

# Piecing Together the Story: Analyzing Records and Drawing Conclusions

*Class 3: Filling in the Gaps Between Records*

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# OVERVIEW

- **Presentation (60 mins.)**
  - The challenge
  - Records to “fill in the gap”
- **Q&A (30 mins.)**

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List of **Lands, Lots, Buildings** and **Wharves**, owned, possessed or occupied on the 1st day of October 1798, within the District No. 18 in the *second* Division of the State of Massachusetts, excepting only such Dwelling Houses, as, with their Houses appurtenant thereto, and the Lots on which they are erected, not exceeding two Acres in any Case, are above the Value of One Hundred Dollars.

Names of Occupants, or Possessors.	Names of reputed Owners.	In what County, Township, Parish, Town or City, in the Assessment District situated.	Dwelling-Houses and Out-Houses of a Value not exceeding One Hundred Dollars.		QUANTITIES OF						Valuations as determined by the Principal Assessors, including Dwelling-Houses, &c. not exceeding One Hundred Dollars in Value.	Rate per Centum of the Valuations as preferred by the Commissioners.	Valuations as revised and equalized by the Commissioners.		Whole Value of Lands belonging to one Person.			
			Number of Dwelling-Houses.	Value.		Lands, Lots, &c. exempted from Valuation.			Lands, Lots, &c. subject to and included in the Valuation.				Dollars.	Cents.		Dollars.	Cents.	
				Dollars.	Cents.	Acres.	Perches.	square feet.	Acres.	Perches.								square feet.
Simon Kennard	Kennard Simon	Wiltsey M Parish								29	120			290				
		1 <sup>o</sup>								17	120			146				
Hugh Hennison	Hennison Hugh	Ditto								24				237				
		1 <sup>o</sup>								16				96				
		1 <sup>o</sup>								2	12			24				
		1 <sup>o</sup>								4				32				
		1 <sup>o</sup>								10				50				
		1 <sup>o</sup>								3	00			28				
		1 <sup>o</sup>								3	26			16				
St. Dorcas Snowlton	Snowlton In. de Ham	Ditto								1	120			3475				
Proprietors of Wiltsey	Wiltsey Proprietors	Ditto								300				100				
James Littlefield	Littlefield Jeremiah	York 1 <sup>o</sup> Parish	1	90						24				244				
Thomas	Ditto	Ditto								35				250				
Alcut	Ditto	Ditto	1	90						11				214				
Ephaim	Ditto	Ditto								39				222				
David	Ditto	Ditto								8				48				
		1 <sup>o</sup>								10				80				
										25				150				
										20				120				
										13				52				



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# The Challenge: Gaps Between Records

- You may find that your ancestors' circumstances changed significantly between successive record sets like the census, city directories, and tax records:
  - Changes of address and migrations
  - Changes to the family or household structure (births, deaths, adoptions, boarders taken in, etc.)
  - Economic and occupational changes
  - And much more...
- In these situations, it's important to find other record types to help you understand the context for these changes and "fill in the gaps."

# Types of Records to “Fill in the Gap”

# Church Memberships

# Church Record Clues

- When they joined the church. This may indicate when they arrived in the community.
- Who their spouse(s) were.
- Did their children get baptized in the parish and join the church?
- Church disciplinary action against them?
- When they moved to another church or died

MEMBERS OF THE CHURCH		
AT THE		
RESETTLEMENT OF THE MINISTRY,		
MARCH 15, 1815.		
<i>Time of Admiss.</i>	<i>Names of Members.</i>	<i>Explanations.</i>
1768	*William Brewster,	
1773	*Sarah Reed,	Widow of John R.
1777	*Mary Whidden,	Wife of Michael W.
1778	*Catharine Whipple,	Widow of Wm. W.
	Mary Brewster,	Widow of David B.
1781	Hannah Cutter,	Widow of Ammi R. C.
	*Ruth Brewster,	Wife of Wm. B.
	*Anne Haas,	Widow of Wm. H.
1782	Jane Salter,	Widow of John S.
1783	*Sarah Talpey,	Widow of
1784	Mary Austin,	Widow of Daniel A.
	†Elizabeth C. Carter,	Wife of —, (Ando.Ms.)
1786	Martha Grant,	Widow of Daniel G.
1787	Mary DeWolf,	Wife of — (Deerfield,Ms.)
1788	Mary White,	Widow of Wm. W.
	†Deborah Pearson,	Wid. of Abiel P. (And.Ms.)
	Mary Gooch,	Widow of John G.
	*Phebe Sherburne,	Wife of Henry S. (Conw.)
1789	Dorothy Tarlton,	Wife of John T.
	*Elizabeth Hill,	Widow of Dea. Elisha H.
	*Hannah Parcher,	Wife of Henry P.
	†Joseph Wincol,	
1790	Elizabeth Thompson,	Widow of Joseph T.
	Susanna Walker,	
	*Martha Parrott,	Wid. of John (Greenland.)
1791	John Bowles,	
1792	*Elizabeth Salter,	
	*Sarah Rindge,	Widow of Jotham R.
	Hannah Wallingford,	
1793	Mehetabel Melcher,	Wife of John M.
	Sarah Penhallow,	Wife of John P.
1794	*Mary Sherburne,	
	Jerusha Jenkins,	Wife of Jed. J. (S. Berw.)
1796	*Job Harris,	
1798	Temperance Walker,	Wife of Seth W. (Exeter.)

# Census Records

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Bramble continued.

Braintree — continued.

An Enumeration of the Inhabitants of the town of Braintree

Names of Heads of Families.	Free white Males of 16 years and upwards.	Free white Males, under 16 years.	Free white Females.	All other free Persons.	Slaves.	Bramble continued.						Braintree — continued.					
						Names of Heads of Families.	Free white Males of 16 years and upwards.	Free white Males under 16 years.	Free white Females.	All other free Persons.	Slaves.	Names of Heads of Families.	Free white Males of 16 years and upwards.	Free white Males, under 16 years.	Free white Females.	All other free Persons.	Slaves.
Widow Linfield	1	2	4			Widow Davis		1	4			Willi Read	1	1	7		
Sam <sup>e</sup> Linfield	1	2	4			John Stone	2		2			Jeral Beals	1	5	2		
David Linfield	1		2			Timothy Stone	1		1			Joshua French	1	3	2		
Benj Linfield	1	1	1			Gide Fowler Jun	1	2	5			Jon: Curtis	1	2	1		
Willi Linfield	1	1	2			Oben Howard	2		2			Elisha Wales	1	1	4		
Isaac Spear	1	1	4			Hops Bradley	2	1	4			Ledar Allcot		2	3		
Jon: Wales	2	2	3			Elea Bealer	1	3	4			Tho: White	1		4		
John Spear	1		2			John French	2	5	3			Alex Thayer	1		2		
Arthur Wales	1	2	4			Benj Hudson	2	2	3			Heze: Luding	1	1	4		
Eph Wales	5	2	4			Joshua Clark	1	3	2			Ruben Thayer	1	1	1		
Richard Thayer	3	2	4			Benj Mann	1	2	5			Adam Hollis	1	2	3		
Wth Turner	1	1	5			Lot White	1	1	2			Nat: Hubbard	1		2		
Wth Turner Jun	1	1	3			Lothrop	1		2			Tho: West	1	2	2		
						Jacob Spear	1	2	4			Edw Faxon	2	4	2		
						Seth Hunt	1	1	3			Fred Read	2	1	4		

1790 Census, Braintree, Massachusetts, Ancestry.com

# U.S. Federal Census Records

- The U.S. federal census created in 1790 has been a valuable tool for tracking the movement of families across the United States.
- After 1850, the entire household was named not simply the head of household 1790-1840.
- Starting in 1880 the U.S. Census included the relationship to the head of household.



Family of Alexander & Clista Poor



STATE Massachusetts COUNTY Norfolk TOWNSHIP OR OTHER DIVISION OF COUNTY Milton NAME OF INCORPORATED PLACE Milton (part of) ENUMERATED BY ME ON THE 12 DAY OF May 1910. SUPERVISOR'S DISTRICT No. 117 ENUMERATION DISTRICT No. 1126 SHEET No. 24 A

HOUSEHOLD	PERSONAL DESCRIPTION	RELATION	NAME	LOCATION	SATIETY			CITIZENSHIP	EDUCATION	OCCUPATION	INDUSTRY	EDUCATION	INDUSTRY	EDUCATION	INDUSTRY	EDUCATION	INDUSTRY	EDUCATION	INDUSTRY
					Place of Birth of this Person	Place of Birth of Father of this Person	Place of Birth of Mother of this Person												
74 409 480	Francis Edward	Head	28 11 51 194 36	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Maine	English	None	Printer	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Christa C	Wife	27 11 27 191 36	Massachusetts	New Hampshire	New Hampshire	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	August	Son	7 11 23 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Hellie J	Son	7 11 23 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Raymond	Son	7 11 23 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	William	Son	7 11 23 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
81 414 485	William F	Head	27 11 30 18	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	Printer	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Alma Helen	Wife	27 11 30 18	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Willa Gertrude	Daughter	12 11 64 194 32	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Anna E	Wife	27 11 63 194 32	Massachusetts	New Hampshire	Maine	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
92 414 486	Bourne Frank S	Head	24 11 35 194 2	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	Printer	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Anna	Wife	27 11 28 194 1	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Anna	Daughter	3 11 1 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
101 416 487	Littlefield David G	Head	26 11 61 194 19	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	Printer	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Maria C	Wife	27 11 61 194 19	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Ed George W	Son	14 11 75 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
103 414 488	Young George E	Head	24 11 45 194 11	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	Printer	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Henriette	Wife	27 11 46 194 18	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Chase Alice	Son	7 11 20 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
105 415 489	Purton Frank A	Head	26 11 43 194 20	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	Printer	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Esther	Wife	27 11 42 194 20	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Julia	Daughter	7 11 19 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Madeline	Daughter	7 11 16 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
107 416 490	Olphig Joseph W	Head	26 11 47 194 11	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	Printer	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Joseph	Son	7 11 16 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Paul	Son	21 11 18 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Ray Charles	Son	7 11 53 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
107 416 491	Maguire James	Head	26 11 46 194 1	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	Printer	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Elizabeth	Wife	27 11 44 194 1	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
121 417 492	Fisher William W	Head	27 11 60 194 2	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	Printer	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Arthur J	Son	26 11 34 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Esther Bridget	Daughter	26 11 57 194 9	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Alice B	Daughter	27 11 36 194 9	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	William L	Son	26 11 7 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
122 418 493	Carver Frank B	Head	26 11 35 194 3	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	Printer	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Katharine	Wife	27 11 38 194 3	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Frank B	Son	26 11 2 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
3 419 494	Thompson William	Head	27 11 51 194 18	Virginia	Virginia	Virginia	English	None	Printer	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Esther C	Wife	26 11 8 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Elizabeth Madeline	Daughter	7 11 12 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
33 420 495	Wesley Henry J	Head	24 11 74 194 25	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	Printer	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Esther	Wife	27 11 38 194 25	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	William M	Son	24 11 43 194 25	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Jessie	Wife	27 11 45 194 25	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Henry H	Son	24 11 19 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Josephine	Daughter	27 11 12 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Frank W	Son	21 11 9 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
	Fanny	Daughter	27 11 6 8	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	None	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	
50 422 497	Lawrence Robert A	Head	26 11 37 194 16	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Massachusetts	English	None	Printer	None	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	

see 4 B line 51

# 1910 U.S. Census – Milton, Norfolk County



Form 15-4  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE—BUREAU OF THE CENSUS  
FIFTEENTH CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES: 1930  
POPULATION SCHEDULE

State Massachusetts Incorporated place Milton Town Enumeration District No. 11-66 Sheet No. 1 B  
 County Norfolk Ward of city \_\_\_\_\_ Block No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Township or other division of county Milton Village Unincorporated place Milton Village Institution \_\_\_\_\_  
 Enumerated by me on April 2, 1930 John A. Lyons \_\_\_\_\_

