

# Researching Upstate New York

## *Class 2: Finding Your New York Ancestors in the 19th Century*

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# OVERVIEW

- **Presentation (60 mins.)**
  - Locating NY Vital Records
  - Using the New York State Census
  - Church records as VR substitutes
  - Other VR Substitutes
- **Q&A (30 mins.)**

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Enumeration of the Inhabitants of Block No. X, Election District No. 1, Ward No. 2, City or Village Phaca, State of New York, June 1, 1915.  
 Enumerator: Fred S. Bond

NAME	RELATION	COLOR, SEX AND AGE		NATIVITY	CITIZENSHIP	OCCUPATION		POOR INFANTS OF DISTRICT UNDER ONE YEAR OF AGE
		Color	Sex			Age	Trade, profession, or kind of work done by each person enumerated.	
207 Sulard Blanche J. daughter	Wife	F	7	U.S.	at	School	X	
207 Sulard Carl E. son	Head	M	17	U.S.	at	School	X	
209 Phillips John T. head	Head	M	34	U.S.	at	Submarine (Army)	X	
209 Hastings Elizabeth F. wife	Wife	F	23	U.S.	at	House work	X	
209 Hastings Francis M. son	Son	M	10 mos	U.S.	at	X	X	102 Washington St
415 Champion Emma M. head	Head	F	33	U.S.	at	House work	X	
415 Champion Lee W. son	Son	M	21	U.S.	at	Book & cigar work	X	
415 Champion Donald K. son	Son	M	20	U.S.	at	Book & cigar work	X	
415 Marsh Sarah C. mother	Wife	F	2	U.S.	at	X	X	
411 Pennington Emma P. head	Head	M	24	U.S.	at	Submarine (Army)	X	
405 Fletcher Jerry H. head	Head	M	33	U.S.	at	Janitor	X	
405 Fletcher Edith J. wife	Wife	F	27	U.S.	at	House work	X	
420 Lewis David son	Son	M	10	U.S.	at	Wagon (Horse)	X	
218 Vance William B. head	Head	M	14	U.S.	at	X	X	
218 Vance Helen A. wife	Wife	F	13	U.S.	at	X	X	
411 Vance Roger E. son-in-law	Son-in-law	M	3	U.S.	at	House work	X	
411 Vance Charles W. head	Head	M	27	U.S.	at	Engineer	X	
411 Vance Edith M. daughter	Daughter	F	14	U.S.	at	School	X	
411 Vance Ruth H. daughter	Daughter	F	12	U.S.	at	School	X	
411 Vance Vera B. daughter	Daughter	F	7	U.S.	at	House work	X	
401 Van Dusen Charles B. head	Head	M	41	U.S.	at	Photographer	X	
401 Van Dusen Jennie S. wife	Wife	F	37	U.S.	at	Photographer	X	
407 Bondelinda E. head	Head	M	23	U.S.	at	House work	X	
407 Bondelinda Francis J. son	Son	M	6	U.S.	at	X	X	
407 Bondelinda Ethel E. daughter	Daughter	F	4	U.S.	at	X	X	
206 Putman John C. head	Head	M	38	U.S.	at	Submarine (Army)	X	
206 Putman Louise B. wife	Wife	F	33	U.S.	at	Substudy	X	
206 Putman Lucy D. daughter	Daughter	F	10	U.S.	at	School	X	
206 Putman Helen E. daughter	Daughter	F	7	U.S.	at	School	X	
206 Swick Ethel C. daughter	Daughter	F	30	U.S.	at	Substudy	X	
212 Tucker William A. head	Head	M	42	U.S.	at	Janitor	X	
212 Tucker Helen A. wife	Wife	F	4	U.S.	at	House work	X	
212 Tucker Peter G. son	Son	M	7	U.S.	at	School	X	advised
210 Tucker William A. head	Head	M	37	U.S.	at	House work	X	

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		Color	Sex			Age	Trade, profession, or kind of work done by each person enumerated.	
110 Cook Floyd L. head	Head	M	70	U.S.	at	X	X	
110 Cook Frank son	Son	M	30	U.S.	at	Janitor	X	
110 Cook John M. son	Son	M	30	U.S.	at	Janitor	X	
112 Hanchins Robert B. head	Head	M	40	U.S.	at	Janitor	X	
112 Hanchins Willie L. wife	Wife	F	37	U.S.	at	House work	X	
112 Hanchins Lydia S. daughter	Daughter	F	12	U.S.	at	School	X	
112 Hanchins Emma J. daughter	Daughter	F	10	U.S.	at	School	X	
112 Hanchins Ruth L. daughter	Daughter	F	12	U.S.	at	X	X	
112 Fisher William H. son-in-law	Son-in-law	M	44	U.S.	at	Janitor	X	
112 Fisher Mary F. wife	Wife	F	70	U.S.	at	House work	X	
112 Hanchins Joseph son	Son	M	17	U.S.	at	School	X	
112 Hanchins John son	Son	M	70	U.S.	at	School	X	
112 Johnson Cass son	Son	M	30	U.S.	at	Janitor	X	
112 Johnson Lena M. daughter	Daughter	F	35	U.S.	at	House work	X	
118 Fisher Robert F. head	Head	M	36	U.S.	at	Photographer	X	
118 Fisher Mary J. wife	Wife	F	30	U.S.	at	House work	X	
118 Fisher Alexander J. son	Son	M	10	U.S.	at	School	X	
118 Fisher Alexander H. son	Son	M	5	U.S.	at	X	X	
118 Fisher Charlotte M. daughter	Daughter	F	2	U.S.	at	X	X	
122 Robinson Henry head	Head	M	60	U.S.	at	Submarine	X	
122 Robinson Willie wife	Wife	F	38	U.S.	at	House work	X	
124 Brown Ernest head	Head	M	38	U.S.	at	Submarine	X	
124 Brown Emma G. wife	Wife	F	34	U.S.	at	House work	X	
124 Brown Maria M. daughter	Daughter	F	10	U.S.	at	House work	X	
124 Siskela John head	Head	M	30	U.S.	at	Wagon	X	
124 Siskela Catherine S. wife	Wife	F	27	U.S.	at	House work	X	
124 Siskela Anthony J. son	Son	M	7	U.S.	at	School	X	
124 Siskela William C. son	Son	M	2	U.S.	at	X	X	
124 Siskela Clara M. daughter	Daughter	F	7	U.S.	at	X	X	
124 Sims James M. son	Son	M	20	U.S.	at	House work	X	
124 Wilson Henry J. head	Head	M	35	U.S.	at	Janitor	X	
124 Wilson Charles E. wife	Wife	F	33	U.S.	at	House work	X	
124 Davis Charles E. son	Son	M	14	U.S.	at	Wagon	X	
124 North Albert son	Son	M	24	U.S.	at	Submarine	X	
134 Kramer Carl W. head	Head	M	37	U.S.	at	Janitor	X	
134 Kramer Anna C. wife	Wife	F	31	U.S.	at	House work	X	
134 Ayres Lora daughter	Daughter	F	25	U.S.	at	X	X	
136 Swick Maden J. head	Head	M	32	U.S.	at	Janitor	X	
136 Swick Leah C. wife	Wife	F	43	U.S.	at	House work	X	
136 Swick Edwin J. son	Son	M	1	U.S.	at	Submarine	X	
136 Swick Ruth M. daughter	Daughter	F	6	U.S.	at	X	X	
136 Simon William H. son	Son	M	31	U.S.	at	Submarine	X	
136 King Elmer son	Son	M	30	U.S.	at	Wagon	X	
211 King Estlin M. head	Head	M	44	U.S.	at	Wagon	X	
211 King Gertrude H. daughter	Daughter	F	21	U.S.	at	House work	X	
211 King Ethel M. daughter	Daughter	F	17	U.S.	at	House work	X	
211 King Julia S. daughter	Daughter	F	15	U.S.	at	House work	X	
209 Bobrook Alfred H. head	Head	M	43	U.S.	at	Janitor	X	
209 Bobrook William A. son	Son	M	21	U.S.	at	House work	X	



Voice of  
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# Civil Registration

- 1880- New York created a State Board of Health and established a Vital Records division
  - Birth, marriages, and deaths reported to town or city clerk (3 days)
  - Clerk created a copy of each vital record and forwarded the original to State.
- 1888- An addendum established penalties for those who failed to report vital events

# New York Vital Records

	<b>Birth</b>	<b>Marriage</b>	<b>Death</b>
Earliest	1847	1847	1847
Statewide Registration	1880	1880	1880
General Compliance	1890	1890	1890

# New York State Resources

- Vital Records indices:
  - New York State Archives (Albany, N.Y.)
  - National Archives Northeast Region (NYC)
  - Onondaga County Public Library (Syracuse)
  - Internet Archive (Reclaim the Records, browseable)
  - FamilySearch (death index only, searchable)
- Marriage bonds and licenses:
  - *New York Marriages Previous to 1784*
  - *New York Marriage Bonds 1753–1783*
- Transcriptions of substitutes:
  - Gertrude Audrey Barber
  - Fred Q. Bowman
  - *Tree Talks*

The screenshot shows the Internet Archive website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the Internet Archive logo, a '25' anniversary banner, and various icons for different media types. To the right of the navigation bar are links for 'SIGN UP | LOG IN', 'UPLOAD', and a search box. Below the navigation bar is a secondary menu with links for 'ABOUT', 'BLOG', 'PROJECTS', 'HELP', 'DONATE', 'CONTACT', 'JOBS', 'VOLUNTEER', and 'PEOPLE'. The main content area features the 'New York State Birth Index' title, a 'Reclaim The Records' logo, and a paragraph explaining that the data was obtained through a FOIL request. To the right of the title are social sharing options for 'Share', 'Favorite', and 'RSS'. Below the title are two tabs: 'ABOUT' and 'COLLECTION', with 'COLLECTION' being the active tab. The collection page shows '62 RESULTS' and a search box for the collection. There are filter options for 'Metadata' (selected) and 'Text contents'. A 'Part Of' section lists 'Reclaim The Records' and 'Genealogy'. The main display area has an alphabetical index (A-Z) and a 'SORT BY' dropdown menu. Below these are five thumbnail images of birth index pages, with the first three showing the words 'BIRTH' and the years '1881', '1883', and '1884' respectively.

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1881

Abbott	Georgianna	22 Sep	Unionville	4045
Abeel	M	14 Nov	Saugerties	5318
Abel	Anna	18 Dec	---	6202
Aberharl	F	1 Feb	New Lots	252
Able	F	23 Feb	Ulysses	434
Abrams	M	13 Aug	Canarsie	2879
	M	7 Feb	New Lots	291
	anna	19 Aug	Westville	3053
	Charles	17 Aug	Kingston	3009
	Edna	21 Mar	Haverstraw	678
	Emma	5 Nov	Hempstead	5099
Ackeley	F	14 Jul	Hempstead	2137
A cker	M	22 Apr	Peekskill	951
	M			
Adams	Annie	11 Dec	Germantown	6047
	Carl D.	1 Oct	Nyack	4290
	Elisabeth	8 Jul	Cohocton	1992
	Ella	28 Oct	Marbletown	4911
	Ida M.	26 Jul	Deerpark	2421
	Lavinia	14 Jun	Hurley	1597
	Mary	31 Dec	Waterford	6554
	Rodney B.	11 Jul	Trumansburg	2030
	William H.	13 Dec	Haverstraw	6087
Adanson	F	19 A pr	---	924
	William H.	12 Dec	Lake George	6075
Addis	F	15 Oct	Accord	4622
	M	11 Oct	Accord	4522

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New York State Birth Index - 1881



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DEATH INDEX  
1895

Deegan Sarah 17 Dec Saratoga Spgs. 14381	Deegan Christie 15 Apr Troy 38735
Deeker Isaac 5 Jun Letanna Spgs. 40553	Elies 3 Jun Tompkins Cove 40653
Deely Kate A. 8 Mar Niles 27499	John J. 3 Jun Tompkins Cove 40403
Deeney Ellen 7 Aug Warsaw 48656	Joseph 5 Oct Tompkinsville 5043
Deennan Mary 8 Apr Gloversville 32533	Madeline 15 Sep Mt. Vernon N.Y. 3147
Deering F Inf 13 Mar Albion 38037	Mary 11 Apr Grab Bendor 38969
Elizabeth 28 Apr Binghamton 38487	Emma 28 May Goshen 38587
Henry 9 Nov Albion 38223	Jennie 30 Apr Po'Keepsie 38769
John T. 2 Feb Oneida 31366	Niles 8 May Po'Keepsie 38554
Sandorf Edna A. 17 Jan Troy 18908	William 16 Apr 38815

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Information

Name	Death Date	Death Place	Entry Number
Emma Degarmo	22 May 1895	Goshen, Orange, New York, United States	38687

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# Genealogical Copies

<b>Birth</b>	Name at Birth	
	Date of Birth	State File Number
	Place of Birth	
	Father's Name	
	Mother's Maiden Name	
<b>Marriage</b>	Name of Bride	
	Name of Groom	
	Date of Marriage	State File Number
	Place of Marriage and/or License	
<b>Death</b>	Name at Death	
	Date of Death	Age at Death
	Place of Death	
	Names of Parents	
	Name of Spouse	
State File Number		

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New York State Department of Health  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS  
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH  
STATE OF NEW YORK

1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Chambers  
Town Elmira  
Village \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ (No. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_)

2 FULL NAME Elizabeth Miller

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Widowed

6 DATE OF BIRTH July 10, 1899 7 AGE 20 10 DATE OF DEATH July 22, 1914

8 OCCUPATION None 9 I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ 1914, that I last saw him alive \_\_\_\_\_ 1914, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_, N.Y. The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows: Diphtheria

10 NAME OF FATHER Clark K. Davis 11 BIRTH PLACE OF FATHER Connecticut  
12 NAME OF MOTHER Phelimia Frankler 13 BIRTH PLACE OF MOTHER New York

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
Subscribed Donald C. Davis  
(Address) Elmira, N.Y.

