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Class 4: Research!

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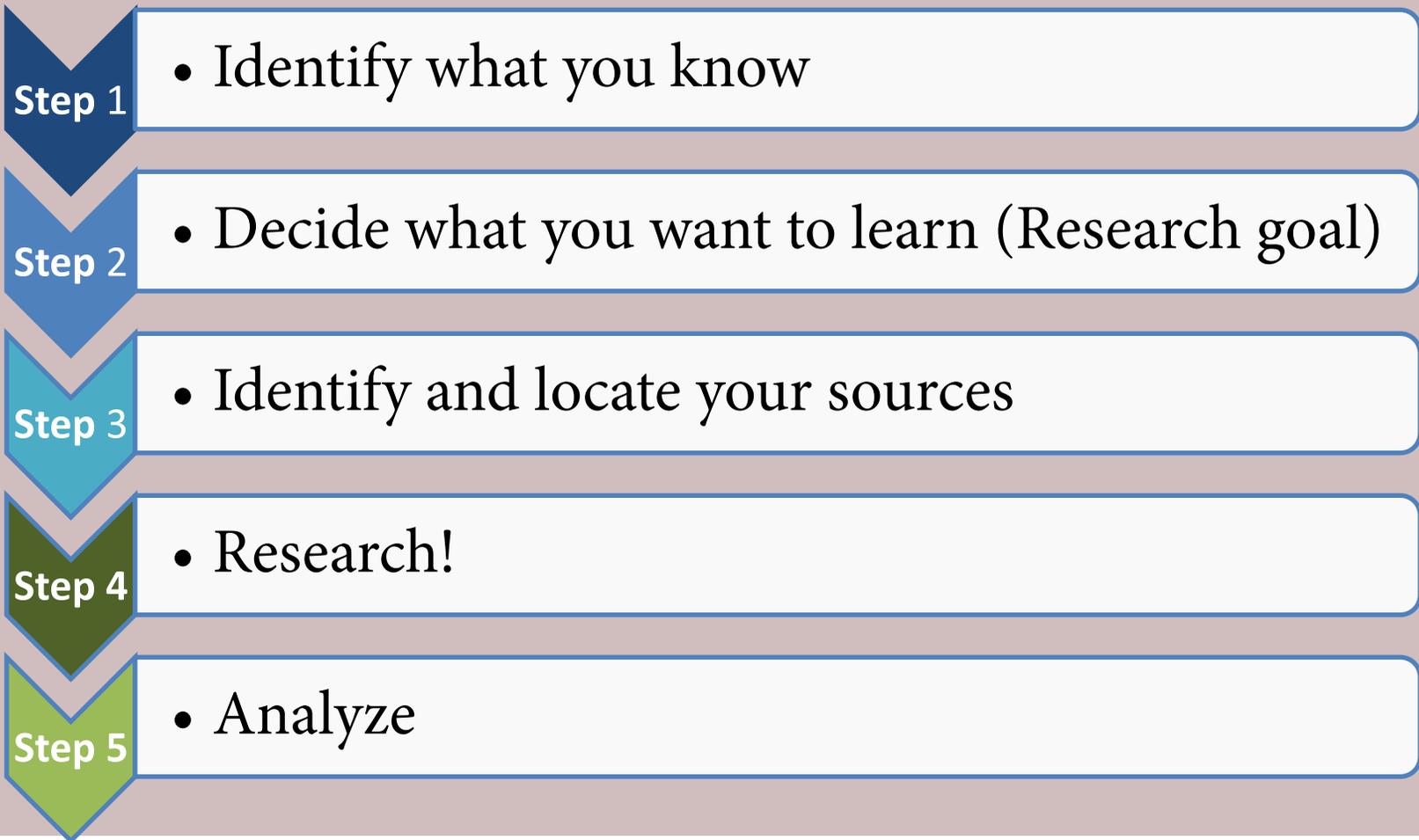
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OVERVIEW

- **Presentation (60 mins.)**
 - General Principles of Research
 - Online Search Strategies
 - Tips for Researching in Offline Repositories
- **Q&A (30 mins.)**

Steps for Researching Your Family



General Principles of Research

General Principles



Consult multiple sources; don't settle for one document



Track your work in your research log



Seek original documents when feasible



Understand the records

Genealogical Proof Standard

- One of the principles of the Genealogical Proof Standard is to conduct reasonably exhaustive research
- It's not feasible to visit every archive in every location where your ancestors lived and consult every possible book, manuscript, or other collections

Online Search Strategies

Don't head straight for the database search box

- Read the database descriptions
 - Places covered
 - Time periods covered
 - Completeness of records
- Make liberal use of a site's catalog (if it has one)
- Consult the wikis for help

Search Terms as Art

- Think first:
 - Location
 - Event (birth, marriage or death)
 - Time period (century, decade)
- Think second:
 - Name – use quotes to force the search for the entire name
 - Occupation (e.g. “soldier,” “minister”)
 - One-word modifiers

When Searching a Database

- “Less is More” when searching
- Look at the records before and after your target
- Seek the original; don’t trust the transcription (or indexing)
- Don’t expect to find everything for free

Use Wildcards

- Symbols used to replace or represent one or more characters
- ? = 1 character
- * = 1 or more characters
- Ex. To search for "Doherty", you can use some of the following variations:
 - Do*herthy
 - Do?herthy
 - Do*h*rty

