

**Relatives of
Hezekiah Sears
(1770-1819)**

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A comparatively modest present,
but the good ones which I can give.

"Only who knows his past has a future."
Wilhelm von Humboldt (1767-1835)

Foreword

This book contains the facts, who, where, when, but not the story of our family. If you can add to our history or have an anecdote to tell, then please share it and help make our story come alive. Even little things, like your cousin the fisherman who didn't eat fish, will make our story more personal. If you can add to our story, please contact me! I hope to have at least a photo of everyone who is here. It is amazing how often there is a close resemblance for relatives separated by generations.

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Introduction

The following pages list data for all known family members as of 20th September 2020.

Each immediate family is presented in their own section that contains a graphical family tree as well as a description with information about each referenced person and their children. The child section provides information about the children of the preceding couple. When a child has offspring of their own this is presented in a separate family section for that child. In this case a '+' is used to denote that an individual will appear later in the book as a parent with his/her own children and there is a link to the appropriate family reference number. For children with partners but no offspring the partner data is given with the reference family. Roman numerals, followed by a period, are used to indicate the birth order.

In the chapter titled "Family of the Starting Person" the ancestors of Hezekiah Sears are presented in a kind of enhanced Pedigree Chart which displays the graphic representation of their direct-line ancestors and the children of the couple. This chapter contains information about the couple whose relatives are listed in the later chapters.

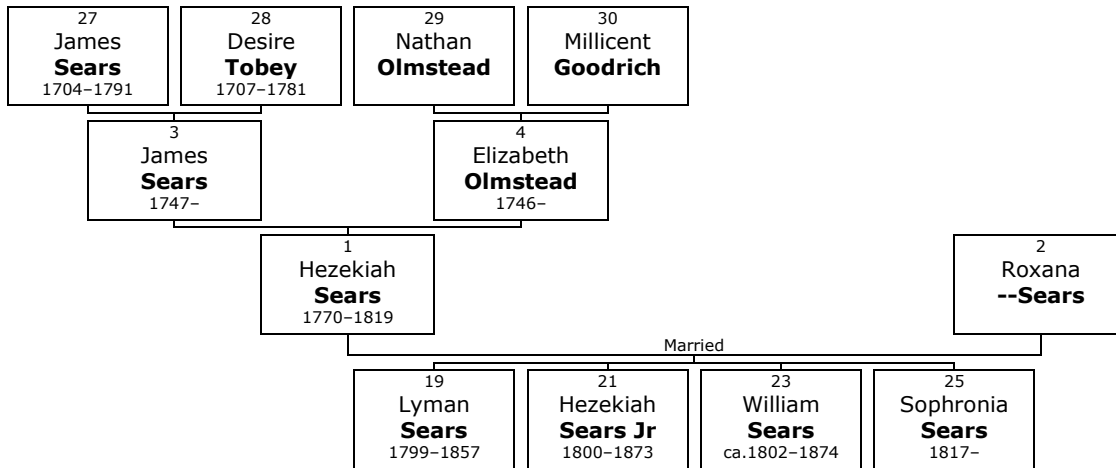
The chapter titled "Families of his Ancestors" provides details (as known as of the publication date) for the relatives of Hezekiah Sears. There is a chapter for each generation. Relatives are listed in the order of the nearness of their relationship.

Sources for the information provided are given in the footnotes.

This document reports the details of 789 individuals, of whom 377 are male and 410 are female. The sex of 2 individuals is unknown. Of the 522 individuals with recorded birth and death dates, the average lifespan was 63.05 years. Of these, 255 males averaged 65.71 years, and 265 females averaged 60.83 years. The longest living male was Tertullus Crosby (1775–1874), who died aged 99. The longest living female was Desire Sears (1778–1879), who died aged 100.

Family of the Starting Person

Family of Hezekiah Sears and Roxana --Sears



- 1. Hezekiah⁶ Sears** (James⁵, James⁴, Silas³, Silas², Richard¹) was born in 1770 in Massachusetts, USA. He was the son of James Sears (3) and Elizabeth Olmstead (4).

Hezekiah died in Caldwell Manor, Quebec, Canada, in 1819 at the age of 49.

!S P May No 775 possib b. CT

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-869>

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!DSB-Applied for land in Quebec at Arlington, VT, in 1786/7. Was deeded 100 acres in lot 9, 9th Con of Caldwell Manor, Quebec on 9 Oct 1789. Applied for Sutton land in 1795, and granted land at Sutton in 1802, but sold it in 1802. Regulations did not require that he live on this Sutton land, and I doubt Hezekiah ever lived anywhere but Caldwell Manor. Rules in original contract required grantees to have someone live on, and work, land for 7 years. Since many of these grantees sold their land in 1802, I believe they actually took up possession of the land in 1705, and after their 7 years were up (1802), they were actually owners of it. Hezekiah lived at Caldwell Manor when he sold the Sutton land, and when he died. Hezekiah was the father of at least 3 children-proven on deeds. The deed when the younger Hezekiah sold his inherited land in 1834 stated-"as the same was by him inherited by right of Succession to Hezekiah Sears, late of said Foucault, deceased, his father."

<https://blog.searsr.com/2020/01/26/barns-in-missisquoi-county/>

- 2.** He married **Roxana --Sears**. They had four children: Lyman (1799–1857), Hezekiah (1800–1873), William (ca.1802–1874) and Sophronia (1817–).

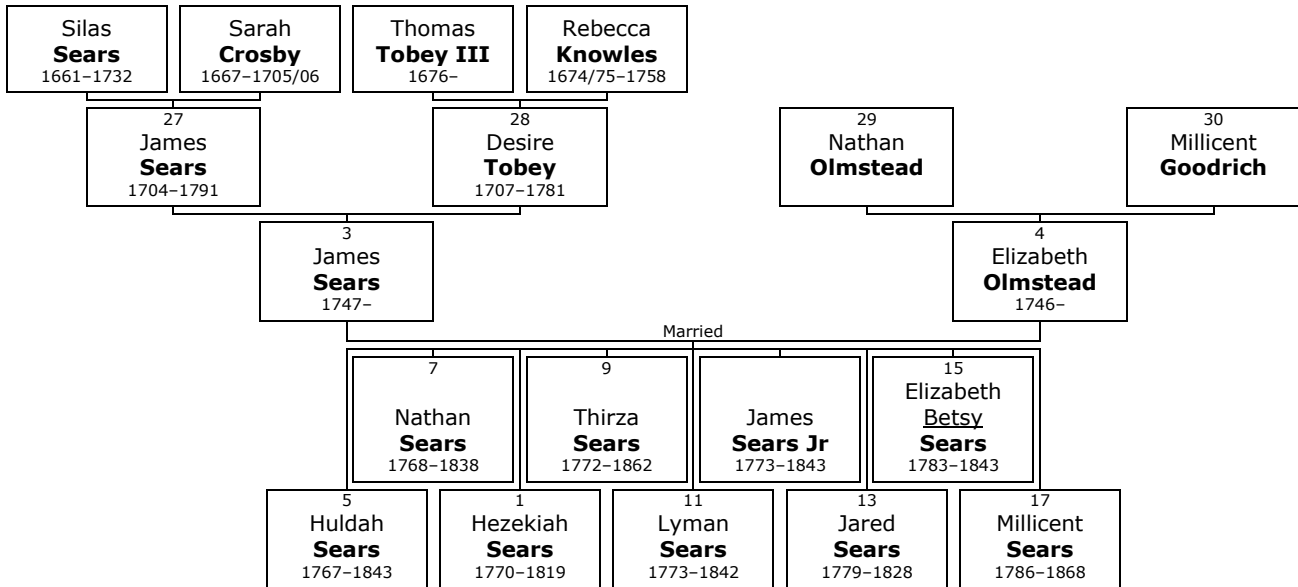
Children of Hezekiah Sears and Roxana --Sears:

- + 19 m I. **Lyman⁵ Sears** was born in Caldwell Manor in 1799. He died in Missisquoi Co between 1857 and 1861.
- + 21 m II. **Hezekiah Sears Jr** was born in Caldwell Manor on 28th February 1800. He died in Loughborough, Frontenac, Ontario, on 7th April 1873, at the age of 73.
- + 23 m III. **William Sears** was born in Noyan, Le Haut-Richelieu, about 1802. He died in Frontenac, Ontario, on 27th April 1874, at the age of 72.
- + 25 f IV. **Sophronia Sears** was born in Quebec in 1817.

Related 1 Step Removed

Parents

Family of James Sears and Elizabeth Olmstead



3. **James³ Sears** (*James²*) was born in 1747 in perh, Yarmouth, Barnstable, Massachusetts, USA. He was the son of James Sears (27) and Desire Tobey (28).

James died in Quebec, Canada.

<http://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-867>

!See also RIN 6046

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!S P May, p 178, thought that this James married Abigail Sherwood, dau of Jehiel Sherwood and listed seven children of that marriage. There was confusion by May - he confused THIS James with his nephew James [RIN 6027], son of his brother Thomas, who married Mehitable "Mable" Sherwood - younger sister of Abigail.

Abigail Sherwood - the daughter of Jehiel Sherwood, was born 17 Feb 1777, and married Nathaniel Hibbard. Ida Fitchard completed a DAR application with Abigail's info and is a direct descendant of Abigail.

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!Diane Sears Brigode- email, 8 Jul 1996 James is also the ancestor of Vivian West Broberg and Richard E Sears and lived in Lenox, MA was in Capt Oliver Beldings Co, Maj Caleb Hyde's Regt, 8 Jul to 26 Jul 1778, in Northern Dept. He removed to the "Lake Region" of Canada. Diane's research indicates that this man is the father of the nine children listed here. Many Quebec land petitions prove that James moved his family up from Bennington, VT about 1786 - took land in Caldwell Manor, Quebec, at first, petitioned for land in a couple of other townships, and finally was accepted as an original grantee at Sutton.

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! Richard E Sears - My Sears line left the United Colonies during or after the revolution and settled in what became the Eastern Townships of Quebec. A Royal Letter patent for Aug 1802 listing 170 grantees of land in what became the town of Sutton, Quebec included the following: Jerod Sears, James Sears, Simon (Lyman) Sears, James Sears, Jr, Nathan Sears and Hezekiah Sears. A grantee named Ephraim Hawley, Jr., was the husband of Thirza Sears, sister of James Sears. These were children of James Sears and Elizabeth Olmstead. This family connection has been emphasized and passed down in the Hawley family and the members of my family remaining in Sutton. The Hawleys and Sears were also petitioners together with Levi Allen, Brother of Ethan Allen for Crown land in Canada as early as 1786.

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!There is a "Sears" access point in Vermont on the Lamoille River near the town of Milton, VT. Probably some connection with this family.

http://www.vtfishandwildlife.com/library/Reports_and_Documents/Fishing/Access_Area_Information/Universal_ShorePlatform_list.pdf

From: Andrew Timleck [mailto:jtimleck@mac.com] Sent: Friday, December 30, 2005 7:03 PM To: LRSEARS@Cox.net

Subject: Working on transcription of Missiquoi docs with Sears in them - interested in a copy later? Thought you might like a copy of the transcription I'm working on of the Land Committee of 1795-1796 which includes signatures of many of the Sears, Hezezhiah, James, Jared, etc. Just let me know and will forward when complete. Happy New Year Best, Andrew Timleck Baltimore, MD

Elmer (Bud) Sears bsears4@cfl.rr.com 321-890-4464

Hi Ray, Wonderful Site you have. I have some additional information on the James Sears Family tree (See tab Below) My line is part of a confusion on Samuel Mays part and I am working to sort out what really is real. Any additional information you may be in possession of would be of great Help. (See prime tree tab below) The players involved are:

Mays #	Sears Assoc. #	Name
#282	#606	James
#301	#643	James

#1 James Family Tree James #781 #4 James Additional information I could use help Locating Pelletreau (p.756) James (Pelletreau, p.269) Eleazer HAMLIN (No.135 RIN13969) James SEARS, his brother-in-law, arrived to settle near the HAMLINs in 1743. I would also like to find out more about the "DNA" testing project Please let me know what you think of my Hypothesis on the (Prime Tree tab Below) any information confirming or discrediting it would be helpful Thank You for a great Job

1. May is aware that James(# 282) is not in Barnstable, but alive in 1755 due to his fathers (#68 Silas) will.
2. May must have some idea he (#282) could be in or near Carmel Ny in 1747-1756 due to reference on Page 99

3. Both James #282 and James #301 were Maternal great-Grandsons of Rev. Thomas Crosby (James #73) (Silas #68) Grandsons

4. James #73 was married to Desire Tobey in 1743 (not Brother in law to Eleazer Hamblin) James (# 282) could have been we have no marriage data (Brother in law to Eleazer Hamblin) I think Perhaps the mother of James #1 may have been a Hamblin James (#301) not born till 1747 James (#1 James Sears Tree) not till 1747 Discrempcy begins at this point

5. Two James Sears Born in same area of NY? in 1747 (Same Family Cousins)

6. James Sears #1 of James Sears Family Tree is born in Catskill NY in 1747 no record of parents about 50 miles from Carmel NY.

7. James Sears (#4 of James Sears Family Tree) and Same Person as (James #781 May's) is born 1779 Catskill NY Mays Feels he (James #781) is of the family of James #301 (1st cousin To James #282) due to "Family Traditions" page #179 (James #301 from James #73)

8. The Birth names, dates and locations of the Children of James(#781 or #4) are consistant with May's narrative. and shows #781 in Canada in 1812, then NY, Ohio and Indiana.

My Hypothesis is that James(#282) son of Silas(#68) is the father of James(#1 of the James Sears Tree) and Granfather of

That James #781 was with or near his relatives the family of James #301 in Canada 1810-1812 and added to May's Confusion.

4. He married **Elizabeth Olmstead**. They had nine children: Huldah (1767-1843), Nathan (1768-1838), Hezekiah (1770-1819), Thirza (1772-1862), Lyman (1773-1842), James (1773-1843), Jared (1779-1828), Betsy (1783-1843) and Millicent (1786-1868).

Elizabeth was born in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA, on 26th July 1746. She was the daughter of Nathan Olmstead (29) and Millicent Goodrich (30).

DSB- Had brothers Nathan, David and Hezekaih and sister Millicent.

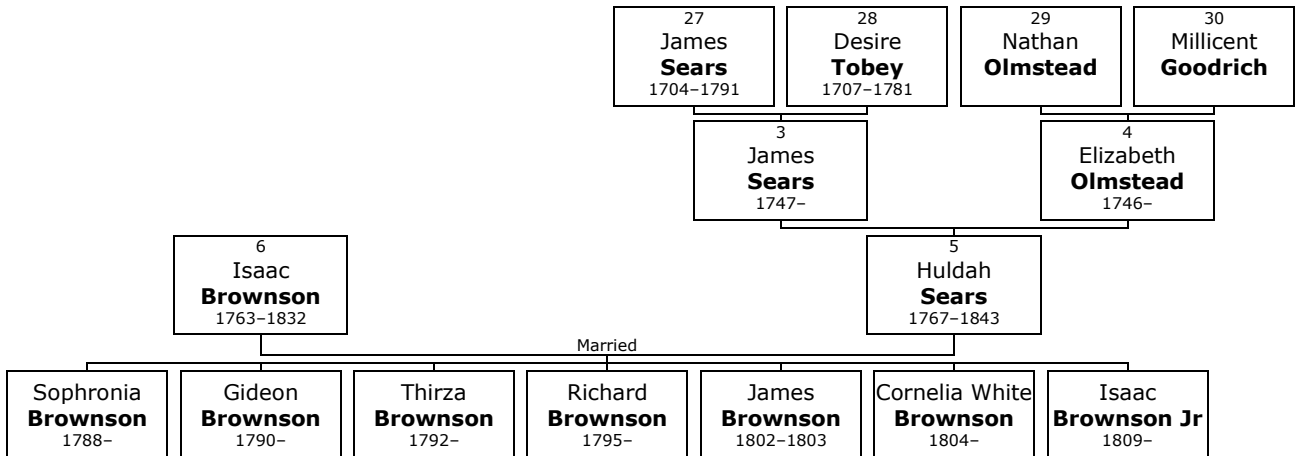
Children of James Sears and Elizabeth Olmstead:

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|------|---|---|
| + 5 | f | I. Huldah⁴ Sears was born on 9 th October 1767. She died in 1843 at the age of 75. |
| + 7 | m | II. Nathan Sears was born on 22 nd August 1768. He died in Shefford, La Haute-Yamaska, Quebec, Canada, on 15 th November 1838, at the age of 70. |
| + 1 | m | III. Hezekiah Sears was born in Massachusetts in 1770. He died in Caldwell Manor, Quebec, Canada, in 1819 at the age of 49. |
| + 9 | f | IV. Thirza Sears was born in 1772. She died on 12 th April 1862, at the age of 90. |
| + 11 | m | V. Lyman Sears was born between 1773 and 1778. He died in 1842. |
| | m | VI. James Sears Jr was born between 1773 and 1778. He died in 1843. |

- + 13 m VII. **Jared Sears** was born in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, on 12th August 1779. He died in Knowlesville, Orleans, New York, on 6th February 1828, at the age of 48.
- + 15 f VIII. **Elizabeth Betsy Sears** was born in Arlington, Bennington, Vermont, in August 1783. She died in Fletcher, Franklin, on 6th July 1843, at the age of 59.
- + 17 f IX. **Millicent Sears** was born in Vermont on 15th April 1786. She died in Shefford, La Haute-Yamaska, Quebec, Canada, on 29th April 1868, at the age of 82.

Siblings

Family of Huldah Sears and Isaac Brownson

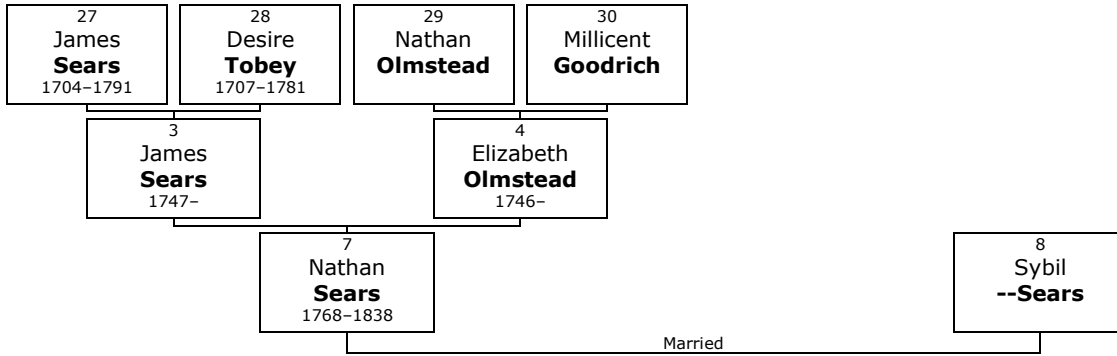


5. **Huldah⁴ Sears** (*James³, James²*) was born on Friday, 9th October 1767. She was the daughter of James Sears (3) and Elizabeth Olmstead (4).
Huldah died in 1843 at the age of 75.
DSB-Entry in Sunderland town records by Isaac Brownson, and also Rev. War Pension records for Isaac Brownson. Children come from Brownson Bible- copies of pages included in pension records. S P May No 780
6. She married **Isaac Brownson**. They had seven children: Sophronia (1788-), Gideon (1790-), Thirza (1792-), Richard (1795-), James (1802-1803), Cornelia (1804-) and Isaac (1809-).
Isaac was born in Sunderland, Bennington, Vermont, USA, in 1763. He reached 69 years of age and died in Gainesville, Wyoming, New York, on 18th July 1832.
!DSB-Married by Gideon Brownson, Isaac was a widower with a 1 yr old daughter, Elizabeth. Isaac and Huldah moved to Gainesville, Genessee (now Wyoming co), NY by 1818, and lived the remainder of their lives there. He was a musician in his father's company (Col Seth Warner's Regt, of Continental Troops)

Children of Huldah Sears and Isaac Brownson:

- f I. **Sophronia⁵ Brownson** was born in Sunderland, Bennington, Vermont, on 11th August 1788.
- m II. **Gideon Brownson** was born in perh, Sunderland, on 24th March 1790.
- f III. **Thirza Brownson** was born in perh on 11th August 1792.
- m IV. **Richard Brownson** was born in perh on 8th September 1795.
- m V. **James Brownson** was born in perh on 19th November 1802. He died on 25th December 1803, at the age of 1.
- f VI. **Cornelia White Brownson** was born in perh on 4th November 1804.
- m VII. **Isaac Brownson Jr** was born in perh on 12th July 1809.

Family of Nathan Sears and Sybil --Sears



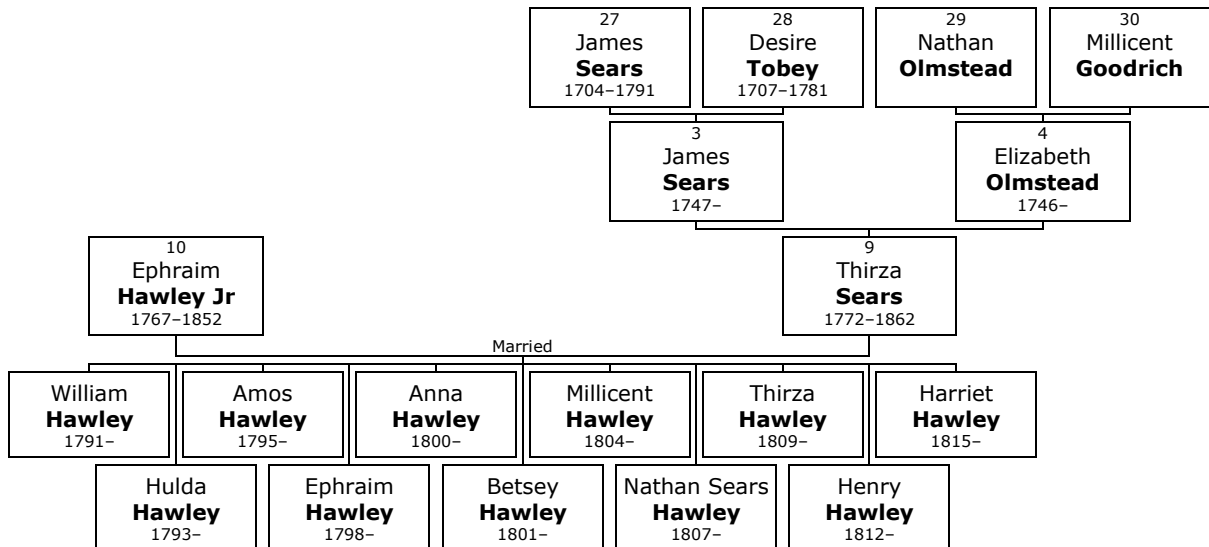
7. **Nathan⁴ Sears** (*James³, James²*) was born on Monday, 22nd August 1768. He was the son of James Sears (3) and Elizabeth Olmstead (4).

Nathan died in Shefford, La Haute-Yamaska, Quebec, Canada, on 15th November 1838, at the age of 70.

!DSB-I believe the Nathan Sears, whose birth is recorded in Alburgh Town Records (but not born in Alburgh) is this Nathan. Wesleyan Meth. Church records of Shefford, Quebec, contain a record of his death "On 15th day of Nov 1838 died Nathan Sears, farmer of the Twsp of Shefford in the Co. of Shefford and Dist.of Montreal, being in the 70th year of his age__" He applied for land in Quebec along with James and hezekiah, in Arlington, VT, in 1787. Nathan did receive Caldwell Manor land and moved to Quebec about 1789. He applied for Sutton land in 1795, was granted it-sold the last of Sutton land in 1806, and moved to Alburgh 1806 or earlier. Had children James and Eliza (prob many more).Was enum in Alburgh census in 1810. Must have moved to Shefford bewteen 1810 and 1820.

8. He married **Sybil --Sears**.

Family of Thirza Sears and Ephraim Hawley



9. **Thirza⁴ Sears** (*James³, James²*) was born in 1772. She was the daughter of James Sears (3) and Elizabeth Olmstead (4).

Thirza died on 12th April 1862, at the age of 90.

!DSB-Moved to Sutton in 1799. Hawley family records state she was the dau. of James Sears and Elizabeth Olmsted.

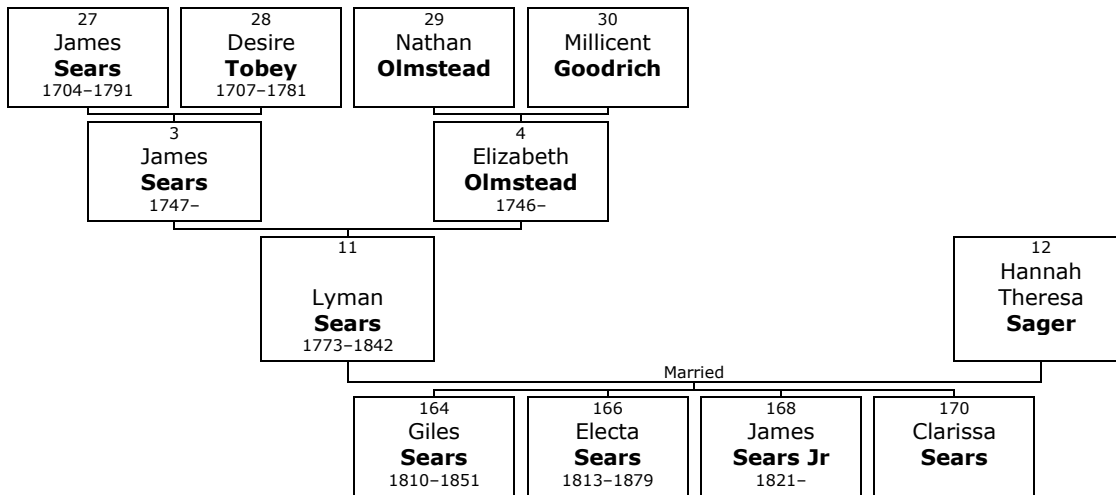
10. She married **Ephraim Hawley Jr**. They had eleven children: William (1791-), Hulda (1793-), Amos (1795-), Ephraim (1798-), Anna (1800-), Betsey (1801-), Millicent (1804-), Nathan (1807-), Thirza (1809-), Henry (1812-) and Harriet (1815-).

Ephraim was born on Tuesday, 13th January 1767. He reached 85 years of age and died on 24th August 1852.

Children of Thirza Sears and Ephraim Hawley Jr:

- m I. **William⁵ Hawley** was born in 1791.
- f II. **Hulda Hawley** was born in 1793.
- m III. **Amos Hawley** was born in 1795.
- m IV. **Ephraim Hawley** was born in 1798.
- f V. **Anna Hawley** was born in 1800.
- f VI. **Betsey Hawley** was born in 1801.
- f VII. **Millicent Hawley** was born in 1804.
- m VIII. **Nathan Sears Hawley** was born in 1807.
- f IX. **Thirza Hawley** was born in 1809.
- m X. **Henry Hawley** was born in 1812.
- f XI. **Harriet Hawley** was born in 1815.

Family of Lyman Sears and Hannah Sager



11. Lyman⁴ Sears (*James³, James²*) was born between 1773 and 1778. He was the son of James Sears (3) and Elizabeth Olmstead (4).

Lyman died in 1842.

!S P May No 777

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-871>

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!DSB-Vivian West Broberg has written a book (Always Westward) which contains info on descendants of Lyman's one known daughter, Electa (b) 1813. Lyman had at least 9 children.

From: Diane Brigode <dakotah58@yahoo.com>

Date: Sun, Jan 26, 2020 at 9:54 AM

Subject: Re: Photos from our 2002 trip to Quebec

To: Andrew Sears <andrewjsears@gmail.com>

Yes - I see no reason you can't put that on the Sears site. I saw one thing I had wrong on the below email, but didn't know that you were going to put it online, so I didn't figure it was a big deal. So could you delete the 2 words "and Ontario" right after took a trip up into Quebec? My husband and I went to Ontario after Quebec, but my cousin and her husband did not go with us to Ontario.

I just looked at the searsr.com site. There is one thing that I want to call to your attention that is clearly wrong. Is it possible to change it?

See the church record below? Ray has this James Sears as son of James Sears Jr. - son of James and

Elizabeth. Here is his death record:

South Stukely Methodist Church, 1890

On the back of folio 5

Quebec National Archives microfilm #347.10

Sent by Marlene Simmons

James Sears, son of Lyman and Hannah Sears, was born on the 9th day of April, 1820, died on the 10th day of August 1890, and was buried by me on the 12th day of August in the same year in the presence of subscribing witnesses

(signed) Henry A. Young (Minister)

Chattie? E. Sears

William F. Sears

This would mean that William Giles and Clarissa were also children of Lyman, and not James Jr. But that can come later. I know where Ray got that information. Years ago there was a man named Richard Elwin Sears, who lived in Tunbridge, VT. He was a descendant of Giles. Died many years ago. We corresponded. He visited my North Dakota relatives!

This Sears branch is so difficult when it comes to children of Lyman Sears, who married Hannah Theresa Sager - and those of his brother James Sears Jr. I will be writing up something on this for you - hopefully I can start today..

In the meantime - it appears the above pretty well shows that this James Sears was the son of Lyman and Hannah - and not of James Sears Jr. and his unknown wife?

Another great difficulty is the ancestry of James Sears, who married Elinor Wilson, and that of Alexander Sears. I've tried for years to figure out who they were!

Diane

Diane Brigode

Attachments

8:34 AM (5 hours ago) 3 Feb 2020

to Andrew, me

Thanks for correcting this!

The family of James Sears and Elizabeth Olmsted is one I've worked on for over 30 years, and even though I've proved much on it, several things are still in the works:

1) Vivian Broberg - in her genealogy that she shared with me - indicated James and Elizabeth had a son David. I did not add him for years - because I had found nothing else that would point to this. But several years ago, I came across some notarial docs that mentioned a David Sears from Sutton, Quebec. This David, as the probable youngest child of James and Elizabeth, likely wouldn't have been included in the land petitions. I have a clue as to where he might have ended up, but nothing proven yet.

2) James Sears Jr. - His wife is so far unknown. Tim Cole has been working on this using DNA, but nothing has come up so far. I have 7 likely children for him - Mahala, Charles G., Chauncey, Daniel, Benjamin, Harlow, and a "Goodrey C (Guttridge)". I have not shared this, because I didn't want to put more false information on the web, in case I am wrong. Charles G. WAS a son. Commenting generally, none of the ones mentioned above stayed in Quebec, or they died young. Following them into Ontario or the states, I have not proven any of these so far.

3) Lyman Sears - Married Hannah Theresa Sager, daughter of Michael. I have 8 likely children for them: Clarissa (1801), "Alma" Hannah Barbara (1802), Thirza (@1804), Sarah (1807), William Giles (Abt. 1810), Electa (Abt 1813), Julia Izetta (1820), James (1820). Second marriage to Susannah Corliss. How I picked them

is quite involved for some. Electa and James are proven. Richard E. Sears (descendant of William Giles) wrote this to me and it pretty much cements the connection - as much as possible anyway:

From a letter written by Richard E. Sears in March, 1991: "At Lillian Sears

Proper's funeral in 1966, a lady named Evelyn McClary Wilson introduced herself as a relative, and later wrote me a letter confirming her grandmother (Aunt Tib) as a daughter of James Sears Jr. and Charlotte Davis. Aunt Tib was Elizabeth Sears. Evelyn McClary Wilson also mentioned that Aunt Tib was first cousin to my great grandfather Alden Sears and Lillian's father William Sears -sons of Giles and Sarah Tallman Sears."

I am in the process of writing up an article on my searches for this, and will send it when I am done. I know that both of you are busy with the site these days, and it appears it is going well. But keeping you busy, I am sure.

Please use my dakotah58@yahoo.com email. The ecentral one has issues, and my limited computer ability is preventing me from using it much at all.

I am attaching a family group record on Nathan Sears, wife, and children - and 1 other.

Again - Thanks.

Diane Sears Brigode

Leslie Ray Sears, III <lrsears@gmail.com>
2:21 PM (10 minutes ago) 3 Feb 2020
to Diane

Wow Diane- you are a wizard in ferreting out info on these branches of the tree. Thanks so much. Have you thought about having your article published? I am the editor of The Journal of the Cape Cod Genealogical Society and we are always looking for new material.

We would send you a copy of the Journal- it is usually 150 pages, goes out to 350 subscribers and is published in Feb and Oct of each year.

Thanks again,
Ray

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Leslie Ray Sears, III" <lrsears@gmail.com>
Date: February 2, 2020 at 2:36:10 PM MST
To: Diane Brigode <brigode@ecentral.com>, Andrew Sears <andrewjsears@gmail.com>
Subject: Correcting Children of James Sears, Jr

- 12.** He married **Hannah Theresa Sager**. They had four children: Giles (1810–1851), Electa (1813–1879), James (1821–) and Clarissa.

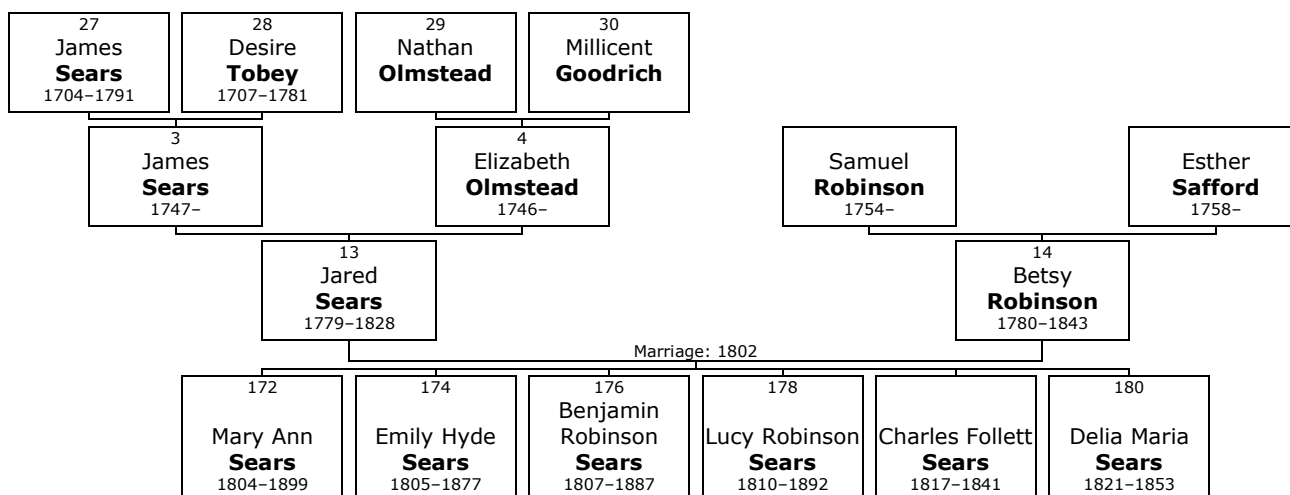
Children of Lyman Sears and Hannah Theresa Sager:

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| + 164 | m | I. Giles⁵ Sears was born in Sutton, Brome-Missisquoi, Quebec, Canada, in 1810. ^[1, 2] He died in Sutton on 12 th March 1851, at the age of 41. ^[1, 2] |
| + 166 | f | II. Electa Sears was born on 26 th July 1813. She died in Jay, Orleans, Vermont, USA, on 28 th February 1879, at the age of 65. |
| + 168 | m | III. James Sears Jr was born in 1821. |
| + 170 | f | IV. Clarissa Sears . |

¹ Ancestry.com, Canada, Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com, Record for Giles Sears. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=60527&h=3263891&indiv=try>.

² FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<http://familysearch.org> : modified 21 July 2014, 20:49), entry for Giles Sears(PID <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:KH7H-BD7>); contributed by various users. PersonID KH7H-BD7. Giles Sears.

Family of Jared Sears and Betsy Robinson



13. **Jared⁴ Sears** (*James³, James²*) was born on Thursday, 12th August 1779, in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, USA. He was the son of James Sears (3) and Elizabeth Olmstead (4).

Jared died in Knowlesville, Orleans, New York, on 6th February 1828, at the age of 48. He was buried in Bennington, Vermont.

Cassano, Lynne M., ed. Bennington, Vermont Cemetery Inscriptions. [database online] Orem, UT: Ancestry, Inc., 1999. 0A M JEAN & STEPHEN KOSCHE SEARS JERED BE008 F 0 6 FEB 1828 0 0 0 0 KNOWLESVILLE, NY H/O BETSEY SEARS 2868 0264 M F F U U F 2 5323FT1997

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-872>

14. At the age of 22, Jared married **Betsy Robinson** on Thursday, 11th February 1802, in Bennington when she was 21 years old. They had six children: Mary (1804–1899), Emily (1805–1877), Benjamin (1807–1887), Lucy (1810–1892), Charles (1817–1841) and Delia (1821–1853).

Betsy was born in Bennington on Tuesday, 18th April 1780. She was the daughter of Samuel Robinson and Esther Safford.

Betsy reached 63 years of age and died in Bennington on 1st November 1843.

Cassano, Lynne M., ed. Bennington, Vermont Cemetery Inscriptions. [database online] Orem, UT: Ancestry, Inc., 1999. 0A F JEAN & STEPHEN KOSCHE SEARS BETSEY BE008 F 18 APR 1780 1 NOV 1843 64 0 0 0 W/O JERED SEARS 2867 0264 M F F U U F 2 5323FT1997

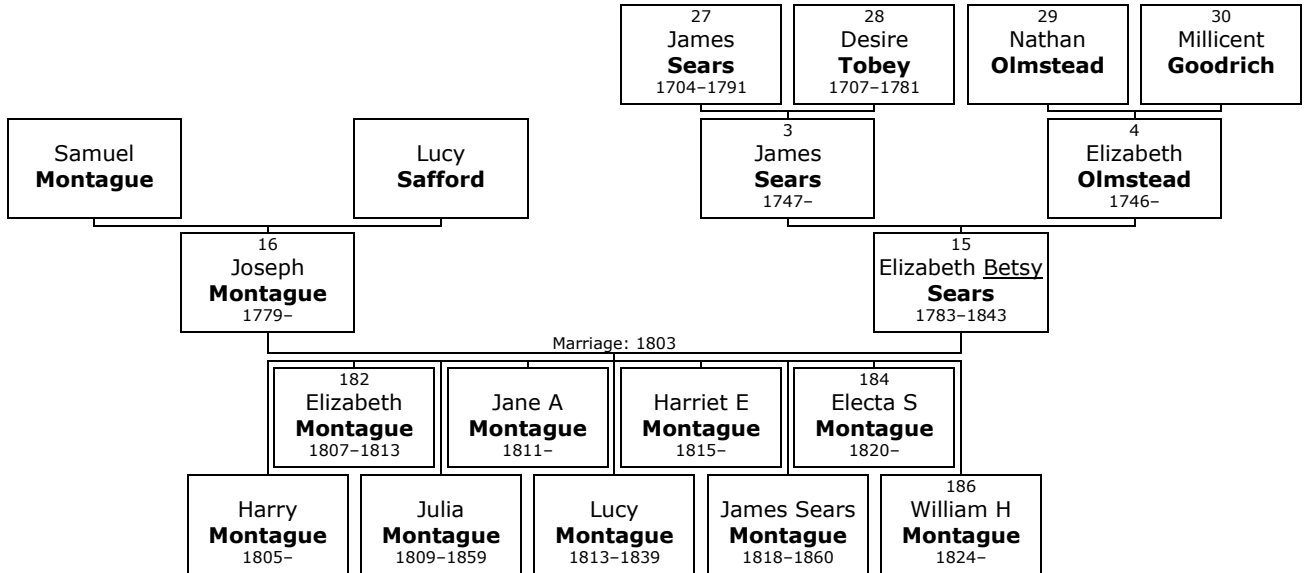
Children of Jared Sears and Betsy Robinson:

- + 172 f I. **Mary Ann⁵ Sears** was born in Swanton, Franklin, on 5th April 1804. She died in Grass Valley, Nevada, California, in 1899 at the age of 94.
- + 174 f II. **Emily Hyde Sears** was born in Swanton on 20th September 1805. She died on 8th April 1877, at the age of 71.
- + 176 m III. **Benjamin Robinson Sears** was born in Bennington on 21st December 1807.^[3, 4] He died in Bennington on 14th December 1887, at the age of 79.^[3]
- + 178 f IV. **Lucy Robinson Sears** was born in St Albans, Franklin, on 13th February 1810. She died on 10th February 1892, at the age of 81.
- m V. **Charles Follett Sears** was born in Bennington on 26th August 1817. He died in New Orleans, Orleans, Louisiana, in 1841 at the age of 23.
- + 180 f VI. **Delia Maria Sears** was born in Bennington on 25th August 1821. She died on 1st August 1853, at the age of 31.

³ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

⁴ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

Family of Betsy Sears and Joseph Montague



15. Elizabeth Betsy⁴ Sears (*James³, James²*) was born in August 1783 in Arlington, Bennington, Vermont, USA. She was the daughter of James Sears (3) and Elizabeth Olmstead (4).

Betsy died in Fletcher, Franklin, on 6th July 1843, at the age of 59.

!DSB-The Montague Family in America, rev by William L Montague, pub Amherst, MA-1886, says Elizabeth was from Sutton, province of Quebec. Alt d. date 5 Jul 1845.

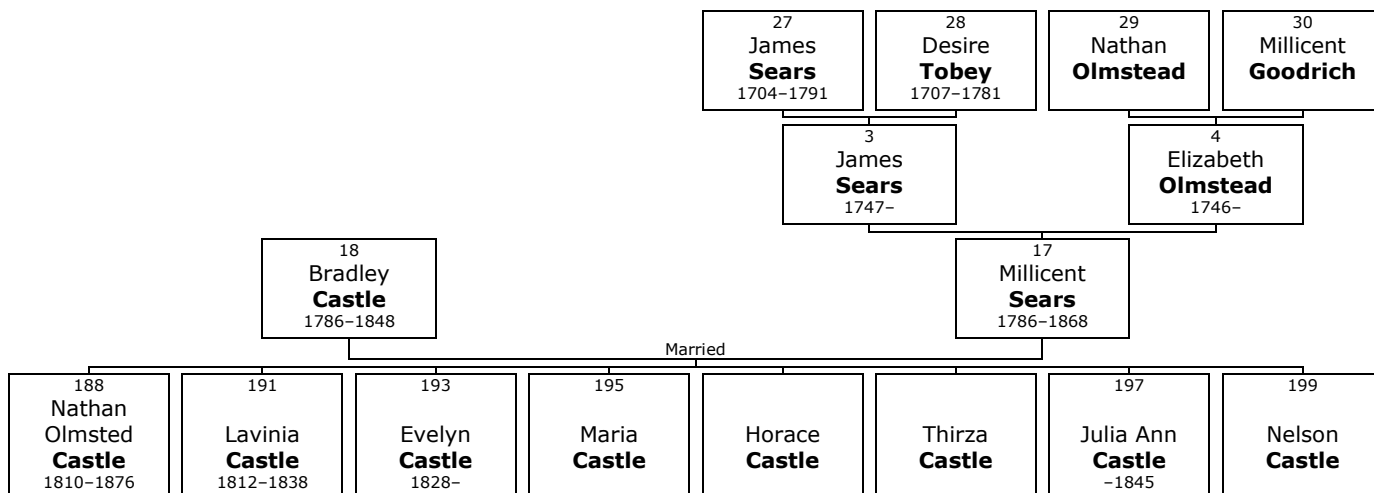
16. Betsy married **Joseph Montague** in 1803. They had nine children: Harry (1805-), Elizabeth (1807-1813), Julia (1809-1859), Jane (1811-), Lucy (1813-1839), Harriet (1815-), James (1818-1860), Electa (1820-) and William (1824-).

Joseph was born in Cambridge, Lamoille, in 1779. He was the son of Samuel Montague and Lucy Safford.

Children of Elizabeth Betsy Sears and Joseph Montague:

- m I. **Harry⁵ Montague** was born in Swanton, Franklin, on 28th June 1805.
- + 182 f II. **Elizabeth Montague** was born in perh, Swanton, in 1807. She died in St Albans in 1813 at the age of 6.
- f III. **Julia Montague** was born in perh on 2nd July 1809. She died in April 1859 at the age of 49.
- f IV. **Jane A Montague** was born in perh on 15th October 1811.
- f V. **Lucy Montague** was born in perh in November 1813. She died in 1839 at the age of 25.
- f VI. **Harriet E Montague** was born in perh on 3rd September 1815.
- m VII. **James Sears Montague** was born in perh in 1818. He died in 1860 at the age of 42.
- + 184 f VIII. **Electa S Montague** was born in perh in 1820.
- + 186 m IX. **William H Montague** was born in perh on 24th October 1824.

Family of Millicent Sears and Bradley Castle



17. **Millicent⁴ Sears** (*James³, James²*) was born on Saturday, 15th April 1786, in Vermont, USA. She was the daughter of James Sears (3) and Elizabeth Olmstead (4).

Millicent was christened in Stukeley, Quebec, Canada, on 9th October 1853. She died in Shefford, La Haute-Yamaska, on 29th April 1868, at the age of 82. Millicent was buried on 2nd May 1868.

!BIRTH-CHRISTENING-CHILDREN-DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.
!DSB-Several suspected children of Millicent and Bradley, but none confirmed as of yet, except Nathan Olmsted Castle.

18. Millicent married **Bradley Castle** in Quebec. They had eight children: Nathan (1810–1876), Lavinia (1812–1838), Evelyn (1828–), Maria, Horace, Thirza, Julia (–1845) and Nelson.

Bradley was born in 1786. He reached 62 years of age and died in Shefford, La Haute-Yamaska, Quebec, on 13th March 1848. Bradley was buried in Waterloo Burial Ground, Shefford, on 15th March 1848.

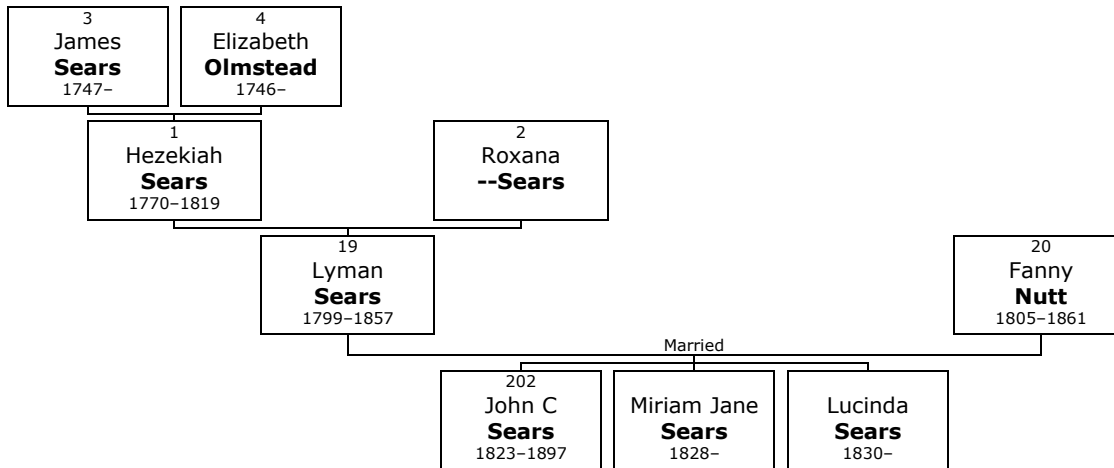
!BIRTH-DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

Children of Millicent Sears and Bradley Castle:

- + 188 m I. **Nathan Olmsted⁵ Castle** was born in Shefford, La Haute-Yamaska, Quebec, on 20th May 1810. He died in Afton, Washington, Minnesota, USA, on 24th August 1876, at the age of 66.
- + 191 f II. **Lavinia Castle** was born in Quebec in 1812. She died in Frost Village, Shefford, La Haute-Yamaska, Quebec, on 29th September 1838, at the age of 26.
- + 193 f III. **Evelyn Castle** was born in 1828.
- + 195 f IV. **Maria Castle**.
- m V. **Horace Castle**.
- f VI. **Thirza Castle**.
- + 197 f VII. **Julia Ann Castle**. Julia Ann died in Shefford, La Haute-Yamaska, Quebec, on 30th July 1845.
- + 199 m VIII. **Nelson Castle**.

Children

Family of Lyman Sears and Fanny Nutt



19. **Lyman⁵ Sears** (*Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²*) was born in 1799 in Caldwell Manor, Quebec, Canada. He was the son of Hezekiah Sears (1) and Roxana --Sears (2).

Lyman died in Missisquoi Co between 1857 and 1861.

Newsletter <http://www.uelac.org/Loyalist-Monuments/Caldwell-Manor-Plaque.php> Accessed 8 Dec 2018 - A Province of Quebec plaque commemorating Loyalist settlement in Caldwell Manor was mounted on a boulder which in turn was embedded in a raised cement base in MacCallum Park, Noyan, Quebec in 1971. U.E.L. Plaque Unveiling June 12, 1971[from the Loyalist Gazette, Vol. IX, No. 2, Autumn 1971] After a picnic lunch, inspection of the old Derick house and a visit to St. Thomas Anglican Church, the unveiling ceremony got under way in the park across from the church. Chairman Herb Derick welcomed the large gathering with appropriate remarks. Mr. Norman Simpson was then asked to say a few words. He spoke on the significance of the plaque about to be unveiled pointed out that it was to commemorate all Loyalists who came to Canada from the U.S. and that our thoughts go back to those hardy pioneers who settled in this part of the country. Mr. Wm. Taylor, Past President, and K.D. Tree, President of the Missisquoi County Historical Society, then unveiled the plaque, which drew many favourable comments from those present. After a short speech by Mayor MacCallum, welcoming all to Noyan for this important occasion, he called on Mr. Yves Forest, M.P. for Missisquoi for a speech which was greatly enjoyed. The highlight of the afternoon speeches was when Mr. Ed Struthers, Mayor of Stanstead, Que., who grew up in Noyan, gave a very interesting and detailed account of the years before, during and after the American Revolution when the first settlers arrived in Noyan and Caldwell's Manor, present-day Clarenceville. This had involved a great deal of work and research and many facts unknown to many of us were brought out. [See the Loyalist Gazette, Vol. IX, No. 2, Autumn 1971, for excerpts.] A hearty round of applause followed after the speaker concluded his talk by reading the wording on the plaque and thanking the mayor and council of the Parish of St. Thomas for erecting the boulder and cement base for the plaque. He was thanked by Chairman Derick and thus brought to a close a very pleasant outing on a beautiful sunny June day climaxed by a delicious lunch served by the ladies of the U.E.L. in the Town Hall.

The inscription reads as follows: CALDWELL MANOR UN DES PREMIERS LIEUX PEOPLES PARDES LOYALISTES AU QUEBEC PAR SUITE DELA GUERRE D'INDEPENDENCE AMERICAINE(1775-1783) PLUSIEURS COLONS, SOLDATSOU AUTRES Y ARRIVERENT PAR LAFREGATE MARIAONE OF THE FIRST UNITED EMPIRE LOYALIST SETTLEMENTS WAS FORMED HERE DURING AND AFTER THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION (1775-1783). MANY SOLDIERS AND OTHERS WERE TRANSPORTED BY THE WARSHIP MARIA.MINISTERE DES AFFAIRES CULTURELLES COMMISSION DES MONUMENTS HISTORIQUE ** Kenneth D. Tree, President of the Missisquoi County Historical Society was also a member of the Sir John Johnson Branch. Edward Struthers and Herb Derick were charter members of Sir John Johnson Centennial Branch in 1967. In addition, charter member Donald MacCallum, for whom the park was named, was also President of the Sir John Johnson Branch in 1969, 1973, 1978 and 1981. Pictures and additional information submitted by Adelaide Lanktree UE, President Sir John Johnson Centennial Branch.

!BIRTH-MARRIAGE-DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets. Robert Stoness Note: he was called Rob Born: about 1809 from England Origin: English Died: Aug 2 1892 age 83 (on Gravestone) Died: 1897 age 88 Buried: Sandhill Cemetery near Battersea Father: Mother:

NOTE: Robert was married two times first wife name was Elizabeth Jane McGowan They lived in the USA and had Children born then 2nd Wife: Married date: May 22 1849 in Alburgh. Fannie Sears Born: about 1831 from Quebec Origin: French ? Died: Nov 2 1897 age 66 Buried: Sandhill Cemetery near Battersea Father: Lyman Sears Mother: Fanny Nutt Robert Stoness Family Tree (He had 14 children or more) 1- baby 2- Mary Ann Stoness -USA about 1842 3- John S Stoness -USA about 1845 4- James Y Stoness -USA about 1846 5- Jabes M Stoness -USA about 1846 6- William B Stoness -USA about 1849 7- Robert S Stoness -USA about 1851 8- Jane E Stoness about 1854 9- Giles H Stoness about 1856 10- David R Stoness about: 1859 11- Henry Stoness about: 1862 12- Amanda (Augusta) Stoness 1864 - 13- Abigail (Abbie) Stoness -Canada 1866 - 1947 age 81 14- John Stoness -about 1868

===== IF YOU KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT MY FAMILY TREE EMAIL ME:
glenda69webb@hotmail.com From: Glenda Webb [mailto:glenda69@sympatico.ca] Sent: Saturday, December 29, 2001 4:49 PM To: Diane Brigode; L RAY SEARS Subject: Sears I just found this: would this be right? from the web page <http://pages.prodigy.net/brentrbrian/paf/mitchell/pafg05.htm#5649> -----
73. Fanny NUTT (Elizabeth MITCHELL , John , John) was born 1807 in , , PQ, CANADA. Fanny married Lyman SEARS, son of Hezekiah SEARS and Roxana *UNKNOWN, on 1822 in Clarenceville, Bedford, PQ, CANADA. Lyman was born 1799 in Clarenceville, Bedford, PQ, CANADA.

They had the following children:

178 M i John C SEARS was born 13 Mar 1823 in Clarenceville, Bedford, PQ, CANADA. He died 28 Feb 1897 in Loughborough, Frontenac, ON, CANADA.

179 M ii David SEARS was born 1825 in Clarenceville, Bedford, PQ, CANADA. He died 5 Sep 1906 in Stanstead, Stanstead, PQ, CANADA.

180 M iii Alonzo SEARS was born 1827 in Clarenceville, Bedford, PQ, CANADA. He died 30 May 1882 in Storrington, Frontenac, ON, CANADA. Alonzo married 1 (1) Martha Eliza KETCHUM on 5 Sep 1849 in Clarenceville, Bedford, PQ, CANADA. Alonzo also married (2) Esther Ann HOLDER on Oct 1870 in , Frontenac, ON, CANADA.

181 F iv Miriam Jane SEARS was born 1830 in Clarenceville, Bedford, PQ, CANADA.

182 F v Frances SEARS was born 1831 in Clarenceville, Bedford, PQ, CANADA. She died 2 Aug 1897 in Loughborough, Frontenac, ON, CANADA.[Notes] Frances married Robert STONESS on 22 May 1849 in Alburgh, Grand Isle, VT.

183 F vi Lucinda SEARS was born 1833 in Clarenceville, Bedford, PQ, CANADA. She died 14 Aug 1896 in Stanstead, Stanstead, PQ, CANADA. Lucinda married John R MANNING.

20. He married **Fanny Nutt**. They had three children: John (1823–1897), Miriam (1828–) and Lucinda (1830–).

Fanny was born in Quebec in 1805. She reached 56 years of age and died in 1861.

!BIRTH-DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

Children of Lyman Sears and Fanny Nutt:

- + 202 m I. **John C⁶ Sears** was born in Caldwell Manor, Quebec, on 13th March 1823.^[5] He died in Frontenac, Ontario, on 28th February 1897, at the age of 73.
- f II. **Miriam Jane Sears** was born in Missisquoi Co between 1828 and 1832.
- f III. **Lucinda Sears** was born in Missisquoi Co in 1830.

Hezekiah Sears

21. **Hezekiah⁵ Sears Jr** (*Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²*) was born on Friday, 28th February 1800, in Caldwell Manor, Quebec, Canada. He was the son of Hezekiah Sears (1) and Roxana --Sears (2).

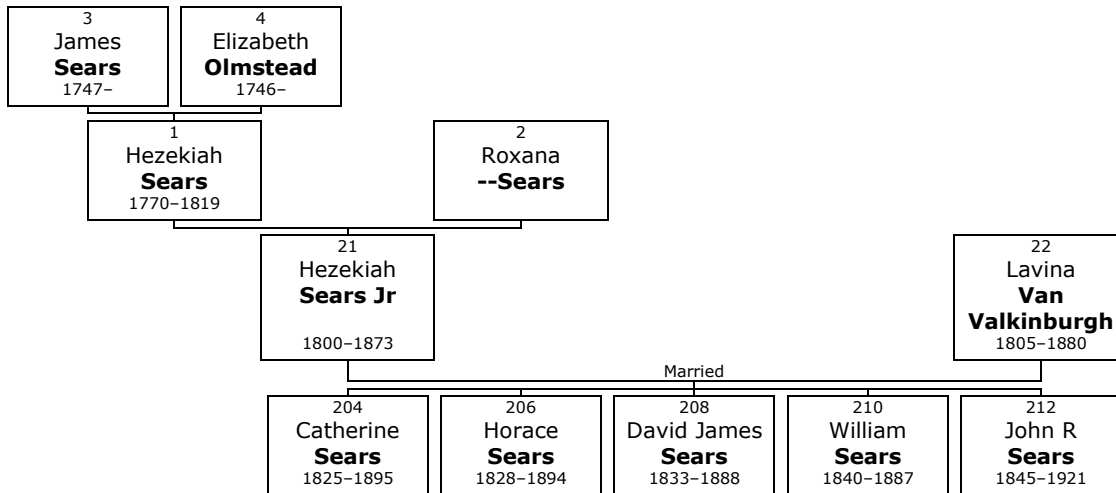
Hezekiah died in Loughborough, Frontenac, Ontario, on 7th April 1873, at the age of 73. He was buried at Latimer Cemetery in Frontenac.

!DSB- Went west to the area of Kingston, Ontario about 1834-40. Later ancestors went into MI, and finally to the area around Grand Forks, ND where Diane grew up.

Marriages with Lavina Van Valkinburgh and an unknown partner are known.

⁵ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com, Record for John C Sears. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=7181&h=1654880597&indiv=try>.

Family of Hezekiah Sears and Lavina Van Valkinburgh



Here are the details about **Hezekiah Sears Jr's** first marriage with Lavina Van Valkinburgh. You can read more about Hezekiah on page 28.

- 22.** Hezekiah Sears Jr married **Lavina Van Valkinburgh** in prob, Caldwell Manor. They had five children: Catherine (1825–1895), Horace (1828–1894), David (1833–1888), William (1840–1887) and John (1845–1921).

Lavina was born in Quebec in 1805. She was also known as **Lavina Von Volkingburgh**.