16 FILED July 11, 1914 BY Harry K. Smith REGISTRAR  
Funeral or Permit issued by J. P. Crowell Date of issue July 15, 1914

17 PLACE OF BURIAL Woodlawn 18 STATE OF BURIAL NY  
UNDERTAKER C. P. Davis ADDRESS Sorleyville

# Can I order a copy?

- Birth Records
  - 75 years
  - Person is known to be deceased
- Marriage Records
  - 50 years
  - Both spouses known to be deceased
- Death Records
  - 50 years

# Pre-1880 Records

- 1664- "The Minister or Town Clark of every parrish shall well and truly and plainly Record all Births Marriages and Burials that shall happen within his Respective parrish, in a Book to be provided by the Churchwardener for that purpose."
- 1847- National Medical Convention in Philadelphia encourage statewide registration of births, marriages, and deaths via legislation from the individual states. New passed a law (Chapter 152) requiring the registration of vital events.

# New York Cities with Early VRs

City	Year
Albany	1870
Brooklyn	1866 (births), 1847 (deaths)
Buffalo	1878
New York	1847 (births), 1801 (deaths)
Rochester	1875
Syracuse	1873
Utica	1873
Yonkers	1875

# Vital Records Substitutes

- Federal and State Census Records
- City Directories
- Newspapers
- Bible Records
- Church Records
- Pension Records
- Land Records
- Probate Records
- Cemetery Records
- Local Histories

# Census Records

# Federal Non-Population and Special Schedules

- Agricultural Schedules (1850-1880)
- Defective, Dependent, and Delinquent Classes (1880)
- Industry and Manufacturing Schedules (1820, 1850-1880)
- Mortality Schedules (1850-1880)
- Social Statistics Schedules (1850-1870)
- Union Veterans and Widows Schedules (1890)
- Special Census on Deaf Family Marriages and Hearing Relatives (1888-1895)
- And many others...

# Mortality Schedules



- Name of the deceased person
- Taken in 1850, 1860, 1870, and 1880
- Age, race, gender, cause of death, and occupation also included
- Died between 1 June (of the previous year) and 31 May (of the census year)

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Know your census days!



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### Coming Soon!



Ronald Reagan was born February 6, 1911.

Return next month to learn more about our 40th president on his 110th birthday using census data and records.

### Firefighters



A January 1921 fire at the U.S. Department of Commerce destroyed the majority of 1890 Census schedules. Had it not been for Washington, DC's brave firefighters, the damage to millions of census records from other decades stored nearby could have been catastrophic.

One year earlier, the

### U.S. Census Bureau History: 1890 Census Fire

One hundred years ago this month, a fire at the [U.S. Department of Commerce building](#) in Washington, DC, destroyed the majority of the population schedules from the [1890 Census](#). The fire left an enormous gap in many families' genealogical record. Although alternative records may provide some information, the loss of the 1890 Census schedules remains an insurmountable obstacle for many researchers attempting to trace families between the 1880 and 1900 censuses.

Late in the afternoon on [January 10, 1921](#), employees at the Department of Commerce's headquarters finished their work and left for home. As the building emptied, watchmen were roaming the halls and empty offices when one of them noticed the first wisp of smoke rising from the floor at about 5:00 p.m. Staff contacted the fire department while one of the watchman took an elevator to investigate the building's basement. When the doors opened, he was forced back by dense smoke. Escaping the basement, he activated the building's fire alarm to evacuate any remaining employees from the building. The first fire crews arrived at about 5:30 p.m. Despite the heavy black smoke, crews entered the basement and began pouring thousands of gallons of water into the blazing rooms. One floor above, colleagues cut holes in the floor to flood the basement with even more water. Firefighters extinguished the flames by 9:45 p.m., but continued to douse hot spots until 10:30 p.m.

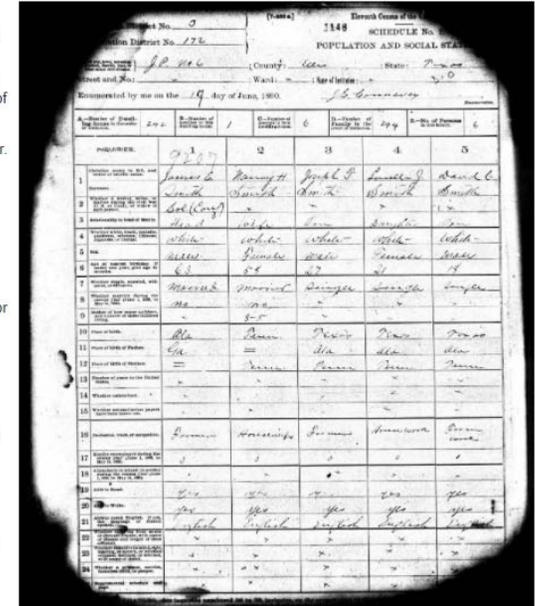
The next morning U.S. Census Bureau director [Samuel Rogers](#) arrived to assess the damage. Before the fire, wooden shelves stacked with the volumes containing millions of [1890 Census schedules](#) filled the basement. After the fire, Rogers stood in ankle-deep water amidst heaps of charred and water-soaked mounds of paper. Luckily, a fireproof vault in the basement survived the fire and firefighters' assault on the flames. Although water breached the vault door, most of the 1830, 1840, 1880, 1900, and 1910 Census records contained inside remained undamaged. Of the 8,919 volumes in the vault that sustained damage, 7,957 were from the 1910 Census. Rogers reported these records could be dried or transcribed to new volumes. Rogers initially expected many of the 1890 schedules would survive, but time was not on the side of the archivists charged with saving the fragile paper that continued to deteriorate in moldering piles for months after the fire.

By May 1921, staff had moved the fire- and water-damaged volumes to temporary storage, but the paper continued to decay. That month, newly installed Census Bureau Director [William Mott Steuart](#) instructed agency employees to attempt to save and organize as many of the 1890 schedules as possible. Their attempt preserved a small number of the [surviving 1890 Census schedules](#). In December 1932, the Census Bureau reported to the Librarian of Congress that the unsalvageable schedules should be destroyed. Congress authorized their disposal on February 21, 1933.

An investigation never conclusively determined the cause of the [1921 fire](#). Potential sources of ignition included the careless disposal of a cigarette or match, faulty wiring, and the spontaneous combustion of sawdust in the building's workshops.

Although most of the 1890 Census records have been lost, you can still learn a lot about the United States and its inhabitants using census data and [other genealogical records](#). For example:

- When the 1890 Census was collected as of [June 1, 1890](#), the U.S. population was [62,979,766](#)—a 25.5 percent increase from [1880](#). The population would grow 21 percent more by 1900, reaching [76,212,168](#), and increase another 21 percent to top [92.2 million](#) in 1910.
- For the first time in 1890, census takers enumerated each household on its own schedule. The [1890 Census questionnaire](#) collected more information than any census before it, including [inquiries](#) about each household or household members' address, name, age, sex, and race; marital status; number of children born and surviving; parents' place of birth; whether a naturalized citizen; profession/trade; months unemployed during the census year; and literacy. New inquiries included those about ownership and indebtedness of farms and homes and detailed military service questions. The race question expanded to include "Japanese" for the first time with "White," "Chinese," "Negro," "Mulatto," "Quadroon," and "Octoroon." More than [46,000](#) enumerators carried [instructions](#) that provided guidelines for conducting the interview, recording acceptable responses, and the use of appropriate abbreviations.
- Archivist only managed to save a small fraction of the total number of [1890 Census schedules](#) after the [1921 fire](#). [Three rolls of microfilm](#) contain the surviving schedules and schedule fragments as follows:
  - Roll 1: Perry County, Alabama (Perryville Beat No. 11 and Severe Beat No. 8) [fragments 1-455].
  - Roll 2: District of Columbia. Q, 13th, 14th, R, Q, Corcoran, 15th, S, R, and Riggs Streets, Johnson Avenue, and S Street [fragments 456-781].



A January 10, 1921, fire in the basement of the [U.S. Department of Commerce building](#) in Washington, DC, destroyed the majority of 1890 Census records. Despite attempts to salvage burned and water-logged volumes in the months after the fire, most could not be saved, and were moved into storage where they continued to deteriorate. Only a fraction of schedules (like this one from Ellis City, TX, survived).

Congress authorized the remaining unsalvageable records be destroyed in February 1933.

Photo courtesy of the National Archives and Records Administration.

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# 1860-Elbridge, New York

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**SCHEDULE 3.—Persons who Died during the Year ending 1st June, 1860, in Elbridge in the County of Crown Point State of N. Y., enumerated by me, S. H. Crooks Ass't Marshal.** 05

NAME OF EVERY PERSON WHO DIED during the year ending 1st June, 1860, whose usual place of abode at the time of death was in this family.	DESCRIPTION.					PLACE OF BIRTH, Naming the State, Territory, or Country.	THE MONTH in which the person died.	PROFESSION, OCCUPATION, OR TRADE.	DISEASE OR CAUSE OF DEATH.	NUMBER OF DAYS ILL.
	Age.	Sex.	White, black, or mulatto.	Free or slave.	Married or widowed.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1 James Dixon	12	M				N. Y.	Oct.		Inflammation of brain	14 days
2 Sally Swinn	11	F				" "	Jan.		Consumption	6 m
3 Rhoda Campbell	78	F			M	" "	June		Congestion of the Lungs	10 days
4 Laura J. Gorham	37	F			M	" "	May	X	Nervous Debility	6 years
5 John Flynn	1	M				" "	Feb.		Croup	1 day
6 Lewis "	12	M				" "	Dec.		Erysipelas	12 "
7 Cynthia De Waters	66	F			M	" "	Aug.		Dropsical Consumption	8 m
8 Betsey Gorham	37	F			M	" "	Dec.		Consumption	1 year
9 " "										

# New York State Censuses

- 1825
- 1835
- 1845
- 1855
- 1865
- 1875
- 1892

YEAR(S)	Information Provided		
1825, 1835	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Name of head of family</li> <li>• Number of males</li> <li>• Number of females</li> <li>• Males subject to militia duty (aged 18 to 45)</li> <li>• Males, eligible to vote</li> <li>• Males, not naturalized</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Paupers</li> <li>• Colored not taxed</li> <li>• Colored taxed</li> <li>• Colored taxed and eligible to vote (for state and county officers)</li> <li>• Married females under 45</li> <li>• Unmarried females (aged 16 to 45)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Unmarried females under 16</li> <li>• Marriages in the previous year</li> <li>• Births in the previous year</li> <li>• Deaths in the previous year</li> <li>• Acres of improved land, animals, and machinery</li> <li>• Deaf and dumb, idiots, and lunatics</li> </ul>
1845	<i>Same as previous census years, plus:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Persons born in NY State; New England; any other state; Mexico or South America; Great Britain; France; Germany; Europe (other)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Children aged of 5 to 16</li> <li>• Children attending common schools</li> <li>• Children attending private or select incorporated schools</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Children attending academies or unincorporated seminaries</li> <li>• Children attending colleges and universities</li> </ul>
1855, 1875	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dwelling numbered by visitation</li> <li>• Building material of dwelling</li> <li>• Value</li> <li>• Family numbered in order of visitation</li> <li>• Name</li> <li>• Age</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sex</li> <li>• Color</li> <li>• Relation to head of family</li> <li>• Place of birth (NY county, other state, or foreign country)</li> <li>• Marital status</li> <li>• Years of residence in the city or town</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Profession, trade or occupation</li> <li>• Native and naturalized voters</li> <li>• Not naturalized</li> <li>• Colored not taxed</li> <li>• Illiterate persons over 21</li> <li>• Owners of land</li> <li>• Deaf, dumb, blind, insane or idiotic</li> </ul>
1865	<i>Same as previous year, plus:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Name of anyone absent in army or navy</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Parent of how many children</li> <li>• Number of times married</li> <li>• Usual place of employment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Servicemen (lists those now or formerly in the U.S. army or navy)</li> </ul>
1905	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Address</li> <li>• Name</li> <li>• Relation to head of family</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Color, sex, and age</li> <li>• Place of birth (U.S. or other)</li> <li>• Number of years in the U.S.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Citizen or alien</li> <li>• Occupation</li> <li>• Inmates of institutions</li> </ul>
1915	<i>Same as previous year, plus:</i> Infants under one year		
1925	<i>Same as previous year, plus:</i> If naturalized, when and where		

# New York State Special Schedules

- Agriculture and domestic manufactures (1855, 1865, 1875)
- Marriage (1855, 1865, 1875)
- Industry other than agricultural (1855, 1865, 1875)
- Churches and schools (1855)
- Newspapers and other periodicals (1855)
- Death (1855, 1865, 1875)
- Deaf and dumb, blind, insane, and idiotic (1865)
- Officers and enlisted men now in the military or naval service (1865)
- Deaths of officers and enlisted men in the military or naval service (1865)

# 1855 New York State Census- Schedule IV- Marriages and Deaths

- Persons who married or died in the previous twelve months
- The census day began on 1 June; persons included in this schedule died on or before 1 June 1855.