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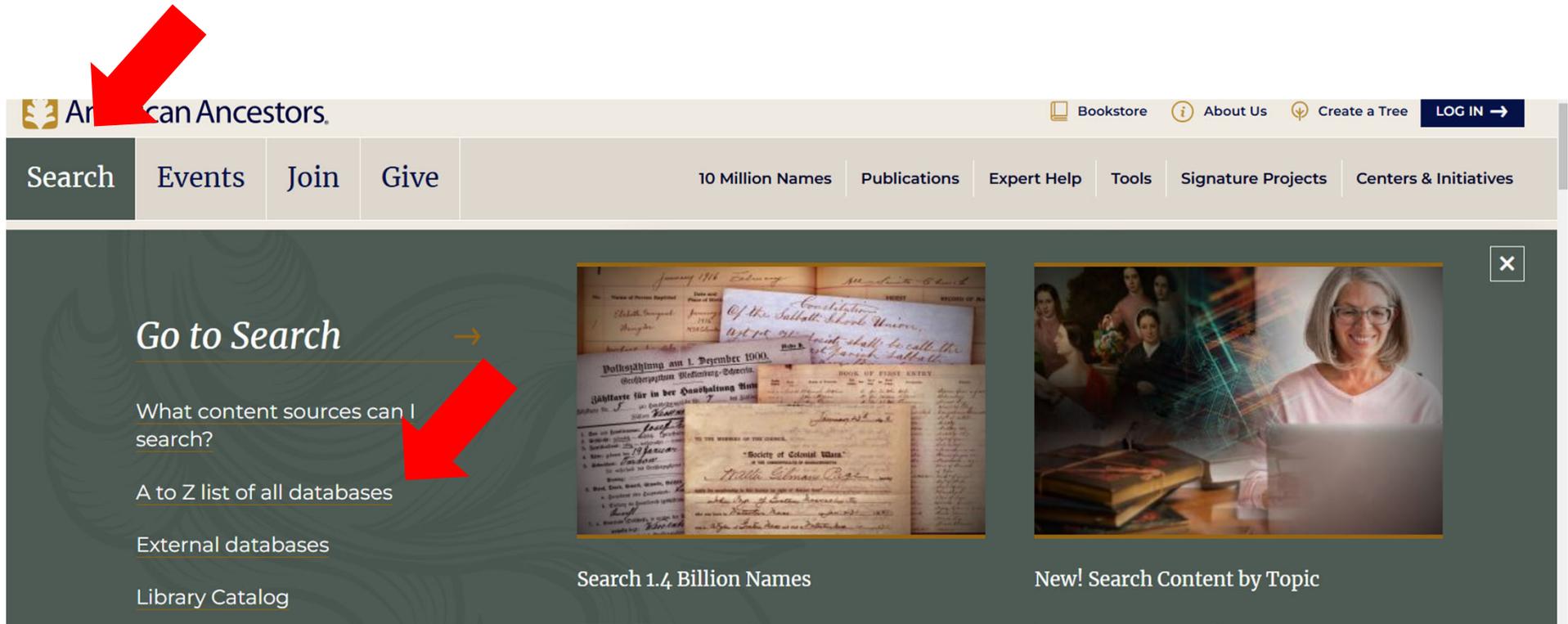


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Searching a Database by Name Only

Search Results

1 - 50 of 46542 records for Name: Henry Poor, Database: Massachusetts: Vital Records, 1620-1850

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Name	Events	Relationship
Henry POOR Massachusetts: Vital Records, 1620-1850 Vital Records (incl. Bible, Cemetery, Church and SSDI) View Image	BIRTH: 1769 LOCATION: Newbury, Essex, Massachusetts, United States TOWN PAGE: Newbury URL VOLUME: Newbury - V1 PAGE: 425 TEXT: Henry, s. Jonathan and Sarah, June 20, 1769.	

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- Massachusetts: Vital Records, 1841-1910 POOR William Henry (1873-)
- Massachusetts: Vital Records, 1620-1850 POOR Henry (1769-)
- Massachusetts: Vital Records, 1620-1850 POOR Henry (1753-)
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Fanny, d. Stephen and Hannah, Dec. 30, 1793.
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Hannah, d. Sam[ue]ll, jr. and Hannah, Jan. 11, 1714.
Hannah, d. Enoch, bp. Apr. 4, 1736. c. r. 3.
Hannah, d. Sam[ue]ll, jr. and Rebekah, Nov. 7, 1737.
Hannah, d. Henry, bp. Apr. 19, 1752. c. r. 5.
Hannah, d. John and Ednah, June 11, 1756.
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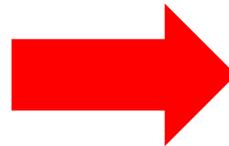
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 Hannah, d. Stephen and Hannah, Sept. 19, 1772.
 Hannah, d. Moses and Martha, Apr. 3, 1795.
 Hannah, d. John and Hannah, Mar. 25, 1818.
 Hannah, d. John and Hannah, Mar. 25, 1819.
 Hannah Adams, d. John, jr. and Hannah, Nov. 17, 1804.
 Harriet, d. John and Hannah, Aug. 27, 1815.
 Harriet Lunt, d. Jonathan and Polly, Nov. 5, 1813.
 Henry, s. Henry, Jan. 31, 1681.
 Henry, s. Jonathan and Sarah, June 20, 1769.
 Hephshibah, d. Samuell, bp. July 22, 1733. c. r. 5.
 Hiram Kelley, s. Eliphalet and Lydia, Mar. 12, 1837.
 Ira Worcester, s. Eliphalet and Lydia, June 23, 1835.
 Isaac, s. John and Lydia, Nov. 8, 1778.
 Jane, d. Joseph, jr. and Abigail, Apr. 14, 1734.
 Jeremiah, s. Jeremiah, bp. June 26, 1757. c. r. 5.
 Jeremiah, s. David and Mary, Jan. 14, 1810.
 Jeremy, s. Benjamin, bp. June 8, 1718. c. r. 5.
 John, s. Sam[ue]ll, jr. and Hanah, Mar. 6, 1708. [1709. dup.]
 John, s. Jonathan and Rebecca, June 20, 1711.
 John, s. Joseph, jr. and Abigail, Feb. 25, 1731.
 John, s. John and Mary, Feb. 23, 1740.
 John s. Cant Joseph bp. Dec. 3, 1775. c. r. 5.



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Database Search with Name, Record Type, and Location

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1 - 50 of 2478192 records for Name: Henry Poor, Location: Boston, Massachusetts, Record Type: Death (exact), Database: Massachusetts: Vital Records, 1841-1910

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<p>Henry POOR </p> <p>Massachusetts: Vital Records, 1841-1910</p> <p>Vital Records (incl. Bible, Cemetery, Church and SSDI)</p> <p>View Image</p>	<p>DEATH : 1892</p> <p>LOCATION : Boston, Suffolk, Massachusetts, United States</p> <p>AMENDED : N</p>	

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DEATHS registered in the City of Boston for the year, 1853. CLERK.

