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THE BERKSHIRE JUBILEE CELEBRATED AT PITTSFIELD, MASS., AUGUST 22 & 23, 1844 NAMES OF EMIGRANT SONS AS RECORDED IN THE REGISTRY

(The original compilers of this list acknowledged that "not all persons attending had recorded their names," and that "bad handwriting may have resulted in misspellings." Ed.)

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Names.	PLACES OF BIRTH.	When and where resident in Berkshire.	Present Residence, and Remarss.
J. C. Brigham, Joshua N. Danforth, Jared Curtis, Thomas Mosely, Maria Tillotson Mosely, Lemuel Pomery, Jr., Aurelia Hollister Pomeroy, Seth Burgess, Charles E. West, D. Crocker, W. W. Turner, Levi Clark, James L. Bagg, Asahel L. Smith, William Chapman, John Mills, Drake Mills, George W. Carson, Calvin Durfee, J. Sidney Lewis, Louisa M. Lewis, Sidney Warner, Rev. Charles Bently, Cyrus W. Field, H. N. Brinsmade, H. B. Hooker, Ezekiel Bacon,	New Marlborough, Pittsfield, Stockbridge, Pittsfield, Farmington, Conn., Pittsfield, Washington, Andover, Conn., Great Barrington, Lanesborough, "" Pittsfield, Sandisfield, Sandisfield, "" Pittsfield, Sandisfield, "" Tyringham, Stockbridge, Rutland, Vt., Stockbridge,	Pittsfield, from 1798 to 1815 Pittsfield, from 1832 to 1837 from 1776 to 1781 from 1809 to 1830 Richmond, from 1806 to 1819 from 1800 to 1819 from 1816 to 1838 from 1816 to 1838 from 1811 to 1826 from 1834 to 1841 from 1797 to 1825 from 1797 to 1831 from 1799 to 1818 Pittsfield, from 1834 to 1841 Lanesborough, from 1824 to 1841 Pittsfield, Williamstown, Stockbridge, from 1776 to 1815	New-York. Alexandria, Dist. of Columbia. Charlestown, Mass. Clergyman. Ann Arbor, Michigan. """ Monroeville, Ohio. "" Elbridge, N. Y. New-York. Principal of Rutger's Fem. Institute. Charleston, S. C. Hartford, Conn. Elbridge, N. Y. Syracuse, N. Y. "" Middletown, Conn. Springfield, Mass. Charleston, S. C., 1817. New-York, 1828. Albany, N. Y. Dedham. New-York. "" Waterloo, N. Y. Harwinton, Conn. New-York. "" Waterloo, N. Y. Falmouth, Mass. Utica, N. Y. Representative in Congress from Berkshire District, from 1807 to 1813, and Chief Justice of court of common pleas for the western district of Mass. from 1812 to 1814, and Comp-
Samuel A. Danforth,	Pittsfield, New Marlborough, Lanesborough, Lenox, Stockbridge, Sandiafield, Lenox, Sandiafield, Williamstown, Pittsfield, Stockbridge, Otis, Hinsdale, Stockbridge, West Stockbridge, West Stockbridge, Westfield Sheffield, Southwick, Stockbridge, Southbury, Ct., Sandisfield, Pittsfield, Pittsfield, Stockbridge,	Pittsfield, from 1804 to 1837 Lenox, from 1814 to 1826	troller of U. S. Treasury. Boston. New-York. Cor. Sec'y American Tract Society. Newark, N. J. Lawyer'. Rochester, N. Y. Utica, N. Y. Charleston, S. C. "Corning, N. Y. Lawyer. Springfield Mass, Lawyer. Utica, N. Y. Lawyer. Ware Village, Mass. Spencertown, N. Y. Salisbury, Conn. Brooklyn, N. Y. Elbridge, N. Y. Dexter, Michigan. Westfield, Mass. East Bloomfield, N. Y. Hartford, Conn. Printer. New-York. Lawyer. New-York. Lawyer. New-York. Syracuse, N. Y. Clergyman. Utica, N. Y. Merchant. """
Mary Churchill, Norman Leonard, Lyman Cobb, Heman Ticknor, F. B. Austin, Uriah Edwards, John Saxton, Joseph H. J. Dwight, Cyrus T. Francis, William Hendrix Lawrence Ford, James Larned, Thomas Allen, Johnson Hall, Stephen W. Brown, J. Wheelock Allen,	Sheffield, Stockbridge, Alford, Richmond, Sheffield, Great Barrington, Pittsfield, West Stockbridge, Richmond, Ittsfield, Williamstown, Pittsfield,	From 1800 to 1824 Lenox	Westfield, Mass. Counsellor at Law. New-York. Author. Kelloggsville, Ohio. Merchant. New-York. Merchant. Canceau, N. Y. New-York. Oxford, N. Y. Forwarder. Albany, N. Y. Broker. Marion, Ala. Merchant. Little Falls, N. Y. Counsellor at Law. Washington, D. C. C. C. ist Comptroller's office. St. Louis, Mo. Syracuse, N. Y. Merchant. Little Falls, N. Y. Wayland, Mass. Clergyman.

Names.	PLACES OF BIRTH.	When and where resident in Berkshire.	Present Residence, and Remarks,
Cyrus A. Stowell,	Peru,Pittsfield,	from 1808 to 1833 Pittsfield, from 1784 to 1817	Streetsboro, Ohio. Farmer.
William Allen	Madison, Ct.,	Stockbridge, from 1764 to 1817	Northampton, Mass. Clergyman. Haddam, Ct.
Joel Johnson,		New Marlborough from 1811 to 1832	Springfield, Mass.
Clark Wright,	Windsor,	Pittsfield, from 1800 to 1824	l New-York. Physician.
Charles J. F. Allen, F. Hollister,	Pittsfield,	" from 1810 to 1830 " from 1812 to 1826	Boston. Public Appraiser C. House. Utica. Merchant and Manufacturer.
Milo Osborne,	Lenox,	from 1809 to 1827	New-York. Engraver.
Wells Colton,	"	from 1812 to 1834	Bloomington, Ill. Att'v at Law.
John P. Putnam, Charles A. Dewey,	Brooklyn, Conn., Williamstown,	Williamstown, from 1805 to 1809 from 1793 to 1826	White Creek, N. Y. Att'y at Law. Northampton, Mass. Judge Sup. Court, Mass.
L. A. Smith,	Haverill, N. H.,	Williamstown from 1821 to 1827	Newark, N. J. M. D.
Frances L. Griffin Smith,	Newark, N. J.,	" from 1821 to 1827	Newark, N. J.
John S. Stone,	West Stockbridge, Sandisfield,	West Stockbridge, from 1795 to 1817 " from 1792 to 1814	Brooklyn N. Y. Rector of Christ's Church. Reading, Mass. Pastor of Cong. Church.
Henry C. Brace,	Stockbridge,	••••• 1823 to 1839	Hartsville, N. Y.
David Mosely Hinsdale, E. W. Leavenworth,	Hinadale,	Great Barrington, from 1808 to 1837	Pontiac, Michigan. Merchant.
G. C. Merrill,	Hinsdale,	from 1815 to 1836	Syracuse, N. Y. Counsellor at Law. New-York. Tailor.
William A. Boyd,	Richmond,	from 1785	Monroe, Michigan. Merchant.
Henry Clay Gates,	Pittsfield,	Westfield, from 1819 to 1841 from 1797 to 1842	Westfield. Tailor. Little Falls, N. Y. Merchant.
Lester Keep,	Lee,	from 1797 to 1828	Fair Haven, Conn. Physician.
M. A. Curtis,	Stockbridge,	from 1808 to 1827	Hillsborough, N. C. Clergyman.
Louson Nash,	Great Barrington, Litchfield, Conn	Sheffield, from 1781 to 1805 Sheffield, from 1790 to 1816	Gloucester, Mass. Lawyer. Litchfield, Conn. Physician.
William A. Gold,	Pittsfield,	Pittsfield, from 1821 to 1835	New-York. Com. Merchant.
John Barnabee,	Peru,	from 1811 to 1840	York, Ohio. Farmer.
D. D. Field, Dudley Field,	Haddam, Conn., New-York,	Stockbridge, from 1818 to 1824 " from 1836 to 1841	New-York. Lawyer.
Mark H. Sibley,	Great Barrington,	····· 1798 to 1814	Canandaigua, N. Y. Lawyer,
H. R. Hubbell,	Williamstown,	from 1829	Troy, N. Y. Merchant.
Frederick Sedgwick, Russell Austin,	Lenox,	from 1772 to 1821	Salisbury, Conn. Teacher. New-York. Farmer.
J. C. Chesbrough,	Baltimore,	from 1837 to 1841	Wheatfield, N. Y.
H. P. Chesbrough,	Pittsfield,	1841	"
Franklin Gay Taylor Mason Noble,	Lee,	from 1826 to 1841 from 1809 to 1827	Auburn, N. Y. Theo. Student.
C. P. Noble,	Hanodsburg, Ky.,	1820	New-York. Clergyman. New York.
Joseph Hyde,	Lee	from 1802 to 1818	" Agent Amer. Bible Society.
William Hyde, Hubbard Beebe,	Richmond,	from 1806 to 1826 from 1808 to 1829	Ware, Mass. Cashier. Westfield, Mass. Preceptor.
Solomon B. Noble,	Williamstown,	from 1819 to 1837	New-York. Lawyer.
Joel Danforth,	Tyringham,	from 1789 to 1800	New-York. Lawyer. Otisco, N. Y. Farmer.
Charles B. Gold,	Pittsfield,	from 1832 from 1794 to 1812	Buffalo, N. Y. East Greenbush.
J. C. Hubbell,	Lanesborough,	from 1805	Zaus Greensuns
Eunice Rossiter Roswald Brown,	Richmond,	from 1811 to 1833	St. Charles, Mo. Teacher.
Cyarina H. Hubbard,	Sandisfield, Cheshire,	from 1797 to 1825	Hartford, Conn. Cummington, Mass.
Chester P. Dewey,	Pittsfield,	1826 to 1836	Rochester, N. Y.
Samuel R. Betts,	Richmond,		New-York. Judiciary.
A. D. Matthews,	Hinsdale	from 1809 to 1823	Brooklyn, N. Y. Merchant.
Timothy Wright,	Newburgh, N. Y.,	from 1817 to 1834	Granville, Michigan, Merchant,
Francis Warriner, Daniel James,	Springfield, Stockbridge,	Pittsfield, from 1815 to 1822	Chester, Mass. Clergyman. Utica, N. Y. Physician.
R. M. Townsend,	Hancock,	from 1806 to 1831	Troy, N. Y. Lawyer. New-York. Merchant.
John A. Cone, Abner Hitchcock,	Great Barrington, New Marlborough,	from 1819 to 1840	New-York. Merchant.
Fred. Hubbard,	Pittsfie.d,	from 1812 to 1841	Boston.
Homer Bartlett,	Granby, Mass.,	Williamstown, from 1815 to 1824	Lowell. Manufacturer.
Emerson Davis,	Ware, " Lenox,	" from 1818 to 1821	Westfield. Clergyman. New-York.
Thomas Robbins,	"	from 1820 to 1841	« «
A. R. Northrop, Custis Hoppin,	Tyringham, Lanesborough,	6 1000 4- 1010	Oneida Co. N. Y.
James W. Laflin,	Lee,	from 1785 to 1810 from 1822 to 1838	New Lebanon, N. Y. Farmer. Chicago, Ill. Merchant.
L. M. Crane,	Dalton,	from 1822 to 1840	•
R. L. Spellman, O. B. Pierce,	Williamstown, Zoar,	from 1832 to 1836 from 1808 to 1809	Albany, N. Y. Merchant.
J. H. Pierson,	Richmond	from 1766 to 1795	Rome, N. Y. Author. Ramapo, N. Y. Manufacturer.
Elizabeth Colt,	Pittsfield,	from 1800 to 1810	
Charles S. J. Goodrich, D. Goodrich,	Pittsfield	from 1802 to 1826 from 1806 to 1827	Brooklyn. Physician. Albany, N. Y. Lumber Dealer.
Bancroft Fowler,	"	from 1775 to 1797	Greenfield, N. H. Clergyman.
Elizabeth P. Jackson,	« ·		Schen-ctady, N. Y.
P. L. Brewster,	«		Roches'er, N. Y. New-York.
Chester Dewy,	Sheffield,	from 1784 to 1836	Rochester, N. Y.
Olivia P. Dewy,	Pittsfield,	from 1801 to 1836	" "
Elisha Mack, 3d,	Windsor, Hins:lale,	from 1811 from 1820 to 1843	Albany, N. Y. Granby, Mass. Teacher.
A. Cogswell Frissell,	Peru,		South America.
J. O. B. Ford,	Berkshire Co		Hamburg, S. C.
John O. Brien, Calvin Hall,	Great Barrington,	from 1819	Durham, N. Y. Deerfield, N. Y. Merchant.
Mrs. Harriet G. Robinson, .	Pittsfield,	from 1806	Albany, N. Y.
David Goodrich,	** ************************************	from 1806 to 1827	et