Serial number of person in family	Sex	Age	Race	Color	Marital status	Education	Place of birth	Mother tongue	Citizenship	Occupation and industry	Employment	Veterans	PLACE OF ABODE		HOME DATA		PERSONAL DESCRIPTION		EDUCATION		PLACE OF BIRTH			MOTHER TONGUE OR NATIVE LANGUAGE OF FOREIGN BORN			CITIZENSHIP, ETC.				OCCUPATION AND INDUSTRY				EMPLOYMENT		VETERANS								
													1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	
51	M	11	13	16	W	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
52	F	11	13	16	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
53	F	11	14	16	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
54	M	17	15	17	M	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
55	F	17	15	17	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
56	F	17	15	17	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
57	F	17	15	17	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
58	M	17	15	17	M	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
59	F	17	15	17	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
60	F	17	15	17	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
61	F	17	15	17	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
62	F	17	15	17	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
63	M	17	16	20	M	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
64	F	17	16	20	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
65	F	17	16	20	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
66	F	17	16	20	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
67	F	17	16	20	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
68	F	17	16	20	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
69	F	17	16	20	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
70	M	17	16	20	M	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
71	F	17	16	20	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
72	F	17	16	20	F	Married	Massachusetts	English	U.S. born	None	None	None	None	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
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## Census Overview 1900-1930

- 1900: Boston (Dorchester), Suffolk County, Mass.
- 1910: Milton, Norfolk County, Mass.
- 1920: Somerville, Middlesex County, Mass.
- 1921: Dorchester, Mass. - *Alexander L. Poor dies*
- 1930: Milton, Norfolk County, Mass.
- 1933: Dorchester, Mass. *Clista A. (Gale) Poor dies*



Lillian Mae (Poor) (MacDonald) Lea

# Lillian Mae Poor

- 1900-1910: On the census with her parents
- 1916: Married to Daniel Archibald MacDonald
- 1917: Daughter - Annabell MacDonald (stillborn)
- 1918: Daughter - Jessie Lillian MacDonald
- 1919: Daughter – Doris Frances MacDonald
- *Where did she live after this?*



# 1921-1930

- 1921: Dorchester, Mass. Her husband Daniel A. MacDonald dies.
- 1925: Dorchester, Mass. She remarries to John Samuel Lea.
- 1925: Wakefield, Mass. Son – John S. Lea born
- 1925-1927: Move to Toronto, Ontario, Canada
- 1927-1930: Children Ralph, Alice and Joan born in Toronto.



Class 3: Piecing Together the Story: Analyzing Records and Drawing Conclusions

State Mass Incorporated place Dorchester Ward of city 15 Unincorporated place \_\_\_\_\_  
 County Suffolk Township or other division of county \_\_\_\_\_ Block No. 17 Institution \_\_\_\_\_  
 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE—BUREAU OF THE CENSUS  
 SIXTEENTH CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES: 1940  
 S. D. No. 12 E. D. No. 15-538 Sheet No. 7 B  
 Enumerated by me on April 9 1940  
Robert E. Fleming

LOCATION	HOUSEHOLD DATA						NAME	RELATION	PERSONAL DESCRIPTION	EDUCATION	PLACE OF BIRTH	RESIDENCE, APRIL 1, 1940	PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER—EMPLOYMENT STATUS																																							
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SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTIONS				FOR PERSONS OF ALL AGES				FOR PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER				FOR ALL WOMEN WHO ARE OR HAVE BEEN MARRIED				FOR OFFICE USE ONLY—DO NOT WRITE IN THESE COLUMNS															
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Thea Kate Miles				Belgium				Belgium				48				48				48											

SYMBOLS AND EXPLANATIONS: NOTES  
 Col. 1. VALUE OF HOME, OF OWNED: When owner's household value is \$5,000 or more, the value of the house is reported by the owner of a household house which is approximately equal to the value of the structure.  
 Col. 2. COLOR OR RACE: White, Neg, Other.  
 Col. 3. AGE AT LAST BIRTHDAY: When age is given, it is the age on the date of the last birthday.  
 Col. 4. HIGHEST GRADE OF SCHOOL COMPLETED: Elementary school, less than high school; High school, less than high school; High school, less than high school; High school, less than high school.  
 Col. 5. EMPLOYMENT STATUS: Unemployed, employed.  
 Col. 6. SEX OF PERSON AT WORK: Male, Female.  
 Col. 7. TYPE OF WORK: Agriculture, manufacturing, construction, etc.  
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# 1940: Dorchester, Suffolk County

## Census Overview 1920-1940

- 1920 U.S. Census: Dorchester, Suffolk County, Mass.
- 1930 U.S. Census: **Living in Toronto, Ontario**
- 1931 Canadian Census: **Living in Needham, Mass.**
- 1940 U.S. Census: Dorchester, Suffolk County, Mass.
- 1950 U.S. Census: Dorchester, Suffolk County, Mass.
- 1960, 1970, 1980 U.S. Census: Stoughton, Norfolk County, Mass.

# Tax Records

# Census Substitute

- Tax records should be treated as a census substitute (ex. 1890 Census)
- They place someone in a specific location and year (sometimes down to the month)
- Annually recorded in most cases. Good to use between the decennial census records.

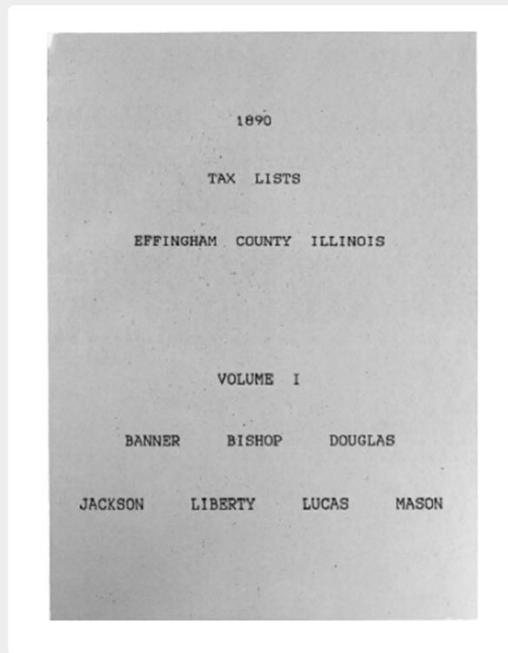
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TAXABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE TOWN OF BANNER, EFFINGHAM COUNTY, ILLINOIS  
Assessed for the Year 1890

<u>In Whose Name Assessed</u>	<u>Subdivision of Section</u>	<u>Sec-Twp-R</u>	<u>No. of Acres</u>	<u>Assessed Value</u>	<u>Total Tax Due</u>	<u>By Whom Paid</u>
WAGNER, A.	NE	19 9 5	40	\$ 285	\$ 5.44	A. Wagner
KESSLER, A.	W $\frac{1}{2}$	NE	80	606	11.58	A. Kessler
MANN, N.	SE	NE	40	276	5.27	N. Mann
WILSON, H.	N $\frac{1}{2}$	NW	80	243	6.33	Wilson
HOLMES, R.S.	S $\frac{1}{2}$	NW	80	490	9.38	Wm. Gruenwald
Same	N $\frac{1}{2}$	SW	80	490	9.38	Same
RADLOFF, E.	S $\frac{1}{2}$	SW	80	606	11.58	Ed Radloff
MANN, N.	SE	Qr	160	1305	24.93	A. Mann
WAGNER, A.	NE	Qr 20 9 5	160	1085	19.86	A. Wagner
Same	NW	Qr	160	1179	22.52	A. Wagner
CONRAD, C.	N $\frac{1}{2}$	SW	80	576	11.00	Z. Konrad
FULTE, R.	S $\frac{1}{2}$	SW	80	595	11.37	R. Fulte
REATZ, W.	N $\frac{1}{2}$	SE	80	535	9.80	W. Reatz
Same	W $\frac{1}{2}$	SW SE	20	141	2.59	Same
JOHNSON, M.	E $\frac{1}{2}$	SW SE	20	151	2.77	M. Johnson
Same	SE	SE	40	280	5.14	Same
BRIDWISER, J.	N $\frac{1}{2}$	NE 21 9 5	79	552	10.11	John Bridwiser
WASE, G. Jr.	S $\frac{1}{2}$	NE	80	606	12.73	Charles Breuchard
HEIDEN, Chas.	NW	Qr	160	1187	21.73	Chas. Heiden
KNOPPE, A.	N $\frac{1}{2}$	SW	80	606	11.10	A. Knop
ROBINSON, M.	SW	SW	40	280	5.14	M. Robinson
KNOPP, H.	SE	SW	40	280	5.14	H. Knopp

## 1890 Tax List, Banner, Effingham County, Illinois

# Financial Wealth

- Tax records can help lead you to land deeds, to learn more about an ancestor's property
- Many tax records describe the types of buildings that the taxpayer had (house, mill, etc.), sometimes down to the acreage

# Build a Timeline

- You can follow the taxpayer over multiple years to build a timeline of their life.
- Free white males 16 or older were required to pay taxes in colonial America
- Free white single or widowed women also paid taxes (*femme sole* status)
- The absence of someone from a tax record usually indicates someone moved or died



# QUESTIONS?

# Land Records

## Proprietor Records and Deeds

# Who Were Proprietors?

- The colony courts assigned grants of land to groups of settlers.
- These settlers formed Proprietorship Committees to distribute land to settle towns.
- These records in many cases pre-date the county deeds recorded for a community.

# Where to find proprietor records?

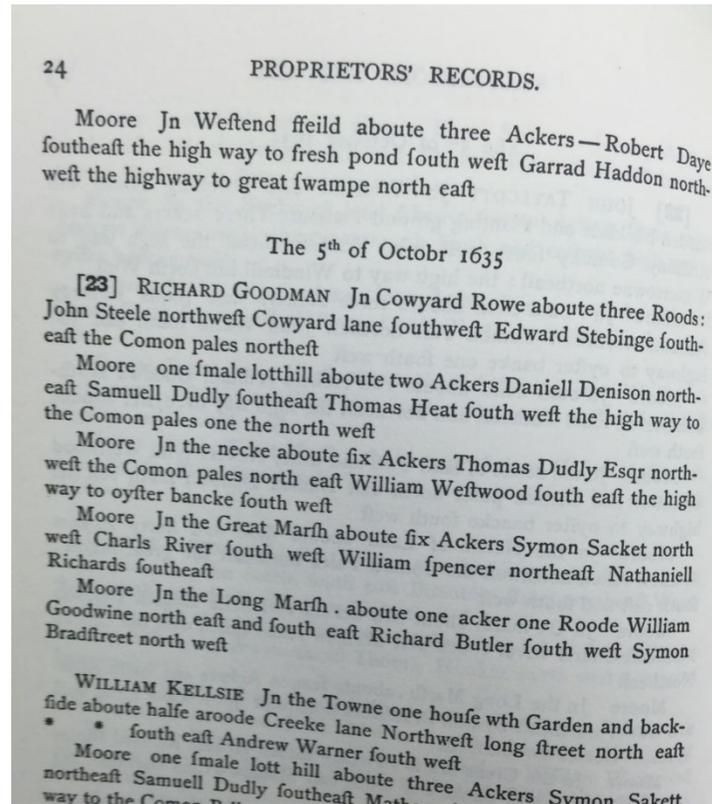
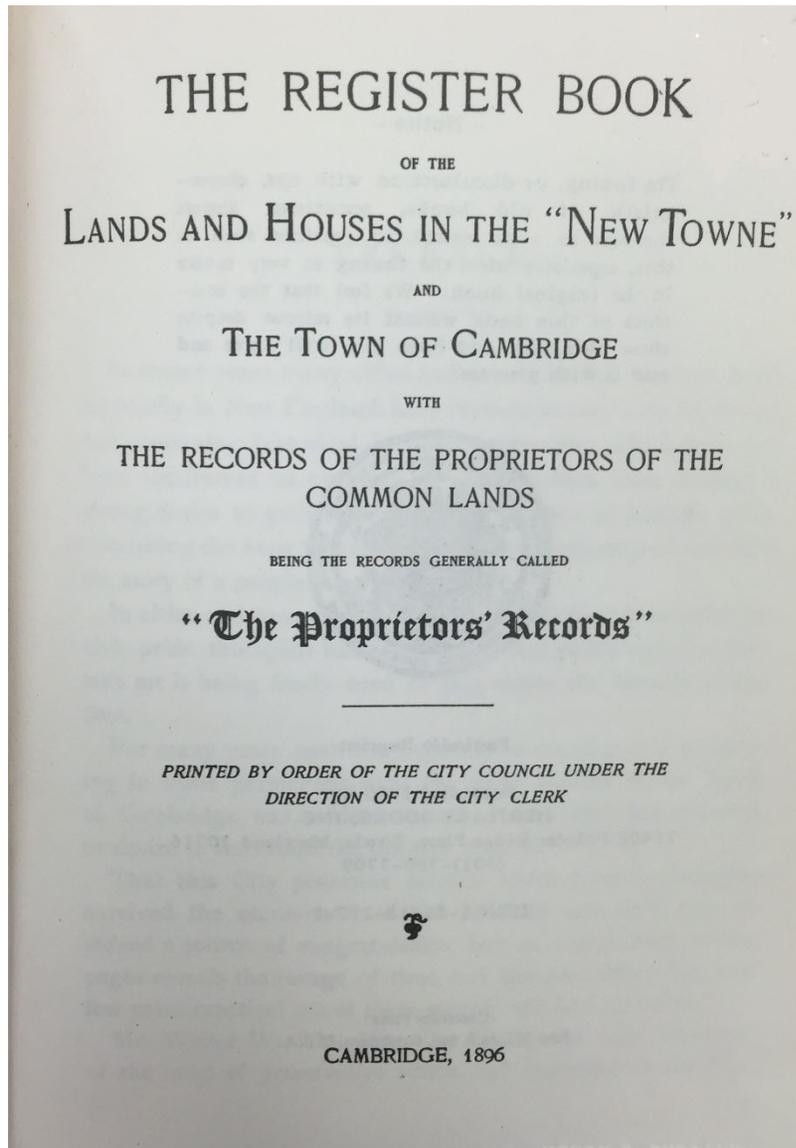
Town Halls, Town Clerk, Tax Office or assessor