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NO.	DATE OF DEATH	NAME & SURNAME OF THE DECEASED.	AGE			PLACE OF DEATH	SEX AND CONDITION	OCCUPATION OF MALE OVER 15 YRS.	PLACE OF BIRTH.	NAMES OF PARENTS.	DISEASE OR CAUSE OF DEATH.
			Years	Months	Days						
67	13 67	John Garden	40	6	23	Boston	M. M.	Book & Shoe	Scotland	John & Margaret	Lung fever
7	7	John Clement	22			"	M. S.		Maurice		Consumption
81	81	William Dwyer	39			"	M. M.	Boatman	Boston		Drowned
91	91	Martin S. Burke	36			"	M. M.	Counsellor at Law	Boston	Pitt & Maria Jones	Erysipelas
101	101	James Gallagher	35			"	M. M.	Labourer	Ireland		Cancer
11	11	Ellen Murphy	26			"	M. S.		"	wife of Maurice	Consumption
121	121	Robert McFee	9			"	M. S.		Boston	Robert & Mary	Influenza of lungs
13	13	Mary E. Boyle	2			"	M. S.		"	Richard & Winifred	Croup
141	141	James Shaw	21			"	M. S.	Mariner	Ireland		Drowned
151	151	Cyrus E. Matthews	25			"	M. S.	Gracer	Wentworth	John & Mary	Influenza of lungs
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Henry POOR 

Massachusetts: Vital Records, 1620-1850

Vital Records (incl. Bible, Cemetery,
Church and SSDI)

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MARRIAGE : 1792

LOCATION : Newburyport, Essex,
Massachusetts, United
States

TOWN PAGE : [Newburyport](#)

URL

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TEXT : Henry, and Abigail
Johnson Huse, Aug. 23,
1792.*

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POOR, Anna, and Micajah Ingalls, July 28, 1792.*
Benjamin, and Mary Perley Dodge, Nov. 29, 1819.*
Benjamin H. [of Newbury. int.], and Sarah G. Garland, Jan. 22, 1840.*
Catharine, and Moses Sargent, Sept. 10, 1820.*
Catherine, and William Cook, Oct. 23, 1794.*
Charles, and Mary A. Thurlow of Newbury, int. June 27, 1846.
Clara, of Newbury, and George G. Plummer, int. Nov. 10, 1842.
Clarissa, and Moses Carter of Salisbury, Dec. 5, 1824.*
Hannah [of Newbury. int.], and John Prince, Oct. 10, 1794.*
Hannah, of Newbury, and Samuel England, int. Nov. 18, 1794.
Hannah, and Silas Plumer of Newbury, int. May 15, 1847.
Harriet L., of Newbury, and Tho[ma]s Huse, May 5, 1836.*
Henry, and Abigail Johnson Huse, Aug. 23, 1792.*
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Isaac, and Elizabeth Andrews Spiller, Dec. 25, 1809.*

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The search results section shows a search for "Suffolk" in a search box labeled "Search by database name". Below the search box, there are 40 databases listed. The "RESULTS per page" are set to 20. The list includes:

- Suffolk County, MA: Probate File Papers
- England: Suffolk County, Burials from Orford Parish Registers, 1638-1630
- Suffolk County, MA: Index to Probate Records, 1636-1893
- Suffolk County, MA: Index to Court of Common Pleas Cases, 1756-1776
- Thomas Boyden and His Descendants
- Boston Recorder and Telegraph: Marriages, 1827-1828
- Boston, MA: Births, 1800-1849
- Dorchester, MA: Deaths, 1732-1781

On the left side of the results, there are filter options for "SORT BY" (Most recent, A to Z Sort), "DATABASE" (all databases, only databases with images, only my favorite databases, only free databases, only exclusive databases), and "LOCATION" (United States (39), England (2)).

Two red arrows are overlaid on the image: one pointing to the search results table and another pointing to the "Suffolk County, MA: Index to Probate Records, 1636-1893" entry.

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Name	Events	Relationship
Henry POOR Suffolk County, MA: Index to Probate Records, 1636-1893 Court, Land and Probate Records View Image	PROBATE : 1892 RECORD LOCATION : Suffolk, Massachusetts, United States CASE TYPE : administration CASE NUMBER : 90014 VOLUME : Suffolk Probate Index V.3 PAGE : 46	
Henry W. POOR Suffolk County, MA: Index to Probate Records, 1636-1893 Court, Land and Probate Records View Image	PROBATE : 1864 RECORD LOCATION : Suffolk, Massachusetts, United States CASE TYPE : guardianship	

Record Not Found

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Place ×

Suffolk, Massachusetts, United States

Search For

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Availability

Any Online FamilySearch Center

SEARCH

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Results (105)

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Subject	Search Terms
United States, Massachusetts, Suffolk - Biography (5)	▼
United States, Massachusetts, Suffolk - Cemeteries (1)	▼
United States, Massachusetts, Suffolk - Correctional institutions (1)	▼
United States, Massachusetts, Suffolk - Court records (17)	▼
United States, Massachusetts, Suffolk - Court records - Indexes (2)	▼
United States, Massachusetts, Suffolk - Court records - Inventories, registers, catalogs (2)	▼
United States, Massachusetts, Suffolk - Description and travel - Guidebooks (1)	▼
United States, Massachusetts, Suffolk - Genealogy (4)	▼
United States, Massachusetts, Suffolk - Guardianship (1)	▼
United States, Massachusetts, Suffolk - History (4)	▼
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United States, Massachusetts, Suffolk - Land and property (14) ^

The book of possessions: William H. Whitmore, William S. Appleton, record commissioners	Author: Appleton, William S., 1840-1903	+ ADD
Early Suffolk Deeds: by John T. Hassam	Author: Hassam, John T, 1841-1903	+ ADD
Essex antiquarian Suffolk County deeds. Volume IV	Author: None Provided	+ ADD
Essex antiquarian Suffolk County deeds. Volume VII	Author: None Provided	+ ADD
Essex antiquarian Suffolk County deeds. Volume VIII	Author: None Provided	+ ADD
The historical collections of the Topsfield Historical Society Abstracts from Suffolk deeds, relating to early settlers in Topsfield	Author: None Provided	+ ADD
Land deed registers 1885-1900 (Suffolk County, Massachusetts)	Author: Suffolk County (Massachusetts). Register of Deeds	+ ADD
Partitions and executions, 1782-1910	Author: Massachusetts. Superior Court (Suffolk County)	+ ADD
Probate records, 1760-1870	Author: Massachusetts. Supreme Judicial Court (Suffolk County)	+ ADD
Records of deeds, 1639-1885; indexes to deeds, 1639-1920 	Author: Suffolk County (Massachusetts). Register of Deeds	+ ADD
Registers of deeds for the county of Suffolk, Massachusetts, 1735-1900: John Tyler Hassam	Author: Hassam, John T. 1841-1903  Feedback	+ ADD

Records of deeds, 1639-1885; indexes to deeds, 1639-1920

Authors	Suffolk County (Massachusetts). Register of Deeds (Added Corporate) Suffolk County (Massachusetts). Register of Deeds (Corporate)
Format	Microfilm 35mm
Language	English
Publication Date	1969
Publisher	Filmed by the Genealogical Society of Utah
Place of Publication	Salt Lake City, Utah
Physical	1128 microfilm reels ; 35 mm.
References	(Digital Collection) Massachusetts land records, 1620-1986

Notes

Includes indexes to grantors, 1639-1920; indexes to grantees, 1639-1920; and an index to persons other than grantors and grantees, 1639-1799.