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Names.	PLACE OF BIRTH.	WHEN AND WHERE RESIDENT IN BERKSHIRE.	PRESENT RESIDENCE, AND REMARKS.
Mrs. Amelia Goodrich,	«	1830	Harman, N. Y.
Charles F. Smyth,	Hinsdale,'	from 1807 to 1827	Albany, N. Y. Merchant,
Julia Brattle Burback,	Pittsfield,	1834	Hariford, Conn.
Wells Fow er,	"	from 1799 to 1816	Fowlerville, N. Y. Farmer.
Mrs. Laura Fowler,	a. "	from 1797 to 1838	Fowlerville, N. Y.
John Henry Hopkins,	Stockbridge,	from 1810 to 1826	Richmond, Va. Civil Engineer.
Mary Hopkins,	Pittsfield,	Pittsfield,	Rochester.
Truman Bagg,	ee		Grafton, Ohio,
Lydia Bagg,	«		" "
Jesse W. Goodrich,	_ "		Worcester, Mass. Lawyer and Editor.
H. H. Hickcox,	Lanesborough,	from 1790 to 1805	Albany, N. Y.
Ezra Smith,	Richmond,	1700 t 1000	Cambridge, N. Y. Utica, N. Y. Sup't State Lunatic Asylum.
Amaziah Brigham, Silas R. Kellogg,	New Marlborough, Sheffield,	from 1799 to 1822	Erie, Pa.
Robt. T. Ensign,	ee	from 1819 to 1840	Wolcottville. Merchant.
Thophilas Steele,	Egremont,	from 1785	Clinton, N. Y.
Mrs. R. A. Gibbs,			Blanford, Mass.
Mrs. Lucia A. Chase,		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	St. Louis, Mo.
M. C. Peppers,	Windsor,	from 1813 to 1831	New-York. Chair manufacturer.
Edward Williams,	Lenox,	from 1801 to 1818	New-York. Merchant.
Mason A Shattuck, Silas Goodrich,	Williamstown, Lanesborough,	from 1814 to 1840 Lanesborough, from 1810 to	Mont. Co., Pa. Teacher. Elbridge. N. Y.
John Watson.	Great Barrington,	West Stockbridge, from 1811	Fayetteville, N. Y.
Mrs. Will. A. Cook & Son,.		Pittsfield, to 1795	Syracuse, N. Y.
C. N. Mattoon,	Lenox,	Lenox, from 1825	Aurora, N. Y. Clergyman.
Luke Power and wife,	Adams,	South Adams from 1785	Hudson, N. Y.
Dudley Dana,	Windsor,	Windsor, from 1801 to 1830	Syracuse, N. Y. Merchant.
Nathan Jackson, Francis Fowler,	Tyringham, Stockbridge,	from 1780 to 1799 from 1832 to 1839	New-York. Madison, N. J. Teacher.
W. W. Theobald,	South Tyringham,	from 1815 to 1822	Fairfax Co., Va. Classical Instructor.
Wolcott M. Spencer,	Litchfield Co	Stockbridge, from 1829	Springfield, Ohio. Mercantile.
Cornelia Spencer,	Stockbridge,	from 1807 to 1830	· (f
A. D. Eddy,	Williamstown,	from 1798 to 1814	Newark, N. J. Pres. Clergyman.
Elizabeth A. C. Eddy,	Pittsfield,	from 1804 to 1812	44 44 44 44 44 44 44 44 44 44 44 44 44
James B. Judd,	Lenox, Salisbury, Ct.,	from 1822 to 1843 from 1786 to 1834	Aytalan, W. Tenn. Agriculture.
James K. Bartholomew,	Great Barrington,	from 1816 to 1835	New-York. Merchant.
George Wainwright,	" "	from 1830 to 1839	Florida. U. S. Army.
James Bradford,	Sheffield,	from 1817 to 1839	Pierre, La Salle Co., Ill. Lawyer.
Egbert N. Fairchild,	Great Barrington,	from 1802 to 1815	Ogdensburgh, N. Y. Merchant. Troy, N. Y. Teacher.
Horace Bacon,	Richmond, Lee,	from 1807 from 1776 to 1779	Troy, N. Y. Teacher.
Daniel Bradley,	Stockbridge,	from 1770 to 1779	Yonkers, N. Y. Farmer. Rochester. Tanner.
Charles Doolittle,	Hancock,	from 1802 to 1816	Middle Granville, N. Y. Clergyman.
Silas W. Curtiss,	Stockbridge,	from 1816 to 1836	Hamburg, Ga. Merchant.
Joshua G. Gay,	Pittsfield,	from 1821 to 1840	New Haven, Conn. Merchant. Buffalo, N. Y. Farmer.
Horace Clark,	«	from 1795 to 1811	
James Hollister,	"Hinsdale,	from 1805 to 1826 from 1788 to 1807	" " Merchant. Albany, N. Y. Farmer.
Levi Tremain,	22110011125	from 1803 to 1804	Greene Co., N. Y.
Mrs. Tremain,	Pittsfield,	from 1790 to 1801	46 66
Miss Eliza Tremain,	Green Co	from 1823	ec 40
G. W. Francis,	Pittsfield,	from 1779 to 1826	Troy, N. Y. Lawyer.
Martha A. Kellogg, Francis Deming,	Williamstown,	from 1802 to 1829 from 1797 to 1829	• • •
Hector Whitman,	New Ashford,	from 1800	
Stephen Bosworth,	. *	from 1788 to 1826	Catabill N. V. Monahant
Geo. Thatcher,	Sandisfield,	from 1811 to 1839	Catskill, N. Y. Merchant. Southwick. Tobacconist.
John B. Royce,	Lanesborough	from 1795 to 1815	Berkshire, N. Y. Farmer.
E. B. Peet,	New Marlborough,	from 1815 to 1828	New-York.
E. Hotchkin,	Richmond,	from 1803 to 1827	Choctaw Nation.
David Whittlesey,	Stockbridge,	from 1775 to 1801	Berlin, Conn. Farmer. New-York. Broker.
William S. Ruthven,	Lanesborough,	from 1802 from 1801 to 1818	Madison Co., N. Y. Carpenter.
Geo. W. Strong	Pittsfield,	from 1816 to 1818	New Hartford, N. Y. Farmer.
George Colt,	l "	***************************************	St. Augustine, Florida. Planter.
Thomas Egleston	Lenox,	from 1800 to 1825	New-York. Merchant.
Zenas S. Clark,	Lanesborough,	from 1797 to 1836	Elbridge, N. Y.
Eliza R. Clark, B. Selden Cone,	Northampmion, Williamstown,	from 1832 to 1836 from 1802 to 1831	Elbridge, N. Y. Chester, N. H.
Curtis C. Cady,	Dalton,	from 1792 to 1831	—, N. Y. M. C.
Robert Hollister,	Pitsfield,	from 1807 to 1824	Buffalo. Merchant.
Alpheus Osborne,	"	from 1791 to 1800	North Hadley, Mass.
David Platt,	"	from 1816	Boston.
Anson B. Platt,	Hinsdale,	from 1814	Buffalo.
H. L. Warner,	Sheffield,	from 1813 to 1837 from 1820 to 1841	Kalamazoo, Michigan. Waterloo, N. Y.
Jesse Clark,	Lee,	from 1789 to 1809	« « «
H. Thompson,	l'eru,	from 1810 to 1829	Little Falls, N. Y.
Nathan Brown,	Williamstown,	from 1789 to 1798	Oppenheim, N. Y.
Augustus F. Barnes, Franklin Brown,	Pittsfield,	from 1816 to 1831	Boston. Merchant. Concord, N. H.
Abiatha M. Osborne,	"	from 1821 to 1835 from 1808 tn 1829	New-York. Clergyman.
D. P. Leadbetter,	Partridgefield,	Richmond, from 1798 to 1816	Millenburgh, Ohio. Attorney.
Waterman Smith,	Dalton,	from 1797 to 1834	Medina, Ohio. Farmer.
Royal Willard, Samuel H. Rathbun,	Pittsfield,	from 1787 to 1831	Rockport, Ohio. Farmer.
John L. Dorrance,	Dalton,	from 1812 to 1835 from 1811 to 1829	Burlington Falls, Vt. Manufacturer. Batavia, N. Y. Merchant.
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John K. Durfee,	Stockbridge,	Great Barrington, from 1804 to 1825	Carbondale, Pa. Carpenter.
Amos Andrews,	"	from 1803 to 1828	St. Louis, Mo. Principal of Institution.
Elijah Andrews,	Stockbridge,	from 1827 to 1828	Midshipman U.S. Navy.
Joshua A. Spencer,	Great Barrington,	from 1790 to 1806	Utica. Counsellor at Law.
Thomas Spencer,		from 1793 to 1804	Geneva, N. Y. Physician.
Nathaniel Kellogg,	Dalton,	from 1801 to 1826	Wethersfield, Conn. Chaplain, State Prison.
John Darby,	North Adams,	from 1804 to 1831	Macon, Geo. Prof. of Chemistry and Nat. Phil.
Jason Torrey,	Williamstown,	from 1792 to 1793	Honesdale, Pa. Surveyor.
William Sturgis,	Lcc,	from 1773	Sandwich. Stone Engraver.
H. D. Webster,	Stockbridge,	from 1820 to 1840	Troy, N. Y. Merchant.
N. Webster,	_ "	from 1818 to 1834	" " Book-keeper.
Josiah Sturgis,	Lee,	from 1817 to 1835	Nantucket. Stove Dealer.
William Sherwood,	Greenfield, Ct	Great Barrington, from 1386 to 1816	New-York city. Teacher.
Lydia A. Kellogg,	Gt. Barrington,	from 1778 to 1816	"
Eliza R. Sherwood,	" ·		"
Mary Frances Sherwood,			66 66 66 46
Lydia Sherwood,	*****	***************************************	
Edward Wright,	Williamstown,	from 1826 to 1839	Chicago, Ill.
George Sargeant,	Stockbridge,	from 1820 to 1826	Northampton, Mass. Merchant.
Silas Metcalf,	Lenox,	from 1801 to 1823	Kinderhook, N. Y. Teacher.
William A. Tyler,	Hinsdale,	from 1807 to 1826	New-York city. Druggist.
Alvah Morrell,	Lenox,	from 1790 to 1827	East Windsor, Ct. Farmer.
Lucius Bulkly,	Williamstown,	from 1824 to 1843	Albany. Law Student.
King Strong,	Pittsfield,	from 1781 to 1818	New Hartford. Farmer.
Alvin Hollister,	Lenox,	from 1792 to 1815	Euclid, Ohio.
Herman S. Noble,	riustieiu,	from 1804 to 1819	Waterlown, N. Y. Printer.
Oliver Allen,	66	from 1798 to 1819 from 1772 to 1789	Wheatland, N. Y. Woollen manufacturer. Chatham, N. Y. Tanner.
Orville Dewey,	Sheffield,	from 1712 to 1769	New-York city. Clergyman.
Alonzo Crittenden	Richmond,	from 1801 to 1821	Albany. Principal of A. F. A.
Joshua R. Hays	Pittsfield,	from 1787 to 1828	"Builder.
William E. Hays,	"		cc Builder.
Ann Eliza Hays,	٠٠		a
Mrs. Harriet G. Foxcoft	cc	from 1817 to 1837	Dedham, Mass.
Ovid P. Wells,	Washington,	Pittsfield, from 1805 to 1829	New-York. Physician.
Frederick H. Bacon,	Great Barrington,	from 1823 to 1831	Albany. Printer.
Jacob W. Taylor,	Pittsfield,	from 1790 to 1810	Cortlandville, N. Y. Farmer.
E. M. Bacon,	Lanesborough,	from 1799 to 1826	Washtenew Co., Michigan. Farmer.
John Williams,	Richmond,	from 1781 to 1805	Richfield, N. Y. Farmer.
Samuel Churchill,	Stockbridge,		Utica. Merchant.
8. D. Mills,	Sandisfield,	from 1822 to 1838	Little Falls, N. Y. Merchant.
Mrs. Thaddeus Joy,	Stockbridge,	from 1784 to 1802	Albany.
Charles G. Smith,	Hinsdale,	from 1807 to 1827	Albany.
Huet R. Root.	Great Barrington	iroin 1007 to 1027	Utica. Lawyer.
Lyman Clapp,	Pittsfield,	•••••••••	New-York city. Merchant.
Mrs. Lyman Clapp,	Hancock		110W-10IA City. Bicichant.
Sarah Sergeant Churchill,	Stockbridge,	from 1787 to 1796	New Lebanon, N. Y. Grand daughter of the first

QUERY SECTION

09001 ROBERTS-FISH
Ruby ROBERTS, b unk, d prob post 1810, m New Ashford 20 Jan 1804 Stephen FISH, s/o William and Hannah () FISH, b ca 1780, d post 1823. Need parents of
Ruby.
09002 FISH
Samuel FISH, b Dighton ca 1775 s/o William and Hannah () FISH, d location
unk (last known in Putnam, Washington Co., NY in 1823) m poss Berkshire Co. by
1795 to unk spouse. Need name/ancestry of Samuel's wife.
09003 ALINDY-FISH
George ALINDY, origin unk, d post 1823, m poss Berkshire Co. post 1790 Census and ante 1817 Ruth FISH d/o William and Hannah () FISH b Dighton ca 1770,
d post 1823. Need b and ancestry of George. O9004 CURTIS-FISH
David CURTIS, b perhaps 21 June 1789 s/o Peter B. and Phoebe () CURTIS, d post 1823, perhaps 8 June 1841, m Cheshire 2 May 1808 Lucy FISH d/o William
and Hannah () FISH, b ca 1782, d post 1823. Need death information for David.
James Whittier, 2101 Via Estudillo, Palos Verdes Estates, CA 90274 <jim-ginny1@cox.net></jim-ginny1@cox.net>

NORTHRUP-GARFIELD BIBLE RECORDS

From the Northrup family Bible, published by W. H. Merriam, 1846. Copied by Pamela Smith and submitted by Donald Kruszyna.

MARRIAGES

John Northrup and Sarah Miller were married Jan 7, 1798
Thomas Garfield and Hannah Merrell were married Jan ---- by Rev. A. Hyde, Lee, Mass. John M. Northrup to Caroline Garfield Dec. 12, 1833 by Rev. A. Hyde, Lee, Mass. (1832 written under date later)

BIRTHS

Dennis Northrup was born April 3, 1799
Sabrina Northrup was born April 29, 1801
John M. Northrup was born Nov 27, 1811
Hannah M. Garfield was born Sept 11, 1811
Carline Garfield was born Feb 26, 1813
Thomas Garfield jun'r was born Jan 15, 1816
Lydia M. Garfield was born April 15, 1818
John C. Garfield was born Oct 19, 1821
Corinthia Moore was born Aug 24, 1804
Solomon Garfield was born June 10, 1797
Isaac H. Pixley was born June 25th 1831
Wesley G. Burt was born Aug 6th, 1838

John Northrup was born Dec 2, 1771 Sarah Miller was born July 11, 1779 Thomas Garfield was born Jan 11, 1782 Hannah Merrell was born June 7th 1781

John M. Northrup was born Nov 27, 1811 Caroline Garfield was born Feb 26, 1813 Sarah Louisa Northrup was born August 2, 1837 Frances Maranda Northrup was born Sept 27th 1839 Laura June Northrup was born Sept 21, 1845 Florance Ida Northrup was born May 31st 1847

DEATHS

Sarah Northrup died Feb 25th 1844 in the 65th year of her age John Northrup died Nov 9th 1851 in the 80th year of his age Corintha wife of Dennis Northrup died Oct 9th 1845
Thomas Garfield Esq. died Dec 6th 1857 in the 76th year of his age Hannah wife of Thomas Garfield died March 11th 1859
Dennis Northrup died March 2nd 1860 in the 60th year of his age Desire Holt Sept 31st? 1855 (entry at bottom of death page)

PAGES ADDED TO BOOK: DEATHS

Solomon Garfield died June 10th 1797
Sabrina wife of Solomon Garfield died Oct 2nd 1880
John M. Northrup died May 25th 1881
Caroline Garfield wife of John M. Northrup died Jan 19th 1884
Sarah L. Northrup wife of Isaac H. Pixley died May 8th 1875