DEATHS								
Age	Sex	Color	Married	Year of Death	Native Country	Trade or Occupation	Disease or Cause of Death	
132	133	134	135	136	137	138	139	
27	F	W	M	December		House-keeper	Typhoid Fever	
1	F	W	S	September			Malaria, Scurvy	
46	W	W	S	March	Scotland	Farming	Consumption	
44	W	W	S	January			Malnutrition of the blood	
72	F	W	M	September	Scotland	Nurse-keeper	Old Age	
54	W	W	S	July			Lisence	
17	F	W	M	March	Canada	House-keeper	Typhoid Fever	
18	F	W	S	January			Congestion of the Brain	
6	F	W	S	June			Epidemic Fever	
60	F	W	M	January	Britain	House-keeper	Dropsy	
22	F	W	M	May	South Carolina		Consumption	
2	F	W	S	August	England		Scarlatina	
1	M	W	S	"	"		Epidemic of the Blood	
79	W	W	M	May		Farming	Typhoid Fever	
54	F	W	M	December		Nurse	Old Age	

# 1855 New York State Census- Schedule V- Churches and Schools

**Churches, Schools, &c.**

STATISTICS of the Fourth Ward Election District of the City of Buffalo in  
the County of  Erie  taken by me on the eleventh of June day of June, 1855.  
John Volkmann Marshal.

PLACES OF PUBLIC WORSHIP.								DISTRICT SCHOOL-HOUSES.			UNINCORPORATED LITERARY, BENEVOLENT OR CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.			
Generic name of Society owning.	Denomination.	Value of Church and Lot.	Value of other Real Estate.	Number capable of being seated.	Usual number attending.	Number of Communicants.	Salary of Clergy, including use of Real Estate.	Number of District.	Of what material the School-House is built.	Condition.	Value.	By whom or what Sect, Society or Company owned.	For what purpose used.	Value.
140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149	150	151	152	153	154
Trinity Church	Episcopal	15,000		700	600	200	2,400	17	Brick	good	8,000			
Delaware Street Church	U. S. Presbyterian	17,000		500	400	300	1,800	11	Brick	good	15,000			
St. Patrick's Church	R. Catholic	14,000		1,000	2,500	3,000	200	Colored	Brick	good	4,000			
St. Michaels Church	R. Catholic	15,000		800	1,000	1,000	500							
St. Peter's Church	R. Catholic	8,000		400	200	200	1,000							
St. Paul's Church	German United	6,000		300	500	300	600							
East Church	Baptist	4,000		500	300	200	500							
Union Street Church	Calvinist Meth. Episcopal	4,000		300	200	100	400							
Evangelical Mission Church	German Reform	2,000		400	200	100	400							

# 1865 New York State Census- Schedule V- Marriages

- Persons who married in the previous twelve months
  - Full name before marriage
  - Age
  - Race
  - Gender
  - Date
  - Place of marriage

HUSBAND			WIFE			Date of marriage		Name of city or town where the marriage occurred	Marriage by whom		
Name	Age	Previous marital condition	Name	Age	Previous marital condition	Month	Day		By a clergyman	By a justice of the peace	By a Justice of the Peace before witnesses
Franklin Barber	27	S.	Elizabeth K. Rath	29	S.	December	13	East Waverland	By a clergyman		
Walter Wise	25	S.	Minnie Benjamin	19	S.	"	15	"	By a justice of the peace		
Wm. H. Young	31	S.	Fine C. Myrtle	24	S.	March	16	Maseno	By a justice of the peace		
Chas. W. Chalkin	24	S.	Carrie C. Under	22	S.	December	15	East Waverland	By a justice of the peace		
John A. Laucke	45	M.	Nancy K. Egg	28	S.	February	25	"	By a Justice of the Peace before witnesses		

- The census day began on 1 June; individuals included in this schedule married on or before 1 June 1865

# Schedule V-Marriages

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V. MARRIAGES that have occurred in the Dow of Woodland  
in the County of Livingston, N. Y., during the year ending June 1, 1865. This table was prepared by me, on the seventh day  
of June, 1865. Samuel Robertson Enumerator.

Name.	Age.	Previous civil condition.	Name.	Age.	Previous civil condition.	Date of marriage.		Name of city or town where the marriage occurred.	Marriage how solemnized.		
						Month.	Day.		By a clergyman.	By a civil magistrate.	By declaration before witnesses.
78		80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89
Franklin Barber	27	S	Elizabeth Keith	29	S	December	13	East Woodland	Min. & P.		
Walter Rice	25	S	Jennett Benaway	19	S	"	15	"	C.S.P.		
Samuel H. Young	31	S	Jane C. Hynsle	24	S	March	15	Wagon	By a		
Chas. W. Chapman	24	S	Wm. E. Guder	22	S	December	15	East Woodland	C.S.P.		
John S. Leach	45	W.	Nancy Gregg	28	S	February	28	"	C.S.P.		

# 1865 New York State Census- Schedule VI- Deaths

- Persons who died in the previous twelve months in civil life

- Age
- Race
- Gender
- Exact date of death
- Cause of death
- Occupation
- Marital Status

VI. DEATHS occurring during the year ending June 1, 1865, excepting those of persons in the service of the United States, or from wounds or disease acquired in said service.

Name of person deceased	Age				Date of death		Native state or country	Trade or occupation	Cause or cause of death
	90	91	92	93	94	95			
Miriam McWhite	29	1/2	W	1	Sept	15	Limestone		Typhoid fever
John Spasley	67	3/4	W	1/2	May	5	Limestone	Basketmaker	Inflammation of the lungs
John D. Litzner	74	3/4	W	1/2	Sept	27	Paine	Farmer	Erysipelas
Penelope A. Lark	47	3/4	W	1/2	Feb	21	Limestone		Inflammation of the bowels
Margaret Westworth	88	1/2	W	1/2	March	14	The Plains		Infarction
Elizabeth Holbrook	48	1/2	W	1/2	Nov	18	Limestone		Erysipelas
Elizabeth Holbrook	18	1/2	W	1/2	May	25	"		Erysipelas
John Holbrook	11	3/4	W	1/2	Nov	27	"		Inflammation of the bowels
Emelia McQuir	61	1/2	W	1/2	Jan	4	"		Erysipelas
Mary Peter	77	1/2	W	1/2	March	10	Canada		Erysipelas
Thomas Jackson	32	1/2	W	1/2	Jan	17	Limestone	Shoemaker	Chronic disease
Abraham Miller	75	3/4	W	1/2	March	25	Paine	Farmer	Liver Complaint

- Census day was 1 June; individuals included in this schedule died on or before 1 June 1865

# Schedule VI-Deaths

VI. DEATHS occurring during the year ending June 1, 1865, excepting those of persons in the service of the United States, or from wounds or disease acquired in said service.

Name of person deceased.	Age.	Sex.	Color.	Civil or mil. rank.	Date of death.		Native state or country.	Trade or occupation.	Disease or cause of death.
					Month.	Day.			
90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99
1 Sarah M. White	29	f	W	S	Sept	15	Livingston		Embarcasion
2 John Smalley	67	m	W	W	May	5	Connecticut	Basketmaker	Inflammation of the Lungs
3 John W. Lipton	74	m	W	M	Feb	27	Penn	Farmer	Apoplexy
4 Annalia G. Parks	47	f	W	M	Feb	21	Livingston		Inflammation of the Bowels
5 Margaret Leitch	38	f	W	W	March	14	W. Jersey		Infermity
6 Catharine Holbrook	40	f	W	W	Nov	13	Livingston		Dropsy
7 Elizabeth Holbrook	15	f	W	S	May	28	"		Dropsy
8 John Holbrook	11	m	W	S	June	27	"		Inflammation of the Bowels
9 Annalia McHair	61	f	W	W	Jan	4	"		Dropsy
10 Mary Pettie	77	f	W	S	March	10	Canada		General Debility
11 Maria Jackson	32	m	W	S	Jan	17	Connecticut	Shoemaker	Chronic Disease
12 Cornelius Miller	75	m	W	W	March	25	Penn	Farmer	Liver Complaint

# 1865 New York State Census- Schedule VII- Deaths of Officers and Enlisted Men

- Persons who died while serving in the military
  - date of enlistment
  - age at death
  - rank
  - civil status
  - citizenship

VII. DEATHS OF OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN, which have occurred while in the military or naval service of the United States, or from wounds or disease acquired in said service since April, 1861, reported by the families to which the deceased belonged when at home, in the *town* of *Woodland* County of *Saratoga*, N. Y. This table was prepared by me *Samuel Culbertson* Enumerator.

Name of deceased.	Age at date of death.	Civil condition.	Other.	Allied name, whether.	Date of entering the service, Year, month and day.	Regiment, and entered.	Original rank.	Replaced to which he belonged at time of death.	Rank at time of death.	Class on entering the service.				Promotions while in service.	
										Volunteer.	Draft.	Substituted.	Replaced to which he belonged at time of death.		
100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115
<i>Abner Morris</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>S</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>Sept 1861</i>	<i>6<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>5<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Private</i>						
<i>Theodore Cobble</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>S</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>Aug 25, 1861</i>	<i>9<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>9<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Private</i>						
<i>Adelbert Vanantwerp</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>S</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>Sept 1861</i>	<i>8<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>8<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Private</i>						
<i>Erasmus Vanantwerp</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>S</i>	<i>1</i>						<i>Sgt</i>						
<i>Charles Palmer</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>S</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>Aug 11, 1861</i>	<i>12<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>		<i>11<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Private</i>						
<i>Charles Moore</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>S</i>	<i>1</i>						<i>Coop</i>						
<i>Erasmus Kelly</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>S</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>July 26, 1861</i>	<i>8<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>		<i>5<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>							
<i>James Smith</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>S</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>Aug 12, 1861</i>	<i>8<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Capt</i>	<i>8<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Major</i>						<i>Promoted from Capt to Major</i>
<i>John Muzzley</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>S</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>Jan 25, 1862</i>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Private</i>						
<i>John A. Bean</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>S</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>May 16, 1861</i>	<i>13<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Private</i>		<i>Private</i>						
<i>Samuel M. Sibly</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>S</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>Aug 11, 1861</i>	<i>12<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Coop</i>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Coop</i>						
<i>Edward Canell</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>April 15, 1861</i>	<i>12<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Coop</i>	<i>2<sup>nd</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Capt</i>						<i>2<sup>nd</sup> Regt. Pa. Oct 1861</i>
<i>John Wood</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>Nov 26, 1863</i>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Regt. Pa.</i>	<i>Private</i>						<i>1<sup>st</sup> Regt. Pa. Oct 1861</i>

# Schedule VII- Deaths of Officers and Enlisted Men since April 1861

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VII. DEATHS OF OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN, which have occurred while in the military or naval service of the United States, or from wounds or disease acquired in said service since April, 1861, reported by the families to which the deceased belonged when at home, in the Town of Woodland County of Saratoga, N. Y. This table was prepared by me on the Eight day of June, 1865. Samuel Culbertson Enumerator.

