincoln	37 M	Farmer	"
		Addeline Lincoln	28 F		"
		Ann E. Smith	19 F		"
239	239	Freeman Martin	30 M	Laborer	Cannida
		Susannah Martin	31 F		"
		Rachael Martin	4M F		Mass.
240	240	Wm. E. Jacques	54 M		N.Y.
		Laura W. Jacques	54 F		Mass.
		Cornelia Jacques	29 F		"
		Hulbert Jacquest	20 M	Farmer	"
		Abner A. Perry	21 M	Laborer	"
		Rosina Luthers	68 F		"
241	241	Jackson B. Farnam	27 M	Farmer	"
		Harriett Farnam	26 F		"
242	242	Albert Jenks 1st	43 M	Farmer	"
		Philaney [?] Jenks	41 F		"
		Sylvia A. Jenks	15 F		"
		Charles H. Jenks	10 M		"
		Calvin Jenks	1 M		"
243	243	Abel Jones [?]	31 M	Farmer	N.Y.
		Mary A. Jones	31 F		Mass.
		Wm. H. Jones	10 M		"
		Harriett Jones	7 F		"
		Mary R. Jones	3 F		"
		Joseph Jones	1 M		"
244	244	John M. Brown	46 M	Mason	"
		Zilpha Brown	43 F		"
		Susan Brown	18 F		"
		Abraham Brown	13 M		"
		John H. Brown	10 M		Mass.
		Adelade Brown	9 F		"

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		Mary Brown	5[?] F		"
		Chloe Brown	2 F		"
245	245	Schoolhouse			
246	246	Alonzo Chase	31 M	Farmer	"
		Achsah Chase	28 F		"
		Edgar M. Chase	4 M		"
		Nelley M. Chase	2 F		"
		Charles Leonard	14 M		"
247	247	John King	45 M	Farmer	"
		Betsey King	56 F		"
		Emerry King	17 M	Farmer	"
		Laura A. King	14 F		"
248	248	Andrew J. Conn	27 M	Farmer	N.H.
		Mary S. [?] Conn	27 F		Mass.
249	249	Noah Y. [?] Bushnell	58 M	Farmer	Conn.
		Sally Bushnell	56 F		"
		Noah Bushnell	21 M	Farmer	Mass.
		Marquis D. Jenks	20 M	Laborer	"
		Palmyra Brown	16 F		"
250	250	Thomas Jordan	38 M	Laborer	Canida
		Charlotte Jordan	45 F		"
		Delia Jordan	8 F		Mass.
		Lucy Jordan	2 F		"
251	251	Edwin E. Phelps	22 M	Laborer	"
		Lydia Scott	23 F		"
252	252	Charles Bliss	50 M	Farmer	"
		Wealthy Bliss	82 F		"
		Rachael Bliss	40 F		"
253	253	Schoolhouse			
254	254	Warner Farnam	63 M	Farmer	"
		Isannah Farnam	41 F		"
		Ann Farnam	18 F		"
		John Farnam	15 M		"
		Charles Farnam	14 M		"
		James N. Farnam	10 M		"
		Warner F. Farnam	4 M		"
		Kate Farnam	2 F		"
		Augustus Wood	21 M	Laborer	"
255	255	Mason Chapman	40 M	Farmer	"
		Zaidia Chapman	39 F		"
		Emma J. Chapman	19 F		"
		Daniel E. Chapman	15 M		"
		Luther M. Chapman	14 M		"
		Ida A. Chapman	4 F		"
		Daniel Chapman	86 M	Farmer	"
		Betsey Chapman	70 F		"
		Nathaniel Bartlett	24 M	Laborer	"
		Hellen Bartlett	21 F		"
256	256	Joseph M. Brown	30 M	Farmer	"
		Martha L. Brown	25 F		"
		Ella F. Brown	5 F		Mass.
257	257	Luther M. Bennett	33 M	Box Maker	"