PAGE ADDED TO BOOK: BIRTHS

Isaac Hall Pixley June 25th 1831

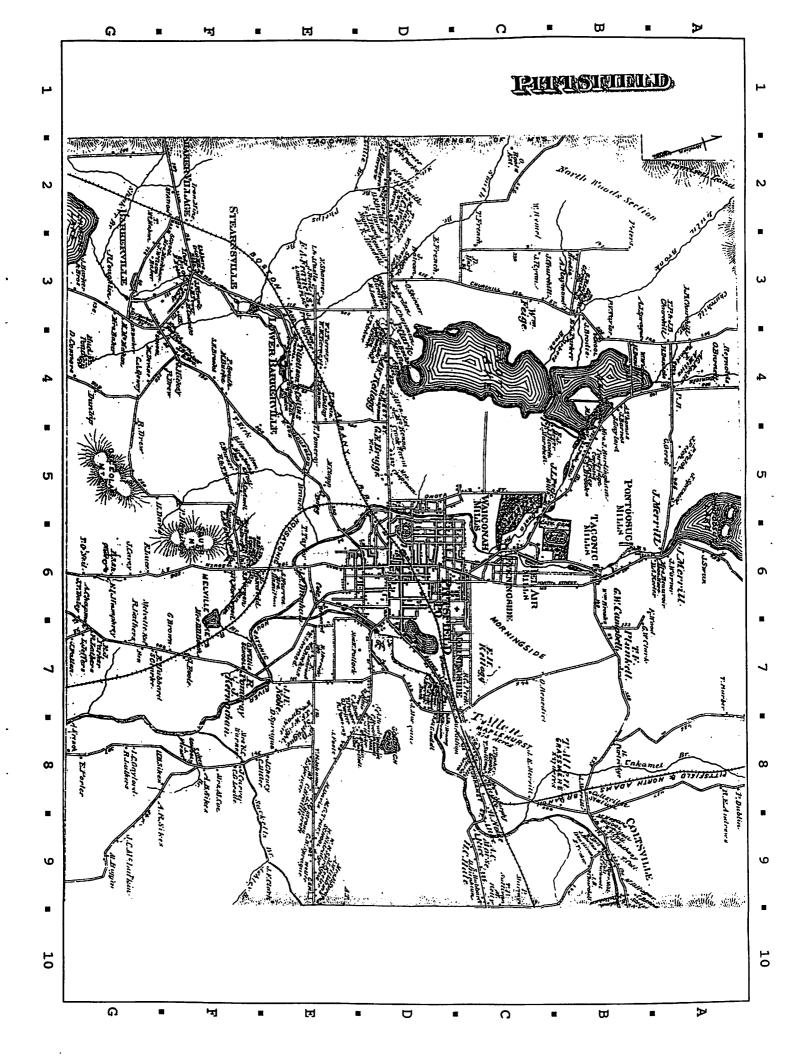
Wesley G. Burt Aug 6th 1838 Nathan Canon Sept 22nd 1846 Wellington L. Thompson June 22nd 1846

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PITTSFIELD - 1876

Maps of Pittsfield published in *Berkshire Genealogist* issues 24-2 through 25-1 represented only four central quadrants and included less than 10% of the town's total area.

Allen	D-4	Churchill, A. B.	B-9	Fuller, Q.	D-7	McKenna, J.	D-4	Ryder	D-8
Allen, T.	B-8	Churchill, J. B.	A-3	Gaylord, I. C.	G-8	McLufkin, J. C.	G-9	Rymel, W.	C-2
	C-8	Churchill, J.	C-3	Gaylord, J.	B-5	McMahon, M.	G-4	Shorner, M.	E-3
Andrews, R. E.	A-8	Churchill, T. P.	A-3	Goodell, S.	D-8	McMahon, T.	G-2	Sikes, A. B.	F-8
Anthony, J.	B-9	Clapp, M.	E-5	Gorman, W.	F-3	Melville	G-7	Sikes, A. R.	G-9
Backus, W. G.	E-7	Clark, G. W.	B-7	Griffen, G.	D-3	Merrill, J. E.	C-8	Sikes, H. B.	G-8
Bagg	E-5	Clark, J. F.	E-9	Hagar, W. D.	B-9		A-6	Skinner, O.	D-3
Baker	G-3	Clark, P.	D-4	Hale, H. C.	C-9	Merrill, J.	B-8	Smith, J. H.	D-2
Baker, Mrs.	G-4	Clark, W. B.	D-4	Hall	F-5	Meyer, F. J.	B-5	Smith, W. B.	D-2
Balcom, J.	D-3	Clarke, S.	G-7	Hall, William	B-9	Miller, C.	F-8	South, P.	F-4
Barber, T.	A-7	Cobum, J.	F-4	Hamilton, C.	F-5	Mities, A.	A-4	Spaniol, J.	A-5
Barker, C. T.	G-3	Cody, R.	F-3	Hamilton, E.	F-5	Morewood, J. R.	F-6	Spencer, E.	E-8
Barker, J. V.	G-3	Coe, J.	E-8	Hamilton, Mrs.	E-6	Morgan, J.	D-8	Sprague, A. J.	B-3
Barker, J.	F-4	Coe, M.	F-8	Hand, A.	D-2	Morse, A. C.	C-9	Sprague, D.	E-8
	G-3	Cole	E-6	Hand, F. A.	D-2	Murphy, William	C-8	Sprague, E.	E-9
Barker, O. R.	G-4	Collins	E-4	Hart, D.	C-3	Murray, P.	C-9	Sprague, G. W.	E-9
Barnes, J.	B-4	Colt, T.	B-9	Hasdell, M. K.	D-3	Nash	D-7	Sprague, William	E-8
Barrett, J. S.	E-9	Conner, T.	E-4	Herrick, H.	E-7	Neilles, Mrs.	F-4	Sprague, W. R.	E-9
Bartlett, T.	E-8	Connors, D.	G-4	Herrick, J.	D-7	Noble, J. H.	E-7	Stearns, Mrs.	D-7
Barton, J.	B-9	Corkins	B-5	Hickey, J.	F-4	Noble, N.	F-3	Stetson	B-9
Beauvoir, Mrs.	A-6	Costello, M.	F-3	Hicock, J.	C-5	O'Neil, T.	G-6	Stevens, W. H.	D-2
Benedict, O.	C-7	Coughlin, R.	G-3	Hogan, M.	B-9	Parker, E. J.	G-7	Sturgis, Mrs.	F-6
Bernard, C.	B-9	Crackwell, G.	B-9	Howard, J.	F-6	Parker, E. L.	B-4	Sullivan, D.	B-9
Bornard, J.	E-6	Crook	D-6	Hubbard, E.	G-7	Parker, G.	E-7	Sullivan, T. P.	C-9
Boehm, P.	D-4	Crouse, G.	B-3	Hubbard, Mrs.	D-7	Parker, N.	D-3	Sullivan, T.	C-8
Booth, D. D.	F-7	Currier	E-4	Hubbard, S.	C-9	Parker, T.	E-7	Swan, J.	A-6
Bradley, Mrs.	F-6	Curtin, F.	D-2	Humphrey, E. L.	G-6	Parker, William	D-2	Taylor, P. V.	B-3
Brattle, C.	E-8	Daloy, J. T.	G-6	Jeffers, L.	G-7	Partridge, H.	B-8	Taylor, T.	E-6
Briggs, G. N.	D-5	Daniels, H.	A-4	Johnson, T. E.	E-8	Partridge	B-5	Towey, M.	F-3
Brodie, J.	B-3		B-4	Jones, Mrs.	F-5	Peck, E. C.	C-7	Thomas, A.	B-
Brooks, B. G.	F-6	Davis, H.	G-5	Jordan, M.	D-3		D-7	Tierney, W. J.	E-4
Brooks, S. N.	F-4	Davis, R.	E-8	Keeler, A. G.	A-4	Peck, J. L.	B-5	Tierney, W. W.	E-4
Brooks, T.	B-5	Devine, M.	G-4	Keeler, D. A.	A-6	Peters	B-3	Tillotson	E-4
Brooks, William	B-6	Dowey, C. A.	G-4	Koeler, M.	E-9	Pierce	C-8	Tochey, P.	C-8
Brown, G.	F-7	Dill, W.	B-9	Kellogg, A. W.	D-4	Plunkett, T. F.	B-7	Tracy, M. G.	E-9
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Burin	C-8		G-5	Kelly	C-8	Pomeroy, R.	E-8	Tucker, N.	B-9
Burke, M.	F-4	Dublin, P.	A-8	Kelly, M.	C-9		F-7	Wakefield, C. A.	F-6
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Burnett, O.	A-4	Eldridge, H.	E-9	Kimple, J.	F-3	Raymond, A.	G-3	Warner, E. C.	F-8
Butler, D. E.	D-2	Ellis, T.	D-7	Kusch, S.	D-3	Read, C.	D-8	Warner, J. B.	D-2
Cadwell, A.	F-6	Fairfield, G. W.	D-4	Lasch, M.	D-3	Read, C. A.	D-8	Warner, N.	F-5
Cady, I.	F-3	Fallon, J.	G-7	Lathers, R.	G-7	Read, C. A.	E-7	Warner, T.	F-5
Callahan, H.	B-9	Feige, William	C-3	Lathers, R.	G-8	Reed, J.	E-3	Warren, S.	E-6
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Carley, M.	8-5	Foote, J.	E-8	Lewis, E.	D-8	Rice, A.	C-9	Wickman, W.	B-4
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Castle, J.	E-3	Francis, M.	E-4	Mailoy, J.	E-4	Riggin, M.	G-9	Wiers, R.	D-4
Castle, L.	E-3	Francis, W.	D-3	Maioney, M.	D-2	Robbins, W. H.	D-4	Williams, A.	E-9
Chapman, A.	D-3	Francis F. A.	E-3	Manion, D.	D-8	Roberts, F.	A-4	Willis, G.	F-7
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BERKSHIRE MEN OF WORTH

From the Berkshire Eagle columns by Joseph Ward Lewis, 1933-1935

The fact that Dr. William Mather Lewis, president of Lafayette College, is to address the Wednesday Morning Club this week recalls interesting Pittsfield and Berkshire connections with Lafayette College.

The second president of Lafayette College was John William Yeomans, Berkshire born and bred, Berkshire educated. Dr. Yeomans was born in Hinsdale Jan. 7, 1800; was graduated from Williams College in 1824, tutored at Williams; then studied theology at Andover Seminary. His first pastorate was at North Adams (at that time a village in the north part of the town of Adams), and extended from November, 1828, to the spring of 1832 when he became pastor of the First Congregational Church in Pittsfield.

In 1834 he was called to the First Congregational Church at Trenton, N.J., as successor to the Rev. Dr. James Alexander. In 1841 he became president of Lafayette College. He resigned that position in 1844. The resignation took effect early in 1845 when he became pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Danville, Pa. He died at Danville

June 22, 1863.

Dr. Yeomans was moderator of the general assembly of the Presbyterian Church in 1860. He held degrees in divinity from Williams College, the College of New Jersey and Miami University, all conferred in 1841 when he became president of Lafayette. He was a scholarly, vigorous, voluminous writer and was reputed to be the ablest metaphysician in his denomination. He wrote the sketch of Adams in the David Dudley Field History of Berkshire County.

Addison Ballard, a former resident of Pittsfield, was for nineteen years (1874-1893) a professor at Lafayette. Dr. Ballard was of the Williams class of 1842, was Professor of Rhetoric at Williams (1854-1855), pastor of the Williamstown Congregational Church (1857-1865). Dr. Ballard spent the last decade of a long, useful life with his son, Harlan Hoge Ballard of the Berkshire Athenaeum. He died in Pittsfield Dec. 2, 1914, at the age of 92.

Miller D. Steever, who has been a member of the faculty, teaching civics and government, at Lafayette for the past dozen years, was a resident of Pittsfield for seven years. He practiced law here and was City Clerk for three years beginning in 1917.

Other Berkshire born men have become presidents of leading colleges, and the list is impressive. In front of the Park Building on East Street is a stone monument marking the site of the parsonage occupied by Parson Allen of Bennington battle fame. In that parsonage was born a son of the parson, William Allen who afterward became president of Dartmouth University. It will be recalled that the Legislature of New Hampshire undertook to bring about the transfer of the franchise and property of Dartmouth College, established under the laws of England before the Revolution, to Dartmouth University incorporated under the laws of New Hampshire. This effort on the part of the State culminated in the famous Dartmouth College decision in the Supreme Court of the United States in which the college was victorious over the university. But for a time Dartmouth University had a president and a faculty and so from 1817 to 1820 this William Allen, son of the parson, was entitled "President of Dartmouth University." But William Allen later became a real college president, of Bowdoin in Maine, then, as now, an important seat of learning.

William Allen was born at the parsonage in Pittsfield, Jan. 2, 1784; in 1810 he succeeded Parson Allen as pastor of the First Congregational Church; removed in 1817 to Hanover, the seat of Dartmouth; and in 1820 became president of Bowdoin. During his presidency at Bowdoin many students, later men of distinction, were in his classes, among them, Franklin Pierce the 14th President of the United States; Nathaniel Hawthorne, Henry W. Longfellow and John A. Andrew, the war governor of Massachusetts. Dr. Allen resigned in 1839 and removed to Northampton, Mass. where for the remainder of his life he devoted himself to literary pursuits. He died there July 16, 1868. He married a granddaughter of Eleazer Wheelock, founder of Dartmouth College, a daughter of John Wheelock, second president of the college.

Frederick A. P. Barnard, a son of Sheffield, for 24 years, was president of Columbia University. Barnard College, affiliated with Columbia, took its name from this Berkshire born president.

Barnas Sears, 1802-1880, went from his birth place in Sandisfield, to become a successor of Horace Mann, as secretary of the Massachusetts State Board of Education, and later, president of Brown University at

Providence from 1855 to 1867.

William Edward Merriman, was a native of Hinsdale, born Oct. 20, 1825. He graduated at Williams in 1850. From 1863 to 1876 he was president of Ripon College in Wisconsin. He died in Boston Aug. 1, 1892.

Stephen William Taylor, LL.D. was born at Adams, October 28, 1791, graduated at Hamilton College as valedictorian in 1817; taught in secondary schools for many years and in 1851 he became second president of Madison University at Hamilton, New York. He died at Hamilton Jan. 6, 1856. His publications included a history of Madison University and a series of essays on the Theory of Education. This Institution was renamed Colgate University in 1890 in honor of the Colgate family.

Clark W. Bryan's Book of Berkshire is authority for the statement that President Rowley of De Pauw university in Indiana was born in Richmond. I have this far been unable to learn anything about this Rowley. His name does not appear in the list of presidents of De Pauw from 1839 to 1903. The university was established in 1837 and it may be that this Rowley had to do with its found-

ing but was not its president.

Mark Hopkins, the great teacher of teachers, was born in Stockbridge in 1802, the same year Barnas Sears was born over in Sandisfield. This great educator was president of our own Williams College from 1836 to 1872. Henry Hopkins, a son of Mark Hopkins was born in Williamstown, Nov. 30, 1837, graduated from Williams in 1858, and was president of his alma mater from 1902 to 1908, when he died. He was the immediate predecessor of ex-President Harry A. Garfield.

The men were scholars of high repute; they were all writers, successful educators in important institutions, and all reflected credit upon the county of their birth.

At the sitting of the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts, June term, 1815, at Wiscasstt, in the county of Lincoln, Isaac Parker, chief justice, addressed to the grand jury a sketch of the life and character of Daniel Dewey, a deceased associate justice of the court. (It will be remembered that Maine was still a part of Massachusetts and that in those days the full court conducted the trial of criminal cases.)

At the sitting of the same court, September term, 1866, at Lenox, in the county of Berkshire, resolutions of the Berkshire bar were presented on the death of Charles Augustus Dewey, an associated justice of the court.