Name of deceased.	Age at time of death.	Civil condition.	Citizen.	Alien upon enlistment.	Date of entering the service. Year, month and day.	Regiment first entered.	Original rank.	Regiment to which he belonged at time of death.	Rank at time of death.	Classed on entering the service.					Promotions while in service.
										Volunteer.	Drafted.	Substitute.	Representative.	Colored.	
100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115
1 <u>Abner Norris</u>	27	S	1		<u>Sept 1861</u>	<u>6<sup>th</sup> NY Cav</u>	<u>Private</u>	<u>6<sup>th</sup> NY Cav</u>	<u>Private</u>						
2 <u>Theodore Coburn</u>	18	S	1		<u>Aug 25 1861</u>	<u>9<sup>th</sup> NY Cav</u>	<u>Private</u>	<u>9<sup>th</sup> NY Cav</u>	<u>Private</u>						
3 <u>Adelbert Vanantwerp</u>	22	S	1		<u>Sept 11 1861</u>	<u>8<sup>th</sup> NY Cav</u>	<u>Private</u>	<u>8<sup>th</sup> NY Cav</u>	<u>Private</u>						
4 <u>Erving Vanantwerp</u>	19	S	1						<u>Sergeant</u>						
5 <u>Charles Palmer</u>	21	S	1		<u>Aug 11 1861</u>	<u>130<sup>th</sup> NY Inf</u>		<u>130<sup>th</sup> NY Inf</u>	<u>Private</u>						
6 <u>Charles Moore</u>	23	S	1						<u>Capt</u>						
7 <u>Thomas Kelly</u>	26	S	1		<u>July 26 1861</u>	<u>2<sup>nd</sup> NY Cav</u>			<u>5<sup>th</sup> Lt</u>						
8 <u>James McAdair</u>	24	S	1		<u>Aug 12 1861</u>	<u>8<sup>th</sup> NY Cav</u>	<u>Capt</u>	<u>8<sup>th</sup> NY Cav</u>	<u>Major</u>						<u>Promoted from Capt to Major</u>
9 <u>John Murphy</u>	23	S	1		<u>Jan 27 1863</u>	<u>Union</u>	<u>Rout</u>	<u>Union</u>	<u>Private</u>						
0 <u>John W. Beard</u>	24	S	1		<u>May 16 1861</u>	<u>131<sup>st</sup> NY Inf</u>	<u>Private</u>		<u>Private</u>						
1 <u>Samuel W. Sibly</u>	25	S	1		<u>Aug 11 1861</u>	<u>100<sup>th</sup> NY Inf</u>	<u>Capt</u>	<u>100<sup>th</sup> NY Inf</u>	<u>Capt</u>						
2 <u>Edward S. Cornell</u>	23	M	1		<u>April 25 1861</u>	<u>100<sup>th</sup> NY Inf</u>	<u>Capt</u>	<u>9<sup>th</sup> NY Cav</u>	<u>Capt</u>						<u>2<sup>nd</sup> Lt for 1<sup>st</sup> Lt 1861, 4<sup>th</sup> Lt 1861, Capt 1861.</u>
3 <u>John Ford</u>	36	M	1		<u>Nov 26 1863</u>	<u>1<sup>st</sup> Mich Cav</u>	<u>Private</u>	<u>1<sup>st</sup> Mich Cav</u>	<u>Rout</u>						<u>Capt to 1<sup>st</sup> Lt first Lt 1861, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt 1861, 4<sup>th</sup> Lt 1861, Capt 1861.</u>

# 1875 New York State Census- Schedule II- Marriages

- Persons who married in the previous twelve months
  - Full name before marriage
  - Age
  - Race
  - Gender
  - Date
  - Place of marriage

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**II. Marriages** that have occurred in the Town of Groveland in the County of Warrenton, N. Y., during the year ending June 1, 1875.

John M. Gray Enumerator.

HUSBAND				WIFE				Date of Marriage		Place of city or town where the Marriage occurred.	Marriage bond returned.		
Name	Age	Profession	State	Name	Age	Profession	Month	Day	By a clergyman.		By a civil magistrate.	By declaration before justices.	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33		
William H. Egle	25	M	Mary A. Church	20	F	April	29	Groveland, Lewis & Clark					
Frederic Miller	29	S	Mary C. Livingston	29	F	December	23	Groveland, Lewis & Clark					
Thomas Dublin	35	S	Sarah Bigelow	26	F	February	11	Groveland, Lewis & Clark					

- The census day began on 1 June; individuals included in this schedule married on or before 1 June 1875

# Schedule II-Marriages

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**II. Marriages** that have occurred in the Town of Groveland  
in the County of Genees, N. Y., during the year ending June 1, 1875.

John M. Gray Enumerator.

HUSBAND.			WIFE.			Date of Marriage.		Name of city or town where the Marriage occurred.	Marriage how solemnized.		
Name.	Age.	Previous civil condition.	Name	Age.	Previous civil condition.	Month	Day		By a clergyman.	By a civil magistrate.	By declaration before witnesses.
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33
William H. Egle	28	M	Mary A. Shrock	20	M	April	29	Groveland	Leic. Meth. Epis.		
Irwin Miller	29	S	Nancy Southerton	29	S	December	23	Groveland	Leic. Pres-		
Thomas Dobbin	35	S	Sarah Bigelow	26	S	February	18	Groveland	Leic. Co. Pres-		

# 1875 New York State Census- Schedule III- Deaths

- Persons who died in the previous twelve months in civil life
  - Age
  - Race
  - Gender
  - Exact date of death
  - Cause of death
  - Occupation
  - Marital Status

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**III. Deaths** occurring in the Town of Greendale West Clinton  
in the County of Livingston, N. Y., during the year ending June 1, 1875.

John H. Gray, Enumerator

Name of person deceased	Age	Sex	Color	CIVIL STATUS	Date of Death		Native State or Country	Trade or Occupation	Cause or cause of Death
					Month	Day			
34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
1 Philip Young	68	M		M	May	27	New York	Farmer	Consumption
2 John M. Lister	54	M		M	May	25	New York	Farmer	Dis. Heart
3 Isaac H. Brown	6	M			April	22	Yves		Diphtheria
4 Ellen Brown	28	F			May	21	Livingston		" "
5 Cyrus Brown	10	M			October	26	Yves		" "
6 Emma Black	6	F			March	15	Yves		" "
7 James Black	4	F			March	15	Yves		" "
8 Sylvester Gray	69	M		M	December	16	N.Y.	Farmer	Diphtheria Fever
9 Isaac Mack	65	M		M	February	13	Penn	Farmer	Brucella Contaminata
10 Balthaz Kelly	55	F		F	April	10	Yves		Apoplexy St.
11									
12 Thomas Fowler	67	M		M	May	11	England	Farmer	Dropsey of the Heart
13 Mary Hager	4	F			March	25	New York		Diphtheria
14 Henrietta Hager	1	F			April	15	New York		Diphtheria
15 Robert Gamble	37	M		M	May	17	New York	Farmer	Consumption
16 Willie Rosebrough	6	F			October	2	Indiana		Scarlatina Remittens
17									
18									

- Census day was 1 June; individuals included in this schedule died on or before 1 June 1875

# Schedule III-Deaths

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**III. Deaths** occurring in the Town of Groveland First Election District  
in the County of Livingston, N. Y., during the year ending June 1, 1875.

John M. Gray Enumerator

Name of person deceased.	Age.	Sex.	Color.	Civil condition.	Date of Death.		Native State or Country.	Trade or Occupation.	Disease or cause of Death.
					Month.	Day.			
34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
Phillip Young	68	M		M	May	27	New York	Labourer	Consumption
John M. Petrie	54	M		M	May	25	New York	Farmer	Dis Heart
Cassell Bovee	6	M			April	22	Ohio		Diphtheria
Ellen Bovee	2 1/2	F			May	21	Livingston		'
Agro Bovee	10	M			April	25	Ohio		'
Anna Black	6	F			March	15	Ohio		'
Fanny Black	4	F			March	15	Ohio		'
Dykwester Gray	60	M		M	December	16	Vt	Farmer	Typhoid Fever
James Slack	65	M		M	February	13	Ohio	Farmer	Bronchial Consumption
Bathiah Kelly	55	F		D	April	10	Ohio		Apoplexy etc
Thomas Fowler	67	M		M	May	11	England	Farmer	Dropsey of the Heart
Mary Magee	4	F			March	25	New York		Diphtheria
Therisetta Magee	1	F			April	15	New York		Diphtheria
Robert Gamble	37	M		M	May	17	New York	Farmer	Consumption
Pellie Rosebrough	6	F			October	2	Indiana		Accidental Burning

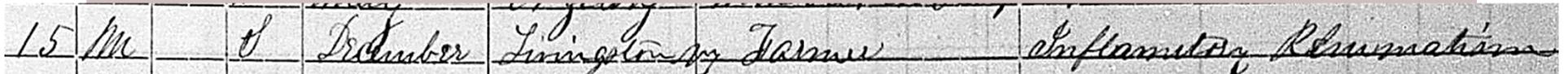
# Case Study: Groveland, Livingston County, NY

# Recorded Deaths in Groveland (1855)

Age.	Sex.	Color.	Civil condition.	Time of Death.	Native Country.	Trade or Occupation.	Disease or Cause of Death.
132	133	134	135	136	137	138	139
42	M		*	July			Group.
71	F		W	May 7 <sup>th</sup> , 55	Connecticut	House Keeper	Pleuritic Inflammation of Lungs
85	F		W	Oct	Mass	House Keeper	Inflammation of the Bowels
86	F		W	May	N Jersey	Worn out w/ occup	Asthma
15	M		B	December	Lincolnton	Farmer	Inflammatory Rheumatism

# What is the identity of #5?

# What we know



- 15 years old (born ca. 1840)
- Male
- Single
- Born in Livingston Co., NY
- Died in December (December 1854)
- Occupation- Farmer
- Cause of Death- Inflammatory Rheumatism

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1850 United States Federal Census

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1850 United States Federal Census

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Results 1-50 of 51

View Record	Name	Home in 1850 (City, County, State)	Birth Year	Birthplace	Gender	View Image
<a href="#">View Record</a>	John Aten	Groveland, Livingston, New York	abt 1841	New York	Male	
<a href="#">View Record</a>	Charles Bean	Groveland, Livingston, New York	abt 1839	New York	Male	
<a href="#">View Record</a>	Henry Booker	Groveland, Livingston, New York	abt 1839	New York	Male	
<a href="#">View Record</a>	Samuel Booker	Groveland, Livingston, New York	abt 1841	New York	Male	
<a href="#">View Record</a>	Lowell C Clapp	Groveland, Livingston, New York	abt 1840	New York	Male	
<a href="#">View Record</a>	John J Curtiss	Groveland, Livingston, New York	abt 1839	New York	Male	
<a href="#">View Record</a>	Iris Denison	Groveland, Livingston, New York	abt 1840	New York		
<a href="#">View</a>	James Dickinson	Groveland, Livingston,	abt	New	Male	

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Enumerators worked in  
household order

# Return to 1855 NY State Census

			H. E. Coleman	15 F	Servant	"	"	10	
21	Tram 200	21	Levi Acker	49 M		"	"	43	Farmer
			Charity Acker	36 F	Wife	Columbus Pt.	1	12	
			Sarah E. Acker	10 F	Daughter	Livingston		10	
			L. A.	8 F	"	"	"	8	
			Orucilla	4 F	"	"	"	4	
			E. J.	1 F	"	"	"	1	
22	Tram 300	22	Allen Berman	57 M		Rensselaer	1	17	Wharves
			Isabella Berman	55 F	Wife	"	"	17	
			Anna E.	28 F	Daughter	"	"	17	Teacher
			Margaret Burnside	23 F	Daughter	"	"	17	Teacher
			Sarah H. Conway	12 F	Daughter	Livingston		12	
			H. A. Curtis	16 M	Son	Rensselaer		15	
			Mary E. Burnside	3 F	Son	Livingston		3	
23	Tram 500	23	George Van Dyckel	60 M		Hunterdon	1	5	Labourer
			Rebecca Van Dyckel	55 F	Wife	"	"	5	
			Wylorster H.	25 M	Son	"	"	5	Labourer
			Emeline	26 F	Daughter	"	"	5	
			E. J.	23 F	Daughter	"	"	5	
24	Tram 400	24	David R. Hann	43 M		Hunterdon	1	16	Blacksmith
			Sarah Hann	40 F	Wife	Delaware	1	16	
			H. M.	13 F	Daughter	Livingston		13	
			W. R.	12 M	Son	"	"	12	
			L. S.	10 M	Son	"	"	10	
			H. C.	8 M	Son	"	"	8	
			A. S.	6 M	Son	"	"	6	
			H. C.	5 F	Daughter	"	"	5	
			C. L.	2 F	"	"	"	2	

# 1850 U.S. Federal Census

42	40	David R. Hann	39 m	18 months	700	NY				
		Sarah "	39 f			NY				
		Mary M "	14 "			"				
		Arthur M "	17 m			"				
		George A. Hann	10 m			NY				
		Huldah M "	8 f			"				
		Syman "	6 m			"				
		Charles B. "	3 "			"				
		Albert "	2 "			"				
		Harriet E "	4 f			"				



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# George N. Hann

BIRTH 1840

DEATH 16 Dec 1854 (aged 13–14)

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Groveland, Livingston County, New York, USA

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## Family Members

### Parents



**David Hann**  
1811–1896



**Sarah Griswold Andrews Hann**  
1813–1909

### Siblings



**Mary Miranda Hann Carpenter**  
1836–1935



**Huldah M. Hann**  
1842–1866

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# QUESTIONS?