		Eliza Bennett	30 F		"
		George Bennett	11 M		"
		Everett Bennett	4 M		"
258	258	William P. Bennett	26 M	Farmer	"
		Francis M. Bennett	24 F		"
		Rupell Bennett	30 M	Laborer	"
		Luke Madden	16 M	Laborer	Ireland
259	259	John L. Brown	28 M	Farmer	Mass.
		Amy Brown	28 F		"
		Andrew B. Brown	4 M		"
		Franklin Brown	3 M		"
		Charles Fuller	22 M	Laborer	"
260	260	Rodanfus Field	38 M	"	"
		Elsa Field	45 F		"
261	261	John B. Wells	45 M	Farmer	"
		Sally R. Wells	48 F		"
		Francis B. Wells	19 F		"
		Ruth A. Wells	16 F		"
		John A. Wells	14 M		"
		Henry C. Wells	13 M		"
		Oscar D. Wells	10 M		"
		Bonaparte Bugby	40 M	Laborer	"
		Mesile[?] Tuchanko[?]	20 M	Laborer	Canada
262	262	Schoolhouse			
263	263	Lorenzo Hathaway	33 M	Farmer	Mass.
		Almina B. Hathaway	26 F		"
264	264	John Field	60 M	Farmer	R.I.
		Amy Field	66 F		"
		Lovisa Field	37 F		Mass.
265	265	Edwin F.[?] Prince	28 M	Carpenter	"
		Amy A. Prince	23[?] F		"
		Franklin P. Prince	2 M		"
266	266	Thomas Field	64 M	Farmer	"
		Harriett Field	43 F		Vt.
		Chad Field	22 M	Laborer	Mass.
267	267	Elijah F. Jenks	23 M	"	"
		Electa[?] M. Jenks	57 F		"
268	268	Hannah Coin	60 F		"
269	269	Levi H. Jenks	27 M	Farmer	"
		Nancy J. Jenks	22 F		"
270	270	Spencer S. Edmunds	30 M	Farmer	"
		Almira T. Edmunds	30 F		"
		Cornelia A. Edmunds	9 F		"
		Ella A. Edmunds	4 F		"
271	271	Arthur F. Brown	35 M	Farmer	"
		Laura Brown	33 F		"
		Nancy A. Brown	7 F		"
		Harriett Hammond	14 F		"
272	272	Edmund Madden	50 M	Laborer	Ireland
		Margerett Madden	50 F		"
		Margeret Madden	11 F		Mass.
273	273	Mosez Jenks	66 M	Farmer	"

		Betsey Jenks	65	F		"
		John Jenks	45	M	Farmer	Mass.
		Almira Jenks	44	F		"
		Porter[?] Jenks	12	M		"
		Addeline Jenks	10	F		"
274	274	Jabez Jenks	63	M	Farmer	"
		Cynthia Jenks	57	F		"
		Ruth Jenks	36	F		"
		Martin V. Jenks	21	M	Farmer	"
275	275	Jessee A. Jenks	48	M	"	"
		Arin Ann[?] E. Jenks	41	F		N.Y.
		Francis L. Jenks	21	M	Farmer	Mass.
		George W. Jenks	15	M		"
		Mary J. Jenks	6	F		"
		James Mathias	25	M	Laborer	Scotland
276	276	Aaron Hammond	41	M	"	Mass.
		Elizabeth Hammond	26	F		"
		Jenette L. Hammond	16	F		"
		Ellen M. Hammond	11	F		"
		Laura S. Hammond	9	F		"
		Mary A. Hammond	2	F		"
277	277	Timothy Conklin	26	M	Laborer	Ireland
		Mary Conklin	22	F		"
		Michael Conklin	4	M		Mass.
		Mary Conklin	2	F		"
278	278	Perry Micknomaster	50	M	Laborer	Ireland
		Mary Mickomaster	50	F		"
		Catharine Mickomaster	12	F		"
		Martin Mickomaster	10	M		"
		Edmund Mickomaster	8	M		"
		Mary Mickomaster	3	F		"
279	279	Archy Michael	30	M	Laborer	"
		Honora Michael	30	F		"
		Nancy Michael	1	F		Mass.
280	280	Seneca L. Lincoln	31	M	Farmer	"
		Mary A. Lincoln	28	F		"
		Sylvia C. Lincoln	4	F		"
		Norman C. Carpenter	19	M	Laborer	"
281	281	School House				
282	282	John Bolster	50	M	Laborer	"
		Neonia[?] Bolster	53	F		"
		George W. Bolster	17	M	Laborer	"
283	283	Thomas B. Brown	56	M	Farmer	"
		Ann Brown	52	F		"
		J.[?] Brown	23	F		"
		Edwin Brown	21	M	Farmer	"
		Benton Brown	15	M		"
		William Cone	20	M	Laborer	Vt.
284	284	Simon Wood	87	M		Mass.
		Lydia Wood	78	F		"
285	285	Alfred Dodge	52	M	Laborer	N.Y.
		Anna Dodge	48	F		"