County Registry of Deeds

Libraries and local historical societies

Family History Library microfilm

Published transcriptions of Proprietor records



## Cambridge, Mass Proprietors' Records

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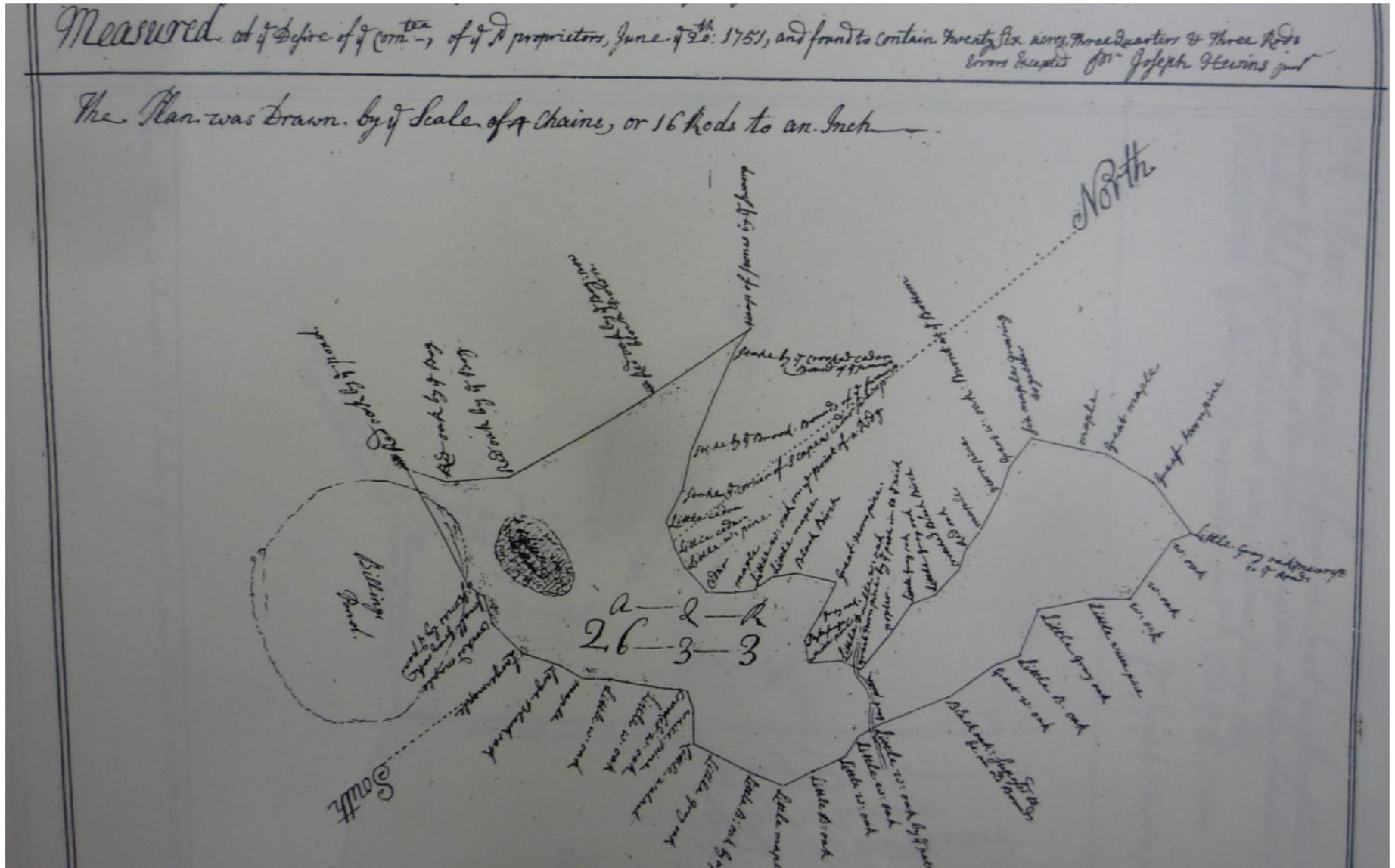
Tax Records can  
indicate when your  
ancestor was paying  
real estate tax

Names.	Province.			Town	County	Total all the Province
	Doll. £. S. D.	Real. £. S. D.	Pay. £. S. D.			
N. Ebenezer Newcomb, <u>Drain-tree</u>	X . .	. 3 6	. . .	. 3 6	. 3 7	. . 5 . 7 6
P. Cap. William Pierce	X . .	. 2 8	. . .	. 2 9	. 2 10	. . 4 . 5 11
R. David Rayson, <u>Drain-tree</u>	X . .	. 17 2	. . .	. 17 2	. 17 7	. 2 . 1 16 9
S. James Swift	+ 12 3	. 2 4	. . 5	. 15 .	. 15 5	. 1 9 1 12 2
W. John Webb	X 4 6	. . .	. . .	1 4 6	1 5 1	. 3 . 2 12 7
Joseph Woodward	X 12 3	. . .	. . .	. 12 3	. 12 7	. 1 5 1 6 3
Joseph Whiston	X 12 3	. . .	. . .	. 12 3	. 12 7	. 1 5 1 6 3
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			To be paid you out of Town Treasury			6 . 7 0
			Total you are to pay to Province Treasurers			49 . 2 11

## Tax Records of Proprietors

# Tip:

You ancestor did not need to  
reside in a community to own  
land there.



## Proprietorship Maps with Abutters

# Tip:

Use Proprietor records to determine the earliest date of settlement for your family in the 17th and 18th century.

# Land Deeds

Grantor/Seller

Grantee/Buyer

Abutting neighbors

Land Measurements

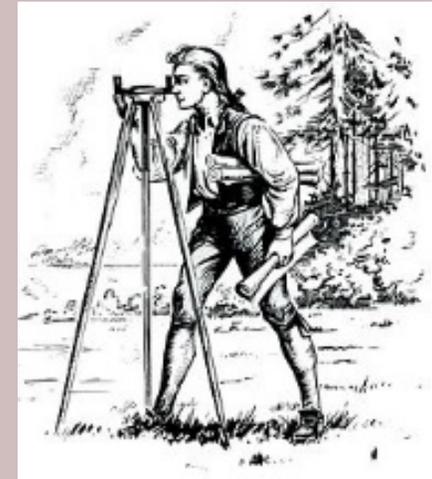
To all People to whom these presents shall come Greeting KNOW YE that  
I Edward Sargent of Newbury in y<sup>e</sup> County of Essex in the Province of y<sup>e</sup> Massachusetts  
Bay in New England Gentleman for and in Consideration of the fact that I have  
twelve p<sup>cs</sup> Twenty five pounds in good Province bill of Credit to me well & truly  
in hand paid of Thomas Arnold of Newbury afores<sup>d</sup> Mairiner y<sup>e</sup> Receipt whereof  
I do hereby Acknowledge & myself therewith fully Satisfied & Contented have  
given granted bargained & sold and by these presents do give grant bargain  
sell aliene Convey & Confirm unto the said Thomas Arnold his heirs & Assignes  
all that one Certain Mortgage or Tenement Lying & being in Newbury  
afores<sup>d</sup> at Merrimack River bounded as followeth, by Joseph Greenleaf  
Westerly by Merrimack River Northerly by Moses Little Easterly and by the  
highway southerly with one Dwelling house Warehouse & Wharf thereupon  
standing & being together with Garden & fence & part of an well Digged by  
John Cuffe upon said Land the said Land & parts thereof a Quarter of an acre or there  
some more or less withall y<sup>e</sup> appurtenances thereto belonging TO HAVE & HOLD  
to him the said Thomas Arnold his heirs & Assignes as a good perfect & Absolute Estate of  
Inheritance to him & them to his and their own only benefit use & behoofe Inheritance  
forever, and I the said Edward Sargent for my self & my heirs do Covenant promise  
& grant to and with y<sup>e</sup> said Thomas Arnold his heirs & Assignes in form & manner  
following (viz) That Immediately before y<sup>e</sup> Enrolling hereof Jam<sup>y</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> June 1688  
and

Location of Land

Essex County, Massachusetts Land Deed, Edward Sargent of Newbury to Thomas Arnold of Newbury

# Land Measurements

- 1 mile: 80 chains, 320 poles, rods or perches = 5,280 ft.
- 1 chain: 4 poles, rods perches is 66 ft., or 100 links.
- 1 pole, rod or perch: 25 links, 16 ½ ft.
- 1 link: 7.92 inches



## Tips for Analyzing Land Deeds

- Note where the buyer and seller's residence is at the time of the sale. This is a key clue for identifying migration.
- Look for deeds where a husband is selling property. If his wife is living, first name will be referenced in the deed and/or the court inquiry to release her dower.
- Note the deed witnesses and abutting neighbors. They may be relatives of either party.
- Look for phrases like "in consideration of natural affection" to identify family members.
- Quit claim and power of attorney deeds are useful for documenting the children of a deceased parent.