# Church Records

# Types of Church Records

- Baptisms
- Marriages
- Communion/Eucharist
- Reconciliation
- Holy Orders
- Confirmation
- Anointing of the Sick
- Burial Records
- Circumcision Records (Bris)

# Religion

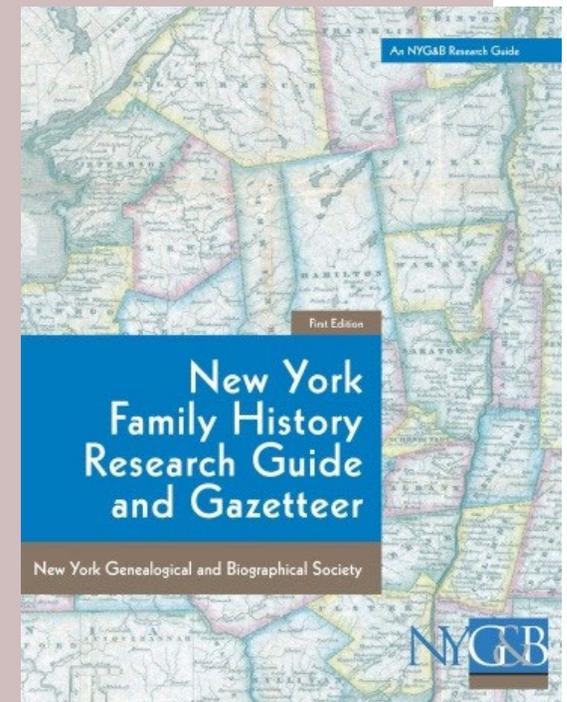
- Episcopal
- Presbyterian
- Roman Catholic
- United Evangelical
- Protestant
- Methodist Episcopal
- German Reformed
- Lutheran
- Baptist
- Unitarian
- Reformed Dutch
- Jewish

# Resources and Guides

- Guide to Vital Statistics Records of Churches in New York State
- FamilySearch.org Wiki
- New York Family History Research Guide and Gazetteer

# New York Family History Research Guide and Gazetteer

- Baptists
- Catholic
- Congregational
- Eastern Rite Catholic and Eastern Orthodox
- Episcopal
- Jewish
- Lutheran
- Methodist
- Mormon (LDS)
- Presbyterian
- Quaker (Society of Friends)
- Reformer (Dutch, German, and French or Huguenot)



## Catholic

### Historical Overview

This section pertains to religious records of the Roman Catholic Church. Eastern Rite Catholic Churches are treated together with Eastern Orthodox churches elsewhere in this chapter.

The sweeping religious and political unrest in Europe during the sixteenth century left its mark on many Protestants immigrating to North America, who arrived with strong and sometimes virulent anti-Catholic sentiments. Roman Catholic immigrants to New Netherland and colonial New York were unable to practice their faith openly without reprisals throughout most of the colonial era, and widespread anti-Catholic discrimination endured well into the nineteenth century.

Outside the borders of colonial New York, the areas of northern and western New York State did not come under British rule until after the French and Indian War (1754–1763). Following the founding of Quebec in 1608, French traders crossed the border from Canada, accompanied by Jesuit missionaries, and the Catholic religion was freely practiced by French settlers seeking to convert and minister to American Indians. Jesuit missions were established among all five Iroquois nations, but there was great resistance by some tribes. The Catholic Church has conferred sainthood on Father Isaac Jogues and two of his Jesuit contemporaries who were killed at the Mohawk village of Ossernenon (Auriesville, NY) between 1642 and 1646. The Catholic Church also conferred sainthood on the American Indian Kateri Tekakwitha, who was born there in 1656.

There was a short reprieve for Catholics in colonial New York under the leadership of Governor Thomas Dongan (1682–1688), an Irish Catholic, who worked diligently to enact the New York Charter of Liberties and Privileges in 1688, which granted religious freedom to all Christians. That year three English Jesuits opened a school and celebrated the first Mass in New York City. But by 1688 Governor Dongan was removed during heightened political unrest in England and the colonies, which had strong anti-Catholic implications. These events put an end to Catholic tolerance in the colony of New York.

Throughout the British Isles, England had long imposed a series of harsh penal laws against Catholics. These laws were soon mirrored in New York. In 1700 a law was passed that threatened Catholic priests who entered the colony with life imprisonment. In 1718 the vote was denied to Catholics. During the eighteenth and much of the nineteenth centuries the political and social climate in New York was hostile to Catholics, who were barred from citizenship and public office, and denied access to education and admission into certain professions.

Although New York's first constitution in 1777 assured general religious freedom, it imposed a religious test that effectively barred the naturalization of Catholics and their election to public office; these barriers were not lifted until 1789 and 1806 respectively. The anti-priest law was repealed in 1784, paving the way for Catholics to worship openly in New York State. St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church, established in 1785 in lower Manhattan on the site that it still occupies today, was the first Catholic Church in New York State. St. Mary's Church, the state's second oldest Catholic church, was established in Albany in 1797. Brooklyn saw its first Catholic church established in 1822.

John Carroll, first Bishop of Baltimore, estimated in the 1780s that there were 1,500 Catholics in New York State. In the 1790s the Catholic population increased when many French and French West Indian refugees arrived in New York City, fleeing the 1789 French Revolution and the slave rebellion in Haiti.

However, the single greatest factor in the explosive growth of the Catholic Church in New York State was Irish immigration. Though Irish immigrants had arrived in New York State throughout the colonial period, most of the earlier immigrants were Protestants, mainly Presbyterians. The number of Irish Catholics immigrating to New York began to grow after 1800, surged by the 1830s, and increased exponentially during and after the Great Famine (1845–1852). By 1860 New York's population had grown to 3.8 million and included 500,000

Irish-born New Yorkers. The Catholic Church played a central role in the lives of Irish Catholics.

Most Italian immigrants were Catholic, and throughout the period 1910–1970 Italians were the largest foreign-born population in New York State. There were also large numbers of Catholics among Austro-Hungarian, German, Hispanic, Polish, French and other French-speaking immigrants to New York. See the sections on each of these populations, as well as the Irish, in chapter 14, Peoples of New York.

### Organization

The local unit of organization in the Catholic Church is the parish, of which there are more than 1,200 in New York State, each headed by a pastor who is a priest. An inventory of active parishes in New York State (and all states) can be searched at [thecatholicdirectory.com](http://thecatholicdirectory.com) or at [ParishesOnline.com](http://ParishesOnline.com). Parishes in New York State are organized into eight dioceses, each headed by a bishop, that together constitute the Ecclesiastical Province of New York. Today, the Ecclesiastical Province of New York is contiguous with the boundaries of New York State except for Fishers Island (Suffolk County), which is in the Diocese of Norwich, Connecticut.

An archdiocese is essentially a diocese that is larger or historically more important than a typical diocese, and it is headed by the archbishop who has authority of a kind over the other dioceses in his province. The original Diocese of New York has been, since 1850, an archdiocese. The formation of dioceses in New York is shown in table 1.

**Table 1: The Catholic Dioceses of New York State**

Diocese	Created in	Formed from	Coverage
New York (Archdiocese since 1850)	1808	Archdiocese of Baltimore	Bronx, Dutchess, New York (Manhattan), Orange, Putnam, Richmond (Staten Island), Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster, and Westchester counties
Albany	1847	Diocese of New York	Albany, Columbia, Delaware, Fulton, Greene, Montgomery, Otsego, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Warren, Washington, and parts of Hamilton and Herkimer counties
Brooklyn	1853	Diocese of New York	Kings (Brooklyn) and Queens counties
Buffalo	1847	Diocese of New York	Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Erie, Genesee, Niagara, Orleans, and Wyoming counties
Ogdensburg	1872	Diocese of Albany	Clinton, Essex, Franklin, Jefferson, Lewis, St. Lawrence, and parts of Hamilton and Herkimer counties
Rochester	1868; enlarged 1896	Diocese of Buffalo	Cayuga, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Seneca, Tompkins, Wayne, Yates, and since 1896, Chemung, Schuyler, Steuben and Tioga counties
Rockville Centre	1957	Diocese of Brooklyn	Nassau and Suffolk counties
Syracuse	1886	Diocese of Albany	Broome, Chenango, Cortland, Madison, Oneida, Onondaga, and Oswego counties

Table 2: Archival Resources in the Catholic Dioceses of New York	
Diocesan Archives	Archival Resources
<p>Archdiocese of New York 201 Seminary Avenue Yonkers, NY 10704 (914) 968-6200 <a href="http://archnyarchives.org">archnyarchives.org</a></p>	<p>The Archives does not hold sacramental records or school records. The website provides a list of its collections which document the history of the diocese, its charitable institutions, and its parishes, with links to some finding aids and a parish finder tool. A list of locations of records of closed parishes is at <a href="http://archnyarchives.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/05/ArchNY-Closed-Parishes.pdf">http://archnyarchives.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/05/ArchNY-Closed-Parishes.pdf</a>. Research by appointment only.</p>
<p>Albany 40 North Main Street Albany, NY 12203 (518) 453-6600 <a href="http://rcda.org">rcda.org</a></p>	<p>A search tool for finding diocesan parish records, institutional records, and closed parishes is available at <a href="http://www.rcda.org/parishes.asp?type=ir">www.rcda.org/parishes.asp?type=ir</a>. Archival holdings include historical records for the diocese; older issues of <i>The Evangelist</i> Catholic newspaper; records of closed parishes not merged with existing ones; and institutional records including St. Clare's Hospital (Albany), St. Vincent's Female Orphan Asylum (Troy), Brady Hospital (Albany), St. Joseph's Infant Home (Troy), St. Vincent's Home (Albany), St. John's Church (Rensselaer), and St. Mary's Church founded 1797 (Albany). Research by appointment only; some records may be sent by mail.</p>
<p>Brooklyn 310 Prospect Park West Brooklyn, NY 11215 (718) 399-5900 <a href="http://dioceseofbrooklyn.org">dioceseofbrooklyn.org</a></p>	<p>Holdings include sacramental registers of nine closed parishes; records of 125 closed schools, three closed hospitals, and two closed orphanages; several series pertaining to marriage dispensations from 1854 to 1964; parish histories; deceased priest personnel files; and diocesan directories. The website has a Genealogical FAQ page that provides a helpful orientation to finding religious records at the diocese and elsewhere; parish lists for Brooklyn 1820–present, and for Queens 1843–present; and a list of record locations for schools formerly located in Brooklyn and Queens. Very strong photographic collection documenting the diocese's churches and schools. Full run of the <i>Tablet</i>, 1908–present, paper only. Genealogical research via written request only.</p>
<p>Buffalo 795 Main Street Buffalo, NY 14203 (716) 847-5500 <a href="http://buffalodiocese.org">buffalodiocese.org</a></p>	<p>Archival collections include parish histories, diocesan directories, older closed parish records, records of bishops, and papers relating to Father Baker and Our Lady of Victory Basilica. The collection of local Catholic newspapers in print or on microfilm includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>The Buffalo Catholic Sentinel</i>, 1858–1860, various years</li> <li>• <i>Catholic Union and Times</i>, 1872–1939</li> <li>• <i>Catholic Union and Echo</i>, 1915–1964</li> <li>• <i>The Echo</i>, 1915–1937</li> <li>• <i>The Magnificat</i>, 1964–1973</li> <li>• <i>Our Sunday Visitor</i>, 1978</li> <li>• <i>Catholic News of Western NY</i>, 1973–1974</li> <li>• <i>Western New York Catholic</i>, 1974–present</li> </ul> <p>Research by appointment only.</p>
<p>Ogdensburg 622 Washington Street Ogdensburg, NY 13669 (315) 393-2920 <a href="http://dioogdensburg.org">dioogdensburg.org</a></p>	<p>Archival holdings include historical records of the diocese, bishops, and parishes (but not sacramental records); record abstracts for diocesan/parish lands and transfers; deeds for diocesan cemeteries. Closed parish records have been scanned; merged parishes' sacramental records are held by parishes. A history of the Diocese of Ogdensburg is online at <a href="http://northcountrycatholic.org/welcome/history.html">http://northcountrycatholic.org/welcome/history.html</a>. A full run of <i>North Country Catholic</i>, a diocesan newspaper, March 3, 1946–present, is online at <a href="http://nyshistoricnewspapers.org">http://nyshistoricnewspapers.org</a>.</p>
<p>Rochester 1150 Buffalo Road Rochester, NY 14624 (585) 328-3210 <a href="http://dor.org">dor.org</a></p>	<p>Archival holdings include the papers of all bishops who have served the diocese 1868–present; historical records for all parishes and diocesan schools, institutions and agencies; biographical information on diocesan priests; published works by diocesan authors; the historical records of St. Bernard's and St. Andrew's Seminaries; and archives of Fulton J. Sheen, Bishop of Rochester 1966–1969. Reference and research assistance by appointment only.</p>
<p>Rockville Centre 50 North Park Avenue Rockville Centre, NY 11571 (516) 678-5800 <a href="http://drvc.org">drvc.org</a></p>	<p>The Archives holds no sacramental records or registers—these are at the parish where the sacrament took place. Researchers should contact parishes directly to obtain sacramental records. If the parish name is unknown, they may contact the Diocesan Archivist for help narrowing down its geographic area and deciding which parishes to contact. Archival holdings include a clippings subject file and the original photographs file of the diocesan newspaper, the <i>Long Island Catholic</i>, begun in 1962. The newspaper transitioned into a magazine format in 2012 and past issues can be viewed online at <a href="http://licatholic.org/past-issues-of-li-catholic-magazine">http://licatholic.org/past-issues-of-li-catholic-magazine</a>. Research by appointment only.</p>
<p>Syracuse 240 East Onondaga Street Syracuse, NY 13202 (315) 470-1493 <a href="http://syracusediocese.org">syracusediocese.org</a></p>	<p>The Diocese collects material of historical value relating to the Diocese and its parishes, but does not hold sacramental records. Archival collections include parish histories and documents from various diocesan institutions; records of schools, religious orders, and noteworthy individuals; rare books; scrapbooks; and special collections from the 1990s; and a collection of the <i>Catholic Sun</i>, the official newspaper of the diocese, founded 1892. A museum, library, and records workroom are open to researchers by appointment.</p>

## New York Family History Research Guide and Gazetteer

# Daughters of the American Revolution

- 1913- DAR members transcribed thousands of unpublished records, including Bible and Church records
  - Revised Master Index to the New York State Daughters of the American Revolution Genealogical Records Volumes (by Jean Worden)
- dar.org – searchable name index to all reports created by the Genealogical Record Committee (GRC)

# Guide to Vital Statistics Records of Churches in New York State

- Published in 1942
- Prepared by the Historical Records Survey Service Division of the WPA
- Does not include NYC
- Arranged alphabetically by county and then by town/village/city
- Entry Includes:
  - Name and Address of the Church
  - Date of Origin
  - Defunct or Merge information
  - Type of Vital Record in Possession of the Church and Custodian
  - Record loss

# St. Paul's United Evangelical Church 1843 -

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Erie County

BUFFALO

EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED (continued)

Register: Record of Baptisms, Confirmations, Deaths,  
(1853-- ) Marriages and Members, 9 vols., kept by  
pastor. Earlier records not accounted for.  
Church also has custody of records, 1883-1928,  
of the former St. Mark's Evangelical Church,  
Buffalo (see entry 15 supra). St. Mark's and  
St. Paul's Churches united in 1928.