		Rachael Dodge	16 F		"
286	286	John Sidley	53 M	Laborer	Mass.
		Catharine Sidley	48 F		"
		Louisa Sidley	21 F		"
		Peter Sidley	18 M		Mass.
		Mary Sidley	9 F		"
		Hosanna Sidley	5 F		"
		Ransford Sidley	2 M		"
287	287	Dexter Cole	61 M	Farmer	"
		Elthenia[?] Cole	61 F		"
		Mortimer Cole	20 M	Farmer	"
		Mary Cole	20 F		"
		Sylvester Cole	29 M	Grocer [?]	"
		Eliza Cole	25 F		"
		Olive C. Cole	4 F		"
288	288	Henry H. Knight	38 M	Laborer	N.Y.
		Catharine Knight	29 F		Mass.
		Emma Knight	4 F		"
		Charles H. Knight	3 M		"
289	289	Paul Shepston	36 M	Laborer	England
		Jerusha Shepston	38 F		Vt.
		Henry Shepston	13 M		"
		Harriett Shepston	9 F		Mass.
		Lydia Shepston	7 F		"
		Paul Shepston, Jr.	5 M		"
		George Shepston	3 M		"
		Sarah Shepston	6M F		"
290	290	Richard Nash	25 M	Laborer	Ireland
		Mary Nash	28 F		"
		Patrick Nash	2 M		Mass.
		Mary Nash	3M F		"
		Edward Driscoll	25 M	Laborer	Ireland
		Catharine Haley	78 F		"
291	291	Mary Caulins	61 F		"
		Mary Dooley	10 F		"
		Ellen Dooley	5 F		Mass.
		Michael Dooley	3 M		"
292	292	Thomas Caulins	36 M	Laborer	Ireland
		Catharine Caulins	35 F		"
		John Haley[?]	38 M		"
293	293	James Shea	40 M	Laborer	"
		Mary Shea	35 F		"
294	294	John Kenney	45 M	Laborer	"
		Catharine Kenney	35 F		"
		James Kenney	14 M		"
		Patrick Kenney	11 M		"
		Eliza Kenney	10 F		"
		John Kenney	8 M		"
		Martin Kenney	7 M		"

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QUERY SECTION

J. Bradley Cooper, Editor

88020

MERRY-BUTLER

Seek information on Bessie Ann Merry d/o Henry & Adelia Merry who m 2 Oct 1894 John J. Butler of Pittsfield. Desire to correspond with any descendants of this woman.

88021

YOUNG

Desire information on Charles & Mary Young of Williamstown who adopted a son in Dec 1883 and who may have been named Arthur after adoption. He b Pittsfield Nov 1880. Desire to correspond any descendants of above.