Lavina reached 75 years of age and died in Bedford Township, Frontenac, Ontario, in 1880.

also Vanvolkingburgh 1. Records Author: Sears-Degrugillier, Sheila Publication: Fargo, ND, USA

Children of Hezekiah Sears Jr and Lavina Van Valkinburgh:

- + 204 f I. **Catherine⁶ Sears** was born in Quebec in December 1825. She died in Drummond, Lanark, Ontario, on 7th September 1895, at the age of 69.
- + 206 m II. **Horace Sears** was born in Caldwell Manor, Quebec, on 14th March 1828.^[6] He died in Bedford Township, Frontenac, Ontario, on 31st October 1894, at the age of 66.^[6]
- + 208 m III. **David James Sears** was born in Caldwell Manor on 9th October 1833. He died in Ontario, Michigan, USA, on 15th December 1888, at the age of 55.
- + 210 m IV. **William Sears** was born in Ontario in 1840. He died in Fostoria, Tuscola, Michigan, USA, on 21st February 1887, at the age of 47.
- + 212 m V. **John R Sears** was born in Loughborough, Frontenac, Ontario, on 28th February 1845.^[7-15] He died in Storrington on 14th September 1921, at the age of 76.^[7, 8, 12-15]

⁶ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Horace Mack Sears.
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=millind&h=105014482&indiv=try>.

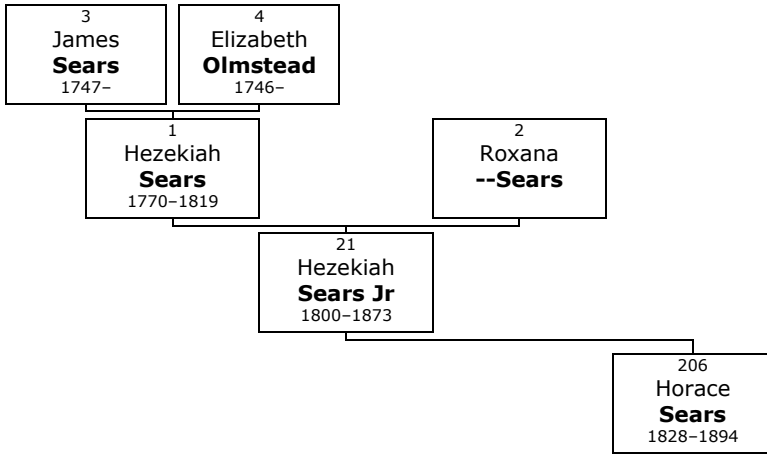
⁷ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (http://familysearch.org : modified 02 September 2018, 03:51), entry for John R. Sears(PID https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:K41X-GL2); contributed by various users. PersonID K41X-GL2. John R. Sears.

⁸ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Find A Grave Index," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:Q2BY-59CV : 10 March 2017), John R. Sears, 1921; Burial, Latimer, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, Latimer Cemetery; citing record ID 176611666, <i>Find a Grave</i>, http://www.findagrave.com. John R. Sears, "Find A Grave Index".

⁹ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FMF1-J68 : 11 March 2018), John Sears and Sophrone Darling, 27 Jan 1873; citing registration , Kingston, Ontario, Canada, Archives of Ontario, Toronto; FHL microfilm 1,862,700. John Sears, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927".

¹⁰ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FMFT-G2K : 11 March 2018), John Sears and Sophronia Darling, 27 Jan 1873; citing registration , Kingston, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, Archives of Ontario, Toronto; FHL microfilm 1,862,698. John Sears, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927".

Hezekiah Sears

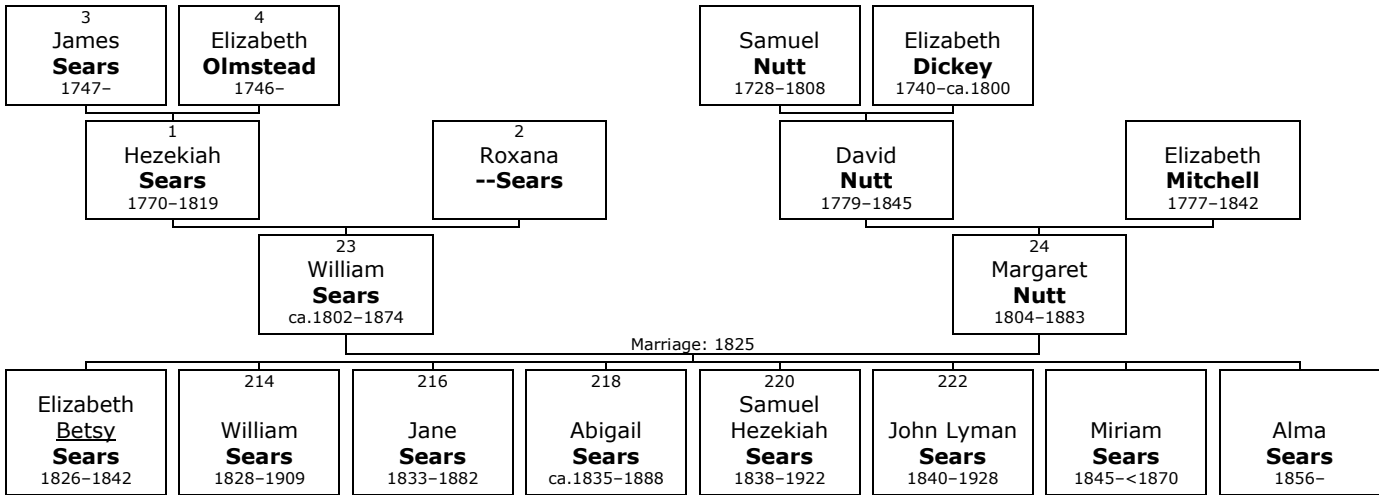


Here are the details about **Hezekiah Sears Jr's** second marriage with an unknown partner. You can read more about Hezekiah on page 28.

Son of Hezekiah Sears Jr:

+ 206 m I. **Horace⁶ Sears** was born in Caldwell Manor on 14th March 1828.^[6] He died in Bedford Township, Frontenac, Ontario, on 31st October 1894, at the age of 66.^[6]

Family of William Sears and Margaret Nutt



¹¹ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Canada Census, 1901," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:KH2P-MJK : 18 March 2018), John Sears, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada; citing p. 6, Library and Archives of Canada, Ottawa. John Sears, "Canada Census, 1901".

¹² FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:XLL1-J55 : 10 February 2018), John Sears in entry for Mary Jan Sears, 19 Jan 1888; citing Storrington, Frontenac, Ontario; FHL microfilm 1,906,132. John Sears in entry for Mary Jan Sears, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899".

¹³ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:XLLB-QSH : 10 February 2018), John Sears in entry for Edward Albert Sears, 04 Jan 1890; citing Storrington, Frontenac, Ontario; FHL microfilm 1,906,132. John Sears in entry for Edward Albert Sears, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899".

¹⁴ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:XLLB-QS7 : 10 February 2018), John Sears in entry for Avery Harcourt Sears, 25 May 1894; citing Storrington, Frontenac, Ontario; FHL microfilm 1,906,132. John Sears in entry for Avery Harcourt Sears, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899".

¹⁵ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:XL21-9S7 : 10 February 2018), John Sears in entry for Maggie May Sears, 15 Mar 1880; citing Storrington Township, Frontenac, Ontario; FHL microfilm 1,845,397. John Sears in entry for Maggie May Sears, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899".

23. William⁵ Sears (*Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²*) was born about 1802 at Gord Ballik: Canada East Diane Brigade:07 Apr 1802, Caldwell Manor, Quebec, Canada in Noyan, Le Haut-Richelieu, Quebec, Canada. He was the son of Hezekiah Sears (1) and Roxana --Sears (2).

William died at d.- Gord Ballik in Frontenac, Ontario, on 27th April 1874, at the age of 72.

24. At the age of 23, William married **Margaret Nutt** on Sunday, 16th October 1825, at source: Gord Ballik in Clarenceville, Missisquoi, Quebec, when she was 21 years old. They had eight children: Betsy (1826–1842), William (1828–1909), Jane (1833–1882), Abigail (ca.1835–1888), Samuel (1838–1922), John (1840–1928), Miriam (1845–<1870) and Alma (1856–).

Margaret was born in Missisquoi Co on Monday, 23rd January 1804. She was the daughter of David Nutt and Elizabeth Mitchell.

Margaret reached 79 years of age and died at source:Gord Ballik in Frontenac, Ontario, on 25th May 1883.

Children of William Sears and Margaret Nutt:

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| f | I. | Elizabeth Betsy⁶ Sears was born in Quebec on 10 th July 1826. She died in Quebec on 17 th July 1842, at the age of 16. |
| + 214 | m | II. William Sears was born in Quebec on 26 th September 1828. ^[16-18] He died in Mount Chesney, Frontenac, Ontario, on 4 th May 1909, at the age of 80. ^[16-18] |
| + 216 | f | III. Jane Sears was born in Ontario on 13 th April 1833. She died in Bedford Township, Frontenac, Ontario, on 6 th November 1882, at the age of 49. |
| + 218 | f | IV. Abigail Sears was born in Quebec about 1835. She died in Frontenac, Ontario, on 3 rd May 1888, at the age of 53. |
| + 220 | m | V. Samuel Hezekiah Sears was born in Quebec on 4 th May 1838. He died in Perth Road Village, Loughborough Township, Frontenac, Ontario, on 2 nd February 1922, at the age of 83. |
| + 222 | m | VI. John Lyman Sears was born in Clarenceville, Quebec, on 20 th September 1840. ^[19-25] He died in Kingston, Frontenac, Ontario, on 3 rd January 1928, at the age of 87. ^[19, 21, 23-25] |

¹⁶ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<http://familysearch.org> : modified 17 November 2018, 19:52), entry for William Sears(PID <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:96SD-7WV>); contributed by various users. PersonID 96SD-7WV. William Sears.

¹⁷ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Canada Census, 1871," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:M431-CVX> : 24 October 2018), Jane Sears in household of William Sears, Loughborough, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada; citing 1871; citing National Archives of Canada, Ottawa, Ontario. William Sears.

¹⁸ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:XLPD-1B9> : 10 February 2018), William Sears in entry for George Lewis Sears, 10 Jul 1874; citing Ontario, Canada; FHL microfilm 1,871,359. William Sears in entry for George Lewis Sears, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899".

¹⁹ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<http://familysearch.org> : modified 08 April 2017, 22:34), entry for John Lyman Sears(PID <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:L4Q7-5QM>); contributed by various users. PersonID L4Q7-5QM. John Lyman Sears.

²⁰ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Recensement du Canada de 1911," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QVB8-BDNR> : 16 March 2018), John L Sears, 1911; citing Census, Frontenac Sub-Districts 1-54, Ontario, Canada, Library and Archives of Canada, Ottawa, Ontario; FHL microfilm 2,417,697. John L Sears, "Canada Census, 1911".

²¹ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Find A Grave Index," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QVFN-LD8P> : 13 December 2015), John Lyman Sears, ; Burial, Kingston, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, Catarauqui Cemetery; citing record ID 17872014, <i>Find a Grave</i>, <http://www.findagrave.com>. John Lyman Sears, "Find A Grave Index".

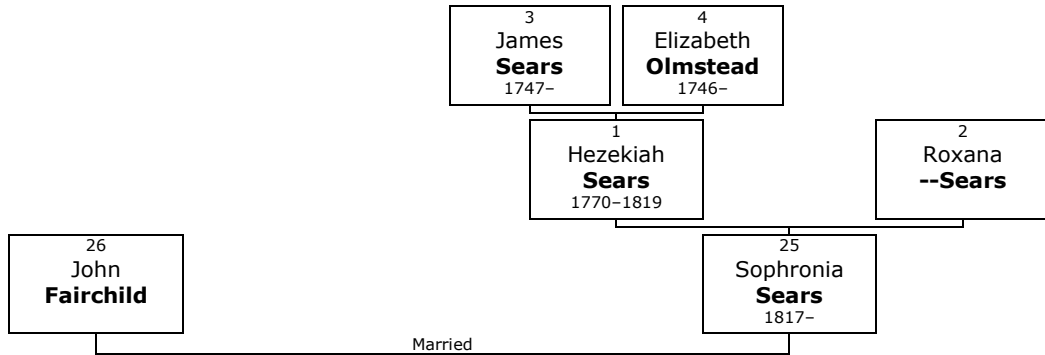
²² FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Canada Census, 1901," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:KH2G-G83> : 18 March 2018), John L Sears, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada; citing p. 7, Library and Archives of Canada, Ottawa. John L Sears, "Canada Census, 1901".

²³ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Deaths, 1869-1937 and Overseas Deaths, 1939-1947," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:JKWP-8TL> : 8 March 2018), John Lyman Sears, 03 Jan 1928; citing Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, 15118, Registrar General. Archives of Ontario, Toronto; FHL microfilm 2,184,479. John Lyman Sears, "Ontario Deaths, 1869-1937 and Overseas Deaths, 1939-1947".

f VII. **Miriam Sears** was born in Quebec in 1845. She died in Ontario before 8th October 1870.

f VIII. **Alma Sears** was born in Frontenac, Ontario, in 1856.

Family of Sophronia Sears and John Fairchild



25. **Sophronia⁵ Sears** (*Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²*) was born in 1817 in Quebec, Canada. She was the daughter of Hezekiah Sears (1) and Roxana --Sears (2).

26. Sophronia married **John Fairchild**.

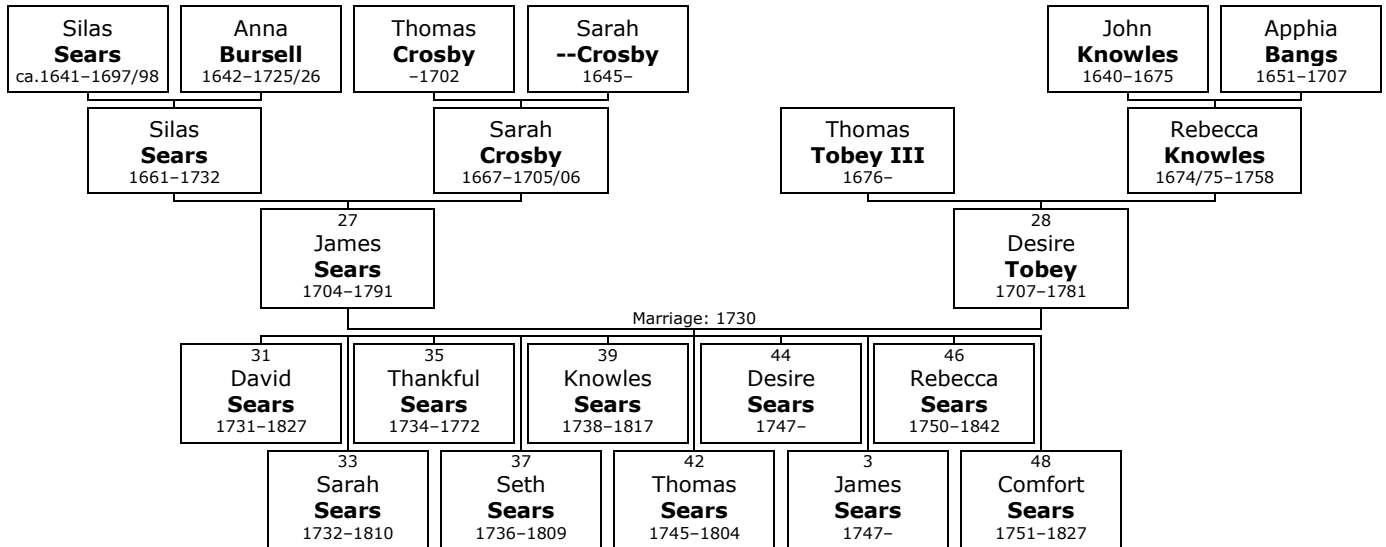
²⁴ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:XLRV-17L> : 10 February 2018), John Sears in entry for Francis Sohia Sears, 07 Jul 1871; citing Starrington, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada; FHL microfilm 1,845,043. John Sears in entry for Francis Sohia Sears, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899".

²⁵ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:XLTL-K65> : 10 February 2018), John L. Sears in entry for Annie Sears, 20 Feb 1883; citing Storrington, Frontenac, Ontario; FHL microfilm 1,845,585. John L. Sears in entry for Annie Sears, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899".

Related 2 Steps Removed

Grandparents

Family of James Sears and Desire Tobey



27. **James² Sears** was born on 30th March 1704, in Yarmouth, Barnstable, Massachusetts, USA.^[26, 27] He was the son of Silas Sears and Sarah Crosby.

James died in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, on 17th March 1791, at the age of 86.^[26, 27]

!Yarmouth VR p.40[back] m. by Tom Smith, Cler; [p.69] James Sears and Desiar Toby pub. Mar 14 1729/30

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!Yarmouth VR [p.111] David Sears son of James and Desiar Sears he was born on the 25th day of August 1731 Sarah 21 Nov 1732 Thankfull 26 Nov 1734 Seth 31 Oct 1736 (Aug was crossed out and October interlined in same hand)

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!S P May p.99, No 73, Oscar Weed, who lives in the old Sears homestead at Mill Plains, CT., has a deed dated July 10, 1739, from Robt. Hebard, Jr., and Ruth, his wife, of the town and county of Windham, CT, to James Sears, late of Yarmouth, county Barnstable, Province of Mass. Bay, of a tract of land in Windham, near the Shautucket river, containing 52 acres, the consideration being L 275. How long James Sears remained in Windham, if he lived there at all, is not known, but he is supposed to have removed to Mill Plains, then a part of Ridgefield, about 1740-45, although his name does not appear in "listable estates" of Ridgefield for 1746. James Sears was chosen pathmaster, Kent, CT (which is near by,) Apr. 7, 1747, and in 1756, of the Old Gilead Church in Carmel. He was one of the organizers of the Congregational Church in Ridgebury, (the northern society of Ridgefield) in 1769. After the death of his wife, Desire, he lived with his son Comfort, and tradition tells of his orderly habits and rigid religious observances. When he first settled in Ridgefield wild turkeys and other game abounded. It is related that one Sabbath morning a flock of wild turkeys alighted in his cornfield. Taking his gun he started to shoot them, but remembering that it was the Lord's Day, he returned, remarking, "you did not get to me that time, Mr. Devil."

!Esther A Savage-The CT Nutmegger, Dec 1992, p. 363

!James Sears (May p.64-65) ... Pelletreau (p.756) says the Sears family came to Putnam co (Then Dutchess co, NY) in 1743. James Sears lived on a farm adjacent to that of Eleazer Hamblin (No.135 RIN

²⁶ Ancestry.com, Global, Find A Grave Index for Non-Burials, Burials at Sea, and other Select Burial Locations, 1300s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com, Find A Grave.

²⁷ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, Volume: 143; SAR Membership Number: 28472. [Source citation includes one media item]

[13969]] in 1762, as shown by records of a survey of Lot 6 in that year. (Pelletreau, p.269). Near by, in the town of Southeast, "The most numerous families in former times were the CROSBYS"(Pelletreau, p. 429), descended from three brothers who came from Harwich, MA. David (No. 582 RIN [3725]) and Joshua Sears (No.256 RIN [4061]?) came in 1749. Thomas Sears (No.587 RIN [3730]) settled on a farm south of Carmel in 1753. These three were descended from the Rev Thomas Crosby baptized ... James Sears, his brother-in-law, arrived to settle near the HAMBLINs in 1743.

28. James married **Desire Tobey** on 28th May 1730, in Yarmouth, Barnstable, Massachusetts. They had ten children: David (1731-1827), Sarah (1732-1810), Thankful (1734-1772), Seth (1736-1809), Knowles (1738-1817), Thomas (1745-1804), Desire (1747-), James (1747-), Rebecca (1750-1842) and Comfort (1751-1827).

Desire was born in Eastham in 1707. She was the daughter of Thomas Tobey III and Rebecca Knowles.

Desire reached 74 years of age and died in perh, Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, on 28th July 1781.

!NEHGS Register vol 79 pg 295 d. ae about 74, Ten children, including Seth, Knowles, and Rebecca Cf. Sears Genealogy, 1890, p. 98

Children of James Sears and Desire Tobey:

- + 31 m I. **David³ Sears** was born in Yarmouth on 25th August 1731.^[28-32] He died in Lenox, Berkshire, on 12th July 1827, at the age of 95.^[28, 30]
- + 33 f II. **Sarah Sears** was born in Yarmouth on 21st November 1732. She died in 1810 at the age of 77.
- + 35 f III. **Thankful Sears** was born in Yarmouth on 26th November 1734. She died in Milltown, New York, on 27th July 1772, at the age of 37.
- + 37 m IV. **Seth Sears** was born in Yarmouth on 31st October 1736.^[32] He died in Milltown, New York, on 2nd August 1809, at the age of 72.^[28, 33]
- + 39 m V. **Knowles Sears** was born in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, in 1738.^[28, 29, 31, 34-36] He died in Ridgefield on 17th June 1817, at the age of 79.^[28, 34-38]
- + 42 m VI. **Thomas Sears** was born in New York on 30th April 1745.^[39-41] He died in Southeast, Putnam, New York, on 26th April 1804, at the age of 58.^[40, 41]
- + 44 f VII. **Desire Sears** was born in perh, Yarmouth, Barnstable, Massachusetts, in 1747.

²⁸ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

²⁹ Edmund West, comp., Family Data Collection - Births (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2001), Ancestry.com.

³⁰ Edmund West, comp., Family Data Collection - Individual Records (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2000), Ancestry.com, Birth year: 1731; Birth city: Yarmouth; Birth state: MA.

³¹ Godfrey Memorial Library, comp., American Genealogical-Biographical Index (AGBI) (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 1999), Ancestry.com.

³² Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

³³ Ancestry.com, Web: New York, Find A Grave Index, 1660-2012 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

³⁴ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

³⁵ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Hale Cemetery Inscriptions and Newspaper Notices, 1629-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

³⁶ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Deaths and Burials Index, 1650-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

³⁷ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Church Record Abstracts, 1630-1920 (Provo, UT, USA, , 2013), Ancestry.com.

³⁸ Edmund West, comp., Family Data Collection - Deaths (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2001), Ancestry.com.

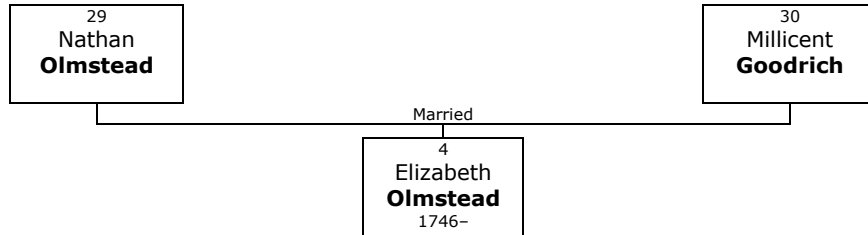
³⁹ Yates Publishing, U.S. and International Marriage Records, 1560-1900 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2004), Ancestry.com, Source number: 3430.008; Source type: Pedigree chart; Number of Pages: 13.

⁴⁰ Ancestry.com, North America, Family Histories, 1500-2000 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com, Book Title: Lineage Book of the Charter Members of the DAR Vol 085.

⁴¹ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, Volume: 156.

- + 3 m VIII. **James Sears** was born in perh in 1747. He died in Quebec, Canada.
- + 46 f IX. **Rebecca Sears** was born in perh, Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, in 1750. She died on 20th March 1842, at the age of 92.
- + 48 m X. **Comfort Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 20th March 1751.^[31, 36] He died in Ridgefield on 24th December 1827, at the age of 76.^[36, 37]

Family of Nathan Olmstead and Millicent Goodrich



29. Nathan² Olmstead.

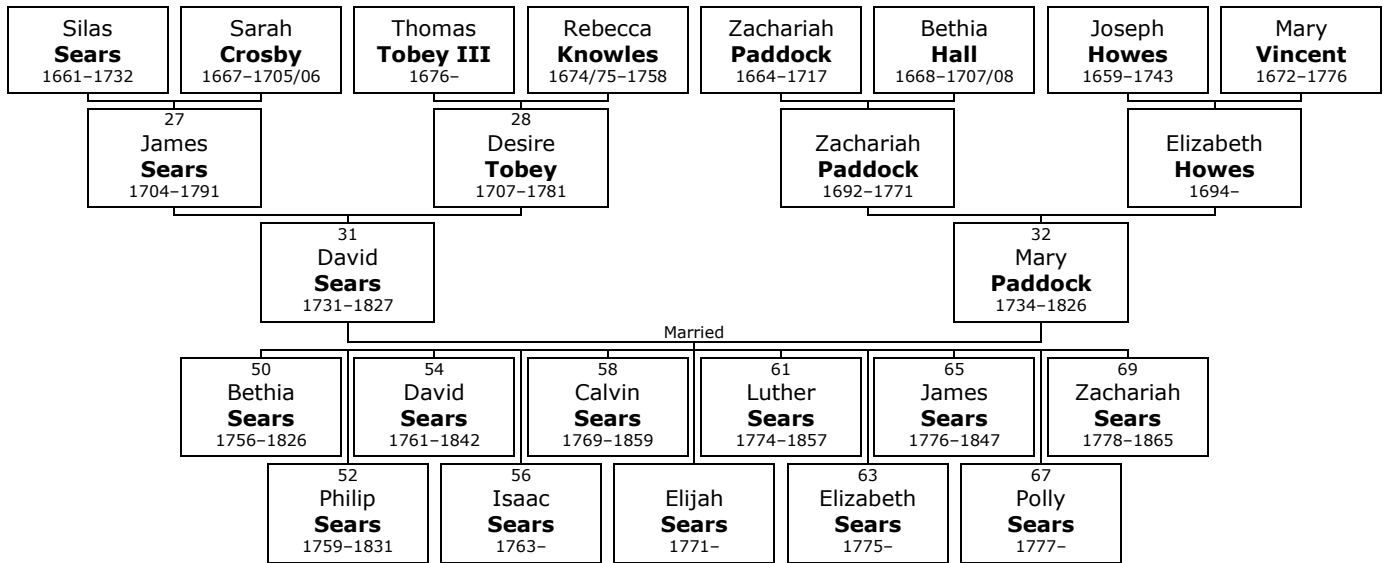
30. He married **Millicent Goodrich**. They had one daughter: Elizabeth (1746-).
Millicent was born in of, Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.

Daughter of Nathan Olmstead and Millicent Goodrich:

- + 4 f I. **Elizabeth³ Olmstead** was born in Ridgefield on 26th July 1746.

Uncles/aunts

Family of David Sears and Mary Paddock



31. **David³ Sears** (*James²*) was born on 25th August 1731, in Yarmouth, Barnstable, Massachusetts, USA.^[42-48] He was the son of James Sears (27) and Desire Tobey (28).

David died in Lenox on 12th July 1827, at the age of 95.^[42, 44] He was buried in Lenox.^[42]

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-877>

!S.P. May p.174, No 293 David Sears rem. to North East, south precinct, Dutchess co.,NY (where "David Sears subscribed 10s. for Mr Kent's support," in 1754,) and thence previous to the Revolution to north part of Lenox, MA

! 3 Dec 1777, at a meeting of the Com. of Safety, it was "Voted John Whitlock, Ephraim Smith, David Sears, Philip Sears and Edward Martindale are dangerous to the United States of America."

! "Chose by ballot Major Caleb Hyde to procure evidence and support an action on behalf of said town against John Whitlock, David Sears, Philip Sears, Ephraim Smith and Edward Martindale, at a court of general sessions of the peace for the county of Berkshire, to be held at Gt Barrington, on Tuesday, the 9th day of Dec curent, for their being inimically disposed and dangerous to remain in the States of America."

! 21 Mar 1774, David was appointed Com. to lay out school money. 12 Mar 1776, David Sears on School Com.; 24 Mar 1788, chose David Sears, Tything-man. 2 Mar 1789, David Sears, Surveyor of Highways. 25 Apr 1794, he is returned as Baptist.

! A hole in the mountain at Lenox was called "the tory-hole," and was occupied by Gid. Smith of

⁴² Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

⁴³ Edmund West, comp., Family Data Collection - Births (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2001), Ancestry.com.

⁴⁴ Edmund West, comp., Family Data Collection - Individual Records (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2000), Ancestry.com, Birth year: 1731; Birth city: Yarmouth; Birth state: MA.

⁴⁵ Godfrey Memorial Library, comp., American Genealogical-Biographical Index (AGBI) (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 1999), Ancestry.com.

⁴⁶ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.
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⁴⁷ Ancestry.com, 1790 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1790; Census Place: Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts; Series: M637; Roll: 4; Page: 342; Image: 381; Family History Library Film: 0568144.
[Source citation includes one media item]

⁴⁸ Ancestry.com, 1800 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1800; Census Place: Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts; Series: M32; Roll: 13; Page: 211; Image: 213; Family History Library Film: 205611.
[Source citation includes one media item]

Stockbridge as a hiding-place, he being supplied with food by David Sears. I think some of his daughters were born before Luther. 1798 Lenox tax record- David Sears, 40 perches(not acres 160 sq perches to an acre) valuation \$350 Philip Sears 40 perches \$120 Calvin Sears 40 perches \$150

!Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 about David Sears Birth Date: 25 Aug 1731 Event Type: Birth Event City: Yarmouth Father Name: James Sears Mother Name: Desiar Sears <http://www.americanancestors.org/PageDetail.aspx?recordId=4296679>

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!Deaths Reported in the Boston Recorder and Telegraph, 1827 and 1828 SEARS SEARS, David, 97, d. at Lenox. Ag. 10. 1827 Death Tracy Norstrom Steiner I'm wondering how accurate the May's Sears book actually is. Does anyone know if he listed sources anywhere? I have been unable to find supporting documentation to link David Sears, 1761-1842 (number 737 in the book) to his supposed father David Sears, 1731-1827 (number 294 in the book). My only source is the May's book. Is anyone else working on this line? Thanks

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! Find a Grave Birth: Nov. 25, 1731 Lenox Berkshire County Massachusetts, USA Death: Jun. 12, 1827 Lenox Berkshire County Massachusetts, USA "Blessed and holy is he that ..." Son of James Sears and Desire Tobey of Yarmouth, Mass.; husband of Mary Paddock. They had 11 children: Philip, David, Isaac, Luther, James, Zachariah, Calvin, Elijah, Bethia, Elizabeth, and Polly. Family links: Spouse: Mary Paddock Sears (1734 - 1826) Children: Philip Sears (1759 - 1831)* *Calculated relationship Burial: New Lenox Cemetery Lenox Berkshire County Massachusetts, USA Plot: Row 4, Grave 174 Created by: waldonia Record added: Jan 25, 2010 Find A Grave Memorial# 47134892

!
!Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 Name: David Sears Birth Date: 25 Aug 1731 Event Type: Birth Event City: Yarmouth Father Name: James Sears Mother Name: Desiar Sears Name: David Sears [David Sears] Home in 1790 (City, County, State): Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts Free White Persons - Males - Under 16: 3 Free White Persons - Males - 16 and over: 3 Free White Persons - Females: 2 Number of Household Members: 8 1800 United States Federal Census about David Sears Name: David Sears Home in 1800 (City, County, State): Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts Free White Persons - Males -10 thru 15: 1 Free White Persons - Males - 16 thru 25: 1 Free White Persons - Males - 45 and over: 1 Free White Persons - Females - 45 and over: 1 Number of Household Members Under 16: 1 Number of Household Members Over 25: 2 Number of Household Members: 4

More facts and events for David Sears:

Residence: 1790 Lenox^[47]

Residence: 1800 Lenox^[48]

32. He married **Mary Paddock**.^[42] They had eleven children: Bethia (1756-1826), Philip (1759-1831), David (1761-1842), Isaac (1763-), Calvin (1769-1859), Elijah (1771-), Luther (1774-1857), Elizabeth (1775-), James (1776-1847), Polly (1777-) and Zachariah (1778-1865).

Mary was born at perhaps in Lenox in 1734.^[42] She was the daughter of Zachariah Paddock and Elizabeth Howes.

Mary reached 92 years of age and died in Lenox on 19th July 1826.^[42] She was buried in Lenox.^[42]

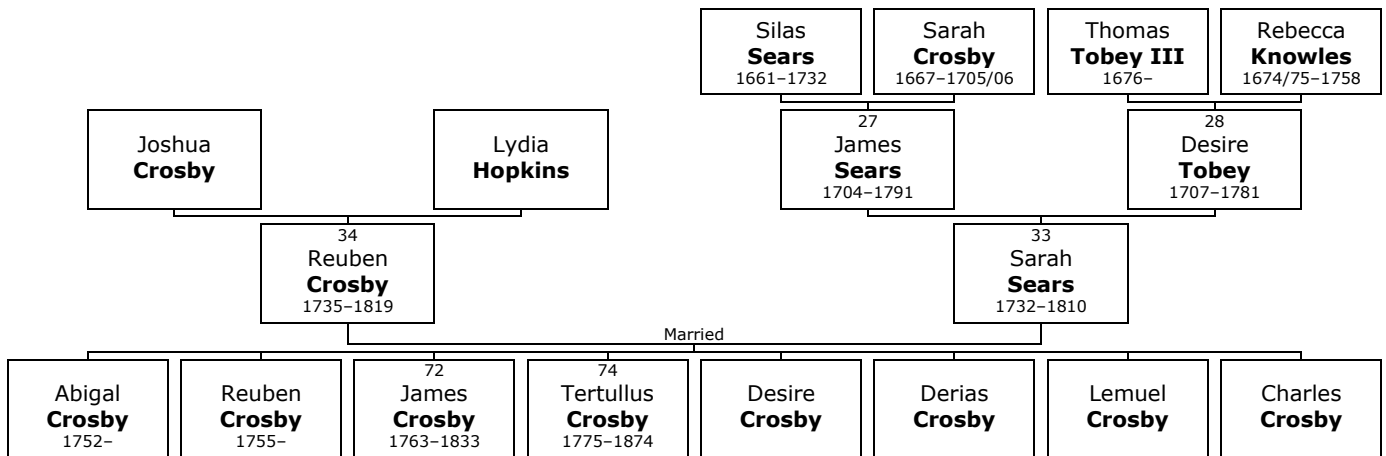
From: Sara Murphy [mailto: sjm2@rmi.net] Sent: Tuesday, February 20, 2001 8:23 PM To: SEARS-L@rootsweb.com Subject: [[SEARS-L]] Rollcall I am looking for more information on David Sears [3725][James, Silas, Richard] b. 1731 in Yarmouth, MA, died 1827 in Lenox, MA] and his wife !Mary Paddock [probably the daughter of Zachariah [Zachariah, Zachariah and Deborah Sears, Richard] b. 1734 in Yarmouth and died in Lenox in 1826. Their daughter Elizabeth married Robert McKnight in 1791 and they lived in Livingston Co., NY most of their married lives. (This is contrary to Mays' history of that family but is proven by McKnight's pension records.) Their son Calvin Sears McKnight is my husband's gggrandfather. I'd like to find out more about whether Mary was also a Sears descendent. Birth: 1734 Massachusetts, USA Death: Jul. 19, 1826 Lenox Berkshire County Massachusetts, USA Daughter of Zachariah Paddock and Elizabeth Howes; wife of David Sears (see David Sears memorial for list of their 11 children). Family links: Spouse: David Sears (1731 - 1827)* Children: Philip Sears (1759 - 1831)* *Calculated relationship Burial: New Lenox Cemetery Lenox Berkshire County Massachusetts, USA Plot: Row 4 Edit Virtual Cemetery info [?] Created by: waldonia Record added: Jan 25, 2010 Find A Grave Memorial# 47134993

Children of David Sears and Mary Paddock:

- + 50 f I. **Bethia⁴ Sears** was born in Lenox in 1756. She died in 1826 at the age of 70.

- + 52 m II. **Philip Sears** was born in North East, Dutchess, New York, in 1759.^[42] He died in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, on 17th July 1831, at the age of 72.^[42]
- + 54 m III. **David Sears** was born in perh in 1761.^[42] He died in Milton, Saratoga, on 19th August 1842, at the age of 81.^[42]
- + 56 m IV. **Isaac Sears** was born in perh, North East, Dutchess, in 1763.
- + 58 m V. **Calvin Sears** was born in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, in 1769.^[49] He died in Lenox on 6th March 1859, at the age of 90.^[49]
- m VI. **Elijah Sears** was born at perhaps in Lenox in 1771.
- + 61 m VII. **Luther Sears** was born in Lenox on 28th September 1774.^[50] He died in Volney, Oswego, New York, in July 1857 at the age of 82.^[50]
- + 63 f VIII. **Elizabeth Sears** was born in Lenox in 1775.
- + 65 m IX. **James Sears** was born in Lenox on 15th May 1776.^[42, 51] He died in Richford, Tioga, New York, on 22nd February 1847, at the age of 70.^[42, 51]
- + 67 f X. **Polly Sears** was born in Lenox in 1777.
- + 69 m XI. **Zachariah Sears** was born in Lenox in April 1778.^[49, 52] He died in Lenox on 17th November 1865, at the age of 87.^[49, 52]

Family of Sarah Sears and Reuben Crosby



33. Sarah³ Sears (*James²*) was born on 21st November 1732, in Yarmouth, Barnstable, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of James Sears (27) and Desire Tobey (28).

Sarah died in 1810 at the age of 77.

!VTL Lived in Patterson, NY !SPM No 295 NEHGS- m. vol 102 p. 53

34. She married **Reuben Crosby**. They had eight children: Abigail (1752-), Reuben (1755-), James (1763-1833), Tertullus (1775-1874), Desire, Derias, Lemuel and Charles.

Reuben was born in Harwich on 1st January 1735. He was the son of Joshua Crosby and Lydia Hopkins.

Reuben reached 84 years of age and died in Patterson, Putnam, New York, in 1819.

!http://trees.ancestry.com/owt/person.aspx?pid=11548424

Children of Sarah Sears and Reuben Crosby:

- f I. **Abigail⁴ Crosby** was born in perh, Yarmouth, Barnstable, Massachusetts, in 1752.

⁴⁹ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

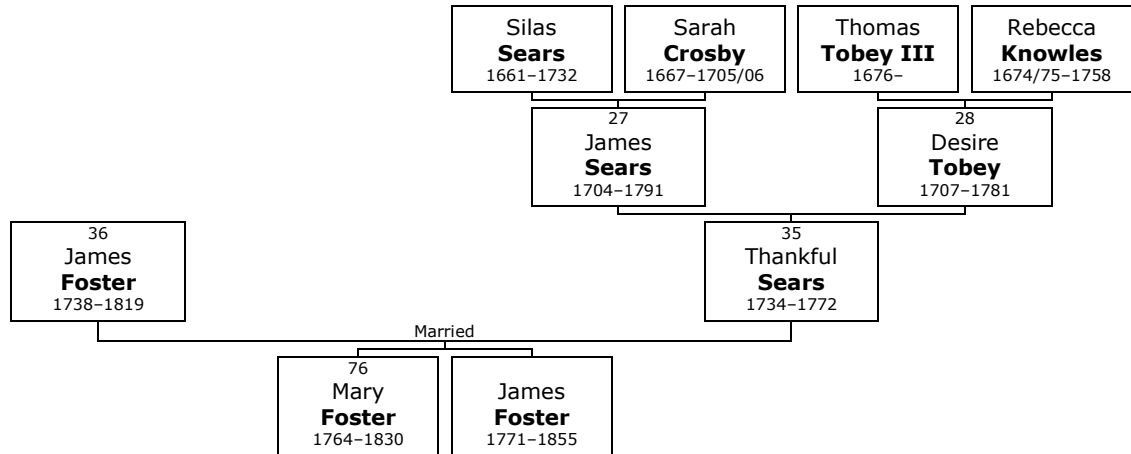
⁵⁰ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012).

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⁵² Ancestry.com, North America, Family Histories, 1500-2000 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com, Book Title: Thatcher - Thatcher Genealogy : Part 1 : Coat-of-Arms.

- m II. **Reuben Crosby** was born in 1755.
- + 72 m III. **James Crosby** was born in Putnam, New York, in 1763. He died in 1833 at the age of 70.
- + 74 m IV. **Tertullus Crosby** was born in Patterson, Putnam, on 2nd February 1775. He died in Troy, Newaygo, Michigan, on 14th September 1874, at the age of 99.
- f V. **Desire Crosby**.
- m VI. **Derias Crosby**.
- m VII. **Lemuel Crosby**.
- m VIII. **Charles Crosby** was born in Otsego.

Family of Thankful Sears and James Foster

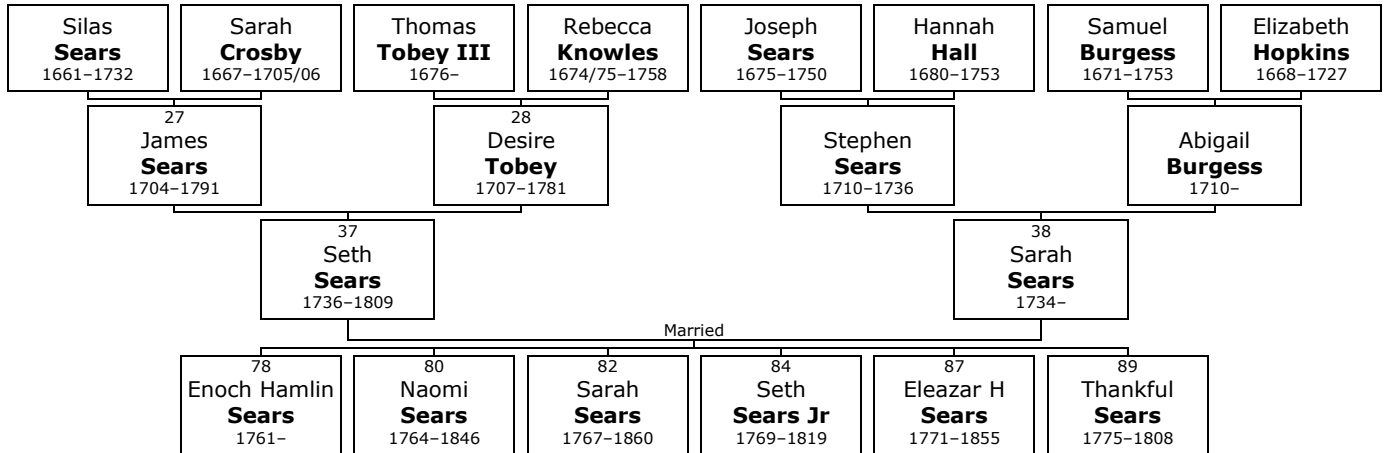


- 35. Thankful³ Sears** (*James²*) was born on 26th November 1734, in Yarmouth, Barnstable, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of James Sears (27) and Desire Tobey (28).
Thankful died in Milltown, New York, on 27th July 1772, at the age of 37. She was buried in Milltown.
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<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-879>
- 36.** She married **James Foster**. They had two children: Mary (1764–1830) and James (1771–1855).
James was born in perh, Yarmouth, Barnstable, Massachusetts, in 1738. He reached 81 years of age and died on 18th August 1819.
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Children of Thankful Sears and James Foster:

- + 76 f I. **Mary⁴ Foster** was born in perh in 1764. She died in 1830 at the age of 66.
- m II. **James Foster** was born in perh in 1771. He died in 1855 at the age of 84.

Family of Seth Sears and Sarah Sears



37. **Seth³ Sears** (*James²*) was born on 31st October 1736, in Yarmouth, Barnstable, Massachusetts, USA.^[53-57] He was the son of James Sears (27) and Desire Tobey (28).

Seth died in Milltown on 2nd August 1809, at the age of 72.^[55, 57] He was buried in Milltown Cemetery, Southeast, Putnam.^[55, 57]

!S.P. May p.174, No 297, buried beside his brother Knowles Ruth Gormley Pickard -

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-77>

!

!Seth Sears is listed in Rolls of CT Men in the French and Indian War, 1755-1762, on the muster Roll of the 1st Co, 4th Regt under Col David Wooster, also Capt, 1st Co. He is listed as a private enlisting 4 Apr 1758. he was discharged 15 Nov 1758. Seth Sears is also listed on the Muster Roll of the 9th Co [Capt Thaddeus Mead (of Norwalk)] of the 3rd regt (Col David Wooster). He did not join for the campaign of 1759. He served as a private in Capt Azor Barnum's Co., Col John Field's Regt (Third) of the Dutchess County Militia. NY in the Rev. p.40 On 4 Apr 1783, Seth Sears took advantage of the attinder of former Colonial Governor Henry Clinton to purchase for the sum of 63 pounds a 105-acre tract of land in the Oblong, which had been seized by the Committee to Detect Conspiracies.

Don't confuse this Seth with FTM Richard-Paul-Samuel-Benjamin-Seth they both served in the war and died in Putnam

More facts and events for Seth Sears:

Residence: 1790 Southeast^[56]

38. He married **Sarah Sears**. They had six children: Enoch (1761-), Naomi (1764-1846), Sarah (1767-1860), Seth (1769-1819), Eleazar (1771-1855) and Thankful (1775-1808).

⁵³ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.
[Source citation includes one media item]

⁵⁴ Ancestry.com, New York, Genealogical Records, 1675-1920 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2004), Ancestry.com, 1790 Federal Census of New York State; Publication Place: Washington, D.C.; Publisher: Government Printing Office; Publication Year: 1908; Page Number: 93.

⁵⁵ Ancestry.com, Web: New York, Find A Grave Index, 1660-2012 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

⁵⁶ Ancestry.com, 1790 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1790; Census Place: Southeast, Dutchess, New York; Series: M637; Roll: 6; Page: 34; Image: 161; Family History Library Film: 0568146.
[Source citation includes one media item]

⁵⁷ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

Sarah was born in Yarmouth, Barnstable, Massachusetts, on 31st March 1734. She was the daughter of Stephen Sears and Abigail Burgess.

!S P May No 324 Yarmouth VR [p.103] Sarah Sears the daughter of Stephen and Abagill Sears she was born on the last day of March in the year of our Lord 1734

Children of Seth Sears and Sarah Sears:

- + 78 m I. **Enoch Hamlin⁴ Sears** was born in Southeast, Putnam, New York, in 1761.
- + 80 f II. **Naomi Sears** was born in prob, Southeast, on 23rd September 1764. She died in Winfield, Herkimer, on 30th March 1846, at the age of 81.
- + 82 f III. **Sarah Sears** was born in Southeast on 24th March 1767. She died on 26th September 1860, at the age of 93.
- + 84 m IV. **Seth Sears Jr** was born in perh, Southeast, on 11th August 1769. He died in Milltown on 1st May 1819, at the age of 49.
- + 87 m V. **Eleazar H Sears** was born in Danbury or in 1771. He died in De Ruyter, Madison, in 1855 at the age of 84.^[57]
- + 89 f VI. **Thankful Sears** was born in Southeast on 30th June 1775. She died in Litchfield, Herkimer, on 28th July 1808, at the age of 33.

Knowles Sears

39. Capt Knowles³ Sears (*James²*) was born in 1738 in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[58-69] He was the son of James Sears (27) and Desire Tobey (28).

Knowles died in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, on 17th June 1817, at the age of 79.^[58-60, 63, 65, 68] He was buried in Milltown Cemetery, Southeast, Putnam, New York.^[59, 63]

<https://www.wikitree.com/index.php?title=Sears-881>

!S.P. May, No 298, Capt Knowles Sears, as he is styled in the records, lived and died on the farm adjoining his father's at Ridgefield, CT, and was buried with his wives in Milltown Cemetery near Brewster, NY.

- ⁵⁸ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.
[Source citation includes one media item]
- ⁵⁹ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Hale Cemetery Inscriptions and Newspaper Notices, 1629-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.
[Source citation includes one media item]
- ⁶⁰ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Deaths and Burials Index, 1650-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.
- ⁶¹ Godfrey Memorial Library, comp., American Genealogical-Biographical Index (AGBI) (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 1999), Ancestry.com.
- ⁶² Edmund West, comp., Family Data Collection - Births (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2001), Ancestry.com.
- ⁶³ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.
- ⁶⁴ Ancestry.com, Connecticut Revolutionary War Military Lists, 1775-83 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 1999), Ancestry.com.
- ⁶⁵ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Church Record Abstracts, 1630-1920 (Provo, UT, USA, , 2013), Ancestry.com.
[Source citation includes one media item]
- ⁶⁶ Ancestry.com, 1800 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1800; Census Place: Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut; Series: M32; Roll: 1; Page: 78; Image: 49; Family History Library Film: 205618.
[Source citation includes one media item]
- ⁶⁷ Ancestry.com, 1790 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1790; Census Place: Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut; Series: M637; Roll: 1; Page: 296; Image: 302; Family History Library Film: 0568141.
[Source citation includes one media item]
- ⁶⁸ Edmund West, comp., Family Data Collection - Deaths (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2001), Ancestry.com.
- ⁶⁹ Ancestry.com, 1810 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1810; Census Place: Redding, Fairfield, Connecticut; Roll: 1; Page: 291; Image: 00294; Family History Library Film: 0281229.
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!VTL He enlisted in 1779 in the CT line. Saw service in Westchester co, NY, 7 Jun 1779. He was Capt of a militia company in Col Beardsley's Regt that turned out to repel Tryon's invasion. Susannah did valuable service by carrying, on horseback, messages across the lines. She died of smallpox.

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!Colonial Records of CT, Oct 1775, p.156, This Assembly do establish Knowles Sears to be Lieutenant of the eighth company or trainband in the 16th Regiment of this Colony.

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!DAR #36914-entered into the army as an ensign and at the New Haven Alarm, commanded a company.

More facts and events for Knowles Sears:

Residence: 1790 Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut^[67]

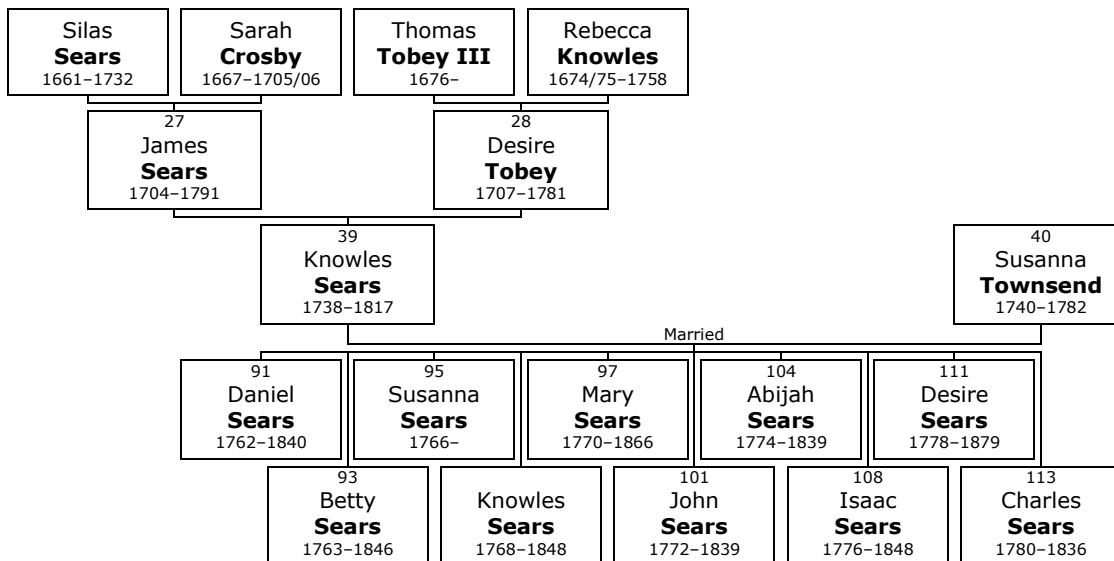
Residence: 1800 Ridgefield^[66]

Residence: 1810 Redding^[69]

Residence: Connecticut^[64]

Marriages with Susanna Townsend and Charity Haviland (Page 44) are known.

Family of Knowles Sears and Susanna Townsend



Here are the details about **Knowles Sears** first marriage with Susanna Townsend. You can read more about Knowles on page 42.

40. Capt Knowles Sears married **Susanna Townsend**.^[58] They had ten children: Daniel (1762-1840), Betty (1763-1846), Susanna (1766-), Knowles (1768-1848), Mary (1770-1866), John (1772-1839), Abijah (1774-1839), Isaac (1776-1848), Desire (1778-1879) and Charles (1780-1836).

Susanna was born in Ridgefield in 1740.^[58] She reached 42 years of age and died on 24th April 1782.^[58]

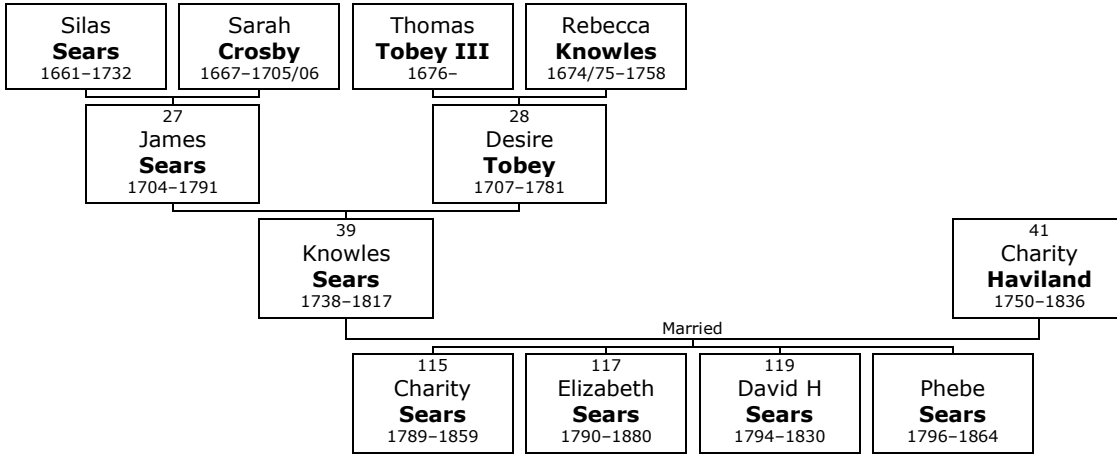
!Smallpox

Children of Knowles Sears and Susanna Townsend:

- + 91 m I. **Daniel⁴ Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 14th May 1762.^[63] He died in Van Buren, Onondaga, New York, on 18th February 1840, at the age of 77.^[63]
- + 93 f II. **Betty Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 31st October 1763.^[58] She died in Albany, New York, on 28th July 1846, at the age of 82.^[58]
- + 95 f III. **Susanna Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 9th July 1766.
- + m IV. **Knowles Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 29th July 1768.^[63] He died in Danbury on 24th October 1848, at the age of 80.^[63] Knowles was buried in Danbury.^[63]
- + 97 f V. **Mary Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 7th August 1770. She died on 16th December 1866, at the age of 96.

- + 101 m VI. **John Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 15th October 1772.^[63] He died in Camillus, Onondaga, New York, on 1st September 1839, at the age of 66.^[63]
- + 104 m VII. **Abijah Sears** was born in Danbury on 8th August 1774. He died on 1st September 1839, at the age of 65.^[70]
- + 108 m VIII. **Isaac Sears** was born in Danbury on 7th August 1776.^[71] He died on 20th September 1848, at the age of 72.
- + 111 f IX. **Desire Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 25th May 1778. She died in Danbury on 17th February 1879, at the age of 100.
- + 113 m X. **Charles Sears** was born in Danbury on 3rd August 1780.^[60, 63] He died in Ridgefield on 22nd April 1836, at the age of 55.^[60, 63]

Family of Knowles Sears and Charity Haviland



Here are the details about **Knowles Sears** second marriage with Charity Haviland. You can read more about Knowles on page 42.

- 41.** Capt Knowles Sears married **Charity Haviland**.^[63] They had four children: Charity (1789–1859), Elizabeth (1790–1880), David (1794–1830) and Phebe (1796–1864).

Charity was born in Ridgefield in 1750.^[63] She reached 86 years of age and died in Danbury on 18th September 1836.^[63] Charity was buried in Brewster, Putnam, New York.^[63]

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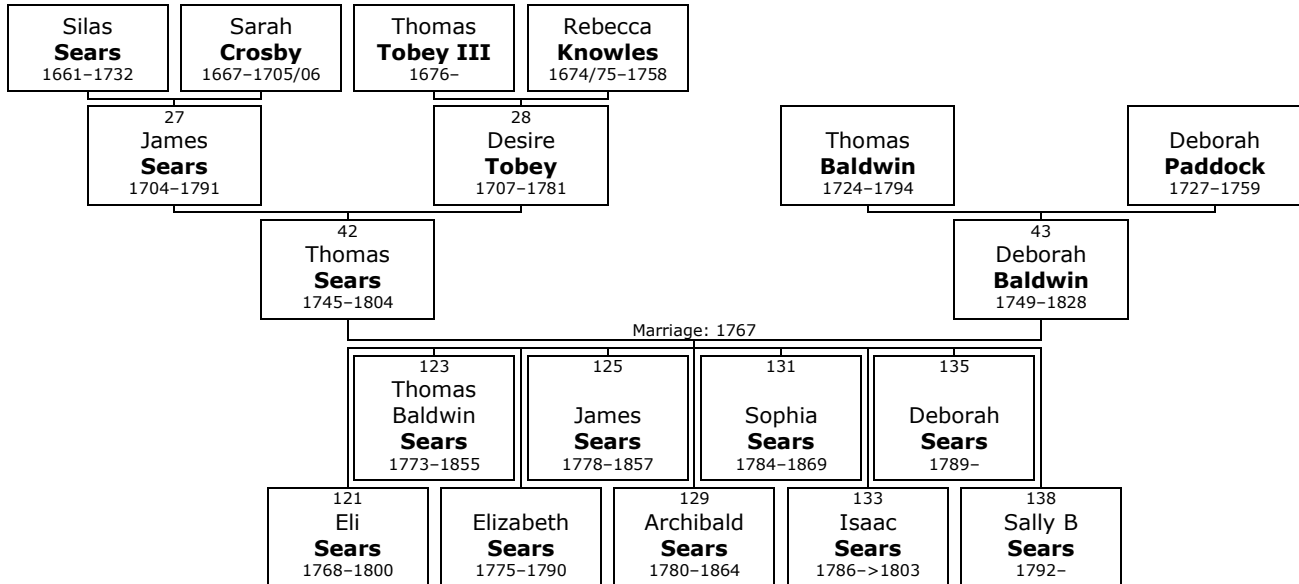
Children of Knowles Sears and Charity Haviland:

- + 115 f I. **Charity⁴ Sears** was born in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, on 14th August 1789.^[63] She died in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, in 1859 at the age of 69.^[63]
- + 117 f II. **Elizabeth Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 26th November 1790.^[63] She died in 1880 at the age of 89.^[63]
- + 119 m III. **David H Sears** was born in Ridgefield in 1794. He died in Danbury on 26th September 1830, at the age of 36.
- f IV. **Phebe Sears** was born in Ridgefield in 1796.^[63] She died in 1864 at the age of 68.^[63] Phebe was buried in Huron, Wayne County, New York.^[63]

⁷⁰ Ancestry.com, New York, Wills and Probate Records, 1659-1999 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2015), Ancestry.com, Probate Records, 1818-1911; Author: New York. Surrogate's Court (Chautauqua County); Probate Place: Chautauqua, New York.

⁷¹ Edmund West, comp., Family Data Collection - Individual Records (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2000), Ancestry.com, Birth year: 1776; Birth city: Danbury; Birth state: CT.

Family of Thomas Sears and Deborah Baldwin



42. Capt Thomas³ Sears (*James²*) was born on 30th April 1745, in New York, USA.^[72-74] He was the son of James Sears (27) and Desire Tobey (28).