# 1855 New York State Census- Schedule V- Churches and Schools

**Churches, Schools, &c.**

STATISTICS of the Fourth Ward Election District of the City of Buffalo in  
the County of  Erie  taken by me on the eleventh day of June, 1855. John Volbrunn Marshal.

PLACES OF PUBLIC WORSHIP.								DISTRICT SCHOOL-HOUSES.				UNINCORPORATED LITERARY, BENEVOLENT OR CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.		
Generic name of Society owning.	Denomination.	Value of Church and Lot.	Value of other Real Estate.	Number capable of being seated.	Usual number attending.	Number of Communicants.	Salary of Clergy, including use of Real Estate.	Number of District.	Of what material the School-House is built.	Condition.	Value.	By whom or what Sect, Society or Company owned.	For what purpose used.	Value.
140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149	150	151	152	153	154
Trinity Church	Episcopal	15,000		700	600	200	2,400	17	Brick	good	8,000			
Delaware Street Church	U. S. Presbyterian	17,000		500	400	300	1,800	11	Brick	good	15,000			
St. Patrick's Church	R. Catholic	14,000		1,000	2,500	3,000	200	Colored	Brick	good	4,000			
St. Michaels Church	R. Catholic	15,000		800	1,000	1,000	500							
St. Peter's Church	R. Catholic	2,000		400	200	200	100							
St. Paul's Church	German United	6,000		300	500	300	600							
East Church	Baptist	4,000		500	300	200	500							
Union Street Church	Calvinist	4,000		300	200	100	400							
Evangelical Mission Church	German Reform	2,000		400	200	100	400							

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Record Type, Date Range and Volume