88022

WITHERSPOON-BARNES-COPELAND-WHEELER

Seeking information on Walter Witherspoon b ca 1890, mother Mary Copeland Witherspoon b 1 April 1867 in NY d/o Samuel & Mary Barnes Copeland. She later m Charles L. Wheeler and d 8 Feb 1917 Chester, MA. Who was Walter's father and when and where was Charles married?

Grace M. Wheeler, 430 Worthington Rd., Huntington, MA 01050

88023

CHAMBERLIN-JOHNSON

Can anyone trace movements of John & Eunice (Johnson) Chamberlin after their last child Susanna was bpt 1753 Colchester, CT. Need proof of their residence and dates of death, possibly in Pittsfield or Dalton.

88024

CHAMBERLIN-WELLS

John Chamberlin b 10 Nov 1767 s/o Capt John & Lydia (Wells) Chamberlin d 18 Sept 1851 Dalton. Need wife's name and place and date of marriage.

Dorothy B. Rooney, 6801 47th St. W, Tacoma, WA 98466

88025

DICKINSON-BAKER

Need information re Ludowick Dickinson found in 1800 Federal Census in Great Barrington. Is he same as Ludowick Dickinson s/o Gideon Dickinson and Mary/Mercy Baker, b 16 Jan 1765 in Stonington, New London, CT? Need any information re Ludowick in Berkshire County.

88026

DICKINSON-GRAHAM-PATTERSON

Need information on Ludowick Dickinson and Naomi Graham said to have m 19 Jan 1795 - where? Naomi Graham d/o Gershom & Esther Patterson of Berkshire County. Asa C. Dickinson b 1 Jan 1802 supposedly Great Barrington & John L. Dickinson b 1804 in MA said to have been their sons. Need proof of birth of Asa & John.

Janet L. Powers, 2421 Baltimore Dr., Alhambra, CA 91803

88027

MASON-TINGLEY

Who are the parents of Keziah Mason b 1767 m 13 Oct 1790 Elkanah Tingley (1760-1838) Lanesboro and d Hartford, CT 1805

Betty M. Harris, 3601 L St., Lincoln, NE 68570

88028

GORTON-ROBINSON-DAVIS-GREEN

Need m date & place for John Gorton & Comfort Robinson prob in Hancock ca 1805--7. John s/o John Gorton and m (2) Susanna Davis.

Tradition says Comfort d/o Caleb Robinson and Varty Green, she d 29 June 1830 and bur Noah Ely Cemetery, Hancock. John & Comfort had nine children b Hancock and moved to Pike Co. IL ca 1838. Virginia Gorton Bonne, 5015 Lindell, St. Louis, MO 63108

88029 DUPONT-PORTER-KNOX

Joseph Dupont alias Porter b 4 Sept 1846 Springfield d 21 May 1902 Utica, NY m 30 Jan 1879 Rome, NY Ida Camilla Knox b 6 Dec 1857 Chicago, IL d 25 Nov 1918 Rome, NY. Need parents of Joseph.

88030 SINK-CONOLLY-KNOX

Eliza W. Sink b 7 Sept 1817 Lenox d 3 Mar 1888 Rome, NY m(1)--?-- Conolly m(2) John R[oberts?] Knox at Utica, NY 20 Jan 1851. Need parents of Eliza & John and information on Conolly. Edward Bright, P.O. Box 184, Oxbow, NY 13671

88031 GEAR

Seek parents and more info on Elijah Gear who m Polly --?-- and had at least one son Royal R. Gear b 1804 MA d 1885 Macomb Co., MI.

88032 GEER-HINES

Seek info/ancestry/wife's name of Nathan Geer m Dolly --?--. Known children Dolly Geer b 1 Jan 1792 Chesterfield, William R. Geer b ca 1798 m Eunice Hines.