Thomas died in Southeast, Putnam, New York, on 26th April 1804, at the age of 58.^[73, 74] He was buried in Sears Burying Ground, Southeast.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-882>

!S.P. May p.178, No 299, Thomas Sears was a captain in the Revolutionary Army, and after the peace settled in South East, Putnam county, NY on land which he bought of the government, and on which his descendants still live. He was a prominent church member and trustee during many years.

!DAR note Thomas Sears served as lieutenant in the Third regiment of the Dutchess county militia. Lineage Book of the Charter Members of the DAR Vol 085 p. 308- Mrs Grace Sears Snyder #84795 wife of Robert William Snyder. Descendant of Benjamin Sears, Capt Knowles Sears, Lieut Thomas Sears, John Strother, and Capt Charles Browning

parents: George W Sears (1841-) m. 1862 Angeline Yates
 ...https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/61157/46155_b290224-00314/2573240?backurl=https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/7346183/person/-1098656709/facts/citation/640031303862/edit/record#?imageId=46155_b290224-00315

!SEARS, Thomas Cem Southeast Twp, Putnam Co NY 35 Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots, Vol.4, p. -Serial: 10000; Volume: 2 Abstracts of Wills, Admins. and Guardianships in NY State, 1787-1835

43. At the age of 22, Thomas married **Deborah Baldwin** on Wednesday, 9th September 1767, when she was 17 years old.^[72-74] They had nine children: Eli (1768-1800), Thomas (1773-1855), Elizabeth (1775-1790), James (1778-1857), Archibald (1780-1864), Sophia (1784-1869), Isaac (1786->1803), Deborah (1789-) and Sally (1792-).

Deborah was born in perh on 23rd November 1749.^[72-74] She was the daughter of Thomas Baldwin and Deborah Paddock.

⁷² Yates Publishing, U.S. and International Marriage Records, 1560-1900 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2004), Ancestry.com, Source number: 3430.008; Source type: Pedigree chart; Number of Pages: 13.

⁷³ Ancestry.com, North America, Family Histories, 1500-2000 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com, Book Title: Lineage Book of the Charter Members of the DAR Vol 085. [Source citation includes one media item]

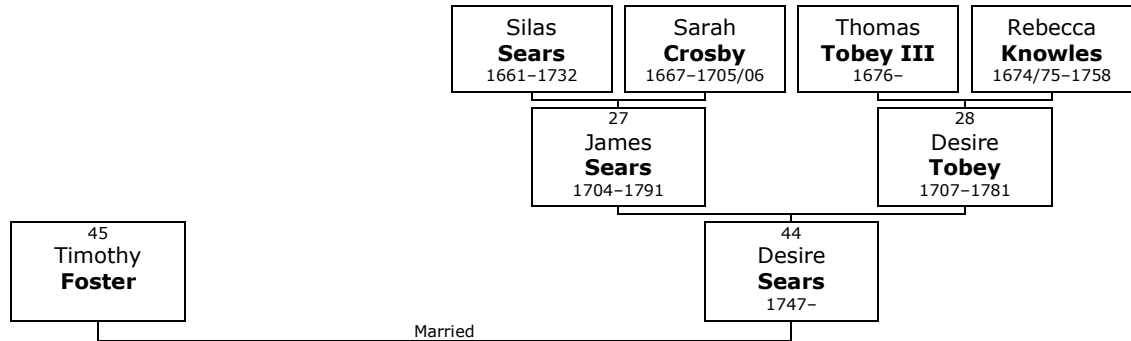
⁷⁴ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, Volume: 156. [Source citation includes one media item]

Deborah reached 78 years of age and died in Southeast on 13th September 1828.^[73, 74] She was buried in Sears Burying Gd, Southeast.

Children of Thomas Sears and Deborah Baldwin:

- + 121 m I. **Eli⁴ Sears** was born in Southeast on 16th October 1768.^[74, 75] He died in Carmel on 16th March 1800, at the age of 31.^[74, 75]
- + 123 m II. **Thomas Baldwin Sears** was born in Southeast on 21st February 1773. He died in Carmel in March 1855 at the age of 82.
- f III. **Elizabeth Sears** was born in Southeast on 3rd September 1775. She died on 23rd September 1790, at the age of 15.
- + 125 m IV. **James Sears** was born in Southeast on 24th March 1778.^[76-78] He died in March 1857 at the age of 78.^[76-78]
- + 129 m V. **Archibald Sears** was born in Carmel on 8th August 1780. He died in Southeast on 27th October 1864, at the age of 84.^[79]
- + 131 f VI. **Sophia Sears** was born in Southeast on 12th May 1784. She died on 12th April 1869, at the age of 84.
- + 133 m VII. **Isaac Sears** was born in Southeast on 23rd July 1786.^[73] He died after 1803.
- + 135 f VIII. **Deborah Sears** was born in Southeast on 18th October 1789.
- + 138 f IX. **Sally B Sears** was born in Southeast on 26th June 1792.

Family of Desire Sears and Timothy Foster



44. **Desire³ Sears** (*James²*) was born in 1747 in perh, Yarmouth, Barnstable, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of James Sears (27) and Desire Tobey (28).

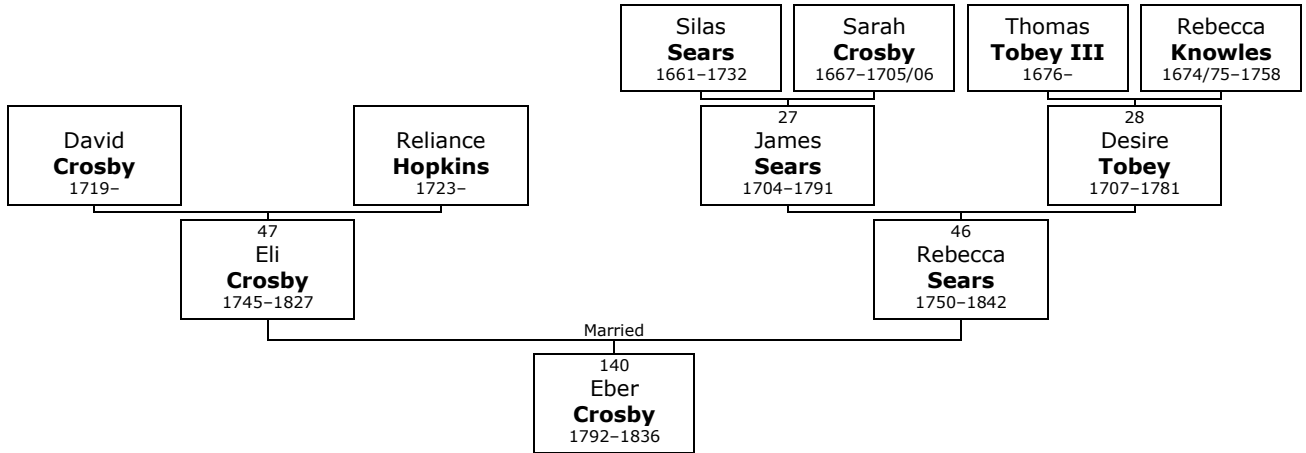
!S P May No 300
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!Ridgefield, CT (2nd Church) Marriage Records 1769 to 1800 From Early Connecticut Marriages Prior to 1800 By Frederick W. Bailey The town of Ridgefield was incorporated October, 1709. The township was purchased of the Indians by a company of twenty-nine individuals from Norwalk and Milford, 1707-8. The First Congregational Church was organized in 1712 and is located at Ridgefield Center. The Second Congregational Church is at Ridgebury and was organized January 18, 1769. The following are the marriages from the Second Church records. Rev. Samuel Camp pastor from 1769 to 1804. Timothy Foster and Desire Sears --- Nov. 19, 1772

45. Desire married **Timothy Foster**.

⁷⁵ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, Volume: 143.
⁷⁶ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Deborah Sears. <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/58968303/person/36462791358>.
⁷⁷ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Caroline Sears. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1030&h=38348198464&indiv=try>.
⁷⁸ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for James Sears. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1030&h=38348198464&indiv=try>.
⁷⁹ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

Family of Rebecca Sears and Eli Crosby



46. **Rebecca³ Sears** (*James²*) was born in 1750 in perh, Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA. She was the daughter of James Sears (27) and Desire Tobey (28).

Rebecca died on 20th March 1842, at the age of 92.

!S P May No 302, gr-st RIN[47513]

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-884>

From: Steve Hanson [mailto:shanson@pulmonetic.com] Sent: Friday, February 03, 2006 9:24 AM To: LRSEARS@CAPECOD.NET Subject: Rebecca Sears Hi, I'm searching for Rebecca Sears b. abt. 1758. Don't know place or parents. She married Eli Eastman b. 1749 Fairfield, Fairfield Ct. Have you come across this person? Steve Hanson Email: scheng.1@verizon.net

47. She married **Eli Crosby**. They had one son: Eber (1792-1836).

Eli was born in 1745. He was the son of David Crosby and Reliance Hopkins.

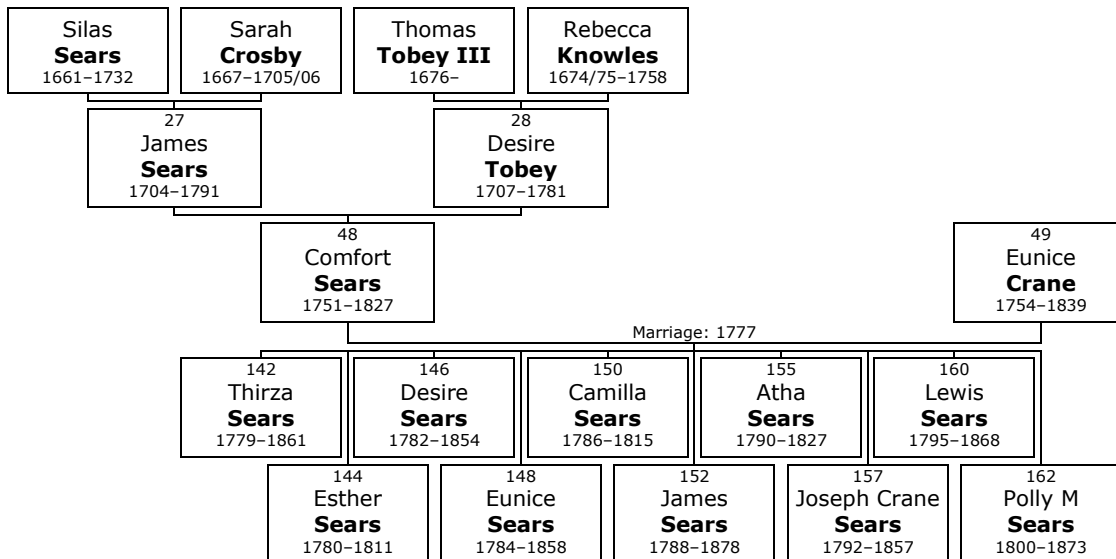
Eli reached 82 years of age and died on 22nd November 1827.

!S P May p.99 gr-st in old Cem'y, one mile north of Milltown, NY. Served in 3d NY Regt in Rev.

Son of Rebecca Sears and Eli Crosby:

+ 140 m I. **Eber⁴ Crosby** was born in Brewster, Putnam, New York, on 8th September 1792. He died in Southeast on 16th May 1836, at the age of 43.

Family of Comfort Sears and Eunice Crane



48. Comfort³ Sears (*James*²) was born on 20th March 1751, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[80-85] He was the son of James Sears (27) and Desire Tobey (28).

Comfort died in Ridgefield on 24th December 1827, at the age of 76.^[81, 83] He was buried in Milltown Cemetery, Southeast, Putnam, New York.

<https://www.wikitree.com/index.php?title=Sears-876&action=edit>

!S P May No 303, gr-st, Comfort Sears, like his father, was strict in the observance of the Sabbath, and required the same of his children, though he never united with the church.

In February, 1793, his house took fire in the night, and was entirely destroyed. He turned out with only his shirt on, and got out the things; first of all a barrel of pork; in some way he injured his great toe, either by freezing or a bruise, and it was the cause of his death many years after.

He built another house on the same site, which is now occupied by James O. Weed his grandson, and a very good house it still is. It stands on Joe's Hill, now called Federal Hill, Millplain, Fairfield co., CT.

Judge Joseph Crane, his wife's father, was descended from one of the first settlers, and owned a large tract of land in South East, NY, and Joe's Hill was named for him. The line now runs over the range of hills, and that in South East is still called Joe's Hill, while that in Ridgefield is now called Federal Hill.

Eunice Crane was a sister of James Weed's wife Sarah, and of Darius Crane's, (of Hillsdale, MI)grand-father. See ante, No 445.

1790 United States Federal Census

Name: Comfort Sears
Township: Ridgefield
County: Fairfield
State: Connecticut
Number of Free White Males Under 16: 1
Number of Free White Males 16 and Over: 1
Number of Free White Females: 6
Number of Household Members: 8

Church Records:

Name: Comfort Sears
Death Date: 24 Dec 1827
Death Place: Ridgefield, Connecticut, USA

More facts and events for Comfort Sears:

Residence: 1790 Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut^[84]
Residence: 1810 Redding^[82]
Residence: 1820 Ridgefield^[85]

⁸⁰ Godfrey Memorial Library, comp., American Genealogical-Biographical Index (AGBI) (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 1999), Ancestry.com.

⁸¹ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Deaths and Burials Index, 1650-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

⁸² Ancestry.com, 1810 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1810; Census Place: Redding, Fairfield, Connecticut; Roll: 1; Page: 291; Image: 00294; Family History Library Film: 0281229.
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⁸³ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Church Record Abstracts, 1630-1920 (Provo, UT, USA, , 2013), Ancestry.com.
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⁸⁴ Ancestry.com, 1790 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1790; Census Place: Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut; Series: M637; Roll: 1; Page: 296; Image: 302; Family History Library Film: 0568141.
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⁸⁵ Ancestry.com, 1820 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, 1820 U S Census; Census Place: Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut; Page: 28; NARA Roll: M33_1; Image: 34.
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49. At the age of 26, Comfort married **Eunice Crane** on Thursday, 18th December 1777, in Ridgefield when she was 23 years old. They had ten children: Thirza (1779–1861), Esther (1780–1811), Desire (1782–1854), Eunice (1784–1858), Camilla (1786–1815), James (1788–1878), Atha (1790–1827), Joseph (1792–1857), Lewis (1795–1868) and Polly (1800–1873).

Eunice was born in perh, Ridgefield, on Wednesday, 20th November 1754. She reached 84 years of age and died on 23rd January 1839. Eunice was buried in Milltown Cemetery, Southeast, Putnam, New York.

!another source shows d. 3 Jan 1861

Children of Comfort Sears and Eunice Crane:

- + 142 f I. **Thirza⁴ Sears** was born in Joe's Hill, Ridgefield, on 22nd March 1779.^[86–90] She died in Neversink, Sullivan, New York, on 3rd January 1861, at the age of 81.^[88–90]
- + 144 f II. **Esther Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 29th July 1780. She died on 10th October 1811, at the age of 31.
- + 146 f III. **Desire Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 24th May 1782. She died on 22nd April 1854, at the age of 71.
- + 148 f IV. **Eunice Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 4th February 1784. She died on 8th July 1858, at the age of 74.
- + 150 f V. **Camilla Sears** was born in perh, Ridgefield, on 26th April 1786. She died on 9th January 1815, at the age of 28.
- + 152 m VI. **James Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 10th November 1788.^[91] He died in Seneca Castle, Ontario, New York, on 19th January 1878, at the age of 89.^[91]
- + 155 f VII. **Atha Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 18th December 1790. She died on 17th September 1827, at the age of 36.
- + 157 m VIII. **Joseph Crane Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 18th December 1792.^[92] He died in Millplain on 29th May 1857, at the age of 64.^[92, 93]
- + 160 m IX. **Lewis Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 26th June 1795.^[81, 92] He died in Danbury on 10th November 1868, at the age of 73.^[81, 92]
- + 162 f X. **Polly M Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 26th July 1800.^[94] She died in Patterson, Putnam, New York, on 12th April 1873, at the age of 72.^[94]

⁸⁶ Samuel P. May, The Descendants of Richard Sares (Sears) of Yarmouth, Mass. 1638-1888 (Joel Munsell's Sons, Publishers, 1890, Albany, NY), Ray Sears, 2208 Amber RdOklahoma City, OK 73170 / 405/703-0779, Date record was made: 0097/11/06.

⁸⁷ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

⁸⁸ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Mary (Polly) Matilda Sears. <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F7WL-GSM>.

⁸⁹ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Esther SEARS. <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:VQDD-36X>.

⁹⁰ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Maria Sears (Race). <https://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1030&h=202092141391&indiv=try>.

⁹¹ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

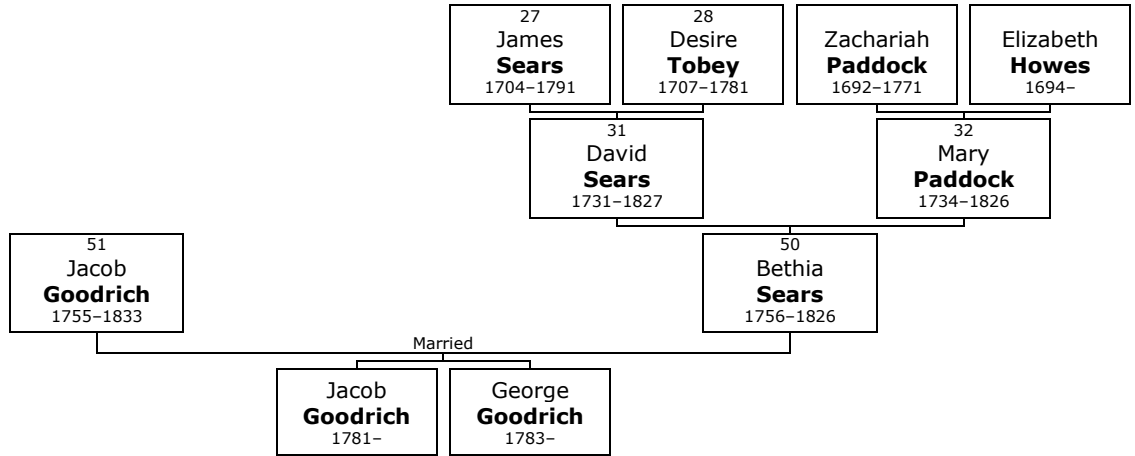
⁹² Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Hale Cemetery Inscriptions and Newspaper Notices, 1629-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

⁹³ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Wills and Probate Records, 1609-1999 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2015), Ancestry.com, Probate Files Collection, Early to 1880; Author: Connecticut State Library (Hartford, Connecticut); Probate Place: Hartford, Connecticut.

⁹⁴ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Nehemiah Perry. <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:LC88-91Q>.

1st Cousins

Family of Bethia Sears and Jacob Goodrich



50. **Bethia⁴ Sears** (*David³, James²*) was born in 1756 at perhaps in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of David Sears (31) and Mary Paddock (32).

Bethia died in 1826 at the age of 70.

had b. 1773 but that is too late, John F Miles shows b. abt 1756

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51. She married **Jacob Goodrich**. They had two sons: Jacob (1781-) and George (1783-).

Jacob was born in Pittsfield on Sunday, 21st September 1755. He reached 77 years of age and died in 1833.

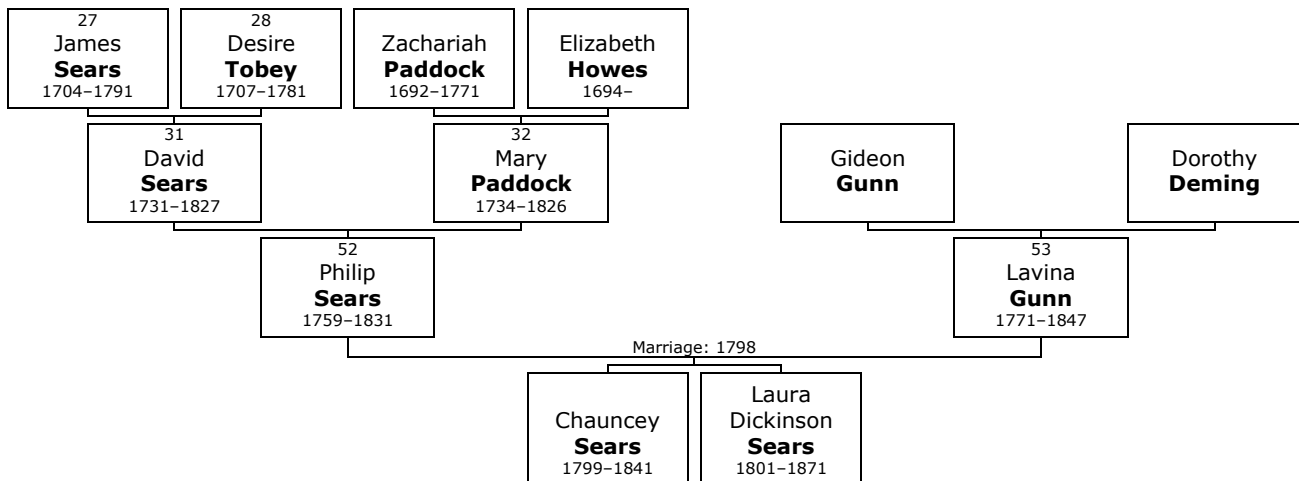
I have been trying for years to further my Goodrich lines. My earliest ancestor is Jacob Goodrich (09\21\1755-after 1833). He served in the Rev. War out of Lenox, MA but lived in Saratoga County, NY by 1810 census and at time of his pension files-1833. His wife was Bethiah. He had two known brothers: Lemuel who died during war and Allen who was buried Ballston Spa in 1835. Thanks. Donna Goodwin, 8299 Village Drive #2, Hayden, Idaho, 83835 208-772-3039

Sons of Bethia Sears and Jacob Goodrich:

m I. **Jacob⁵ Goodrich** was born in perh, Pittsfield, in 1781. He was buried in Monroe, Wisconsin.

m II. **George Goodrich** was born in perh in 1783.

Family of Philip Sears and Lavina Gunn



52. Corp. Philip⁴ Sears (*David³, James²*) was born in 1759 in North East, Dutchess, New York, USA.^[95, 96] He was the son of David Sears (31) and Mary Paddock (32).

Philip died in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, on 17th July 1831, at the age of 72.^[95] He was buried in Lenox.^[95]

!S.P. May p.271 Philip Sears served in Capt Ezra Whittlesey's Co., 7 to 30 Sep 1777; in Capt Chas. Dibbet's Co. on alarm of 18 Oct 1780, four days' service; and was Corporal in Capt Wm. Well's Co., alarm at Saratoga, 30 Oct to 7 Nov 1781

! 3 Dec 1777. Voted, John Whitlock, Ephraim Smith, David Sears, Philip Sears and Edward Martingale are dangerous to the United States of America, etc. (Town Rec) He was a farmer Birth: 1759, USA Death: Jul. 16, 1831 Lenox Berkshire County Massachusetts, USA Son of David Sears and Mary Paddock; married Lavina Gunn in Lenox in 1798. Philip Sears apparently saw some service in the Revolutionary War, but it is not clear how much time he spent actually fighting. Genealogical research has his rank as corporal, but he is listed in the records of New Lenox Cemetery as captain. He was a farmer. He and Lavina had two children, Chauncy Sears and Laura D. Sears.

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!Find A Grave Memorial# 47135361

Family links: Parents: David Sears (1731 - 1827) Mary Paddock Sears (1734 - 1826) Spouse: Lavina Sears (____ - 1847) Burial: New Lenox Cemetery Lenox Berkshire County Massachusetts, USA Plot: Row 7, Grave 191 Created by: waldonia Record added: Jan 25, 2010

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53. Philip married **Lavina Gunn** on Sunday, 25th November 1798, at pub in Pittsfield.^[95, 96] They had two children: Chauncey (1799–1841) and Laura (1801–1871).

Lavina was born in Pittsfield in 1771.^[95] She was the daughter of Gideon Gunn and Dorothy Deming.

Lavina reached 76 years of age and died in New Lenox, Lenox, on 16th March 1847.^[95] She was buried in Lenox.^[95]

John F Miles shows d. New Lenox or Lavinia <http://trees.ancestry.com/owt/person.aspx?pid=83789582>
Birth: unknown Death: Mar. 16, 1847 widow of Capt. Philip Sears, ae 76 years Family links: Spouse: Philip Sears (1759 - 1831)* *Calculated relationship Burial: New Lenox Cemetery Lenox Berkshire County Massachusetts, USA Edit Virtual Cemetery info [?] Created by: Elsie Saar Record added: Aug 10, 2010 Find A Grave Memorial# 56906629

Children of Philip Sears and Lavina Gunn:

m I. **Chauncey⁵ Sears** was born in Lenox on 30th June 1799.^[95-98] He was known by the title of Capt.

Chauncey died in Lenox on 10th February 1841, at the age of 41.^[95-97] He was buried in Lenox.^[95]



Chauncey

At the age of 21, Chauncey married **Polly Howland** on Thursday, 28th December 1820, in Pittsfield when she was 20 years old.^[95-98] They had six children: Philip (1823–1862), Horatio (1826–1860), Mary (1828–1883), Henry (1832–), Chauncy (1834–1918) and Lois (1837–1921).

Polly was born in Pittsfield on Sunday, 28th December 1800.^[95-97]

She was the daughter of Joseph Howland and Lois Hamblen. Polly reached 68 years of age and died in Lenox on 8th February 1869.^[95-97] She was buried in Lenox.^[95]

⁹⁵ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

⁹⁶ Ancestry.com, North America, Family Histories, 1500-2000 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com, Book Title: The Hamlin Family; a Genealogy of James Hamlin of Barnstable, Massachusetts. [Source citation includes one media item]

⁹⁷ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, Volume: 133.

⁹⁸ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Marriage Records, 1840-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com, New England Historic Genealogical Society; Boston, Massachusetts; Massachusetts Vital Records, 1911-1915.

John F Miles shows b. Pittsfield Birth: unknown Death: Feb. 8, 1869 wife of Chauncey Sears, ae 68 yrs Burial: New Lenox Cemetery Lenox Berkshire County Massachusetts, USA Edit Virtual Cemetery info [?] Created by: Elsie Saar Record added: Aug 10, 2010 Find A Grave Memorial# 56906927

- f II. **Laura Dickinson Sears** was born in Lenox on 11th June 1801.^[99, 100] She died in 1871 at the age of 69.^[99] Laura Dickinson was buried at Sugar Grove Cemetery in Sugar Grove.^[99]

More facts and events for Laura Dickinson Sears:

Residence: 1870 Illinois

Residence: 1880 Sugar Grove, Kane, Illinois

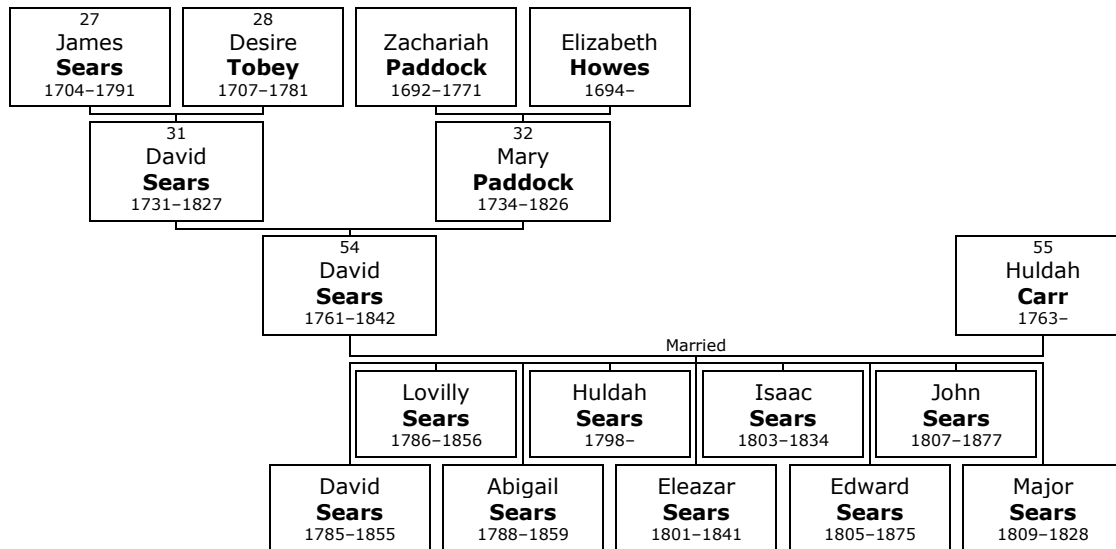
At the age of 21, Laura Dickinson Sears married **Chauncy Brooks** on Saturday, 14th September 1822, in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, when he was 24 years old.^[99-101] They had seven children: Lewis (1823-1893), Laura (1824-1894), Chauncey (1829-1899), Collins (1830-1900), Elisha (1833-1924), Jabez (1835-1905) and Chester (1838-1908).

Chauncy was born in Richmond on Monday, 29th January 1798.^[99, 101] He was the son of Jabez Brooks and Rhoda --Brooks.

He was christened in Richmond. Chauncy reached 86 years of age and died in Sugar Grove on 14th January 1885.^[99] He was buried at Sugar Grove Cemetery in Sugar Grove.^[99]

1870 census- Sugar Grove Kane, IL w/ wife, Eben W ae 83 (brother?); Collins ae 40; Jane ae 33; Betsey ae 13; Gusta ae 4

Family of David Sears and Huldah Carr



⁹⁹ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com, Record for Laura Lavina Paull. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=60525&h=34067966&indiv=try>.

¹⁰⁰ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

¹⁰¹ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Compiled Birth, Marriage, and Death Records, 1700-1850 (Lehi, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2018), Ancestry.com, New England Historic Genealogical Society; Boston, Massachusetts; Vital Records of Richmond, Massachusetts to the Year 1850. [Source citation includes one media item]

- 54. David⁴ Sears** (*David³, James²*) was born in 1761 in perh, New York, USA.^[102, 103] He was the son of David Sears (31) and Mary Paddock (32).

David died in Milton, Saratoga, on 19th August 1842, at the age of 81.^[102] He was buried in West Milton, Milton.^[102]

!S.P. May p.272 David Sears was in Capt Wm. Ford's Co, Col John Brown's Regt at Stone Arabia, NY, 21 Jul to 27 Oct 1780, and marched to Stillwater in Capt Josiah Yale's Co, 12 Oct 1781, doing 12 days' service.

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Tracy Norstrem Steiner <http://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=608376646> May 7 at 11:13pm Report Message I saw your post on Facebook with the Sears Family Tree drawn up. Does it contain

- 55.** David married **Huldah Carr** in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts. They had nine children: David (1785–1855), Lovilly (1786–1856), Abigail (1788–1859), Huldah (1798–), Eleazar (1801–1841), Isaac (1803–1834), Edward (1805–1875), John (1807–1877) and Major (1809–1828).

Huldah was born at perhaps in Lenox in 1763.

Children of David Sears and Huldah Carr:

- m I. **David⁵ Sears** was born in Lenox on 13th June 1785.^[104] He died in 1855 at the age of 69.

More facts and events for David Sears:

Residence: 1790 Washington^[104]

David married **Clarissa Blinn** in 1810 in Milton, Saratoga, New York. They had seven children: Orange (1812–1888), Solomon (1815–1872), Huldah (1817–1817), David (1817–1817), Betsy (1818–1839), Major (1822–1855) and David (1826–1883).

Clarissa was born in perh, Milton, on Friday, 20th August 1790. She reached 77 years of age and died on 1st February 1868.

- f II. **Lovilly Sears** was born in Milton, Saratoga, New York, on 25th October 1786. She died in Nunda, McHenry, Illinois, in 1856 at the age of 69.

Lovilly Sears married **William Hoffman** in Auburn, Cayuga, New York. They have no known children.

William was born in perh, Milton, Saratoga, in 1782.

- f III. **Abigail Sears** was born in Milton in 1788. She died on 16th March 1859, at the age of 71.

Abigail married **Hezekiah Hoyt**.

- f IV. **Huldah Sears** was born in Milton on 28th January 1798.

At the age of 17, Huldah married **Alexander Shearer** on Wednesday, 26th April 1815, in Milton when he was 28 years old. They had seven children: Abigail (1816–), Harriet (1818–), David (1821–1883), Huldah (1822–), Alexander (1825–), Lovilly (1828–) and Mary (1833–).

Alexander was born in Milton on Friday, 9th June 1786. He reached 59 years of age and died on 29th September 1845.

!S.P. May p.271 He was a farmer and Deacon of Presb Ch.

¹⁰² Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

¹⁰³ Hatcher, Patricia Law, Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 1999), Ancestry.com, Abstract of Graves of Revolutionary Patriots; Volume: 4.

¹⁰⁴ Ancestry.com, 1790 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1790; Census Place: Washington, Berkshire, Massachusetts; Series: M637; Roll: 4; Page: 695; Image: 752; Family History Library Film: 0568144.

- m V. **Eleazar Sears** was born in Milton, Ulster, on 31st July 1801. He died in Brushy Prairie, Indiana, in 1841 at the age of 39. Eleazar was buried in Brushy Chapel Cemetery, Lagrange.



Eleazar

Eleazar Sears married **Sarah Wheaton** in Camillus, Onondaga, New York.^[102] They had two sons: Ezra (1826–1905) and Isaac (1828–1902).

Sarah was born in perh, Camillus, in 1806.^[102] She reached 40 years of age and died in Lagrange, Indiana, in 1846.^[102] Sarah was buried in Lagrange, Lagrange.^[102]

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- m VI. **Isaac Sears** was born in Milton in 1803. He died in Ballston Spa, Saratoga, on 17th December 1834, at the age of 31.
Isaac married **Visonia Jones**.
- m VII. **Edward Sears** was born in Milton in 1805. He died in Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo, Michigan, in 1875 at the age of 70.
Edward married **Rebecca Hand**.
- m VIII. **John Sears** was born in Milton in 1807. He died in Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo, Michigan, in 1877 at the age of 70.
- m IX. **Major Sears** was born in Milton in 1809. He died in Saratoga in 1828 at the age of 19.

Isaac Sears

56. **Isaac⁴ Sears** (*David³, James²*) was born in 1763 in perh, North East, Dutchess, New York, USA. He was the son of David Sears (31) and Mary Paddock (32).

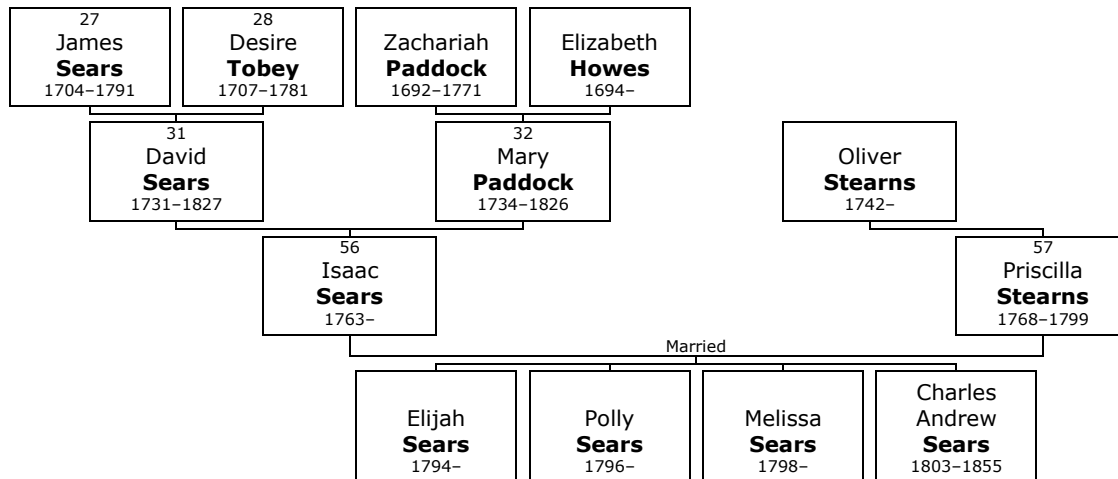
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Marriages with Priscilla Stearns and an unknown partner are known.

Family of Isaac Sears and Priscilla Stearns



Here are the details about **Isaac Sears** first marriage with Priscilla Stearns. You can read more about Isaac on page 55.

- 57.** Isaac Sears married **Priscilla Stearns**. They had four children: Elijah (1794–), Polly (1796–), Melissa (1798–) and Charles (1803–1855).

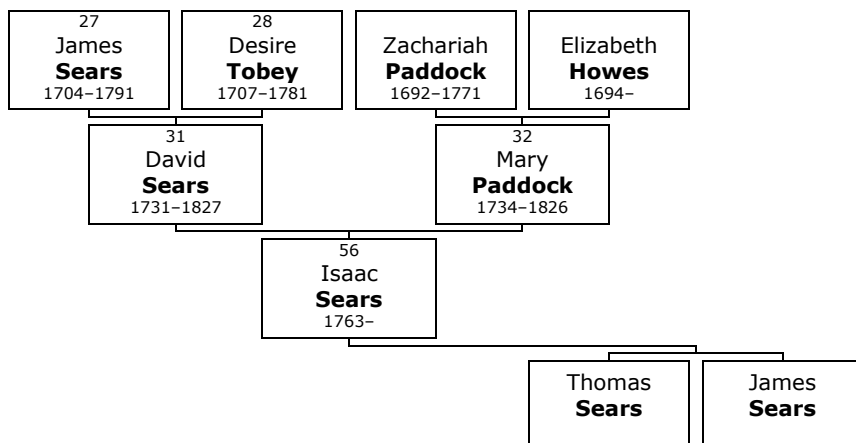
Priscilla was born in perh, Mansfield City, Tolland, Connecticut, in 1768. She was the daughter of Oliver Stearns.

Priscilla reached 31 years of age and died in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, on 1st May 1799.

Children of Isaac Sears and Priscilla Stearns:

- m I. **Elijah⁵ Sears** was born in Lenox on 11th May 1794.
Elijah married **Sally Chamberlain** on Thursday, 22nd September 1831, in Madrid, St Lawrence, New York. They had three sons: Lyman (1835–1903), Norman and Joel.
Sally was born in Massachusetts. She died in 1880.
- f II. **Polly Sears** was born in Lenox on 12th July 1796.
- f III. **Melissa Sears** was born at perhaps in Lenox in 1798.
- m IV. **Charles Andrew Sears** was born in Lenox in 1803. He died in Madrid, St Lawrence, New York, on 3rd March 1855, at the age of 52.
Charles Andrew Sears married **Ursula Abernathy** in 1829. They had five children: Charlotte (1830–1849), Chauncy (1832–1867), William (1836–1920), Ellen (1838–1921) and Andrew (1844–1907).
Ursula was born in Madrid on Monday, 4th June 1810. She reached 59 years of age and died in Madrid on 10th October 1869.

Isaac Sears



Here are the details about **Isaac Sears** second marriage with an unknown partner. You can read more about Isaac on page 55.

Sons of Isaac Sears:

- m I. **Thomas⁵ Sears**.
- m II. **James Sears**.

Calvin Sears

- 58.** **Calvin⁴ Sears** (*David³, James²*) was born in 1769 in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, USA.^[105] He was the son of David Sears (31) and Mary Paddock (32).

Calvin died in Lenox on 6th March 1859, at the age of 90.^[105]

!BIRTH-FATHER-SPOUSE-CHILDREN-DEATH-BIOGRAPHY: Samuel Pearce May, THE DESCENDANTS OF RICHARD SARES(SEARS) OF YARMOUTH,MASS; 1638-1888; Albany, Joel Munsell's Sons, 1890; pp 274;

¹⁰⁵ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.
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NEHGS Library, Boston, MA. Calvin Sears kept tavern in Worthington, MA

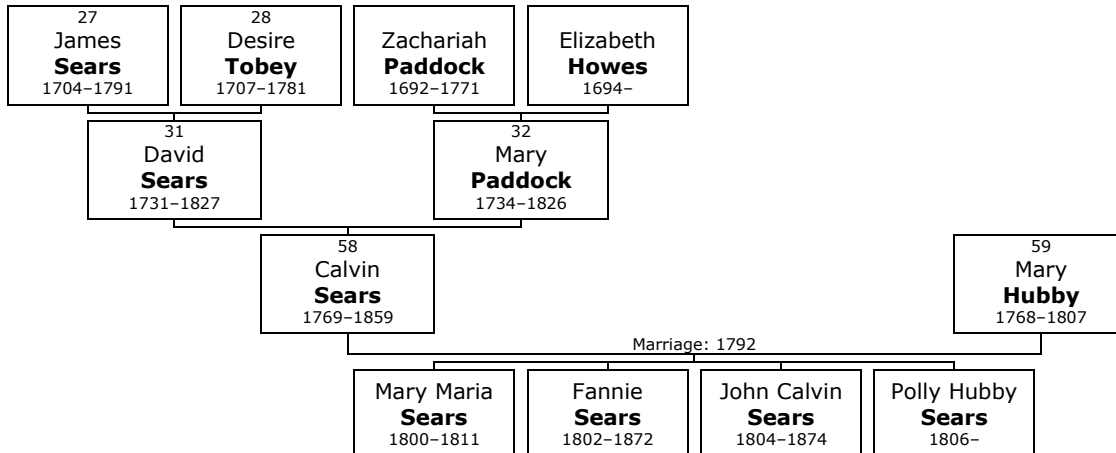
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!BIRTH-MARRIAGE-DEATH-BIOGRAPHY: Letter from RAdm Scott L Sears, Newport, RI, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1769-1994; Letter dtd 31 Mar 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears, Duncan, OK. Mary Hubby's will lists four children by her and Calvin.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1472>

Marriages with Mary Hubby and Isabell --Sears (Page 58) are known.

Family of Calvin Sears and Mary Hubby



Here are the details about **Calvin Sears** first marriage with Mary Hubby. You can read more about Calvin on page 56.

- 59.** Calvin Sears married **Mary Hubby** on Tuesday, 25th December 1792, in pub, Lenox. They had four children: Mary (1800–1811), Fannie (1802–1872), John (1804–1874) and Polly (1806–).

Mary was born in Pittsfield in 1768. She reached 39 years of age and died in Pittsfield on 16th October 1807.

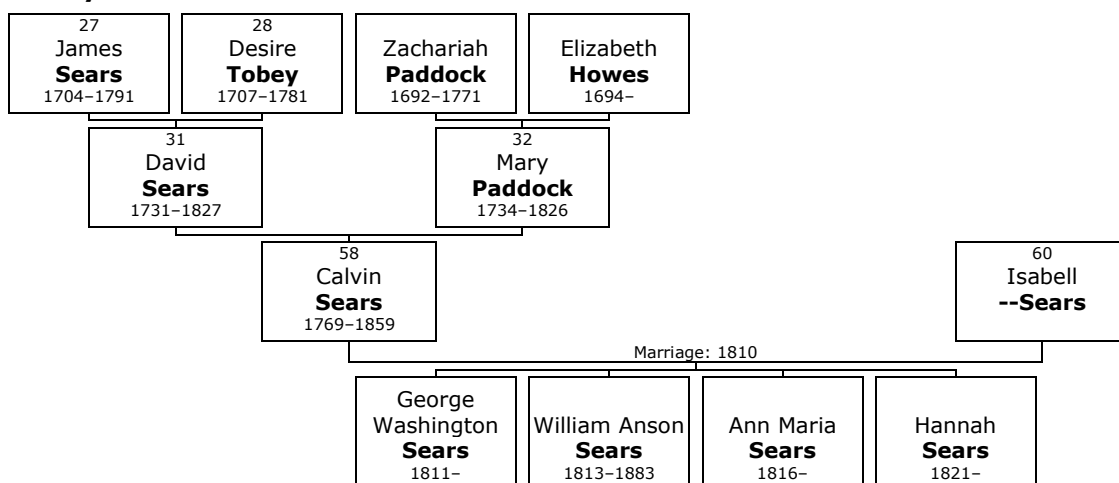
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Children of Calvin Sears and Mary Hubby:

- f I. **Mary Maria⁵ Sears** was born in Lenox on 14th May 1800. She died in Pittsfield on 25th December 1811, at the age of 11.
- f II. **Fannie Sears** was born in Lenox on 30th March 1802. She died in 1872 at the age of 69.
At the age of 21, Fannie married **John Henry Phelps** on Tuesday, 15th July 1823, in Lenox when he was 31 years old. They have no known children.
John Henry was born in Lenox on Thursday, 19th April 1792. He reached 82 years of age and died in Wadsworth, Medina, Ohio, on 6th June 1874.
!MARRIAGE: Letter from RAdm Scott L Sears, Newport, RI, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1769-1994; Letter dtd 31 Mar 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears, Duncan, OK.
!BIRTH-DEATH: Letter from Dallas Phelps, Camden, SC, to Ray Sears; 1792-1899; Letter dtd 10 Jun 1993; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; The Phelps Family of America & Their English Ancestors, 1899, Pittsfield, MA, by O S Phelps & A T Servin.
!SPOUSE-MARRIAGE: S P May p 274 Showed his name as John A Phelps.
- m III. **John Calvin Sears** was born in Lenox on 6th August 1804. He died in 1874 at the age of 69.
John Calvin Sears married **Eunice P --Sears**. They had three children: Earl (1830–1906), Schuyler (1832–) and Martha (1833–).
Eunice P was born in Connecticut in 1804.
1850 census with husband and two children

f IV. **Polly Hubby Sears** was born at perhaps in Lenox in 1806.

Family of Calvin Sears and Isabell --Sears



Here are the details about **Calvin Sears** second marriage with Isabell --Sears. You can read more about Calvin on page 56.

60. Calvin Sears married **Isabell --Sears** in 1810. Prob Pittsfield. They had four children: George (1811-), William (1813-1883), Ann (1816-) and Hannah (1821-).

!BIRTH-MARRIAGE-DEATH-BIOGRAPHY: Letter from RAdmScott L Sears, Newport, RI, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1769-1994; Letter dtd 31 Mar 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears, Duncan, OK.

Children of Calvin Sears and Isabell --Sears:

m I. **George Washington⁵ Sears** was born in Pittsfield on 7th July 1811.^[106, 107]

George Washington married **Sarah Brown** on Saturday, 22nd October 1836, in Pittsfield.^[106, 107] They had three children: (unknown given name) (1839-1839), Henry (1840-) and George (1842-1875).

Sarah was born in Pittsfield in 1815.^[106]

!BIRTH-MARRIAGE-DEATH-BIOGRAPHY: Letter from RAdm Scott L Sears, Newport, RI, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1769-1994; Letter dtd 31 Mar 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears, Duncan, OK; In 1868, listed as a nurse in Beaver, MA. In 1887 was a widow and lived on MIddle Lenox Rd (by railroad) in Lenox, MA.

m II. **William Anson Sears** was born in Worthington, Hampshire, on 12th June 1813. He died in 1883 at the age of 69.

William Anson Sears married **(unknown given name) Clark**. They have no known children.

(unknown given name) was born in Washington in 1817.

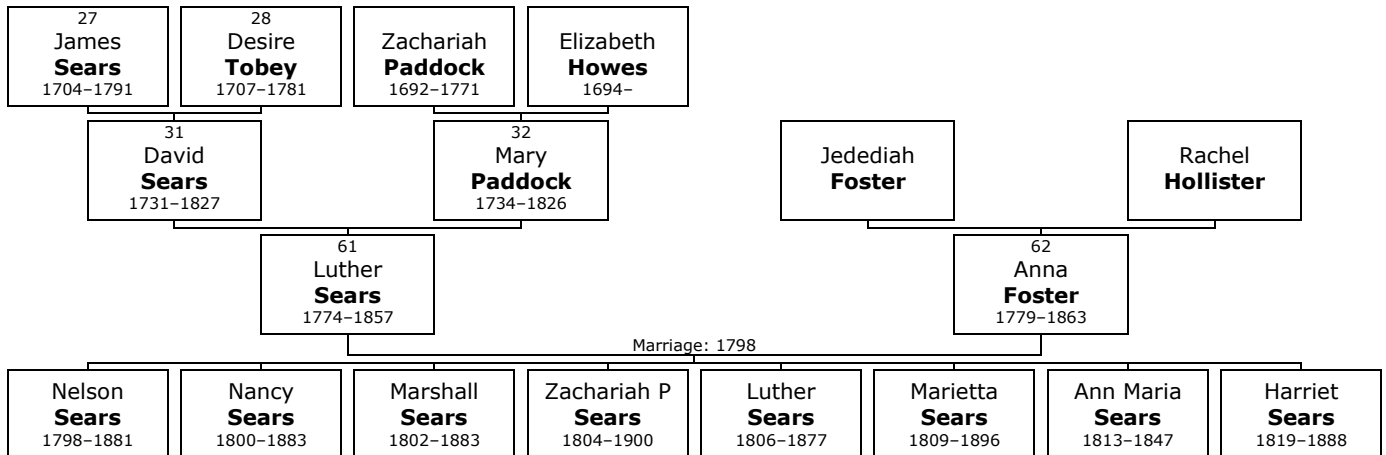
f III. **Ann Maria Sears** was born in Worthington on 19th September 1816.

f IV. **Hannah Sears** was born in Lenox, Berkshire, on 1st June 1821.

¹⁰⁶ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com, New England Historic Genealogical Society; Boston, Massachusetts; Massachusetts Vital Records, 1840-1911. Record for George W Sears. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=2101&h=6969566&indiv=try>.

¹⁰⁷ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, Record for George Washington Sears. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=2495&h=8039459&indiv=try>.

Family of Luther Sears and Anna Foster



61. Luther⁴ Sears (*David³, James²*) was born on Wednesday, 28th September 1774, in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, USA.^[108, 109] He was the son of David Sears (31) and Mary Paddock (32).
 Luther died in Volney, Oswego, New York, in July 1857 at the age of 82.^[108] He was buried in Fulton.^[108]
 Judith Allen family group sheet - info from First Part Gazetteer - Berkshire co, Mass. by Hamilton Child, p. 216
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<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4753>

62. At the age of 23, Luther married **Anna Foster** on Monday, 5th February 1798, at By Eldad Lewis in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, when she was 18 years old.^[108, 109] They had eight children: Nelson (1798–1881), Nancy (1800–1883), Marshall (1802–1883), Zachariah (1804–1900), Luther (1806–1877), Marietta (1809–1896), Ann (1813–1847) and Harriet (1819–1888).
 Anna was born in Lenox on Thursday, 25th March 1779.^[108] She was the daughter of Jedediah Foster and Rachel Hollister.
 Anna reached 84 years of age and died in Volney, Oswego, New York, on 30th May 1863.^[108] She was buried in Fulton.^[108]

Children of Luther Sears and Anna Foster:

m I. **Nelson⁵ Sears** was born in Lenox on 12th August 1798.^[109-112] He died in Oswego on 8th June 1881, at the age of 82.^[111] Nelson was buried in Volney, Oswego County.^[111]

More facts and events for Nelson Sears:

Residence: 1840 Volney, Oswego^[112]

Residence: 1855 Volney^[110]

Relation to Head of House: Head

Nelson married **Amanda Cole** on Tuesday, 18th January 1820, at By Rev Shepard in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts.^[109-111] They had five children: Ann (ca.1821–1893), Melissa (1823–), Nancy (1825–1905), Harriet (1827–1922) and James (ca.1829–1903).

¹⁰⁸ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012).

¹⁰⁹ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.
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¹¹¹ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

¹¹² Ancestry.com, 1840 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1840; Census Place: Volney, Oswego, New York; Roll: 325; Page: 36; Family History Library Film: 0017202.

Amanda was born in 1799.^[110, 111] Of Lenox. She reached 72 years of age and died in Oswego on 3rd June 1871.^[111] Amanda was buried in Volney, Oswego County.^[111]

- f II. **Nancy Sears** was born in Lenox in 1800. She died in Lenox in 1883 at the age of 83. Nancy Sears married **Levi Butler** on Thursday, 1st November 1821, in Lenox. They had five children: Luther (1822-), A (1824-), John (1826-), Marshall (1828-) and Maria (1830-).

Levi was born at perhaps in Lenox in 1796.

- m III. **Marshall Sears** was born in Lenox on 24th February 1802.^[109, 111] He died in Lenox on 9th July 1883, at the age of 81.^[109, 111] Marshall was buried in Lenox.^[111]



Marshall

At the age of 27, Marshall Sears married **Mary Polly Sabin** on Sunday, 30th August 1829, in Lenox when she was 26 years old. They had five children: Mary (1830-1844), Susan (1832-1897), unnamed (1834-1834), Charles (1837-1883) and Nancy (1842-1919).

Polly was born in Lenox on Thursday, 3rd February 1803. She was the daughter of Origen Sabin and Hannah Osborn.

Polly reached 76 years of age and died in Lenox on 2nd October 1879.

- m IV. **Zachariah P Sears** was born in Lenox on 14th March 1804.^[108] He died in prob, Lenox, on 19th March 1900, at the age of 96.^[108] Zachariah P was buried in Lenox.^[108]



Zachariah

At the age of 27, Zachariah P Sears married **Mariette Judd** on Sunday, 11th March 1832, when she was 20 years old.^[111, 113] pub. They had one daughter: Anna (1833-).

Mariette was born in Lenox on Thursday, 21st March 1811.^[111, 113] She was the daughter of Lyman Judd and Amanda --Judd.

Mariette reached 70 years of age and died in Lenox on 1st May 1881.^[111, 113] She was buried in Lenox.^[111]

- m V. **Luther Sears** was born in Lenox on 26th November 1806.^[109, 111, 114, 115] He died in Lenox on 16th February 1877, at the age of 70.^[109, 111] Luther was buried in New Lenox Cemetery, Lenox.^[111]



Luther

Luther Sears married **Chloe Clark** in September 1832.^[111, 114] They had two children: Elizabeth (1837-1838) and Martin (1842-1908).

Chloe was born at perhaps in Lenox on Saturday, 21st March 1807.^[114] She reached 39 years of age and died on 18th March 1847.^[111] Chloe was buried in Lenox.^[111]

Birth: unknown Death: Mar. 18, 1847 wife of Luther Sears, Jr., ae 39 Burial: New Lenox Cemetery Lenox Berkshire County Massachusetts, USA Edit Virtual Cemetery info [?] Created by: Elsie Saar Record added: Aug 10, 2010 Find A Grave Memorial# 56906158

¹¹³ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

[Source citation includes one media item]

¹¹⁴ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com, New England Historic Genealogical Society; Boston, Massachusetts; Massachusetts Vital Records, 1840-1911.

¹¹⁵ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Marriage Records, 1840-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com, New England Historic Genealogical Society; Boston, Massachusetts; Massachusetts Vital Records, 1911-1915.

Luther Sears married **Emily Jerusha Jerush Howland** on Wednesday, 10th November 1847. They had two sons: Edwin (1849–1888) and David (1854–1861).

Jerush was born in 1812. She was the daughter of Joseph Howland and Jerusha Dewey.

Jerush reached 86 years of age and died in Lenox on 11th February 1898. She was buried in Sears Cemetery, New Lenox Rd, Lenox.

Birth: unknown Death: Feb. 11, 1898 ae 81 years Burial: New Lenox Cemetery Lenox Berkshire County Massachusetts, USA Edit Virtual Cemetery info [?] Created by: Elsie Saar Record added: Aug 10, 2010 Find A Grave Memorial# 56906730

- f VI. **Marietta Sears** was born in Lenox on 31st August 1809.^[111] She died in Volney, Oswego County, New York, on 18th April 1896, at the age of 86.^[111] Marietta was buried in Fulton, Oswego.^[111]



Marietta

Marietta Sears married **Ira Carrier** on Thursday, 14th May 1829. They had one son: Ira (1830–).

Ira was born at perhaps in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, in 1805.

- f VII. **Ann Maria Sears** was born in Lenox on 30th August 1813. She died in Volney, Oswego, New York, on 22nd August 1847, at the age of 33.

Ann Maria Sears married **Lyman C Judd**. They had two children: Alphonse and Sarah.

- f VIII. **Harriet Sears** was born in Lenox on 7th August 1819.^[111] She died in Lenox on 1st August 1888, at the age of 68.^[111] Harriet was buried in Lenox.^[111]

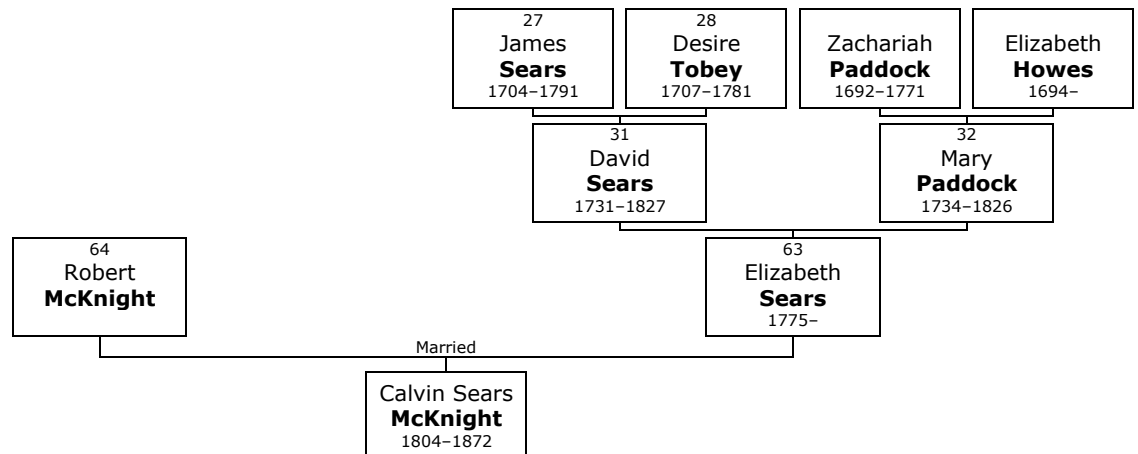


Harriet

Harriet married **Frederick Washburn**. They had one son: George (1841–).

Frederick was born in Lenox in 1815.

Family of Elizabeth Sears and Robert McKnight



63. **Elizabeth⁴ Sears** (*David³, James²*) was born in 1775 at perhaps in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, USA.^[116] She was the daughter of David Sears (31) and Mary Paddock (32).

S P May, No 745, said she married Jonathan Root of Pittsfield but records from Sara Murphy prove differently.