1650  
To all Christian People to whom these presents shall come Greeting  
I send you I Samuel Sharp of Wallingford in the County of  
New-Haven & Colony of Connecticut in New-England Greeter for  
in Consideration of my naturall affection & Fatherly love which  
I have & have unto my wellbelov'd Son in Law Edward ffen-  
of Wallingford afore said plantex as also for other good  
Causes & Considerations me therunto specially moving have  
given & granted & by these presents Doe give grant & Confirme  
unto said Belov'd Son in Law Edward ffen one peice or parcel

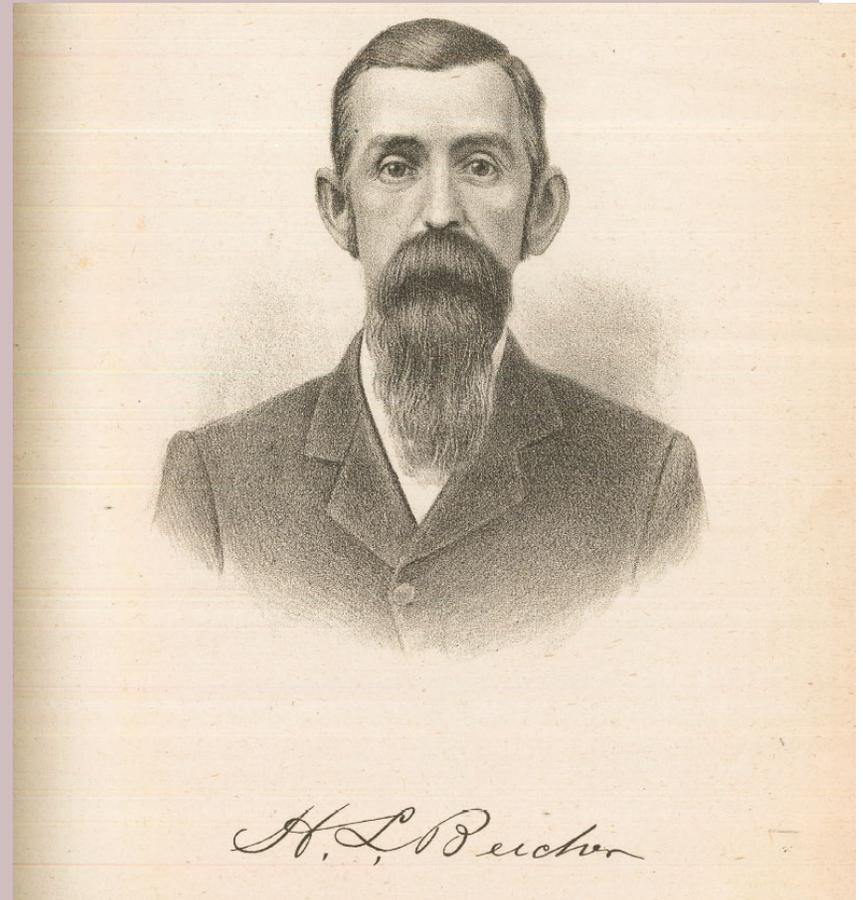
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# Published County Histories “Mug Books”

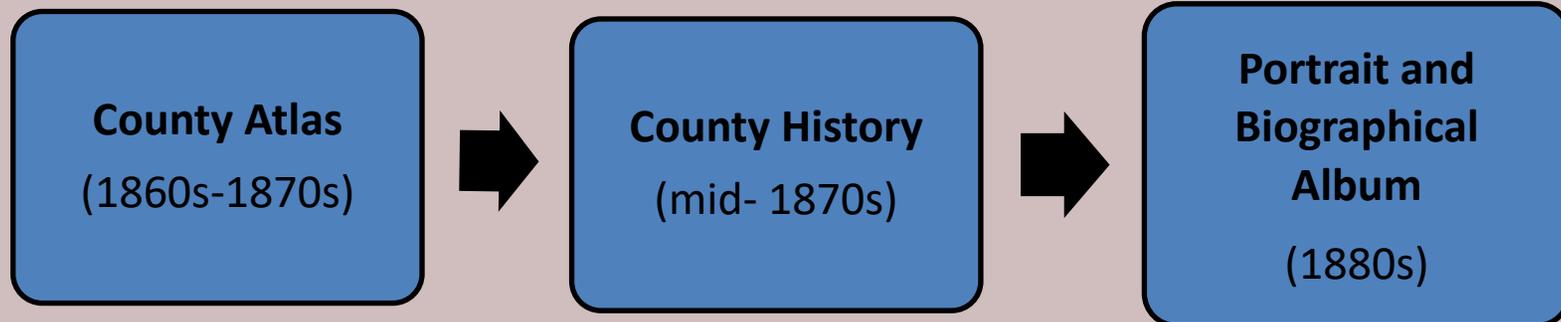
# What is a mug book?

# Mug Books

- **Mug-** The face or mouth of a person *informal; M-W*
- **Mug Books-** county history books which included biographical sketches of residents. They were sold by subscription in advance of printing at the end of the 19<sup>th</sup> century and beginning of the 20<sup>th</sup> centuries *A to Zax (p. 180)*

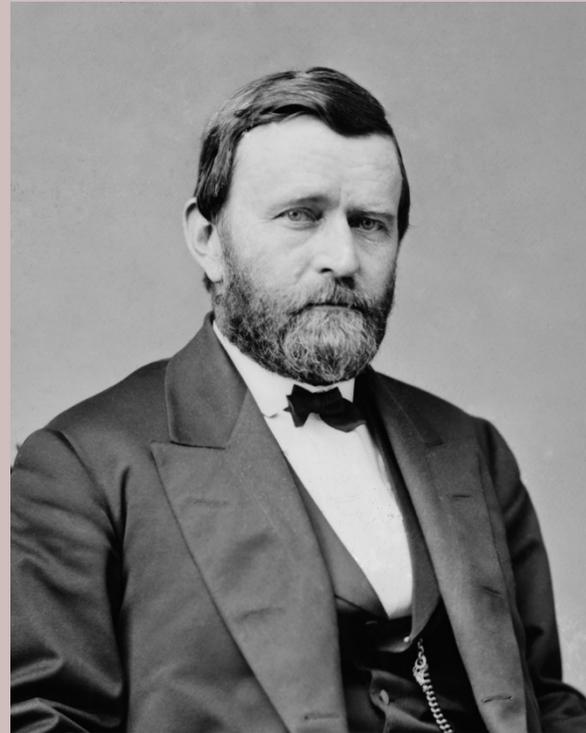


# Evolution of County Books



# Centennial Proclamation

May 1876- President Grant endorsed a congressional resolution recommending that every county and town produce- “an historical sketch of said county or town from its formation”



# Patriotic and Democratic



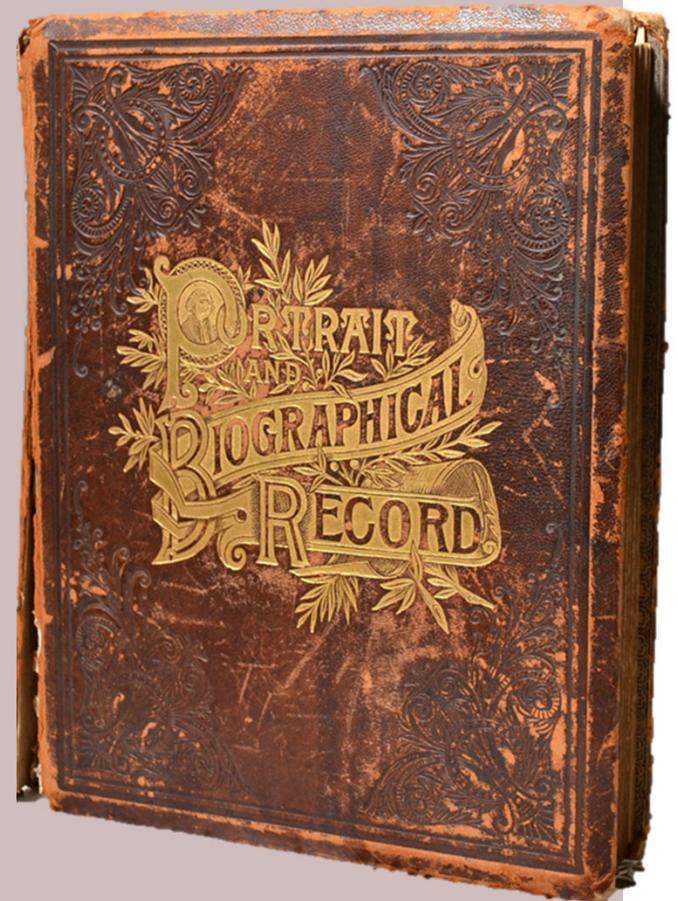
- Self-made success- not just of the man, but also the county/town
- Immigrants were included as pioneers
- Rural, small town accomplishment
- Part of the larger, national narrative

# ***Portrait and Biographical Record of Lee County, Illinois***

*“Instead of going to musty records, and taking therefrom dry statistical matter that can be appreciated by but few, our corps of writers have gone to the people, the men and women who have, by their enterprise and industry, brought the county to rank second to none among those comprising this great and noble State, and from their lips have the story of their life struggles...a record of many whose lives are worthy the imitation of coming generations. It tells how some, commencing life in poverty, by industry and economy have accumulated wealth.”*

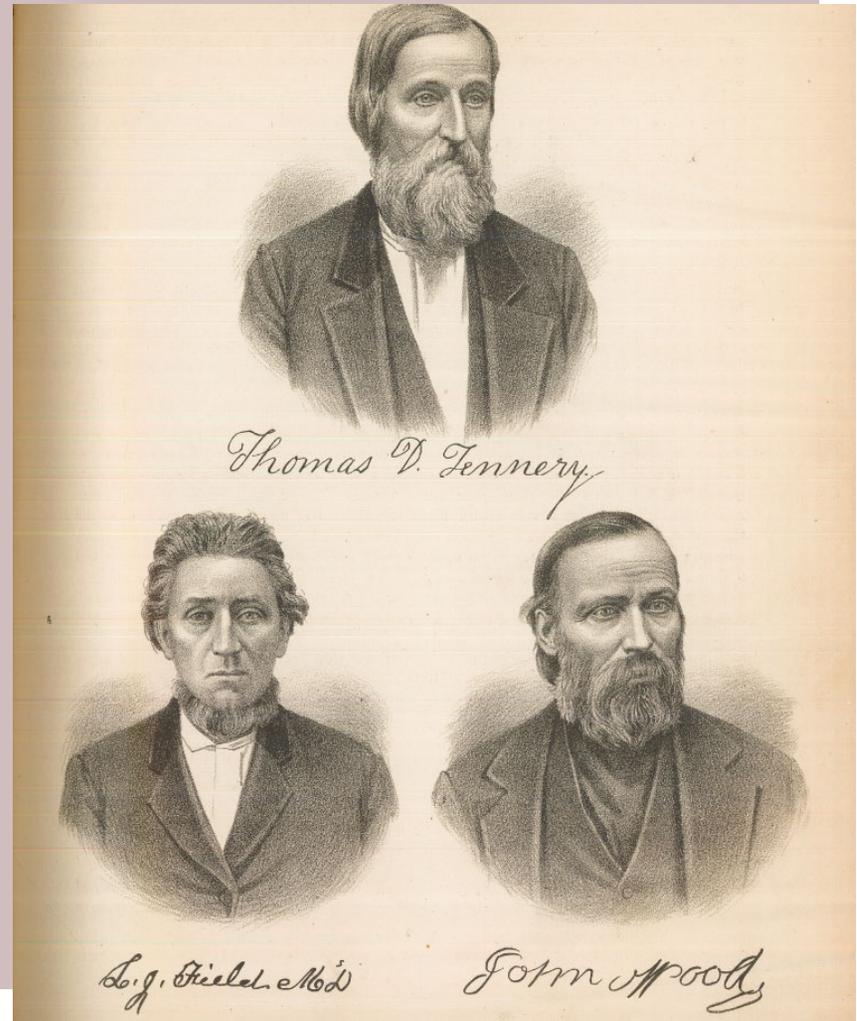
# Flowery Language and Stylized Printing

“Our subject experienced all the hardships and trials of pioneer life in a newly settled country...in 1863 he rented a farm in Nelson Township, and by careful economy was able, in a few years, to purchase the farm that he had rented, but did not have the cash enough to pay the whole price at once. He now has nearly the whole of it under a high state of cultivation, has cleared off the encumbrance, freeing himself entirely from debt and has made many fine improvements, including a large barn built in 1883. His farm is one of the most attractive places in this vicinity, everything about it being kept up to a high standard, showing the presence of a master mind and hand.”