88033 GEER-THOMPSON

Seek parents Martha Geer b 10 June 1788/9 New Norwitch, MA(?) d Aug 1835 Cleveland, OH m 18 Nov 1810 Albany, NY Jonathan Thompson (1785-?) of NY state. Ginger M. August, 32 Stetson Way, Princeton, NJ 08540

88034 DEAN-BRADWAY-BURNETT

Widow Hannah (Bradway) Dean will proved 10 Apr 1844 Seneca Co., NY. No probate in Seneca Co of possible husband. Can any Dean researchers help? Possible connection with Berkshire Co. Hannah prob b ca 1770-80. No children mentioned in will but 8 Burnett nieces and nephews named, children of William Burnett and Hannah's deceased sister, unnamed. Mrs. Bette I. Bradway, 1119 Hedgewood Lane, Schenectady, NY 12309

88035 STITT-HALL-DAVIDSON-LINCOLN-BATES-HAWKES

Need info descendants of Francis Stitt & Mehitabel Hall m 1809 children Polly b 11 Mar 1810 d 13 Apr 1810, Elizabeth Hall bpt 18 Jan 1814 m Roswell Davidson of Plainfield, Mary Hall m Sherlock Lincoln 11 May 1843, Sarah Hall m Martial L. Bates 6 Sept 1849, William Stitt m Sarah E. Hawkes 6 June 1849.

88036 STITT-BUTLER-HALL

Seek info Francis Stitt of Scottish parents left N.E. coast of Ireland to Hartford, CT 1798 m Widow Butler. Son John b 28 Oct 1804 and mother d 1807. Francis, a sea captain, took John to Berkshire Co. to be cared for by a family named Hall. During War 1812 Francis' ship captured by British and taken to Halifax. Later he brought back ship, returned to Hartford, sold ship and left the sea. Married Mehitabel Hall 1809 Ashford d 1829. Lillian S. DeHart, 6969 Madden Road, Dexter, MI 48130

88037

SAXTON

Seek ancestry of Huldah, wife of James Saxton s/o James & Sarah (Noble) Saxton of Sheffield. James b 26 Nov 1758 Sheffield. Huldah b 17 Apr 1763 where? James & Huldah m 12 June 1780 Egremont lived in Green River/Spencertown, NY on farm of James' father also James, and in 1831 in Pomfret, NY where James d 24 Aug 1831. Huldah d 1 Nov 1848 Belvedere, IL. Children Calvin, Ora, Sarah, Fanny, Daniel, John Z., Clarissa.

88038

KNOWLES-LAUN/LOWN

Seek ancestry Horace Knowles b 6 Jan 1796, was he b Worthington? He m 29 July 1824 Catherine Laun/Lown b 1 Oct 1805 Redhook, NY. Horace (1882) & Catherine (1877) d LaGrange Twp., Lorain Co., OH. Children: Horace m Sarah Howard, Nelson m Betsey Salisbury, Lizzie, Rufus m Hannah Foster, Betsey m Albert Foster, Porter m Harriet Hawn, Martha m Porter W. Merriam, Mary m James Beaver, Lyman m Jane Howard, William C. m Cornelia Turner, Sarah, Ellen m William Wilcox and Emma.

Barbara Kostelnicek, 609 Bayou Crest Dr., Dickinson, TX 77539

88039

DEARING

Seek info Samuel Dearing who d 22 June 1846 Becket and his wife Nancy --?-- who d 14 May 1864 Becket.

Mrs. Nancy J. Pennington, 6204 Halifax Ave. S, Edina, MN 55424

88040

COOK-IRELAND

Mary A. Cook b 1801/2 MA poss Williamstown d 4 Apr 1865 Poland Twp., Chautauqua Co., NY m ca 1819 poss Monroe Co., NY Nathaniel Ireland b 1787 Long Island, NY d 1862 Poland, NY. Need ancestry Mary & Nathaniel.