Microfilm of original records in the Registry of Deeds, Boston Massachusetts.

[Massachusetts Land Records are available online, click here](#)

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Index-Grantor A-By v. 1-4, 1639-1799	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	579922	7453721	
Index-Grantor Ca-Dy v. 5-7, 1639-1799	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	579923	7453722	
Index-Grantor Ea-Gy v. 8-9, 1639-1799	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	579924	7453723	
Index-Grantor Ha-Ky v. 10-12 1639-1799	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	579925	7453724	
Index-Grantor La-Ox v. 13-15 1639-1799	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	579926	7453725	
Index-Grantor Pa-Ry v. 16-18 1639-1799	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	579927	7453726	
Index-Grantor Sa-US v. 19-21 1639-1799	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	579928	7453727	
Index-Grantor Va-Zu v. 22-23 1639-1799	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	579929	7453728	
Index-Grantor A-AI v. 1-4, 1800-1899	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	579930	7453729	

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Index-Grantor Phar-Polt v. 198-201 1800-1899	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	581277	7456116	
Index-Grantor Pome-Pren v. 202-204 1800-1899	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	581278	7460467	 
Index-Grantor Pres-Pytc v. 205-206 1800-1899	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	581279	7456117	
Index-Grantor Quac-Quro v. 207 1800-1899	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	581280	7456118	
Index-Grantor R-Rice v. 208-211 1800-1899	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	581281	7456119	
Index-Grantor Rice-Rits v. 212-215 1800-1899	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	581282	7456120	

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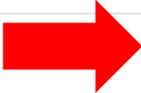
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Poor etc. continued

1850 July 6	Henry est.	Henry L. Hutchins	611	300	Church St. + sq.	
1858 Nov. 16	" "	Thomas Thompson	747	293	" "	
1865 Sept. 2	" sal	Frederick H. Simpson	863	127	Same as deed of F. H. Simpson of wendate	Mort.
1866 Mch. 17	" "	City of Boston	874	41	Congress + Williams St.	
May 7	" "	William Minot sal. Inc.	878	209	" St.	Mort.
Nov. 28	" "	Benjamin L. Beardman	889	312	" + Sister St.	
Dec. 8	" "	City of Boston	890	229	" St.	
" "	" "	same		230	Sister + Williams St.	
1867 Sept. 17	" "	Hicks + Leather Ins. Co.	907	157	Congress or Atkinson + Sister St.	Mort.
" "	" "	same		158	" " " St. near Williams St.	"
1871 Dec. 12	" "	Susan J. Kimball sal. Inc.	1083	50	" " " " + Matthews or Williams St. + Leather Sq.	Mort. or Sister St. Mort.
1872 Oct. 30	" "	Boston Penny Saver Bank	1132	94	" St. + Leather Sq.	"
1873 July 16	" "	City of Boston	1168	229	" + Matthews St.	
Dec. 15	" "	Susan J. Kimball sal. Inc.	1190	127	" " " " + Leather Sq.	Mort.
1874 Feb. 9	" "	Robert M. Mason	1197	121	" St. + Leather Sq.	Mort. in Trust
1880 Apr. 1	" est. sal	John O. Poor	1487	593	" + Matthews St. + Leather Sq.	
1889 Aug. 12	" sal est. sal	Anne Richards sal	1803	26	" St. Leather Sq.	

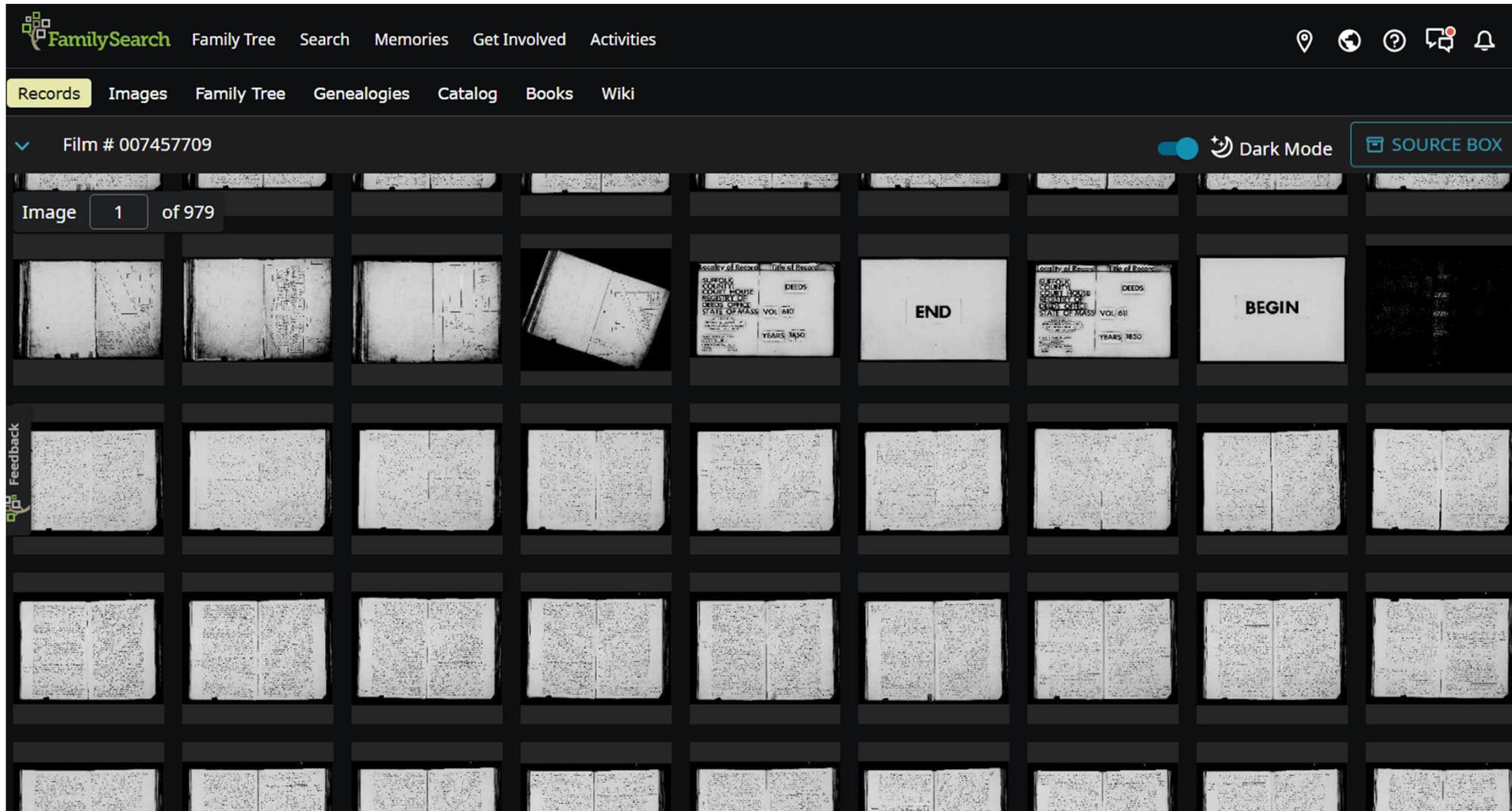
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Deeds v. 604-605 1849	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	589717	7457706	
Deeds v. 606-607 1849-1850	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	589718	7457707	
Deeds v. 608-609 1850	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	589719	7457708	
Deeds v. 610-612 1850	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	589720	7457709	 
Deeds v. 613-614 1850	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	589721	7457710	