These two men whose memory was thus honored, were father and son, both natives of Berkshire County.

Judge Daniel Dewey was born in Sheffield in 1765. His son was born in Williamstown in March 13, 1793. Both were college men, the father, a graduate of Yale; the son, of Williams. Daniel Dewey studied law with Judge Theodore Sedgwick of Stockbridge; the son had his training in law from the father; both men had long and successful years of practice at the bar before their appointment to the bench; and both were lawyers of great ability and profound legal attainments.

Judge Daniel Dewey's service on the bench was for only a few months over a year, death cutting short his term, one of the shortest on record. Judge Charles A.Dewey performed his judicial duties for a longer period of time than any associate justice of the court, either under the Colonial government of since the adoption of the Constitution, with the single exception of Mr. Justice Wilde whose tenure was from 1815 to 1850. Chief Justice Shaw served 30 years but he was never an associate justice. Reckoning from the time our present chief justice, Arthur P. Rugg, was appointed an associate justice, in 1906, he is now approaching the record of C. A. Dewey for continuous length of service on the Supreme bench.

Daniel Dewey was a descendant in the fourth generation from the Englishman Thomas Dewey who in 1634 settled in Dorchester. After completing his studies with Judge Sedgwick, he began the practice of law in Williamstown in 1790, three years before the birth of his son Charles. He early achieved an assured position at the bar, characterized by assiduous study of facts and law, skill in the conduct of trials, and high reputation for legal learning. He was a member of the Governor's Council for two years and then was elected to the thirteenth Congress. The Congressmen had been for four or five successive terms of the opposite political faith. For some years the Judge had been a victim of consumption but in the milder climate of Washington, the progress of the disease seemed to have been arrested. When Governor Caleb Strong of Northampton offered the appointment to the bench Mr. Dewey accepted the offer and took his seat in February 1814. But he was fearful that his health would not hold out. The fear was justified and he died at his home in Williamstown May 26, 1815, after a service of about 15 months.

Judge Theodore Sedgwick, who was an associate justice of the Supreme Court from 1802 to 1813, had died the year before Judge Dewey's appointment. He had known the younger man from his student days, and once spoke of Mr. Dewey "as possessing a purity and simplicity of character rarely united with such powers of mind, as void of all ambition but that of doing right, as unassuming and even humble, in his opinion of himself, as exhibiting, in the whole course of his business and engagements with the world, that stern integrity of thought and action, accompanied with that urbanity and kindness of manner, which commanded the respect of all people at all times."

Chief Justice Parker said of his associate: "In such times of political division as we have unfortunately lived in, to be believed honest, able, uncorrupt and a friend of one's country, by the party opposed to us, is perhaps the most conclusive evidence of our title to such a character; for it is the testimony of those who may, in a certain sense, be considered as enemies. This evidence exists with reference to our departed friend."

Now for the clergyman whose name attracted my notice in connection with St. Paul's, Rector Pynchon, who was later president of Trinity College at Hartford. He was a preacher, a versatile and solid student of the natural sciences, a teacher of rare acceptance, a business man of sound judgment and

discretion, and altogether a very likable man.

Thomas Ruggles Pynchon was of the eighth generation from that William Pynchon who was born in England about 1590 and was one of the original patentees of the Massachusetts Bay Company. William settled at Roxbury but in 1636 founded Springfield on the Connecticut River, named after his residence in Springfield, Essex County, England.

Rector Pynchon was born at New Haven Jan. 19, 1823; studied in the Boston Latin School and at Trinity College, Hartford, where he graduated in 1841; tutored in the classics and lectured in chemistry at Trinity from 1843 to 1847; was ordained deacon at New Haven and priest at Boston the next year, 1849; was rector at Stockbridge and Lenox from 1849 to 1855; was called to the chair of chemistry and the natural sciences in Trinity and in preparation for that work studied in Paris in 1855-56.

He received the degree of D.D. from St. Stephen's College, New York, in 1855 and of LL.D. from Columbia in 1877; from the latter year to the end of his active life he was professor of moral philosophy at Trinity. On Nov. 7, 1874, Dr. Pynchon became president of Trinity and continued in that position to 1833, meanwhile continuing his work as a professor. The period during which Dr. Pynchon was president of the college was one that called for diplomacy and executive ability. The State purchased the college site for its new capitol building. The State capitol, by the way, was constructed within the appropriation, and the commission having charge of it, turned back money into the treasury, a most unusual, if not altogether unprecedented proceeding.

President Pynchon thus had charge of selecting and acquiring a new site for the college, that now occupied by Trinity, designing and erecting buildings, and the transfer of the library of the college and its other personal property to the new buildings. According to all accounts he was a successful administrator.

Dr. Pynchon was a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of science, of the Geological Society of France, and of many other learned bodies. He was the author of scientific treatises and of other publications. He died in 1904.

Simeon Parmalee, a Congregational clergyman, a centenarian, was born at West Stockbridge Jan. 16, 1782; studied at Middlebury and at West Rutland in Vermont; was ordained pastor at Westford Aug. 31, 1808 and continued there until 1837. From 1837 to October 15, 1869 he was in home missionary work and acting pastor in Vermont churches, his active ministry extending through a period of 61 years.

Mr. Parmalee held many positions of honor and trust in his adopted State and for years was one of the corporation of University of Vermont, That institution gave him the degree of D.D. He died at Oswego, N.Y., Feb. 10, 1882, at the age of 100 years and 25

days.

Berkshire County has furnished seven of the fifty-one Lieutenant-Governors of the Commonwealth as follows: George Hull, 1836-43, of Sandisfield, born at Farmington, Conn., Jan. 8.1788; Henry Halsey Childs, 1843-44, of Pittsfield, born Pittsfield, June 7, 1783; William C. Plunkett, 1854-55, of Adams, born Lenox, 1799; John Z. Goodrich, 1861-Mar. 1861, of Stockbridge, born Sheffield; Joseph Tucker, 1869-73, of Pittsfield, born Lenox, Aug. 21, 1832; Byron Weston, 1880-83, of Dalton, born Dalton, 1832, and W. Murray Crane, 1897-1900 of Dalton, born Dalton, April 23, 1853.

John Fellows was born in Pomfret, Conn., in 1733; was an officer in the Colonial wars against the French and Indians; and a Sheffield delegate the Massachusetts Provincial Congress in 1775. He recruited a regiment of Minute Men in Western Massachusetts and soon after the Battle of Lexington joined the Continental Army at Cambridge in 1776, as colonel of the regiment. June 25. 1775, he was commissioned a brigadiergeneral and led his brigade at the battles of Long Island, White Plains, Bemis Heights and Saratoga and was among the prominent generals of the American Army at the surrender of Burgoyne, commanding that portion of the militia stationed on the east bank of the Hudson. The prisoners were sent to Boston under charge of General Fellows: their line of march was through Berkshire County, 2500 of them passing through Pittsfield.

General Fellows served his town in various capacities and was sheriff of Berk-

shire County for some years prior to 1781. He married Mary Ashley who died in 1797.

He died in Sheffield, August 1, 1808, and was buried in what is now known as the Ward family cemetery on the Ward farm (now Greenwood Farm) in Sheffield, just around the corner from Walter Prichard Eaton's Twin Fires. The Ward farm is the scene of Elizabeth Stancy Payne's novel, "The Changing Years," published in 1931.

The obituary notice, which was published in the American Register in 1809, says of him: "He was an honest and useful citizen; a real friend to his country; affectionate as a

father and sincere in friendship."

Kenneth Roberts, in his "Rabble in Arms," a story of the second invasion of Canada in the Revolution, makes many unpleasant references to our Pittsfield patriot soldiers, John Brown and James Easton, and generally disparages the New England soldiers and their commanders. It is gratifying therefore, to find him speaking in most complimentary terms of General Fellows. With "eighty Berkshire boys" General Fellows went under orders from General Schuyler to take measures to delay Burgoyne's movements in his march toward Albany. The novelist makes one of his characters say: "He was one of those rare militia officers who would go anywhere, do anything, and sit up all night and every night, if necessary, to carry out his orders. Unlike most of our officers, he was grateful for suggestions, and seemed to be more interested in stopping the British than in his own importance, which was a pleasant surprise." He had "a sour, reluctant Berkshire grin," he was a good judge of human nature and he was goodnatured and kind-hearted.

I do not wish by silence to appear to admit that Roberts is justified in his characterizations of Brown and Easton. Their controversies with Benedict Arnold are matters of public record. For the present I am inclined to adopt the remark of Capt. Peter Merrill in the story: "If I've learned anything in my life, I've learned that arguments over war are as useless as those over politics and love."

General Fellows had a son, John, born in Sheffield in 1760 and died in New York January 3, 1844. As a mere boy he was a soldier in Captain William Bacon's company,

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a unit of the regiment with which General Fellows hurried to Boston on the news of the engagement at Lexington. John Jr., graduated at Yale in 1783. He seems to have devoted his life to study and writing. Among his publications were: "The Mysteries of Freemasonry, or An Exposition of the Religious Dogmas of the Ancient Egyptians, Showing Their Identity With the Order of Modern Masonry," "The Veil Removed; Reflections on Humphrey's Essay on the Life of Israel Putnam" and a work on the authorship of the "Junius Letters."

I gave some account recently of two sons of Berkshire who became justices of our Supreme Court, the Deweys, father and son, and here are two more Berkshire natives George Morell of Lenox and Matthew Birchard of Becket, the former of whom became Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Michigan and the latter Chief Justice of Ohio's Court of Last Resort.

Morell left the county when he had reached his majority; it may be assumed that he made the decision for himself. Birchard's parents took their eight years old boy with them when they went to the Western Reserve, to what is now Trumbull County in the northeastern part of Ohio, one county south of Lake Erie and adjoining New York State on the east.

George Morell was born in Lenox, March 22, 1786; graduated at Williams College in 1807 and received the Master's degree there in 1810; studied law in a Troy law office and was called to the bar Feb. 14, 1811; and then moved to Cooperstown, N.Y. There he practiced law, engaged very actively in politics, was elected to many local and county offices and in 1829 to the State Assembly; and served in the State militia from 1811 to 1832, holding successively all the military titles from sergeant up to major general. He was the first judge of the Otsego County Court, a position he held from 1827 until he went to Albany as Assemblyman. After that year at the capitol, he was again elected to the county judgeship.

On Feb. 26, 1832, he took his place as United States District Judge in the territory of Michigan by appointment of President Andrew Jackson. He remained on the district bench until 1836. On the admission of Michigan as a State in 1837 he became a

judge of the Supreme Court and on July 18, 1843, chief justice and served until his death occurred at Detroit on March 8, 1845.

From 1832 to 1845, the period of Judge Morell's residence in Michigan, Solomon Sibley, born in Sutton in this State Oct. 7, 1769, was a judge of the Supreme Court of Michigan territory from 1824 to 1836 and thereafter a resident of Detroit where he died April 4, 1846, the year following Morell's death. It may fairly be assumed that the two judges were friends and on occasion referred to their birth and bringing up in the Old Bay State.

Matthew Birchard was born in Becket, Jan. 19, 1804. His parents removed to the Western Reserve in 1812 and there the boy received an academic education and studied law with an attorney in Warren, Trumbull County. He supported himself by teaching school until his admission to the bar at the age of 24. After that he formed a partnership with David Tod, later Governor of the State. In 1832 he was appointed to the court of common pleas.

In 1836, in Jackson's Administration, Judge Birchard became solicitor for the general land office of the United States in Washington where he remained five years. Returning to Ohio in 1841 he was elected judge of the Supreme Court and was chief justice from 1847 to 1849. Judge Birchard's opinions were said to be "the result of careful consideration and diligent research, supported by copious citations from standard authorities and logical reasoning."

In 1867 Birchard bought the Warren Constitution which he published in connection with his son, until his death at Warren, June 16 in the centennial year.

I may hazard the guess that Morell was a Democrat and that at least until the days of the discovery of gold in California, Birchard also was a follower of Jackson. I have no information as to what became of him politically after he left the bench and before the Civil War and later in his newspaper venture.

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BERKSHIRE MILITIA UNITS

Compiled by Brian S. Barrett¹

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Captain Peter Ingersoll's (9th - Great Barrington) Company, Colonel John Brown's (2nd Berkshire) Regiment.

Name	Rank	Period	Remarks
Ingersoll, Peter	Capt	7/1-7/30	30 days; mileage home (120 miles)
Austin, Amos	Pvt	"	30 days
Austin, Zephaniah	Lt	44	30 days
Bennedict, Abel	Sgt	44	30 days
Bennet, Asahel	Pvt	46	30 days
Brookins, Artemas	Cpl	"	30 days
Callender, Ezekiel	Fifer	44	30 days
Chapin, Elijah	Pvt	7/1-7/21	21 days, including travel to camp and home
Chapin, Samuel	"	7/1-7/30	30 days, including travel to camp and home.
Coston, Levi	"	7/1-7/30	30 days
Cowdry, Jonathan	"	7/1-7/21	21 days
Cowle, Elisha	"	44	21 days
Dodge, Moses	Sgt	7/1-7/30	30 days
Edy, Briant	Pvt	7/1-7/21	21 days
Fosket, Oliver	"	7/1-7/30	30 days
Hitchcock, Samuel	"	66	30 days
Huggins, John	Sgt	"	30 days
Mcgonigall, Henry	Sgt	44	30 days
Olds, Amos	Pvt	44	30 days
Patterson, John	"	44	30 days
Patterson, William	"	7/1-7/21	21 days
Phelps, Josiah	"	7/1-7/30	30 days
Pier, Solomon	"	44	30 days, Gr Barrington
Root, Ebenezer	"	"	30 days
Root, Stephen	"	"	30 days
Stevans, Ebenezer	"	7/1-7/21	21 days
Stevans, Richard	Cpl	7/1-7/30	30 days
Tracy, David	Pvt	"	30 days
Welding, James	"	"	30 days
Whiting, Ebenezer	"	7/1-7/21	21 days

^{1.} Mr. Barrett has provided two previous articles for *Berkshire Genealogist* (see 25-1-3 and 27-1-6) and is the author of *The Eleazer Barrett Identity Puzzle* and *Berkshire County's Army of Obstruction* He welcomes readers' comments and can be contacted at 805 Minaka Drive, Waukesha, WI 53188. By phone and E-Mail: (262) 542-0683 and <a href="mailto:spiritable-pizzle-state-

Captain Peter Porter's (Becket) Company, Colonel John Brown's (2nd Berkshire) Regiment. Company marched to "Manchester on the Grants in the State of Vermont" during July 1777.