<a href="#">Baptisms 1946-1951 vol B1</a>	<a href="#">Baptisms, confirmations, communicants, marriages, burials 1866-1883 vol 4</a>	<a href="#">Baptisms, confirmations, marriages, burials 1899-1923 vol 7</a>	<a href="#">List of families, baptisms, confirmations, communicants, marriages, burials 1889-1897 vol 6</a>	<a href="#">1882-1890 vol 5</a>
<a href="#">Baptisms, confirmations 1812-1866 vol 3</a>	<a href="#">Baptisms, confirmations, marriages, burials 1812-1835 vol 1</a>	<a href="#">Burials 1946-1969 vol F1</a>	<a href="#">List of families, baptisms, confirmations, communicants, marriages, offerings, burials</a>	<a href="#">Marriages 1942-1955 vol M3</a>
<a href="#">Baptisms, confirmations, communicants, burials 1924-1945 vol 8</a>		<a href="#">Communicants and memoranda 1946-1956 vol 9A</a>		<a href="#">Marriages, funerals, burials 1825-1866 vol 2</a>

~~~~~ Oct. 7<sup>th</sup> 1857 ~~~~~  
 Baptised -  
 1628 Mrs Susan Maria Tenney -  
 also  
 1629 Edward Hollenbeck aged nine years  
 & six months  
 Son of Sidney M. Tenney & Susan Maria  
 his wife -  
 Jan 3<sup>d</sup> - Baptised by the New Hope Hills  
 1630 Franklin Henry - born April 14<sup>th</sup> 1857  
 Parents James & Susanna Prushan -  
 Apr 6. Baptised by the New Hope Hills  
 1631 Mary Ann born Aug. 30, 1853  
 Parents John & Anna Painter -  
 March 29, 1853 Baptised by the New Hope Hills  
 1632 Benjamin Franklin - born April 17, 1857  
 1633 Also. George Washington March 29, 1853  
 Parents Edward & Isabella Burley -

## Example of baptismal record

80. July 20<sup>th</sup> 1832 - Buried - Philip Hancock  
a native of England - Cholera - aged 24

81. do. Jonathan S. Hillman - aged 44 -  
Cholera

82. July 22<sup>o</sup> Mrs. Lockwood aged 70 -  
Cholera

July 23<sup>o</sup> W. Shelton -

83. Margaret Louisa - only daughter of Dr. Henry K. Stagg  
& Elizabeth his wife on W. Shelton -

84. Aug. 1<sup>st</sup> - Mr. Gideon Kimberley - aged - Cholera

85. Aug. 5<sup>th</sup> - Mr. Lewis Gould on W. Shelton -  
aged about 20 - W. Shelton

86. Aug. 7<sup>th</sup> - William Corbden - aged 44 -

87.

## Example of a Burial Record

# Cemetery Records

# Cemetery Records and Incriptions

- Date of Birth and Death
- Place of Birth and Death
- Name of Spouse and Children
- Veteran Status
- Occupation
- Religion



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F R O M  
S M I T H C E M E T E R Y  
A T  
C O V E N E C K, O Y S T E R B A Y  
L O N G I S L A N D

Cook, William R. son of Thomas and Margaret Ann  
Cook, born Nov. 30, 1856, died April  
5, 1890

Smith, Abraham, son of Thomas and Deborah Ann  
Smith, born Feb. 28, 1793; died Dec.  
17, 1863

Smith, Elbert B. son of William W. and Christen  
Smith, born Oct. 9, 1886; died Jan.  
10, 1887

Smith, Isaac, son of Thomas and Anna Smith, born  
Aug. 10, 1873; died May 27, 1890

Smith, Deborah Ann, daughter of Thomas and Anna  
Smith, born May 3, 1872; died Aug.  
25, 1872

Smith, Henrietta, daughter of Thomas and Anna  
Smith, born March 1, 1871; died April  
28, 1872

Smith, Philena, wife of Richard Smith, born Aug.  
12, 1803; died March 11, 1855

Smith, Richard, son of Thomas and Deborah Smith  
born Aug. 5, 1791; died March 12, 1868

Transcribed Records

# Online Databases

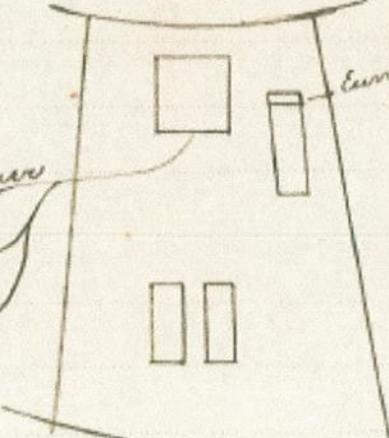
- findagrave.com
- billiongraves.com
- interment.net

The screenshot shows a memorial page on Find a Grave for Laura Louise Brown Fulton. The page includes a photo of her gravestone, which has the name 'FULTON' on it. To the right of the photo is a table of vital statistics:

|                    |                                                                                               |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>BIRTH</b>       | 27 Dec 1914<br>Effingham, Effingham County, Illinois, USA                                     |
| <b>DEATH</b>       | 1 Jan 2003 (aged 88)<br>Westford, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, USA                        |
| <b>BURIAL</b>      | <a href="#">Heart Pond Cemetery</a><br>South Chelmsford, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, USA |
| <b>PLOT</b>        | HP/E-80-1A                                                                                    |
| <b>MEMORIAL ID</b> | 18163497 · <a href="#">View Source</a>                                                        |

Below the table are buttons for 'SHARE', '+ SAVE TO', and 'SUGGEST EDITS'. At the bottom of the page, there is a bio for Laura Louise (Brown) Fulton, R.N., 88, who died on Wednesday, Jan. 1, in Westford. She was the widow of William J. Fulton. She was born in Effingham, Ill., a daughter of the late Chester and Clara (Wharton) Brown. She was a graduate of the Jewish Hospital in St. Louis. Prior to retirement, Mrs. Fulton was employed as a registered nurse at Saints Memorial Medical Center in Lowell.

# Burial Card

|                                          |                             |                                                                                      |                |
|------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| Lot No.<br><b>4380</b>                   | Section No.<br><b>46-56</b> | Size<br><b>300'0"</b>                                                                |                |
| Date                                     | Location                    |                                                                                      |                |
| Name                                     |                             |                                                                                      |                |
| Heirship Book Page                       | Trust Book Page             | Scrap-Book No                                                                        | Trust Fund No. |
| Conveyed on                              |                             | to:—                                                                                 |                |
| <i>Amelia Dollner<br/>7/5/53</i>         |                             |  |                |
| <i>Harold Dollner<br/>2/29/56</i>        |                             |                                                                                      |                |
| <i>Harold Dollner Watson<br/>12/7/81</i> |                             |                                                                                      |                |
|                                          |                             | <i>Emilia, widow of<br/>Sam'l Downie<br/>7/25/65</i>                                 |                |
| (INTERMENTS SEE OVER)                    |                             |                                                                                      |                |

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# Bible Records

# Bible Records

- Family units often recorded together
- Birth, marriage, and burial/death information
- Maintained by local historical societies, archives, or genealogical societies (American Ancestors)





"john adams" bible

Search

## 195 "john adams" bible

LIST VIEW

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### Bible record for the John Adams family, 1776-1909

New England Historic Genealogical Society

Original record (without title page) on the John and Betsy (Stone) Adams family

Contact Information

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### Bible record for the John Waters family, 1774-1850

New England Historic Genealogical Society

Original handwritten record, with title page, concerning the family of John and Catherine (McNeill) Waters

[researchworks.oclc.org/archivegrid/](https://researchworks.oclc.org/archivegrid/)



## Bible Records and Transcriptions

Includes More Than 60,000 Bible Records

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**Search Results** 27 - Records Found (1 to 25)

**Tip:** Click name to view bible record.

| Surname                                                                                               | Source                   | Page |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|------|
| <b>Bone</b>                                                                                           | Source: GRC - IL:S1:V187 |      |
| <b>Bible Description:</b> William Leonides Bone (1820-1885) and wife, Jane FULTON Clark (1832-1904)   |                          |      |
| <b>Book Title:</b> Illinois DAR GRC report ; s1 v187 : [bible records]                                |                          |      |
| <b>Bourne</b>                                                                                         | Source: GRC - NM:s2:v32  |      |
| <b>Bible Description:</b> Lewis W. Bourne (1832-1925) and wife, Julia A. FULTON (1837-1908)           |                          |      |
| <b>Book Title:</b> New Mexico DAR GRC report ; s2 v032 : miscellaneous records.                       |                          |      |
| <b>Buchanan</b>                                                                                       | Source: GRC - GA:s1:v36  | 1740 |
| <b>Bible Description:</b> James Buchanan (born 1806) and wife, Margaret FULTON (born 1807)            |                          |      |
| <b>Book Title:</b> Georgia DAR GRC report ; s1 v036 : family Bible records and miscellaneous records. |                          |      |
| <b>Dunn</b>                                                                                           | Source: GRC - MA:s1:v14  | 133  |
| <b>Bible Description:</b> James Dunn (1766-1843) and wife, Margaret FULTON (born 1775)                |                          |      |
| <b>Book Title:</b> Massachusetts DAR GRC report ; s1 v014 : [bible records]                           |                          |      |

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| AR : S3 : v3                                                                                                                                                 | 61   | <b>FULTON</b>     | <a href="#">LIBRARY CATALOG</a> |
| <b>Title:</b> Arkansas DAR GRC report ; s3 v003 : [chancery court record, 1877-1878, and personal tax assessment lists, 1867-1883, Pulaski County, Arkansas] |      |                   |                                 |
| AR : S3 : v4                                                                                                                                                 | 87   | <b>FULTON</b>     | <a href="#">LIBRARY CATALOG</a> |
| <b>Title:</b> Arkansas DAR GRC report ; s3 v004 : Pulaski County, Arkansas history and miscellaneous records                                                 |      |                   |                                 |
| CA : s1 : v132                                                                                                                                               | 77   | <b>Fulton</b>     | <a href="#">LIBRARY CATALOG</a> |
| <b>Title:</b> California DAR GRC report ; s1 v132 : birth records from San Francisco newspapers for the years 1904, 1905 and the first half of 1906          |      |                   |                                 |
| CA : S5 : v12                                                                                                                                                | 101  | <b>FULTON</b>     | <a href="#">LIBRARY CATALOG</a> |
| <b>Title:</b> California DAR GRC report ; s5 v012 : cemetery records of California [bk.12].                                                                  |      |                   |                                 |
| CA : S5 : v9                                                                                                                                                 | 296  | <b>FULTON</b>     | <a href="#">LIBRARY CATALOG</a> |
| <b>Title:</b> California DAR GRC report ; s5 v009 : California cemetery records [bk.9].                                                                      |      |                   |                                 |
| CA : S6 : v45                                                                                                                                                | 131  | <b>FULTON</b>     | <a href="#">LIBRARY CATALOG</a> |
| <b>Title:</b> California DAR GRC report ; s6 v045 : Bible and family records [bk.45].                                                                        |      |                   |                                 |

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## New York, U.S., Family Bible Records, 1581-1917

**Search**  Match all terms exactly

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**Last Name**

**Add family member:** Spouse

Spouse **First & Middle Name(s)**

**Last Name**

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### Related data collections

[U.S., Select Family History and Bible Records Index](#)

Has someone already compiled notes about your Pennsylvania or Mid-Atlantic family? Find out in this index to Family History Notes and Bible Records at the Historical Society of Pennsylvania.

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# QUESTIONS?

# Other Vital Record Substitutes

# City Directories

# City Directories

- Year/date of death or marriage
- Names of children, parents or extended family members
- Name of spouse

Bagg Moses M., physician and surgeon, office over 96 Genesee, h 65 Charlotte.  
Bagg & Roberts, manufacturers of cotton and woolen machinery &c., 1 Cornelia bl Fayette cr Rome.  
Bagg Susan T., (widow of Moses,) bds 285 Genesee.  
Bailey Mrs. Ann, h 28 Fayette.  
Bailey & Brothers, watch and jewelry store, wholesale and retail, 122 Genesee cr Liberty.  
Bailey Charles H., furnace man, bds 32 Columbia.  
Bailey Hugh, silversmith, bds John Bailey.  
Bailey James, (of B. & Brothers,) bds John Bailey.  
Bailey James, medical student, bds Joanna Bailey.  
Bailey Joanna, (widow of Solomon,) h 7 Varick, n s, cr Columbia.  
Bailey Joel C., (of B. & Wheeler,) h. 32 Columbia.  
Bailey John, h 5 Rutger n s e John.  
Bailey Lawrence, grocer and provision store, 5 Varick s s ab Columbia, h same.

# Online Resources

- Ancestry.com- 128 city directories and 131 business/professional directories for NY State
- Buffaloresearch.com- links to Buffalo, NY and Erie County, NY city directories
- Fold3.com- Buffalo and Rochester, NY directories (also NYC)
- Digital Library and archives at AmericanAncestors.org

# On-site Resources

- [loc.gov](http://loc.gov)- Library of Congress- Microform for 150 places in New York
- [nypl.org](http://nypl.org)- New York Public Library- microform for entire State of New York in the Milstein Division of U.S. History, Local History and Genealogy
- [nysl.nysed.gov](http://nysl.nysed.gov)- New York State Library- microform for many places in State of New York

# Newspapers

# New York Newspapers

- Finding newspapers
  - [Nysl.nysed.gov/nysnp](http://Nysl.nysed.gov/nysnp) by N.Y. State Library
  - [Nypl.org/node/5623](http://Nypl.org/node/5623) by N.Y. Public Library
  - [Chroniclingamerica.loc.gov](http://Chroniclingamerica.loc.gov) by Library of Congress
- Digitized newspaper collections
  - [FultonHistory.com](http://FultonHistory.com)
  - [NYSHistoricNewspapers.org](http://NYSHistoricNewspapers.org)
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# Fred Q. Bowman Transcriptions

- *Directory to Collections of New York Vital Records, 1726–1989*
- *10,000 Vital Records of Western New York, 1809–1850*
- *10,000 Vital Records of Central New York, 1813–1850*
- *10,000 Vital Records of Eastern New York, 1777–1834*
- *8,000 More Vital Records of Eastern New York State, 1804–1850*
- *7,000 Hudson-Mohawk Valley (NY) Vital Records, 1808–1850*

# Databases

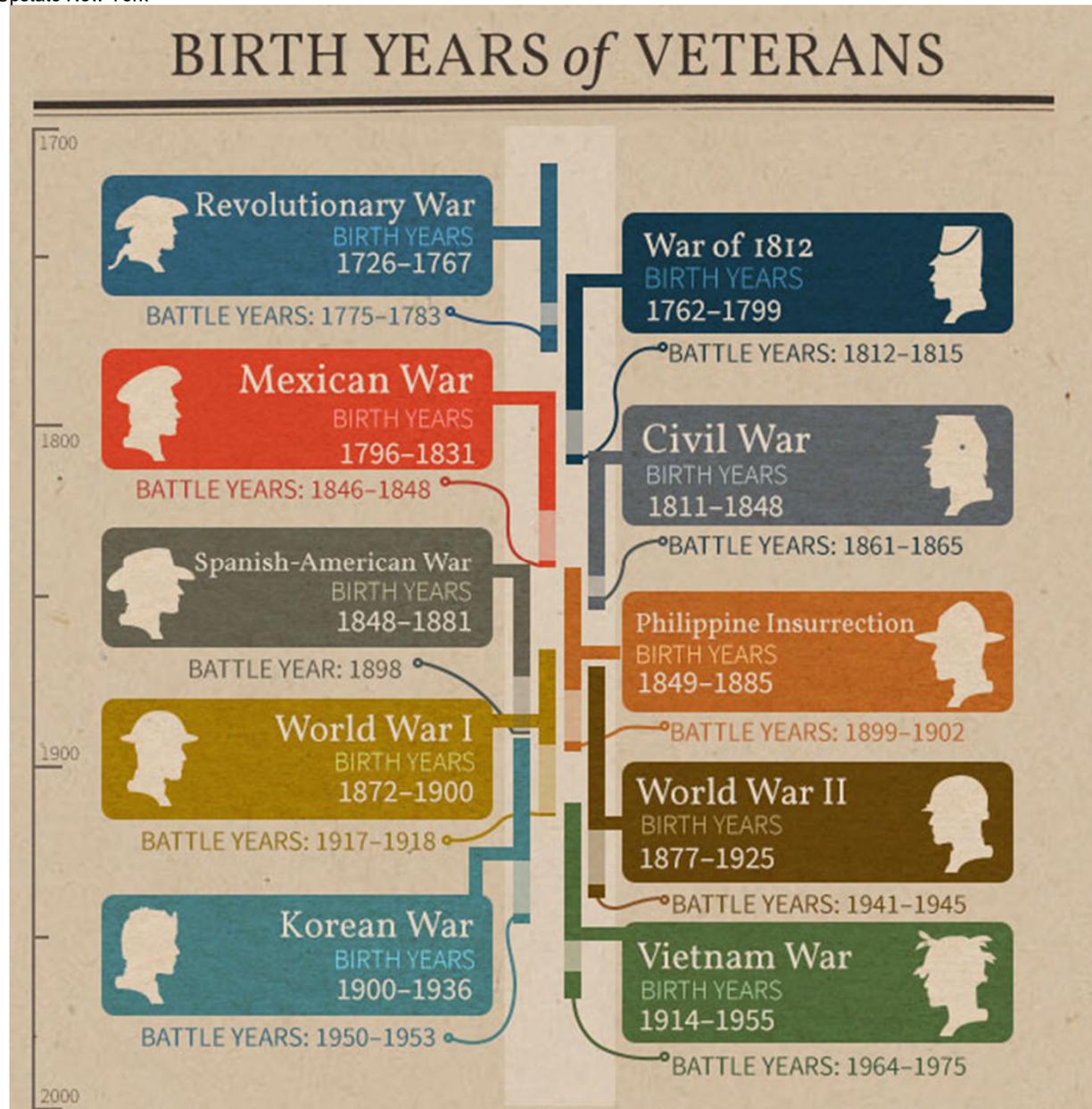
- *Early American Newspapers, Series I, 1690-1876*
- *19th Century U.S. Newspapers*
- *New York Times (1980-present)*
- *PERiodical Source Index (PERSI) at FindMyPast*
- *Newspapers.com*
- *Genealogybank.com*
- *Old Fulton NY Postcards (Fultonhistory.com)*

## Died.

In Chesterfield, May 5th, Isaac Heustis, jr., aged 15 years and 10 months; son of Isaac Heustis, of this town.

*Essex County Republican* May 14, 1853

# Military Records



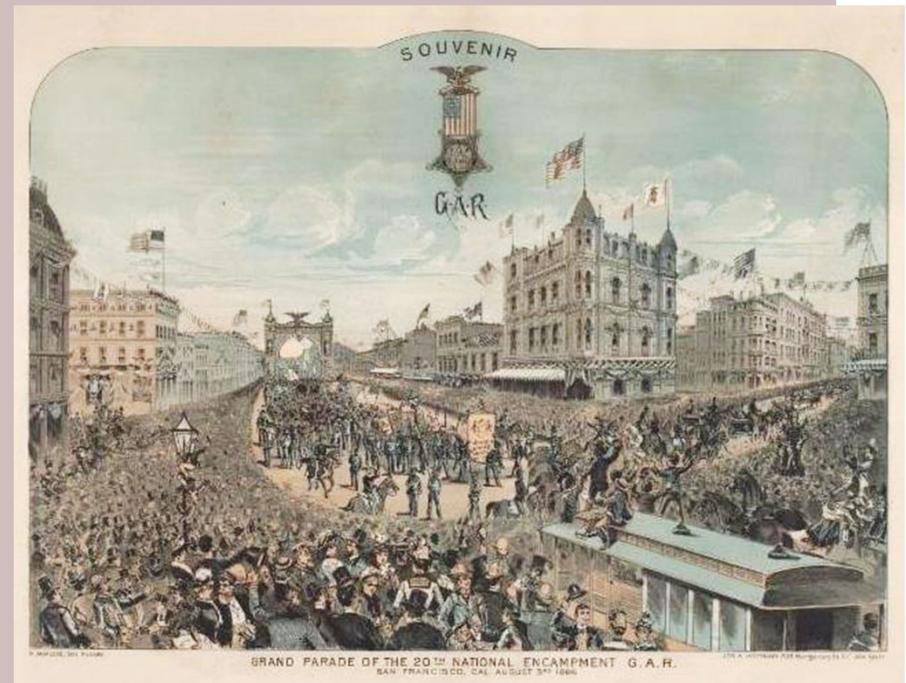
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Use the 1890 Veteran  
Schedule to find  
service