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The following is ordered upon an original mortgage deed from Royal Richardson to Ephraim Bullinckel dated June 9th 1853 rec'd in Lib 547 p 281
 I, John Hancock of Boston, as Administrator of John Hancock Junior, Assignee of the within mortgage, do hereby authorize and empower Charles S. Hancock, Esq. in and in my name in said capacity to make entry and take possession of the within mortgage premises for breach of the condition of the mortgage for the purpose of foreclosing the same. Witness my hand this eighth day of June A.D. 1850. John Hancock Administrator. Witness Henry H. Weston July 5, 1850 at 13 minutes past 4 o'clock P.M. Received at Standard & Formed.

The following is also entered upon the same deed, aforesaid to in the Eastern of the preceding instrument. ———
 This certifies that on the twelfth day of June, in the year Eighteen hundred and fifty, A.D. the undersigned Sarah Thos S. Hancock, as the Attorney of John Hancock, Administrator, took possession of the within mortgage premises by making an open and peaceable entry thereon for breach of the condition of the mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same. I hadrach J. Brown, Sheriff of the County of Suffolk, ss July 1st 1850. Subscribed and sworn to by Benj. Rivers, Deput. Com. J. W. James, Jus. Peace. — Suffolk July 3rd 1850, subscribed and sworn to by J. Hadrach J. Brown, Deput. Com. J. W. James, Jus. Peace July 5, 1850 at 13 minutes past 4 o'clock P.M. Received at Standard & Formed.

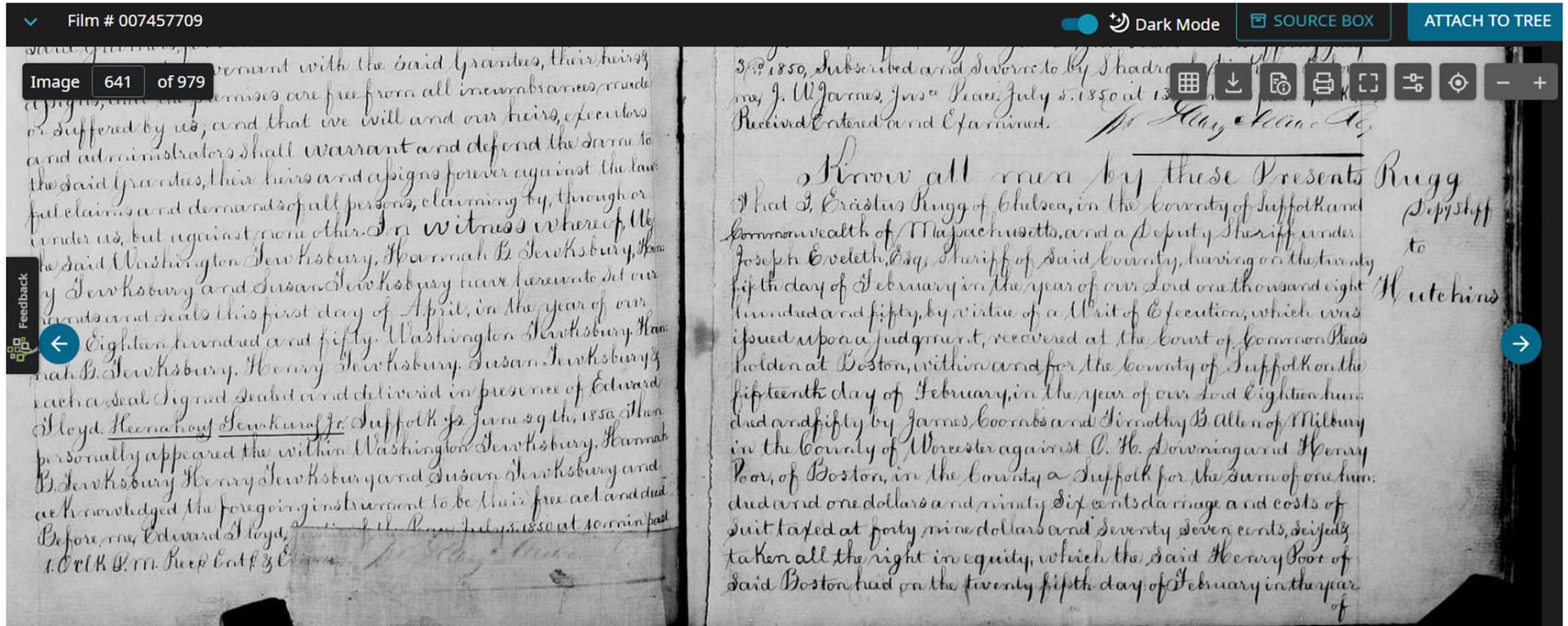
Know all men by these presents Rugg that E. Easton Rugg of Chelsea, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and a Deputy Sheriff under Joseph Coe Clerk, Esq. Sheriff of said County, having a certain