Kathryn K. Hasmann, 2309 S.W. First Ave. #1545, Portland, OR 97201

88041

SCOFIELD-YOUNGS

Daniel Scofield b ca 1598 England emigrated ca 1635 to MA d 1670 Stamford, CT. Rev. John Youngs b ca 1598 England d 1671 Southold, NY. Did Daniel Scofield m Sarah or Mary Youngs d/o Rev. John? I have conflicting evidence.

88042

SMITH-PELTON

Ashfield Vital Records Marriages: Simeon Smith & Priscilla Pelton, both of Ashfield, 3 Jan 1782, intentions not recorded. Need to know which Simeon Smith this was.

Kathryn Vose, 131 E. Cornelia St., Hicksville, OH 43526

88043

TAYLOR-CHESBROUGH

Need info on parents of Thomas Taylor b 2 Dec 1801 Adams. One report says s/o Thomas Taylor & Freelove Chesbrough who moved to Wilma, NY in 1804.

88044

BALDWIN-SHEPARD

Need info on Molly or Mary Baldwin wife of Thomas Shepard. She b Bellingham ca 1758 lived in New Marlborough ca 1780-90. Moved to Lewis Co., NY where both died, he 18 July 1815 and she 27 Oct 1825.

David L. Cummings, 3502 Crestwood Dr., Cleveland, TN 37311

88045

PAINE-BROWN

Need ancestors, descendants and family history in Berkshire Co. of Rebecca & Sarah Paine, sisters who m brothers Daniel, Jr. & Timothy Brown of Sandisfield/Monterey area ca 1760.

88046

PAINE-BROWN-SANFORD-BACON

Rebecca Paine m ca 1758 (Sandisfield?) Daniel Brown, Jr. b 8 Apr 1733 at Mendon s/o Daniel Brown, Esq. & Mehitabel Sanford. Sister Sarah Paine m 15 Nov 1764 at Monterey Daniel, Jr.'s brother Timothy Brown. Were Rebecca & Sarah Paine d/o Theophilus Paine of Eastham?

Mary Brown Ballard, 411 Louella Ave., Wayne, PA 19087

88047

DUSENBURY-BALLARD

Who were parents of John Henry Dusenbury who m Susan Ballard? They were members of Christ's Church in Poughkeepsie, NY in 1865.

88048

BALLARD-DUSENBURY

Seek info Susan Ballard bur 31 Oct 1865 Christ Churchyard, Poughkeepsie, NY. She was wife of John Henry Dusenbury.

88049

VanDOESBURGH-DUSENBURY

It is generally believed that Hendrik Hendrikse Van Doesburgh and his wife Maritje Van Haarlem were the progenitors of the Dusenbury family in America. Seek data to close the gap with John Henry Dusenbury b ca 1790 who was in the Poughkeepsie, NY area in 1865 when his wife Susan Ballard was buried in Christ's Churchyard there. Desire to correspond with anyone researching this Dusenbury family.

J.B. Cooper, 221 Holmes Road, Pittsfield, MA 01201

In Vol. 8, No. 3, Page 76 of the BERKSHIRE GENEALOGIST there appears a listing of names found in Hancock, Massachusetts. Among the names is that of Caleb Hyde, County Sheriff, 1793-1797.

Mr. Dewey C. Eldridge of Johnson City, New York has written us as follows:

"I recently found a grave marker in Riverside Cemetery in Whitney Point, Broome County, New York with the following inscription:

GENERAL CALEB HYDE died 25 December 1820 ae 81

Nearby, a marker inscribed Elizabeth Hyde, wife of Caleb Hyde. I was unable to read the dates on this marker. There are many Hyde family graves in this cemetery and an area about three miles south is known as Hydesville. Also a road named Hyde Street. Knowing that the Hyde family came from New England, I think it is interesting to find a marker that quite likely refers to a name of nearly two hundred years ago."

Our thanks to Mr. Eldridge for sharing this information.