# Veteran Schedule

- Name of surviving soldier, sailor, marine, and widow
- Rank and company
- Name of regiment or vessel
- Date of enlistment
- Date of discharge
- Length of service
- Post office address
- Disability incurred
- Remarks



# 1890-Onondaga, NY

| PAGE      |            | Special Schedule.—Surviving Soldiers, Sailors, and Marines, and Widows, etc. |          |          |                             |                     |                    |                    |      |       |    |    |
|-----------|------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------|-----------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------|-------|----|----|
| 2         |            | S. D.: 8 ; E. D.: 198 ; Minor Civil Division: Onondaga township              |          |          |                             |                     |                    |                    |      |       |    |    |
| House No. | Family No. | NAMES OF SURVIVING SOLDIERS, SAILORS, AND MARINES, AND WIDOWS.               | Rank.    | Company. | Name of Regiment or Vessel. | Date of Enlistment. | Date of Discharge. | Length of Service. |      |       |    |    |
|           |            |                                                                              |          |          |                             |                     |                    | Yrs.               | Mos. | Days. |    |    |
| 1         | 2          | 3                                                                            | 4        | 5        | 6                           | 7                   | 8                  | 9                  | 10   | 11    | 12 |    |
| 13        | 71 72      | Amengio H. Amidon                                                            |          |          |                             |                     | 186                | 186                |      |       |    | 13 |
| 14        | 102 104    | Guinda Widow of Warner Joshua Warner                                         | Private  | E        | 22 N. Y. Cavalry            | Jan 20              | 1864 Aug 19        | 1865               | 1    | 6     | 25 | 14 |
| 15        | 135 137    | Chas. G. Lathrop                                                             | Corporal | D.       | 122 N. Y. Infantry          | Aug 3               | 1862 July 5        | 1865               | 2    | 11    | 2  | 15 |
| 16        | 137 137    | David H. Becker                                                              | Corporal | H.       | 185 N. Y. Inf.              | Sept 5              | 1864 May 30        | 1865               |      | 9     | 20 | 16 |
| 17        | 141 143    | Thomas H. Joyce                                                              | Corporal | D.       | 122 N. Y. Inf.              | Aug 10              | 1862 June 23       | 1865               | 2    | 10    | 13 | 17 |
| 18        | 144 145    | John G. Brian                                                                | Private  | A.       | 111 N. Y. Inf.              |                     | 186                | 1865               |      |       |    | 18 |

# Locating Files

- Email: [Inquire@arch2.nara.gov](mailto:Inquire@arch2.nara.gov)
- Visit [nara.gov](http://nara.gov)
  - [eservices.archives.gov/orderonline/](http://eservices.archives.gov/orderonline/)
  - [Fold3.com](http://Fold3.com) (widow's pension)
- National Archives and Records Administration

# Pension files

- Date of birth and/or death
- Place of birth and/or death
- Names of parents
- Names of children
- Place and date of marriage, including name of spouse

(3-11-3)

|                      |                 |                  |                  |                         |                                                    |  |  |  |  |
|----------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| NAME OF SOLDIER:     |                 |                  |                  |                         | <i>Abair, Lewis</i><br><i>Abear, Lewis (alias)</i> |  |  |  |  |
| NAME OF DEPENDENT:   |                 |                  |                  |                         | Widow. <i>Abair, Minnie</i>                        |  |  |  |  |
| SERVICE:             |                 |                  |                  |                         | <i>9, 12 U.S. Inf.</i>                             |  |  |  |  |
| DATE OF FILING.      | CLASS.          | APPLICATION NO.  | CERTIFICATE NO.  | STATE FROM WHICH FILED. |                                                    |  |  |  |  |
| <i>1874, Nov. 16</i> | <i>Invalid.</i> | <i>197, 161.</i> | <i>147, 602.</i> | <i>N.Y.</i>             |                                                    |  |  |  |  |
| <i>1894, May 26</i>  | <i>Widow.</i>   | <i>597, 776.</i> | <i>432, 845.</i> |                         |                                                    |  |  |  |  |
|                      | <i>Minor.</i>   |                  |                  |                         |                                                    |  |  |  |  |
| ATTORNEY:            |                 |                  |                  |                         |                                                    |  |  |  |  |
| REMARKS:             |                 |                  |                  |                         |                                                    |  |  |  |  |

# Invalid Pension

|                           |                                       |                        |                        |                                |                                                                         |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| <b>NAME OF SOLDIER:</b>   |                                       |                        |                        |                                | <i>Stewart, Arthur B.</i>                                               |  |  |  |  |
| <b>NAME OF DEPENDENT:</b> |                                       |                        |                        |                                | <i>Widow,<br/>Minor,</i>                                                |  |  |  |  |
| <b>SERVICE:</b>           |                                       |                        |                        |                                | <i>13 Batty U S Field Arty<br/>96 U S Arty<br/>63 Co U S Coast Arty</i> |  |  |  |  |
| <b>DATE OF FILING.</b>    | <b>CLASS.</b>                         | <b>APPLICATION NO.</b> | <b>CERTIFICATE NO.</b> | <b>STATE FROM WHICH FILED.</b> |                                                                         |  |  |  |  |
| <i>1910 Sept 13</i>       | <i>Invalid,<br/>Widow,<br/>Minor,</i> | <i>1392416</i>         | <i>1164974</i>         | <i>NY</i>                      |                                                                         |  |  |  |  |
| <b>ATTORNEY:</b>          |                                       |                        |                        |                                | <i>Warren S Smith</i>                                                   |  |  |  |  |
| <b>REMARKS:</b>           |                                       |                        |                        |                                | <i>C2465339</i>                                                         |  |  |  |  |

# Widow

|                    |                              |                                                 |                 |                         |
|--------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| (3-H-3)            |                              |                                                 |                 |                         |
| NAME OF SOLDIER:   |                              | Smith, Chancy L.<br>Stewart, Charles C. (alias) |                 |                         |
| NAME OF DEPENDENT: |                              | Widow,<br>Minor,                                | Smith, Mary E.  |                         |
| SERVICE:           |                              | Co 91 N.Y. Inf.<br>I 76 N.Y. Inf.               |                 |                         |
| DATE OF FILING.    | CLASS.                       | APPLICATION NO.                                 | CERTIFICATE NO. | STATE FROM WHICH FILED. |
| 1887 June 9        | Invalid,<br>Widow,<br>Minor, | 356,187                                         | 266,490         | N.Y.                    |
| ATTORNEY:          |                              |                                                 |                 |                         |
| REMARKS:           |                              |                                                 |                 |                         |

# Mother or Father's Pension

| (3-H-3)             |                                |                           |                 |                         |
|---------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| NAME OF SOLDIER:    |                                | <i>Abbe, Henry</i>        |                 |                         |
| NAME OF DEPENDENT:  | <i>Widow,</i>                  |                           |                 |                         |
|                     | <i>Minor,</i>                  |                           |                 |                         |
|                     | <i>Mother, Abbe, Louisa H.</i> |                           |                 |                         |
| SERVICE:            |                                | <i>H., 141 N. Y. Inf.</i> |                 |                         |
| DATE OF FILING.     | CLASS.                         | APPLICATION NO.           | CERTIFICATE NO. | STATE FROM WHICH FILED. |
|                     | <i>Invalid,</i>                |                           |                 |                         |
|                     | <i>Widow,</i>                  |                           |                 |                         |
|                     | <i>Minor,</i>                  |                           |                 |                         |
| <i>1888, Apr. 6</i> | <i>Mother,</i>                 | <i>370369</i>             | <i>255352</i>   | <i>N. Y.</i>            |
| ATTORNEY:           |                                |                           |                 |                         |
| REMARKS:            |                                |                           |                 |                         |
| <i>6-11-77</i>      |                                |                           |                 |                         |

# Invalid, Widow, and Minor Child

(3-3-3)

**NAME OF SOLDIER:** Mose, Alfred B.

**NAME OF DEPENDENT:**  
 Widow, Mose, Ella E  
 Minor, Mose, Ella E. *Edna*

**SERVICE:** E 189 N.Y. Inf

| DATE OF FILING. | CLASS.   | APPLICATION NO. | CERTIFICATE NO. | STATE FROM WHICH FILED. |
|-----------------|----------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| 1879 May 15     | Invalid, | 286450          | 288120          |                         |
| 1893 Aug 2      | Widow,   | 581070          | 390970          | N.Y.                    |
| 1898 June 25    | Minor,   | 678691          | 480553          | N.Y.                    |

**ATTORNEY:**

**REMARKS:** X.C. 2666842

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3-447.

EASTERN. Division.

*J. S. D., Ex'r.*

Claims No. 1315544 Department of the Interior,  
*Francis Brackett,*  
 Co. F, 1 Regt Mass. Vol. Inf.  
 BUREAU OF PENSIONS,  
 Washington, D. C. June 7, 1904

SIR: To aid this Bureau in preventing any one falsely personating you, or otherwise committing fraud in your name, or on account of your service, you are required to answer fully the questions enumerated below.

You will please return this circular under cover of the inclosed envelope which requires no postage.

Very respectfully,

*Mr. Francis Brackett,*  
*R. F. D. No. 4,*  
*North Ferrisburgh, Wash.*

*E. J. Ware*  
 Commissioner.

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1. When were you born? Answer. August 13<sup>th</sup> 1838

2. Where were you born? Answer. Boston Mass

3. When did you enlist? Answer. About April 15<sup>th</sup> 1861

4. Where did you enlist? Answer. Boston Mass

Proof of birth from a Civil War Pension

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF PENSIONS

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 2, 1915.

SIR: Please answer, at your earliest convenience, the questions enumerated below. The information is requested for future use, and it may be of great value to your widow or children. Use the inclosed envelope, which requires no stamp.

Very respectfully,

*G. M. Saeggebar*

WILLIAM F. OLIVER,  
AVON, MASS.  
406859 ACT MAY.  
PAGE ST.



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No. 1. Date and place of birth? *Answer. East Stoughton (now Avon) July 11, 1847*  
 The name of organizations in which you served? *Answer. 11th Maine Infantry*

No. 2. What was your post office at enlistment? *Answer. East Stoughton, Mass.*

No. 3. State your wife's full name and her maiden name. *Answer. Sadie H. Oliver maiden Sadie E. Heiggin*

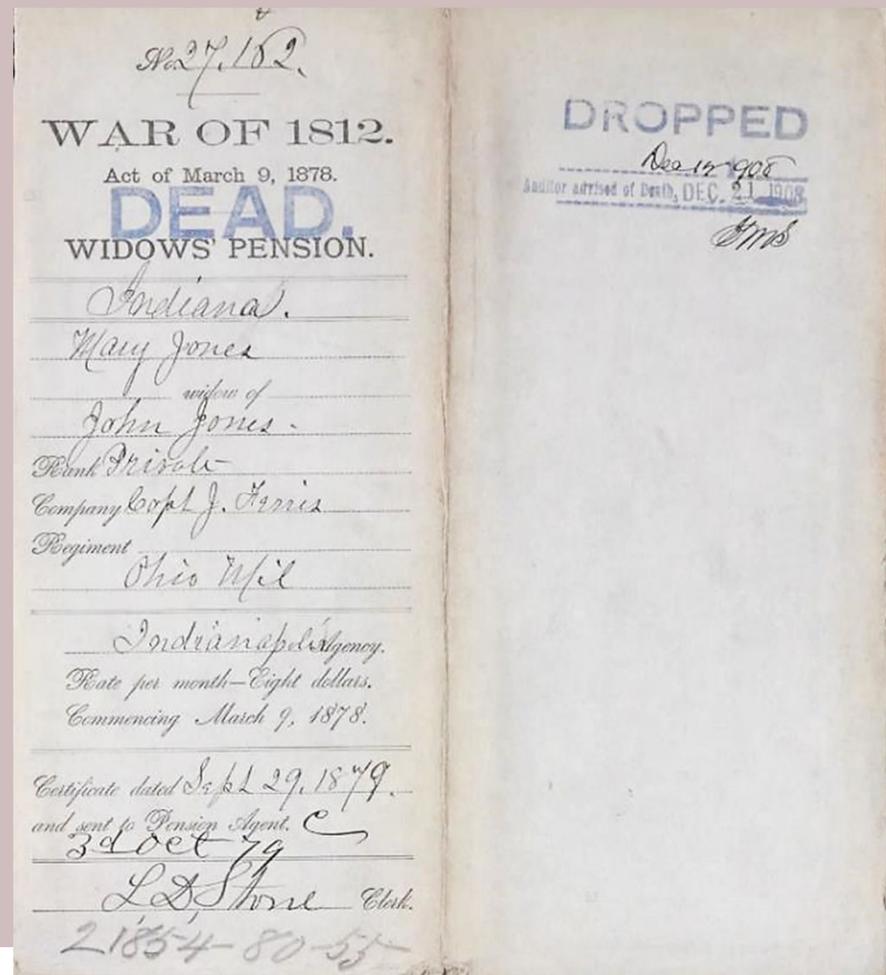
No. 4. When, where, and by whom were you married? *Answer. July 31, 1914. South Braintree, Ma by Rev. John A. Mitchell.*

No. 5. Is there any official or church record of your marriage? *Town Record*  
 If so, where? *Answer. Town Record both Avon and Braintree*

Proof of marriage from a Civil War Pension

# Bills and receipts

- Bills and Receipts for the veteran and his widow billable to the Pension Office
- Last payment to the veteran or widower



# Mug Books/County Histories

# Information Included

- Place and Date of Birth
- Names of Parents, Siblings, and Children (sometimes grandchildren)
- Ancestry
- Political Affiliation
- Occupation and Place of Residence
- Migration History
- Military Service
- Marriage Information
- Fraternal Organizations

er, and some of them were among the colonists of New England, and made their homes in the quaint old city of Salem and in the town of Wareham, Mass., and representatives of the family may still be found in that section of the country. The first to avail himself of the privileges of religious freedom in America was John Raymond, who came hither in 1636. Following him in line of descent were William Raymond Sr., William Raymond Jr. and then in succession three of the name of Daniel, the latter of whom was the father of the gentlemen of whom we write. The grandfather of our subjects was a native of Richmond Township, Greene County, N. Y., whither his father had removed after marriage from his old Massachusetts home to found a new one in the wilderness. He and his wife were also pioneers of Steuben County and hewed out a farm in Cohocton Township, where they died. He had been a patriotic soldier during the Revolution, serving throughout the war, and lived to be nearly ninety years old. The father of our subjects was reared in his native State, and when the War of 1812 broke out he showed himself a worthy son of his sire by enlisting in the service of his country in a New York regi-

proved of one of its most highly prized citizens, who was a man of rare virtue, of force and dignity of character, and was associated with all that was good in his township. He was a Whig in politics and religiously, was a member of the Congregational Church, as was his wife, who died on the old homestead in Michigan, in 1858, at the age of sixty-five years. She was the mother of eight children, of whom six are now living in Michigan.



**E**LIJAH H. AND DANIEL B. RAYMOND, who are well-known and prominent citizens of this county, are conducting farming and stock-raising in partnership, owning and operating a good-sized, well-equipped farm on sections 21 and 22, South Dixon Township, that is in all respects one of the finest estates in this part of Illinois.

The Raymond brothers are scions of the sturdy pioneer stock of Southern Michigan. The elder brother, however, was born in Steuben County, N. Y., prior to the removal of the family to the primeval wilds of that section of the country in territorial days, the date of his birth being May 14, 1821. Daniel B., the youngest member of the household, was born November 2, 1833, in the primitive pioneer home of his parents in the town-

Example from *Portrait and biographical record of Lee County, Illinois*

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