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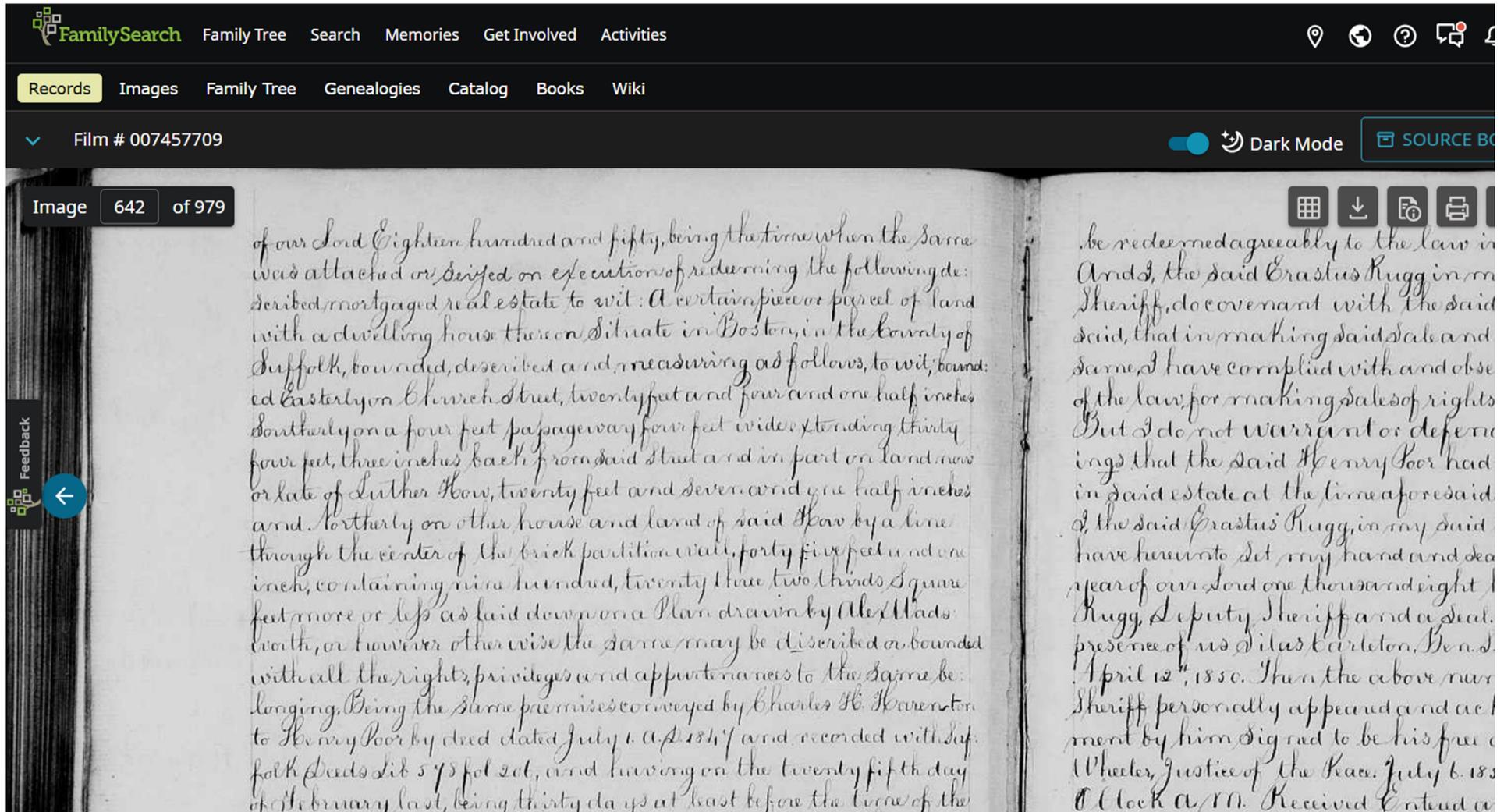
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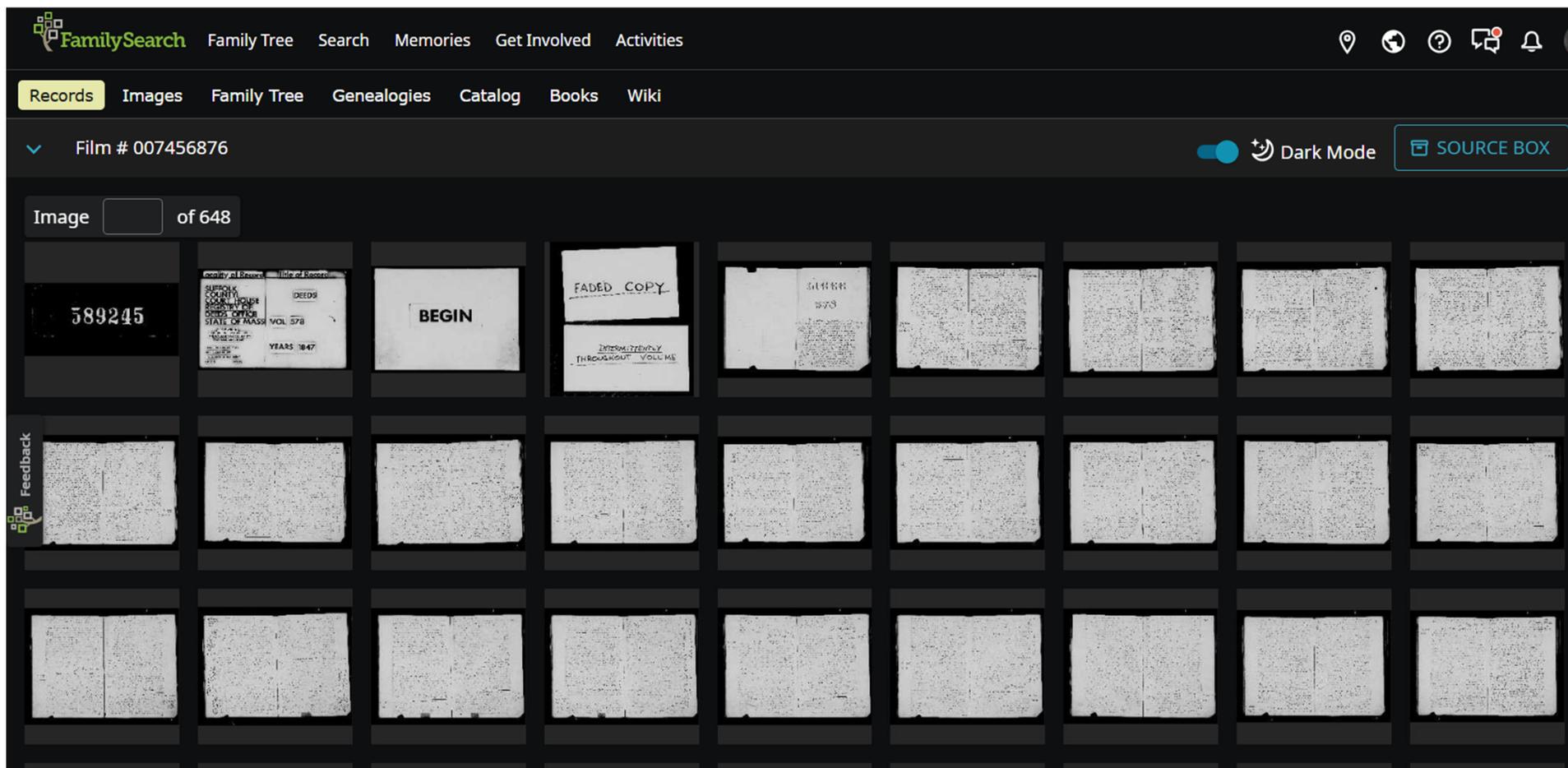
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Deeds v. 582-583 1847	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	589247	7457684	
Deeds v. 584-585 1847	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	589248	7457685	
Deeds v. 586-587 1847-1848	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	589249	7457686	
Deeds v. 588-589 1848	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	589250	7457687	
Deeds v. 590-592 1848	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	589251	7457688	
Deeds v. 593-595 1848	Granite Mountain Record Vault	United States & Canada Film	589712	7457701	