Name	Rank	Period	Remarks
Porter, Peter	Capt	7/10-7/25	15 days
Ballentine, William Gay	Pvt	"	15 days
Bard, Asa	44	7/10-7/20	10 days
Carpenter, Elisha, Jr	"	"	10 days
Chamberlin, Benjamin	Lt	7/10-7/25	15 days
Cole, Phineas	Pvt	"	15 days
Cox, Ralph	"	7/18-7/25	7 days
Crosby, John	"	7/10-7/20	10 days
Davis, John	"	7/10-7/25	15 days, Becket
Hill, Asa	44	7/18-7/25	7 days
Hunn, Zadok	"	"	7 days
Kingsley, Amos	"	44	7 days
Kingsley, David	"	7/10-7/25	15 days
Kingsley, Ebenezer	Fifer	"	15 days
Kingsley, Jedediah	Pvt	"	15 days
Kingsley, Jeremiah	"	7/18-7/25	7 days
Kingsley, Nathaniel	"	"	7 days
Lewis, Matthew	Cpl	7/10-7/25	15 days
Linkon, Silas	Pvt	"	15 days
Lynds, Jonathan	"	"	15 days, Hartwood (Becket)
Macknight, John	"	"	15 days
Mattoon, Sylvanub	"	"	15 days
Messenger, Bela	"	7/18-7/25	7 days, Becket
More, James	44	7/10-7/25	15 days
Noble, Zenas	"	"	15 days
Olds, Daniel	"	"	15 days
Plum, John	Lt	u	15 days
Rudd, James	Sgt	"	15 days
Slone, William	Sgt	7/10-7/20	10 days
Snow, Oliver	Pvt	7/18-7/25	7 days
Spencer, Alpheus	"	7/10-7/25	15 days
Spencer, Eliphaz	"	"	15 days
Taggart, John	"	"	15 days
Taylor, Willis	"	7/10-7/20	10 days
Walker, Ebenezer	Cpl	7/10-7/25	15 days
Walker, John	Pvt	"	15 days
Walker, Jonathan			15 days

Captain Sylvanus Willcox's (13th - Alford) Company, Colonel John Ashley's (1st Berkshire) Regiment. Service with Northern Army during July 1777.

Name	Rank	Period	Remarks
Willcox, Sylvanus	Capt	7/8-7/26	19 days
Adams, John	Pvt	7/8-7/21	14 days
Barritt, Eleazer	"	7/8-7/26	19 days, Alford
Brownell, Elijah	"	"	19 days
Brunson, Amos	"	"	19 days
Brunson, Moses	"	"	19 days, Alford
Case, Philip	"	"	19 days
Corbin, Job	"	7/8-7/21	14 days
Crippen, Asa	"	7/8-7/26	19 days
Gilbart, Joseph	Sgt	7/8-7/21	14 days
Griffice, David	Pvt	"	14 days
Hopkins, Ehud	Sgt	7/8-7/26	19 days, from Fort Edward (110 miles)
Hurlbut, Joshua	"		14 days; from Fort Edward (110 miles)
Johnson, Robert	"	7/8-7/26	19 days; from Fort Edward (110 miles)
Kellogg, Moses	Cpl	"	19 days; from Fort Edward (110 miles)
Kellogg, Nathaniel	Pvt	"	19 days; from Fort Edward (110 miles)
King, Joseph	"	"	19 days; from Fort Edward (110 miles)
Omsted, Aaron	"	7/8-7/21	14 days; from Fort Edward (110 miles)
Omsted, Jabez	"	7/8-7/26	19 days; from Fort Edward (110 miles)
Sperry, Nathan	"	7/8-7/26	19 days, Great Barrington
Stillwill, Daniel	"	"	19 days; from Fort Edward (110 miles)
Tickner, Daniel	Sgt	"	19 days; from Fort Edward (110 miles)
Willcox, "Dijah."	Pvt	7/8-7/21	14 days; from Fort Edward (110 miles)

Captain Babbit's (11th - New Ashford) Company, Colonel Benjamin Simonds's (2nd Berkshire) Regiment that marched to Manchester during July 1777.

Name	Rank	Period	Remarks
Babbit, Amariah	Capt	7/9-7/24	16 days
Barns, Comfort	Pvt	7/9-7/29	21 days
Beech, Hezekiah	"	44	"
Booth, Andrew	Sgt	"	sworn to at Lanesborough
Cornish, Andrew	Pvt	"	21 days
Hamilton, Silas	"	"	"
Kent, Nathaniel	Pvt	7/18-7/29	12 days
Mug, Joshua	"	7/9-7/29	21 days
Rice, Evan	"	7/18-7/29	12 days

Colonel Joab Stafford's (Independent) company of volunteers, (Silver Grays), Berkshire militia marched to reinforce Colonel Warner at Manchester during July 1777.

Name	Rank	Period	Remarks
Stafford, Joab	Col.	6/30-7/17	15 days, roll sworn in Suffolk Co
Bourn, John	Pvt	"	15 days, New Providence
Case, Aaron	44	"	15 days
Cole, Simeon	"	44	15 days
Collins, Benoni	"	"	15 days, New Providence
Jenkins, William	Lt	"	15 days
Low, Hooker	Pvt	"	15 days, Adams
Mighles, Ezekiel	"	"	15 days
Nichols, Thomas	Capt	"	15 days
Richardson, Jonathan	Pvt	"	15 days
Simmonds, Reuben	"	"	15 days
Smith, Simon	Lt	"	15 days
Spencer, Rufus	Pvt	"	15 days
Tiffany, Humphrey	44	"	15 days
Towner, —	"	"	15 days
Walker, Lewis	Lt	44	15 days
Willmarth, John	Pvt	"	15 days
Willmarth, Shubael	Lt	"	15 days
Willson, Ezekiel	Pvt	"	15 days

Captain David Pixley's (Stockbridge) Company, Colonel John Brown's (2nd Berkshire) Regiment. Company ordered to Northern Department and Fort Edward during July 1777.

Name	Rank	Period	Remarks
Pixley, David	Capt	6/30-7/26	27 days
Allen, Jonas	Pvt	6/30-7/19	20 days, Stockbridge
Bradley, Josiah	"	6/30-7/21	22 days
Bristol, Joel	"	"	22 days, Stockbridge
Brown, Alexander	Cpl	"	22 days, Stockbridge
Dewey, Abner	Pvt	6/30-7/26	27 days
Dewey, Bohan	"	"	27 days
Gains, John	••	44	27 days
Galpin, Ahel		6/30-7/21	22 days
Hart, Abel	Lt	"	22 days
Jones, Elijah	Pvt	6/30-7/26	27 days, Stockbridge
Jones, Solomon	"	"	27 days
Pond, Silas		6/30-7/21	22 days
Rice, Phineas	44	6/30-7/26	27 days, Stockbridge
St. John, Samuel	"	"	27 days, Stockbridge

Captain William Clark's (Gageborough) Company, Colonel Benjamin Simonds's (2nd Berkshire) Regiment. Company marched to Manchester on an alarm.

Name	Rank	Period	Remarks
Clark, William	Capt	7/9-7/31	22 days Gagebourough to Manchester
Bradford, Samuel	Pvt	"	22 days
Brigs, Allen	"	"	22 days
Busey, Thomas	"	"	22 days
Cowen, Joseph	"	"	22 days
Donnel, Joseph	"	"	22 days
Edy, James	"	**	22 days
Glass, Rufus	44	"	22 days
Grovner, Resolved	"	"	22 days
Hutchens, Levens	Sgt	"	22 days
James, Abel	Pvt	44	22 days
Lowes, Arnold	"	**	22 days
Lyon, Pelatiah	"	44	22 days
Mason, Timothy	"	"	22 days
Shepard, Willard	46	"	22 days
Safford, Joslah	Cpl	"	22 days
Tracy, Nathaniel	Lt	7/17-7/31	13 days

Captain Asa Stower's Company, Colonel John Brown's (2nd Berkshire) Regiment. Company marched to Saratoga during July 1777.

Name	Rank	Period	Remarks
Stower, Asa	Capt	6/30-7/26	26 days
Beard, Aaron	Pvt	"	26 days
Hill, Jonathan	"	"	26 days
Ingraham, Nathan	"	"	26 days
Kingsley, Elijah	"	"	26 days
Mckinight, Robert	"	"	26 days
Milican, William	"	"	5 days
Mumford, Henry	"	6/30-7/26	26 days
Phelps, John	"	"	26 days
Porter, Joseph	"	"	26 days
Shaw, Luther	"	"	26 days
Slack, Joseph	"	"	26 days
Slack, William	"	"	26 days
Sloan, George	Sgt	"	26 days, Hartwood (Becket)
Sloan, Norman	Pvt	"	26 days
Stower, Amos	"	"	26 days
Taylor, Eldad	"	"	26 days
Taylor, John	"	"	26 days
Walker, Henry	"	"	26 days
Walker, Stephen	"	"	26 days

Captain Noah Lankton's (8th - Tyringham) Company, Colonel John Ashley's (1st Berkshire) Regiment. Company marched on expedition to Kingsbury during July 1777.

Name	Rank	Period	Remarks
Lankton, Noah	Capt	7/8-8/14	38 days
Foster [?], William	Pvt	"	38 days
Black, Isaac	"	7/8-7/27	20 days, Tyringham
Bord, More	"	"	20 days
Brewer, Joseph	"	"	20 days, Tyringham
Chadwick, John	"	7/8-7/20	13 days
Chapin, Paul	"	7/8-8/14	38 days
Graves, Thaddbus	"	7/8-8/14	38 days
Hale, Josiah	"	7/8-7/20	13 days; (220 miles) out+home
Joslen, Willard	"	7/8-8/14	38 days
Mors, Peter	"	7/8-7/27	20 days
Robens, Thomas	"	7/8-8/14	38 days
Rewey, Thomas	"	7/8-7/27	20 days
Scripter, Jeremiah	"	"	20 days
Semour, Enos	"	"	20 days
Tayler, Noah	Fifer	7/8-8/14	38 days
Wadworth, Asa	"	7/8-7/27	20 days
Warren, Benjamin	"	"	20 days
Wells, Hezekiah	"	"	20 days
Wheelock, Amariah	"	"	20 days
Williams, Joseph	"	7/8-8/14	38 days

Captain Stephen Smith's Company, Colonel Benjamin Simonds's (2nd Berkshire) Regiment. Service in Northern Department during July 1777.

Name	Rank	Period	Remarks
Smith, Stephen	Capt	7/1-7/31	31 days, Hancock
Brown, Jonathan	Pvt	66	31 days
Brown, Solomon	Cpl	44	31 days
Grinman, John	Pvt	"	31 days
Mun, Danirl	Sgt	**	31 days
Palmer, Wait	Cpl	46	31 days
Preston, John	Pvt	44	31 days
Spensor, Samuel	"	44	31 days
Thomas, Israel	Lt	"	31 days
Tilor, Zeal	Pvt	"	31 days
Toot, —	Sgt	"	31 days
Treet, Richard	Pvt	"	31 days
Turnor, Gideon	"	"	31 days

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COMPANY M AND ADAMS IN THE WAR WITH SPAIN

Compiled by Herbert O. Hicks and Fred A. Simmons, 1899

ROSTER

COMPANY M, 2nd REGIMENT, INFANTRY, M.V.M. Mustered into Service of State, at Adams, November 18th, 1887

Captain Reuben A. Whipple, Adams
First Lieutenant Ezra N. Jones, Adams
Second Lieutenant Frank W. Roberts, Adams
First Sergeant William F. Davis, Adams
Sergeant John A. O'Conner, Adams
Sergeant Edwin G. Ingraham, Adams
Sergeant Gerald Howatt, Jr., Adams
Sergeant Herbert O. Hicks, Adams
Corporal Henry A. Jones, Adams
Corporal Arthur A. Hall, Adams
Corporal James A. Carroll, Adams
Corporal Albert H. Bates, Adams

MUSICIANS

William Heeney, Adams George E. Whipple, Adams PRIVATES

John H. Allen, Adams John S. Adams, Jr., Adams David Brown, Adams Charles N. Barnum, Adams William O'Brien, Adams William Baird, Adams Erastus Boorn, Adams Edward Cassidy, Adams James D. Cadigon, Adams Patrick Carey, Adams Frank A. Carroll, Adams John Edward Deyo, Adams Frank I. Embree, Cheshire James M. Fleming, Adams Willis A. Fairfield, Adams Patrick Hennessy, Adams George S. Hatch, Adams William S. Jenks, Adams Charles Lowell, Adams Clarence B. Loud, Adams Ernest J. Laferriere, Adams

William B. McNulty, Adams Frank L. Morse, Adams Richard Neagle, Adams William B. Orr, Adams Calvin M. Potter, Adams Frank A. Richmond, Adams Benjamin G. Stillman, Adams George E. Simmons, Adams George F. Sayles, Adams William Staple, Adams Godfrey Sanderson, Jr., Adams John W. Taylor, Adams Robert A. Thompson, Adams Henry Whitney, Adams Edwin B. Richmond, Adams Benjamin F. Phillips, Jr., Adams James A. Osborne, Adams Edward A. Deyette, Adams Francis A. Alderman, Adams Germain Hoag, Adams Albert G. Whipple, Adams Chauncy D. Rifenburg, Adams Calvin P. Hall, Adams OFFICERS FROM 1887 TO 1899

Captain Reuben A. Whipple
Captain Ezra N. Jones
Captain Herbert O. Hicks
First Lieutenant Ezra N. Jones
First Lieutenant Herbert O. Hicks
First Lieutenant George E. Simmons
First Lieutenant George J. Crosier
Second Lieutenant Frank W. Roberts
Second Lieutenant William F. Davis
Second Lieutenant Gerald Howatt, Jr.
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Second Lieutenant George E. Simmons
Second Lieutenant Ernest J. Laferriere

COMPANY M, 2nd REGIMENT, MASSACHUSETTS INFANTRY United States Volunteers

As Mustered into United States Service, at South Framingham, May 3, 1898

Captain Herbert O. Hicks, Adams First Lieutenant George J. Crosier, Adams Second Lieutenant Ernest J. Laferriere, Adams

First Sergeant William O'Brien, Adams Quarter Master Sergeant William Hodecker, Adams Sergeant Burdette H. Milliman, Adams Sergeant James A. Campbell, Adams Sergeant Victor King, Adams Sergeant Jim R. Smith, Adams Corporal William A. Sime, Adams Corporal Sydney H. Cliff, Adams Corporal George E. Whipple, Adams Corporal Charles H. Hathaway, Adams Corporal John B. Sturm, Adams Corporal Fred A. Simmons, Adams

MUSICIANS

Charles Stone, Valley Falls, R.I. William H. Duggan, Adams

ARTIFICER

George W. Alderman, Adams
WAGONER

Alfred A. Thiel, Adams

PRIVATES

William Aspin, Jr., North Adams Charles A. Austin, North Adams Jerry M. Barry, Adams Carroll F. Brown, North Adams Harry C. Brown, North Adams Hugh F. Brown, North Adams Keller H. Briggs, North Adams Richard W. Bruce, Pontiac, R.I. Frederick Brunell, Adams John L. Burt, Adams James C. Cadigon, Adams Arthur L. Carey, North Adams Edward H. Cassidy, Adams Jasper Coones, Adams William H. Crockwell, Adams Charles Daniels, Adams Charles E. Dunn, Adams William J. Dupreau, Adams Bryan Dwyer, Adams Charles C. Favreau, Adams Alexander Foote, Adams David C. Ferguson, Adams

Alfred N. Gelinas, North Adams Walter B. Graham, North Adams Levi Gravel, Adams Joseph Gravel, Jr., Adams Robert Groves, Adams George S. Hagar, Dalton Frank R. Harris, Savoy Samuel Hiser, Adams Abraham Kershaw, Adams Eugene E. Lee, North Adams William J. Maloney, Boston Franklin W. Manning, Pittsfield Hary L. Marshall, North Adams Mathew F. McGlynn, Adams Fred Mercier, Adams Edward J. Mooney, Dalton Alfred N. Page, North Adams Walla Paradise, Adams Lyle B. Parker, Dalton Harry A. Partridge, Adams Robert W. Prentiss, North Adams John T. Reardon, Adams Benjamin Riley, Adams Louis Rougeau, North Adams Frederick J. Sisco, Adams David Sitcer, Adams James M. Smith, Adams Milton C. Snell, Adams John Sullivan, Adams John S. Thompson, Adams Thomas Tobin, Jr., Adams Herbert P. Ward, Pittsfield John J. Walsh, Adams John Weir, Adams Augustus Wood, North Adams Amedee A. Vadnais, North Adams

Corporal Whipple was detailed for duty in the ordinance department, at Tampa. Corporal Simmons was appointed to the Regimental Hospital Corps, at Tampa

From 10,000 Vital Records of Western New York, 1809-1850

Henry Sterrett, 84, married Mrs. Lany Rey, 75, after a tedious courtship of three hours - half way between Bath and Cohocton.