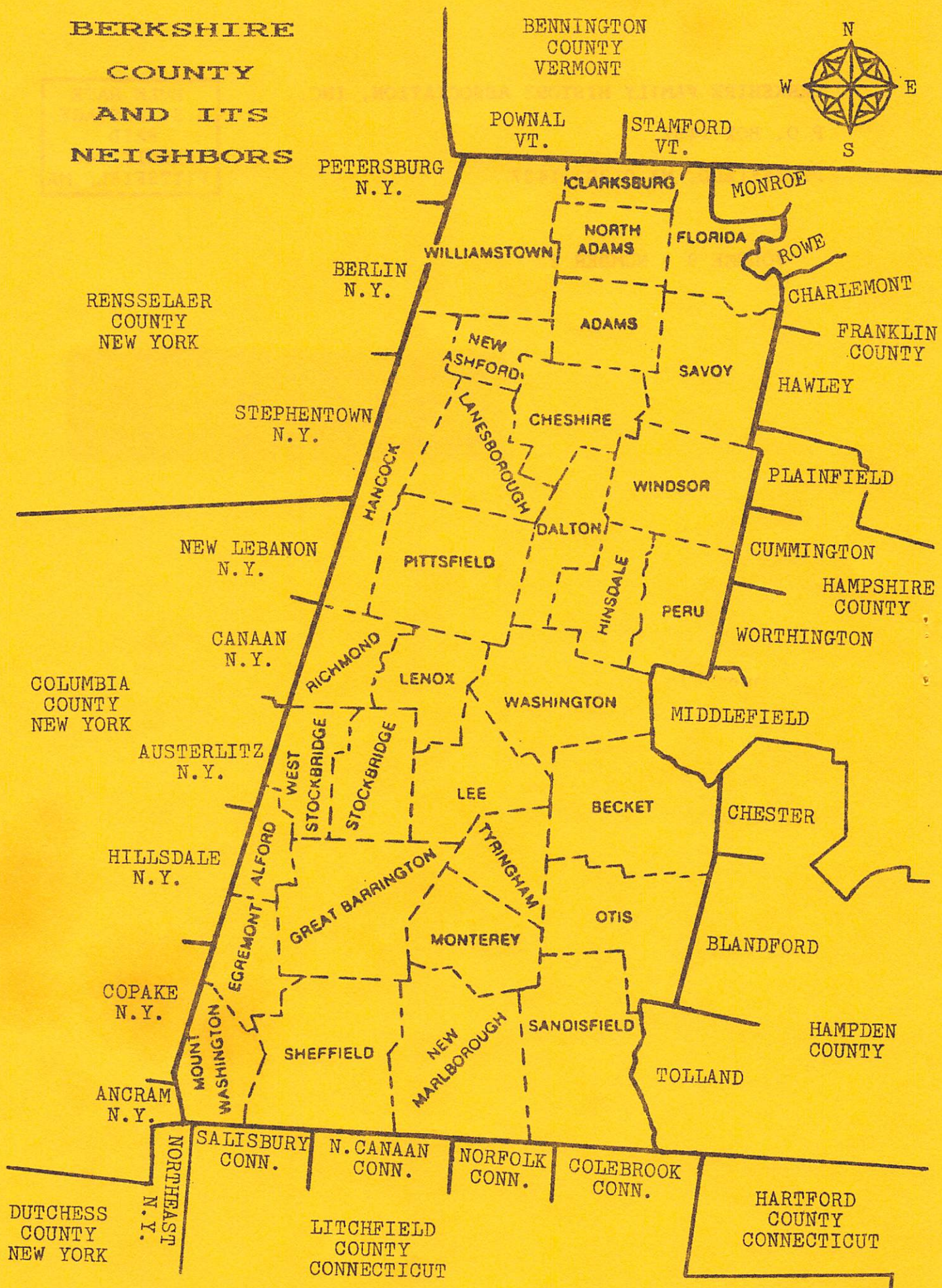
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