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The following release is endorsed on the preceding Instrument. Know all men by these Presents, That I, John Quincy Junior of Boston in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts Esquire the Mortgagee named in a certain Deed of Mortgage made to me by John Martin dated February 17, 1796 and recorded with Suffolk Deeds Book Vol 288, in consideration of one dollar to me paid by the City of Boston the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged do hereby sell release assign and transfer to said City of Boston all my right title interest and estate in and to the premises described in the foregoing Deed from John Martin to the City of Boston, it being however expressly understood that my right to retain the remainder of the Estate described in said Mortgage as security for the debt therein mentioned shall not be in any degree affected by this Release. To have and to hold the released premises to them the said City of Boston their successors and assigns to their use and behoof forever. In witness whereof I the said John Quincy Junior have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty sixth day of June in the year Eighteen hundred and forty seven John Quincy Jr. and a seal signed sealed and delivered in presence of Thomas Jackson. Commonwealth of Massachusetts Suffolk ss. Boston July 9. A. D. 1797. I the said John Quincy Junior personally appeared and acknowledged the foregoing Instrument to be his free act and deed before me John G. King Justice of the Peace July 13, 1797, at 2 o'clock P. M. Book 288 Deeds Entered and Examined

J. Quincy

Know all men by these Presents, That I have throughout its whole extent in common with others thereto legally entitled and the right of retaining through the drains as well laid out and repairing or replacing the same from time to time when necessary said all other the right easements privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging as now had used and enjoyed therewith being the same premises conveyed to me by Arthur Poor by Deed dated Jan 5. 1797. Recorded with Vol 288 and are hereby conveyed subject to a Mortgage by me made to Deborah Cadbury a Eight hundred Dollars (\$ 800) and the interest thereon accrued dated October 24, 1792 recorded with Vol 210, and which the said Poor is to assume and pay as his own debt and for ever exercise and enjoy his hereditors and assigns thereof the same form any part of the above considerations To have and to hold the above granted premises to the said Arthur Poor his heirs and assigns to his and their use and behoof forever And I the said Charles C. Havenham for myself and my heirs executors and administrators do covenant with the said Arthur Poor his heirs and assigns that I am lawfully seized in fee simple of the above granted premises that they are free from all incumbrances except said Mortgage that I have good right to sell and convey the same to the said Arthur Poor his heirs and assigns forever without as appraised, and that I will and my heirs executors and administrators shall warrant and defend the same to the said Poor his heirs and assigns forever against the lawful claims and demands of all persons except those claiming under the said Mortgage. In

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H. Harenton of East Cambridge in the County of Middlesex and State
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lars to me paid by Henry Poor of Boston in the County of Suffolk and
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hereby acknowledged do hereby give grant bargain sell and convey-
unto the said Henry Poor his heirs and assigns forever all that Lot of
Land with the dwelling House thereon in said Boston bounded Easterly
on Church Street Twenty feet four and a quarter inches Southerly on a
passageway four feet wide extending thirty four feet three inches back-
from said Street and in part on land of Horne forty five feet one inch
Westerly on land now or late of Luther Horne twenty feet seven and an
half inches and Northerly on other House and Land of said Horne by
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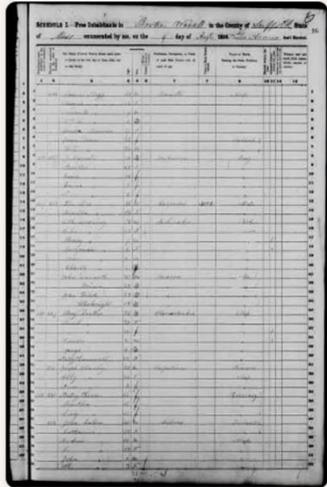
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H Poor

in the 1850 United States Federal Census

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Detail	Source
Name	H Poor
Gender	Male
Race	White
Residence Age	80
Birth Date	abt 1770
Birthplace	Massachusetts
Residence Date	1850
Home in 1850	Boston Ward 11, Suffolk, Massachusetts, USA
Occupation	Carpenter
Industry	Construction
Real Estate	3000
Line Number	13