# Who was included?

- White Males (some females-spinsters/widowers)
- Farmers, Small Businessmen, Professionals (such as Lawyers and Doctors), teachers, and religious officials.
- Living persons (some in memoriam)



# 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

# Are My Ancestors Included?

# Popularity

1. **‘Representative Citizens’**- 500-1000 subscriptions were essential to the profitability of the book
2. **Prosperity**- Midwest \$\$, Southern States during Reconstruction had limited funds (depending on the book, \$25 sketch and \$125 portrait and sketch)
3. **Small, Rural Towns**- Northeast and Mid-Atlantic are not as well represented because of their demography

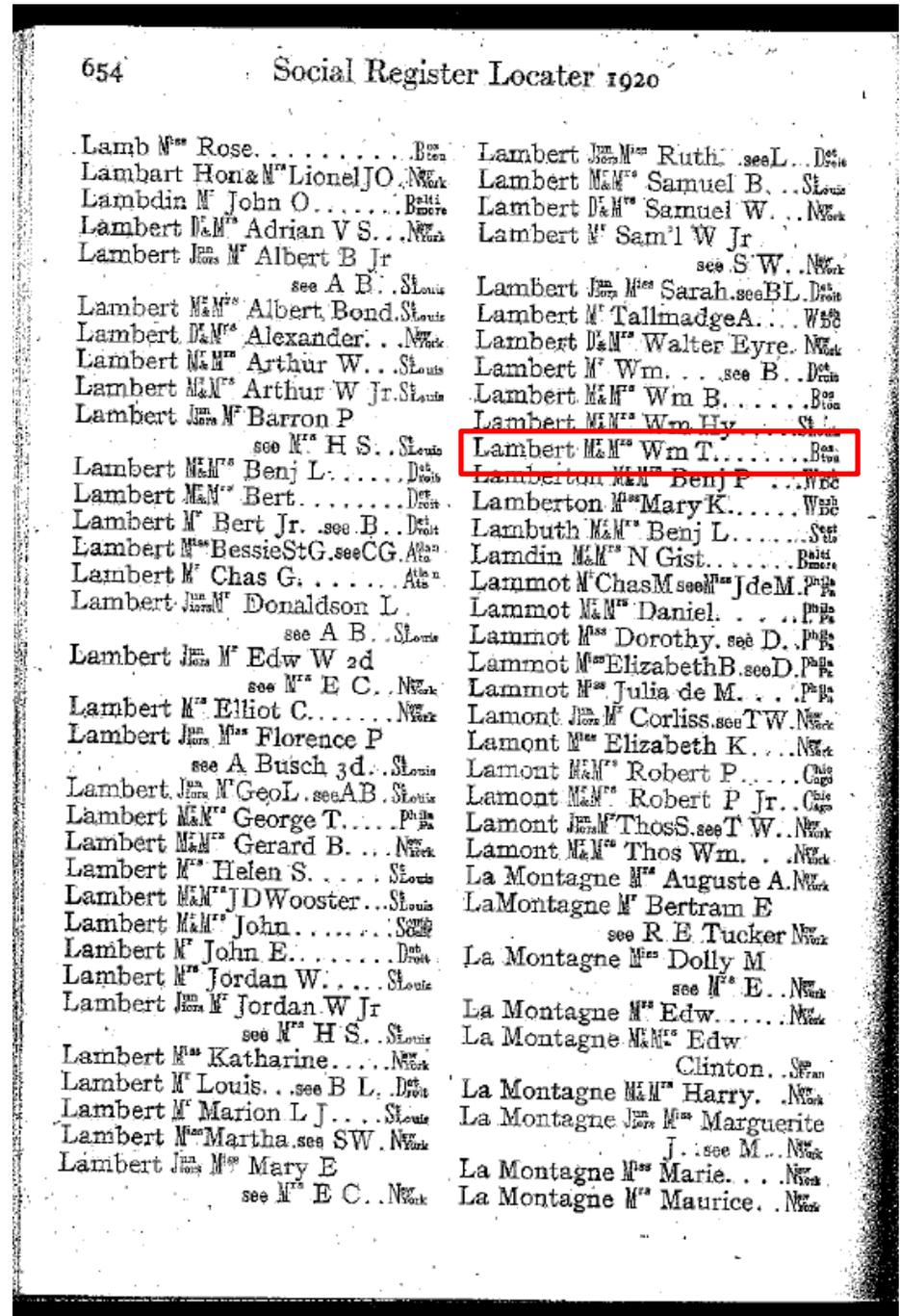
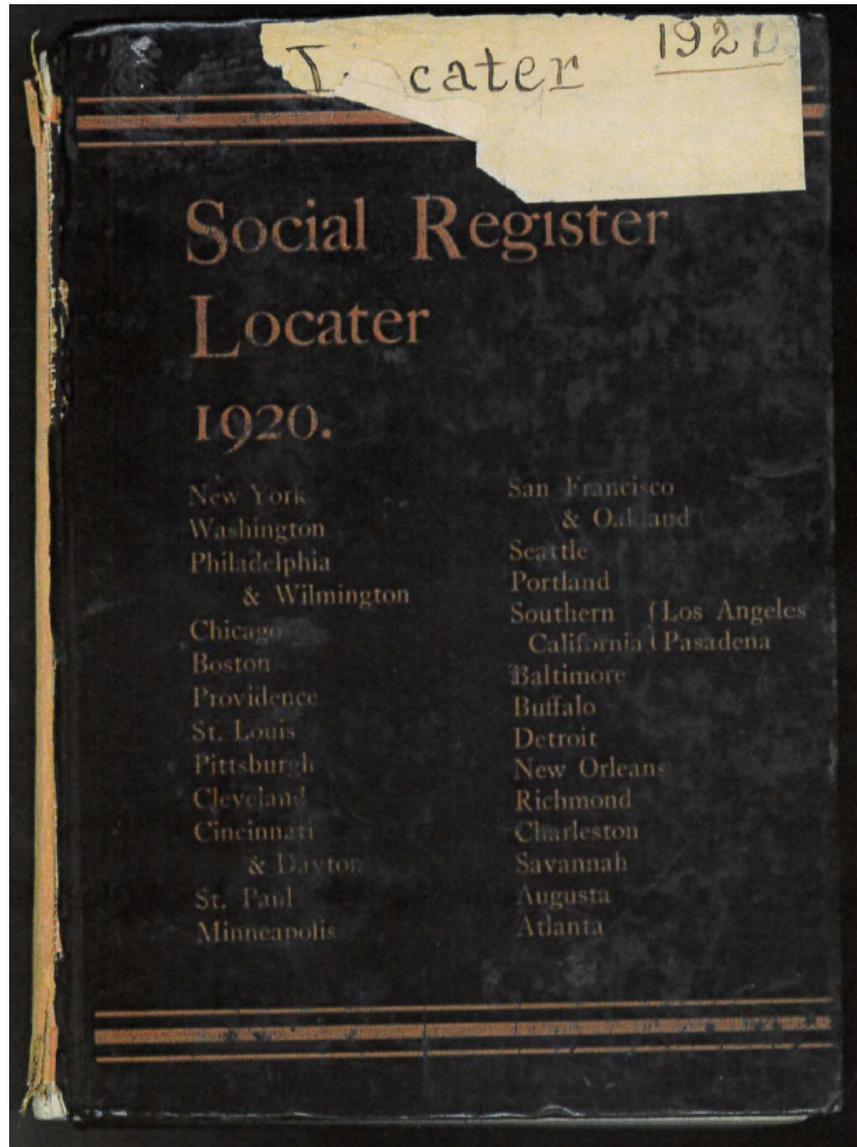


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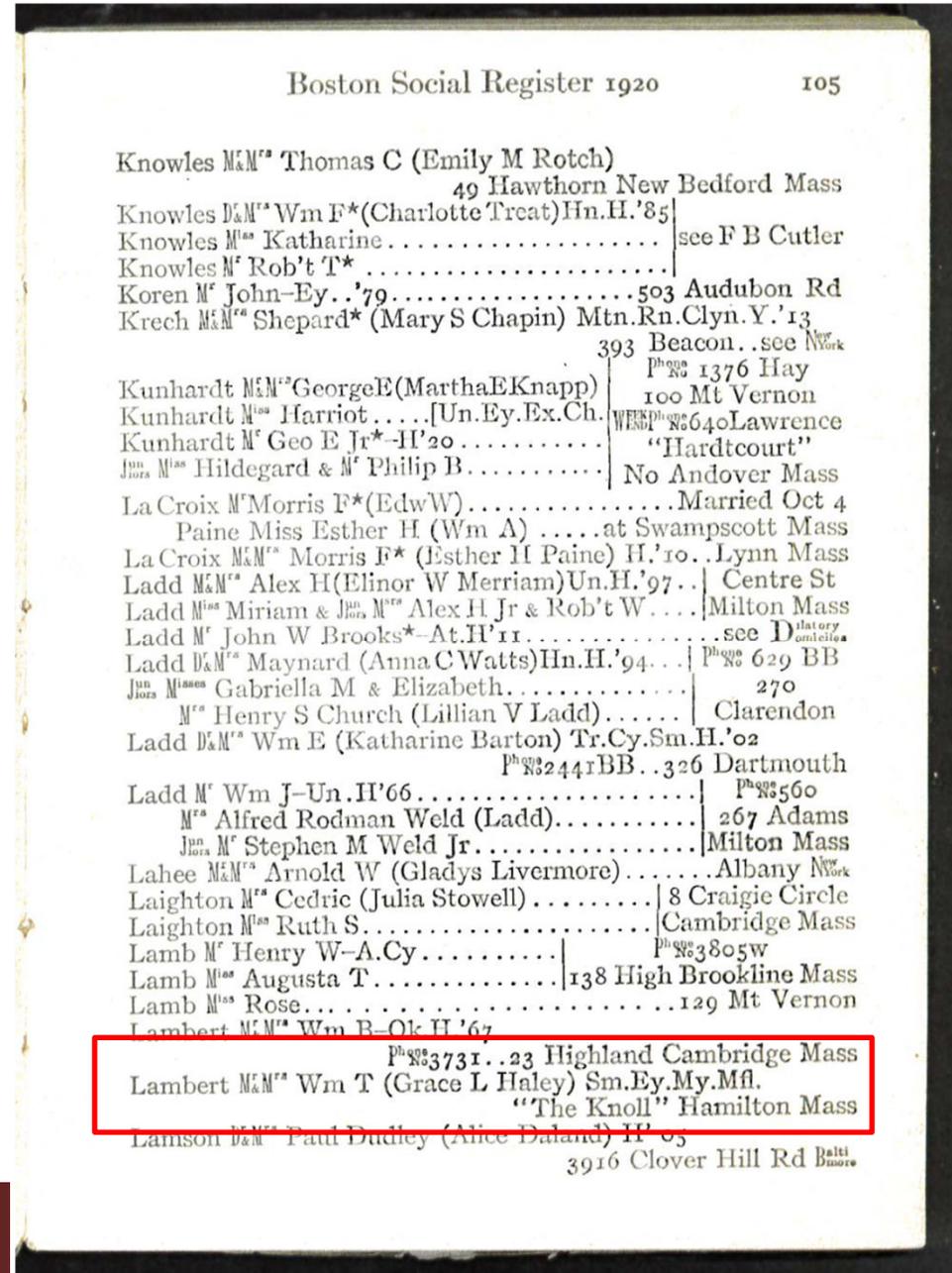
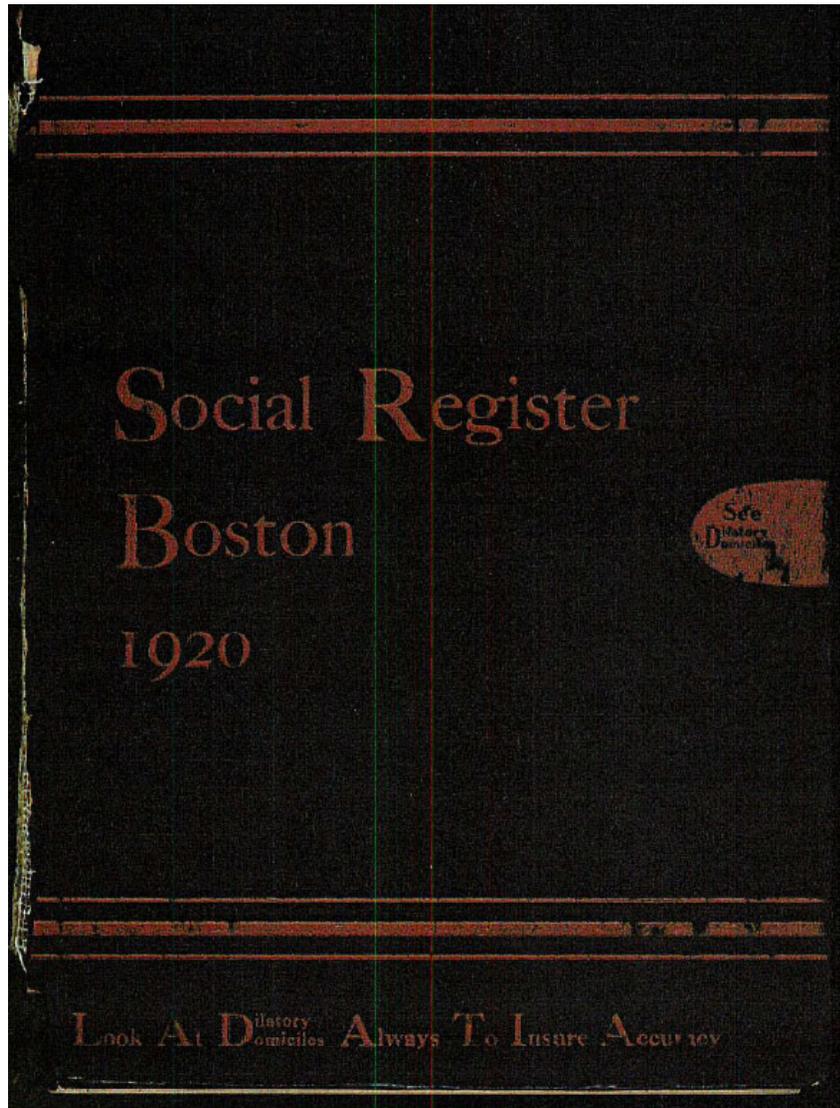
# The Social Register