General David Whitney, 62, married Eliza Wilson, 16.

From 10,000 Vital Records of Eastern New York, 1777-1834

Daniel Braman married Jemima Wood in Easthampton. "The groom has become the grand-son of his father and the son of his brother. The bride has become the daughter of her grandfather and the sister of her father. The father is older than the grandfather."

MUSTER ROLL OF 4th COMPANY 1st BATTALION OF THE BERKSHIRE REGIMENT, DETACHED FOR THE DEFENCE OF BOSTON, SEPTEMBER, A.D. 1814

From the Pittsfield Sun, June 24, 1858, a letter from Edwin Brewer

Colonel Solomon K. Cham-Roswell Hubbard berlain Major Stevens Major Rowley Captain Adonijah Jones, Otis Lieutenant Jabez Peck **Ensign Pliny Carnes SERGEANTS** Abial Abbot Harlow Fenn Ephraim Baldwin 1st Sergeant Hezekiah Geer CORPORALS Daniel Wells Miles Bartholomew Ezra Heath (two vacancies, Edwin Brewer, 3rd and

promoted.) **MUSICIANS**

Michael Paul, 4th,

Timothy Jones Orrin -----

Asa Tiffany

Samuel H. Baird

PRIVATES

John Bowen Steven B. Carrington Reuben Hart Job Mills **Richards Spalding** Moses Spalding, 2nd Phineas Spalding Alson Mills

Simeon Pollard Moses Curtis John Dykeman Daniel Tyler Erastus Pardee Charles Jones Daniel Miner William B. Fenn Christopher Miner Nathaniel Husted Elisha Tobev Sylvester Williams John Williams Ezekiel Noble **Enos Hubbard** Leonard Curtis **Doctor Millard** Erastus Winchell Orrin Andrews Russell Skiff Cornwell Daily Seymour Joyner William Lowry Norman Tuller Hiram Owen Harley Hubbard Abel Bullock Isaac Race Judson Millard Jesse Olds Samuel Preston

John Sherman Miles Carter Benjamin Tobey John Tuttle **Dudley Watson** Josiah Burghardt Henry W. Burghardt Milton Ball Benjamin Pritchard Jacob Tooley Alanson Slater Isaac Harris **Burton Baker** David Estv Lyman Brooks Elisha Scholfield Pitkin Eels Norman Clark William Still Elisha Phillips Henry E. May Gamaliel Bolton Edwin Brewer Abraham Van Ness George Palmer Martin Bagg William McKnight Harvey Smith Leonard Dexter Aaron Potter Roswell Bates Henry Dewey

James Mullen

Edmund Pixley

I add the 9 officers and 2 musicians, making 11 more and 90 in all. I do not make out the name of one of the musicians.

Royal Ormsby

George Younglove

Leander Hooper

This was the original detachment. There were some substitutes before, and some afterward, and I think some exchanges from one company to another.

Amos Harman took the place of Richard Spalding, David Morse of Moses Spalding, 2nd, Simeon Mills of Alson Mills; Henry E. May became Sergeant Major, and Michael Paul and William Hale of Pittsfield, joined the company.

Orderly Sergeant Geer and the last 21 privates hailed from Pittsfield, and William Hale, son of Ashbel, was another - probably the 13 next preceding them from Great Barrington. One of

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ANCESTOR TABLES

CCCXCIX. NANCY GEORGE, submitted by Nancy George McNabb, 16 Aspen Way, Pittsfield, MA 01201

1. Nancy GEORGE, 1947-; Bloomington, Illinois; Durham, North Carolina; Pittsfield.

- 2. William Tindall GEORGE, 1911-2000; Lake Placid, New York; Schenectady, New York.
- 3. Ruth Elizabeth GIEGENGACK, 1917- ; Schenectady.

III.

- 4. Thomas Herbert GEORGE, 1879-1949; Wilmington, New York; Lake Placid.
- 5. Catherine Annie TINDALL, 1880-1975; Midland, Ontario; Lake Placid.
- 6. David Edward GIEGENGACK, 1884-1970; East Schodack, New York; Schenectady.
- 7. Trancy Anna DECKER, 1884-1961; Castleton-on-Hudson, New York; Schenectady.

IV.

- 8. Oswin Samuel GEORGE, 1838-1903; Wilmington, New York; Lake Placid.
- 9. Susie May WATSON, 1858-1892; Birmingham, England; Wilmington.

- 10. William TINDALL, 1855-1882; England; Midland.
 11. Janette McCALLUM, 1856-1928; Apple Hill, Ontario; Braser Falls, New York.
- 12. David Edward GIEGENGACK, 1849-1915; Germany; East Schodack.

- 13. Teseva Elise KALBERT, 1853- ; Ramstall, Hesse, Germany.
 14. Abraham DECKER, 1856-1929, Castleton-on-Hudson.
 15. Mary FEIGENBAUM, 1867-1944; Chicago, Illinois; Castleton-on-Hudson.

V.

- 16. Samuel Cherry GEORGE, 1810-1879; Wilmington, New York. 17. Agnes Moultrice WINCH, 1810-1889; Vermont; Wilmington.
- 18. Thomas WATSON, 1830-1909; Brotherton, Yorkshire, England; Lake Placid.
- 19. Amelia Elizabeth THOMPSON, 1838-1883; England; Essex County, New
- 20. John Thruston TINDALL, 1806-1867; Roos, Hull, England; Ontario.
- 21. Christiana WELLS, 1819-1889; Roos; Ontario.
- 22. John McCALLUM, 1829-1902; Roxborough, Stormont, Ontario; Greenwood, Arkansas.
- 23. Catherine KENNEDY, 1829-1877; Apple Hill, Ontario; Wyebridge, Ontario.
- 24. Johann Martin GIEGENGACK, 1825-
- 25. Eva Margarethe ASCHENBACH, 1820-1873; Germany.
- 30. John FEIGENBAUM, 1828-1917; Mecklenburg-Strelitz, Germany; Stuyvesant Falls, New York.
- 31. Sophia POHL, 1837-1913; Germany; Stuyvesant Falls.

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- 32. Jonathan (or Samuel) GEORGE, 1787-1820; Antrim, New Hampshire; Clinton County, New York.
- 34. Nathan WINCH, 1788-1861; Wilmington.
- 35. Betsey PRIEST, 1790-ca1860; Jefferson County, New York; Wilmington.
- 36. Richard WATSON; ; England.

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37. Elizabeth TAYLOR,
                               ; England.
39. Nancy
                               ; England.
40. Richard TINDALL, 1778-1847; Roos.
                   , 1789-1863; Roos.
41. Mary
44. Duncan McCALLUM, 1794-1863; Kilin, Scotland; Roxborough.
45. Diana MONTGOMERY, 1809-
                                ; Ontario.
46. Hugh KENNEDY,
47. Janet McINTOSH,
48. Valentin GIEGENGACK, 1788-1858; Germany.
49. Anna Katharina DORFLER,
                              -1855; Merbach, Germanv.
60. Joseph J. FEIGENBAUM, 1803-
                                    ; Germany.
61. Sophia SMITH, ca1861-
                              ; Germany.
62.
           PAUL,
63. Minnie
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BERKSHIRE SHERIFFS

From the Pittsfield Sun, October 29, 1885

The appointments by Sheriff Wellington of Berkshire deputies have been very few, the majority being continued appointments begun by Sheriff Root. William Hodskin claims to be the veteran of the force, having served continuously since 1847. Harvey Holmes, of Great Barrington comes next with service since 1848, and others were appointed as follows:

George H. Cobb, West Stockbridge, 1855 R. M. Savery, Becket, 1873 E. L. Day, Stockbridge, 1863 W. W. Norton, Great Barrington, 1876 C. H. Cutting, Lee, 1865 Edgar Pierce, Windsor, 1877 H. S. Streeter, Adams, 1868 H. S. Manley, Sandisfield, 1877 W. W. Langdon, Great Barrington, 1868 T. M. Quinn, Williamstown, 1877 M. C. Langdon, Monterey, 1869 C. W. Goodrich, Hinsdale, 1878 Lewis W. Taylor, Pittsfield, 1871 E. D. Humphrey, Great Barrington, 1878 L. Scott, Pittsfield, 1872 George W. Roraback, Lee, 1879 J. C. Smith, Sheffield, 1873

Sheriff Wellington was appointed deputy in 1861 and served until his election to his present office five years ago. His appointments additional to the re-appointments of Mr. Root's deputies are Hale of Tyringham, Shepardson and Nash of Pittsfield, Bixby of North Adams, A. E. Chamberlin of Dalton and Albert Gardner of New Marlboro, the latter appointed this year in place of Henry N. Adams, deceased, who had served since 1858. Crier Wells is the successor of Zepheniah Davis of Lenox, who at nearly 100 did the "crying" at the terms and long after his voice was a mere thread. In those days the crier was a court appointment. The law afterward made the sheriff or one of his deputies the crier and Mr. Wells has occupied the place since, some 35 years. Sheriff Wellington's term expires next year.

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them, Alanson Slater, belonged in Tyringham, and now lives in Ashtabula County, Ohio. Sergeant Baldwin with quite a detachment were from Egremont, and West Stockbridge. I should think must have furnished a quota. Others would recollect more.

I obtained the list from the family of the late Capt. Jones, by means of a search for the name of *Job Coe*, which could not be found. His widow lived in Peterborough, New York, Gerrit Smith's neighborhood. Hoping that this list may be of some service to somebody, I subscribe myself.

Affectionately, Edwin Brewer

STATE CENSUS OF MASSACHUSETTS, 1855 WEST STOCKBRIDGE [Continued from Volume 29, Number 4, Page 144]

190	249	Daniel D. Martin	23		N.Y.
		Lucinda Martin	20		N.Y.
191	250	N. H. Stowell	36		Mass.
		Margaret Stowell	33	F	Mass.
		Ella E. Stowell	2	F	Mass.
192	251	Isaac M. Rees	57	M	Mass.
		Lucretia? Rees	54	F	N.Y.
		Charles E. Rees	28	M	Mass.
		Matilda L. Rees	13	F	Mass.
193	252	Levi Pixley	31	M	Mass.
		Harriet M. Pixley	27	F	Mass.
		Lovinia Pixley	10	F	Mass.
		William H. Pixley	6	M	Mass.
		Mary A. Disigneau?	30	F	Mass.
194	253	Roger Norton	41	M	Ireland
		Elizabeth Norton	32	F	Ireland
		Catharine Norton	10	F	Mass.
		Thomas Norton	8		Mass.
		William Norton	6	M	Mass.
		James Kelly	60	M	Ireland
195	254	Daniel Sullivan	53		Ireland
		Ellen Sullivan	50		Ireland
		Patrick Sullivan	26	_	Ireland
		Mary Sullivan	22		Ireland
		Ellen Sullivan	3		Mass.
		Thomas Sullivan	1	M	Mass.
		Elizabeth Sullivan			Mass.
196	255	John McCuliff	27		Ireland
		Catharine McCuliff	22	F	Ireland
197	256	David Malumpsey	60	M	Ireland
		Julia Malumpsey	55		Ireland
		Thomas Malumpsey			Ireland
		Patrick Malumpsey	24		Ireland
		Luke Malumpsey	20		Ireland
		Thomas Baker	12		Ireland
198	257	Austin Brewer	51		Conn.
		Sarah Brewer	48		Mass.
		Carmi A. Brewer	23		Mass.
		John Brewer	17		Mass.
		George Brewer	12		Mass.
		Emily Brewer	10		Mass.
		Katie Brewer	6		Mass.
199	258	William McCan	46		Ireland
		Elizabeth McCan	38		Mass.
		Albert McCan	14		Mass.
		Mary McCan	13		Mass.
200	259	Patrick Maley	34		Ireland
		Bridget Maley	34	F	Ireland
		Patrick Maley	13	M	Ireland

		Mary Maley	10			Ireland
		Elizabeth Maley	7	F		Mass.
		John Maley	5	M		Mass.
		Edward Maley	1	M		Mass.
201	260	William Maley	27	M		Ireland
		Elizabeth Maley	23	F		Ireland
		Thomas Maley	1	M		Mass.
202	261	Chester Cady	55	M		Mass.
		Betsey Cady	49	F		Mass.
		Ursula L. Cady	17	F		Mass.
203	262	George Ford	40	M		Mass.
		Lavinia Ford	29	F		N.Y.
		Veloni M. Ford	10	F		Mass.
		Spencer M. Ford		M		Mass.
		Edith M. Ford		F		Mass.
		Celian M. Ford		F		Mass.
		Irina M. Ford		F		Mass.
204	263	Renuro? Bristol	52		Stone Cutter	
		Cornelia Bristol	50		000110 000001	
		Waterman Bristol	16			
		Marietta Bristol	8			
205	264	William T.? Fuller	36	_	Carpenter	Mass.
		Malina Fuller	28		carpeneer	Mass.
		Athol Fuller		M		Mass.
206	265	Thomas French	61			Mass.
		Esther French	66			Mass.
	266	Thomas French, Jr.	37			Mass.
	200	Susan French	32			Mass.
		Martin A. French		M		Mass.
		Harriet A. French	6			Mass.
		Robert D. French		M		Mass.
207	267	Christopher French	73			Mass.
207	207	Louis? French	73 73			Mass.
		·		_		Mass.
		Christopher C. French				
		Angeline French Rachel French	36			N.Y. Mass.
			42			
200	260	Louis? C. French Abraham B. Lee	31			Mass.
200	200		25			N.Y.
		Mary Lee	23			Mass.
		James L. Lee		M		Mass.
200	260	Amelia Lee		F		Mass.
209	269	Seth A. Barnes	47			Mass.
		Caroline H. Barnes	44	_		Mass.
		Ellen E. Barnes	19			Mass.
		William H. Barnes	17			Mass.
0.0	050	Harriet N. Williams	39			Mass.
210	270	E. M. Barnes	50			Mass.
		Miranda Barnes	50	_		N.Y.
		Martha I. Barnes	16			Mass.
211	074	Whiton P. Barnes		M		Mass.
211	2/1	Thomas W. Barnes	44			Mass.
		Zilpha Barnes	41			N.Y.
		Edwin F. Barnes		M		Mass.
		Charles D. Barnes	7	M		Mass.