From: JMKBMor@aol.com [mailto:JMKBMor@aol.com] Sent: Thursday, June 22, 2006 9:58 AM To:

¹¹⁶ Ancestry.com, U.S. Pensioners, 1818-1872 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2007), Ancestry.com, The National Archives; Washington, D.C.; Ledgers of Payments, 1818-1872, to U.S. Pensioners Under Acts of 1818 Through 1858 From Records of the Office of the Third Auditor of the Treasury; Record Group Title: Records of the Accounting Officers of the Depar.
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LRSEARS@CAPECOD.NET Subject: Descendant I saw your web site with a history of the Sears name and I wondered if you have any information on one of my relatives. Elisabeth Sears was born 8/17/1773 in location unknown. She married Robert McKnight 12/1/1791 in New Lebanon, Columbia Couty, New York Thanks John Moore

judithsearsallen

Jun 21, 2017 While walking thru a cemetery in Missouri three or four years ago, I found a stone with the name Calvin Sears McKnight. Curious as to who it was, I started looking for his records. I traced him to my Sears family of David Sears/Mary Paddock. I've looked several years for his mother and father. Finally while in the library in Pittsfield a man there found a record of Robert McKnight and Elisabeth Sears in the Genealogical Abstracts of Rev. War Pension Files (Vol III N-Z, page 2293) Lots of additional info. But it proves that it was Elisabeth who married Robert. Now looking for Polly to see if she married a Jonathan Root. Thought you might like to look at the record.
Judith Sears Allen

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4754>

More facts and events for Elizabeth Sears:

Residence: 1836 - 1848^[116]

Residence: 1843 - 1862^[116]

64. She married **Robert McKnight**.^[116-118] They had one son: Calvin (1804-1872).

Robert served in the military in USA.^[118]

More facts and events for Robert McKnight:

Residence: 1836 - 1848 Albany, New York^[116]

Residence: 1843 - 1862 Albany^[116]

Residence: Manhattan, New York^[117]

Residence: New York^[117]

Son of Elizabeth Sears and Robert McKnight:

m I. **Calvin Sears⁵ McKnight** was born in New York in 1804.^[119-121] He died in 1872 at the age of 68.



Calvin

More facts and events for Calvin Sears McKnight:

Residence: 1850 Oakfield, Fond du Lac, Wisconsin^[120]

Residence: 1870 Green City, Nodaway, Missouri^[119]

Post Office: Maryville

Calvin Sears married **Huldah Russell**.^[120-122]

¹¹⁷ Ancestry.com, U.S., Revolutionary War Pension and Bounty-Land Warrant Application Files, 1800-1900 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com.
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¹¹⁸ Ancestry.com, U.S., Revolutionary War Rolls, 1775-1783 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2007), Ancestry.com.

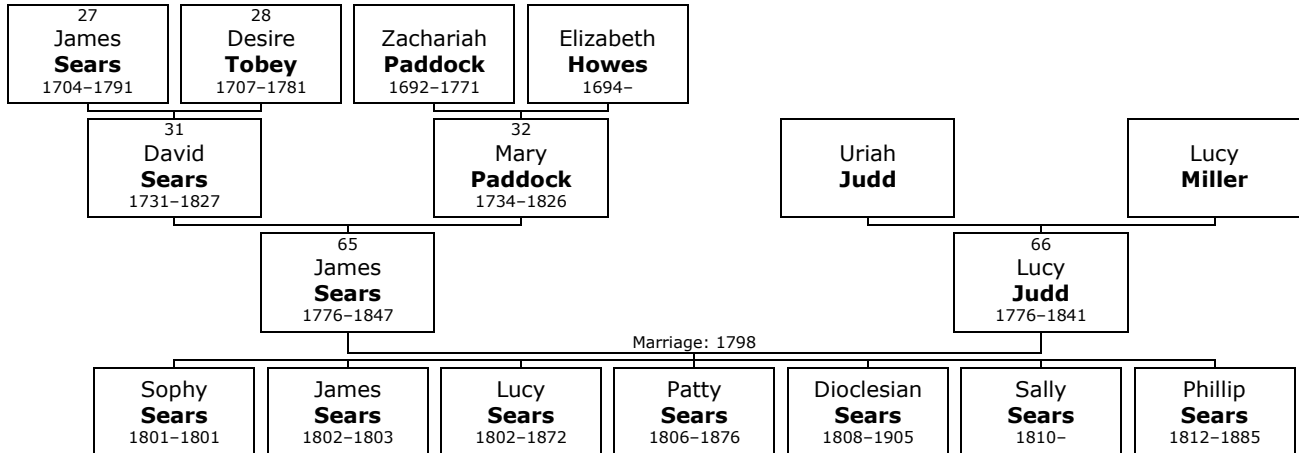
¹¹⁹ Ancestry.com, 1870 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1870; Census Place: Green, Nodaway, Missouri; Roll: M593_795; Page: 543B; Image: 390961; Family History Library Film: 552294.

¹²⁰ Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: Oakfield, Fond du Lac, Wisconsin; Roll: M432_997; Page: 299B; Image: 117.

¹²¹ Ancestry.com, Washington, Select Death Certificates, 1907-1960 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

They had twelve children: Jane (1834–), Mary (1837–1881), Ellen (1845–), John (1846–1913), Alice (ca.1848–1908), Mary (1849–), Agnes (1850–1934), Elizabeth (1852–), Louisa (1855–1927), Cordelia (1857–), Lula (1859–) and Francisca (1861–). Huldah was born in New York about 1816.^[120, 122]

Family of James Sears and Lucy Judd



65. James⁴ Sears (*David³, James²*) was born on Wednesday, 15th May 1776, in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, USA.^[123-125] He was the son of David Sears (31) and Mary Paddock (32). James died in Richford, Tioga, New York, on 22nd February 1847, at the age of 70.^[123, 124] He was buried in Richford, Tioga County.^[123]

!The James Sears in my family who was born 15 May 1776 in Lenox, died in Richford, NY 22 Feb 1847. He married Lucy Judd b. Pittsfield 28 Nov 1776 and d. Richford, NY (no date). They were married in Lenox on 23 Dec 1798. They had two children buried in Sears cemetery in Lenox, MA. They were James (b. abt Jun 1802 d. Apr 1803) and Sophy (b. May 1801 d. 28 Nov 1801). James father was David Sears (b.1731 in Yarmouth d. 1827 in Lenox) and mother Mary Paddock (b. 1734 in Marshfield, MA, I think. d. 1826 in Lenox). Both David and Mary are buried in Sears Cemetery in Lenox. There were no Richards in David & Mary's family. There appeared to be quite a bit of movement of the family between the Albany area and the Lenox/Pittsfield area. And my ggg grandfather Luther Sears(brother to James) moved to Volney, NY where he died Jul 1857. I have been trying to find information on his wife, Anna Foster. She may have returned to Lenox after Luther's death, as her death is recorded in the church records. Or it may be that someone notified the church that she had died, as the church record does not say where she died, but when. She does not appear to be buried in the Sears cemetery. Judith Allen?

<http://trees.ancestry.com/owt/person.aspx?pid=8777481&st=1>

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-3180>

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66. At the age of 22, James married **Lucy Judd** on Sunday, 23rd December 1798, in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, when she was 22 years old.^[123-125] They had seven children: Sophy (1801–1801), James

¹²² Ancestry.com and The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1880 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1880; Census Place: Greene, Nodaway, Missouri; Roll: 706; Family History Film: 1254706; Page: 164A; Enumeration District: 259; Image: 0559. [Source citation includes one media item]

¹²³ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

¹²⁴ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com. [Source citation includes one media item]

¹²⁵ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com. [Source citation includes one media item]

(1802–1803), Lucy (1802–1872), Patty (1806–1876), Dioclesian (1808–1905), Sally (1810–) and Phillip (1812–1885).

Lucy was born in Pittsfield on Thursday, 28th November 1776.^[123, 124] She was the daughter of Uriah Judd and Lucy Miller.

Lucy reached 64 years of age and died in Richford, Tioga, New York, in 1841.^[123, 124] She was buried in Richford, Tioga County.^[123]

Children of James Sears and Lucy Judd:

- f I. **Sophy⁵ Sears** was born in May 1801. She died on 28th November 1801. Sophy was buried in Sears Cemetery, Lenox.



Sophy

- m II. **James Sears** was born in June 1802. He died on 21st April 1803. James was buried in Sears Cemetery, Lenox.



James

- f III. **Lucy Sears** was born in Lenox on 18th November 1802. She died in June 1872 at the age of 69.

At the age of 25, Lucy married **George Cargill** on Thursday, 11th September 1828, in Lenox when he was 26 years old. They have no known children.

George was born in Goshen, Hampshire, on Sunday, 31st January 1802. He was the son of John Cargill and Mary Crow.

George reached 70 years of age and died in Newark Valley, Tioga, New York, on 22nd September 1872.

- f IV. **Patty Sears** was born in Lenox on 18th May 1806. She died in 1876 at the age of 69. Patty Sears married **James Bristol**. They have no known children.

James was born at perhaps in Lenox in 1802.

- m V. **Dioclesian Sears** was born in Lenox on 15th November 1808.^[123, 126] He died in 1905 at the age of 96.^[123] Dioclesian was buried in Richford, Tioga County.^[123]



Dioclesian

More facts and events for Dioclesian Sears:

Residence: 1855 Richford, Tioga^[126]

Relation to Head of House: Head

Dioclesian Sears married **Laura L Holcomb** on Saturday, 11th December 1830, in Richford.^[123, 126] They had nine children: James (1837–), Lucy (1839–1908), Laura (1841–1912), Genura (1844–1847), Mary (1847–), Emily (1848–1941), Sarah (1853–1901), Flora (1856–1871) and Agnes (1858–).

Laura L was born in Hamilton, Madison, in 1817.^[123, 126] She reached 86 years of age and died in 1903.^[123] Laura L was buried in Richford, Tioga County.^[123]

- f VI. **Sally Sears** was born in Lenox on 9th April 1810.

Sally Sears married **Lucius D Rogers** on Sunday, 25th December 1831, in pub, Lenox. They had one daughter: Sarah (1832–).

Lucius D was born in Lenox in 1806. He died in Richford, Tioga, New York.

¹²⁶ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

- m VII. **Phillip Sears** was born in Lenox on 21st May 1812.^[123, 124, 127] He died in Richford in 1885 at the age of 72.^[123, 124] Phillip was buried in Richford, Tioga County.^[123]



Phillip

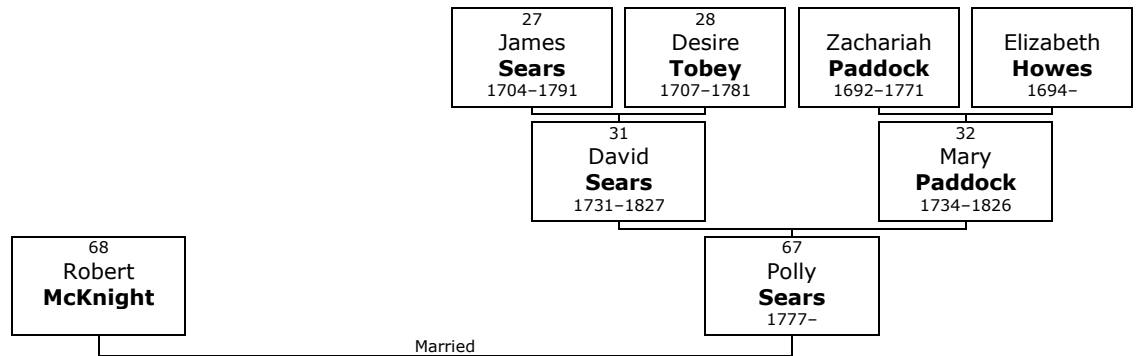
More facts and events for Phillip Sears:

Residence: 1865 Richford, Tioga^[127]
 Relation to Head of House: Head

At the age of 29, Phillip Sears married **Sally Maria Tyler** on Thursday, 19th August 1841, in Richford when she was 17 years old.^[123, 127] They had seven children: George (1842-1849), Maryette (1844-1877), Uriah (1845-1849), Quincy (1851-1913), Harriet (1853-1927), Anna (1856-1878) and Nellie (1864-1947).

Sally Maria was born in Locke, Cayuga, on Friday, 31st October 1823.^[123, 127] She reached 66 years of age and died in 1890.^[123] Sally Maria was buried in Richford, Tioga County.^[123]

Family of Polly Sears and Robert McKnight



- 67. Polly⁴ Sears** (*David³, James²*) was born in 1777 at perhaps in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of David Sears (31) and Mary Paddock (32).

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- 68.** She married **Robert McKnight**.

Zachariah Sears

- 69. Zachariah⁴ Sears** (*David³, James²*) was born in April 1778 in Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts, USA.^[128-130] He was the son of David Sears (31) and Mary Paddock (32).

Zachariah died in Lenox on 17th November 1865, at the age of 87.^[128, 129]

!1820 Census - 4,2 !www.newenglandancestors.org !Ashfield VR SEARS Zechariah [int. Zachariah] of Lenox and Sarah [int. Miss Sally] Hall of A., -, 1806 [int. July 11, 1805]. Marriage

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4756>

Marriages with Sally Hall and Almira Butler (Page 67) are known.

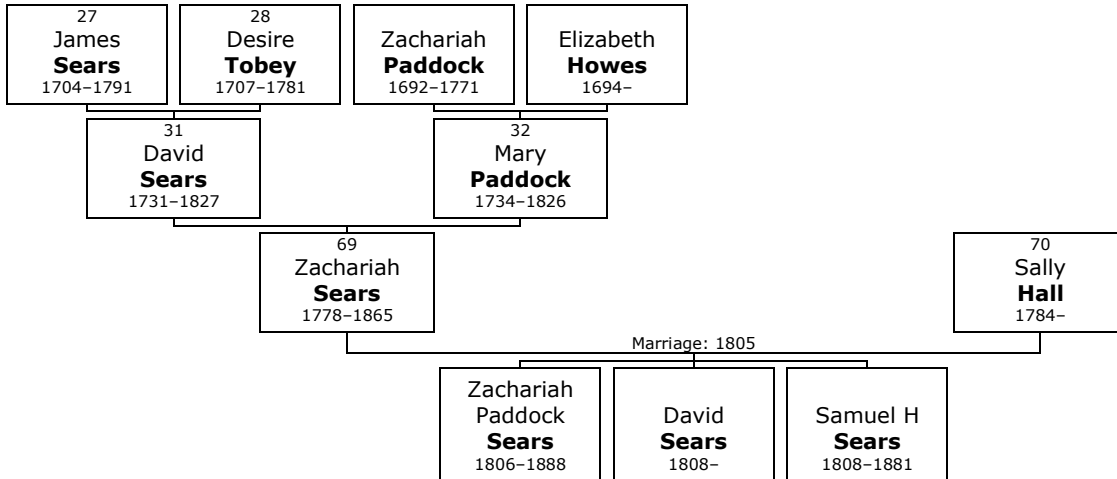
¹²⁷ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1865 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

¹²⁸ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.
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¹²⁹ Ancestry.com, North America, Family Histories, 1500-2000 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com, Book Title: Thacher - Thatcher Genealogy : Part 1 : Coat-of-Arms.

¹³⁰ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.
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Family of Zachariah Sears and Sally Hall



Here are the details about **Zachariah Sears** first marriage with Sally Hall. You can read more about Zachariah on page 65.

- 70.** Zachariah Sears married **Sally Hall** on Monday, 29th July 1805, in pub, Lenox.^[130] They had three sons: Zachariah (1806–1888), David (1808–) and Samuel (1808–1881).

Sally was born in Ashfield, Franklin, in 1784.

Sons of Zachariah Sears and Sally Hall:

- m I. **Zachariah Paddock⁵ Sears** was born in Lenox in 1806.^[130-135] He died in Pennellville on 6th April 1888, at the age of 82.^[135] Zachariah Paddock was buried in Pennellville, Oswego County.^[135]



Zachariah

More facts and events for Zachariah Paddock Sears:

Residence: 1850	Schroeppel, Oswego ^[134]
Residence: 1860	Schroeppel ^[132]
Residence: 1865	Schroeppel ^[131]
	Relation to Head of House: Head
Residence: 1 st June 1875	Volney ^[133]
	Relation to Head of House: Father

At the age of 23, Zachariah Paddock married **Mary Ann Millard** on Thursday, 19th March 1829, in Pittsfield, Berkshire, Massachusetts, when she was 21 years old.^[130, 131, 133, 135]

They had five children: (unknown given name) (ca.1825–), (unknown given name) (ca.1825–), Kate (1833–1925), David (1836–1895) and Mary (1840–1866).

Mary Ann was born in Ashfield, Franklin, on Monday, 17th August 1807.^[131, 133, 135] She was the daughter of Samuel Millard and Chloe --Millard.

Mary Ann reached 68 years of age and died in 1876.^[135] She was buried in Pennellville, Oswego County.^[135]

¹³¹ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1865 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

¹³² Ancestry.com, 1860 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1860; Census Place: Schroeppel, Oswego, New York; Roll: M653_837; Page: 482; Family History Library Film: 803837.

¹³³ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1875 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

¹³⁴ Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: Schroeppel, Oswego, New York; Roll: M432_577; Page: 266B; Image: 31.

¹³⁵ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

Carla Miller [carlaj@banet.net] shows Mary Ann Miller - b: 17 AUG 1807 in Pittsfield, Massachusetts

- m II. **David Sears** was born in Lenox in 1808.
- m III. **Samuel H Sears** was born in Lenox in 1808.^[130, 135] He died on 16th May 1881, at the age of 73.^[135] Samuel H was buried in Lenox.^[135]

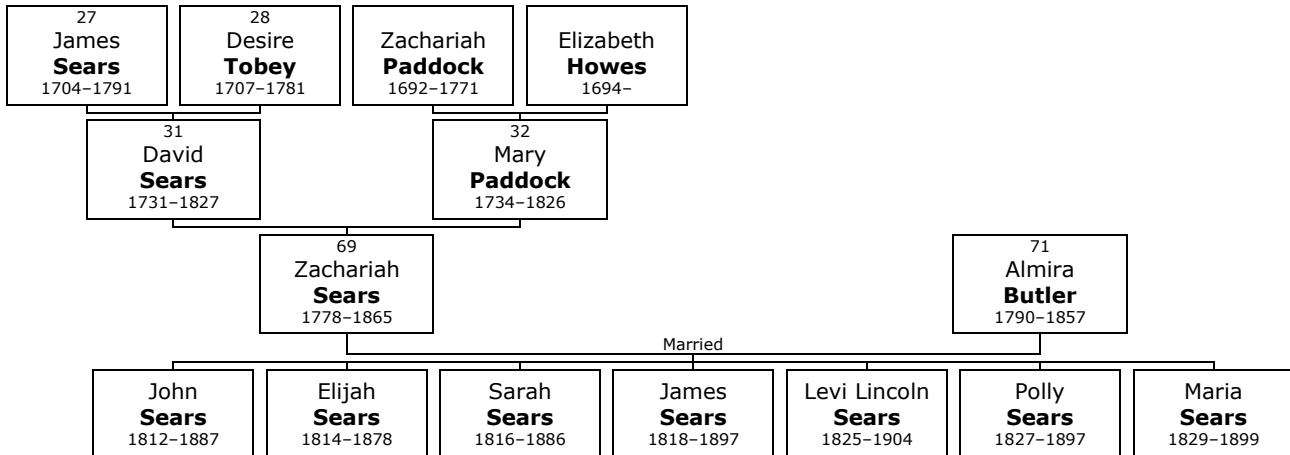


Samuel

Samuel H Sears married **Elizabeth M Bradley** on Wednesday, 24th October 1838, in Lenox.^[130] They had one son: David (1843-1847).

Elizabeth M was born at perhaps in Lenox in 1821.

Family of Zachariah Sears and Almira Butler



Here are the details about **Zachariah Sears** second marriage with Almira Butler. You can read more about Zachariah on page 65.

- 71. Zachariah Sears married **Almira Butler**.^[129, 135] They had seven children: John (1812-1887), Elijah (1814-1878), Sarah (1816-1886), James (1818-1897), Levi (1825-1904), Polly (1827-1897) and Maria (1829-1899).

Almira was born at perhaps in Lenox in 1790.^[129, 135] She reached 67 years of age and died in Lenox on 13th March 1857.^[129, 135] Almira was buried in Lenox.^[135]

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Plot: Row 10, Grave 167 Created by: waldonia Record added: Jan 29, 2010

Children of Zachariah Sears and Almira Butler:

- m I. **John⁵ Sears** was born in Lenox on 3rd December 1812.^[129, 130, 136-140] He died in Litchfield on 16th August 1887, at the age of 74.^[129, 136]

¹³⁶ Ancestry.com, North America, Family Histories, 1500-2000 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com, Book Title: Peabody Genealogy. Record for Julia Frances Sears. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=61157&h=2954884&indiv=try>.

¹³⁷ Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: Litchfield, Medina, Ohio; Roll: M432_709; Page: 440B; Image: 583.

¹³⁸ Ancestry.com, 1870 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1870; Census Place: Litchfield, Medina, Ohio; Roll: M593_1241; Page: 331A; Family History Library Film: 552740.

¹³⁹ Dodd, Jordan, Liahona Research, comp, Massachusetts, Marriages, 1633-1850 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2005), Ancestry.com.

More facts and events for John Sears:

Residence: 1850 Litchfield^[137]

Residence: 1870 Litchfield^[138]

Residence Post Office: Litchfield

At the age of 24, John married **Martha Thacher** on Thursday, 16th February 1837, in Lee, Berkshire, Massachusetts, when she was 22 years old.^[129, 130, 136, 138-140] They had six children: Samuel (1838-1908), Betsy (1840-1841), Ada (1843-1914), Fannie (1846-1882), John (1848-1921) and Edward (1851-).

Martha was born at perh in Lee on Sunday, 5th February 1815.^[129, 136, 138] She was the daughter of Timothy Thacher and Doratha Phelps.

Martha reached 72 years of age and died in Litchfield on 12th June 1887.^[129, 136]

- m II. **Elijah Sears** was born in Lenox in 1814.^[141] He died in East Detroit, Macomb, Michigan, on 7th February 1878, at the age of 64.

More facts and events for Elijah Sears:

Residence: 1865 Lenox, Berkshire, Massachusetts^[141]

Marital Status: Married

Elijah Sears married **Matilda French** on Wednesday, 23rd December 1840, in Lenox. They had three children: Zilpha (ca.1842-1896), Allen (1845-1900) and Chauncey (1850-1920).

Matilda was born in Norfolk, Litchfield, Connecticut, in 1823. She reached 67 years of age and died on 8th December 1890.

- f III. **Sarah Sears** was born in Lenox in 1816. She died in 1886 at the age of 70.

Sarah married **John Parker**.

- m IV. **James Sears** was born in Lenox in 1818.^[128, 130, 139] He died in Pittsfield on 2nd December 1897, at the age of 79.^[128, 130]

James married **Lydia C Merrell** on Tuesday, 11th October 1842, in Lee.^[139, 142] They had one son: James (1846-1918).

She was baptised in New Hartford, Litchfield, Connecticut, in 1808.^[142] Lydia C was born at perhaps in Lenox in 1809. She was the daughter of Jerad Merrell.

- m V. **Levi Lincoln Sears** was born in Lenox on 8th April 1825.^[130, 135, 143] He died in Elyria, Lorain County, in 1904 at the age of 78.^[135] Levi Lincoln was buried in Elyria.^[135]

More facts and events for Levi Lincoln Sears:

Residence: 1900 Ward 2, Elyria, Lorain^[143]

Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head: Head

Levi Lincoln Sears married **Sarah W Schofield** on Wednesday, 8th November 1848, in Lee, Berkshire, Massachusetts.^[130, 135] They had two sons: John (1850-) and George (1854-1918).

Sarah W was born in perh, Lee, in 1827. She reached 29 years of age and died in Lenox on 18th November 1856. Sarah W was buried in Lenox.^[135]

Levi Lincoln Sears married **Charlotte M Schofield** on Friday, 29th January 1858, in Lenox.^[143] They had one daughter: Lillian (1867-1950).

¹⁴⁰ Ancestry.com, Ohio, County Marriages, 1774-1993 (Lehi, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com.

¹⁴¹ Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, State Census, 1865 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

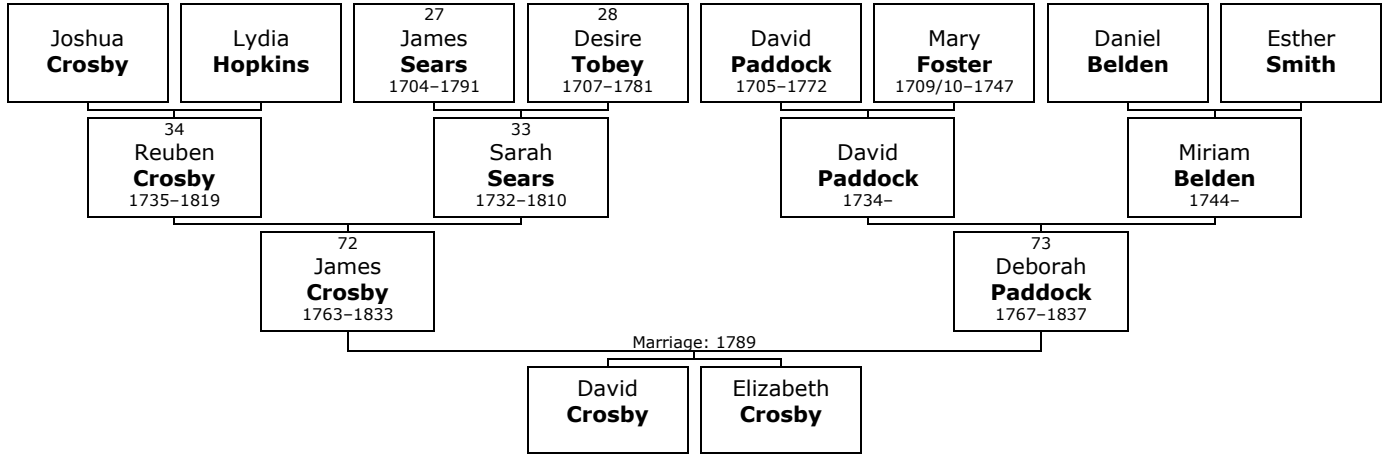
¹⁴² Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Church Record Abstracts, 1630-1920 (Provo, UT, USA, , 2013), Ancestry.com.
[Source citation includes one media item]

¹⁴³ Ancestry.com, 1900 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2004), Ancestry.com, Year: 1900; Census Place: Elyria Ward 2, Lorain, Ohio; Roll: 1294; Page: 11B; Enumeration District: 0079; FHL microfilm: 1241295.

Charlotte M was born in Andover, Essex, in September 1836.^[143]

- f VI. **Polly Sears** was born in Lenox in 1827. She died in 1897 at the age of 70.
Polly married **(unknown given name) Whitaker**.
- f VII. **Maria Sears** was born in Lenox in 1829. She died in 1899 at the age of 70.

Family of James Crosby and Deborah Paddock



72. James⁴ Crosby (*Sarah³ Sears, James²*) was born in 1763 in Putnam, New York, USA. He was the son of Reuben Crosby (34) and Sarah Sears (33).

James died in 1833 at the age of 70.

73. James married **Deborah Paddock** in 1789. They had two children: David and Elizabeth.

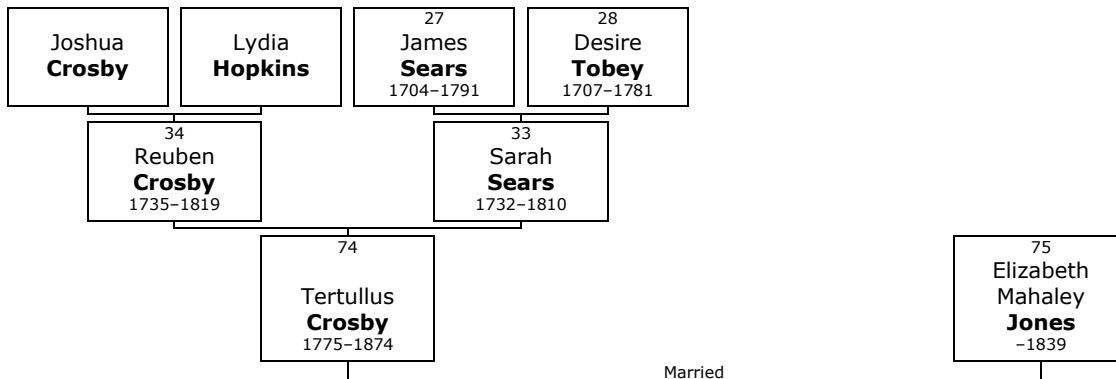
Deborah was born on Tuesday, 27th October 1767. She was the daughter of David Paddock and Miriam Belden.

Deborah reached 70 years of age and died on 21st November 1837.

Children of James Crosby and Deborah Paddock:

- m I. **David⁵ Crosby**.
David married **Miriam Belden**.
- f II. **Elizabeth Crosby**.
Elizabeth married **Stephen Perry**.

Family of Tertullus Crosby and Elizabeth Jones



74. Tertullus⁴ Crosby (*Sarah³ Sears, James²*) was born on Thursday, 2nd February 1775, in Patterson, Putnam, New York, USA. He was the son of Reuben Crosby (34) and Sarah Sears (33).

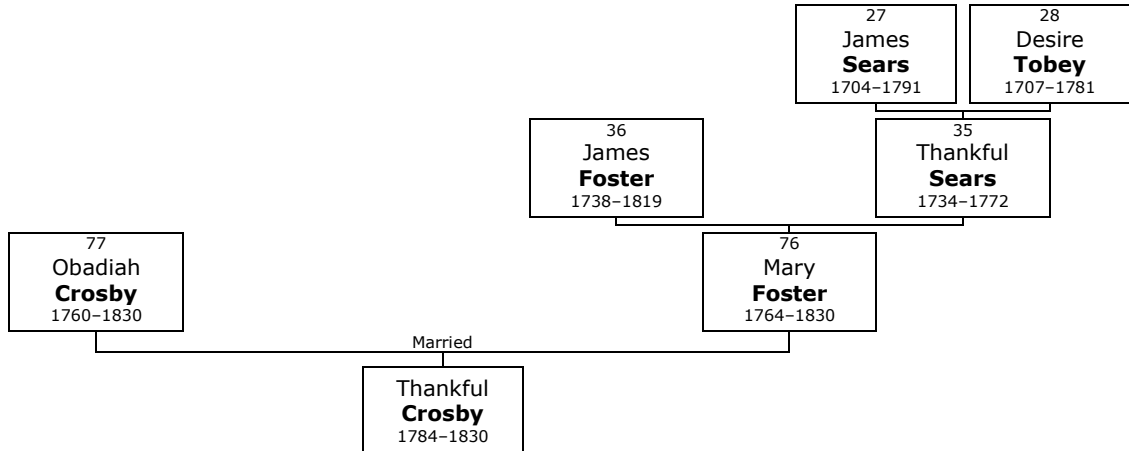
Tertullus died in Troy, Newaygo, Michigan, on 14th September 1874, at the age of 99.

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75. Tertullus married **Elizabeth Mahaley Jones** in Patterson, Putnam, New York. They have no known children.

Elizabeth Mahaley died on 29th June 1839.

Family of Mary Foster and Obadiah Crosby



76. **Mary⁴ Foster** (*Thankful³ Sears, James²*) was born in 1764 in perh, Yarmouth, Barnstable, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of James Foster (36) and Thankful Sears (35).

Mary died in 1830 at the age of 66.

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77. She married **Obadiah Crosby**. They had one daughter: Thankful (1784-1830).

Obadiah was born in 1760. He reached 70 years of age and died in 1830.

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Daughter of Mary Foster and Obadiah Crosby:

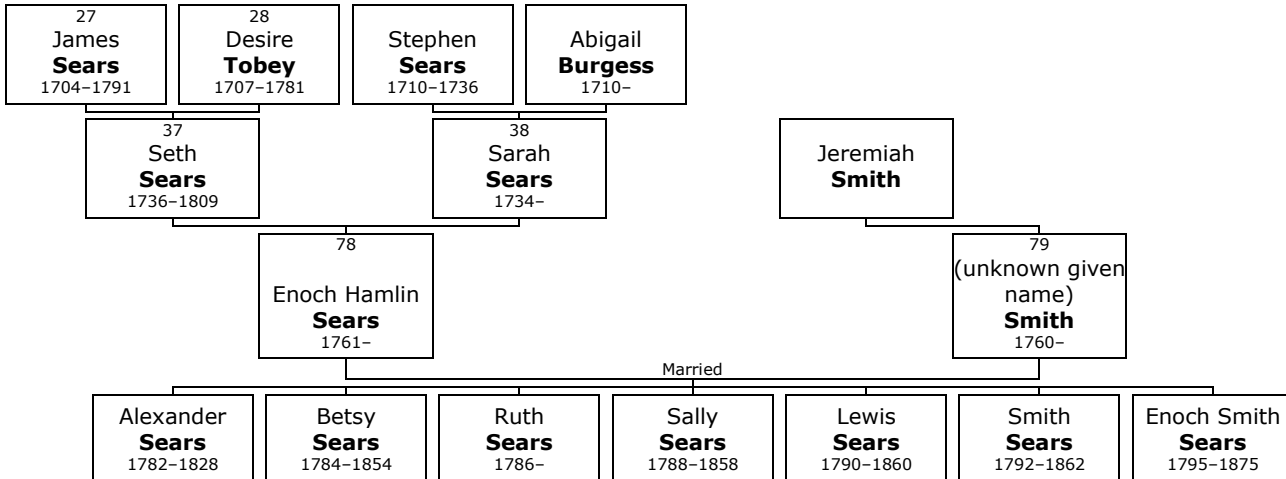
f I. **Thankful⁵ Crosby** was born in 1784. She died in 1830 at the age of 46.

Thankful married **Oliver Noble**. They had one son: Alonzo (1808-1900).

Oliver was born in 1780. He reached 59 years of age and died in 1839.

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Family of Enoch Sears and Smith



78. **Enoch Hamlin⁴ Sears** (*Seth³, James²*) was born in 1761 in Southeast, Putnam, New York, USA. He was the son of Seth Sears (37) and Sarah Sears (38).

May, Samuel. The Descendants of Richard Sares (Sears) of Yarmouth, Mass., 1638-1888 Page 274 (Joel Munsell's Sons, 1890) No 747

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4779>

!Ruth G Pickard - The records of the Presbyterian Church at Ballston abound in the names of the progeny of Enoch Hamlin Sears

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!Heidi Brewer Detty Enoch Smith Sears was my great(4th power) grandfather who came to Morrow county, Ohio in 1834 from Dutchess County New York. From the online research that I have done I believe that he is the son of Enoch Hamlin Sears who was also of Dutchess County New York. Enoch Hamlin Sears had a son Smith Sears who I have found listed with the same date of birth as my great relative. Online they state that Smith Sears went west with some family members and was never heard of again. I feel pretty confident that Enoch Smith Sears is his son. In an 1830 census an Enoch Sears is listed in Albion, New York which is west of Dutchess County. I could not find him listed in a later census in New York. Enoch Hamlin Sears? wife was identified as Lewis Sears. Enoch Hamlin Sears and Lewis Sears named a son Lewis Sears but he died in childhood. When my great (4) grandfather had children he named one of his sons Lewis Sears. I think this is further evidence that Lewis Sears was his mother. The name Smith Sears is also used in the family again by Enoch Smith Sears? grandson. I believe that either the online sites do not list his full name or he adopted his father's first name.

I am fairly new at this family research. Does anyone have ideas as to how I might go about proving that Enoch Smith Sears is the son of Enoch Hamlin Sears? Enoch Smith Sears and Laura Marvin Sears are also listed as being married in Dutchess county New York. Any ideas for locating the marriage entry. I suppose that would be a good way to prove. I appreciate any help. July 27 at 1:51pm Heidi Brewer Detty Richard-Silas-Silas-James-Seth-Enoch Hamlin-Enoch Smith-Aaron Burr-George Forest-Oral Blaine-Hubert Blaine-Jeannette Arlene Sears. <http://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=1417112756>

79. He married **(unknown given name) Smith**. They had seven children: Alexander (1782–1828), Betsy (1784–1854), Ruth (1786–), Sally (1788–1858), Lewis (1790–1860), Smith (1792–1862) and Enoch (1795–1875).

(unknown given name) was born in perh, Southeast, in 1760. She was the daughter of Jeremiah Smith.

Children of Enoch Hamlin Sears and (unknown given name) Smith:

- m I. **Alexander⁵ Sears** was born in Ballston, Saratoga, on 9th August 1782.^[144, 145] He died in Saratoga on 6th October 1828, at the age of 46.^[144, 145] Alexander was buried in Crapo Cemetery, Saratoga.^[144]



Alexander

Alexander married **Mary Howes** in 1802.^[144, 145] They had eight children: David (1803–1806), Ruth (1805–1808), Lewis (1808–1887), Henry (1810–1861), Epenetus (1815–1881), Alexander (1818–1905), Isaac (1821–1915) and Mary (1825–).

Mary was born in Saratoga on Monday, 24th October 1785.^[144, 145]

She was the daughter of David Howes. Mary reached 88 years of age and died in Saratoga on 13th April 1874.^[144, 145] She was buried in Crapo Cemetery, Saratoga.^[144]

Sears Mary Wife of Alexander Sears 1874/04/13 87y Crapo Cemetry Recorded by C.Durkee - 1878. Burnt Hills Calvary Episcopal Church Cemetery

- f II. **Betsy Sears** was born in perh, Southeast, Putnam, in 1784. She died in 1854 at the age of 70.

Betsy Sears married **Jonathan Hedges**. They had three sons: William, Elias and Henry.

- f III. **Ruth Sears** was born in perh in 1786.

Ruth married **Jonathan Curtis**.

- f IV. **Sally Sears** was born in perh in 1788. She died in 1858 at the age of 70.

Sally married **(unknown given name) Pierson**.

¹⁴⁴ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

¹⁴⁵ Ancestry.com, North America, Family Histories, 1500-2000 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com, Book Title: Lineage Book : NSDAR : Volume 113 : 1914.

- m V. **Lewis Sears** was born in perh in 1790. He died in 1860 at the age of 70.
- m VI. **Smith Sears** was born in perh in 1792. He died in 1862 at the age of 70.
- m VII. **Enoch Smith Sears** was born in New York on 9th August 1795.^[144] He died in Morrow, Ohio, on 12th August 1875, at the age of 80.^[144] Enoch Smith was buried in Bloomfield, Morrow.^[144]

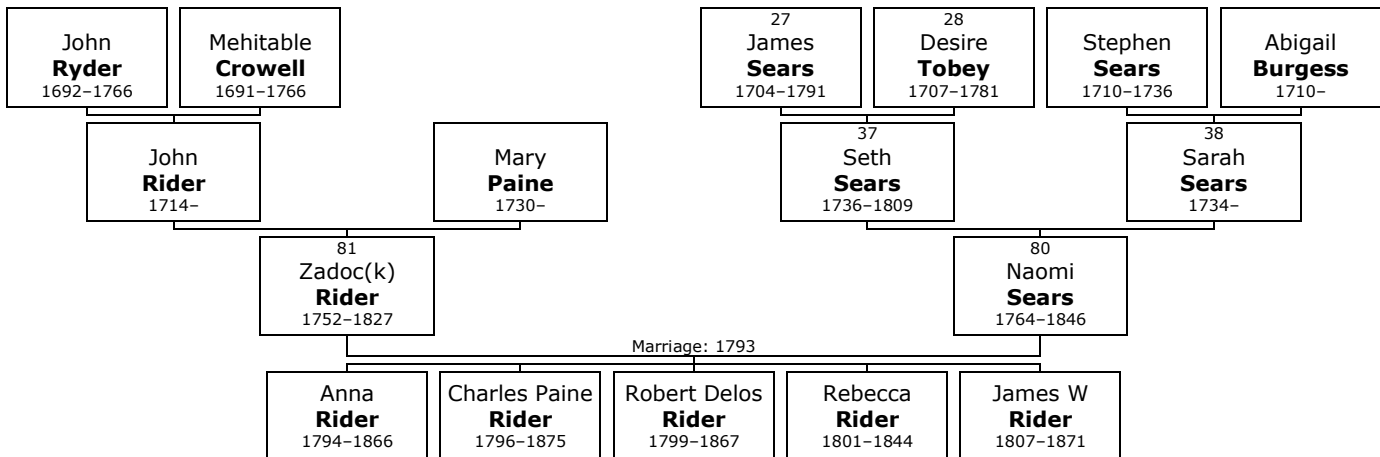


Enoch

Enoch Smith married **Laura Marvin** in 1816.^[144] They had six children: Floyd (1817-1893), Aaron (1828-1910), Rufus (1831-1915), Lewis, George and Harriet.

Laura was born in Dutchess, New York, on Sunday, 15th May 1796.^[144] She reached 75 years of age and died in Morrow, Ohio, on 29th December 1871.^[144] Laura was buried in Bloomfield, Morrow.^[144]

Family of Naomi Sears and Zadoc(k) Rider



80. Naomi⁴ Sears (*Seth³, James²*) was born on Sunday, 23rd September 1764, in prob, Southeast, Putnam, New York, USA. She was the daughter of Seth Sears (37) and Sarah Sears (38).

Naomi died in Winfield, Herkimer, on 30th March 1846, at the age of 81. She was buried in North Winfield, Winfield.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4780>

!Ruth G Pickard The search for Naomi Sears' parents has been long and frustrating. She is clearly referred to in two separate Bible records as the wife of Zadock Rider. Her birth is recorded as 23 Sep 1764. Her father is most certainly Seth Sears. In regard to the family of Seth and Sarah (Sears) Sears in the May Genealogy, there are several discrepancies. First of all, there is a tremendous gap between the birth of their first child Enoch Hamlin ca. 1760 and the birth of their next listed child, Seth, to whom Samuel May assigns a ca. 1771 birthdate. A record of the family of Seth Sears, Jr., formerly in possession of Porter Barrows of Sherburne, NY, and published by the James Madison Chapter, DAR (NY DAR Church Cemetery and Town Records v. 123, p.88), says Seth Sears 3rd was born in South East Town, Dutchess County, State of New York, August 11th 176_(page torn). Ruamy Andress was born in Greenfield, Fairfield co, CT, 24 Jan 17__ (Page torn). Although the date of Seth's birth is incomplete, it obviously did not take place in 1771, as May surmises. The Foster-Livingston Collection of Putnam co Records quotes the tombstone inscription in Milltown Cemetery as follows: "The graves of Seth and Rheumah, he died May 1, 1819, 48 y, and she died Dec 9, 1813, 31y." This is the apparent source of May's 1771 birthdate. However, the Bible fragment referred to above is at odds with the date on the tombstone and gives Seth's death date as May 1, 1817. This accords with the date on which his will was entered into probate-- 16 May 1817. If Seth was indeed 48 years old when he died, he would have to have been born in 1769 and not 1771. This leaves Seth and Sarah's "third" child Eleazar H. with a birthdate of 1771, which seems entirely reasonable. Sarah Sears, their "fourth" child, has no birthdate assigned, and their last child, Thankful, about whom a considerable amount of accurate information is given, was born on 30 Jun 1775. In regard to the birthdate of Sarah, the International Genealogical Index, published by the LDS Church, gives a birthdate of 24 Mar 1767, for Sarah Sears but does not assign her any parents. A marriage to Thomas Randall in November, 1787, is also listed for Sarah Sears, but again no parents are listed. However, it seems likely that this is

Seth's daughter. If the family births are arranged according to the information given above, we arrive at a much more reasonable birth order and spacing than the one given by May.

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!BURIED: Cemetery (abandoned)

- 81.** Naomi married **Zadoc(k) Rider** in 1793. They had five children: Anna (1794–1866), Charles (1796–1875), Robert (1799–1867), Rebecca (1801–1844) and James (1807–1871).

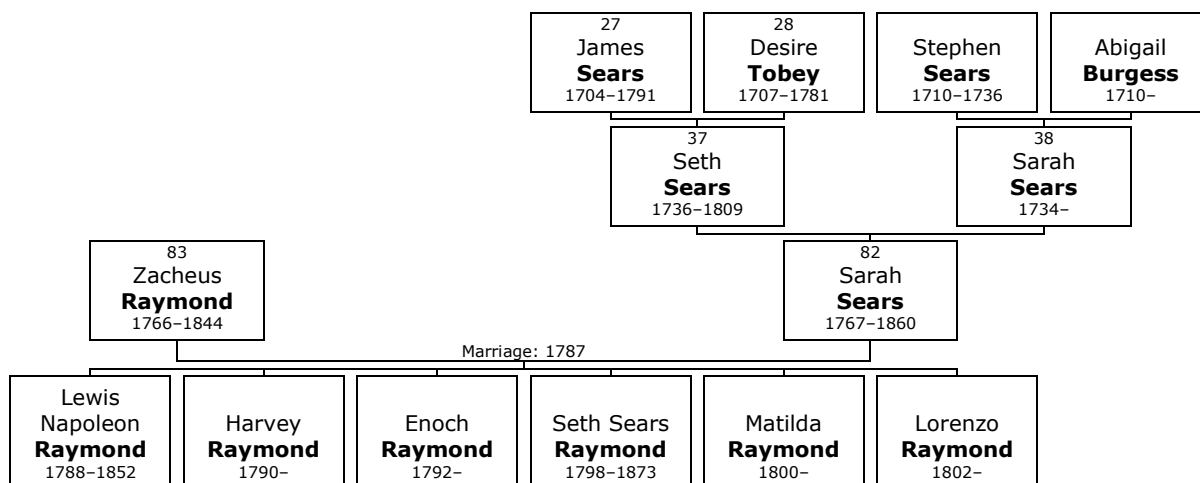
Zadoc(k) was born in Dutchess, Southeast, Putnam, on 10th June 1752. He was the son of John Rider and Mary Paine.

Zadoc(k) reached 75 years of age and died in Winfield, Herkimer, on 23rd June 1827.

Children of Naomi Sears and Zadoc(k) Rider:

- f I. **Anna⁵ Rider** was born in Dutchess, Southeast, Putnam, on 11th June 1794. She died in prob, Litchfield, Herkimer Co, on 25th October 1866, at the age of 72.
- m II. **Charles Paine Rider** was born in Litchfield, Herkimer, on 3rd August 1796. He died in Cassville, Oneida, on 9th October 1875, at the age of 79.
- Charles Paine married **Rebecca Penny** in 1821 in Henderson, Jefferson. They had six children: Ebenezer (1822–), Thankful (1824–), Eliza (1826–), Drusilla (1827–), Pruslia (1831–) and Charles (1837–).
- Rebecca was born in perh, Henderson, in 1800.
- m III. **Robert Delos Rider** was born in Litchfield on 8th September 1799. He died in Arkwright, Chautauqua, on 19th October 1867, at the age of 68.
- Robert Delos Rider married **Lucy Spencer** on Thursday, 24th January 1822, in Winfield, Herkimer. They had three children: Theron (1822–), Delos (1824–1897) and Sarah (1828–).
- Lucy was born in perh, Winfield, Herkimer Co, in 1801.
- Robert Delos Rider married **Mrs Almira Rogers** on Thursday, 22nd November 1855. They have no known children.
- Almira was born in perh, Litchfield, Herkimer, in 1834.
- f IV. **Rebecca Rider** was born in Litchfield on 31st December 1801. She died in Richfield, Otsego, on 11th December 1844, at the age of 42.
- Rebecca Rider married **Levi Cole** in prob, Winfield, Herkimer Co. They had four children: Henry (1836–), Tunis (1838–), Charles (1840–) and Rebecca (1842–).
- Levi was born in perh, Litchfield, Herkimer, in 1797.
- m V. **James W Rider** was born in Litchfield on 20th March 1807. He died in prob, Villenova, Chautauqua, on 5th July 1871, at the age of 64. James W was buried. Hamlet Cemetery.
- James W Rider married **Susan --Rider**. They have no known children.
- Susan was born in Litchfield, Herkimer, in 1821.
- James W Rider married **Susannah --Rider**. They had one son: James (1835–).
- Susannah was born in Litchfield in 1813.

Family of Sarah Sears and Zacheus Raymond



- 82.** **Sarah⁴ Sears** (*Seth³, James²*) was born on Tuesday, 24th March 1767, in Southeast, Putnam, New York, USA. She was the daughter of Seth Sears (37) and Sarah Sears (38).

Sarah died on 26th September 1860, at the age of 93. She was buried in Columbus, Warren, Pennsylvania.

Mrs Charles N (Madeline) Dodd- The 1790 census of Dutchess co, NY shows four families named Sears (Seth, Seth Jr., Benjamin and Stephen). In the 1830 census of Warren co, PA, there was a James Sears living near Zacheus & Sarah Raymond, no connection known. BURIED: Curtis Cemetery

- 83.** Sarah married **Zacheus Raymond** in November 1787 in Dutchess, New York. They had six children: Lewis (1788-1852), Harvey (1790-), Enoch (1792-), Seth (1798-1873), Matilda (1800-) and Lorenzo (1802-).

Zacheus was born in Norwalk, Fairfield, Connecticut, in January 1766. He reached 78 years of age and died in Columbus, Warren, Pennsylvania, on 9th December 1844.

Madeline Dodd - Samuel Raymond's genealogy shows Zacheus disappearing into Nova Scotia after the War in the write-up under his father, Comfort, yet in Zacheus' own paragraph, he supposedly "lived and died in Chenango co, NY," where his wife "lived to a very advanced age, dying about 1853," and "had two children, Enoch and Lewis." Leach (who update Samuel's work) seemed unaware that Zacheus had ever lived anywhere but CT and PA. In fact, he was living in Dutchess co, NY on the 1790 census, and was listed in Chenango co, NY in 1810 and 1820. There was a Zachariah Raymond in Herkimer co in 1800, which was the parent county of Chenango and it's almost certain that Zachariah and Zacheus are the same person. In May 1780 Zacheus enlisted in the Continental Army as Private, for a period of three months following which he reenlisted for another three months and again in 1781 for six months and twenty days as a teamster. He was under the command of Capt Couch and Colonel Canfield in the State of CT. At Zacheus' death, he was buried on his own farm on a hillside just off US Rt 6. Since his burial, a large cherry tree has grown above the grave, which is surrounded by a metal fence. BIRTH: Darwin Everett Leach, HISTORY OF ZACHEUS RAYMOND; 1630-1929; Corry, PA, 1932; p 1; copy in poss of Ray Sears; The origin of the family name, RAYMOND, dates back to the year 240, before given names were used. It starts with Raymond the 1st, Count of Toulouse, which was long before Germany, France or Spain were separate countries. Richard Raymond and his wife Judith were members of First Church, Salem, MA. In 1660 he sold one quarter part of "THE GOOD KETCH," called the Hopewell of Salem, of the burthen of thirty tons, now being or riding at anchor in the harbor of Boston. 20 October 1662 he purchased a house and land at Norwalk CT. His children were all baptised in the First Church, Salem. The line to Zacheus is not clear bit appears to go John, Thomas, Comfort, Comfort. Little is known of Zacheus' early life which was spent on a farm (in CT). After the war he removed to Columbus, PA where he resided on a farm until his death. DAR was placed on the pension roll of Warren co, PA, 1833 for his service as private, CT militia

Children of Sarah Sears and Zacheus Raymond:

- m I. **Lewis Napoleon⁵ Raymond** was born in perh, Dutchess, in 1788. He died in Columbus, Warren, Pennsylvania, on 12th September 1852, at the age of 64. Lewis Napoleon was buried in Wheelock, Erie.

Lewis Napoleon married **Martha Howard**. They had seven children: Mary (1816-1862), Lorenzo (1818-1901), Alonzo (1820-1884), Howard (1822-1898), Charles (1824-1885), Martha (1827-1881) and Philip (1833-1909).

Martha was born in Foster, New York, on Wednesday, 21st August 1793. She reached 60 years of age and died in Columbus, Warren, Pennsylvania, on 24th June 1854. Martha was buried in Wheelock, Erie.

!BIRTH-CHIDREN-DEATH: Darwin Everett Leach, HISTORY OF ZACHEUS RAYMOND; 1630-1929; Corry, PA, 1932; p 7 ; copy in poss of Ray Sears

m II. **Harvey Raymond** was born in perh in 1790.

m III. **Enoch Raymond** was born in perh in 1792.

Enoch married **Rebecca Stewart**.

m IV. **Seth Sears Raymond** was born in New York on 25th April 1798.^[146] He died in Columbus on 23rd September 1873, at the age of 75. Seth Sears was buried in Columbus.

More facts and events for Seth Sears Raymond:

Residence: 1860 Columbus Township

Seth Sears married **Diantha Arnold**. They have no known children.

Diantha died on 18th April 1860. She was buried. David Curtis Cemetery.

Seth Sears married **Caroline Eagles**. They had eleven children: Francis (1819-), Polly (1820-1822), Elizabeth (1822-1894), Renselear (1825-1910), Fidelity (1827-), V (1829-), Caroline (1832-1923), Harriet (1834-1916), Seth (1836-1856), Sears (1836-1918) and Sarah (1840-1916).

from Columbus, PA. She was the daughter of Francis Eagles and Mary Polly Low.

She was buried in Curtis Cemetery, Columbus, in March 1851. Caroline died in Columbus Township on 2nd March 1851.

Bobby J Barnes: Shows her name as ENGLES

f V. **Matilda Raymond** was born in perh, New York, in 1800.

m VI. **Lorenzo Raymond** was born in perh in 1802.

Seth Sears

84. **Seth⁴ Sears Jr** (*Seth³, James²*) was born on Friday, 11th August 1769, in perh, Southeast, Putnam, New York, USA. He was the son of Seth Sears (37) and Sarah Sears (38).

Seth died in Milltown on 1st May 1819, at the age of 49. He was buried in Milltown Cemetery, Southeast.

!Ruth G Pickard

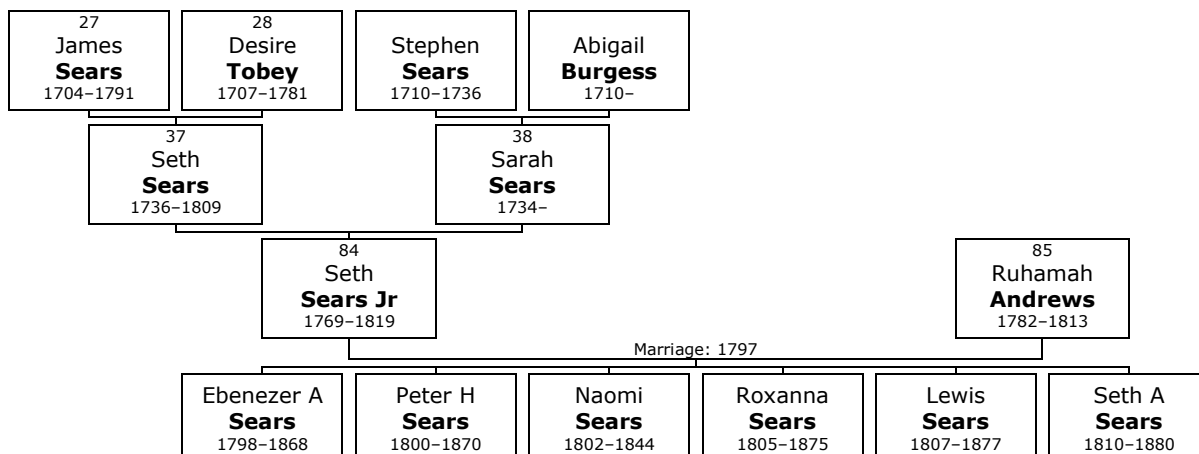
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Marriages with Ruhamah Andrews and Eunice Paddock (Page 77) are known.

¹⁴⁶ Ancestry.com, Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1963 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com, Pennsylvania Historic and Museum Commission; Pennsylvania, USA; Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1965; Certificate Number Range: 080121-083340. Record for Louisa Page.
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Family of Seth Sears and Ruhamah Andrews



Here are the details about **Seth Sears Jr's** first marriage with Ruhamah Andrews. You can read more about Seth on page 75.

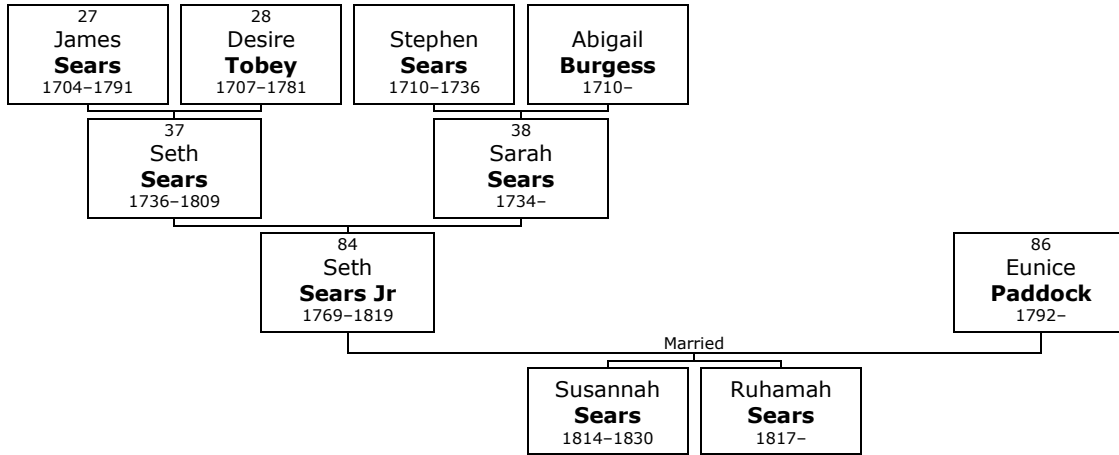
- 85.** Seth Sears Jr married **Ruhamah Andrews** on Wednesday, 23rd August 1797, in prob, Greenfield, Fairfield, Connecticut. They had six children: Ebenezer (1798–1868), Peter (1800–1870), Naomi (1802–1844), Roxanna (1805–1875), Lewis (1807–1877) and Seth (1810–1880).

Ruhamah was born in 1782. She reached 31 years of age and died on 9th December 1813. Ruhamah was buried in Milltown Cemetery, Southeast, Putnam, New York.

Children of Seth Sears Jr and Ruhamah Andrews:

- m I. **Ebenezer A⁵ Sears** was born in Southeast, Putnam, New York, on 28th September 1798. He died in 1868 at the age of 69.
- m II. **Peter H Sears** was born in Southeast on 26th August 1800. He died in 1870 at the age of 69.
- f III. **Naomi Sears** was born in Southeast on 11th October 1802. She died in 1844 at the age of 41.
Naomi married **Horace Williams**. They had one son: Lewis (1833–1904).
Horace was born in 1799. He was the son of Joseph Williams Jr and Hannah Crane.
Horace reached 57 years of age and died in 1856.
- f IV. **Roxanna Sears** was born in Southeast on 1st April 1805. She died in 1875 at the age of 69.
- m V. **Lewis Sears** was born in Southeast on 29th July 1807. He died in 1877 at the age of 69.
- m VI. **Seth A Sears** was born in Southeast on 16th November 1810. He died in Norwalk, Fairfield, Connecticut, in 1880 at the age of 69.
Seth A Sears married (**unknown given name**) **Polly**. They have no known children.
(unknown given name) was born in perh, Southeast, Putnam, New York, in 1814.

Family of Seth Sears and Eunice Paddock



Here are the details about **Seth Sears Jr's** second marriage with Eunice Paddock. You can read more about Seth on page 75.