# What is the Social Register?

- The **Social Register** is a semi-annual, privately published directory of prominent American families.
- It originated in the late 19th century (first published in 1887 in New York City) as a way to document and maintain the social elite and distinguished social standing.
- The Social Register traditionally included names, addresses, club memberships, schools attended, and other details of individuals and families, serving as both a networking tool and a marker of status. Admission wasn't by application but by *invitation or acceptance* from within—one had to be vouched for by existing members, making it a closed circle.



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# Military Records



State of New York  
 Wyoming County } On the 12 day of June 1845  
 before the Subscriber a Justice of the  
 Peace in and for said County personally  
 appeared Moulton Farnham Esq. who at  
 Hempstead deposes & says that he was well  
 acquainted with James Sanborn, now  
 deceased, formerly of the town of Altica  
 in the County of Wyoming, that in 1825 or  
 thereabouts he acted as attorney for the  
 said Sanborn, in prosecuting his claim  
 for a pension. He further testifies that  
 the said Sanborn has since deceased  
 the exact year he does not recollect,  
 but that he left a widow whose  
 name is Sarah Sanborn, the deponent  
 positively knows - & that the said widow  
 now resides in Altica in said County  
 of Wyoming, & who is the same person  
 now having her claim prosecuted -  
 by the a pension by Nelson Lynde & Andrews  
 of Warsaw in this County - And further  
 deponent knows that the said James  
 Sanborn & Sarah his widow, lived as  
 man & wife for many years before  
 his death - and further says not  
 Subscribed & sworn to this 12 day of } Moulton Farnham  
 June 1845 before me }  
 John Burt Justice

State of New York  
 Wyoming County } On this 13<sup>th</sup> day of January 1845 personally  
 appeared before me a Judge of Wyoming County,  
 Courts Sarah Sanborn a resident of the town of  
 Altica in said County who being first duly sworn  
 according to law doth on her oath make the following  
 declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the  
 provision made by the Act of Congress passed  
 July 4<sup>th</sup> 1838 entitled "An act granting half pay & pension  
 to certain widows" That she is the widow of James  
 Sanborn who was a private in the war of the Revolution  
 & served as she has been informed by her said  
 husband, under one Captain Moses Leavitt for  
 about eight months. He served from the  
 State of New Hampshire & was out to make  
 this eight months at three different <sup>times</sup> & I think in  
 in different years. More particular I am unable  
 to state not having been married to him until after  
 the service. He might have served at other times  
 but I am unable to recollect the same  
 I was married to the said James Sanborn on the  
 month of December 1791 at Peter Rockingham  
 County New Hampshire by a Mr Brown, a minister, my  
 husband the aforesaid James Sanborn died on the  
 tenth day of October 1841 - I was not married  
 to him prior to his leaving the service, but the marriage  
 took place previous to the first day of January 1794 or at  
 the time above stated  
 Subscribed & sworn to this 13<sup>th</sup> day of } Sarah Sanborn  
 January 1845 before me }  
 Paul Richards first Judge of  
 Wyoming Co. Courts

## Revolutionary War Pension

# James Sanborn Pension Summary

- 1760: Born in Hampton, New Hampshire
- 1775-1781: Living in Hampton, N.H.
- 1781: Living in Sanbornton, N.H.
- 1793: Living in Exeter, N.H.
- 1796-1799: Children born at Hampton, N.H.
- 1805: Child born in Sanbornton, N.H.
- 1835: Genesee County, N.Y.
- 1841: Died at Attica, N.Y.
- 1855: Widow applies for a Bounty Land Warrant Wyoming Co., N.Y.

RECORDS OF MEN ENLISTED IN THE U. S. ARMY														PRIOR TO THE PEACE ESTABLISHMENT, MAY 17, 1815.				
No.	NAME.	ORGANIZATION.			DESCRIPTION.					WHERE BORN.	WHERE	ENLISTMENT.			REMARKS.			
		RANK	REGIMENT	COMPANY	COMPANION	AGE	OCCUPATION	TOWNSHIP OR COUNTY.	STATE.			WHERE	BY WHOM	PERIOD.				
1115	Pope Henry	Capt	1st Regt		5	24	1806	1806	1806	24	Farmer	Stamford	Conn	July 15 1812	Stamford Conn	By Capt. Brown's	1806	Discharged at N. H. at 1815, term expired.
1116	Pope Henry	2d Lt	1st Regt		5	27	1806	1806	1806	24	Farmer	Stamford	Conn	Oct 10 1812	Stamford Conn	By Capt. Brown's	1806	Discharged at N. H. at 1815, term expired. See pension case.
1117	Pope Humphrey	2d Lt	1st Regt	Capt. John H. Baker	5	9	1806	1806	1806	24	Farmer	Westbury	N.H.	May 7 1812	Westbury N.H.	By Capt. Brown's	1806	Discharged at N. H. at 1815, term expired. See pension case.
1118	Porch Henry	2d Lt	1st Regt		5	11	1806	1806	1806	24	Farmer	Stamford	Conn	June 21 1812	Stamford Conn	By Capt. Brown's	1806	Discharged at N. H. at 1815, term expired.
1119	Porter Henry	2d Lt	1st Regt	Capt. John H. Baker			1806	1806	1806	24	Farmer	Stamford	Conn	July 25 1812	Stamford Conn	By Capt. Brown's	1806	Discharged at N. H. at 1815, term expired. See pension case.
1120	Porter Abram	2d Lt	1st Regt	Capt. John H. Baker	5	10	1806	1806	1806	24	Farmer	Stamford	Conn	July 25 1812	Stamford Conn	By Capt. Brown's	1806	Discharged at N. H. at 1815, term expired. See pension case.
1131	Porter Hugh	2d Lt	1st Regt		5	17	1806	1806	1806	24	Farmer	Westbury	N.H.	June 21 1812	Westbury N.H.	By Capt. Brown's	1806	Discharged at N. H. at 1815, term expired. See pension case.
1132	Porter Henry	2d Lt	1st Regt		6	1	1806	1806	1806	24	Farmer		N.H.	Nov 21 1812		By Capt. Brown's	1806	Discharged at N. H. at 1815, term expired. See pension case.
1133	Porter Henry	2d Lt	1st Regt											July 15 1812		By Capt. Brown's	1806	Discharged at N. H. at 1815, term expired. See pension case.
1134	Porter Hazard	2d Lt	1st Regt		6	1	1806	1806	1806	24	Farmer	Washington	D.C.	Apr 5 1812	Washington D.C.	By Capt. Brown's	1806	Discharged at N. H. at 1815, term expired. See pension case.
1135	Porter Howard	2d Lt	1st Regt	Capt. John H. Baker										July 15 1812		By Capt. Brown's	1806	Discharged at N. H. at 1815, term expired. See pension case.
1136	Porter Hugh	2d Lt	1st Regt	Capt. John H. Baker	5	1	1806	1806	1806	24	Farmer	Washington	D.C.	July 15 1812	Washington D.C.	By Capt. Brown's	1806	Discharged at N. H. at 1815, term expired. See pension case.

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*James Monroe*  
President of the United States of America,

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

Know Ye, That, in pursuance of the Acts of Congress appropriating and granting Land to the late Army of the United States, passed on and since the sixth day of May, 1812, *Henry Poor*

having deposited in the General Land-office a Warrant in *his* favor, numbered 1887— there is granted unto *the said Henry Poor* late a *Artificer in Drilling* *Comp. of Light Artillery* a certain Tract of Land,

containing *One hundred and thirty ac.*; being the *South West* of Section *two* of Township *three north* in Range *five west* in the Tract appropriated (by the Acts aforesaid) for Military Bounties, in the Territory of *Illinois*

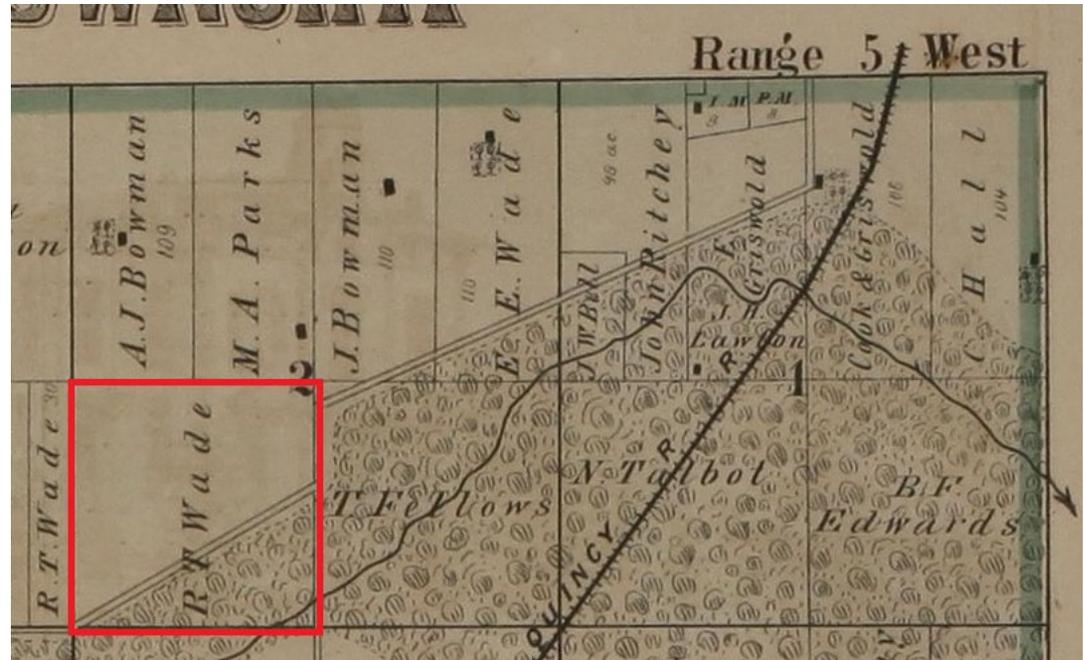
TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said *quarter* Section of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said *Henry Poor* and to *his* heirs and assigns for ever.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have caused these Letters to be made patent, and the Seal of the General Land-Office to be hereunto affixed. Given under my Hand, at the City of Washington, this *third* day of *January* in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *eighteen* and of the Independence of the United States of America the forty-second

By the President, *A. M.*

*A. M.* Commissioner of the General Land-Office.