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		Frances A. Ford	15			Mass.
			84	M		Conn.
		Charles S. Platt	34	M		Conn.
		Grove Arnold	18	M		Mass.
212	272	William Caswell	39	M		Mass.
		Clary A. Caswell	33	F		N.Y.
			8	M		Mass.
		Elizabeth Caswell	5	\mathbf{F}		Mass.
213	273	Frederick Mills	39	M		Mass.
		Lucy Mills	30			Conn.
		John H. Mills	8			Mass.
214	274	Albert I. Noble	26			N.Y.
		Mary Noble	60			N.Y.
		Sarah A. Noble	18			Mass.
215	275	Henry J. Bennett	34			England
213	215	Lucy I. Bennett	26			Mass.
			1			Mass.
016	076	Edwin I. Bennett				Conn.
216	2/6	Merritt Bristol	82			
		Elizabeth Bristol	81		63	Conn.
217	277	Thomas Benedict	51		Clergyman	Mass.
		Betsey Benedict	51			Conn.
218	278	Abel B. French	46			Mass.
		Lucinda French	46	_		N.Y.
		Martha French	18			Mass.
		Mary French	17			Mass.
		Albert B. Franch	13			Mass.
		Jane E. French	5			Mass.
		Alice L. French	2	\mathbf{F}		Mass.
		Sarah Arnold	70	F		Mass.
219	279	Elkanah Richmond	61	M		Conn.
		Caroline Richmond	57	\mathbf{F}		Conn.
		Genett Richmond	15	F		Mass.
		Caroline Richmond	11	F		Mass.
		Myra? Richmond	8	F		Mass.
220	280	Perry G. Comstock	46	M		Mass.
		Elizabeth M. Comstock	34	F		Conn.
		John H. Comstock				Mass.
		Emma L. Comstock		F		Mass.
		George E. Comstock		M		Mass.
		Hannah Hagerty	22			Ireland
		Peter Deserick	43			Ireland
		Fred Renaud	24			Ireland
221	281	John P. Reid	46			Conn.
221	201	Rachel E. Reid	26			N.Y.
		George Reid	10			Mass.
		Henry Reid		M		Mass.
		William Reid	_	M		Mass.
		Carey Reid Frank Reid		M		Mass. Mass.
222	201			M		Mass. Canada
444	202	Joseph Mica Huldah Mica	32 32			R.I.
		Adelbert M. Mica		M		Mass.
		Amelia L. Mica		M F		Mass.
	202	Mariah Richmond	57			Conn.
	203	Martan Atchinond	3/	L.		COIIII.

223	284	Peter French	63	36		3.5
	204	Achsa French	46			Mass.
		William E. French	17			Mass.
		Lydia M. French	6			Mass.
224	285	Abel B. Barnes				Mass.
~~.	200	Livinia Barnes	29 28			N.Y.
		Sidney E. Barnes		_		N.Y.
		Anson A. Barnes	8			Mass.
		Almond W. Barnes	_	M		Mass.
		Arthur W. Barnes	-	M		Mass.
225	286	Thomas H. Spencer		M	361	Mass.
223	200	Hannah D. Spencer			Machinist	Conn.
		Edwin Spencer	42	_		Conn.
			19			Mass.
		Henry T. Spencer	16			Mass.
		Mary E. Spencer	13			Mass.
		Charles S. Spencer	6			Mass.
		John S. Spencer	4			Mass.
226	287	Mary Laker?	20		**** 3 1 1	Ireland
220	201	Elnathan I. Barnes Rachel Barnes			Wheelwright	Mass.
			71	_		Mass.
227	200	John Stanton	50			England
221	288	Ethan VanDusen	60			Mass.
		Clin VanDusen	62			Conn.
222	222	Lucinda A. Stoddard	17	_	• • • •	Mass.
228	289	Charles S. Bunce	26		Machinist	Mass.
000	000	Charlotte M. Bunce	24			?
229	290	Elijah Hewins	54			Mass.
		Eliza Hewins	48			Mass.
		El E. Mallanny	11			Mass.
230	291	George W. Potter	53			Conn.
		Lydia Potter	50			Mass.
		Timothy Z. Potter	23			Mass.
		William Potter	16			Mass.
		Josephine H. Cary	14		_, _ ,	Mass.
231	292	Frederick E. Brown	28		Stone Cutter	Mass.
		Harriet I. Brown	28	-		Mass.
		Adella C. Brown	10			N.Y.
		Charles E. Brown		M		Mass.
		Caroline I. Brown		F		Mass.
		Merritt Brown		M		Mass.
232	293	George W. Griffith	39		Miller	Mass.
		Louisa Griffith	34			Mass.
		Mary L. Griffith		F		Mass.
		Charles D. Griffith	6			Mass.
233	294	Calvin_B. Brown	58			Mass.
		Laura Brown	46			Mass.
004	00-	Franklin Brown	17		(Idiotic)	Mass.
234	295	Joseph Emery	23			Canada
		Constantina M. Emery				N.Y.
		John H. Emery	2			N.Y.
225	222	Sarah F. Emery	1			N.Y.
235	296	John M. Fuarey	36			Mass.
		Martha Fuarey	36		5 1.	N.Y.
		Andrew Fuarey	62	M	Stone Cutter	Del.?

		Lydia Fuarey	54	F	Mass.
		William S. Fuarey	24	M	Mass.
		Mary E. Fuarey	20	\mathbf{F}	Mass.
		Andrew Fuarey, Jr.	18	M	Mass.
		Charles H. Fuarey	14	M	Mass.
237	298	Hiram Slauter	58	M	Mass.
		Charlotte D. Slauter	46	F	Conn.
		Flint H. Slauter	24	M	Mass.
		Cecilia A. Smith	14	F	Mass.
		Charles F. Smith	3	M	Mass.
238	299	John E. Moore	29	M	Canada
		Elizabeth Moore	23	F	Vermont
		Mary L. Moore		M?	Mass.
		Lucy I. Moore		M?	Mass.
239	300	Henry Forde	34		Mass.
		Sylvia M. Forde	33		Mass.
		Betsey M. Forde	12		Mass.
		Mary E. Forde	10		Mass.
		Myron H. Forde	8		Mass.
		Charles L. Forde	_	M	Mass.
240	301	Francis Gregory	27		Canada
		Mary A. Gregory	23		Canada
		Mary Gregory	8	_	Canada
		Francis Gregory	_	M	Canada
		Eli Gregory		M	Canada
241	302	Nomian? L. Church	40		
	-	Caroline Church	27		Mass.
		Albert L. Church	5		Mass.
242	303	Michael Dempsey	35		Mass.
212	505	Johannah C. Dempsey	30		Ireland
		Michael Dempsey			Ireland
		John Dempsey		M	Vermont
		Timothy Dempsey		M	Mass.
		Timothy Collins		M	Mass.
		William Collins	24		Ireland
243	304	William H. Davis	21		Ireland
243	204		52		England
244	305	Mary H. Davis Patrick Hardiman	48		Mass.
244	303	Ellen Hardiman	28		Ireland
		Mathias Hardiman	19		Ireland
245	206		22		Ireland
245	306	Lefa Boughton	83		Mass.
246	207	Mary Carr	72		N.H.
246	307	E.? H. Bristol	29		N.H.
		Emily B. Bristol	24		Mass.
		Lyman A. Bristol		M	Mass.
247	200	Arthur G. Bristol	-	M	Mass.
24/	308	Gilbert Ford	24		Mass.
		Gestina Ford	29		Mass.
		Mary A. Ford		F	Mass.
242	200	William E. Ford		M	Mass.
448	309	Elihu S. Bradley	54		Mass.
		Lucy M. Bradley	47		Mass.
		Isidor Bradley	20		Mass.
		Luther W. Bradley	14	M	Mass.

		Ellen Burrow	13	F	Canada
		Ruth Salmon	40		N.Y.
249	310	William M. Holden	33		Ireland
		Bridget Holden	22		Ireland
		Mary Holden	2	F	Mass.
		John Holden	1		Mass.
250	311	John Lyston	38	M	Ireland
		Ellen Lyston	27	F	Ireland
		William Lyston	2	M	Mass.
		John Lyston	1	M	Mass.
251	312	Morris Currin?	24	M	Ireland
			24	M	Ireland
		John Campbell	28	M	Ireland
		John Maxwell	36	M	Ireland
		Mary A. Maxwell	32	F	Ireland
		Mary I. Maxwell			Mass.
		Margaret A. Maxwell			Mass.
			8		Mass.
		John Maxwell	7		Mass.
		Thomas Maxwell	4		Mass.
		Matilda Maxwell	3		Mass.
252	212	Eliza Maxwell Thomas Currin	1		Mass.
232	213	Jane? Currin	26 27		Ireland
		Barny Green	27	-	Ireland Ireland
253	314	_	35		Ireland
200	J 1 1		29		Ireland
		Mary A. Dempsey	4		Mass.
254	315	John Wafer	35		Ireland
		Mary Wafer	25		Ireland
		John Wafer	4		N.Y.?
		James Wafer	2	M	N.Y.?
255	316	Patrick Donahue	30	M	Ireland
		Ellen Donahue	28	F	Ireland
		Timothy Donahue	2	M	Mass.
		Mary Donahue	1	F	Mass.
256	317	Stephen Crippin	36		Mass.
		Fanny Crippin	30		England
		Phillip Crippin	4		Conn.
		Seymour Crippin	2		Conn.
257	318	John Morisay	30		Ireland
		Catharine Morisay	27		Ireland
		Johannah Morisay	6		Ireland
		Mary Morisay	5		Mass.
260	210	Catharine Morisay Patrick Wafer	1 23		Mass. Ireland
200	313	Ellen Wafer	24		Ireland
		Johannah Wafer	24 1	-	Mass.
		Johannah Wafer	_	F	Ireland
261	320	James Conely	45	-	Ireland
_		Susan Conely	38		Ireland
		John Conely	12		Mass.
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OLD DRURY ACADEMY

From The Berkshire Hills, November 1, 1902

In 1840 the want of better home education facilities began to be felt for the first time in North Adams by its then leading citizenship and the construction of old Drury Academy proved to be the quick result. The village hardly felt able to bear the expense of the construction of its first academy and these citizens began to cast about to find some man of wealth, without issue of kindred, who would have the pride to contribute pecuniary substance to erect such an institute. A Mr. Gore, a farmer of Monroe, who was childless and thought to be worth \$50,000 was first approached on this subject by Dr. E. S. Hawkes. Mr. Gore finally offered to donate \$3,000 for the building of a school edifice, with the condition that at all times he should be allowed to dictate the character of the teachers employed in such an academy. This was not thought to be a safe agreement for the prosperity and perpetuity of an educational institution and consequently his offer was not accepted.

Just about this time Nathan Drury of Florida, a wealthy and childless farmer, was taken ill and was attended by Dr. Isaac Hodges and Dr. E. S. Hawkes of North Adams. When he became convalescent these two prominent physicians suggested to him the question of making a donation wherewith to build the much desired academy, he was at once taken with the idea and the necessary writings were at once made out and executed without delay. Dr. Hodges was appointed receiver and dispenser of the donation, and soon after Mr. Drury and his wife vested all power over the same in him without restriction or limitation as to the cost of the site and edifice. Dr. Hawkes procured and prepared the grounds for the reception of the building and Dr. Hodges superintended the construction of the same. At first there was some discussion as to whether the proper location for the academy would not be on Main Street, but good judgment prevailed, and the present eminence was selected on account of its commanding location and its retirement from the noise of the then very bust and thriving village.

The hill selected overlooking the village at

all points of the compass as well as the valleys to the south, east and west, and commanding a fine view of the mountains roundabout, is thought to have been purchased from the estate of John Holden. The hill proper sloped off southward to a fine playground which bordered on East Church Street, the entire eminence from its abrupt descent down towards Eagle and Willow Streets and Willow Dell, being very steep and covered with a second growth of trees and bushes, excepting upon its west side, on which was a fine grove of oak trees, and which bordered upon the old village cemetery. This hill-top was first graded down some seventeen feet to obtain a level surface of 120 feet, on the west front of which the building was constructed. A graded road was built from East Church Street up to the plateau upon which the edifice stood, as also to connect with a boulevard which fronted the structure just below a finely sodded terrace, and which connected with a very steep road dug out of the hillside on the north and coming out near the present Millard shoefactory on Union Street.

The first grading of the hill occupied six weeks and cost \$400, the road approaches being finished sometime afterwards. Thirteen feet below the surface of the hill summit the trunk of a hardwood tree was unearthed from a bed of gravel, and other material, which went to prove the eminence was originally piled up by a mighty rush of waters from the north and northeast, and more tremendous than repeated by the north branch of the Hoosac river in later years. The first academy had a high basement in which was located wood-burning furnaces and a huge water tank or cistern. The first floor main hall was reached by a high flight of steps from the front, and a smaller flight from the rear. This floor contained a school and a piano room. The second story was reached by a decked flight of stairs rising out of the hall at the northeast end of the building. The large school room in the second story was fronted by a hall extending along the entire north side of the structure. From off a broad platform on the south side of the building two

doors opened on a male and female recitation room. This large school room was always used for public examinations and exhibitions, for the academy lyceum meetings, and sometimes for teachers institutes, lectures, etc.

The academy was completed in 1843 and the first term was opened by Lyman Thompson, principal, November first of that year. The first board of trustees were Isaac Hodges, Josiah Q. Robinson, Thomas Tower, Amasa Bixby, E. S. Hawkes, Thomas Robinson, William E. Brayton, Alpheus Smith, Edward B. Penniman, Sanford Blackinton, Harvey Arnold, Stephen B. Brown and Benjamin Hathaway. Dr. Isaac Hodges was the first president of the board. To this board Nathan Drury gave \$3500 in trust to erect the academy to bear his name, to be used for educational purposes, and when ceasing to be thus occupied, to revert to his heirs. Of course the past and present occupancy of Drury for a high school keeps it in possession of the city.