86. Seth Sears Jr married **Eunice Paddock**. They had two daughters: Susannah (1814–1830) and Ruhamah (1817–).

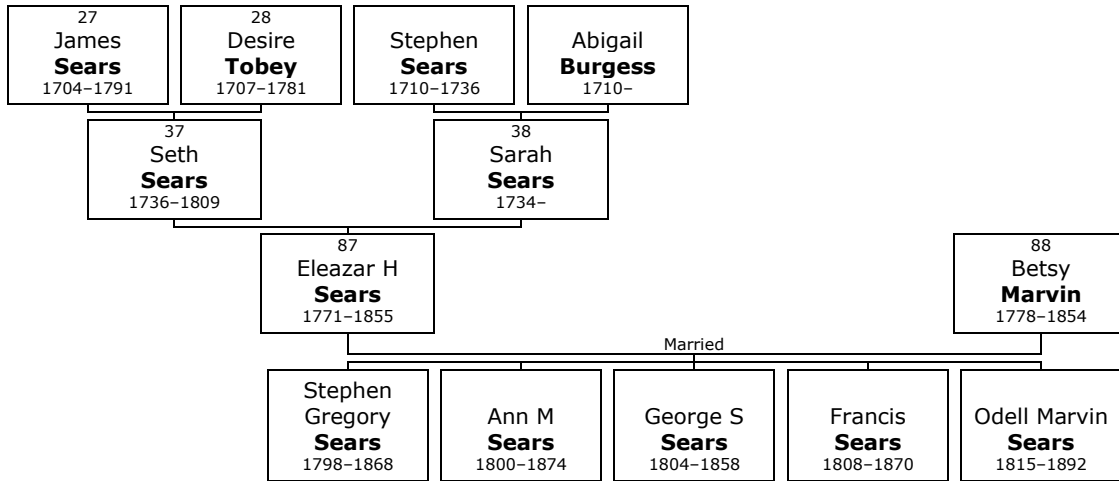
Eunice was born in perh in 1792.

!S.P. May p.274 She was a cousin of Joseph Crane Sears, through his mother; she had two daughters by her first husband, viz.: "Blind Fanny J Crosby," the hymn writer, and Mrs Morris, who was living in Bridgeport, CT, in 1885, ae. 86, to whom I am indebted for data relative to this and connected families.

Daughters of Seth Sears Jr and Eunice Paddock:

- f I. **Susannah⁵ Sears** was born in Southeast in 1814. She died in Southeast on 26th December 1830, at the age of 16. Susannah was buried in Southeast.
- f II. **Ruhamah Sears** was born in Southeast on 14th August 1817.

Family of Eleazar Sears and Betsy Marvin



87. **Eleazar H⁴ Sears** (*Seth³, James²*) was born in 1771 in Danbury or, Southeast, Putnam, New York, USA.^[147] He was the son of Seth Sears (37) and Sarah Sears (38).

Eleazar H died in De Ruyter, Madison, in 1855 at the age of 84.^[147] He was buried in De Ruyter.^[147]

!Ruth G Pickard- Served with his brother Seth as an administrator of their father's will (1809)

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!CHILDREN: William H Tuttle, NAMES AND SKETCHES OF THE PIONEER SETTLERS OF MADISON COUNTY

¹⁴⁷ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

NY; 1821-1868; Interlaken, Heart of the Lakes Publishing, 1985; p 221; CT State Library; settled in DeRuyter 1805. Sons Stephen G, George S, Francis

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4782>

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/43449649-> tombstone is spelled Eleazer

88. Eleazar H married **Betsy Marvin** in Southeast, Putnam.^[147] They had five children: Stephen (1798–1868), Ann (1800–1874), George (1804–1858), Francis (1808–1870) and Odell (1815–1892).

Betsy was born in perh, Southeast, in 1778.^[147] She reached 76 years of age and died in De Ruyter, Madison, in 1854.^[147] Betsy was buried in De Ruyter.^[147]

Children of Eleazar H Sears and Betsy Marvin:

m I. **Stephen Gregory⁵ Sears** was born in Southeast in 1798.^[147-156] He died in De Ruyter on 4th August 1868, at the age of 70.^[147, 152, 156] Stephen Gregory was buried in De Ruyter.^[147, 156]

More facts and events for Stephen Gregory Sears:

Residence: 1840	De Ruyter ^[153]
Residence: 27 th April 1844	De Ruyter ^[155]
Residence: 1850	De Ruyter ^[150]
Residence: 1855	De Ruyter ^[149]
	Relation to Head of House: Head
Residence: 1860	De Ruyter ^[151, 154]
Residence: 1865	De Ruyter ^[148]
	Relation to Head of House: Head

Stephen Gregory married **Susan Ann Mitchell**.^[148, 149] They had four children: Mary (1832–1889), Cornelia (ca.1834–), William (ca.1837–) and George (ca.1840–).

Susan Ann was born in Connecticut in 1801.^[148, 149] She reached 89 years of age and died in De Ruyter on 8th October 1890.

f II. **Ann M Sears** was born in Southeast in 1800. She died in Cazenovia, Madison, in 1874 at the age of 74.

m III. **George S Sears** was born in Southeast in 1804. He died in De Ruyter, Madison, in 1858 at the age of 54.

m IV. **Francis Sears** was born in perh, Southeast, in 1808.^[157] He died in Homer, Cortland, in 1870 at the age of 62.

¹⁴⁸ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1865 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

¹⁴⁹ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

¹⁵⁰ Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: De Ruyter, Madison, New York; Roll: M432_527; Page: 292A; Image: 44.

¹⁵¹ Ancestry.com, 1860 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1860; Census Place: De Ruyter, Madison, New York; Roll: M653_780; Page: 266; Image: 271; Family History Library Film: 803780.

¹⁵² Edmund West, comp., Family Data Collection - Individual Records (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2000), Ancestry.com, Birth year: 1798; Birth city: Southeast; Birth state: NY.

¹⁵³ Ancestry.com, 1840 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1840; Census Place: De Ruyter, Madison, New York; Roll: 295; Page: 142; Image: 291; Family History Library Film: 0017192.

¹⁵⁴ Ancestry.com, New York, Compiled Census and Census Substitutes Index, 1790-1890 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 1999), Ancestry.com.

¹⁵⁵ Ancestry.com, U.S., Appointments of U. S. Postmasters, 1832-1971 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com.

¹⁵⁶ Ancestry.com, Web: New York, Find A Grave Index, 1660-2012 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

Francis Sears married **Mary Nye**.^[157] They had five daughters: Celestia (1831–), Annie (1834–1890), Mary (1837–), Sarah (1839–) and Katherine (1843–1872).

Mary was born in De Ruyter, Madison, on Saturday, 2nd September 1809. She was the daughter of James Nye and Thankful Crocker.

Mary reached 45 years of age and died on 25th December 1854.

<http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~wingfamilyofamerica/p907.htm#i2012141>

- m V. **Odell Marvin Sears** was born in De Ruyter, Madison, on 4th April 1815.^[147, 149, 158] He died in Cortland on 7th November 1892, at the age of 77.^[147] Odell Marvin was buried in Cortland.^[147]



Odell

More facts and events for Odell Marvin Sears:

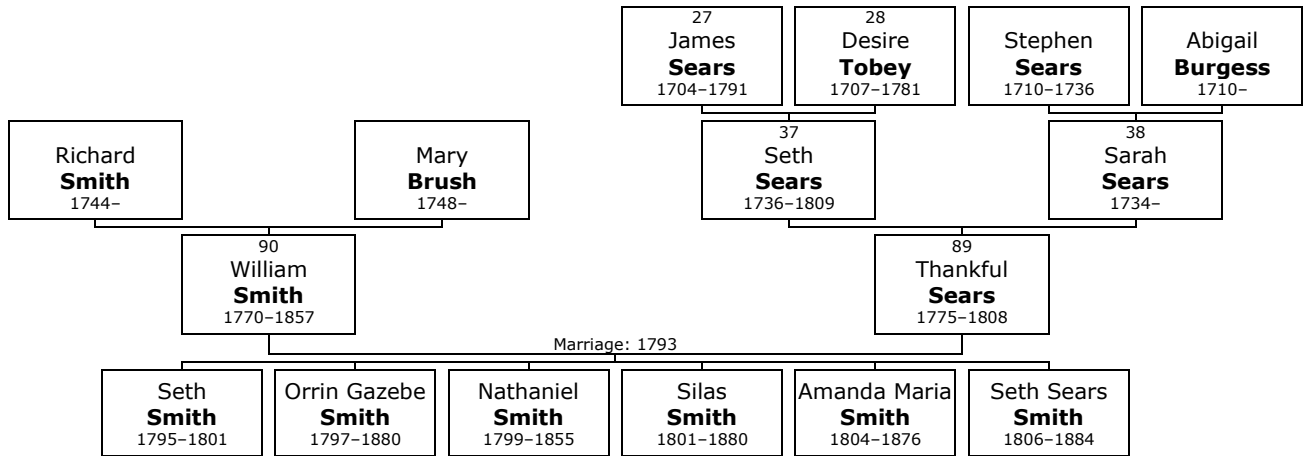
Residence: 1855 Truxton^[149]
 Relation to Head of House: Head
 Residence: 1880 Cortlandville^[158]
 Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Self

Odell Marvin Sears married **Mary Gidley** in 1846 in De Ruyter, Madison.^[147, 149, 158] They had two sons: George (1848–1907) and Frank (1860–1921).

Mary was born in Devon, England, in 1825.^[147, 149, 158] She reached 75 years of age and died on 20th June 1900.^[147]

Mary was buried in Cortland.^[147]

Family of Thankful Sears and William Smith



89. **Thankful⁴ Sears** (*Seth³, James²*) was born on Friday, 30th June 1775, in Southeast, Putnam, New York, USA. She was the daughter of Seth Sears (37) and Sarah Sears (38).

Thankful died in Litchfield, Herkimer, on 28th July 1808, at the age of 33.

!Ruth G Pickard These families (Thankful's daughter) moved to Chataqua co, NY. Norman's sister, Lucy Spencer nmarried Robert Delos Rider, son of Thankful's older sister, Naomi(Sears) Rider. Thus the first cousins Robert Rider and Amanda Smith married a brother and a sister.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4783>

¹⁵⁷ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, Volume: 19.

¹⁵⁸ Ancestry.com and The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1880 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1880; Census Place: Cortlandville, Cortland, New York; Roll: 822; Family History Film: 1254822; Page: 32C; Enumeration District: 118; Image: 0066.

90. At the age of 18, Thankful married **Rev William Smith** on Friday, 27th December 1793, in Southeast, Putnam, when he was 23 years old. They had six children: Seth (1795–1801), Orrin (1797–1880), Nathaniel (1799–1855), Silas (1801–1880), Amanda (1804–1876) and Seth (1806–1884).

William was born in West Farms, Suffolk, on Tuesday, 20th March 1770. He was the son of Richard Smith and Mary Brush.

William reached 87 years of age and died in Bedford, Coshocton, Ohio, on 29th July 1857.

!S.P. May p.175 William lived at one time at Huntington, L.I., and was a dry- goods clerk at Jamaica, and in NY City. In 1793 he rem. to Litchfield, and settled on a farm, selling out in June, 1846, and removing to Bedford, OH, with his wife and four youngest children, his sons Seth, Charles, and Richard being established on neighboring farms.

Children of Thankful Sears and William Smith:

- m I. **Seth⁵ Smith** was born in perh, Southeast, on 31st March 1795. He died on 28th October 1801, at the age of 6.
- m II. **Orrin Gazebe Smith** was born in perh on 6th May 1797. He died on 1st July 1880, at the age of 83.
Orrin Gazebe married **Mary Crawford**. They have no known children.
Mary was born in Arkwright, Chautauqua, in 1801.
- m III. **Nathaniel Smith** was born in perh on 3rd July 1799. He died on 11th June 1855, at the age of 55.
At the age of 23, Nathaniel Smith married **Polly Gordon** on Thursday, 20th February 1823, when she was 26 years old. They had two children: William (1839–) and Furilla.
Polly was born on Saturday, 7th May 1796. She reached 59 years of age and died on 11th June 1855.
!S.P. May Had 4 sons and 3 daus
- m IV. **Silas Smith** was born in perh on 14th October 1801. He died in Medina, Orleans, on 22nd March 1880, at the age of 78.
Silas Smith married **Minerva McCracken** on Friday, 15th April 1825. They had one daughter: Frances (1828–).
Minerva was born in perh, Medina, in 1804. She reached 26 years of age and died on 10th December 1830.
At the age of 29, Silas Smith married **Mary Ann Bristol** on Thursday, 15th September 1831, when she was 23 years old. They had three sons: Charles (1833–), William (1836–) and George (1844–).
Mary Ann was born in Cato, Cayuga, on Wednesday, 18th May 1808.
- f V. **Amanda Maria Smith** was born in perh on 12th January 1804.^[159, 160] She died in April 1876 at the age of 72.
At the age of 19, Amanda Maria Smith married **Norman Spencer** on Tuesday, 22nd April 1823, in Litchfield, Herkimer, when he was 22 years old.^[159, 160] They had ten children: Ery(Eri) (1823–1906), infant (1825–1825), Henry (1826–1887), Thankful (1829–), Julia (1832–), Calvin (1834–), Sarah (1837–1918), Jane (1840–), Charles (1842–1917) and James (1844–1921).
Norman was born in perh, Fowlerville, Livingston, Michigan, on Sunday, 14th September 1800.^[159] He was the son of Gideon Spencer Jr and Susan S Warner.
Norman reached 72 years of age and died in Fowlerville on 5th October 1872.

¹⁵⁹ Ancestry.com, Michigan, Death Records, 1867-1950 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2015), Ancestry.com, Michigan Department of Community Health, Division for Vital Records and Health Statistics; Lansing, Michigan. Record for Charles E Spencer. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=60872&h=3528306&indiv=try>.

¹⁶⁰ Ancestry.com, Michigan, Death Records, 1897-1920 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, The Library of Michigan; Michigan Death Records Project; Rolls: 1-302; Archive Barcode/Item Number: 30000008534053; Roll Number: 242; Certificate Number: 5. Record for Charles E Spencer. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1561&h=1780228&indiv=try>.

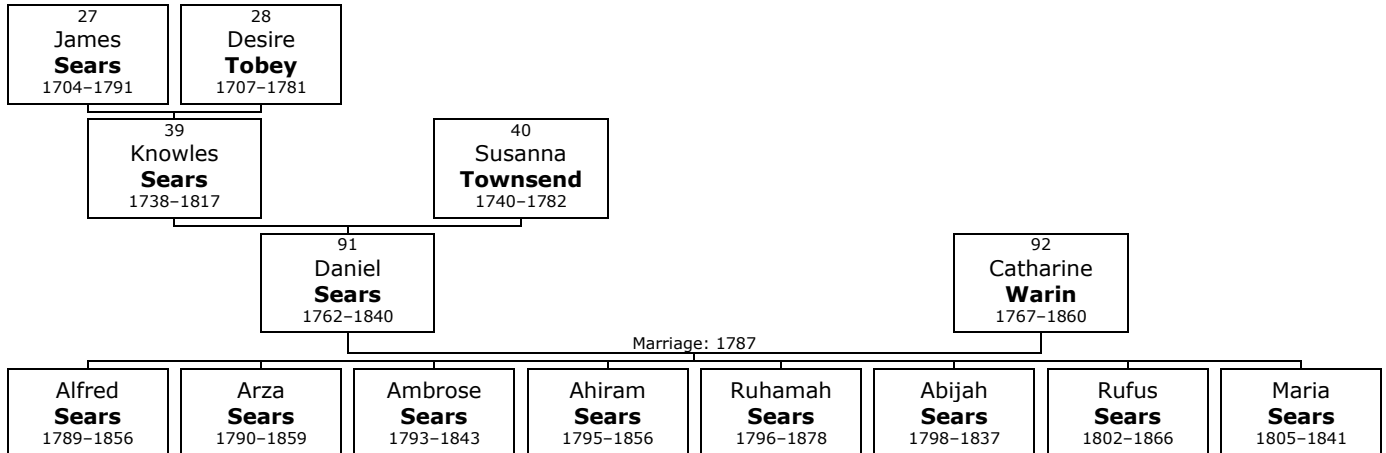
m VI. **Seth Sears Smith** was born in perh on 10th April 1806. He died on 5th July 1884, at the age of 78.

Seth Sears Smith married **Lydia Ann Morgan** in September 1826. They had four children: Amanda (1827-), Amelia (1829-), Albert (1831-) and William (1836-).

Seth Sears married **Mary Richards** on Thursday, 14th September 1848. They had two daughters: Fannie (1849-) and Addie (1852-1853).

Mary died on 6th May 1853.

Family of Daniel Sears and Catharine Warin



91. **Daniel⁴ Sears** (*Capt Knowles³, James²*) was born on Friday, 14th May 1762, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[161] He was the son of Knowles Sears (39) and Susanna Townsend (40).

Daniel died in Van Buren, Onondaga, New York, on 18th February 1840, at the age of 77.^[161] He was buried in Baldwinsville.^[161]

!S.P. May p.276 Daniel Sears removed about 1793 to Rensselaerville, NY, and in 1835 to Van Buren, where he dwelt with his son Arza until his death in 1840.

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!RESIDENCE: Index, 1790 Fed Census, Fairfield Co CT; 1790; Accelerated Indexing Systems; p 29; OKC Hist Soc; lists 1 adult male, 1 adult female, 1 male child in Ridgefieldtown, CT Birth: May 14, 1762 Ridgefield Fairfield County Connecticut, USA Death: Feb. 15, 1840

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!Find A Grave Memorial# 52150726

Family links: Parents: Knowles Sears (1738 - 1817) Susanna Townsend Sears (1739 - 1782) Spouse: Catharine Warin Sears (1767 - 1860) Children: Alfred Sears (1789 - 1856)* Arza Sears (1790 - 1859)* Ahiram Sears (1795 - 1856)* Abijah Sears (1798 - 1837)* *Calculated relationship Note: ae. 76-9-4 Burial: Sears Cemetery Baldwinsville Onondaga County New York, USA Edit Virtual Cemetery info [?] Created by: BArnold Record added: May 08, 2010

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92. At the age of 24, Daniel married **Catharine Warin** on Friday, 30th March 1787, when she was 19 years old. They had eight children: Alfred (1789-1856), Arza (1790-1859), Ambrose (1793-1843), Ahiram (1795-1856), Ruhamah (1796-1878), Abijah (1798-1837), Rufus (1802-1866) and Maria (1805-1841).

Catharine was born in perh, Rensselaerville, Albany, on Saturday, 10th October 1767. She reached 92 years of age and died on 3rd April 1860.

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¹⁶¹ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

Children of Daniel Sears and Catharine Warin:

- m I. **Alfred⁵ Sears** was born in perh on 14th January 1789. He died on 28th July 1856, at the age of 67. Alfred was buried in Myrtle Grove Cemetery, Lysander, Onondaga.
- m II. **Arza Sears** was born in Rensselaerville on 17th October 1790.^[161, 162] He died in Baldwinsville on 15th July 1859, at the age of 68.^[161] Arza was buried in Baldwinsville.^[161]



Arza

More facts and events for Arza Sears:

Residence: 1855 Van Buren^[162]

Relation to Head of House: Father

At the age of 26, Arza married **Elizabeth Betts** on Sunday, 3rd August 1817, when she was 21 years old.^[161-163] They had two sons: Rufus (1819–1876) and James (1822–1923).

Elizabeth was born in perh, Van Buren, on Friday, 12th February 1796.^[161-163]

She was the daughter of Josiah Betts and Hannah Sherman. Elizabeth reached 84 years of age and died in Van Buren, Onondaga County, on 19th December 1880.^[161] She was buried in Baldwinsville, Onondaga.^[161]

!S.P. May p.419 d. at her son James' house in Van Buren, NY

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!Find A Grave Memorial# 51997572

Birth: Feb. 12, 1797 Baldwinsville Onondaga County New York, USA Death: Dec. 19, 1880 Van Buren Onondaga County New York, USA m. Arza Sears, August 3, 1817
Family links: Parents: Josiah Betts (1768 - 1847) Hannah Sherman Betts (1772 - 1867) Spouse: Arza Sears (1790 - 1859) Children: Rufus Sears (1819 - 1876)* James Sears (1822 - 1923)* *Calculated relationship Burial: Sears Cemetery Baldwinsville Onondaga County New York, USA Created by: BArnold Record added: May 04, 2010

- m III. **Ambrose Sears** was born in perh, Rensselaerville, on 17th August 1793. He died in Ellington, Chautauqua, on 9th August 1843, at the age of 49.

Ambrose Sears married **Ruth --Sears**. They had three children: Louisa (1824–1894), Maria (1826–) and Alonzo (1827–1904).

Ruth was born in perh in 1792. She reached 84 years of age and died in Erie, Whiteside, Illinois, on 18th June 1876. Ruth was buried. Sharon Cemetery.

!Mrs Glenn Loring

- m IV. **Ahram Sears** was born in perh on 5th April 1795.^[161, 164] He died in Baldwinsville on 9th April 1856, at the age of 61.^[161] Ahiram was buried in Myrtle Grove Cemetery, Lysander.^[161]



Ahiram

More facts and events for Ahiram Sears:

Residence: 1855 Lysander^[164]

Age: 59; RelationToHead: Head

¹⁶² Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

¹⁶³ Ancestry.com and The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1880 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1880; Census Place: Van Buren, Onondaga, New York; Roll: 906; Family History Film: 1254906; Page: 352C; Enumeration District: 225.
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¹⁶⁴ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com, Record for Marcus Sears. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=7181&h=1655401430&indiv=try>.

Ahram Sears married **Ann Bell**.^[161] They had five children: Jane (1821–1848), Harry (1825–1845), Daniel (1831–1864), Marcus (1833–1859) and Adelaid (1836–1858).

Ann was born in perh, Baldwinsville, on Wednesday, 4th December 1799.^[161] She reached 53 years of age and died in Baldwinsville on 5th April 1853.^[161] Ann was buried in Lysander.^[161]

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Birth: Dec. 4, 1799 Death: Apr. 5, 1853 ae 53 yr 4 mo 1 day. Wife of Ahram Sears. Family links: Spouse: Ahram Sears (1795 - 1856) Children: Jane Ann Sears (____ - 1848)* Harry Sears (____ - 1845)* *Calculated relationship Burial: Myrtle Grove Cemetery Lysander Onondaga County New York, USA Created by: BArnold Record added: Feb 06, 2011

- f V. **Ruhamah Sears** was born in perh on 22nd December 1796.^[165, 166] She died in Candor on 4th April 1878, at the age of 81.^[165] Ruhamah was buried in Candor.^[165]

More facts and events for Ruhamah Sears:

Residence: 1865 Candor^[166]
Age: 66; RelationToHead: Wife

Ruhamah Sears married **Judge Samuel Barager**.^[165, 166] They had eight children: Mahala (1824–), Emeline (1826–), Samantha (1828–), Herbert (1830–), George (1832–), James (1836–), William (1838–) and Charles (1838–1891).

Judge Samuel was born in New York in 1794.^[165, 166] He reached 77 years of age and died in Candor on 27th April 1871.^[165] Judge Samuel was buried in Candor.^[165]

- m VI. **Abijah Sears** was born in perh on 25th November 1798. He died on 26th June 1837, at the age of 38. Abijah was buried in Sears Cemetery, Baldwinsville, Onondaga.



Abijah

- m VII. **Rufus Sears** was born in perh on 2nd September 1802. He died on 26th November 1866, at the age of 64.

Rufus Sears married **Amanda M Townsend**. They had five children: Catherine (1832–), Lewis (1834–), John (1836–), George (1840–) and Jane (1847–).

Amanda M was born in New York in 1811.

!S.P. May p.275 Sister of Benajah Townsend

- f VIII. **Maria Sears** was born in perh on 1st March 1805. She died in Le Roy, Calhoun, Michigan, on 19th October 1841, at the age of 36.

Maria Sears married **Asa West Bushnell**. They had two sons: Asa (1827–) and John (1829–).

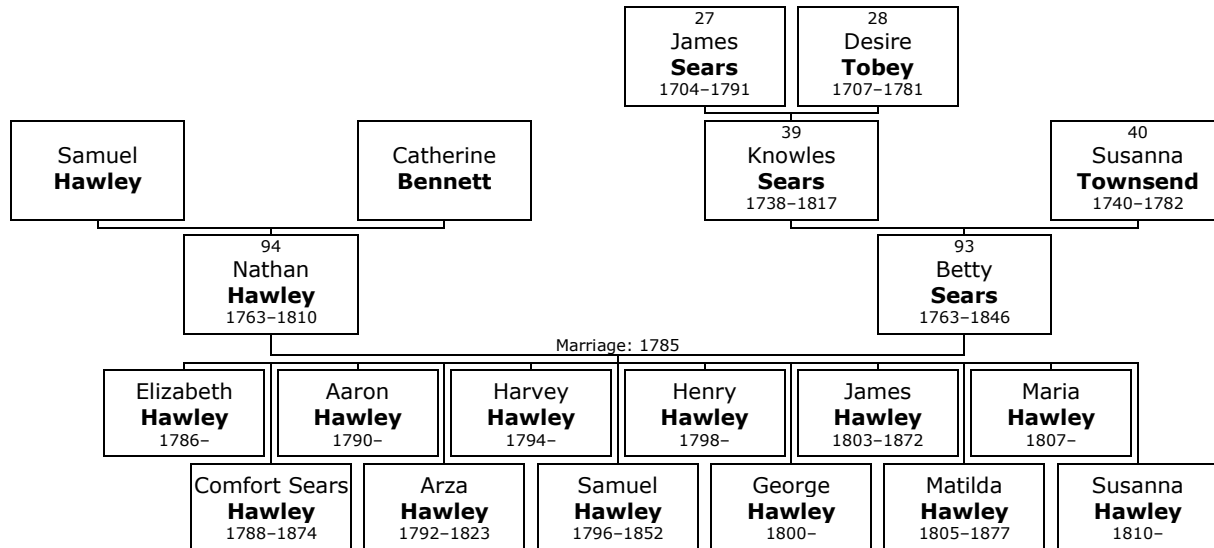
Asa West was born in perh, Le Roy, Calhoun Co., in 1801.

!S.P. May p.276 A presbyterian minister

¹⁶⁵ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com, Record for Capt Charles Fredrick Sr Barager. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=60525&h=81239694&indiv=try>.

¹⁶⁶ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1865 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com, Record for Charles F Barager. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=7218&h=1284516&indiv=try>.

Family of Betty Sears and Nathan Hawley



93. **Betty⁴ Sears** (*Capt Knowles³, James²*) was born on Monday, 31st October 1763, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[167] She was the daughter of Knowles Sears (39) and Susanna Townsend (40).

Betty died in Albany, New York, on 28th July 1846, at the age of 82.^[167]

!S.P. May p.177 Calls her Betty - She died at the house of her son Aaron. Could be a problem since Knowles has another daughter Elizabeth with Charity Haviland which dau. m. Nathaniel Brush? Suspicious that this daughter would also have the name Elizabeth and a middle name (middle names were not common until 1800)

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!Ridgefield, CT (2nd Church) Marriage Records 1769 to 1800 From Early Connecticut Marriages Prior to 1800 By Frederick W. Bailey The town of Ridgefield was incorporated October, 1709. The township was purchased of the Indians by a company of twenty-nine individuals from Norwalk and Milford, 1707-8. The First Congregational Church was organized in 1712 and is located at Ridgefield Center. The Second Congregational Church is at Ridgebury and was organized January 18, 1769. The following are the marriages from the Second Church records. Rev. Samuel Camp pastor from 1769 to 1804.

From: CBOT [SMTP:cbotsales@ottawa.cbc.ca] Sent: Monday, October 26, 1998 4:17 PM To: ray.sears@halliburton.com

!Subject: John Sears descendant Hello ray. I viewed your site by way of the Onondaga County, New York website, and appreciate the info. I also am a direct descendant of Richard Sears. My great grandfather was Jacob Sears Ladu, who's grandmother was Tamma Sears, daughter of John Sears (born 1772), son of Knowles Sears, etc. etc. I recently discovered that John Sears sister, Elizabeth Comfort Sears (Betty) was married to a Nathan Hawley and lived in Albany, New York. There was a painting made of her and her husband and eight of their children (I think they had 10 or twelve). The eighth child was in her lap. This painting is hanging in an Art Gallery in Albany, New York and was painted by a man named Wilkie. I will enjoy reading the rest of your information at your site. When was the painting of Richard supposed to have been made?

Robin Warner Saunders Ottawa, Ontario, Canada "cbotsales@ottawa.cbc.ca"

94. At the age of 21, Betty married **Nathan Hawley** on Thursday, 14th April 1785, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, when he was 21 years old. They had twelve children: Elizabeth (1786-), Comfort (1788-1874), Aaron (1790-), Arza (1792-1823), Harvey (1794-), Samuel (1796-1852), Henry (1798-), George (1800-), James (1803-1872), Matilda (1805-1877), Maria (1807-) and Susanna (1810-).

¹⁶⁷ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.
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Nathan was born in perh, Ridgefield, on Friday, 9th September 1763. He was the son of Samuel Hawley and Catherine Bennett.

Nathan reached 46 years of age and died on 27th February 1810.

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Nathan Hawley family

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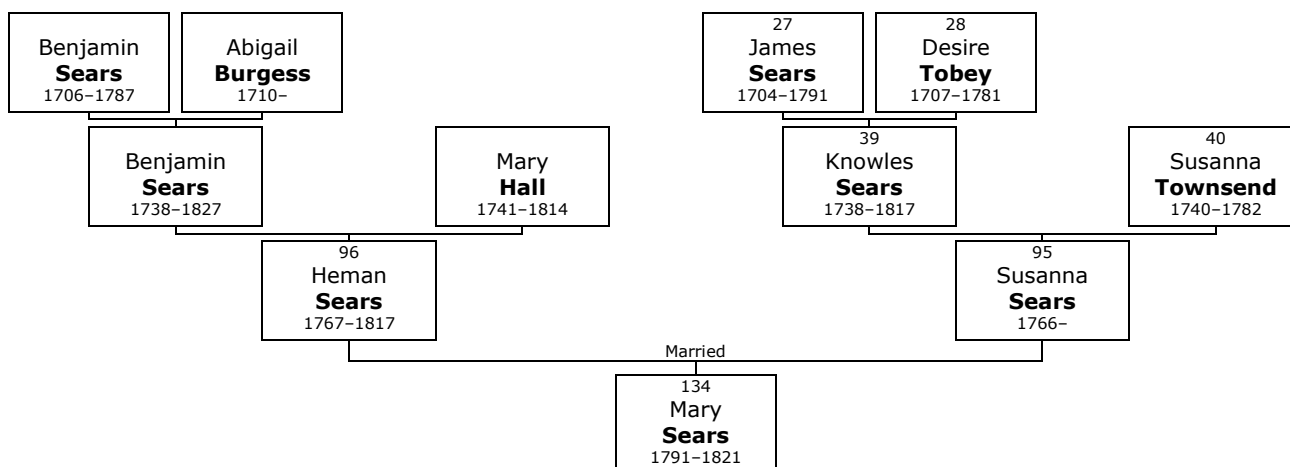
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plater1381 Identification of people in the painting: Elizabeth (Sears) Hawley holding George Hawley (born 1800) by date on Painting (1801) ~1 year old. Nathan Hawley sitting at table. Elizabeth (Sears) Grant Eldest daughter. Then Comfort, Aaron, Irza, Harvey, Samuel and Henry (by order of height). James, Matilda, Mary and Susan were not born yet.

Children of Betty Sears and Nathan Hawley:

- f I. **Elizabeth⁵ Hawley** was born in perh, Ridgefield, on 20th July 1786.
- f II. **Comfort Sears Hawley** was born in perh on 27th January 1788. She died in 1874 at the age of 85.
- m III. **Aaron Hawley** was born in perh on 25th January 1790.
- IV. **Arza Hawley** was born in perh on 14th March 1792. He or she died on 16th September 1823, at the age of 31.
- m V. **Harvey Hawley** was born in perh on 20th February 1794.
- m VI. **Samuel Hawley** was born in perh on 22nd March 1796. He died on 11th April 1852, at the age of 56.
- m VII. **Henry Hawley** was born in perh in 1798.
- m VIII. **George Hawley** was born in perh on 12th July 1800.
George married **Matilda Warner**. They had one daughter: Susan (1820-).
- m IX. **James Hawley** was born in perh on 4th June 1803. He died on 31st October 1872, at the age of 69.
- f X. **Matilda Hawley** was born in perh on 26th March 1805. She died on 2nd January 1877, at the age of 71.
- f XI. **Maria Hawley** was born in perh on 26th December 1807.
- f XII. **Susanna Hawley** was born in perh on 13th March 1810.

Family of Susanna Sears and Heman Sears



95. **Susanna⁴ Sears** (*Capt Knowles³, James²*) was born on Wednesday, 9th July 1766, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA. She was the daughter of Knowles Sears (39) and Susanna Townsend (40).

!S P May p.207 Susie Sears lived with her daughter, and removed with the family to IL, where their house was destroyed by a cyclone, and she lost her life.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4761>

96. She married **Heman Sears**. They had one daughter: Mary (1791-1821).

Heman was born in Southeast, Putnam, New York, on Wednesday, 7th January 1767. He was the son of Benjamin Sears and Mary Hall.

Heman reached 50 years of age and died on 18th August 1817. He was buried at gr-st in Milltown, Dutchess.

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Daughter of Susanna Sears and Heman Sears:

- + 134 f I. **Mary⁵ Sears** was born in Southeast, Putnam, in 1791. She died on 11th April 1821, at the age of 30.

Mary Sears

97. **Mary⁴ Sears** (*Capt Knowles³, James²*) was born on Tuesday, 7th August 1770, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA. She was the daughter of Knowles Sears (39) and Susanna Townsend (40).

Mary died on 16th December 1866, at the age of 96.

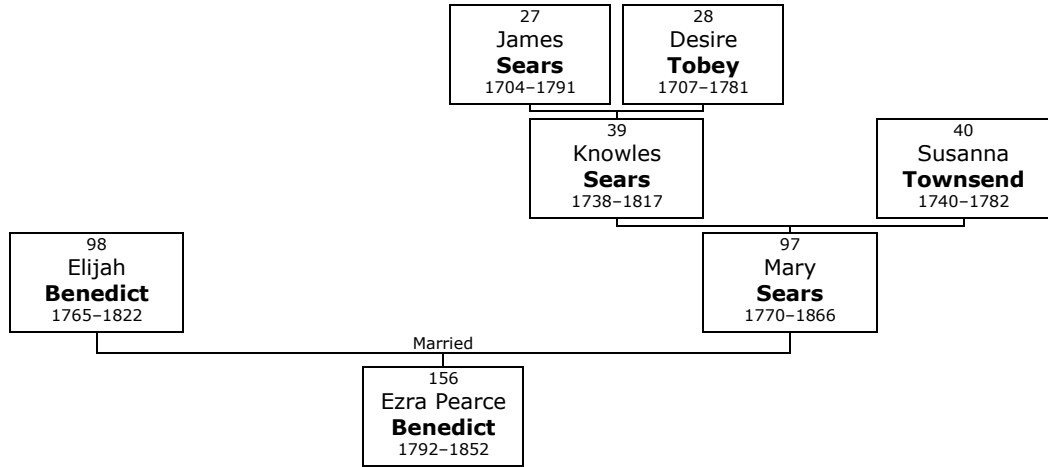
SPM gr-st They lived in the Boggs District, Danbury, CT

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Marriages with Elijah Benedict, Isaac Townsend (Page 87) and Forward Stevens (Page 88) are known.

Family of Mary Sears and Elijah Benedict



Here are the details about **Mary Sears** first marriage with Elijah Benedict. You can read more about Mary on page 86.

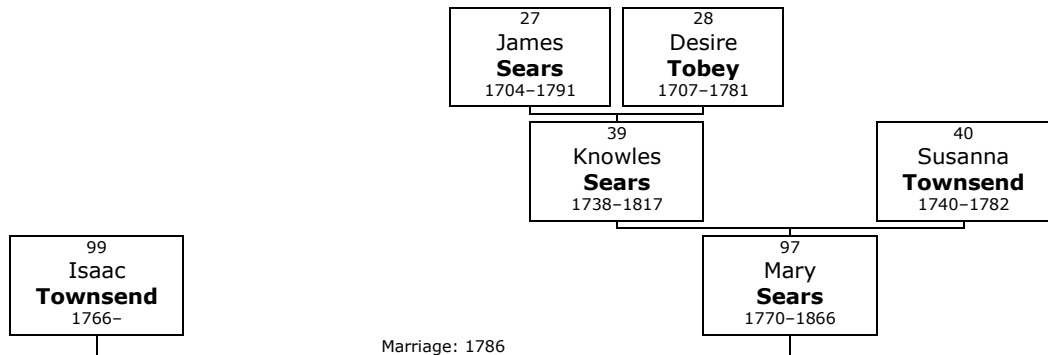
98. Mary Sears married **Elijah Benedict**. They had one son: Ezra (1792-1852).

Elijah was born on Friday, 15th November 1765. He reached 57 years of age and died on 23rd November 1822.

Son of Mary Sears and Elijah Benedict:

+ 156 m I. **Ezra Pearce⁵ Benedict** was born in Danbury on 31st August 1792. He died in Danbury on 19th January 1852, at the age of 59.

Family of Mary Sears and Isaac Townsend

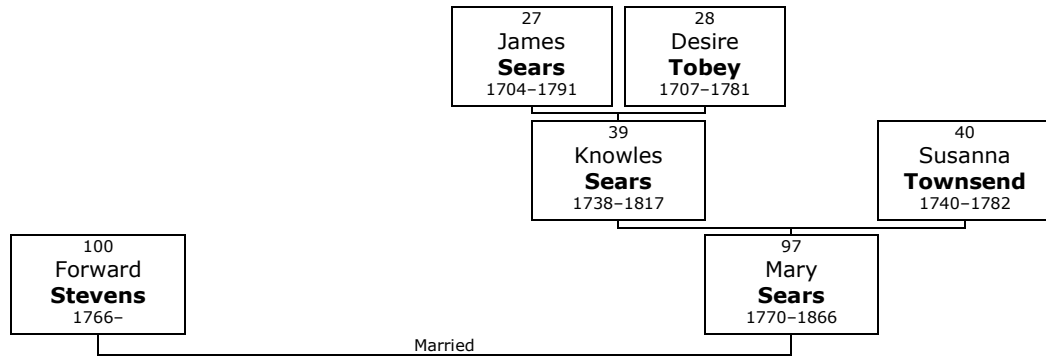


Here are the details about **Mary Sears** second marriage with Isaac Townsend. You can read more about Mary on page 86.

99. Mary Sears married **Isaac Townsend** on Thursday, 23rd November 1786, in Ridgefield. They have no known children.

Isaac was born in 1766. Fredericksburg, NY.

Family of Mary Sears and Forward Stevens



Here are the details about **Mary Sears** third marriage with Forward Stevens. You can read more about Mary on page 86.

- 100.** Mary Sears married **Forward Stevens**. They have no known children.
Forward was born in 1766.

John Sears

- 101.** **John⁴ Sears** (*Capt Knowles³, James²*) was born on Thursday, 15th October 1772, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[168] He was the son of Knowles Sears (39) and Susanna Townsend (40).
John died in Camillus, Onondaga, New York, on 1st September 1839, at the age of 66.^[168] He was buried in Baldwinsville.^[168]

!S.P. May p.277 John Sears removed to Camillus, NY, and after the death of his first wife, to Red Creek, Wolcott co., NY

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4764>

!Find A Grave Memorial# 53910989

Birth: Oct. 15, 1772 Death: Sep. 1, 1839

Family links: Parents: Knowles Sears (1738 - 1817) Susanna Townsend Sears (1739 - 1782)

Spouse: Mary Townsend Sears (1772 - 1819)* Children: Tamma Sears Lamerson (1795 - 1864)*

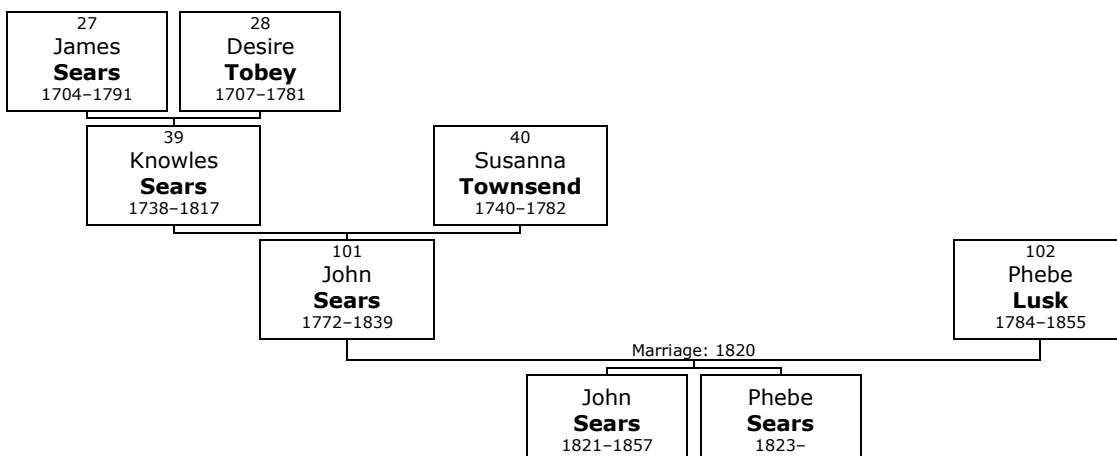
Hannah Sears Kingsley (1797 - 1898)* Knowles Sears (1800 - 1820)* Betsy Sears (1802 - 1819)*

*Calculated relationship Burial: Riverview Cemetery Baldwinsville Onondaga County New York, USA

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Marriages with Phebe Lusk and Mary Townsend (Page 89) are known.

Family of John Sears and Phebe Lusk



¹⁶⁸ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

Here are the details about **John Sears** first marriage with Phebe Lusk. You can read more about John on page 88.

- 102.** At the age of 47, John Sears married **Phebe Lusk** on Thursday, 20th April 1820, when she was 35 years old. They had two children: John (1821–1857) and Phebe (1823–).

Phebe was born in perh, Camillus, Onondaga, New York, on Friday, 27th August 1784. She reached 70 years of age and died on 28th April 1855.

Children of John Sears and Phebe Lusk:

- m I. **John⁵ Sears** was born in Camillus on 15th January 1821.^[169] He died on 29th January 1857, at the age of 36.

More facts and events for John Sears:

Residence: 1850 Wolcott^[169]

John married **Phebe Cook**.^[168, 169] They had two children: Mary (1844–1875) and Spencer (1847–<1920).

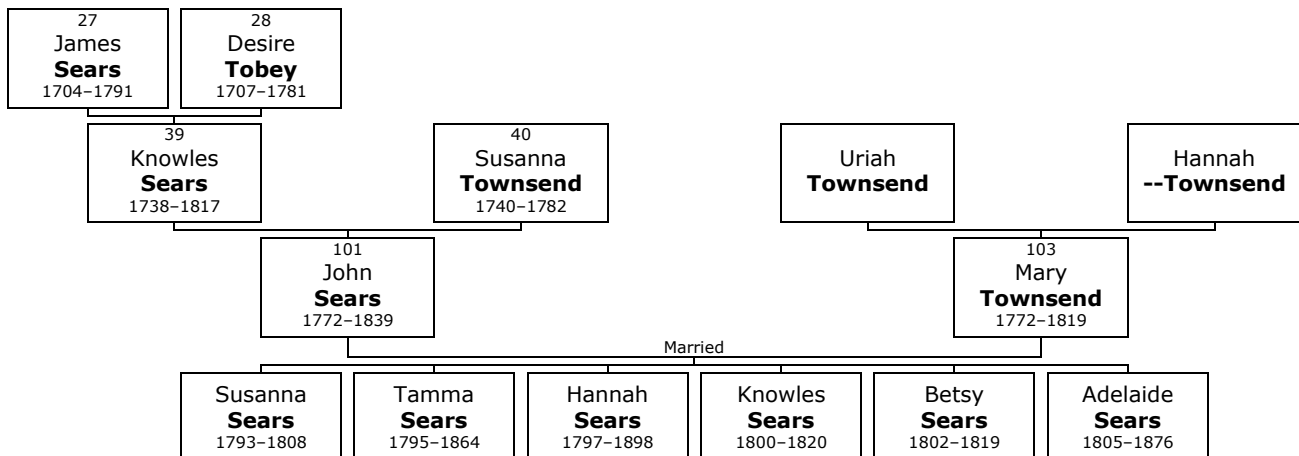
Phebe was born in perh, Red Creek, on Wednesday, 2nd June 1819.^[168, 169] She was the daughter of Henry Cook and Betsy Buell.

Phebe reached 32 years of age and died on 1st June 1852.^[168] She was buried in Warners, Onondaga County.^[168]

!S.P. May handnotes

- f II. **Phebe Sears** was born in Camillus on 12th August 1823.

Family of John Sears and Mary Townsend



Here are the details about **John Sears** second marriage with Mary Townsend. You can read more about John on page 88.

- 103.** John Sears married **Mary Townsend**. They had six children: Susanna (1793–1808), Tamma (1795–1864), Hannah (1797–1898), Knowles (1800–1820), Betsy (1802–1819) and Adelaide (1805–1876).

Mary was born in perh, Camillus, Onondaga, New York, on Saturday, 25th July 1772. She was the daughter of Uriah Townsend and Hannah --Townsend.

Mary reached 47 years of age and died on 6th August 1819.

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/114260774/person/102095132520/facts>
<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Townsend-7818>

Children of John Sears and Mary Townsend:

- f I. **Susanna⁵ Sears** was born in Camillus on 30th November 1793. She died on 22nd August 1808, at the age of 14.

¹⁶⁹ Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: Wolcott, Wayne, New York; Roll: M432_613; Page: 524B; Image: 458.

- f II. **Tamma Sears** was born in Camillus on 26th October 1795.^[170] She died on 24th September 1864, at the age of 68.^[170] Tamma was buried in Warners.^[170]
- Tamma married **John Harrison Lamerson**.^[170] They had ten children: Susan (1814–1904), Jacob (1817–1860), Betsy (1819–), Tamma (1821–), John (1823–1862), Mary (1826–), Sears (1828–1866), Matilda (1831–), George (1833–1849) and Wayne (1836–).
- John Harrison was born in Pennsylvania on Wednesday, 16th November 1785.^[170] He was the son of Jacob Lamerson.
- John Harrison reached 77 years of age and died on 24th July 1863.^[170] He was buried in Warner's Rd Cemetery, Warners, Onondaga, New York.^[170]
- f III. **Hannah Sears** was born in Camillus on 12th December 1797.^[171] She died in Van Buren on 16th March 1898, at the age of 100.



Hannah

More facts and events for Hannah Sears:

Residence: 1st June 1875 Van Buren^[171]
Relation to Head: Wife

At the age of 17, Hannah Sears married **Cyrus Hills Kingsley** on Monday, 6th November 1815, in Camillus when he was 26 years old.^[171] They had eight children: Oliver (1816–), Polly (1819–1876), Emily (1823–), Knowles (1825–1827), Edward (1828–1858), Cyrus (1830–), Ulysses (1834–1836) and Algernon (1839–).

Cyrus Hills was born in Lebanon, New London, Connecticut, on Friday, 21st August 1789.^[171] He was the son of Asahel Kingsley and Naomi Hill.

Cyrus Hills reached 89 years of age and died in Van Buren on 16th December 1878.

Obit copied from a book by Mary Blake Manning Trotter; The late Cyrus H Kingsley, of Van Buren, was a remarkable man in many respects, and was qualified by his experience and knowledge to fill almost any position in life relating to general matters. He was one of the most industrious readers of books and newspapers in our county. His intelligence was such that he could interest one for hours with his varied knowledge of men and other important matters. His knowledge extended over a period covering three quarters of a century. Of agriculture and its application, he had intimate knowledge, at least up to within ten or fifteen years of his death. Cyrus H Kingsley was born in Lebanon, Connecticut, August 31, 1789; he died December 16, 1878. He went to Kinderhook in 1811, taught school there one year, and subsequently located temporarily in Granby, Oswego county, in 1812. Not satisfied with Granby, he went to Van Buren, and located on the farm now occupied by ex-Supervisor A W Bingham. He went out as a soldier in the war of 1812. Had he lived until August 31, 1879, he would have attained the age of ninety years. He always enjoyed good health, and when young, resolute and strong, and full of hope, he purchased, in the spring of 1815, the then wilderness farm where his surviving wife now resides, and where he himself died. On the 16th of November, 1815, he married Miss Hannah Sears, with whom he lived sixty three years, and by whom he had nine children, six sons and three daughters, five of whom are now living. Two of his sons live west; Oliver in Waterloo, Indiana; Cyrus, in Hillsdale, Michigan; and Algenon on the old farm in Van Buren. His two daughters are noth residents of this county. Mrs Lewis Talmadge resides in Van Buren; Mrs Morehouse lives in Liverpool. One of the daughters who is now dead, married the Hon Charles Blake, of Ottumwa, Iowa. Cyrus H Kingsley's father was a Revolutionary soldier. Cyrus H Kingsley was a member of the Constitutional convention of 1846. He was a member of the Board of Supervisors for several years in this county. He was a man of most excellent common sense and good judgement. His views on the great questions of the day were always on the right side. He was a Democrat for many years, and he well knew the true meaning of the word Democracy,

¹⁷⁰ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com, Record for Susan Ladu. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=60525&h=16544807&indiv=try>.

¹⁷¹ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1875 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

and we believe understood it differently from many of the modern-day Democrats. For many years of the latter portion of his life, he was an ardent Republican, devoted to the success of the great Republican party in its relations appertaining to the salvation of the country, during the great struggle, and to its proud record since that memorable struggle. Mr Kingsley leaves an enviable record. His honesty was proverbial. His devotedness to sound principles was characteristic of the man. He had lived nearly a century to witness the mighty growth of this great country, now numbering forty-five millions of people. His every-day conversation with his fellow-townsmen indicated in most terse language how well he knew of the strides of science and agriculture, and a thousand and one other important things constantly looming up to make us the foremost people on the globe. It would be well for this country, were all its citizens as exemplary and intelligent as was Cyrus H Kingsley, of whom we can speak only in the kindest words for his fidelity to principle, honesty of purpose, and nobleness of heart. Birth: Aug. 31, 1789 New London County Connecticut, USA Death: Dec. 16, 1878 New York, USA Family links: Parents: Asahel Kingsley (1762 - 1849) Naomi Hill Kingsley (1764 - 1839) Spouse: Hannah Sears Kingsley (1797 - 1898)* *Calculated relationship Burial: Riverview Cemetery Baldwinsville Onondaga County New York, USA Plot: 224 RV Maintained by: Donna Davenport Netters Originally Created by: Mojo Warren Record added: Jun 13, 2010 Find A Grave Memorial# 53661859

- m IV. **Knowles Sears** was born in Camillus on 18th May 1800. He died on 18th August 1820, at the age of 20.
- f V. **Betsy Sears** was born in Camillus on 13th November 1802. She died on 7th August 1819, at the age of 16.
- f VI. **Adelaide Sears** was born in Camillus on 14th April 1805. She died on 31st August 1876, at the age of 71.

Abijah Sears

104. Abijah^f Sears (*Capt Knowles³, James²*) was born on Monday, 8th August 1774, in Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[172] He was the son of Knowles Sears (39) and Susanna Townsend (40).

His estate was probated on 25th July 1837, in Chautauqua, New York.^[172] Abijah died on 1st September 1839, at the age of 65.^[172] Hector, Seneca Lake, NY.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4655>

!S.P. May p.277 Abijah Sears removed to Eaton, Mad. co., NY, and later to the head of Seneca lake, perhaps to Hector, where he died a few years later.

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!The Town of Van Buren, p. 733 Vol I. Chapter XXXIII Ononadaga's centennial:gleanings of a century The following list of property owners on each lot in Van Buren in 1825 is worthy of preservation in this connection: Lot 27 Alvin Bostwick, John Clark, jr., John Crumb, Alpheus Earll, David How, Jonathan How, John Inglesbee, Michael Redman, Abijah Sears, Hiram Warner, Andrew Warner.

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!1800 United States Federal Census about Abijah Sears Home in 1800 (City, County, State): Rensselaerville, Albany, New York Free White Persons - Males - Under 10:2 Free White Persons - Males - 26 thru 44:1 Free White Persons - Females - 26 thru 44:1 Number of Household Members Under 16:2 Number of Household Members Over 25:2 Number of Household Members:4 I wonder about this 1840 census entry- conflict with death date

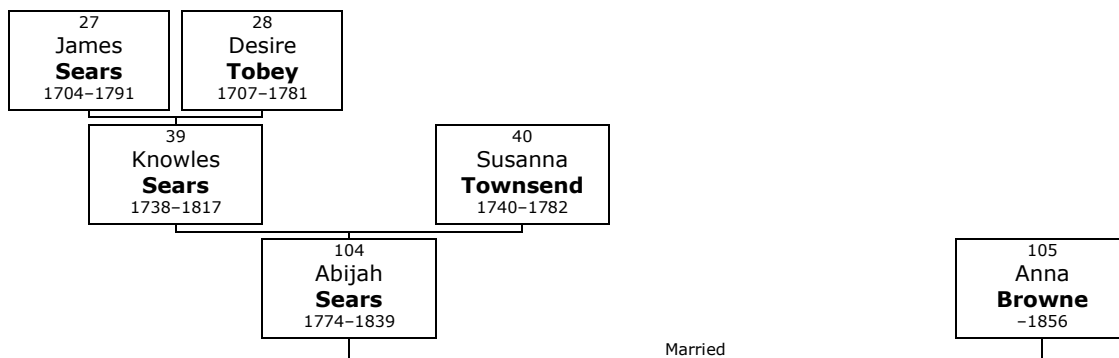
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!1840 United States Federal Census about Abijah Sears Home in 1840 (City, County, State): Danby, Tompkins, New York Free White Persons - Males - 10 thru 14:1 Free White Persons - Males - 60 thru 69:1 Free White Persons - Females - 10 thru 14:1 Free White Persons - Females - 15 thru 19:3 Persons Employed in Agriculture:1 Free White Persons - Under 20:5 Total Free White Persons:6 Total All Persons - Free White, Free Colored, Slaves:6

Marriages with Anna Browne, Catharine Boughton (Page 92) and Sally Hendricks (Page 94) are known.

¹⁷² Ancestry.com, New York, Wills and Probate Records, 1659-1999 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2015), Ancestry.com, Probate Records, 1818-1911; Author: New York. Surrogate's Court (Chautauqua County); Probate Place: Chautauqua, New York.
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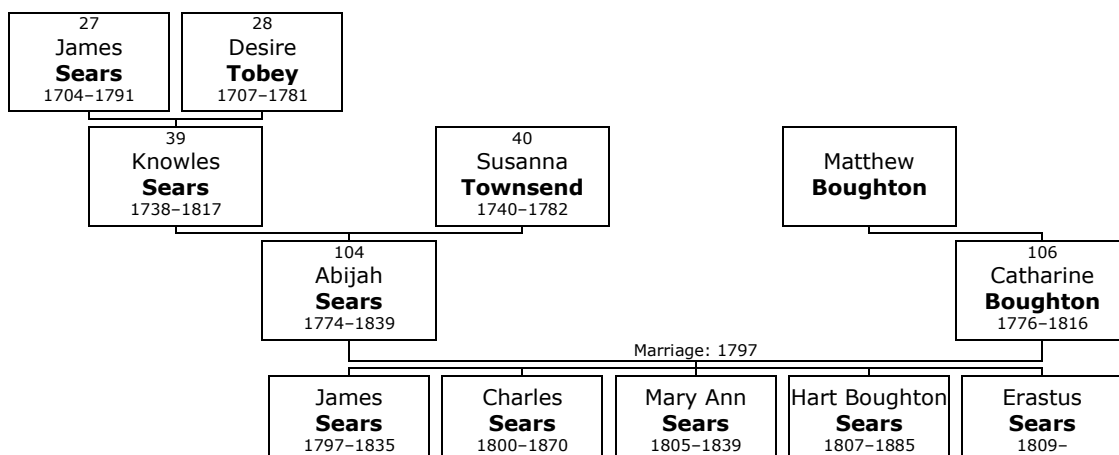
Family of Abijah Sears and Anna Browne



Here are the details about **Abijah Sears** first marriage with Anna Browne. You can read more about Abijah on page 91.

- 105.** Abijah Sears married **Anna Browne**. They have no known children.
Anna died in Newark Valley, Tioga, New York, in 1856.

Family of Abijah Sears and Catharine Boughton



Here are the details about **Abijah Sears** second marriage with Catharine Boughton. You can read more about Abijah on page 91.

- 106.** Abijah Sears married **Catharine Boughton** on Sunday, 8th January 1797, in Danbury. They had five children: James (1797-1835), Charles (1800-1870), Mary (1805-1839), Hart (1807-1885) and Erastus (1809-).

Catharine was born in perh, Danbury, in 1776. She was the daughter of Matthew Boughton.

Catharine reached 40 years of age and died in May 1816.

Children of Abijah Sears and Catharine Boughton:

- m I. **James⁵ Sears** was born in Eaton, Madison, New York, on 12th May 1797.^[173] He died in Danby on 29th June 1835, at the age of 38.

More facts and events for James Sears:

Residence: 1830 Danby^[173]

James married **Matilda Cartwright**.^[174] They had five sons: Erastus (1821-1889), David (1825-), William (1827-), John (1831-) and Egbert (1832-).

¹⁷³ Ancestry.com, 1830 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, 1830; Census Place: Danby, Tompkins, New York; Series: M19; Roll: 109; Page: 430; Family History Library Film: 0017169.

¹⁷⁴ Ancestry.com, New Jersey, Births and Christenings Index, 1660-1931 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

Matilda was born in perh, Danby, in 1801.^[174] She was the daughter of Daniel Cartwright and Elizabeth Devenport.

She was baptised in Clove Valley Dutch Reformed Church, Wantage, Sussex, New Jersey, on 23rd December 1804.^[174]

m II. **Charles Sears** was born in Eaton in 1800. He died in Allen, Hillsdale, Michigan, in 1870 at the age of 70.

Charles Sears married **Clarissa Tabor**. They had two children: Henry (1823-) and Hannah (1825-).

Clarissa was born in perh, Newark Valley, Tioga, New York, in 1801. She was the daughter of Ziba Tabor.

f III. **Mary Ann Sears** was born in Eaton on 16th April 1805. She died on 18th March 1839, at the age of 33.

At the age of 20, Mary Ann Sears married **Oliver Rewey** on Sunday, 1st January 1826, in Newark Valley, Tioga, when he was 21 years old. They had three daughters: Martha (1826-), Angeline (1829-) and Mary (1836-).

Oliver was born in Stockbridge, Berkshire, Massachusetts, on Monday, 16th July 1804. He reached 78 years of age and died on 19th January 1883.

!S.P. May p.277 A blacksmith, lived in Newark Valley.

m IV. **Hart Boughton Sears** was born in Eaton on 15th August 1807.^[175-178] He died in Newark Valley on 11th May 1885, at the age of 77.^[175] Hart Boughton was buried in Newark Valley, Tioga County.^[175]



Hart

More facts and events for Hart Boughton Sears:

Residence: 1860

Newark^[178]

Residence: 1st June 1875

Newark Valley, Tioga^[176]

Relation to Head of House: Head

Residence: 1880

Newark Valley^[177]

Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Self

Hart Boughton Sears married **Cynthia Marie Williams**.^[175-177] They had ten children: Charles (1830-1915), Albert (1832-1903), Henry (1833-1879), Martin (1836-1903), Corydon (1839-1905), Delphine (1842-1915), Mary (1843-1844), Oliver (1845->1916), Caroline (1848-1934) and Frederic (1851-1863).