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 U.S., Find a Grave® Index, 1600s-Current
 Henry Poor
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9			Martha	42	f									9
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13	124	229	H. Poor	40	m		Carpenter	3000	Mass					13
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15			B.H. Downing	31	m		Sashmaker		Mass					15
16			C.D.	25	f				Mass					16
17			Henry	7	m						1			17
18			Georgiana	5	f						1			18
19			John	2	m									19
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21			John Dennett	30	m		Mason		Mass					21
22			Minnie	25	f									22
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Born: 1769

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H Poor

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Residence Date	1840
Home in 1840 (City, County, State)	Boston Ward 10, Suffolk, Massachusetts
Free White Persons - Males - 20 thru 29	2
Free White Persons - Males - 70 thru 79	1
Free White Persons - Females - 15 thru 19	1
Free White Persons - Females - 20 thru 29	1
Free White Persons - Females - 30 thru 39	3
Free White Persons - Females - 50 thru 59	1
Persons Employed in Manufacture and Trade	1



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Ballymena, Antrim, Northern Ireland, Headstone Inscriptions, 1671-1996	Birth, Marriage & Death	10,193	NEW
Opole, Poland, Death Cards of the Jewish Population, 1940-1949 (in Polish)	Birth, Marriage & Death	4,606	NEW
Germany, Incarceration Documents, 1933-1945 (in German)	Court, Land, Wills & Financial	7,556,413	NEW
Harrison County, Indiana, U.S., Enumeration Records of White and Colored Males, 1854-1863	Census & Voter Lists	61	NEW
South Australia, Australia, Country Business Directory, 1952-1953	Directories & Member Lists	15,261	NEW
1921 Wales Census	Census & Voter Lists	2,692,705	NEW
1921 Isle of Man Census	Census & Voter Lists	60,387	NEW
1921 England Census	Census & Voter Lists	35,582,351	NEW
1921 Channel Islands Census	Census & Voter Lists	90,127	NEW

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Title	Category	Records
U.S., Index to Public Records, 1994-2019	Directories & Member Lists	330,830,873
U.S., City Directories, 1822-1995	Directories & Member Lists	1,385,584,997
U.S., Public Records Index, 1950-1993, Volume 1	Directories & Member Lists	418,676,052
U.S., Public Records Index, 1950-1993, Volume 2	Directories & Member Lists	402,455,526
Maine, U.S., City Directories	Directories & Member Lists	170,315
Vermont, U.S., City Directories	Directories & Member Lists	41,723
New Hampshire, U.S., City Directories	Directories & Member Lists	102,687
Connecticut, U.S., City Directories	Directories & Member Lists	666,326
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All U.S., City Directories, 1822-1995 results for Henry Poor

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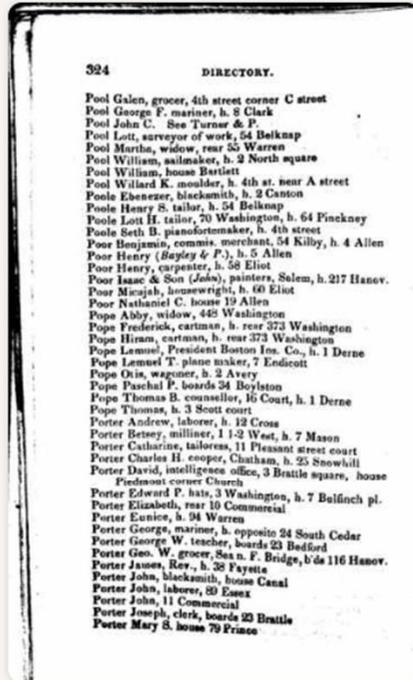
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Henry Poor

in the U.S., City Directories, 1822-1995



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Detail	Source
Name	Henry Poor
Residence Year	1839
Street Address	58 Eliot
Residence Place	Boston, Massachusetts, USA
Occupation	Carpenter
Publication Title	Boston, Massachusetts, City Directory, 1839

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Henry Poor, 1839, City Directory, Ancestry.com

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Pool John C. See Turner & P.
Pool Lott, surveyor of work, 54 Belknap
Pool Martha, widow, rear 55 Warren
Pool William, sailmaker, h. 2 North square
Pool William, house Bartlett
Pool Willard K. moulder, h. 4th st. near A street
Poole Ebenezer, blacksmith, h. 2 Canton
Poole Henry S. tailor, h. 54 Belknap
Poole Lott H. tailor, 70 Washington, h. 64 Pinckney
Poole Seth B. pianofortemaker, h. 4th street
Poor Benjamin, commis. merchant, 54 Kilby, h. 4 Allen
Poor Henry (*Bayley & P.*), h. 5 Allen
Poor Henry, carpenter, h. 58 Eliot
Poor Isaac & Son (*John*), painters, Salem, h. 217 Hanov.
Poor Micajah, housewright, h. 60 Eliot
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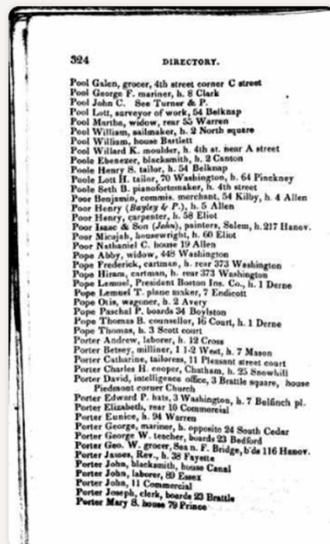
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Detail Source

Name	Henry Poor
Home in 1830 (City, County, State)	Boston Ward 11, Suffolk, Massachusetts
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Free White Persons - Females - 5 thru 9	1
Free White Persons - Females - 15 thru 19	2
Free White Persons - Females - 40 thru 49	1
Free White Persons - Under 20	3



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Spouses



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1783-1858 (m. 1823)



Abigail Johnson Huse Poor
1772-1821

Siblings



John Poor
1764-1764



Lieut Samuel Poor
1765-1849



Abigail Poor
1772-1774



Abigail Poor Plumer
1775-1859



Jonathan Poor
1778-1852

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