The principals in the old Drury were Lyman Thompson for eight years. In 1849 the trustees changed it from a private to a high school and established William Pitt Porter as its principal, and he continued in charge until 1854, at which time he entered into a law partnership with Henry L. Dawes, until the latter removed to Pittsfield. Succeeding Mr. Dawes he practiced law in the old stone office once standing on the present site of the Boland block on the corner of Main and Bank Streets until his death. In 1854 Jarvis Rockwell ran the high school for two terms, and retired to practice law and to become a justice of the police court. He was followed by Thomas Gorman, who was principal for two terms. In 1856 the latter was succeeded by Frank Shepard, previously a student at the academy, who after being principal for three years removed to Port Chester, N.Y., where he was was the head of a prosperous private academy for many years. Succeeding principals were two men named Robinson and Williams, Hoxey Hall and Fred P. Brown. The latter was a very popular principal and many pupils are now living who will remember his rare gifts and pleasant ways. He finally retired in 1864 to take up the practice of law and also followed quite considerably his profession as a most skillful civil engineer. In 1865 A. D. Miner

took charge of the Drury High School, holding the position by his rare talent for fully 20 years, both in the old and the new Drury structure.

In 1866 the old academy building, so full of hallowed associations, was demolished, and the hill was lowered 21 feet to make room for the present main structure. This new Drury was finished in 1867 and the first school was opened there in the autumn of that year, the cost of the same and furnishing being about \$80,000. It contains 13 school rooms, a recitation room and a spacious hall. In 1879 an annex to the main part was built which was occupied in 1880. The annex contains five school rooms and two recitation rooms and it cost with its furnishings about \$15,000.

At the opening of the second term of the Drury Academy and Boarding School the Trustees issued the following prospectus: The Trustees have the pleasure to announce to the public that this school has been open for one term under the superintendence of Mr. L. Thompson, and that they feel increased confidence in his talents in imparting knowledge to the youthful mind and in his experience in properly governing and controlling a school. The school rooms are spacious and more comfortably seated than can be found in the country. For beauty of scenery, healthiness of location, good order, efficient discipline, and thorough instruction this academy is, at least, equal to any in the country. The course of instruction embraces all the branches of a thorough English and classical education. Pupils are prepared for any class in college, or for commercial life, in addition to which the French language is taught by an experienced teacher. The female department is under the immediate control of Miss Thompson, who has had three years experience in one of the most popular schools in Poughkeepsie, N.Y. In this institution it will be the constant aim of the principals to improve the moral and intellectual powers of their pupils, with a due regard to their comfort and health. The principal will take a limited number of lads into his family at \$125 per annum. Board and washing can be procured in good families in the immediate vicinity of the academy at a moderate price. The year is divided into two terms of twenty-two weeks each, commencing on the first Wednesday of May and November of each year. At the close of each term there will be a public examination of the scholars, which parents and guardians are always desired to attend. Terms of tuition per quarter: Geography, English Grammar and Arithmetic, \$3.00; the above together with higher branches of English, \$4.00; Algebra and the higher branches of Mathematics, \$4.50; Languages, \$5; French, extra per quarter, \$5.00; Drawing, extra, \$3.00; Music on piano, extra, \$8.00; no other extra except proportion of fuel. No scholar received for less time than a quarter unless under peculiar circumstances. No deduction made for absence except for sickness. Lyman Thompson, principal. Miss Coralie Thompson, teacher of female department and of French, drawing and music.

ITS FIRST MALE PUPILS

From a copy of the annual catalogue of the officers and students of Drury Academy for the year 1843-4, published at the *Transcript* printing office of J. R. Briggs: Lyman Thompson and Harriet N. Thompson, principals; Malvina S. Butterfield, teacher of music; Luther M. McFarland, secretary and Amasa Bixby, treasurer; the number of male students are given as 75 and female, 55, making a total of 128. After a lapse of fiftyeight years this earliest list of the Drury pupils cannot fail to be of peculiar interest to survivors and descendants:

NORTH ADAMS: Rice Arnold, Charles Brayton, George Bly, Duane Bliss, John Buck, Judge Bullard, Thomas B. Brayton, Silvanus C. Browning, John E. Benedict, George A. Bradford, Martin L. Cole, Albert E. Cole, Henry Darby, Daniel F. M. Drew, Henry Goodrich, Benjamin F. Hathaway, Elisha Harris, William A. Harris, Abram Harris, Henry E. Hawkes, Joseph Hawkes, William Harmon, Mason D. Hodge, Charles A. Holden, A. C. Houghton, Andrew J. Houghton, Royal Houghton, Edward H. Hyde, Samuel Hall Jr., Henry Manchester. John Manchester, George Millard, Benjamin G. Olds, Joseph S. Olds, Arnold Potter, Andrew Potter, Horace Putney, William H. Phillips, James B. Richardson, Robert H. Robinson, Alexander M. Robinson, George C. Sheldon, Homer A. Smith, Henry L. Smith, Alfred Stearns, Edward Stewart.

Burdick Stewart, John B. Tyler, David Temple Jr., J. J. Temple, E. D. G. Thompson, Mortimer D. Whitaker, Valmore A. Whitaker, Edward J. Witherell, Albert Witherell.

POWNAL, VT.: Walter M. Brown, Andrew C. Eldred, Joshua Ladd, Sherman Ladd, Augustus H. Potter, Andrew B. Thompson, Stephen M. Whipple.

Daniel B. Briggs, South Adams
B. F. Howland, South Adams
Andrew A. Richmond, South Adams
Dwight Ingalls, Cheshire
Samuel Whipple, Cheshire
Horatio N. Hicks, Readsboro, Vt.
Nathan N. Stone, Readsboro, Vt.
Henry I. Brimmer, Petersburg, N.Y.
George Rosenbury, Petersburg, N.Y.
Joseph F. Knapp, New York
George Paulding, New York
John Barry
William S. Brooks
Oscar F. Butterfield
Chauncey E. Dewey

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O. Conner B. Duncan, Hoosick, N.Y. Seth M. Dunning, Middlebury, IN Theodore A. Gardner, Mexico, N.Y. Paul R. Kendall, Phillipston Elias B. McClellan, Colerain William H. Merriam, Troy, N.Y. B. F. Howland, South Adams William Hathaway, Clarksburg William Rabineau, New York

ITS FIRST FEMALE PUPILS

NORTH ADAMS: Henrietta A. Allen, Ann Arnold, Sarah S. Arnold, J. A. Arnold, Almeida Brown, Cynthia E. Burlingame, Frances E. Burlingame, Caroline A. Brayton, Louise M. Benedict, Eliza M. Browning, Mary M. Bixby, Lucinda E. Colegrove, Jane E. Darling, Mary A. Edwards, Laura J. Grey, Melissa M. Gallup, Amy Jane Hathaway, Adaline H. Hawkes, Mary B. Ingraham, Almina Lee, Maria Mason, Betsey Millard, Sarah E. Nash, Judith J. Potter, Helen M. Randall, Elsey M. Rice, Maria M. Richmond, Eliza A. Robinson, Susan F. Robinson, Margaret M. Robinson, Caroline

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AYLESWORTH-CLARK-BARSTOW

Abstracted from the obituary of Mrs. Allan Barstow in The Berkshire Evangel, October, 1901

In the death of Mrs. Sarah Aylesworth Clark Barstow of Canaan Four Corners (N.Y.) the community has lost one who throughout her long life has been identified with its interests. Many valuable historical reminiscences suggested by her departure have been furnished for this sketch by a trusted and beloved member of her family.

Mrs. Barstow was descended on her mother's side from Arthur Aylesworth, who was born in England in 1656, and emigrated to America in 1681. He married Mary Brown, of Providence R.I. His death occurred in 1725.

Her grandfather, William Aylesworth, was born in North Kingston, R.I., Feb. 2, 1753. He married, June 5, 1774, Catherine Havens, who was born in Newport, R.I., Dec. 11, 1758. In December 1775 they removed from their native state, and arrived on the 16th at the town of New Canaan, where they settled and spent their days on what is now the Patrick homestead. Their baby and oldest child was born Nov. 2, 1775, being but little more than a month old while journeying in its mother's arms through the wilderness, and she but seventeen. They reared a family of thirteen children, of whom Mrs. Barstow's mother, Sarah, was one. She was born in Canaan, August 10, 1780, and married the Rev. Azariah Clark Sept. 14, 1807. She died in September 1867, at the home of Mrs. Barstow.

Rev. Azariah Clark was a descendant of Lieutenant William Clark, one of the seven original settlers of the town of Northampton, Mass., and was a native of the adjoining town of Easthampton. He was adopted by an uncle and graduated at Williams College in 1805. He was ordained in Canaan in 1807, and resigned in 1829, removing to Colebrook, Conn. in 1830. There he died in 1832.

Sarah Clark's brother John died in 1874. He was a life-long resident of Canaan. William S. Clark, his son, resides in Amenia, New York. Two daughters, Mrs. Louise Tinsley and Miss Mary Clark, reside in Des Moines, Iowa.

The sister Elizabeth died when Mrs.

Barstow was a child. Her oldest brother, William, died a few years since at the age of 84, in West Liberty, Iowa, leaving a widow and two sons, Robert and Joseph, and two daughters, Mrs. Cornwell and Mrs. Cheeseboro.

Of her brother, Azariah Sylvester Clark, she would talk as though he had died but yesterday. It was the same with her sister Catherine, who was a lady of a very sweet, gentle nature, and who died in 1865. She was the wife of Joseph Cornwell, a merchant in Canaan for many years.

Her brother Sylvester was born in Canaan, Dec. 11, 1812 and died May 12, 1837.

February 5, 1857, Sarah A. Clark was married to Allan Barstow, who died August 2, 1898. His great grandfather Seth Barstow came to sharon, Conn. from Rochester, Mass, in 1771, He died in 1822, leaving five sons, Allan, Samuel, Seth, Gamaliel and Charles. Allan moved to Canaan. His son Captain Samuel A., married Bessie, daughter of Asa Douglas, whose father, Major Asa bought a six mile tract of land from the Indians, and was the earliest settler in this part of the town. He came in 1760 and lived where Mr. Thompson now resides. The younger Allan made his home with his grandfather Barstow, at whose death he inherited the most of his property.

Mr. & Mrs. Allan Barstow were not blessed with children of their own, and when her brother Samuel Barstow, Jr. died, the two youngest children were cared for by them as they would have cared for their own, The son, Edward Allan Barstow, has never left the old place, and is now in possession of the farm and homestead. He married, October 6, 1898, Isabella Letitia Hetrick, of Albany. They have two children William Samuel and Edward Allan.

The daughter, Kate, married William Spier, Jr., January 5, 1887. Their only child Allan Douglas Spier was born Nov. 26, 1887. Mr. Spier died in December 1891. Mrs. Spier was married to Charles B. Gates, of Phelps, N.Y. in January 1897. Their daughter Bessie was born in October, 1897.

Mrs. Barstow died on Sept. 24, 1891.

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J. Smith, Martha L. Sprague, Betsey Sprague, Eugenia Taylor, Diantha Temple, Harriet A. Tinker, Coralie J. Thompson, Caroline E. Thompson, Sarah B. Turner, Jane E. Turner, Caroline Ward, Ann E. Witherell.

F. J. Fuller, South Adams
Harriet E. Brimmer, South Adams
Delia S. Fisher, South Adams
Amelia P. Bixby, Townsend, VT
Martha A. Calvin, Bennington, VT
Julia A. Campbell, Rochester, VT
Louise Deming, South Williamstown
Maria E. Eldred, Pownal, VT
Cornelia Myers, Pownal, VT
Celestia Myers, Pownal, VT
Janette Elliot, Brattleboro, VT
Amelia McClellan, Colerain
Eunice R. Stone, Whitingham, VT
Sarah A. Wilcox, Marcy, N.Y.

MALE PUPILS IN 1859

In 1859, or 15 years later, when the Drury High School had Frank Shephard for its principal, it had a membership of 109 in the following names:

Charles G. Alford, Earnest A. Amidon, Charles Bradford, William W. Butler, Louvain M. Ballou, Merritt Bly, Charles A. Brown, Emmet C. Bailey, W. H. H. Briggs, Hiram T. Cady, Henry Cady, William Cady, Orville D. Cook, Ripley Dean, Charles Darling, David H. Darling, Frank S. Downing, Henry O. Decker, Marcellus Decker, Edwin Darling, John Q. Erwin, William W. Foss, Sanford B. Gleason, Merritt H. Hall,

Adelbert Haskins, George Harrington, Edward S. Hawkes, Abbott L. Hodge, Charles Hayser, Willis Jackson, George Jackson, Horace B. King, James Kirley, Houghton Nichols, Romanzo Nichols, Frederic Moore, Joseph Marshall, John H. Orr, Marcus Rice, Eugene Richardson, John A. Rice, William Robinson, Arthur Robinson, Sherwood Smith, Henry Smith, Henry C. Stewart, Arthur M. Tinker, Edwin Veazie, John H. Warren, James F. Wilbur, Martin Whitney, Ezra Whitaker, Frank A. Walker.

FEMALE PUPILS IN 1859

Julia E. Burlingame, Fanny F. Butler, Frances E. Burton, Addie J. Barber, Grace Buchan, Fanny Burnap, Ellen M. Chapin. Sabra J. Cady, Stella Cady, Clara E. Crawford, Harriet E. Cook, Sarah M. Dean, Ellen Darling, Ann C. Easton, Mary Ellis, Mary F. Flood, Addie Groat, Isabella R. Hunter. L. Maria Holden, Elizabeth M. Holman. Mary F. Holman, Jane Hoyle, Melissa Hayser, Ellen V. Hanley, Harriet Hanley. Lucy O. Hodge, Ellen M. Hawkes, Frances Larabee, M. Louise Meeker, Isabella Nichols, Cora Nichols, Flora G. Millard, Harriet Munn, Laura O. Mason, Felicia Preston, Ella A. Preston, Jane L. Paul, Mary E. Potter, Anna G. Philips, Julia A. Rice, Sarah J. Streeter, Fanny J. Smith, Lavilla Salisbury, Abby Stevens, Susan A. Sly, Angelia Veazie, Eugenia Veazie, Ann J. Walden, Frances Walden, Elizabeth Wetherbee, Ella Wilber, Callie B. Witt, Mary E. Warren, J. May Wharton, Isadore Waggoner, Adaline V. Whittiam.

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SOME SUGGESTIONS FOR WRITING QUERIES

- 1. Give the full name, including middle name or initial, of the person subject to enquiry.
- 2. Establish identity of the person by giving place and date of birth, place and date of death, parentage, place and date of marriage and identity of spouse to the extent these data are known, as:

John DOE b Hartford, CT 12 Jan 1900; d Fairfield, CT 19 Mar 1967 s/o Richard & Abigail (WESTON) DOE m Hartford 11 June 1923.

- 3. If unable to give a complete description of the person under enquiry, start with a son or daughter for whom more information might be available and ask for that person's ancestry.
- 4. Identify spouse in manner described in (2) above.
- 5. State what information is desired, as:
 Need ancestors of John and Abigail.
- 6. Place the question at the end of the query.
- 7. Do not abbreviate the names of persons or towns.
- 8. For any locale outside Massachusetts, be sure to identify the state.
- 9. Dates should be written: day, month, year as: 13 Oct 1743.
- 10. Use multiple queries rather than several parts to the same query.
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- 12. Well-known abbreviations may be used but elaborate use of them is not required.
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