Cynthia Marie was born in New York on Tuesday, 10th April 1810.^[175-177] She was the daughter of Oliver Williams and Freelove Newell.

She was christened on 1st November 1820. Cynthia Marie reached 75 years of age and died on 5th December 1885.^[175] She was buried in Newark Valley, Tioga County.^[175]

!S.P. May p.420 joined the Ch. in New. Vall., 2 Nov 1834, by letter from the Ch. in Genoa.

m V. **Erastus Sears** was born in Eaton in 1809.

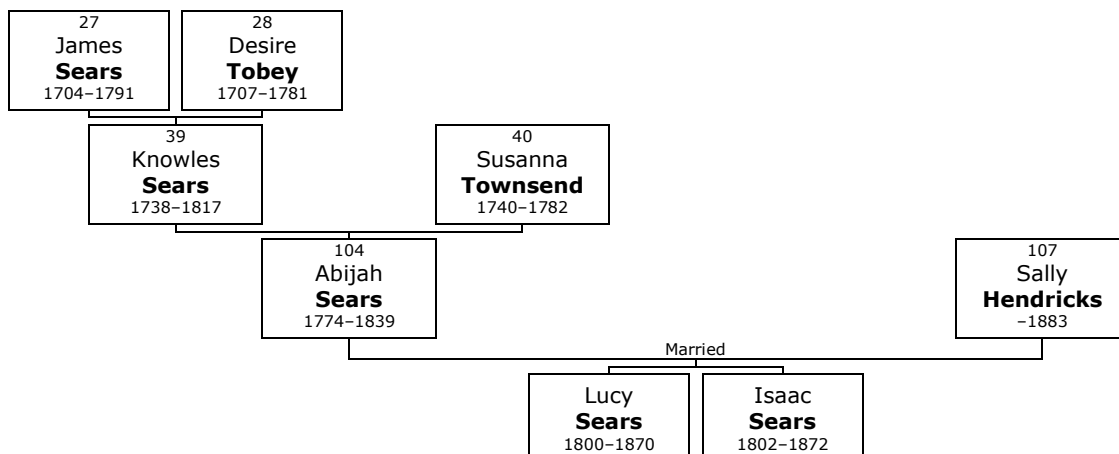
¹⁷⁵ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

¹⁷⁶ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1875 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

¹⁷⁷ Ancestry.com and The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1880 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1880; Census Place: Newark Valley, Tioga, New York; Roll: 937; Family History Film: 1254937; Page: 125B; Enumeration District: 209; Image: 0250.

¹⁷⁸ Ancestry.com, New York, Compiled Census and Census Substitutes Index, 1790-1890 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 1999), Ancestry.com.

Family of Abijah Sears and Sally Hendricks



Here are the details about **Abijah Sears** third marriage with Sally Hendricks. You can read more about Abijah on page 91.

- 107.** Abijah Sears married **Sally Hendricks**. They had two children: Lucy (1800–1870) and Isaac (1802–1872). Sally died in March 1883.

Children of Abijah Sears and Sally Hendricks:

- f I. **Lucy⁵ Sears** was born in Danby, Tompkins, New York, in 1800. She died in 1870 at the age of 70.
- m II. **Isaac Sears** was born in perh, Danby, in 1802. He died in 1872 at the age of 70.

Isaac Sears

- 108.** **Isaac⁴ Sears** (*Capt Knowles³, James²*) was born on Wednesday, 7th August 1776, in Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[179-181] He was the son of Knowles Sears (39) and Susanna Townsend (40).

Isaac died on 20th September 1848, at the age of 72. He was buried in Olcott.

!S.P. May p.278 Isaac was a farmer, and settled in Newfane, Niagra co., NY

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-3946>

Probate records-

https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/8800/005116459_00456?pid=2533950&backurl=https://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db%3D8800%26h%3D2533950%26indiv%3Dtry&treeid=&personid=&hintid=&usePUB=true&usePUBJs=true 23 Oct 1848 Heman Sears and Noah Sherwood (husband of Ruhamah but she is not mentioned in letters testamentary)

More facts and events for Isaac Sears:

Residence: 1810 Redding, Fairfield, Connecticut^[181]

Residence: 1840 Newfane, Niagara, New York^[180]

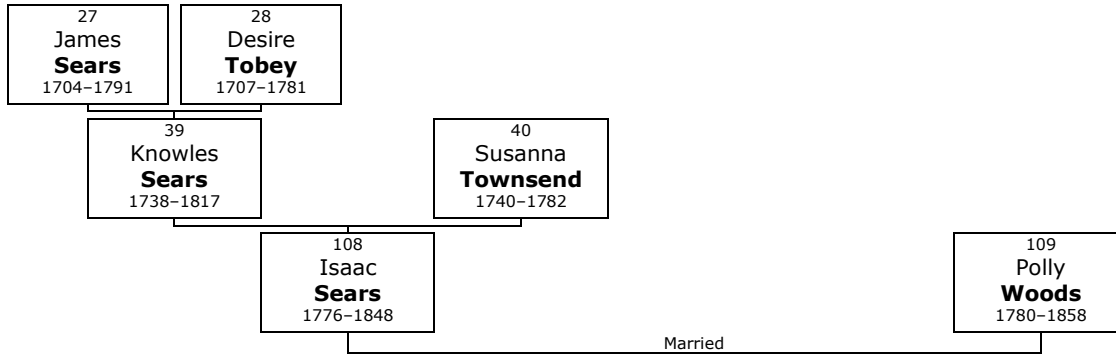
Marriages with Polly Woods and Abigail Andrews (Page 95) are known.

¹⁷⁹ Edmund West, comp., Family Data Collection - Individual Records (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2000), Ancestry.com, Birth year: 1776; Birth city: Danbury; Birth state: CT.

¹⁸⁰ Ancestry.com, 1840 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1840; Census Place: Newfane, Niagara, New York; Roll: 311; Page: 129; Family History Library Film: 0017199. [Source citation includes one media item]

¹⁸¹ Ancestry.com, 1810 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1810; Census Place: Redding, Fairfield, Connecticut; Roll: 1; Page: 291; Image: 00294; Family History Library Film: 0281229. [Source citation includes one media item]

Family of Isaac Sears and Polly Woods

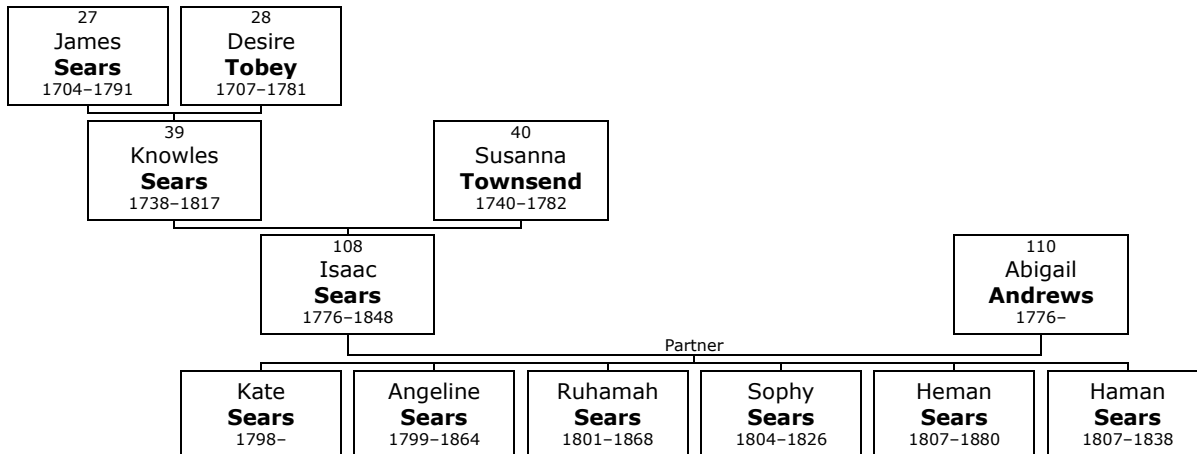


Here are the details about **Isaac Sears** first marriage with Polly Woods. You can read more about Isaac on page 94.

109. Isaac Sears married **Polly Woods**. They have no known children.

Polly was born in perh, Danbury, in 1780. She reached 78 years of age and died on 27th June 1858. D.S.P. Polly was buried in Olcott, Niagara, New York.

Isaac Sears and Abigail Andrews



Here are the details about **Isaac Sears** second relationship with Abigail Andrews. You can read more about Isaac on page 94.

110. Isaac Sears was partnered with **Abigail Andrews**. They had six children: Kate (1798-), Angeline (1799-1864), Ruhamah (1801-1868), Sophy (1804-1826), Heman (1807-1880) and Haman (1807-1838).

Abigail was born in perh, Danbury, in 1776.

Children of Isaac Sears and Abigail Andrews:

- f I. **Kate⁵ Sears** was born in perh in 1798.
- f II. **Angeline Sears** was born in perh in 1799.^[182] She died in Ballston Spa, Saratoga, New York, on 11th January 1864, at the age of 65.^[182] Angeline was buried in Ballston Spa.^[182]



Angeline

¹⁸² Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

Angeline married **Ebenezer Jones**.^[182] They had eleven children: Almira (1820–1910), Matilda (1822–1914), Rufus (1823–1874), Angeline (1827–1898), Wesley (1832–1840), Catherine (1834–1901), Emeline (1836–1839), Mary (1846–1846), Isaac, Ebenezer and Juliet.

Ebenezer was born in Dutchess in 1799.^[182] He reached 87 years of age and died in Ballston Spa, Saratoga, on 26th January 1886.^[182]

Ebenezer was buried in Ballston Spa.^[182]

- f III. **Ruhamah Sears** was born in Clarkson, Monroe, New York, on 31st May 1801.^[182] She died in Niagara on 19th June 1868, at the age of 67.^[182] Ruhamah was buried in Somerset, Niagara County.^[182]



Ruhamah

More facts and events for Ruhamah Sears:

Residence: 1850 Somerset, Niagara

Residence: 1855 Somerset

Ruhamah Sears married **Noah Schuyler Sherwood** in 1839.^[182] They had nine children: Abel (1823–1902), Hellen (ca.1827–), Elam (1827–1912), Jones (1831–1864), John (1834–1909), Myron (1836–1904), James (1838–1914), Mary (1839–1841) and Angeline (1844–1914).

Noah Schuyler was born in New Fairfield, Fairfield, Connecticut, on Thursday, 26th October 1786.^[182] He reached 86 years of age and died in Niagara on 8th October 1873.^[182] Noah Schuyler was buried in Somerset, Niagara County.^[182]

- f IV. **Sophy Sears** was born in perh, Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut, in 1804.^[183] She died in Connecticut on 17th August 1826, at the age of 22.^[183] Sophy was buried in Bogg's District, Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut.

- m V. **Heman Sears** was born in perh on 23rd May 1807.^[182, 184] He died in Newfane, Niagara, New York, on 14th January 1880, at the age of 72.^[182, 184] Heman was buried in Olcott.^[182]



Heman

Heman Sears married **Clarissa DuBois** on Thursday, 24th January 1828.^[182] They had five children: Sophia (1829–1913), Polly (1830–4713 BC), John (1834–1843), Hester (1836–1918) and Haman (1839–1879).

Clarissa was born in perh, Newfane, in 1807.^[182] She reached 66 years of age and died in Olcott, Niagara County, on 25th June 1873.^[182] Clarissa was buried in Olcott, Niagara.^[182]

- m VI. **Haman Sears** was born in Newfane, Niagara, New York, on 23rd May 1807. He died in Olcott on 21st February 1838, at the age of 30.

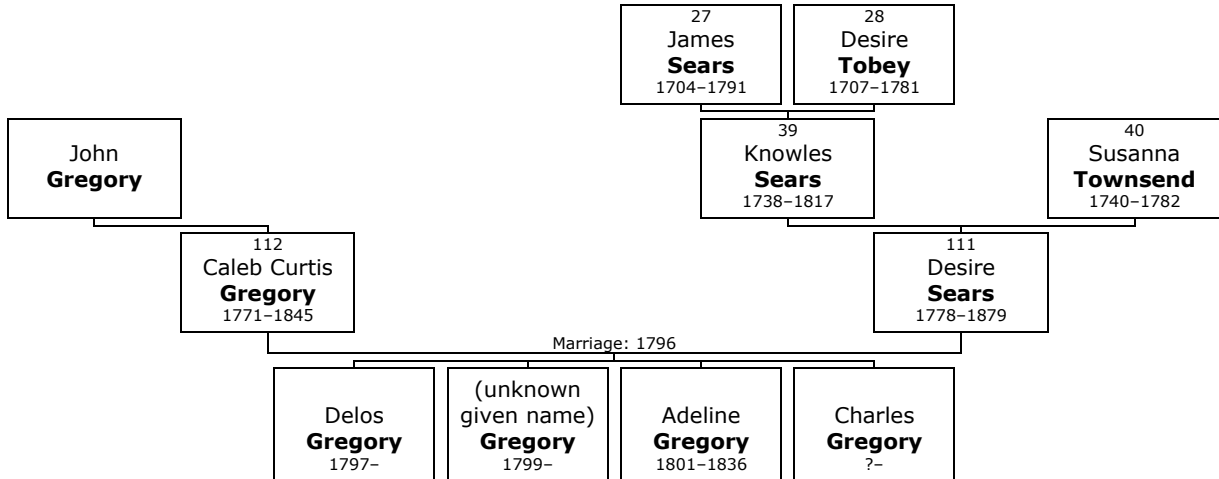
Haman Sears married **Ann Eliza Moore**. They had three children: Abigail (1829–), Isaac (1833–1914) and Mary (1835–).

Ann Eliza was born in Newfane on Saturday, 8th April 1809. She reached 82 years of age and died on 1st November 1891.

¹⁸³ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Deaths and Burials Index, 1650-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

¹⁸⁴ Ancestry.com, New York, U.S. Census Mortality Schedules, 1850-1880 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, U.S. Census Mortality Schedules, New York, 1850-1880; New York State Education Department, Office of Cultural Education; Albany, New York; Year: 1880; Roll: M13; Line Number: 5.

Family of Desire Sears and Caleb Gregory



- 111. Desire⁴ Sears** (*Capt Knowles³, James²*) was born on Monday, 25th May 1778, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA. She was the daughter of Knowles Sears (39) and Susanna Townsend (40).
 Desire died in Danbury on 17th February 1879, at the age of 100. She was buried in 2 mi NE, Danbury.
 S P May No 760 p. 177 b., m., d. at the age of 100 years 8 mos 23 days Buried in the cemetery two miles northeast of Danbury.

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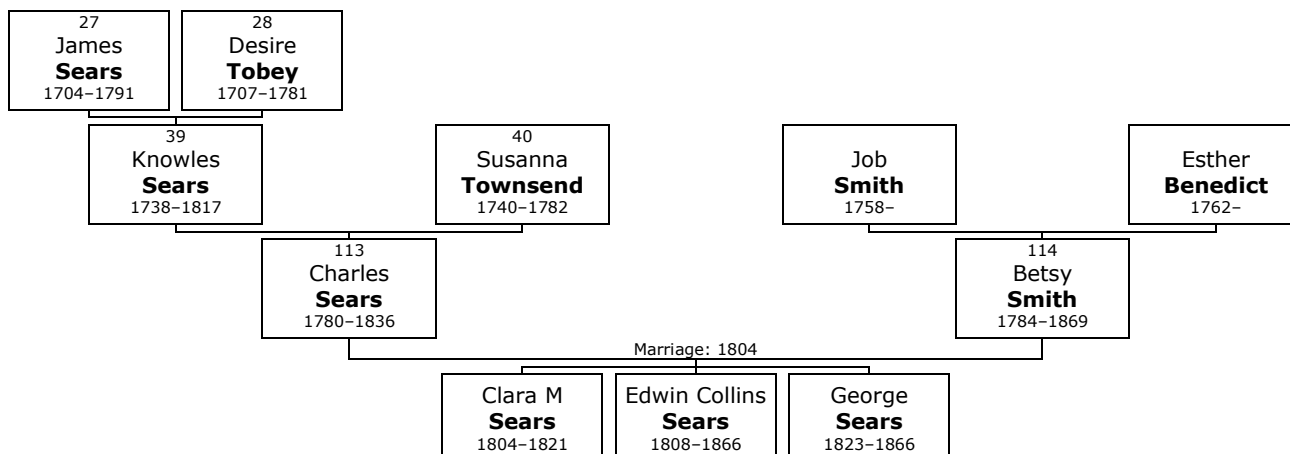
* No. 1010, pg 408 - [<https://archive.org/details/stjohngenealogyd00alex> The St. John genealogy; descendants of Matthias St. John, of Dorchester, Massachusetts, 1634, of Windsor, Connecticut, 1640, of Wethersfield, Connecticut, 1643-1645, and Norwalk, Connecticut, 1650] by Orline St. John Alexander Published 1907

- 112.** At the age of 18, Desire married **Caleb Curtis Gregory** on Sunday, 13th November 1796, in Westchester, New York, when he was 25 years old.
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 They had four children: Delos (1797-), (unknown given name) (1799-), Adeline (1801-1836) and Charles (?-).
 Caleb Curtis was born in Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut, on Thursday, 18th July 1771. He was the son of John Gregory.
 Caleb Curtis reached 74 years of age and died on 1st December 1845.

Children of Desire Sears and Caleb Curtis Gregory:

- m I. **Delos⁵ Gregory** was born in lives, Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut, in 1797.
- f II. **(unknown given name) Gregory** was born in 1799.
 (unknown given name) married **Levi Starr Benedict**.
- f III. **Adeline Gregory** was born in Danbury on 21st February 1801. She died in Jackson, Michigan, on 17th December 1836, at the age of 35.
 Adeline married **James St. John** in 1825. They had one daughter: Lucy (1826-1907).
 James was born at Ridgebury in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, on Friday, 4th April 1800. He reached 82 years of age and died on 11th September 1882.
- m IV. **Charles Gregory** was born in Ridgefield on 3rd August.

Family of Charles Sears and Betsy Smith



- 113.** **Charles⁴ Sears** (*Capt Knowles³, James²*) was born on Thursday, 3rd August 1780, in Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[185, 186] He was the son of Knowles Sears (39) and Susanna Townsend (40).

Charles died in Ridgefield on 22nd April 1836, at the age of 55.^[185, 186] He was buried in Ridgefield.^[185]

!S P May p.278 Charles removed to Camillus, Onon. co., NY but returned, and died in Ridgefield; he was a farmer, and was found dead in a field. He and his wife were buried in Titicus Cemetery, Ridgefield, Fairfield co.

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!Conn. Rolls, pp.547, 549 #924 Charles Sears, d.22.Apr.1836 ae 55. (b.Danbury, Conn., 3.Aug. 1780, son of Capt.Knowles Sears, 1738-17.June 1817 ae 79, Served in the Revolution, pp.547, 549, m.Susanna Townsend, d.24.Apr.1782 ae 43, gr.son of James Sears, 30.Mch.1704-17. Mch.1791, m.28.May 1730, Desire Tobey, 1707-28.July 1781, gr. gr.son of Silas Sears, 1661-1732, m.1692, Sarah, dau.of Rev. Thomas Crosby & Sarah, 24.Mch..667-20.Mch.1705/06, gr.gr.gr. son of Lieut.Silas Sears, d.13.Jan.1697/98, m.Anna, d.4.Jan. 1725/26, gr.gr.gr.gr.son of Richard Sares, 1590-buried 29.Mch. 1676, m.Dorothy Thacher, buried, 19.Mch.1678/79).

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1770>

- 114.** At the age of 23, Charles married **Betsy Smith** on Saturday, 17th March 1804, in Ridgefield when she was 19 years old.^[185] They had three children: Clara (1804-1821), Edwin (1808-1866) and George (1823-1866).

Betsy was born in Ridgefield on Tuesday, 26th October 1784.^[185] She was the daughter of Job Smith and Esther Benedict.

Betsy reached 84 years of age and died in Ridgefield on 15th August 1869.^[185] She was buried in Ridgefield.^[185]

Children of Charles Sears and Betsy Smith:

f I. **Clara M⁵ Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 18th November 1804. She died on 7th September 1821, at the age of 16.

m II. **Edwin Collins Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 17th January 1808.^[186, 187] He died in Danbury on 7th June 1866, at the age of 58.^[186, 187] Edwin Collins was buried. Wooster Cemetery.

Edwin Collins married **Marietta Jarvis** on Sunday, 22nd February 1835, in North Salem, Westchester, New York.^[186, 188] They had three daughters: Clara (1836-1914), Jane (1838-) and Mary (1841-1880).

¹⁸⁵ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

¹⁸⁶ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Deaths and Burials Index, 1650-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

¹⁸⁷ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Hale Cemetery Inscriptions and Newspaper Notices, 1629-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

Marietta was born in perh, North Salem, Salem, Washington, in 1814.^[188] She was the daughter of James Jarvis and Lucy Platt.

Marietta reached 91 years of age and died in Danbury in 1905.^[186]

m III. **George Sears** was born in Camillus, Onondaga, New York, on 12th March 1823.^[185, 186, 189] He was known by the title of Corp.

George died in Danbury on 8th November 1866, at the age of 43.^[185, 186] He was buried.^[185] Wooster Cemetery.



George

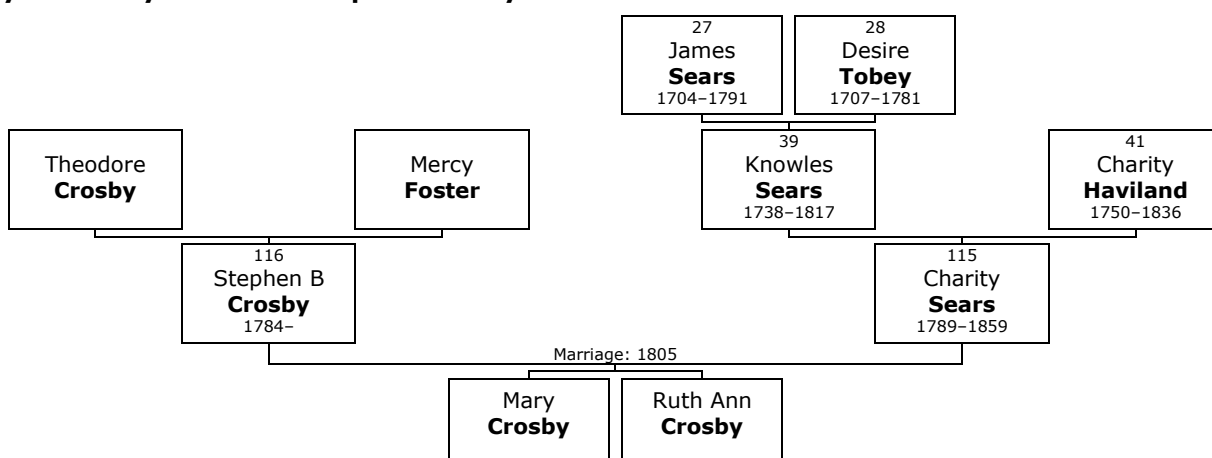
More facts and events for George Sears:

Residence: 1850 Ridgefield^[189]

Corp George Sears married **Sarah E Gregory** in 1844 in Ridgefield. They had seven children: Charles (1845–1919), Betsy (1848–1917), Emma (1850–), Samuel (1852–1875), George (1854–), Benjamin (1856–1926) and Nathan (1859–1925).

Sarah E was born in perh, Ridgefield, in 1823. She reached 70 years of age and died in 1893.

Family of Charity Sears and Stephen Crosby



115. Charity⁴ Sears (*Capt Knowles³, James²*) was born on Friday, 14th August 1789, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[190] She was the daughter of Knowles Sears (39) and Charity Haviland (41).

Charity died in Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, in 1859 at the age of 69.^[190] She was buried in Grand Rapids.^[190]

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116. At the age of 16, Charity married **Stephen B Crosby** on Sunday, 13th October 1805, when he was 21 years old. They had two daughters: Mary and Ruth.

Stephen B was born in perh, Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, on Saturday, 19th June 1784. He was the son of Theodore Crosby and Mercy Foster.

Daughters of Charity Sears and Stephen B Crosby:

f I. **Mary⁵ Crosby.**^[191]

¹⁸⁸ Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut; Roll: M432_37; Page: 177B; Image: 357. [Source citation includes one media item]

¹⁸⁹ Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut; Roll: M432_37; Page: 180B; Image: 363.

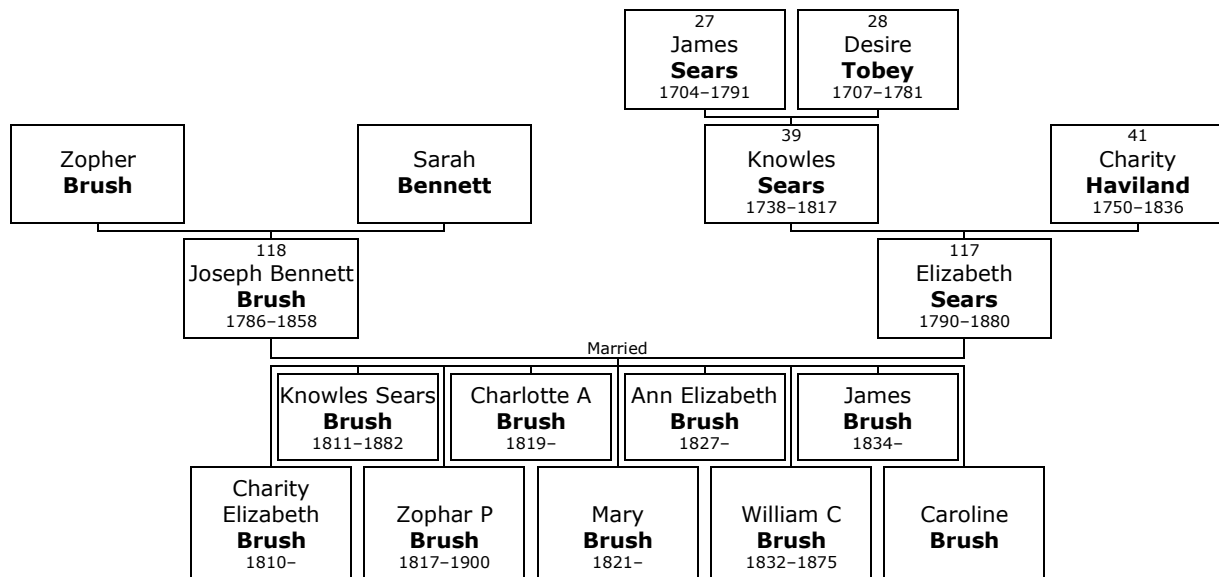
¹⁹⁰ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

Mary married **Joseph Lewis Beebe**.^[191] They had one son: Capt (1830–1905).

f II. **Ruth Ann Crosby**.

Ruth Ann married **Roderick Price**. They had one daughter: Anna.

Family of Elizabeth Sears and Joseph Brush



- 117. Elizabeth⁴ Sears** (*Capt Knowles³, James²*) was born on Friday, 26th November 1790, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[192] She was the daughter of Knowles Sears (39) and Charity Haviland (41). Elizabeth died in 1880 at the age of 89.^[192] She was buried in Huron, Wayne County, New York.^[192]

<http://chrisman.org/pedigree/out75.htm> accessed 31 Aug 2019 Nathaniel Brush Father: Philip Brush <out78.htm> Mother: Ruth Brush <out78.htm> Birth: 10 NOV 1787 Huntingdon, Long Island, New York 1 Death: 1840 New York City, New York 2 m: Elizabeth Sears <out75.htm> (-7 MAY 1815) on 3 AUG 1805 Children: Sally Platt Brush <out74.htm> (25 MAR 1810-28 NOV 1888) m. Samuel Rice <out64.htm> (9 OCT 1807-21 MAY 1891), children: 1. Caroline Rice (-AFT 1904), 2. Francis P. Rice (15 NOV 1831-13 OCT 1912), 3. Mary Amelia Rice (23 JUL 1834-9 JAN 1900), 4. James Theodore Rice (1836-1912), 5. Lewis H. Rice (28 APR 1839-3 APR 1851), 6. Sarah A. Rice (1840/1841-AFT 1904), 7. Rufus Samuel Rice <out40.htm> (31 OCT 1843-28 DEC 1904), 8. Halsey John Rice (1 MAR 1846-12 JUN 1853), 9. Fannie M. Rice (5 FEB 1848-AFT 1904), 10. Henrietta Jane Rice (30 AUG 1850-11 OCT 1852). Notes: The parentage of Nathaniel accepted here comes from the research of Richard Sweet Rice, fruits of which has been passed through his son Bill to Jo Rice to me. Records in Research & Leads are consistent with this and were obtained independently, but were insufficient to justify this conclusion. The full records backing this conclusion have yet to be verified by me. Notes: Apparently a number of authors have mistakenly equated her to the Elizabeth Sears born 26 Nov 1790, dau. of Knowles Sears. Sources: [1] @S190@

Research & Leads: * The following notes were found on a now defunct web site -- it appears that it could be referring to the same Nathaniel Brush... "May shows husband as Nathaniel Brush but Descendants of Thomas and Richard Brush of L.I. by Stuart Brush, c. 1982 says May had the wrong Elizabeth. Nathaniel's wife probably was a Sears and perhaps an Elizabeth as in 1810 Nathaniel's father, Philip, nearest neighbors in Ridgefield were Comfort Sears, Knowles Sears and Isaac Sears." * The Elizabeth Sears in question in the above quote was Elizabeth b. 26 Nov 1790, dau. of Knowles Sears (Elizabeth-Knowles-James-Silas-Silas-Richard). The belief of that author is that that Elizabeth Sears actually married Joseph Bennett Brush, b. 26 May 1786 in Huron, NY, d. 30 Apr 1858 Ridgebury, CT. * State papers of Vermont, Vol II: Vermont Charters, P.H. Gobie Press Inc., 1922

¹⁹¹ Ancestry.com, North America, Family Histories, 1500-2000 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com, Book Title: Lineage Book of the Charter Members of the DAR Vol 039. Record for Byron Crosby Beebe. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=61157&h=2101739&indiv=try>.

¹⁹² Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

(http://freepages.books.rootsweb.com/~teking/orphans/vt_grants.htm) Accessed 31 Aug 2019 , has the Charter of Fletcher Twp., which includes name Nathaniel Brush.* A Nathaniel Brush is found on the tax rolls of the town of Amenia, Dutchess Co., NY, in 1765 & 1766. He is not found there in 1757 or 1767. In 1770, Reubin, Richard and Samuel Brush are there. No Sears are found on those lists.

[http://www.ajcockrell.com/census/ameniany/Amenia_1Page30.html]* Suffolk Co., NY finds many Brushes. (<http://www.rootsweb.com/~nysuffol/>) Accessed 31 Aug 2019 Old Huntington Cemetery has several (<http://www.rootsweb.com/~nysuffol/ohcem.html>), with no obvious connection.* As per AF, a Nathaniel Brush b. 5 Jan 1746 d. bef 1794 m. 1 Jan 1775 Hannah Platt, all events in Huntington, Suffolk Co., NY. Note the surname Platt. A son, Stephen Brush, listed as b. c1776 in Huntingdon, LI, NY. This Nathaniel3-Ananias2-Samuel1. However, as a red flag for reliability, also note that AF shows him as a descendant of Stephen Hopkins of the Mayflower, but "Mayflower Families" Vol.6 doesn't even accept the first generation of that purported descent, let alone the incorrect wife of Stephen Hopkins shown there that has since been disproven. Sources: [1] @S190@ [2] @S190@

- 118.** She married **Joseph Bennett Brush**. They had nine children: Charity (1810–), Knowles (1811–1882), Zophar (1817–1900), Charlotte (1819–), Mary (1821–), Ann (1827–), William (1832–1875), James (1834–) and Caroline.

Joseph Bennett was born in Huron, Wayne, on Friday, 26th May 1786. He was the son of Zopher Brush and Sarah Bennett.

Joseph Bennett reached 71 years of age and died on 30th April 1858. Ridgebury, CT.

!May shows husband as Nathaniel Brush but Descendants of Thomas and Richard Brush of L.I. by Stuart Brush, c. 1982 says May had the wrong Elizabeth. Nathaniel's wife probably was a Sears and perhaps an Elizabeth as in 1810 Nathaniel's father, Philip, nearest neighbors in Ridgefield were Comfort Sears, Knowles Sears and Isaac Sears.

Children of Elizabeth Sears and Joseph Bennett Brush:

- f I. **Charity Elizabeth⁵ Brush** was born in 1810.
Charity Elizabeth married (**unknown given name**) **Drum**. 2d Marriage. They have no known children.
(unknown given name) was born in 1806.
- m II. **Knowles Sears Brush** was born on 11th August 1811.^[193] Ridgeberry, CT. He died on 15th March 1882, at the age of 70. Son James' Residence.
At the age of 19, Knowles Sears Brush married **Elizabeth Meeker** on Wednesday, 16th February 1831, in Phelps, Ontario, when she was 16 years old.^[193] They had seven children: Sarah (1835–), Mary (1838–), Cornelia (1843–), Caroline (1843–), Benjamin (1845–), James (1851–) and Charity (1857–).
Elizabeth was born in Phelps on Saturday, 5th March 1814. She reached 67 years of age and died on 24th August 1881.
- m III. **Zophar P Brush** was born in January 1817. He died in 1900 at the age of 83.
- f IV. **Charlotte A Brush** was born in 1819. She died in Geneva, Walworth, Wisconsin.
Charlotte A Brush married **David M Keeler Col**. They have no known children.
David M Keeler was born about 1811. He reached 38 years of age and died about 1849.
Col David Keeler did not remove to Geneva, Ill. as stated in the Sears Genealogy nor did he die there. He went to Geneva, Wisconsin where he became owner and editor of a newspaper called the "Wisconsin Standard," which lived only about six months, as Col. Keeler died aged 38 years shortly after settling there. The paper existed during a part of the year 1849, which is probably the year of the death of Col. Keeler as his widow married Myron S Barnes in 1853 and died in Galesburg, Ill in 1904.
Charlotte A married **Myron S Barnes**.
- f V. **Mary Brush** was born in 1821.
Mary married **Gordon Tracy**.
- f VI. **Ann Elizabeth Brush** was born on 20th May 1827.^[194]

¹⁹³ Ancestry.com, New York 10,000 Vital Records of Central New York, 1813-1850 (Lehi, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2018), Ancestry.com, Genealogical Publishing Co.; Baltimore, Maryland; 10,000 Vital Records of Central New York, 1813-1850. Record for Sears Brush. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=61696&h=1217&indiv=try>.

More facts and events for Ann Elizabeth Brush:

Residence: 1855 Ward 6^[194]
Relation to Head: Wife

Ann Elizabeth married **John Barnum Benedict** on Sunday, 16th February 1845.^[194] They had one son: Enomel (ca.1855-).

John Barnum was born about 1820.^[194] He was the son of John Benedict and Lucinda Barnum.

m VII. **William C Brush** was born in 1832. He died in 1875 at the age of 43.

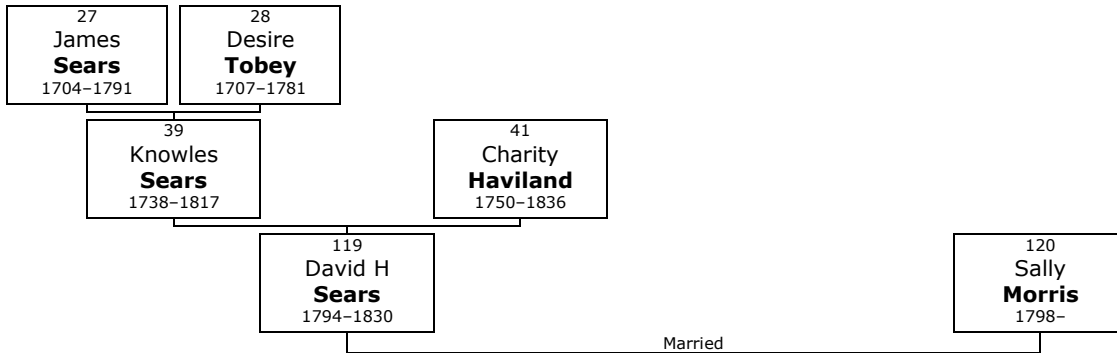
William C Brush married **Sabra Wood**. They had two daughters: Elizabeth (1858-) and Charlotte (1866-).

Sabra was born in 1830.

m VIII. **James Brush** was born in 1834.

f IX. **Caroline Brush**.

Family of David Sears and Sally Morris



119. David H⁴ Sears (*Capt Knowles³, James²*) was born in 1794 in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA. He was the son of Knowles Sears (39) and Charity Haviland (41).

David H died in Danbury on 26th September 1830, at the age of 36. He was buried in 35-11-17, Milltown Cemetery, Southeast, Putnam, New York.

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David H Sears B: 1794 in Ridgefield, CT D: 26 Sep 1830 in Danbury, CT Sally Morris B: <1798> in
Parents Knowles Sears 1738-1817 Charity Haviland 1750-1836

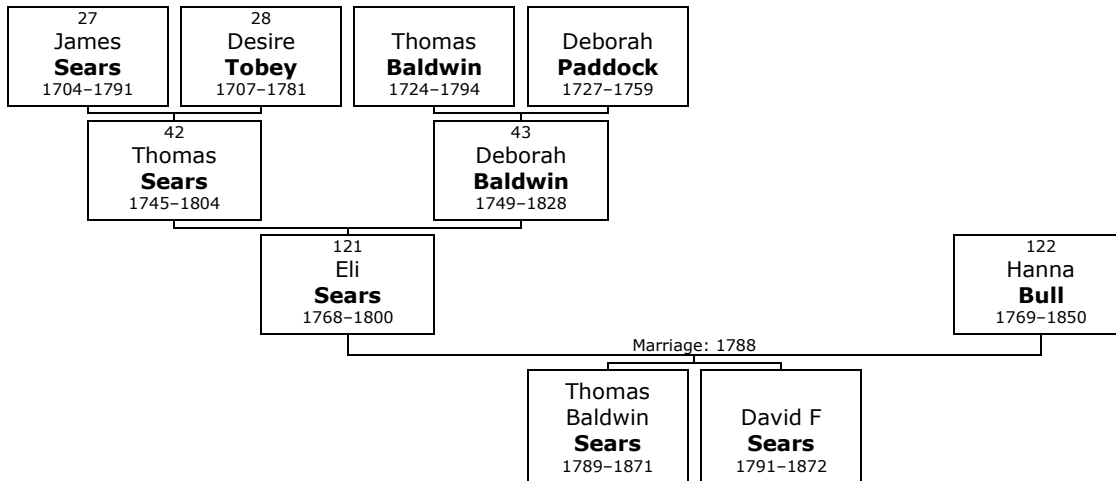
1820 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=7734>> Name: David H Sears [David M Sears] Home in 1820 (City, County, State): Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut Enumeration Date: August 7, 1820 Free White Persons - Males - 16 thru 25: 1 Free White Persons - Females - 16 thru 25: 1 Number of Persons - Engaged in Agriculture: 1 Total Free White Persons: 2 Total All Persons - White, Slaves, Colored, Other: 2

120. He married **Sally Morris**. They have no known children.

Sally was born in perh, Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, in 1798.

¹⁹⁴ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

Family of Eli Sears and Hanna Bull



121. Eli⁴ Sears (*Capt Thomas³, James²*) was born on Sunday, 16th October 1768, in Southeast, Putnam, New York, USA.^[195-197] He was the son of Thomas Sears (42) and Deborah Baldwin (43).

Eli died in Carmel on 16th March 1800, at the age of 31.^[195, 196]

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<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-2209>

122. At the age of 19, Eli married **Hanna Bull** on Sunday, 24th February 1788, in Carmel when she was 18 years old.^[195-198] They had two sons: Thomas (1789-1871) and David (1791-1872).

Hanna was born in Carmel on Friday, 17th March 1769.^[195, 196, 198] She reached 80 years of age and died in Searsburg, Schuyler, on 4th February 1850.^[195, 196, 198] Hanna was buried in Trumansburg, Tompkins County.^[198]

Dori Atlantis- 2 Feb 2019

I am descended from Sacket Sears (1827-1899)

I have a question about Eli Sears' wife- Hannah Bull 1769-1850. Do you know who her parents are? Pamela Sears Cooper FamilySearch has her parents as Crispin Bull (1741-1810) and Mary Carpenter (1740-1833)

Sons of Eli Sears and Hanna Bull:

m I. **Thomas Baldwin⁵ Sears** was born in Southeast on 2nd March 1789.^[195-203] He served in the military in New York.^[202]

Thomas Baldwin died in Searsburg, Hector, on 28th June 1871, at the age of 82.^[195, 196, 198, 201] He was buried in Trumansburg, Tompkins.^[198] His estate was probated on 23rd September 1871, in Schuyler.^[201]



Thomas

¹⁹⁵ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, Volume: 156. [Source citation includes one media item]

¹⁹⁶ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, Volume: 143. [Source citation includes one media item]

¹⁹⁷ Ancestry.com, North America, Family Histories, 1500-2000 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com, Book Title: Lineage Book of the Charter Members of the DAR Vol 017. [Source citation includes one media item]

¹⁹⁸ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

¹⁹⁹ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

²⁰⁰ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1865 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

²⁰¹ Ancestry.com, New York, Wills and Probate Records, 1659-1999 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2015), Ancestry.com, Probate Records, 1829-1917; Probate Index, 1855-1970; Author: New York. Surrogate's Court (Schuyler County); Probate Place: Schuyler, New York.

More facts and events for Thomas Baldwin Sears:

Residence: 1855 Hector, Schuyler^[199]
Relation to Head of House: Head
Residence: 1865 Hector^[200]
Relation to Head of House: Head

At the age of 26, Thomas Baldwin married **Maria Boardman** on Friday, 1st March 1816, in Covert, Seneca, when she was 16 years old.^[195-200, 204]

They had thirteen children: Eli (1816–1872), Alfred (1818–1891), Baldwin (1820–1912), Emeline (1822–1891), Edgar (1824–1887), Malana (1825–1900), Sackett (1827–1899), Hanna (1829–1906), Lorna (1831–), Truman (1833–1907), David (1836–1900), Clermont (1838–1916) and Ossain (1843–1907). Maria was born in New Hampshire on Wednesday, 15th January 1800.^[195, 196, 198-200] She was the daughter of Allyn Boardman and Phoebe Woodworth.

Maria reached 88 years of age and died in New York on 2nd October 1888.^[195, 196, 198] She was buried in Southeast, Putnam, New York.^[198]

!S.P. May p.423 now lives in Searsburg d. ae 80,1 d. 2 Oct 1858 d. 28 Jun 1871
Ancestry shows d. 1889

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Boardman-2216>

m II. **David F Sears** was born in Southeast on 17th April 1791.^[198, 205] He was known by the title of Capt.

David F died in Searsburg on 29th June 1872, at the age of 81.^[198] He was buried in Trumansburg, Tompkins County.^[198]

More facts and events for David F Sears:

Residence: 1850 Hector, Schuyler^[205]

At the age of 20, Capt David F Sears married **Sally Pine** on Wednesday, 1st April 1812, in Colchester, Delaware, when she was 19 years old.^[198] They had eleven children: Almoin (1812–1883), George (1814–1883), Hannah (1816–1816), Emeline (1817–1821), Benjamin (1819–1902), Adaline (1822–1891), Caroline (1823–1893), Franklin (1826–1890), Dewitt (1829–), Jane (1830–) and John (1832–1833).

Sally was born in perh, Colchester, on Tuesday, 25th September 1792.^[198] She reached 66 years of age and died in Searsburg, Schuyler, on 27th August 1859.^[198] Sally was buried in Trumansburg, Tompkins County.^[198]

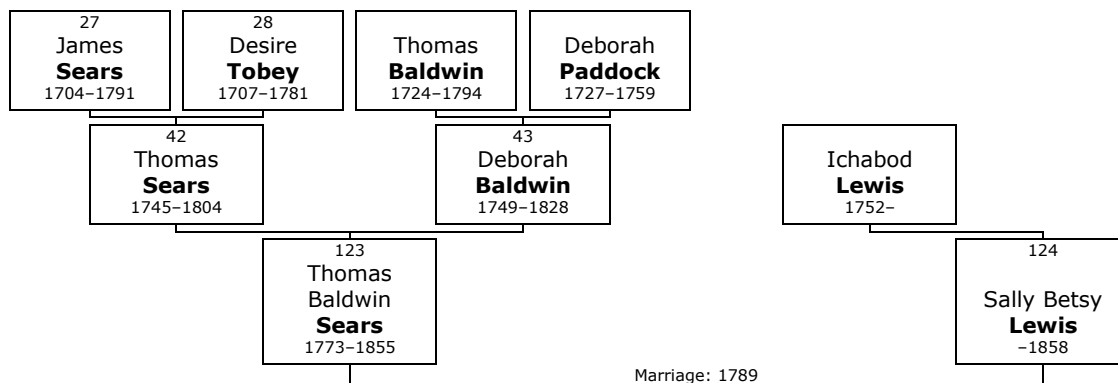
²⁰² Ancestry.com, War of 1812 Pension Application Files Index, 1812-1815 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com.

²⁰³ Native Soil, Native Soil Manuscripts Index (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 1999), Ancestry.com.

²⁰⁴ Ancestry Family Trees (Online publication - Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com. Original data: Family Tree files submitted by Ancestry members.), Ancestry.com, Database online. Record for Maria Boardman.
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=pubmembertrees&h=-1988281135&indiv=try>.

²⁰⁵ Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: Hector, Tompkins, New York; Roll: M432_606; Page: 426A; Image: 453.

Family of Thomas Sears and Sally Lewis



123. Thomas Baldwin⁴ Sears (*Capt Thomas³, James²*) was born on Sunday, 21st February 1773, in Southeast, Putnam, New York, USA. He was the son of Thomas Sears (42) and Deborah Baldwin (43).

Thomas Baldwin died in Carmel in March 1855 at the age of 82.

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<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-2207>

124. Thomas Baldwin married **Sally Betsy Lewis** on Wednesday, 2nd December 1789. They have no known children. She was the daughter of Ichabod Lewis.

Sally Betsy died on 2nd October 1858. She was buried in Sears Burying Ground, Southeast.

birth could not be Sep 1778

James Sears

125. James⁴ Sears (*Capt Thomas³, James²*) was born on Tuesday, 24th March 1778, in Southeast, Putnam, New York, USA.^[206-209] He was the son of Thomas Sears (42) and Deborah Baldwin (43).

James died in March 1857 at the age of 78.^[206-208] He was buried in Waterloo, Seneca County.^[206-209]

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1245>

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HLS notes James Sears, with his wife, Mehitabel Sherwood, and his family left Putnam county, NY. Their dismissal from the church was noted in 1814. They moved to Wayne co, NY where he bought a farm, known as Horace Hallet's. Later he sold that and settled on the "Stringer" land in the woods. James lived in Galen and Savannah Townships. Mr Sears' first wife died in 1824. In March 1829 he married Lucretia Munsell. According to a document from her daughter, they lived together for only about three months. No divorce record can be found. James then appeared to move westerly into Carroll, Chautauqua co, NY, near his son Eli. Here he bought and sold several pieces of land and also lived for a time in Warren co, PA. During this time a son, James, was born to Mr Sears and his third wife, Phebe. About 1840 he appears to have moved back easterly, settling in Tyre twp, Seneca co, NY.

-----Original Message----- From: ASears720@aol.com [mailto:ASears720@aol.com] Sent: Tuesday, June 11, 2002 10:52 AM To: SEARS-L@rootsweb.com Subject: [[SEARS-L]] Re: [[SEARS-L]] Lucinda SEARS Dear Gilbert, My g-g-g grandfather, James Sears, lived for a time in Wayne Co, NY, from about 1820 to 1850. After his first wife, Mehitabel Sherwood, died in 1824, in Wayne Co, we sort of lost track of him. He seems to have married a Lucretia Munsell in 1829 - don't have any children listed for them. And later

²⁰⁶ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Deborah Sears.
<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/58968303/person/36462791358>.

²⁰⁷ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Caroline Sears.
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1030&h=38348198464&indiv=try>.

²⁰⁸ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for James Sears.
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1030&h=38348198464&indiv=try>.

²⁰⁹ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

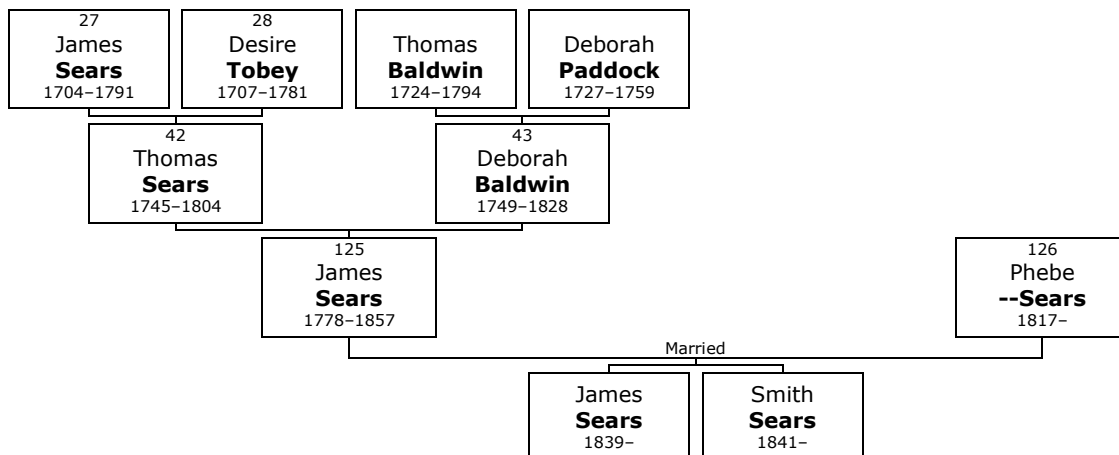
he married a Phebe ? and had two children, James, b. 1839, and Smith, b. 1841. No further information on either wife or the children. James is mentioned in Roe's Neighborhood Sketches (I believe, or perhaps some other local history source from Wayne Co.) as "owning the Stringer property". Does any of this sound familiar? Anne Sears

More facts and events for James Sears:

Residence: 1810 Southeast, Putnam^[207]
 Residence: 1810 Southeast^[208]
 Residence: 1820 Galen, Wayne^[206]
 Residence: 1820 Galen^[207]
 Residence: 1820 Galen^[208]
 Residence: 1850 Tyre, Seneca^[207]
 Residence: 1850 Tyre^[208]

Marriages with Phebe --Sears, Mehitabel S Sherwood (Page 107) and Lucretia Munsell (Page 109) are known.

Family of James Sears and Phebe --Sears



Here are the details about **James Sears** first marriage with Phebe --Sears. You can read more about James on page 105.

- 126.** James Sears married **Phebe --Sears**.^[208] They had two sons: James (1839-) and Smith (1841-).
 Phebe was born in New York in 1817.^[208]

More facts and events for Phebe --Sears:

Residence: 1850 Tyre^[208]

Sons of James Sears and Phebe --Sears:

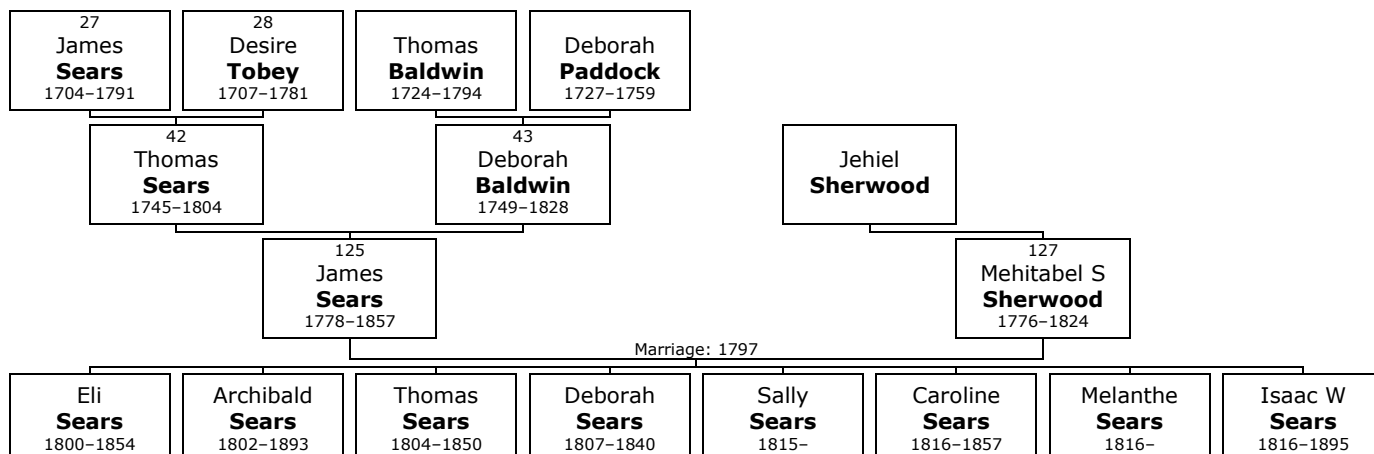
- m I. **James⁵ Sears** was born in perh in 1839.^[208]
- m II. **Smith Sears** was born in New York in 1841.^[210]

More facts and events for Smith Sears:

Residence: 1850 Tyre^[210]
 Age: 9; AttendedSchool: Y

²¹⁰ Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: Tyre, Seneca, New York; Roll: 597; Page: 243B. Record for Smith Sears. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1030&h=38348198464&indiv=try>.

Family of James Sears and Mehitabel Sherwood



Here are the details about **James Sears** second marriage with Mehitabel S Sherwood. You can read more about James on page 105.

127. James Sears married **Mehitabel S Sherwood** on Sunday, 19th November 1797.^[206, 207, 209] They had eight children: Eli (1800–1854), Archibald (1802–1893), Thomas (1804–1850), Deborah (1807–1840), Sally (1815–), Caroline (1816–1857), Melanthe (1816–) and Isaac (1816–1895).

Mehitabel S was born in perh, Southeast, in 1776.^[206, 207, 209] She was the daughter of Jehiel Sherwood.

Mehitabel S reached 48 years of age and died in Wayne in 1824.^[206, 207, 209] She was buried in Wayne.^[206, 207, 209]

Children of James Sears and Mehitabel S Sherwood:

- m I. **Eli^f Sears** was born in Southeast, Putnam, in 1800. He died in Carroll, Chautauqua, on 12th June 1854, at the age of 54.
 Eli married **Roxanna Bivens**. They had three daughters: Adaline (1825–), Mary (1829–1893) and Roxanna (1831–1832).
 Roxanna was born in perh, Southeast, Putnam, in 1803. She reached 28 years of age and died on 1st November 1831.
 Eli Sears married **Harriet Powers** on Saturday, 3rd February 1821. They have no known children.
 Harriet died on 3rd April 1822.
 Eli married **Minerva Gardner** in 1833. They had six children: Lansing (1833–1900), Lewis (1835–1916), George (1838–1841), Lawson (1840–1841), William (1843–1928) and Emily (1847–1863).
 Minerva was born in perh, Wayne, in 1812.

- m II. **Archibald Sears** was born in Southeast on 23rd February 1802.^[209, 211] He died in Plano, Kendall, Illinois, on 28th October 1893, at the age of 91.^[209, 211] Archibald was buried in Plano, Kendall County.^[209]



Archibald

Archibald Sears married **Susan Hadden** in 1831. They had seven children: Sarah (1831–1892), Caroline (1836–1843), James (1838–1922), Adaline (1840–1851), Cordelia (1841–1842), Julia (1843–1847) and Susan (1845–1845).

Susan was born in Manhattan, New York, New York, on Monday, 25th December 1815.

She was the daughter of Morris Hadden and Sarah Sally Nelson. Susan reached 29 years of age and died in Plano, Kendall, Illinois, on 10th June 1845.

<http://trees.ancestry.com/owt/person.aspx?pid=35471579>

²¹¹ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

At the age of 48, Archibald Sears married **Rachel Maria Carver** on Friday, 23rd August 1850, in Kendall when she was 31 years old.^[209, 211] They had six children: Charles (1851–1944), Mary (1853–1941), Albert (1856–1917), Alice (1856–1938), Sherman (1859–1949) and Adah (1861–1924).

Rachel Maria was born in Hebron, Tolland, Connecticut, on Monday, 26th October 1818.^[209, 211]

She was the daughter of David Taylor Carver and Shirley Tarbox. Rachel Maria reached 86 years of age and died in Aurora, Hamilton, Nebraska, on 10th March 1905.^[209, 211] She was buried in Plano, Kendall, Illinois.^[209]

<http://trees.ancestry.com/owt/person.aspx?pid=2218054>

m III. **Thomas Sears** was born in perh, Southeast, in 1804. He died in Grafton, Lorain, Ohio, in 1850 at the age of 46.

Thomas Sears married **Hannah Betsy Sheldon**. They had two sons: Orson (1828–ca.1900) and Thomas (1835–1905).

Betsy was born in New York on Thursday, 27th August 1807.

f IV. **Deborah Sears** was born in perh in 1807.^[206] She died in Savannah, Wayne, on 6th October 1840, at the age of 33.^[206] Deborah was buried in North Rose.^[206]

At the age of 20, Deborah Sears married **Rial Betts** on Wednesday, 31st October 1827, when he was 23 years old.^[206] They had four children: Leander (1831–1909), Nathaniel (1833–), Matilda (1835–1851) and Delos (1837–1919).

Rial was born in Washington on Thursday, 15th March 1804.^[206] He reached 82 years of age and died in Savannah on 4th March 1887.^[206] Rial was buried in Savannah.^[206]

f V. **Sally Sears** was born in perh in 1815.

Sally Sears married **Robert Bennett**. They had one daughter: Henrietta (1840–).

f VI. **Caroline Sears** was born in perh in 1816.^[207, 212] She died in Tyre, Seneca, on 22nd February 1857, at the age of 41.^[207, 212] is it supposed to be Tyre, NY? Her estate was probated on 2nd November 1857, in Seneca.^[212]

f VII. **Melanthe Sears** was born in perh in 1816.^[213]

More facts and events for Melanthe Sears:

Residence: 1870 South Butler^[213]
Age: 54; RealEstateValue: 300; Occupation: Keeping House

Melanthe married (**unknown given name**) **Overacre** in South Butler. They had one son: George (1848–).

(unknown given name) was born in perh., South Butler, Butler, in 1812.

m VIII. **Isaac W Sears** was born in Connecticut on 14th October 1816.^[214] He died in Chatham on 20th March 1895, at the age of 78.

More facts and events for Isaac W Sears:

Residence: 1860 Chatham, Chatham Center^[214]
Age: 44; Occupation: Farmer; PersonalEstateValue: 638;
RealEstateValue: 2660

Residence: 1870 Ohio

²¹² Ancestry.com, New York, Wills and Probate Records, 1659-1999 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2015), Ancestry.com, Probate Records; Author: New York. Surrogate's Court (Seneca County); Probate Place: Seneca, New York. Record for Caroline Sears. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1030&h=38348198464&indiv=try>.