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A.S.



# Bounty Land Warrant - Illinois

# FIFTEENTH REGIMENT NEW HAMPSHIRE VOLUNTEER INFANTRY.

(NINE MONTHS.)

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Mustered into the service of the United States October 4 to November 12, 1862, at Concord, by Charles Holmes, Capt. 17 Inf., U. S. A. Organization completed November 12, 1862. Mustered out August 13, 1863, at Concord, by Charles Holmes, Capt. 17 Inf., U. S. A. Each man was a volunteer appointed or enlisted for nine months unless otherwise stated.

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- Abbott, Daniel C. Co. E; b. Auburn; age 32; res. Auburn, cred. Auburn; enl. Sept. 15, '62; must. in Oct. 9, '62, as Priv.; wd. June 14, '63, Port Hudson, La.; must. out Aug. 13, '63. P. O. ad., Massabesic.
- Abbott, Michael. Co. E; b. Ireland; age 18; res. Manchester, cred. Manchester; enl. Sept. 6, '62; must. in Oct. 10, '62, as Priv.; must. out Aug. 13, '63. Died Aug. 1, '80, Wilton.
- Adams, Benjamin F. Co. B; b. Campton; age 20; res. Campton, cred. Campton; enl. Sept. 9, '62; must. in Oct. 8, '62, as Priv.; killed May 27, '63, in action, Port Hudson, La.
- Adams, Charles H. Co. E; b. Hollis; age 18; res. Hollis, cred. Hollis; enl. Sept. 27, '62; must. in Oct. 9, '62, as Priv.; disch. to date Aug. 13, '63, tm. ex. P. O. ad., Hollis.
- Adams, Charles W. Co. G; b. Barnstead; age 38; res. Barnstead, cred. Barnstead; enl. Sept. 15, '62; must. in Oct. 15, '62, as Priv.; disch. to date Aug. 13, '63. P. O. ad., Barnstead.
- Adams, Frank L. Co. D; b. Eden, Vt.; age 27; res. Deerfield, cred. Deerfield; enl. Sept. 16, '62; must. in Oct. 8, '62, as Priv.; must. out Aug. 13, '63. Died Feb. 10, '64, Eden, Vt.
- Adams, William. Co. F; b. Canada; age 21; res. Canaan, cred. Canaan; enl. Sept. 8, '62; must. in Oct. 10, '62, as Priv.; must. out Aug. 13, '63. P. O. ad., Carritunk, Me.
- Adams, William H. Co. A; b. Gilmanton; age 27; res. Gilmanton, cred. Gilmanton; enl. Sept. 15, '62; must. in Oct. 6, '62, as Priv.; must. out Aug. 13, '63. P. O. ad., Gilmanton. See 1 N. H. II. Art.
- Addison, Jonathan W. Co. I; b. Canada East; age 25; res. Newton, cred. Newton; enl. Sept. 17, '62; must. in Oct. 14, '62, as Priv.; must. out Aug. 13, '63. P. O. ad., Osborn, Kan. See 1 N. H. II. Art.

*Soldiers & Sailors of N.H. (1895)*

**Parmeter, Almon L.** (Second Lieut. 21st Inf.). Born in New York. Appointed from New York. Cadet at U. S. Mil. Acad. July 1, '81; graduated June 14, '85. *Actual rank*—2d Lieut. 21st Inf., June 14, '85.

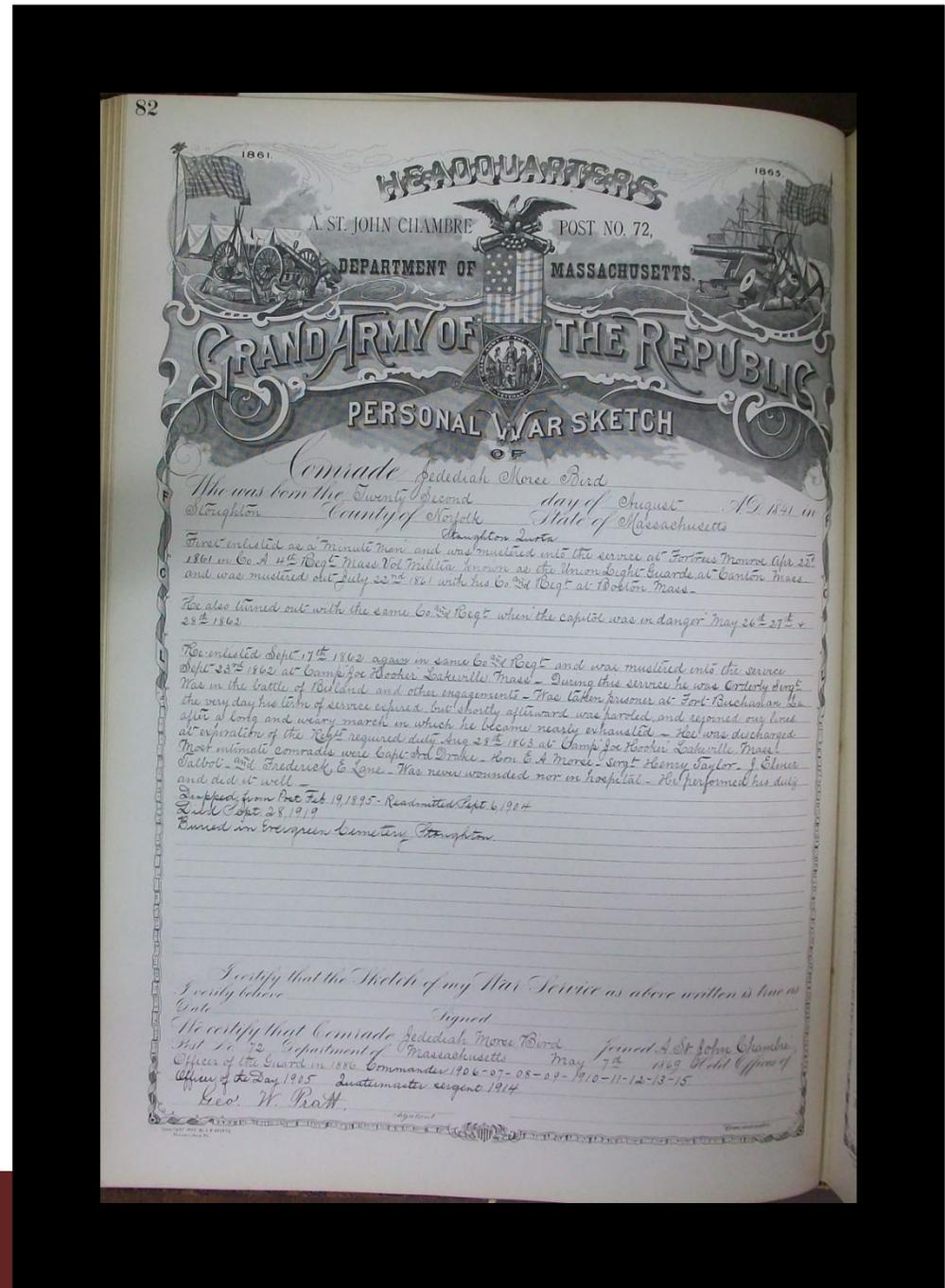
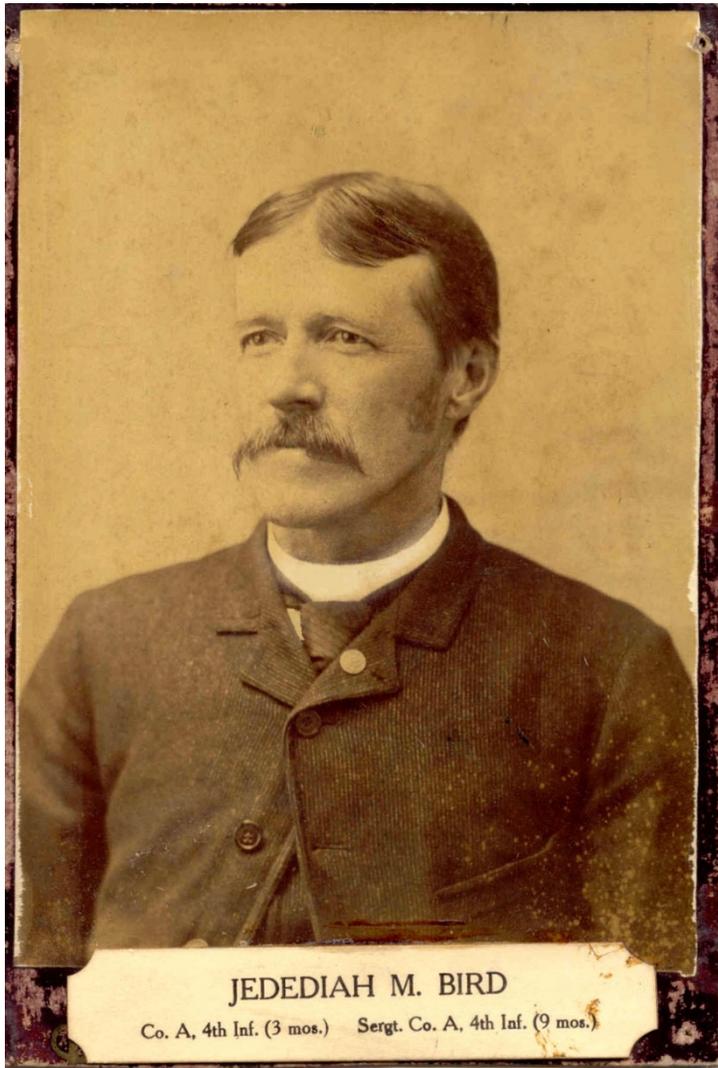
**Parnell, William R.** (Captain and Bvt. Lieut. Col. U. S. A.). Born in Dublin, Ireland, Aug. 13, 1835. Retired; appointed from N. Y.—Civil life. *Actual rank*—1st Lieut. 4th N. Y. Cav. Aug. 29, '61; Capt. Dec. 19, '61; Major May 25, '63; Lieut. Col. Jan. 28, '64; hon. must. out. Dec. 15, '64; 2d Lieut. 1st Cav., Feb. 23, '66; accepted April 11, '66; 1st Lieut. Oct. 15, '66; Capt. April 29, '79; retired Feb. 11, '87. *Brevet rank*—Capt. March 2, '67, for gallant and meritorious services in action at Upperville, Va., June 21, '63; Major March 2, '67, for gallant and meritorious services during the war; Lieut. Col. Sept. 26, '67, for conspicuous gallantry in charging a large body of Indians, strongly fortified, in the "Infernal Caverns," Pitt River, Cal., Sept. 26, '67. *Service*—Served with Cav. Corps Army of the Potomac; proceeded to Washington; during the winter '61–62 camped at Hunter's Chapel, Va., Blenker's Division; marched with it in March, '61, to the Shenandoah Valley; thence to West Va., and joined Fremont's command; thence back to the valley in pursuit of Jackson as far as Port Republic; thence back to Luray Valley under Sigel, participating in Manassas, etc.; wintered at Spotted Tavern, '62–3, and became part of the Cavalry Corps on its organization by Gen. Stoneman, until final muster-out of regiment on expiration of its term of service in the winter of '64; on duty as Mustering Officer, for a few months in the fall of '64, 1st Div. Cav. Corps; assigned to Co. L, 1st Cav., stationed at Camp McDermitt, Nev.; reported for duty at Carlisle Brks., Pa., April 29, '66; conducting recruits to Nashville, Tenn., for 5th Cav. from July 2 to 10, '66; on duty with the nucleus (400 men) of the 7th Cav., then being organized, to Fort Riley, Kan., Aug. 20 to Sept. 6, '66; ordered to join regiment on the Pacific Coast Sept. 13, '66; left Carlisle Brks. Sept. 13; took passage on Steamer "Santiago de Cuba" Sept. 29; suffered shipwreck off Hatteras Oct. 3, and returned to New York; started again in Steamer "San Francis;" arrived at San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 7, '66, and assigned to duty with the 8th Cav., then being organized; at Angel Island, Cal., until Jan. 26, '67; at Alcatraz Island until Feb. 10, and at Benicia Barracks until June 4, '67; proceeded to join Troop H, 1st Cav., at Camp C. F. Smith, Oregon, marching overland *via* Sacramento and Placer-ville, Cal., Virginia City, Fort Churchill and Camp McDermitt, Nev.; reached Camp C. F. Smith July 6; on July 21 marched troop to Camp Warner, preparatory to campaign against hostile Indians under Gen. George Crook; Aug. 30 on scout to Goose Lake Valley and the mountains west of it until Sept. 28; returned to Camp Warner Oct. 5, '67; on scout through Abert and Goose Lake Country Dec. 7 to 12, '67; on detached service at Fort Boise, Idaho, from Dec. 17, '67, to Feb. 1, '68, procuring Indians for service as scouts in the Stein's Mountain Country, during which trip much toil and suffering were experienced in the Blue Mountains from deep snows and extreme cold; on scout in Stein Mountain from Feb. 11 to 22, '68; on scout through Warner Valley and Abert Lake Valley from May 2 to 8, '68; from June 26 to July 5, accompanied Gen. Crook to Camp Harney, Oregon, to hold council with Indians who had surrendered and were finally located on the Malheur Reservation; on scout (with Gen. Crook's command) through Goose Lake and Pitt River country from July 23 to Aug. 20, '68; changed