²¹³ Ancestry.com, 1870 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1870; Census Place: Butler, Wayne, New York; Roll: M593_1112; Page: 93A; Family History Library Film: 552611. Record for Malintha Overacker. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1030&h=38348198464&indiv=try>.

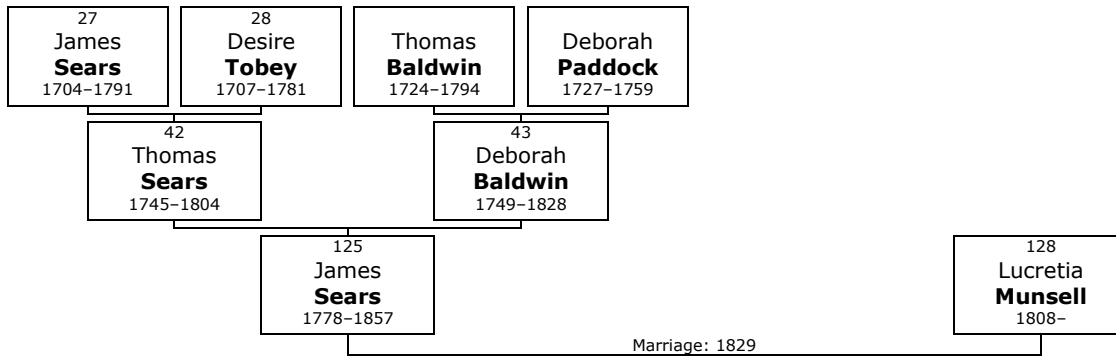
²¹⁴ Ancestry.com, 1860 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1860; Census Place: Chatham, Medina, Ohio; Page: 82; Family History Library Film: 805007. Record for Isaac Sears. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1030&h=38348198464&indiv=try>.

Residence: 1880 Chatham, Medina, Ohio

At the age of 25, Isaac W Sears married **Martha A. Robinson** on Monday, 3rd January 1842, when she was 18 years old. They had three children: Christiane (1842-), Helen (1852-1872) and James (1855-1922).

Martha A. was born in Massachusetts on Friday, 28th March 1823. She reached 78 years of age and died on 4th April 1901.

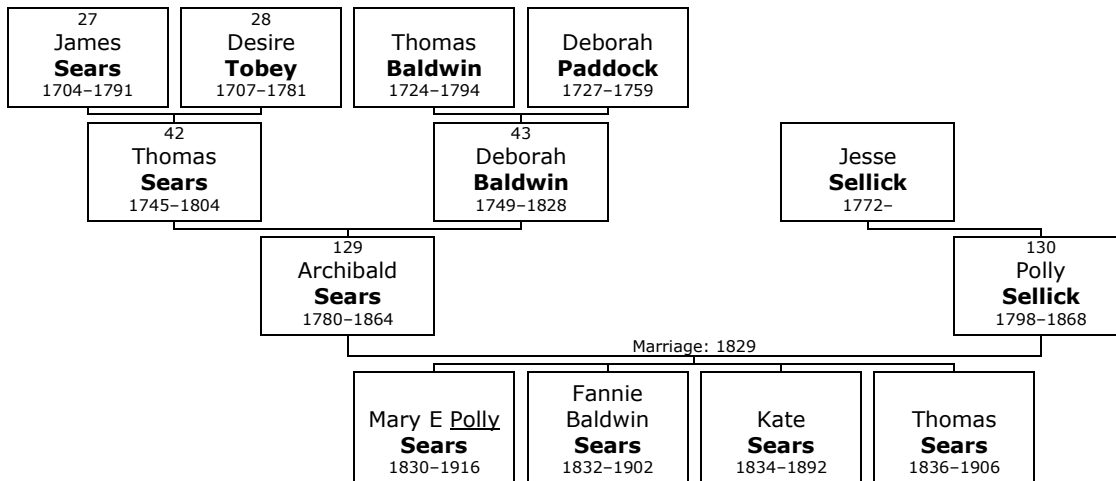
Family of James Sears and Lucretia Munsell



Here are the details about **James Sears** third marriage with Lucretia Munsell. You can read more about James on page 105.

- 128.** James Sears married **Lucretia Munsell** in March 1829. They have no known children. Lucretia was born in perh, Southeast, in 1808.

Family of Archibald Sears and Polly Sellick



- 129.** **Archibald⁴ Sears** (*Capt Thomas³, James²*) was born on Tuesday, 8th August 1780, in Carmel, Putnam, New York, USA.^[215] He was the son of Thomas Sears (42) and Deborah Baldwin (43).

Archibald died in Southeast on 27th October 1864, at the age of 84.^[215] He was buried in Sears Burying Ground, Southeast.^[215]

84-2-19, Sears Burying Gd, South East, NY

!S P May p.279 Archibald Sears lived on part of the old homestead in Southeast Putnam co., NY and joined the church there at the age of 80.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-2206>

²¹⁵ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

NYGenWeb Putnam County, New York History of Putnam County NYGenWeb Chapter XXII Town of Southeast The cemetery at Doansburg is generally known as the "Sears Burying Ground," from its being near the farm and homestead of Archibald Sears, who was during a long life a well known citizen of the town. The ground was a part of the estate of Frederick Philipse, and was given by him for burial purposes. In the field book of survey of Lot 8, of Philipse Patent, it is described: "Begins at the middle of the road leading from Archibald Sears to Lyman Sherwoods, and the N. E. corner of Robert Penney, thence N. 50 W. 7 chains 60 links along the middle of the road; thence S. 32-3/4 W. S. 74 along another road and turnpike leading to Sing Sing; thence S. 87o E. 5.60 along said Sears and Penney to the beginning, containing 2 acres 8 rods; deed of gift."

Within this enclosure rest the early settlers of the neighborhood, and six minister of the parish have found here their last home. Many of the inscriptions are growing illegible, and to preserve them seems a duty not to be neglected. The oldest tombstone is erected to the memory of the wife of Rev. Elisha Kent, and a copy is given in the sketch of the church history: Thomas Paddock, died June 11th, 1799, age, 77; Mary, wife, July 8th, 1778, 55; Peter Paddock, April 10th, 1760, 63; Sarah wife, Oct. 22d, 1776, 80; Peter Chapman, Oct. 8th, 176, 33; David Crosby, Nov. 16th, 1816, 79; Bethia, wife, July 2d, 1776, 41; Thomas Chapman, June 6th, 1827, 68; Samuel Lawrence, Nov. 10th, 1831, 84; Thankful, wife, Aug. 30th, 1811, 52; James Paddock, Aug. 9th, 1761, 67; Dr. Stephen C. Barnum, Aug. 11th, 1849, 60; Clarrissa, wife, May 14th, 1834, 40; Hannah, wife, April 14th, 1861, 66; Peter Crosby, Nov. 9th, 1831, 68; Ruth, wife, July 31st, 1830, 67; Zebulon Crane, Aug. 17th, 1848, 60; Weltha, wife, Sept. 6th, 1860, 71; Zebulon Crane, Dec. 31st, 1814, 68; Hannah, wife of Nathan Gray, 1789, 78; Charles C. Crosby, Nov. 1848, 51; Jane, wife, Dec. 9th, 1857, 64; Nehemiah Jones, Dec. 18th, 1805, 71; Peter Hall, July 2d, 1795, 75; Abigail Hall, 86; Thomas Sears, April 26th, 1804, 59; Deborah, wife, Sept. 13th, 1828, 79; James Foster, Aug. 18th, 1814, 81; Bathsheba, wife, Sept. 12th, 1820, 72; Thankful, wife, July 2th, 1772, 31; Edmond Foster, Esq., May 5th, 1845, 77; Sarah, wife, March 1st, 1847, 77; Ruth Doane, Sept. 30th, 1801, 69; John Raymond, Feb. 15th, 1829, 85; Mary, wife, July 27th, 1787, 40; Stephen Waring, Jan. 22d, 1815, 43; John Waring, Feb. 17th, 1809, 73; John Waring, jr., April 15th, 1812, 43; Joanna Waring, April 28th, 1779, 48; Susannah Waring, Aug. 10th, 1837, 76; Stephen Paddock, May 2d, 1832, 82; Joanna Williams, April 5th, 1867, 87; Mary Waring, Dec. 13th, 1839, 89; Susan E. Williams, Oct. 25th, 1872, 60; Elnathan Doane, Aug. 13th, 1806, 59; Phebe, wife, June 10th, 1788, 32; Elnathan Doane, Nov. 11th, 1845, 53; Edmond Doane, July 6th, 1825, 49; Demas Doane, July 23d, 1830, 44; Roxanna, wife, June 7th, 1838, 45; Mr. Ezekiel Burgis, Feb. 16th, 1784, 79; Sarah, wife, Dec. 18th, 1774, -; Simeon Perry, Sept. 8th, 1853, 94; Ebenezer Perry, May 2d, 1862, 63; Rd. Daniel Reed, Feb. 6, 1854, 83; Sarah, wife, Oct. 22d, 1856, 79; Archibald Penney, Oct. 1st, 1840, 67; Henrietta, wife, Dec. 15th, 1854, 69; Robert Penney, April 28th, 1836, 60; William Penney, jr., Aug. 8th, 1807, 65; Sarah, wife, March 23d, 1814, 74; Capt. John Penney, Sept. 27th, 1826, 69; Desire Crosby, wife, June 5th, 1849, 90; Capt. Azor Barnum, Sept. 9th, 1807, 61; Azor Barnum, jr., April 28th, 1816, 71; Sally, wife, Oct. 13th, 1803, 17; Eli Crosby, Nov. 22d, 1827, 78; Jonathan Barnum, Oct. 7th, 1843, 83; Judge Stephen Barnum, July 12th, 1825, 64; Maj. Joshua Barnum, jr., June 4th, 1818, 53; Thankful, wife, Nov. 30th, 1841, 73; William Penney, Feb. 21st, 1786, 70; Capt. Joshua Barnum, Oct. 23d, 1822, 85; Adah, wife, April 1th, 1810, 73; Moses Crosby, July 2d, 1821, 66; Abner Crosby, May 5th, 1813, 67; Ruth, wife, Oct. 1st, 1816, 67; David Crosby, Oct. 20th, 1793, 85; Reliance, wife, Feb. 25th, 1788, 75; Dea. Elkanah Young, May 20th, 1809, 59; Huldah, wife, Feb. 14th, 1830, 73; Samuel Bangs, March 1st, 1787, 64; John Bangs, March 30th, 1784, 35; Hannah, wife, Oct. 29th, 1758, 33; Elihu Gage, Aug. 14th, 1802, 76; Grace, Feb. 24th, 1814, 78; Rebecca, wife of Thomas Gage, Dec. 5th, 1759, 53; Mercy, wife of Theodorus Crosby, Aug. 20th, 1811, 70; Oliver, son of Henry Hoyt, April 29th, 1792, 2; Lydia, wife of Joshua Crosby, Sept. 10th, 1781, 67; Hannah, daughter of Joshua Crosby, March, 1757, 13; Naomai, daughter of Capt. Burgis, March 1st, 1784, 22.

The Sears farm, which lies directly opposite to the burying ground and a part of which is on the north side of the road, is probably the one owned by Zebulon Bass, in 1766. It was sold to Archibald Sears, July 17th, 1815, by Frederick Philipse. The land to the east of the Oblong line, and adjoining the homestead, is part of Oblong Lot No. 10. The north part of this lot seems to have belonged to the Crosby family from the earliest times, and was probably first owned by Joshua Crosby in 1749. East of Doansburg, on the east bank of the Croton River is a locality known as De Forest's Corners. This derived its name from David L. De Forest, a prominent citizen of former times. He was one of the builders of the church in 1794. He died November 26th, 1819, at the age of 57. He was a liberal supporter of the church and left a thousand dollars to it in his will. His home was a large brick house still standing here, and owned by some of his descendants. On the west bank of the Croton, to the north of the road from Doansburg, is the original homestead of the Barnum family. The ancestor of this family was Capt. Joshua Barnum, who came from the town of Danbury, Conn., and settled here. This farm is a part of Lot 12 on the Oblong, and remains in the possession of his descendants. About a mile west of the church at Doansburg is the farm which, at the close of the last

century, was owned by Peter Crosby, who was a prominent citizen. Owing to financial difficulties, the farm was sold at sheriff's sale, to Edmund Doane, May 2d, 1821, and by him to William K. Comstock, May 3d. It was sold May 10th, 1824, to Samuel Brewster, and is now owned by his son, Frederick D. Brewster. The ancient division line between Lot 9 of the Philipse Patent, which belonged to Roger Morris and his wife, and Lot 8, which belonged to Philipse Philipse, runs just south of Doansburg. The east corner is, as the old survey states, on the Oblong line on the " west side of a rocky hill." This point is 15 chains and 40 links east of the road, and from this place the line runs west and is the dividing line between the homestead and farm of Lyman Sherwood on the north, and the house and farm of Benjamin Foster on the south. The line is about one quarter of a mile south of the burying ground. Beyond this it forms the boundary between the farms of Frederick Brewster on the north, and Mrs. Robert Newman on the south. To the west of the road on Brewster Hill, it runs across the farm of Morgan Townsend. Here the line crosses Lake Tonetta (south of the middle) and can be distinctly traced to the west. At the Tilly Foster Mine, it forms the line between Theodore Kelly on the north, and the estate of Theodore Reed on the south, and is the north boundary of the land belonging to the Tilly Foster mine Company. The line crosses the reservoir at the east end of the bridge, and forms the north boundary of the school house lot in District No. 10. Beyond this a line of stone wall extends to the west corner of the two lots, on the town line of Carmel, which is the east line of Lot No. 6 in the Philipse Patent. At this point stands a walnut tree, which may have sprung from the root of the one mentioned in the original survey, which is described as "standing on the south side of a hill near an old meeting house." The land on both sides of the line is owned by Elijah Fowler. These pages are maintained by the Putnam County Coordinator, Cathy Horn. 1998-20001 Cathy Horn. All Rights Reserved. NYGenWeb's Putnam County URL: <http://www.rootsweb.com/~nyputnam/> <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~nyputnam/history/chapXXII/440-443.htm>

- 130.** At the age of 48, Archibald married **Polly Sellick** on Sunday, 25th January 1829, in Southeast when she was 30 years old. They had four children: Polly (1830–1916), Fannie (1832–1902), Kate (1834–1892) and Thomas (1836–1906).

Polly was born in was Dutchess, Southeast, on Wednesday, 11th July 1798. She was the daughter of Jesse Sellick.

Polly reached 69 years of age and died on 26th May 1868. She was buried in 69-10-24, Sears Burying Gd.

Children of Archibald Sears and Polly Sellick:

- f I. **Mary E Polly⁵ Sears** was born in Southeast on 30th May 1830. She died on 3rd February 1916, at the age of 85. Polly was buried. Patterson Baptist Church Cemetery.



Polly

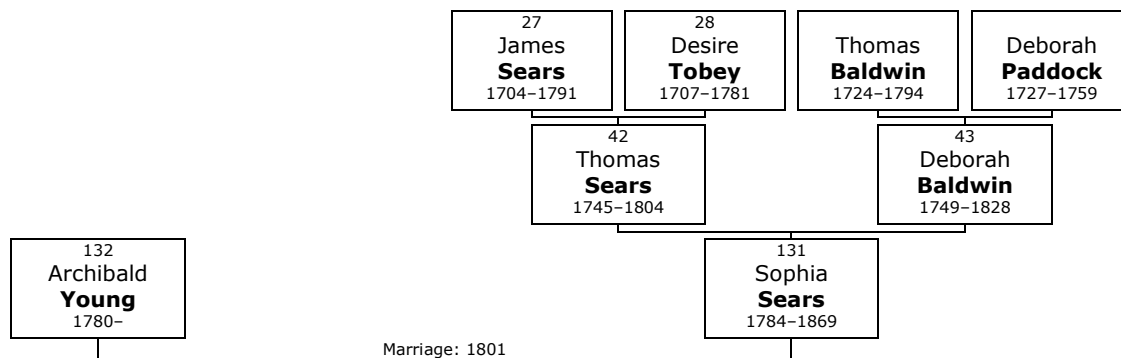
Polly married **Richard Towner Haviland**. They had three children: Frederick (1854–1856), Gertrude (1858–) and Edward (1864–).

Richard Towner was born in Patterson on Monday, 23rd February 1829. He was the son of Benjamin Vail Haviland and Emma C Towner.

Richard Towner reached 78 years of age and died in 1908.

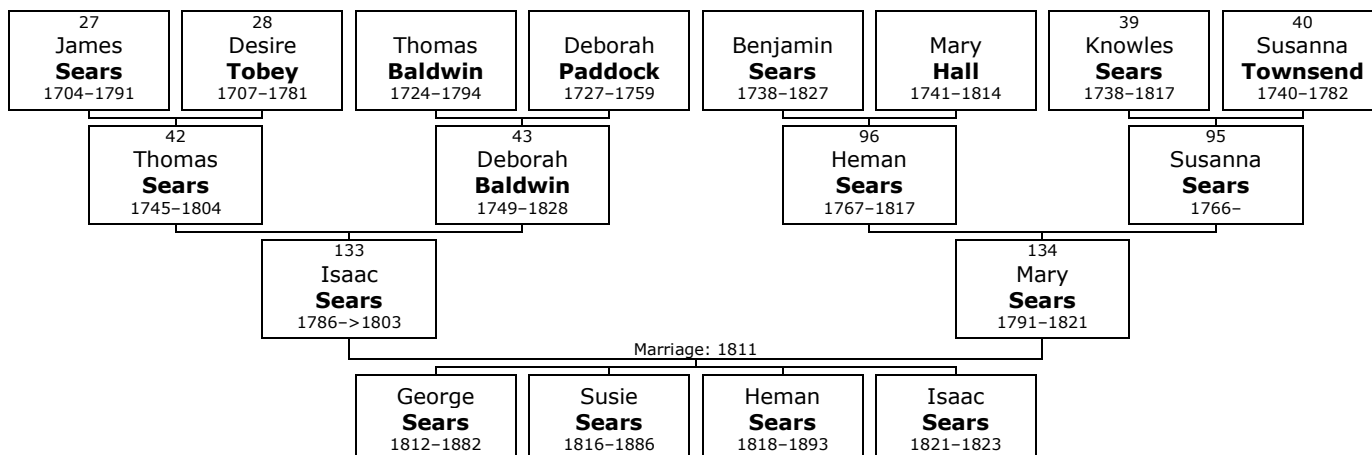
- f II. **Fannie Baldwin Sears** was born in perh, Southeast, on 26th May 1832. She died on 17th August 1902, at the age of 70. Fannie Baldwin was buried in Sears Burying Ground.
- f III. **Kate Sears** was born in perh on 27th September 1834. She died on 19th January 1892, at the age of 57. Kate was buried. Sears Burying Ground.
- Kate Sears married **Rev Roswell Smith** in October 1866. They have no known children. Roswell was born in 1830.
- m IV. **Thomas Sears** was born in Southeast on 16th April 1836. He died in 1906 at the age of 69.

Family of Sophia Sears and Archibald Young



- 131.** **Sophia⁴ Sears** (*Capt Thomas³, James²*) was born on Wednesday, 12th May 1784, in Southeast, Putnam, New York, USA. She was the daughter of Thomas Sears (42) and Deborah Baldwin (43).
Sophia died on 12th April 1869, at the age of 84.
<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4776>
- 132.** Sophia married **Archibald Young** on Tuesday, 28th April 1801. They have no known children.
Archibald was born in perh, Southeast, in 1780.
!S.P. May p.178 Arch. Young of Bath, LI and Benj. and Elkanah Young of Phelps, NY are descendants

Family of Isaac Sears and Mary Sears



- 133.** **Isaac⁴ Sears** (*Capt Thomas³, James²*) was born on Sunday, 23rd July 1786, in Southeast, Putnam, New York, USA.^[216] He was the son of Thomas Sears (42) and Deborah Baldwin (43).
Isaac died after 1803. He was buried in Milltown Cemetery, Southeast.
<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-2208>
- * His father's will: "New York Probate Records, 1629-1971," images, FamilySearch
(<https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.3.1/TH-1942-28664-41501-23?cc=1920234> : accessed 22 March 2016), Dutchess > Wills 1796-1806 vol B > image 287 of 418; county courthouses, New York.
- *Lineage Book of the Charter Members of the DAR Vol 085, p. 308 re Mrs Grace Sears Snyder #84795
- 134.** Isaac married **Mary Sears** on Sunday, 12th May 1811. They had four children: George (1812-1882), Susie (1816-1886), Heman (1818-1893) and Isaac (1821-1823).
Mary was born in Southeast in 1791. She was the daughter of Heman Sears (96) and Susanna Sears (95).
Mary reached 30 years of age and died on 11th April 1821. She was buried in Milltown Cemetery, Southeast.

²¹⁶ Ancestry.com, North America, Family Histories, 1500-2000 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com, Book Title: Lineage Book of the Charter Members of the DAR Vol 085. [Source citation includes one media item]

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Children of Isaac Sears and Mary Sears:

- m I. **George⁵ Sears** was born in Southeast in 1812. He died in 1882 at the age of 70.
- f II. **Susie Sears** was born in Southeast in 1816. She died in 1886 at the age of 70.
- m III. **Heman Sears** was born in Ohio on 10th September 1818.^[217-220] He died in Burnside on 28th December 1893, at the age of 75.^[218] Heman was buried in Hancock.^[218]

More facts and events for Heman Sears:

Residence: 1870 Pilot Grove, Hancock^[217, 220]
 Residence Post Office: Fountain Green

Heman was partnered with **Almira Lincoln**.^[217, 218] They had six sons: George (1841–1911), Edward (1850–1910), Gilbert (1852–1940), Heman (ca.1855–), Orville (ca.1859–) and Frank (1867–1955).

Almira was born in Allegany, New York, on Tuesday, 20th May 1823.^[217, 218] She reached 72 years of age and died in Burnside on 3rd March 1896.^[218] Almira was buried in Hancock.^[218]

- m IV. **Isaac Sears** was born in Southeast, Putnam, New York, in 1821. He died on 21st January 1823, at the age of 2. Isaac was buried in Milltown Cemetery, Southeast.

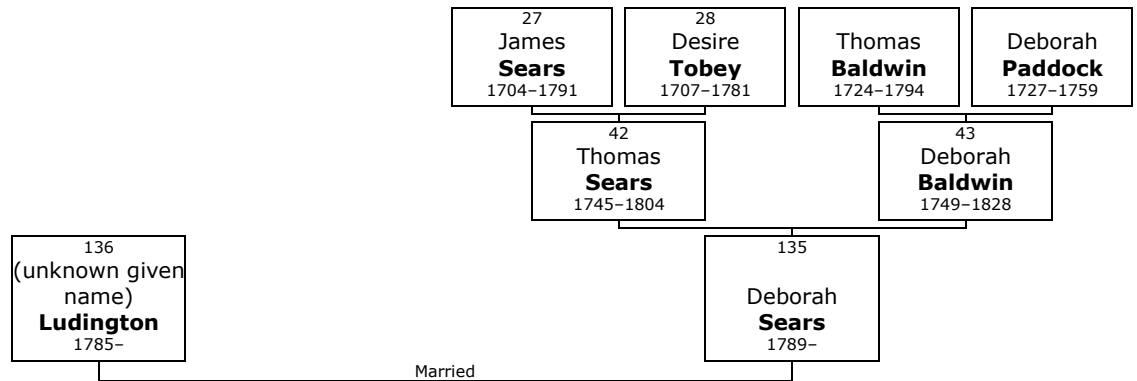
Deborah Sears

135. Deborah⁴ Sears (*Capt Thomas³, James²*) was born on Sunday, 18th October 1789, in Southeast, Putnam, New York, USA. She was the daughter of Thomas Sears (42) and Deborah Baldwin (43).

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Marriages with (unknown given name) Ludington and (unknown given name) Craft (Page 114) are known.

Family of Deborah Sears and Ludington



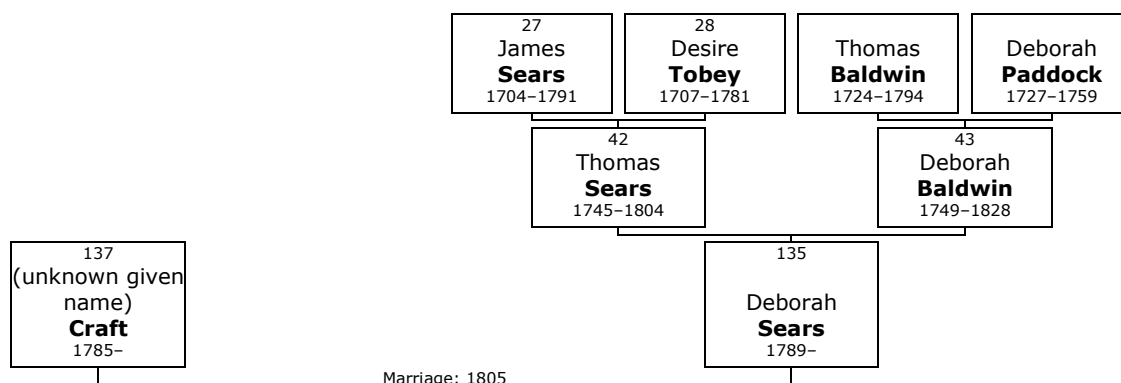
Here are the details about **Deborah Sears** first marriage with (unknown given name) Ludington. You can read more about Deborah on page 113.

136. Deborah Sears married **(unknown given name) Ludington**. They have no known children.

²¹⁷ Ancestry.com, 1870 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1870; Census Place: Pilot Grove, Hancock, Illinois; Roll: M593_227; Page: 242B; Family History Library Film: 545726.
²¹⁸ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.
²¹⁹ Dodd, Jordan, Liahona Research, comp, Illinois Marriages, 1790-1860 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2004), Ancestry.com.
²²⁰ Ancestry.com, Selected U.S. Federal Census Non-Population Schedules, 1850-1880 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, Census Year: 1870; Census Place: Pilot Grove, Hancock, Illinois; Archive Collection Number: T1133; Roll: 17; Page: 1; Line: 35; Schedule Type: Agriculture.

(unknown given name) was born in perh, Southeast, in 1785.

Family of Deborah Sears and Craft

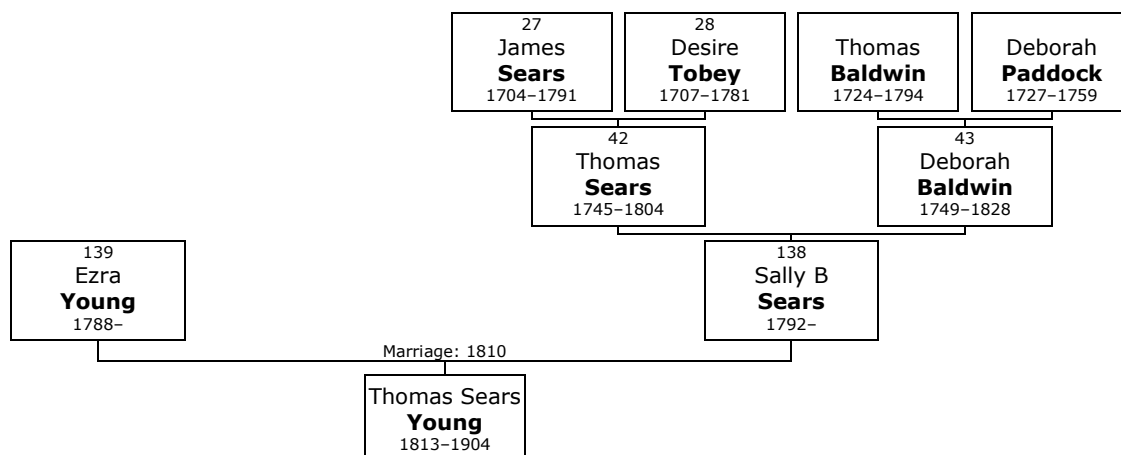


Here are the details about **Deborah Sears** second marriage with (unknown given name) Craft. You can read more about Deborah on page 113.

- 137.** Deborah Sears married **(unknown given name) Craft** on Wednesday, 25th December 1805. They have no known children.

(unknown given name) was born in perh, Southeast, in 1785.

Family of Sally Sears and Ezra Young



- 138.** **Sally B⁴ Sears** (*Capt Thomas³, James²*) was born on Tuesday, 26th June 1792, in Southeast, Putnam, New York, USA. She was the daughter of Thomas Sears (42) and Deborah Baldwin (43).

Phone conversation with Jane Mitchell, 9 The Byway, Bronxville, NY, 10708. She is descended from one of Sally's and Ezra's eleven children. She has many letters that Sally wrote to her children, some during the Civil War. Needs proof that Sally B (Sarah Baldwin) is dau of Thomas. She has gravestone but it doesn't show relationship.

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- 139.** Sally B married **Ezra Young** on Tuesday, 27th March 1810. They had one son: Thomas (1813–1904).

Ezra was born in perh, Southeast, in 1788.

Son of Sally B Sears and Ezra Young:

- m I. **Thomas Sears⁵ Young** was born in New York in 1813.^[221] He died on 3rd April 1904, at the age of 91. Thomas Sears was buried in Milltown Cemetery, Southeast, Putnam.

²²¹ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com, Record for Thomas Young. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=7181&h=1655538174&indiv=try>.

More facts and events for Thomas Sears Young:

Residence: 1855 Manhattan, New York^[221]

Age: 42; RelationToHead: Head/Ward 18

At the age of 21, Thomas Sears married **Mary E Sears** on Wednesday, 15th October 1834, when she was 20 years old.^[221, 222] They had six children: Martha (1838–1883), Mary (1840–), Thomas (1842–), Edward (1846–), Emma (1853–) and David (1855–).

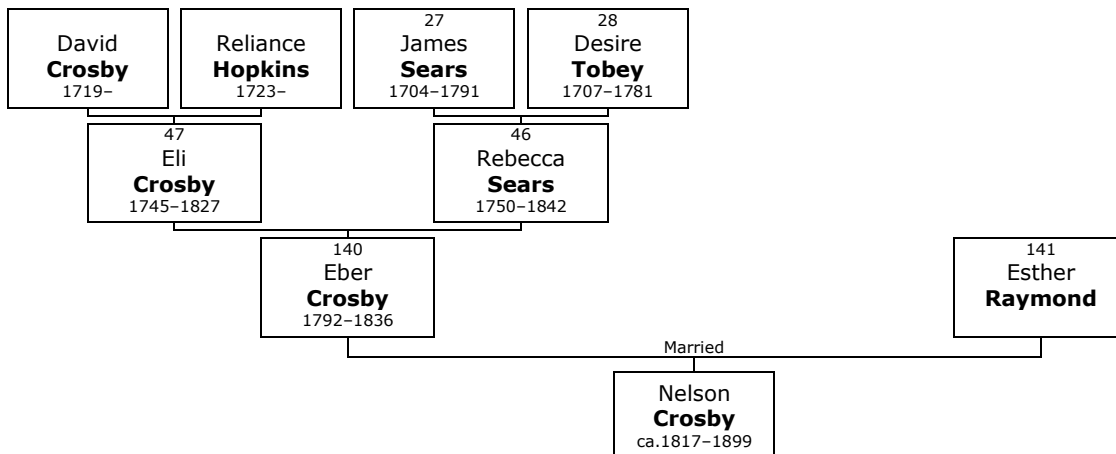
Mary E was born in Southeast, Putnam, on Thursday, 26th May 1814.^[221, 222] She was the daughter of Isaac Sears and Priscilla Bennett.

Mary E reached 45 years of age and died on 3rd February 1860.^[222] She was buried in Milltown Cemetery, Southeast, Putnam.

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Family of Eber Crosby and Esther Raymond



140. Eber⁴ Crosby (*Rebecca³ Sears, James²*) was born on Saturday, 8th September 1792, in Brewster, Putnam, New York, USA. He was the son of Eli Crosby (47) and Rebecca Sears (46).

Eber died in Southeast on 16th May 1836, at the age of 43.

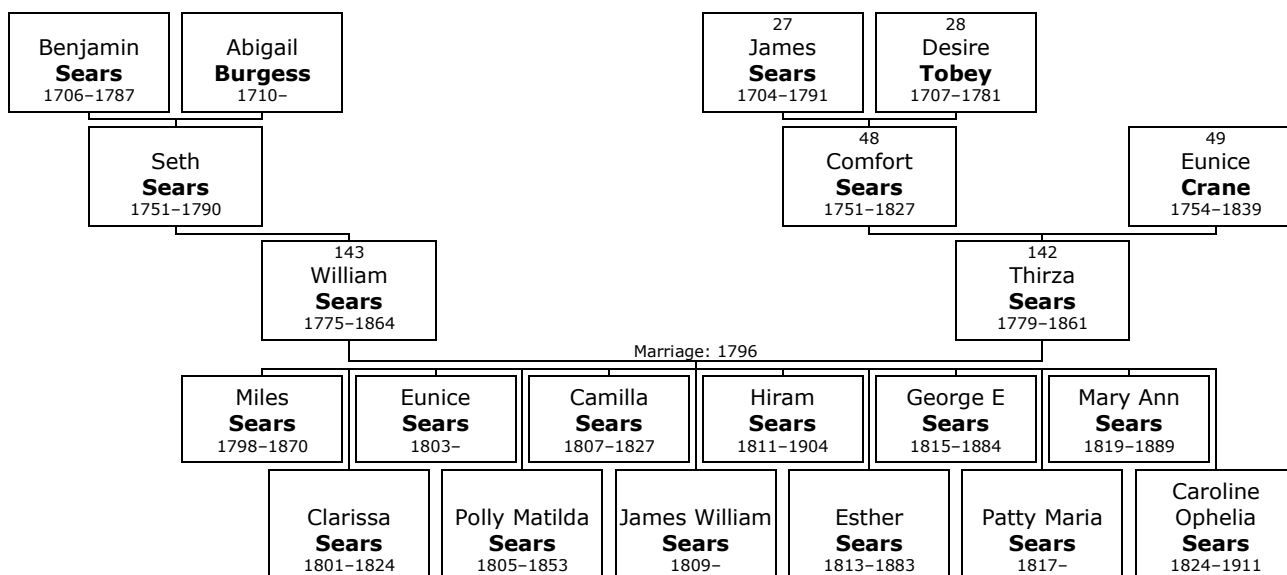
141. He married **Esther Raymond**. They had one son: Nelson (ca.1817–1899).

Son of Eber Crosby and Esther Raymond:

- m I. **Nelson⁵ Crosby** was born in Putnam about 1817. He died in Walworth, Wisconsin, on 2nd May 1899, at the age of 82.

²²² "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Isaac Sears. <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F74T-WDC>.

Family of Thirza Sears and William Sears



- 142.** **Thirza⁴ Sears** (*Comfort³, James²*) was born on Monday, 22nd March 1779, in Joe's Hill, Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[223-227] She was the daughter of Comfort Sears (48) and Eunice Crane (49). Thirza died in Neversink on 3rd January 1861, at the age of 81.^[225-227] She was buried in Mountain Dale.^[225] S P May No. 782

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4785>

More facts and events for Thirza Sears:

Residence: 1850 Thompson^[225]
 Residence: 1855 Thompson^[224, 225]
 Relation to Head of House: Wife
 Residence: 1860 Fallsburg^[225]

- 143.** At the age of 17, Thirza married **William Sears** on Monday, 24th October 1796, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, when he was 21 years old.^[224-228] They had twelve children: Miles (1798-1870), Clarissa (1801-1824), Eunice (1803-), Polly (1805-1853), Camilla (1807-1827), James (1809-), Hiram (1811-1904), Esther (1813-1883), George (1815-1884), Patty (1817-), Mary (1819-1889) and Caroline (1824-1911).

William was born in Southeast, Putnam, New York, on Thursday, 19th October 1775.^[224-228] He was the son of Seth Sears.

William reached 88 years of age and died in Neversink on 24th May 1864.^[225-228] He was buried in Mountain Dale.^[225, 228]

!CHILDREN-DEATH-BIOGRAPHY: GENEALOGICAL AND FAMILY HISTORY of SOUTHERN NEW YORK and the HUDSON RIVER VALLEY, Vol II;1640-1913; Lewis Historical Publishing Co, 1913; pp 507-510; Brewster,

²²³ Samuel P. May, The Descendants of Richard Sares (Sears) of Yarmouth, Mass. 1638-1888 (Joel Munsell's Sons, Publishers, 1890, Albany, NY), Ray Sears, 2208 Amber RdOklahoma City, OK 73170 / 405/703-0779, Date record was made: 0097/11/06.

²²⁴ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com. [Source citation includes one media item]

²²⁵ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Mary (Polly) Matilda Sears. <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F7WL-GSM>.

²²⁶ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Esther SEARS. <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:VQDD-36X>.

²²⁷ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Maria Sears (Race). <https://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1030&h=202092141391&indiv=try>.

²²⁸ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

NY Public Library; In 1804 he settled in the town of Thompson, Sullivan co, NY, where he cleared land and engaged in farming. He had lived for some time previous in Ridgefield or Stamford, CT.

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!S P May No. 464 p 129

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4712>

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!http://www.usgennet.org/usa/topic/historical/SouthernNewYork2/sny2_pt78.htm (VI) William, son of Seth Sears, was born October 19, 1775, in South East, died in Neversink, New York, May 24, 1864. In 1804 he settled in the town of Thompson, Sullivan County, New York, where he cleared land and engaged in farming. He had lived for some time previous in Ridgefield or Stamford, Connecticut. He married, in Ridgefield, October 24, 1796, Thirza daughter of Comfort and Eunice (Crane) Sears, of Ridgefield. She died January 3, 1861. Children: 1. Miles, of whom further. 2. Clarissa, born October 18, 1801; married S. M. Hoyt; died in Thompson, Sullivan County, New York, April 5, 1824. 3. Eunice, born July 10, 1803; married Sturges Andrus of Mountindale, New York. 4. Polly Matilda, born April 6, 1805; married E. T. Partridge; died November 3, 1853, in Jamestown, New York. 5. Camilla, born April [Page 509] 13, 1807; became the wife of Alson Lord, of Bridgeville, Sullivan County, New York, died April 1, 1827. 6. James William, born March 12, 1809, went south. 7. Hiram, born March 9, 1811; settled in Gerry, New York; died in Jamestown, New York, aged ninety-six. 8. Esther, born March 19, 1813; married William bowers and lived in Bridgeville. 9. George E., born March 13, 1815, died in 1884, no issue. 10. Patty Maria, born March 10, 1817; married (first) Henry Race, (second) Walter Hoyt; died in Bridgeville. 11. Mary Ann, born April 18, 1819; married Robert Knapp, died without issue. 12. Caroline Ophelia, born May 18, 1824; married James O'Neil and had a large family; lived in Thompson; died in 1911.

More facts and events for William Sears:

Residence: 1850 Thompson^[225]

Residence: 1855 Thompson^[224, 225]

Relation to Head of House: Head

Residence: 1860 Fallsburg^[225]

Children of Thirza Sears and William Sears:

- m I. **Miles⁵ Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 1st December 1798.^[228-231] He died in Rileyville in January 1870 at the age of 71.^[228, 230] Miles was buried in Wayne.^[228]

More facts and events for Miles Sears:

Residence: 1850 Lebanon, Wayne^[229]

Residence: 1860 Damascus^[231]

At the age of 36, Miles married **Catherine Misner** on Tuesday, 6th October 1835, when she was 15 years old. They had seven children: Oliver (1839-1922), Ann (1843-), Mary (1848-), Harriet (1848-), Herman (1852-1916), Helen (1855-) and Caroline (1855-1925).

Catherine was born in Thompson, Sullivan, New York, on Saturday, 4th March 1820. She reached 74 years of age and died in Cold Spring, Lebanon, Pennsylvania, in 1895.

BIRTH-DEATH: TAG, Apr 1992, p117-8; CONFLICT: shows her birth year as 1817; Richard Orvis Eldred, Nyack College, Nyack, NY 10960

²²⁹ Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: Lebanon, Wayne, Pennsylvania; Roll: M432_835; Page: 59A; Image: 117.

²³⁰ Ancestry.com, U.S. Federal Census Mortality Schedules, 1850-1885 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, National Archives and Records Administration (NARA); Washington, D.C.; Non-Population Census Schedules for Pennsylvania, 1850-1880: Mortality; Archive Collection: M1838; Archive Roll Number: 7; Census Year: 1870; Census Place: Lebanon, Wayne, Pennsylvania;.

²³¹ Ancestry.com, 1860 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1860; Census Place: Damascus, Wayne, Pennsylvania; Roll: M653_1193; Page: 202; Family History Library Film: 805193.

Miles Sears married **Sally P Bowers** in Glenville, Schenectady, New York. They had six children: John (1823–1907), Clarissa (1826–1897), Alfred (1829–), Charles (1831–1902), Lewis (1834–1908) and George (1837–1864).

Sally P was born in Thompson, Sullivan, in 1800. She was the daughter of Zephaniah Bowers.

Sally P reached 33 years of age and died in Thompson on 6th October 1833.

!FATHER-BIRTH-CHILDREN-DEATH-BIOGRAPHY: GENEALOGICAL AND FAMILY HISTORY of SOUTHERN NEW YORK and the HUDSON RIVER VALLEY, Vol II;1640-1913; Lewis Historical Publishing Co, 1913; pp 507-510; Brewster, NY Public Library;

- f II. **Clarissa Sears** was born in perh, Ridgefield, on 18th October 1801. She died in Thompson, Sullivan, New York, on 5th April 1824, at the age of 22.

Clarissa Sears married **S M Hoyt**. They have no known children.

S M was born in perh, Thompson, in 1797.

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- f III. **Eunice Sears** was born in perh on 9th July 1803.

Eunice married **Sturges Andrus**.

- f IV. **Polly Matilda Sears** was born in perh on 6th April 1805.^[225] She died in Jamestown on 3rd November 1853, at the age of 48.^[225] Polly Matilda was buried in Chautauqua.^[225]

More facts and events for Polly Matilda Sears:

Residence: 1820 Chautauqua^[225]

Residence: 1850 Gerry, Chautauqua^[225]

Polly Matilda married **Edward Turner Partridge**.^[225] They had six children: Camilla (1834–1906), Edward (1836–1905), Delia (1838–1929), Oscar (1842–1927), George (1844–1860) and Burton (1848–1932).

Edward Turner was born in Wilbraham, Hampden, Massachusetts, on Saturday, 21st December 1799.^[225] He reached 87 years of age and died in Gerry on 25th September 1887.^[225] Edward Turner was buried in Chautauqua.^[225]

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- f V. **Camilla Sears** was born in perh on 13th April 1807. She died on 1st April 1827, at the age of 19.

Camilla married **Alson Lord**.

- m VI. **James William Sears** was born in perh on 12th March 1809.

- m VII. **Hiram Sears** was born in perh on 9th March 1811.^[228, 232, 233] He died in Jamestown in 1904 at the age of 92.^[228] Hiram was buried in Gerry.^[228]

More facts and events for Hiram Sears:

Residence: 1865 Gerry^[233]

Relation to Head of House: Head

Residence: 1880 Gerry^[232]

Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Self

²³² Ancestry.com and The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1880 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1880; Census Place: Gerry, Chautauqua, New York; Roll: 815; Family History Film: 1254815; Page: 385A; Enumeration District: 058; Image: 0771.

²³³ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1865 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

Hiram married **Laurilla Shepardson** in 1838 in New York.^[228] They had three children: Corydon (ca.1841-), Ophelia (1845-1923) and George (1849-1867).

Laurilla was born in Guilford, Windham County, Vermont, on Thursday, 8th January 1818.^[228] She was the daughter of Pliny Shepardson and Rachel --Shepardson.

Laurilla reached 31 years of age and died in Chautauqua, New York, in 1850.^[228] She was buried in Gerry, Chautauqua.^[228]

Hiram Sears married **Mary --Sears** on Friday, 20th May 1853, in Lebanon, Madison.^[232, 233] They had one daughter: Arilla (ca.1855-).

Mary was born in New York about 1807.^[232, 233]

- f VIII. **Esther Sears** was born in perh on 9th March 1813.^[226] She died in 1883 at the age of 69.^[226]

Esther Sears married **William Mansfield Bowers** in 1830.^[226] They had two children: Herman (1834-1907) and Kate (1852-1929).

William Mansfield was born in 1802.^[226] He reached 62 years of age and died on 16th April 1864.^[226]

!SPOUSE: GENEALOGICAL AND FAMILY HISTORY of SOUTHERN NEW YORK and the HUDSON RIVER VALLEY, Vol II;1640-1913; Lewis Historical Publishing Co, 1913; pp 507-510; Brewster, NY Public Library; lived in Bridgeville.

- m IX. **George E Sears** was born in perh on 3rd March 1815. He died in 1884 at the age of 68.
f X. **Patty Maria Sears** was born in Sullivan, New York, on 12th March 1817.^[227] She died in Bridgeville.^[227] Patty Maria was buried in Bridgeville, Thompson.^[227]

More facts and events for Patty Maria Sears:

Residence: 1855 Thompson^[227]

Residence: 1st June 1875 Thompson^[227]

Residence: 1880 Thompson^[227]

Patty Maria Sears married **Walter Hoyt**.^[227] They had four children: Rheua (1850-1862), Laura (1855-), Benjamin (1857-) and Gurnsey (1860-).

Walter was born in Bridgeville on Saturday, 19th May 1810.^[227] He reached 77 years of age and died in Bridgeville in 1888.^[227] Walter was buried in Bridgeville, Thompson.^[227]

!SPOUSE: GENEALOGICAL AND FAMILY HISTORY of SOUTHERN NEW YORK and the HUDSON RIVER VALLEY, Vol II;1640-1913; Lewis Historical Publishing Co, 1913; pp 507-510; Brewster, NY Public Library;

Patty Maria married **Henry Race**.

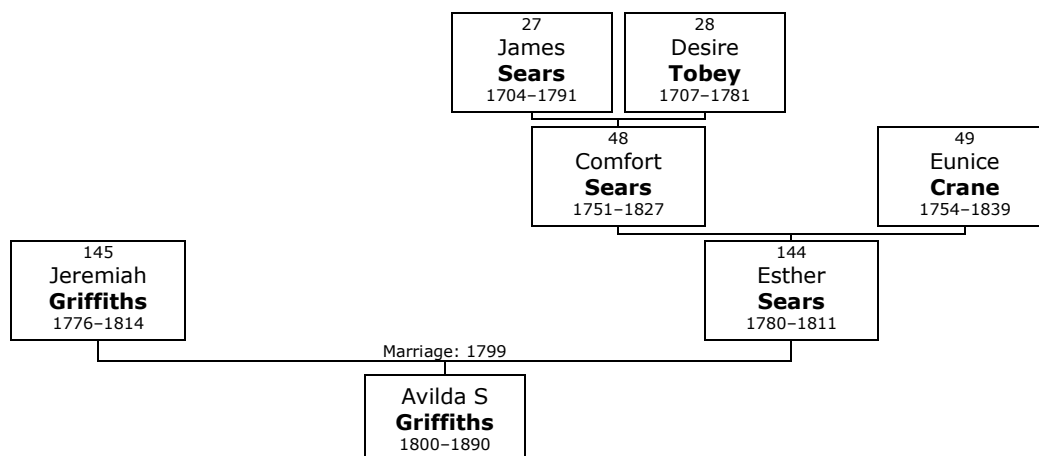
- f XI. **Mary Ann Sears** was born in perh, Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, on 18th April 1819. She died in 1889 at the age of 69.

Mary Ann married **Robert Knapp**.

- f XII. **Caroline Ophelia Sears** was born in perh on 18th May 1824. She died in 1911 at the age of 86.

Caroline Ophelia married **James O'Neil**.

Family of Esther Sears and Jeremiah Griffiths



144. Esther⁴ Sears (*Comfort³, James²*) was born on Saturday, 29th July 1780, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA. She was the daughter of Comfort Sears (48) and Eunice Crane (49).

Esther died on 10th October 1811, at the age of 31.

!S.P. May No 783 p.179 had 4 children

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145. Esther married **Jeremiah Griffiths** in 1799. They had one daughter: Avilda (1800–1890).

Jeremiah was born in perh, Ridgefield, in 1776. He reached 38 years of age and died in 1814.

!S.P. May p.179 Had 4 children

Daughter of Esther Sears and Jeremiah Griffiths:

- f I. **Avilda S⁵ Griffiths** was born in Ridgefield on 20th June 1800.^[234-237] She died in Zumbrota on 20th November 1890, at the age of 90.^[235, 237] Avilda S was buried in Zumbrota, Goodhue County.^[235]



Avilda

More facts and events for Avilda S Griffiths:

Residence: 1880 Zumbrota, Goodhue^[236]
 Marital Status: Widowed; Relation to Head of House: Self
 Residence: 1st May 1885 Zumbrota^[234]

Avilda S married **Amos Scofield**.^[235] They had eight children: James (1824–1901), Anne (1826–1909), Francis (1829–1905), Mary (1835–1861), Persis (1843–1923), David, George and Amos.

Amos was born on Friday, 29th April 1796.^[235]

He reached 47 years of age and died in 1844.^[235] Amos was buried in Greenwood, McHenry, Illinois.^[235]

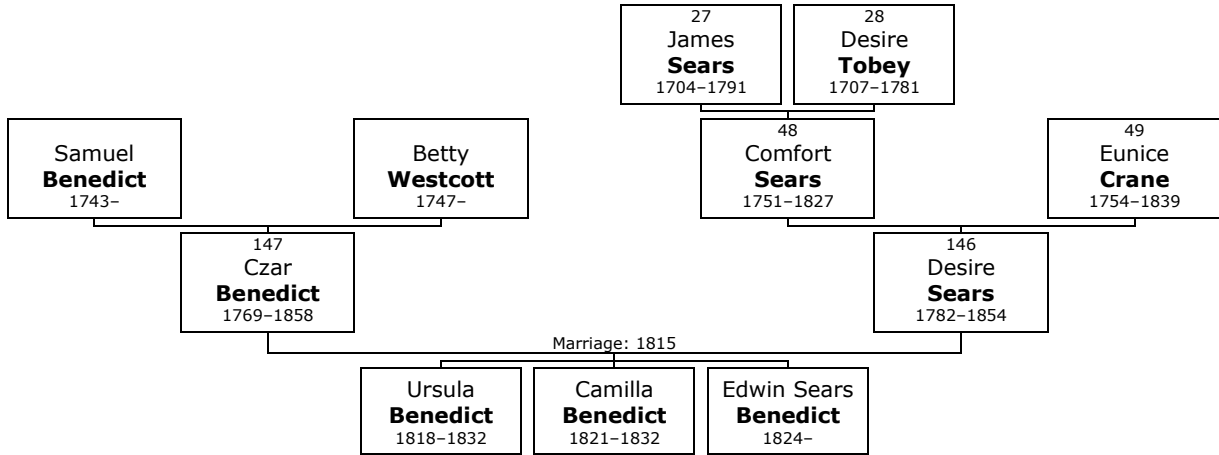
²³⁴ Ancestry.com, Minnesota, Territorial and State Censuses, 1849-1905 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2007), Ancestry.com.

²³⁵ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

²³⁶ Ancestry.com and The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1880 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1880; Census Place: Zumbrota, Goodhue, Minnesota; Roll: 621; Family History Film: 1254621; Page: 367C; Enumeration District: 165; Image: 0289.

²³⁷ Dalby, John, Minnesota Cemetery Inscription Index, Select Counties (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2003), Ancestry.com.

Family of Desire Sears and Czar Benedict



146. Desire⁴ Sears (*Comfort³, James²*) was born on Friday, 24th May 1782, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA. She was the daughter of Comfort Sears (48) and Eunice Crane (49).

Desire died on 22nd April 1854, at the age of 71.

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147. At the age of 33, Desire married **Czar Benedict** on Sunday, 1st October 1815, when he was 46 years old. They had three children: Ursula (1818–1832), Camilla (1821–1832) and Edwin (1824–).

Czar was born in perh, Lebanon, New London, on Saturday, 7th January 1769. He was the son of Samuel Benedict and Betty Westcott.

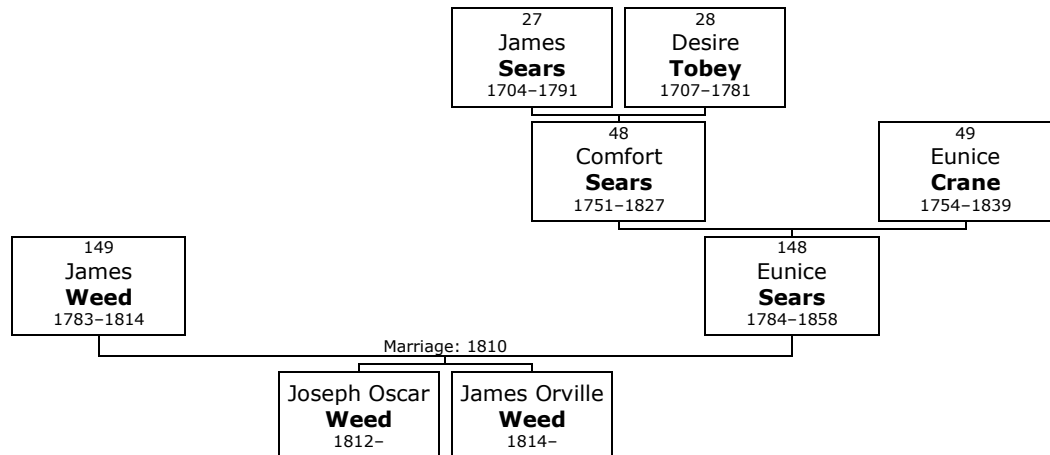
Czar reached 89 years of age and died in Lebanon on 5th December 1858.

!S.P. May p.179 hand note 1st wife unknown

Children of Desire Sears and Czar Benedict:

- f I. **Ursula⁵ Benedict** was born in perh, Ridgefield, Fairfield, on 7th July 1818. She died on 9th July 1832, at the age of 14.
- f II. **Camilla Benedict** was born in perh on 30th July 1821. She died on 27th July 1832, at the age of 10.
- m III. **Edwin Sears Benedict** was born in perh on 14th July 1824.
Edwin Sears married **Caroline Aurelia Benedict** on Tuesday, 15th September 1846. They had one son: Frank (1848–). She was the daughter of Stephen Benedict.
Benedict book says Caroline Amelia

Family of Eunice Sears and James Weed



148. Eunice⁴ Sears (*Comfort³, James²*) was born on Wednesday, 4th February 1784, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA. She was the daughter of Comfort Sears (48) and Eunice Crane (49).

Eunice died on 8th July 1858, at the age of 74. She was buried in Milltown Cemetery, Southeast, Putnam, New York.

[MB]-BUR.- Milltown Cem, Putnam co, NY

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4788>

- 149.** At the age of 26, Eunice married **James Weed** on Tuesday, 18th December 1810, when he was 27 years old. They had two sons: Joseph (1812-) and James (1814-).

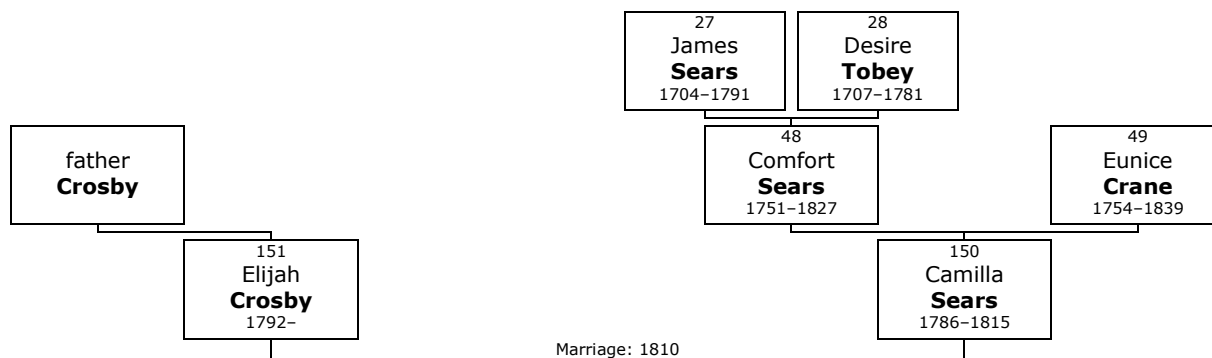
James was born in perh, Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, on Monday, 31st March 1783. He reached 31 years of age and died on 8th May 1814.

!S.P. May p.179 James died of the malignant fever that raged in So. E. that spring.

Sons of Eunice Sears and James Weed:

- m I. **Joseph Oscar⁵ Weed** was born in perh on 4th December 1812.
At the age of 24, Joseph Oscar married **Ann Eliza Eliza Quintard** on Monday, 6th November 1837, when she was 19 years old. They had two children: George (1839-) and Mary (1842-1890).
Eliza was born in Norwalk on Friday, 23rd October 1818.
- m II. **James Orville Weed** was born in perh on 4th September 1814.
At the age of 28, James Orville Weed married **Sarah E Crane** on Wednesday, 12th April 1843, when she was 24 years old. They have no known children.
Sarah E was born in Southeast, Putnam, New York, on Friday, 23rd October 1818.

Family of Camilla Sears and Elijah Crosby



- 150.** **Camilla⁴ Sears** (*Comfort³, James²*) was born on Wednesday, 26th April 1786, in perh, Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA. She was the daughter of Comfort Sears (48) and Eunice Crane (49).

Camilla died on 9th January 1815, at the age of 28.

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- 151.** Camilla married **Elijah Crosby** on Wednesday, 4th July 1810. They have no known children.
Elijah was born in perh, Southeast, Putnam, New York, in 1792. He was the son of father Crosby.

James Sears

- 152.** **Dea. James⁴ Sears** (*Comfort³, James²*) was born on Monday, 10th November 1788, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[238] He was the son of Comfort Sears (48) and Eunice Crane (49).

James died in Seneca Castle, Ontario, New York, on 19th January 1878, at the age of 89.^[238] He was buried in Seneca, Ontario County.^[238]

!S.P. May p.282 James Sears removed from Millplain, CT to Seneca Castle, NY in 1836, having sold his farm (which adjoined his bro. Lewis', and was 2 miles from the old homestead,) to his bro. Joseph C. He was a

²³⁸ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

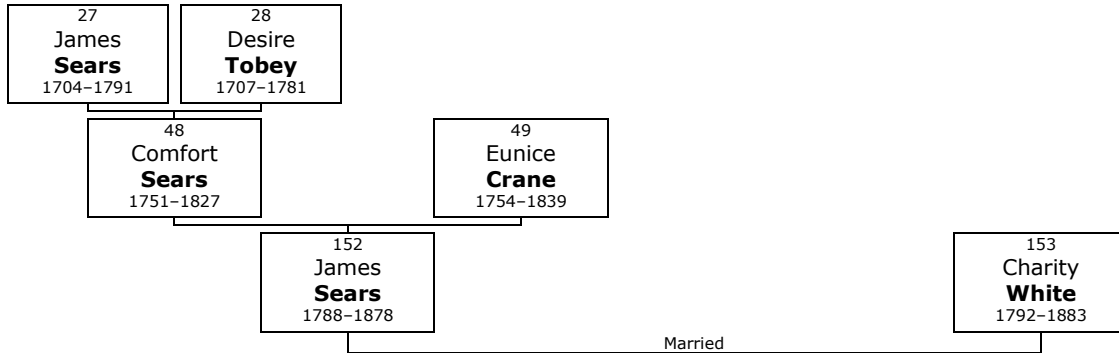
well-to-do farmer, of excellent literary taste, and of much spiritual culture. His idea of honesty was, good measure, pressed down and running over, and every thing was done heartily, and as unto the Lord, who seemed ever present with him. He was single-hearted, pure-minded beyond most Christians, and had great humility. All his children were taught by example as well as precept. He was a Deacon for 30 years, and was blessed with two most excellent wives.