## William R. Parnell

- **1835** Born in Dublin, Ireland
- **1861:** Enlisted Civil War from New York
- **1867:** Pitt River, California
- **1868:** Boise, Idaho
- **1868:** Camp Harney, Oregon
- **1877:** White Bird Canyon, Idaho
- **1890:** New York
- **1910:** Died San Francisco, California

*Living Officers of the U.S. Army (1890)*



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1861. HEADQUARTERS 1865.

A. ST. JOHN CHAMBRE POST NO. 72,  
DEPARTMENT OF MASSACHUSETTS

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH

OF  
Comrade Jeddediah Morse Bird

Who was born the Twenty Second day of August A.D. 1841 in  
Stoughton County of Norfolk State of Massachusetts  
Stoughton Vesta

First enlisted as a Minute Man and was mustered into the service at Fortus Monroe Apr 22<sup>d</sup>  
1861 in Co. A 4<sup>th</sup> Reg<sup>t</sup> Mass Vol Militia known as the Union Light Guards at Canton Mass  
and was mustered out July 22<sup>d</sup> 1861 with his Co. 2<sup>d</sup> Reg<sup>t</sup> at Boston Mass.

He also turned out with the same Co. 2<sup>d</sup> Reg<sup>t</sup> when the capital was in danger May 26<sup>th</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> &  
28<sup>th</sup> 1862

Re-enlisted Sept. 7<sup>th</sup> 1862 again in same Co. 2<sup>d</sup> Reg<sup>t</sup> and was mustered into the service  
Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1862 at Camp for Hooker Lakeville Mass. During this service he was Orderly Serg<sup>t</sup>  
Was in the battle of Bellard and other engagements - Was taken prisoner at Fort Buchanan for  
the very day his term of service expired but shortly afterward was paroled and rejoined his unit  
after a long and weary march in which he became nearly exhausted - He was discharged  
at expiration of the Reg<sup>t</sup> required duty Aug. 28<sup>th</sup> 1863 at Camp for Hooker Lakeville Mass.  
Most intimate comrades were Capt. and Drake - Com. E. A. Morse - Serg<sup>t</sup> Henry Taylor - J. Elmer  
Talbot - Wm. Frederick & Lane. Was never wounded nor in hospital - He performed his duty  
and did it well.

Dropped from Post Feb. 19, 1895 - Re-admitted Sept. 6, 1904  
Died Sept. 28, 1919  
Buried in Worcester Cemetery Stoughton.

I certify that the Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as  
I verily believe

Signed

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Officer of the Day 1905 Quartermaster sergeant 1914

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# Other “Gap” Fillers

# Obituaries from multiple newspapers

## **Dr. Henry S. Pelton.**

Carleton, Mich., June 27.—Dr. Henry S. Pelton, of Waltz, for many years a resident of that place and well known person of Wayne county, died at his home yesterday afternoon from blood poisoning, aged 82 years. Last winter he suffered a frozen foot and never fully recovered from the effect. He leaves a widow and twelve children. The funeral will be held from the Waltz church tomorrow and he will be buried at Romulus.

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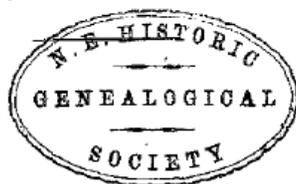
Detroit Free Press, June 28, 1904

# Compiled Genealogies

GENEALOGY  
OF THE  
**PELTON FAMILY**  
IN AMERICA.

BEING A RECORD OF THE DESCENDANTS OF JOHN PELTON  
WHO SETTLED IN BOSTON, MASS., ABOUT 1630-1632,  
AND DIED IN DORCHESTER, MASS.,  
JANUARY 23d, 1681.

By  
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AMERICAN PELTON GENEALOGY.

- IV Letta J., born Dec. 20, 1861; died Jan. 21, 1862.
- V Mary E., born Nov. 18, 1863.
- VI Gilbert M., born Sept. 24, 1865.
- VII Orlando J., born Dec. 25, 1867.
- VIII George H., born June 3, 1870.
- IX Charles E., born May 6, 1873.

**213. Jonathan Pelton<sup>c</sup>, Jr.**, fourth son of Jonathan<sup>a</sup>, John<sup>b</sup>, John<sup>c</sup>, Samuel<sup>d</sup>, John<sup>e</sup>, born probably in Connecticut, September 7, 1797; married about 1822, Caroline E. Seymour, daughter of Josiah Seymour, of New Hartford, N. Y. Butcher. Died in Utica, N. Y., September 16, 1868. Removed from Connecticut to Paris Hill, Oneida Co., N. Y., thence to Sangerfield Centre, and to Oriskany Falls, N. Y., where he lived in 1848; afterward to Utica, N. Y. Children:

- 218** I Henry S., b. July 27, 1824; m. Nov. 23, 1849, Sarah Hopkins.
- II Julia, born —, 1834.
- III Lucy J., born, 1846.

**218. Henry S. Pelton<sup>f</sup>**, first son of Jonathan<sup>a</sup>, Jonathan<sup>b</sup>, John<sup>c</sup>, John<sup>d</sup>, Samuel<sup>e</sup>, John<sup>f</sup>, born July 27, 1824, at New Hartford, Oneida Co., N. Y.; married at Depere, Wis., November 13, 1849, to Sarah Hopkins. Physician, Ypsilanti, Mich., in 1876. Children:

- I Caroline E., born Jan. 22, 1851.
- II Charles J., born Sept. 20, 1853.
- III Mary M., born Aug. 17, 1856.
- IV Ella F., born Oct. 6, 1858.
- V Wesley M., born Apr. 18, 1863.
- VI William J., born Jan. 12, 1866.
- VII Della A., born Nov. 4, 1867.

# College Alumni Reunion Books

Harry Woodburn Chase  
Box 491  
Northport, N. Y.  
From WHO'S WHO IN AMERICA  
1954-1955 Edition

Harry Woodburn Chase, educator; b. Groveland, Mass., Apr. 11, 1883; s. Charles Merrill and Agnes (Woodburn) C.; A.B., Dartmouth, 1904, A.M., 1908; Ph.D., Clark U., 1910; LL.D., Lenoir Coll. and Wake Forest Coll., 1920, U. of Ga., 1923, Dartmouth, 1925, U. of N.C., 1930, U. of Mich., 1932, Lafayette, 1934; Dr. of Humanities, Rollins Coll., 1931; Litt.D., Columbia, 1934; m. Lucetta Crum, Dec. 26, 1910; children—Elizabeth Woodburn (Mrs. Marion Foy Stone), Carl Carter. Dir. clinic for sub-normal children, Clark U., 1909-10; prof. psychology, U. of N.C., 1910-18; acting dean coll. of liberal arts, 1918-19, chmn. faculty, Jan.-June 1919, pres., 1919-30; pres. University of Ill., 1930-33; chancellor, New York University, 1933-51, chancellor emeritus since 1951. Trustee Russell Sage Foundation. Mem. bd. of dirs. Metropolitan Opera Assn.; trustee Town Hall, N.Y. Pub. Library. Decorated Officer Southern Cross (Brazil); Chevalier, French Legion of Honor; Officier de la Couronne de Chene, Luxembourg; King Christian X Medal of Liberation, Denmark; Annual Gold Medal Award, New York Academy Pub. Edn., 1948. Mem. N.Y. Acad. Pub. Edn. (past pres.), Phi Beta Kappa, Sigma Xi, Sigma Nu. Episcopalian; mem. Trinity Ch. Vestry (N.Y.). Clubs: University, Century, Lotos (hon. pres.), Lawyers (N.Y.C.).

*The 50<sup>th</sup> Reunion – Class of 1904 Dartmouth College (1954)*

**Wayne A. Perkins**  
1180 Perkins Way  
Sacramento 18, California

Born Feb. 18, 1881, at Newmarket, N. H. Four years at Exeter, class of 1900. Stayed out a year and worked. Entered Dartmouth with the Class of '05 and graduated with '04 with degree of B.S. in civil engineering.

After graduation, he worked for a few months for the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad. He then went to Arizona in the Reclamation Service under a Civil Service appointment.

It might be stated here that, while Dartmouth College is an Eastern Institution and the Thayer School of Engineering is not a large school, the men that are turned out at Thayer are as fine a group of engineers as can be found anywhere. They have certainly left their mark upon the waste places of the West.

In Arizona, Nevada, Colorado, Montana, Texas, New Mexico and Washington, where one blade of grass grew, or none at all, Thayer School engineers have made two or more blades grow.

In reading the careers of Witham, Perkins, Woodward, and men like Muchemore, Hastings, Roby and Withey, to say nothing of the area of the West covered by Leverone, Blanchard, Roscoe Smith, Lockwood, Fiske and many others, who, although New England bred, have carved out their careers in the West, one must wonder what the West would be today if these 1904 Dartmouth Yankees hadn't taken the advice of Horace Greely, "Go West young man!"

To go back to this man Perkins. For fifteen years Perk lived in tents in Arizona, Nevada, Montana, Texas and Colorado.

In 1906, he married Mary P. Chapman of Newmarket, New Hampshire. His good wife Mary pioneered with him. They have three children, a son, born in Arizona, another son, born in North Yakima, Washington, and a daughter, born in Glacier Park, Montana.

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# Masonic Records

<i>Name</i> Lambert, Henry Harrison			
<i>Residence</i> San Francisco, Cal. 1874	<i>Occupation</i> Cabinet Maker	<i>Nativity</i> Montreal, Canada Nov. 1, 1838	
<i>Lodge</i> St. Paul's So. B.	<i>Initiated</i> 1870-4-5	<i>Passed</i> 1870-5-3	<i>Raised</i> 1870-6-7
<i>Membership</i> St. Paul's 1870-9-6	<i>Dim.</i> <i>Sus.</i> <i>Dis.</i> 1880-10-5	<i>Reinstated</i>	<i>Deceased</i>

*Remarks:*

Massachusetts Grand Lodge of Masons  
Membership Cards 1733-1970

# Employment Records

## Major League Baseball



Augustus "Gus" Weyhing

- **Born in Louisville, KY (1866)**
- **Philadelphia Athletics (1887–1889) - PA**
- **Brooklyn Ward's Wonders (1890) - NY**
- **Philadelphia Athletics (1891) - PA**
- **Philadelphia Phillies (1892–1895) - PA**
- **Pittsburgh Pirates (1895) - PA**
- **Louisville Colonels (1895–1896) - KY**
- **Washington Senators (1898–1899) – D.C.**
- **St. Louis Cardinals (1900) - MO**
- **Brooklyn Superbas (1900) - NY**
- **Cleveland Blues (1901) - OH**
- **Cincinnati Reds (1901) - OH**
- **Died in Louisville, KY (1955)**

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