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Marriages with Charity White and Deborah Crosby (Page 123) are known.

Family of James Sears and Charity White



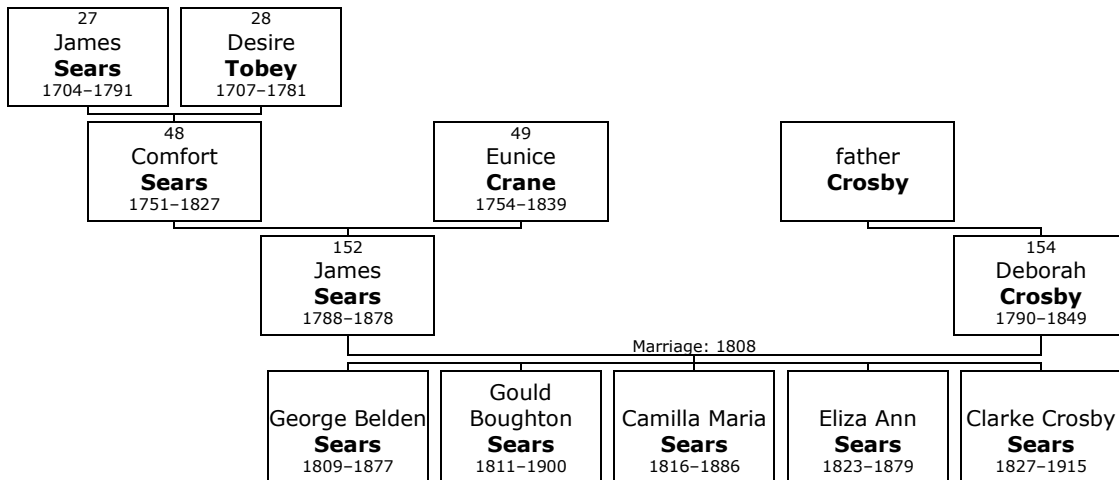
Here are the details about **James Sears** first marriage with Charity White. You can read more about James on page 122.

153. Dea. James Sears married **Charity White**. They have no known children.

Charity was born in perh, Ridgefield, in 1792. She reached 91 years of age and died on 11th April 1883.

!S.P. May Having been thrice married

Family of James Sears and Deborah Crosby



Here are the details about **James Sears** second marriage with Deborah Crosby. You can read more about James on page 122.

154. At the age of 19, Dea. James Sears married **Deborah Crosby** on Tuesday, 11th October 1808, in Southeast, Putnam, New York, when she was 18 years old. They had five children: George (1809–1877), Gould (1811–1900), Camilla (1816–1886), Eliza (1823–1879) and Clarke (1827–1915).

Deborah was born in was Dutchess, Southeast, on Monday, 11th October 1790. She was the daughter of father Crosby.

Deborah reached 58 years of age and died in Phelps, Ontario, on 3rd February 1849.

Children of James Sears and Deborah Crosby:

- m I. **George Belden⁵ Sears** was born in Mill Plain, Fairfield, Fairfield, Connecticut, on 25th June 1809.^[238-245] He died in Newark on 17th November 1877, at the age of 68.^[238, 239, 241, 243, 244] George Belden was buried in Newark, Essex County.^[238] His estate was probated on 25th October 1878, in Essex.^[244]

More facts and events for George Belden Sears:

Residence: 1870 Newark, Essex^[240]
Residence Post Office: Newark/Ward 3

At the age of 20, George Belden married **Marinda B Rockwell** on Tuesday, 15th September 1829, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, when she was 16 years old.^[238, 245, 246] <http://www.americanancestors.org/PageDetail.aspx?recordId=234615792>
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They have no known children.

Marinda B was born in Ridgefield on Tuesday, 12th January 1813.^[245, 246] She reached 18 years of age and died in Ridgefield on 25th July 1831.^[238, 245, 246] Marinda B was buried in Ridgefield.^[238]

At the age of 22, George Belden Sears married **Mary Jane Northrop** on Wednesday, 28th March 1832, when she was 18 years old.^[240, 242, 247-249] They had four daughters: Augusta (1834-), Ann (1836-1841), Anna (1842-1880) and Mary (1851-).

Mary Jane was born in Southeast, Putnam, New York, on Sunday, 18th July 1813.^[240, 242, 247-249] She was the daughter of James Northrop and Susan --Northrop.

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- ²⁴¹ Ancestry.com, U.S., Newspaper Extractions from the Northeast, 1704-1930 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.
- ²⁴² Ancestry.com, North America, Family Histories, 1500-2000 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com, Book Title: The Northrup-Northrop genealogy : a record of the known descendants of Joseph Northrup, who came fr.
- ²⁴³ Ancestry.com, Web: Warren County, New Jersey, Obituary Index, 1848-1914 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.
- ²⁴⁴ Ancestry.com, New Jersey, Wills and Probate Records, 1739-1991 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2015), Ancestry.com, Author: New Jersey. Surrogate's Court (Essex); Probate Place: Essex, New Jersey.
- ²⁴⁵ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Hale Cemetery Inscriptions and Newspaper Notices, 1629-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com, Connecticut State Library; Hartford, Connecticut.
- ²⁴⁶ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Deaths and Burials Index, 1650-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.
- ²⁴⁷ Ancestry.com and The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1880 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1880; Census Place: Newark, Essex, New Jersey; Roll: 776; Page: 241D; Enumeration District: 031.
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- ²⁴⁸ Ancestry.com, 1860 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1860; Census Place: Newark Ward 3, Essex, New Jersey; Roll: M653_688; Page: 299; Family History Library Film: 803688.
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- ²⁴⁹ Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: Newark South Ward, Essex, New Jersey; Roll: M432_447; Page: 219A; Image: 449.
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!1870 United States Federal Census
 <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=7163>> Name: Mary Northrop Age in 1870: 57 Birth Year: abt 1813 Birthplace: New York Home in 1870: Bridgeport, Fairfield, Connecticut Race: White Gender: Female Post Office: Bridgeport Household Members: Name Age
 Mary Northrop 57
 William Northrop 29
 Marhta Kimball 25
 John R Kimball 26
 Lottie Kimball 1
 Elizabeth Northrop 24
 William Northrop 3
 Benjamin Northrop 7/12
 Clarissa Northrop 20
 Lydia M Morton 26
 Hattie Kimball 23
 Charles N Whitherell 23
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!1880 United States Federal Census
 <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=6742>> Name: Mary J. Sears Age: 66 Birth Year: abt 1814 Birthplace: New York Home in 1880: Newark, Essex, New Jersey Race: White Gender: Female Relation to Head of House: Mother-in-law Marital Status: Widowed Father's Birthplace: New York Mother's Birthplace: New York Household Members: Name Age
 J.J. Dickerson 50
 Augusta M. Dickerson 45
 Mary J. Sears 66
 Sophia Beckett 45
 Fitzimmons 28
 Eliza B. Winans 55

- m II. **Gould Boughton Sears** was born in Millplain on 18th April 1811.^[250-253] He died in Quincy, Branch, Michigan, on 19th April 1900, at the age of 89.^[251]

More facts and events for Gould Boughton Sears:

Residence: 1855 Seneca, Ontario, New York^[252]
 Relation to Head: Head

Residence: 1865 Seneca^[250]
 Relation to Head of House: Head

At the age of 23, Gould Boughton Sears married **Betsy Ann Sanford** on Tuesday, 21st October 1834, in Redding, Fairfield, Connecticut, when she was 18 years old.^[250, 252, 253] They had three children: James (1836-1897), Dewitt (1838-1923) and Annette (1847-1926).

Betsy Ann was born in Redding on Monday, 22nd January 1816.^[250, 252, 253] She was the daughter of Seth Sanford and Esther --Sanford.

Betsy Ann reached 73 years of age and died in Quincy, Branch, Michigan, on 3rd December 1889.^[253]

- f III. **Camilla Maria Sears** was born in Millplain on 9th August 1816. She died in 1886 at the age of 69.

At the age of 17, Camilla Maria Sears married **Francis B Northrop** on Wednesday, 25th December 1833, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, when he was 24 years old.

²⁵⁰ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1865 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

²⁵¹ Ancestry.com, Michigan, Death Records, 1897-1920 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, The Library of Michigan; Michigan Death Records, 1897-1920; Rolls: 1-302; Archive Barcode/Item Number: 30000008346003; Roll Number: 24; Certificate Number: 1.

²⁵² Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

²⁵³ Ancestry.com, Michigan, Death Records, 1867-1950 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2015), Ancestry.com.

<http://www.americanancestors.org/PageDetail.aspx?recordId=234615792>
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They had four children: Marietta (1834-), James (1840-), Henry (1843-) and George (1850-).

Francis B was born in North Salem, Westchester, New York, on Monday, 1st May 1809. He was the son of James Northrop and Susan Frances Smith.

- f IV. **Eliza Ann Sears** was born in Mill Plain, Fairfield, Fairfield, on 13th May 1823. She died in August 1879 at the age of 56.

Eliza Ann Sears married **John Wright** in March 1840. They had two children: W (1841-) and (unknown given name) (1843-).

John was born in 1819.

- m V. **Clarke Crosby Sears** was born in Millplain on 23rd October 1827.^[238, 253-255] He died in 1915 at the age of 87.^[238] Clarke Crosby was buried in Quincy, Branch County.^[238]

More facts and events for Clarke Crosby Sears:

Residence: 1900 Quincy, Branch^[255]

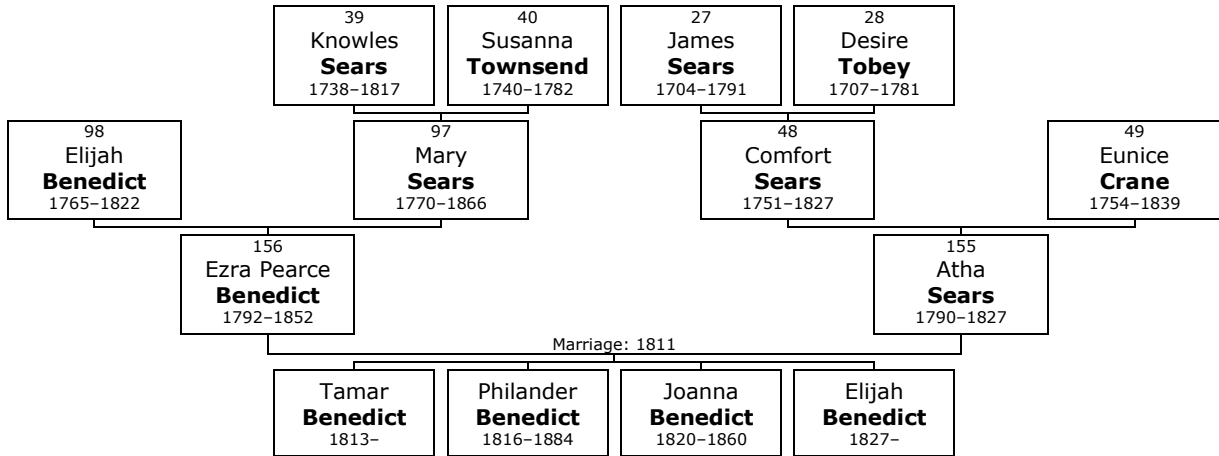
Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head: Head

At the age of 23, Clarke Crosby Sears married **Harriet Elizabeth Warner** on Thursday, 10th April 1851, in Orleans, New York, when she was 18 years old.^[238, 253-255] They had four children: Charles (1853-1923), Florence (1855-), Helen (1859-1934) and George (1863-).

Harriet Elizabeth was born in Phelps, Ontario, on Thursday, 13th September 1832.^[238, 254, 255] She was the daughter of John Warner and Susan --Warner.

Harriet Elizabeth reached 80 years of age and died in Quincy in 1913.^[238, 254] She was buried in Quincy, Branch County.^[238]

Family of Atha Sears and Ezra Benedict



155. **Atha⁴ Sears** (*Comfort³, James²*) was born on Saturday, 18th December 1790, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA. She was the daughter of Comfort Sears (48) and Eunice Crane (49).

Atha died on 17th September 1827, at the age of 36. She was buried. gr-st, Bogg's District Cemetery.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4791>
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²⁵⁴ Ancestry.com, North America, Family Histories, 1500-2000 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com, Book Title: The descendants of Andrew Warner.

²⁵⁵ Ancestry.com, 1900 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2004), Ancestry.com, Year: 1900; Census Place: Quincy, Branch, Michigan; Roll: 704; Page: 4A; Enumeration District: 0018; FHL microfilm: 1240704.

156. At the age of 20, Atha married **Ezra Pearce Benedict** on Tuesday, 22nd January 1811, when he was 18 years old. They had four children: Tamar (1813–), Philander (1816–1884), Joanna (1820–1860) and Elijah (1827–).

Ezra Pearce was born in Danbury on Friday, 31st August 1792. He was the son of Elijah Benedict (98) and Mary Sears (97).

He was buried at Westville Cemetery in Danbury in 1852. Ezra Pearce reached 59 years of age and died in Danbury on 19th January 1852.

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More facts and events for Ezra Pearce Benedict:

Residence: 1850 Danbury

Children of Atha Sears and Ezra Pearce Benedict:

f I. **Tamar⁵ Benedict** was born in perh, Ridgefield, on 22nd April 1813.

Tamar married **Ezra B Beebe**.

m II. **Philander Benedict** was born in perh on 2nd September 1816.^[256-262] He died on 12th April 1884, at the age of 67.^[256] Philander was buried at Stony Hill Cemetery in Bethel.^[256]

More facts and events for Philander Benedict:

Residence: 1870 Danbury^[257]

Age: 53; MaleCitizenOverTwentyone: Y;

PersonalEstateValue: 500; Occupation: Carman

Philander married **Sarah Vail** on Wednesday, 2nd February 1842, in Connecticut.^[256, 257] They had three children: Martha (1843–1903), Oliver (1847–1870) and Hiram (1854–1933).

Sarah was born in USA in 1816.^[257] She reached 53 years of age and died on 29th April 1869. Sarah was buried at Stony Hill Cemetery in Bethel.

f III. **Joanna Benedict** was born in perh on 20th April 1820. She died on 20th July 1860, at the age of 40.

Joanna married **Levi D Weed**.

m IV. **Elijah Benedict** was born in perh in 1827.

²⁵⁶ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<http://familysearch.org> : modified 12 July 2018, 05:47), entry for Philander Benedict(PID <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:LCRT-YPG>); contributed by various users. PersonID LCRT-YPG. Philander Benedict.

²⁵⁷ Ancestry.com, 1870 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1870; Census Place: Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut; Roll: M593_97; Page: 304B; Family History Library Film: 545596. Record for Filander Benedict. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=7163&h=2141551&indiv=try>.

²⁵⁸ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Connecticut Marriages, 1630-1997", database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F7GW-L5B> : 17 March 2018), Philander Benedict and Sarah Vail, 1842. Philander Benedict, "Connecticut Marriages, 1630-1997".

²⁵⁹ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Connecticut Marriages, 1630-1997", database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F7PX-LJT> : 16 March 2018), Philander Benedict and Sarah Vail, 1842. Philander Benedict, "Connecticut Marriages, 1630-1997".

²⁶⁰ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Connecticut Marriages, 1630-1997", database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F7PX-LJ5> : 16 March 2018), Philander Benedict and Sarah Vail, 1842. Philander Benedict, "Connecticut Marriages, 1630-1997".

²⁶¹ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Connecticut Marriages, 1630-1997", database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F7PX-LJG> : 16 March 2018), Philander Benedict and Sarah Vail, 1842. Philander Benedict, "Connecticut Marriages, 1630-1997".

²⁶² FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Connecticut Marriages, 1630-1997", database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F7PM-9YX> : 17 March 2018), Philander Benedict and Sarah Vail, 1842. Philander Benedict, "Connecticut Marriages, 1630-1997".

Joseph Sears

157. Joseph Crane⁴ Sears (*Comfort³, James²*) was born on Tuesday, 18th December 1792, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[263, 264] He was the son of Comfort Sears (48) and Eunice Crane (49).

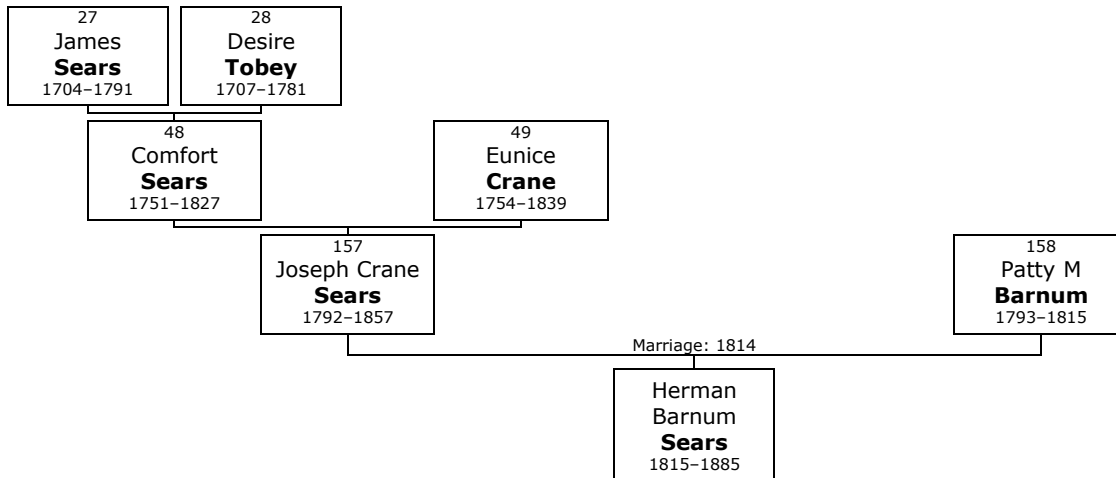
His estate was probated in 1857 in Hartford.^[264] Joseph Crane died in Millplain on 29th May 1857, at the age of 64.^[263, 264]

!S.P. May p.284 Joseph Sears lived in South East, NY, till 1827-7, when he removed to his father's place, remaining there til 1836, when he purchased the farm of his brother James in Millplain, Ct. The house that Herman B Sears was born in, was also the birthplace of George Belden Sears. The old boundary line between CT and NY passed through the house, and the room they were born in was on the New York side. By a later survey the whole house is in CT. Mr Sears was a public spirited man, and interested in all improvements. He was a Rep to State Leg in 1835-6, and 1842. He was greatly loved by all his neighbors, especially the young, was an active church member, often on committees, and in 1829 sent to the Presbytery.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-3195>

Marriages with Patty M Barnum and Mary A Brush (Page 130) are known.

Family of Joseph Sears and Patty Barnum



Here are the details about **Joseph Crane Sears** first marriage with Patty M Barnum. You can read more about Joseph Crane on page 129.

158. At the age of 21, Joseph Crane Sears married **Patty M Barnum** on Wednesday, 26th October 1814, when she was 20 years old.^[265, 266] They had one son: Herman (1815-1885).

Patty M was born in Southeast, Putnam, New York, on Monday, 9th December 1793.^[265] She reached 21 years of age and died in Southeast on 14th November 1815.^[266] Patty M was buried in Old Cemetery, Milltown, Dutchess.^[266]

Son of Joseph Crane Sears and Patty M Barnum:

- m I. **Herman Barnum⁵ Sears** was born in Southeast, Putnam, on 11th November 1815.^[267-271] He died in 1885 at the age of 69.

²⁶³ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Hale Cemetery Inscriptions and Newspaper Notices, 1629-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com. [Source citation includes one media item]

²⁶⁴ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Wills and Probate Records, 1609-1999 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2015), Ancestry.com, Probate Files Collection, Early to 1880; Author: Connecticut State Library (Hartford, Connecticut); Probate Place: Hartford, Connecticut. [Source citation includes one media item]

²⁶⁵ Ancestry.com, New York, Genealogical Records, 1675-1920 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2004), Ancestry.com, The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record (quarterly-1902) - Extracts; Publication Place: New York; Publisher: New York Genealogical and Biographical Society; Page Number: 138.

²⁶⁶ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

More facts and events for Herman Barnum Sears:

Residence: 1855 Ward 16, Manhattan, New York, New York^[269]

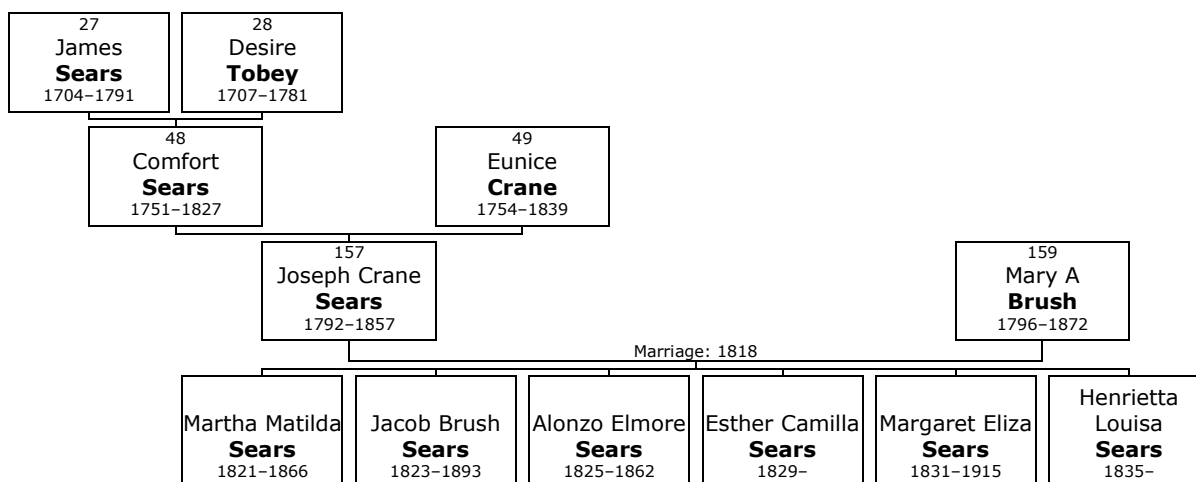
Relation to Head of House: Head

Residence: 1876 Alameda, California^[267]Residence: 1892 Alameda^[268]

At the age of 24, Herman Barnum married **Harriet Almira Raymond** on Wednesday, 1st January 1840, in Patterson, Putnam, New York, when she was 20 years old.^[269-273] They had five children: Mary (1840-), Joseph (1847-1927), Charles (1850->1930), Carrie (1856-1924) and Herman (1860-).

Harriet Almira was born in Dutchess on Friday, 8th October 1819.^[269, 272, 273] She was the daughter of John Raymond and Betsy Picket.

Family of Joseph Sears and Mary Brush



Here are the details about **Joseph Crane Sears** second marriage with Mary A Brush. You can read more about Joseph Crane on page 129.

- 159.** At the age of 25, Joseph Crane Sears married **Mary A Brush** on Sunday, 22nd February 1818, when she was 22 years old.^[263] They had six children: Martha (1821-1866), Jacob (1823-1893), Alonzo (1825-1862), Esther (1829-), Margaret (1831-1915) and Henrietta (1835-).

Mary A was born in perh, Southeast, Putnam, New York, on Sunday, 3rd January 1796.^[263] She reached 76 years of age and died in Camden, Camden, New Jersey, on 13th December 1872.^[263]

!S.P. May p.283 Died at the house of her daughter Camilla

²⁶⁷ Ancestry.com, California, Voter Registers, 1866-1898 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, California State Library, California History Section; Great Registers, 1866-1898; Collection Number: 4 - 2A; CSL Roll Number: 1; FHL Roll Number: 976446.

²⁶⁸ Ancestry.com, California, Voter Registers, 1866-1898 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, California State Library, California History Section; Great Registers, 1866-1898; Collection Number: 4 - 2A; CSL Roll Number: 3; FHL Roll Number: 976448.

²⁶⁹ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

²⁷⁰ Ancestry.com, Illinois, Marriage Index, 1860-1920 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2015), Ancestry.com.

²⁷¹ Dodd, Jordan, Illinois Marriages to 1850 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 1997), Ancestry.com.

²⁷² Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: New York Ward 9 District 3, New York, New York; Roll: M432_544; Page: 403B; Image: 318. [Source citation includes one media item]

²⁷³ Ancestry.com, 1860 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1860; Census Place: New York Ward 16 District 1, New York, New York; Roll: M653_806; Page: 356; Family History Library Film: 803806. [Source citation includes one media item]

Children of Joseph Crane Sears and Mary A Brush:

- f I. **Martha Matilda⁵ Sears** was born in Southeast, Putnam, New York, on 5th March 1821.^[266] She died in Danbury, Fairfield County, Connecticut, in 1866 at the age of 44.^[266] Martha Matilda was buried in Danbury.^[266]



Martha

At the age of 32, Martha Matilda married **Lyman Platt** on Sunday, 7th August 1853, when he was 34 years old.^[266, 274] They had two children: Anne (1854–1860) and Joseph (1862–1956).

Lyman was born in Danbury, Fairfield, on Friday, 1st January 1819.^[266, 274]

He reached 47 years of age and died in Danbury, Fairfield County, on 23rd July 1866.^[266] Lyman was buried in Danbury.^[266]

- m II. **Jacob Brush Sears** was born in Southeast on 9th April 1823.^[266, 275–278] He died in 1893 at the age of 69.^[266] Jacob Brush was buried in Troy, Bradford County.^[266]

More facts and events for Jacob Brush Sears:

Residence: 1880 Landis, Cumberland, New Jersey^[275]

Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Self

Residence: 1900 Troy, Bradford, Pennsylvania^[276]

Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head: Father in Law

At the age of 22, Jacob Brush Sears married **Harriet Northrop** on Wednesday, 4th February 1846, in Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut, when she was 22 years old.^[266, 275–279]

<http://www.americanancestors.org/PageDetail.aspx?recordId=234615792>

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They had two daughters: Mary (1847–1934) and Emma (1852–1874).

Harriet was born in Southeast, Putnam, New York, on Saturday, 24th January 1824.^[266, 275–277, 279] She reached 86 years of age and died in 1911.^[266] Harriet was buried in Troy, Bradford County.^[266]

!maybe sister to Francis #8132

- m III. **Alonzo Elmore Sears** was born in Southeast on 3rd October 1825.^[280–282] He died in Manhattan, New York, on 30th July 1862, at the age of 36.^[280, 281]

²⁷⁴ Ancestry.com and The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1880 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1880; Census Place: Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut; Roll: 94; Family History Film: 1254094; Page: 33D; Enumeration District: 111; Image: 0067. [Source citation includes one media item]

²⁷⁵ Ancestry.com and The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1880 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1880; Census Place: Landis, Cumberland, New Jersey; Roll: 776; Family History Film: 1254776; Page: 331D; Enumeration District: 083; Image: 0032.

²⁷⁶ Ancestry.com, 1900 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2004), Ancestry.com, Year: 1900; Census Place: Troy, Bradford, Pennsylvania; Roll: 1383; Page: 1B; Enumeration District: 0047; FHL microfilm: 1241383.

²⁷⁷ Ancestry.com, Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1963 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com, Pennsylvania Historic and Museum Commission; Pennsylvania, USA; Certificate Number Range: 003501-006500.

²⁷⁸ Ancestry.com, New Jersey, Marriage Records, 1670-1965 (Lehi, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com.

²⁷⁹ Ancestry.com, 1910 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2006), Ancestry.com, Year: 1910; Census Place: Troy, Bradford, Pennsylvania; Roll: T624_1319; Page: 11B; Enumeration District: 0044; FHL microfilm: 1375332. [Source citation includes one media item]

²⁸⁰ Ancestry.com, U.S., Newspaper Extractions from the Northeast, 1704-1930 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

²⁸¹ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Deaths and Burials Index, 1650-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

More facts and events for Alonzo Elmore Sears:

Residence: 1st July 1863 Cameron, Steuben^[282]

At the age of 27, Alonzo Elmore Sears married **Susan A Smith** on Thursday, 23rd June 1853, in North Salem, Westchester, when she was 24 years old. They had three children: Marion (1857–1930), Gertrude (1859–) and Edward (1860–1861).

Susan A was born in North Salem on Tuesday, 10th March 1829.

- f IV. **Esther Camilla Sears** was born in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, on 21st August 1829.^[283]

At the age of 24, Esther Camilla Sears married **James A Perry** on Wednesday, 28th June 1854, in Danbury when he was 33 years old.^[283] They had four children: Norman (1855–), Emma (1857–1940), Anna (1863–) and Mary (1867–).

James A was born in Patterson, Putnam, New York, on Thursday, 15th March 1821.

!S.P. May p.283 Was a lumber merchant in Buffalo, NY, and rem. to 2642 Brown st., Phila, PA

- f V. **Margaret Eliza Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 27th August 1831. She died in 1915 at the age of 83.

- f VI. **Henrietta Louisa Sears** was born in Ridgefield on 31st March 1835.^[284]

More facts and events for Henrietta Louisa Sears:

Residence: 1880 Danbury^[284]
Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Wife

Henrietta Louisa Sears married **Charles H Crosby** in Danbury.^[284] They had three children: Jennie (ca.1852–), Charles (1861–1865) and Frances (1873–).

Charles H was born in Cold Spring, Cattaraugus, New York, on Wednesday, 25th May 1831.^[284]

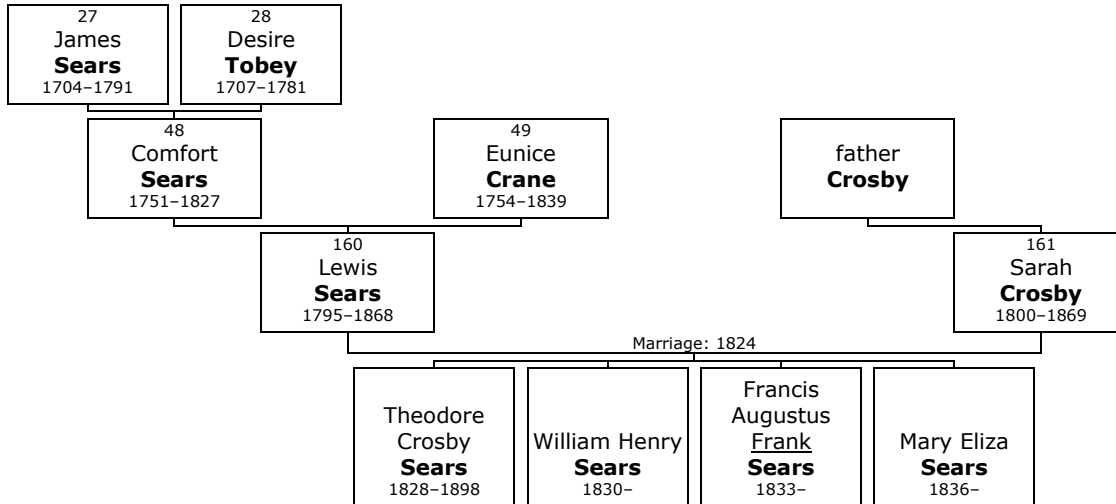
!S.P. May p.284 Lives in Bridgeport, CT

²⁸² Ancestry.com, U.S., Civil War Draft Registrations Records, 1863-1865 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, National Archives and Records Administration (NARA); Washington, D.C.; Consolidated Lists of Civil War Draft Registration Records (Provost Marshal General's Bureau; Consolidated Enrollment Lists, 1863-1865); Record Group: 110, Records of the Provost Marsha.

²⁸³ Ancestry.com, West Virginia, Deaths Index, 1853-1973 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, Record for Emma Camilla Smith.
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=2568&h=1896995&indiv=try>.

²⁸⁴ Ancestry.com and The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1880 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1880; Census Place: Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut; Roll: 94; Family History Film: 1254094; Page: 103C; Enumeration District: 113; Image: 0206.

Family of Lewis Sears and Sarah Crosby



160. Dea Lewis⁴ Sears (*Comfort³, James²*) was born on Friday, 26th June 1795, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[285, 286] He was the son of Comfort Sears (48) and Eunice Crane (49).

Lewis died in Danbury on 10th November 1868, at the age of 73.^[285, 286]

S P May p 284 No 790

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4792>

161. At the age of 29, Lewis married **Sarah Crosby** on Thursday, 30th September 1824, in Phelps, Ontario, New York, when she was 24 years old. They had four children: Theodore (1828–1898), William (1830–), Frank (1833–) and Mary (1836–).

Sarah was born in Southeast, Putnam, on Friday, 27th June 1800. She was the daughter of father Crosby.

Sarah reached 68 years of age and died in Buffalo, Erie, on 31st May 1869.

Children of Lewis Sears and Sarah Crosby:

m I. **Theodore Crosby⁵ Sears** was born in Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut, on 4th August 1828.^[287-290] He was known by the title of Hon.

Theodore Crosby died in Lakeview, Grant, on 8th November 1898, at the age of 70.^[287] He was buried.^[287] Tacoma Cem.



Theodore

More facts and events for Theodore Crosby Sears:

Residence: 1880	Ottawa, Franklin, Kansas ^[289]
	Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Self
Residence: 4 th April 1887	Tacoma, Pierce, Washington ^[288]
	Marital Status: Single

²⁸⁵ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Deaths and Burials Index, 1650-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

²⁸⁶ Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Hale Cemetery Inscriptions and Newspaper Notices, 1629-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.
[Source citation includes one media item]

²⁸⁷ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

²⁸⁸ Ancestry.com, Washington State and Territorial Censuses, 1857-1892 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2006), Ancestry.com.

²⁸⁹ Ancestry.com and The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1880 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1880; Census Place: Ottawa, Franklin, Kansas; Roll: 381; Family History Film: 1254381; Page: 129D; Enumeration District: 088; Image: 0709.

²⁹⁰ Ancestry.com, Ohio, County Marriages, 1774-1993 (Lehi, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2016), Ancestry.com.

At the age of 23, Theodore Crosby married **Elizabeth H Hoyt** on Monday, 27th October 1851, in New York when she was 22 years old.^[287, 289, 290]
<http://www.americanancestors.org/PageDetail.aspx?recordId=234239904>
!m. by Rev A Perkins

They had five children: Theodore (1853–1920), Louis (1855–1925), Gussie (1861–1951), Elizabeth (1864–1866) and Allison (1869–). Elizabeth H was born in Bethel, Fairfield, Connecticut, on Saturday, 8th August 1829.^[287, 289] She was the daughter of Starr Hoyt and Sally Maria Nichols.

Elizabeth H reached 56 years of age and died in Elmira, Chemung, New York, on 5th January 1886.^[287] She was buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, Elmira, on 7th January 1886.^[287]

!BIRTH-DEATH: Letter from Helen M Sears, Rancho Mirage, CA, to Ray Sears; 1988; Letter dtd 22 Aug 1989; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; died of cancer.

m II. **William Henry Sears** was born in Danbury on 23rd December 1830.^[291]

More facts and events for William Henry Sears:

Residence: 1866 San Francisco^[291]
StreetAddress: 517 Leavenworth; Age: 36

William Henry Sears married **Rose Richmond**. They have no known children.

Rose was born in perh, Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut, in 1834.

m III. **Francis Augustus Frank Sears** was born in Danbury on 18th September 1833.^[292–294]

More facts and events for Francis Augustus Frank Sears:

Residence: 1850 Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut^[294]
Residence: 1st July 1863 Buffalo, Erie, New York^[292]
Marital Status: Married
Residence: 1865 Buffalo^[293]
Relation to Head of House: Head

At the age of 23, Francis Augustus Frank Sears married **Roxcellana Parish** on Tuesday, 15th September 1857, when she was 19 years old.^[293] They had four children: Stephen (1860–1898), Alfred (1863–), Lewis (1865–) and Sarah (1867–1875).

Roxcellana was born in Canandaigua, Ontario, on Thursday, 5th April 1838.^[293] She was the daughter of Isaac Parish.

Roxcellana reached 29 years of age and died in Buffalo on 6th September 1867.

f IV. **Mary Eliza Sears** was born in Danbury on 15th October 1836.^[294]

More facts and events for Mary Eliza Sears:

Residence: 1850 Danbury^[294]

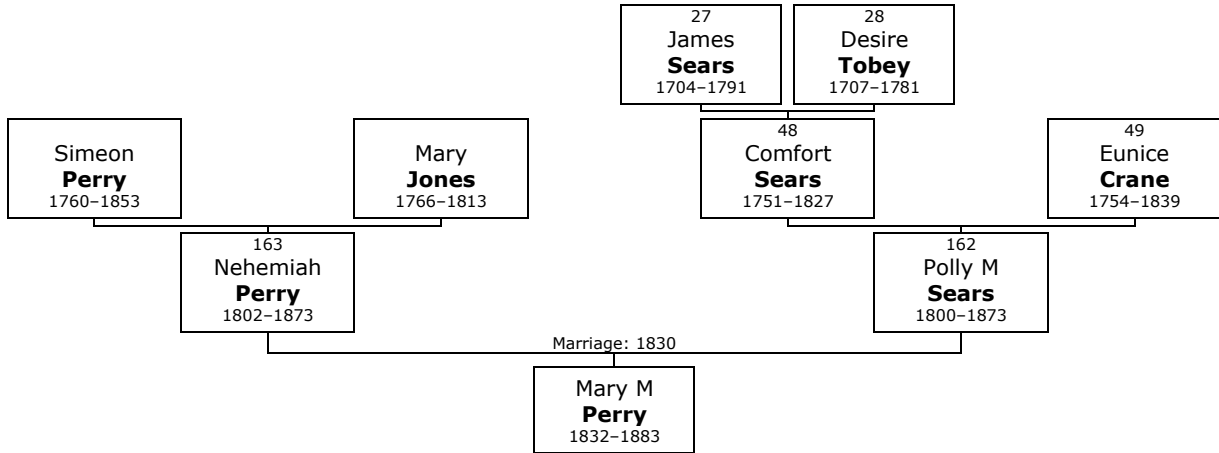
²⁹¹ Ancestry.com, California, Voter Registers, 1866-1898 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, California State Library; Sacramento, California; Great Registers, 1866-1898; Collection Number: 4-2A; CSL Roll Number: 43; FHL Roll Number: 977099. Record for William Henry Sears.
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=2495&h=80642725&indiv=try>.

²⁹² Ancestry.com, U.S., Civil War Draft Registrations Records, 1863-1865 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, National Archives and Records Administration (NARA); Washington, D.C.; Consolidated Lists of Civil War Draft Registration Records (Provost Marshal General's Bureau; Consolidated Enrollment Lists, 1863-1865); Record Group: 110, Records of the Provost Marsha.

²⁹³ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1865 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

²⁹⁴ Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut; Roll: M432_37; Page: 140B; Image: 284.

Family of Polly Sears and Nehemiah Perry



- 162. Polly M⁴ Sears** (*Comfort³, James²*) was born on Saturday, 26th July 1800, in Ridgefield, Fairfield, Connecticut, USA.^[295] She was the daughter of Comfort Sears (48) and Eunice Crane (49). Polly M died in Patterson on 12th April 1873, at the age of 72.^[295] She was buried in 72-8-16 Sears Burying Ground, Southeast.^[295]

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4793>

More facts and events for Polly M Sears:

Residence: 1870 Patterson^[295]

- 163.** At the age of 30, Polly M married **Nehemiah Perry** on Wednesday, 22nd December 1830, in Southeast, Dutchess, when he was 28 years old.^[295] They had one daughter: Mary (1832–1883). Nehemiah was born at was Franklin, Dutchess, New York in Patterson, Putnam, on Friday, 5th November 1802.^[295] He was the son of Simeon Perry and Mary Jones. Nehemiah reached 70 years of age and died in Patterson on 17th January 1873.^[295] He was buried in Brewster Hill.^[295]
- <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/153818667/person/252032439359/facts>
 Caiside7- Harwich, Barnstable, Massachusetts, USA- 9 Apr

Hi. I came across your tree on Ancestry. I'm researching Simeon Perry family Rev. soldier of Patterson, Putnam Co NY. I see that you have an error in your tree in regard to Nehemiah Perry, spouse of Polly M Sears. You don't have sources, so I can't check where you got this, but I offer this correction.

Nehemiah was born 5 Nov 1802 in Franklin, Dutchess Co NY. (now Patterson, Putnam Co.) son of Simeon Perry and Mary Jones Perry. Nehemiah and Polly Sears (dau of Comfort and Eunice Crane Sears) were married 22 Dec 1830 in Town of Southeast, NY, which differs from your marriage, (which I also have as a 2nd possibility) of 1831 in CT. Nehemiah died 17 Jan 1873 and Polly 12 Apr 1873. Both are buried in the Old Sears Burying Ground (aka, Old Southeast Church Cemetery) .

I've been trying for a long time to find Simeon Perry's parents with no luck. New York does not have good records. I suspect he may be related to the Perrys of Sandwich, MA, but can't make the link. I used to live in Putnam County NY, and live in Harwich, MA, now. It is fun to see so many of the Putnam County settler names (Sears, Crosby, Doane, etc.) on tombstones on the Cape.

Cheers,
 Janet Cassidy
 11:42 AM

PS: I just noticed a James A Perry b 1821 married to Esther Sears . You have him born in Paterson NJ. Are you sure that's correct? It would make more sense that he was born in Patterson, Putnam, NY, since it borders Danbury, Fairfield Co CT.

²⁹⁵ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Nehemiah Perry. <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:LC88-91Q>.

Patterson NY has a long history of name changes. I can explain if you are interested.
Janet

More facts and events for Nehemiah Perry:

Residence: 1850 Patterson^[295]

Residence: 1860 Patterson^[295]

Residence: 1870 Patterson^[295]

Daughter of Polly M Sears and Nehemiah Perry:

f I. **Mary M⁵ Perry** was born in New York in 1832.^[295] She died in Patterson on 3rd February 1883, at the age of 51.^[295]

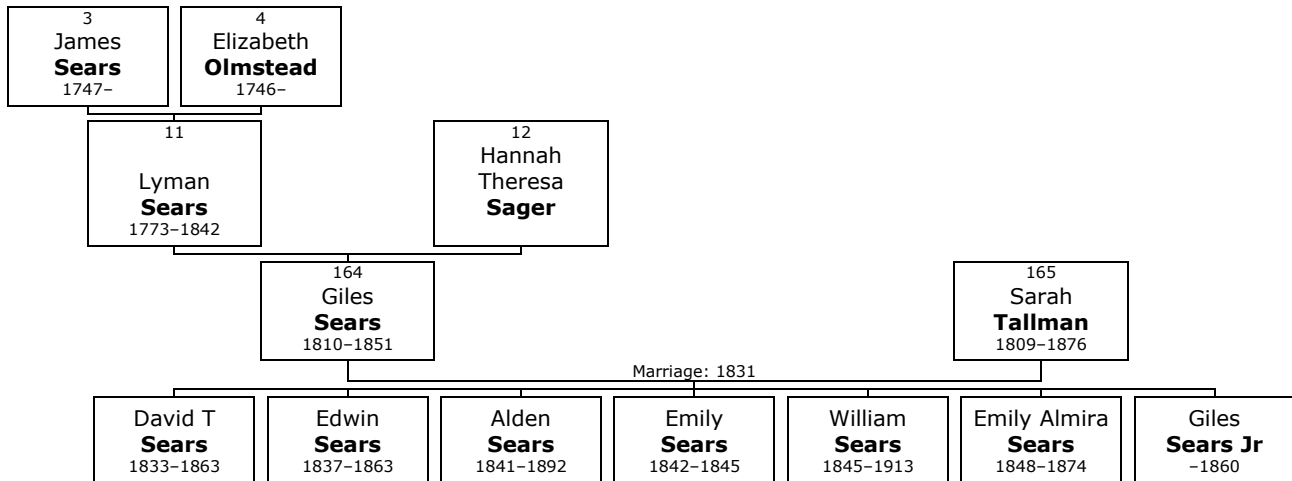
More facts and events for Mary M Perry:

Residence: 1880 Patterson^[295]

Mary M married **Hawley Hayt**. They had two children: Carrie and Edgar.

Nephews/nieces

Family of Giles Sears and Sarah Tallman



164. **Giles⁵ Sears** (*Lyman⁴, James³, James²*) was born in 1810 in Sutton, Brome-Missisquoi, Quebec, Canada.^[296-298] He was the son of Lyman Sears (11) and Hannah Theresa Sager (12).

Giles died in Sutton on 12th March 1851, at the age of 41.^[296, 297] He was buried in Sweet Cemetery, Draper Hill, Sutton.^[296, 297]

!Richard E Sears, Star Rt Box 70, Tunbridge, VT 05077 Indicates that a Hawley genealogy shows Giles father removed to Canada and was James who m. Elizabeth Olmstead.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-5799>

165. Giles married **Sarah Tallman** on Wednesday, 14th December 1831, in Berkshire, Franklin, Vermont, USA.^[296, 298] They had seven children: David (1833–1863), Edwin (1837–1863), Alden (1841–1892), Emily (1842–1845), William (1845–1913), Emily (1848–1874) and Giles (–1860).

Sarah was born in New York in 1809.^[296] She reached 67 years of age and died on 24th July 1876.^[296] Sarah was buried.^[296] Sweet Cem, Draper Hill, Sutton.

Children of Giles Sears and Sarah Tallman:

- m I. **David T⁶ Sears** was born in 1833.^[296] He died on 9th October 1863, at the age of 30.^[296] David T was buried in Sutton, Brome-Missisquoi, Quebec, Canada.^[296]
- m II. **Edwin Sears** was born in 1837.^[296] He died on 20th February 1863, at the age of 26.^[296] Edwin was buried in Sutton, Brome-Missisquoi, Quebec, Canada.^[296]
- m III. **Alden Sears** was born in 1841. He died on 8th November 1892, at the age of 51.
Alden married **Eliza V Pound**.
Alden married **Elizabeth Lee**. They had four children: Edwin (1864–), Elwin (1871–1923), Arthur (1873–1874) and Alice (1876–1877).
Elizabeth was born in 1846. She reached 32 years of age and died on 22nd November 1878.
- IV. **Emily Sears** was born in 1842.^[296] He or she died on 7th September 1845, at the age of 3.^[296] Emily was buried in Sutton, Brome-Missisquoi, Quebec, Canada.^[296]

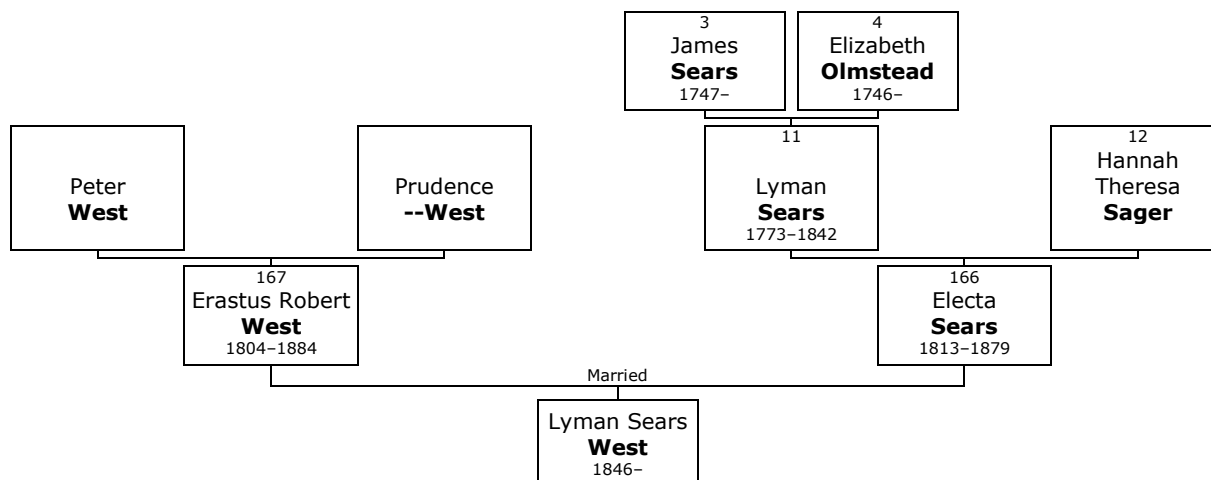
²⁹⁶ Ancestry.com, Canada, Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com, Record for Giles Sears. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=60527&h=3263891&indiv=try>.

²⁹⁷ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<http://familysearch.org> : modified 21 July 2014, 20:49), entry for Giles Sears(PID <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:KH7H-BD7>); contributed by various users. PersonID KH7H-BD7. Giles Sears.

²⁹⁸ Ancestry.com, Vermont, Vital Records, 1720-1908 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com, Record for Giles Sears. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=4661&h=664835&indiv=try>. [Source citation includes one media item]

- m V. **William Sears** was born on 16th February 1845. He died on 25th May 1913, at the age of 68.
William Sears married **Daphne P Smith**. They had five children: Harriet (-1989), Lillian, Ernest, Sarah and Hermon.
Daphne P was born on Saturday, 11th February 1854.
- f VI. **Emily Almira Sears** was born in 1848.^[296] She died on 27th March 1874, at the age of 26.^[296] Emily Almira was buried in Sutton, Brome-Missisquoi, Quebec, Canada.^[296]
- m VII. **Giles Sears Jr.**^[296] Giles died on 21st September 1860.^[296] He was buried in Sutton, Brome-Missisquoi, Quebec, Canada.^[296]

Family of Electa Sears and Erastus West



- 166. Electa⁵ Sears** (*Lyman⁴, James³, James²*) was born on Monday, 26th July 1813. She was the daughter of Lyman Sears (11) and Hannah Theresa Sager (12).

Electa was christened in 1845. She died at 65y 7m 2d in Jay, Orleans, Vermont, USA, on 28th February 1879, at the age of 65. Electa was buried in Methodist Cemetery, Farnham, Brome-Missisquoi, Quebec, Canada.

Always Westward by Vivian West Broberg, Fine Print Inc, 1984, Fargo, ND Broberg- found a tombstone in Methodist Cemetery, Farnum, Quebec E. West shows d. 24 Sep 1873 ae 60y eleven years before Erastus but the label on the tombstone, E. West, is a little vague. The d. date 28 Feb 1879 here is from Diane Sears Brigode, Jay, NY town records. a record of the baptism of Electa West of he Seignory of St Arrmand and of the district of Montreal by Erastus's brother Elder Paul Vining West, and witnessed by a John F West (probably another brother) on 15 Jun 1845. The record is from the minister's bound notebook repository the Provincial Archives, Sherbrooke, P.Q. [p. 49] there are records of land transactions, e.g. 12 Jun 1841, Erastus of the township of Sutton sold for a sum of twenty-five pounds to Willard Gleason-"one-eighth par of lot number ten in the eleventh range of lots in Sutton township of the northwest corner and west side of said lot running half the length of said lot."

Jay, VT town records are specific Electa West d. 28 Feb 1879, Jay, Orleans, Vermont 65y 7m 2d

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-5800>

- 167.** She married **Erastus Robert West**. They had one son: Lyman (1846-).

Erastus Robert was born in Alburg, Grand Isle, Vermont, USA, on Tuesday, 7th August 1804. He was the son of Peter West and Prudence --West.

Erastus Robert reached 79 years of age and died at 79y 7m 12d in Jay, Orleans, on 19th March 1884.

Always Westward by Vivian West Broberg, Fine Print Inc, 1984, Fargo, ND d ae 79,7,12 = born 7 Aug 1804 Erastus Robert West, father of Lyman Sears West, and the second son of Peter West and Prudence Niles, was born in Alburgh, Vermont in 1804. He died 19 Mar 1884 at Jay, Vermont. His wife Electa Sears West, died ...It was said that Erastus was an itinerant Methodist minister. Of this we cannot be certain, but it is a fact that he moved a great deal- to Canada where he married and some of his children were born, then back to Jay, Vermont where other of his children were born, then back to Canada ...then back to Jay where he

died 19 Mar 1884.

Diane Brigode
Attachments
Feb 4, 2020, 9:36 AM (4 days ago)
to Andrew, me

Hi Ray,

Thanks for your comments, but I just muddle through as best I can! Will think about the publishing.

A couple of other things I'm going to send. I don't know what you do with things like this first one.

1) Electa Sears West. The date of death you show (24 September 1873, and buried at the Methodist Cemetery in Farnham Quebec for Electa. It is the date Vivian gave me. This has found it's way to findagrave also. But I am including her death record from the Vermont Vital Records Index, which gives her date of death as 28 February 1879 at Jay, Vermont. Electa and husband Erastus lived at Jay in 1860 and 1870 - and Erastus was there with a son in 1880. Findagrave has Erastus buried at Jay, but there is no stone or anything. Don't know the source. "E. West" on the stone at Farnham is sort of vague - there could have been several E. Wests in the area. But the one in the Jay death record is quite specific. So anyway, that's that! Do you have anything further on this, or any thoughts?

Vermont Vital Records Index
West, Erastus
Age: 79 years, 7 months, 12 days
Occupation: Farmer
Born Alburgh
Father: Peter West
Mother: Prudence
Died March 19, 1884
Cause: old age
Recorded at Jay

Vermont Vital Records Index - Deaths - Jay, Vermont
Name: West, Electa (Sears)
Age 65 years, 7 months, 2 days
Father's name: Lyman Sears
Mother's Maiden Name: Hannah
Died Feb. 28, 1879
Cause: Heart Disease

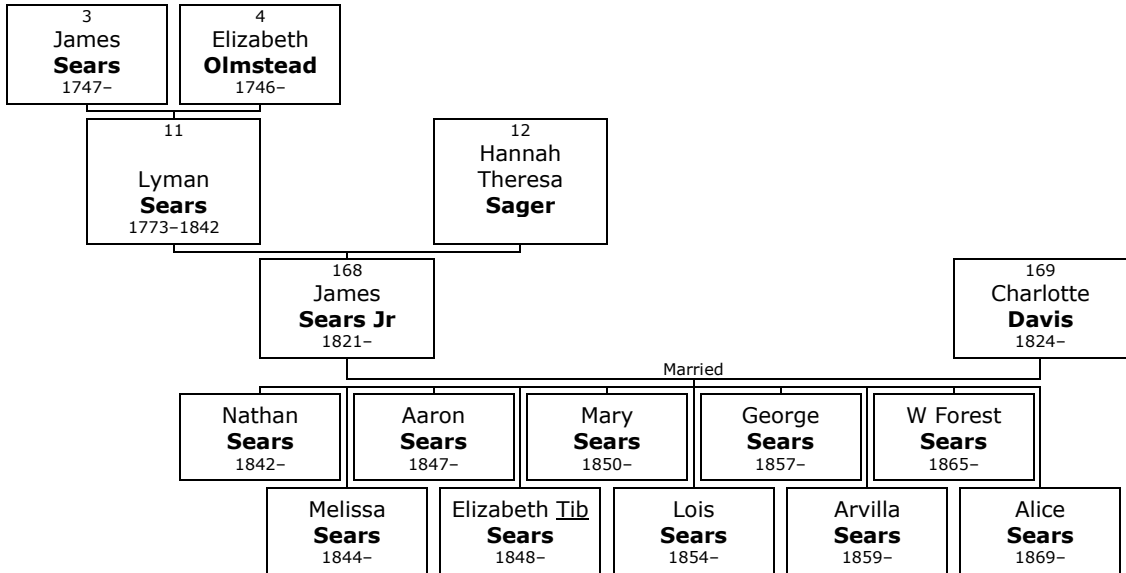
2) I'm including a FGS for the family of Thirza Sears and Ephraim Hawley also. My sources generally are church records, Cemetery records, and a large Hawley family tree I received from Quebec. Maybe some notarial docs here and there. Can be more specific.

Diane Sears Brigode.

Son of Electa Sears and Erastus Robert West:

- m I. **Lyman Sears⁶ West** was born in prob Seignory of St Armand, Montréal, Montréal (Urban Agglomeration), Quebec, Canada, in 1846.
Lyman Sears married **Miriam Coburn**. They had one son: Frank (1880–1946).
Miriam was born in Frost Village, Shefford, La Haute-Yamaska, on Sunday, 10th May 1846. She was the daughter of George Coburn and Eliza Bowles.
Miriam reached 80 years of age and died in Akron, Big Stone, Minnesota, USA, on 12th May 1926.
Always Westward by Vivian West Broberg, Fine Print Inc, 1984, Fargo, ND p. 56 FGS b., chr., d., m., bur., child, parents

Family of James Sears and Charlotte Davis



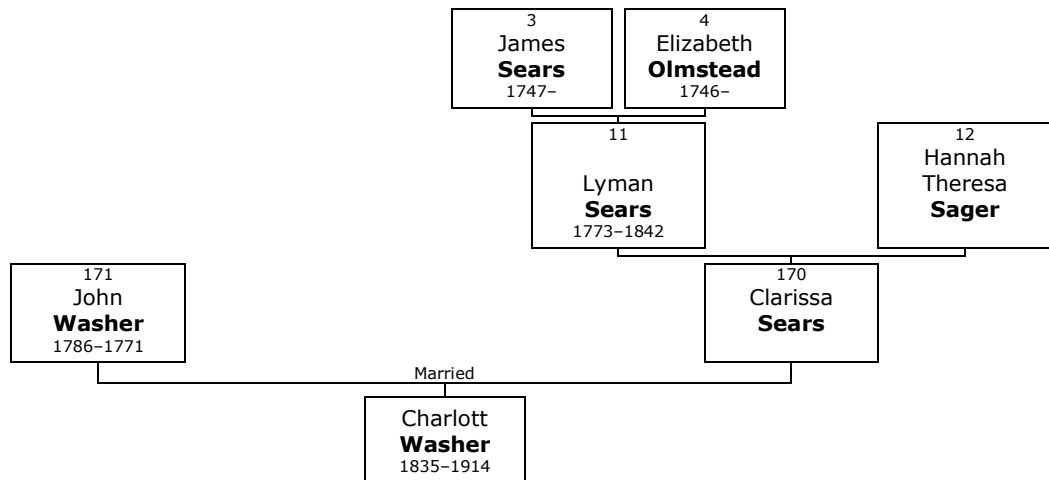
168. **James⁵ Sears Jr** (*Lyman⁴, James³, James²*) was born in 1821. He was the son of Lyman Sears (11) and Hannah Theresa Sager (12).

169. He married **Charlotte Davis**. They had ten children: Nathan (1842-), Melissa (1844-), Aaron (1847-), Tib (1848-), Mary (1850-), Lois (1854-), George (1857-), Arvilla (1859-), W (1865-) and Alice (1869-).
Charlotte was born in 1824.

Children of James Sears Jr and Charlotte Davis:

- m I. **Nathan⁶ Sears** was born in 1842.
- f II. **Melissa Sears** was born in 1844.
- m III. **Aaron Sears** was born in 1847.
- f IV. **Elizabeth Tib Sears** was born in 1848.
- f V. **Mary Sears** was born in 1850.
- f VI. **Lois Sears** was born in 1854.
- m VII. **George Sears** was born in 1857.
- f VIII. **Arvilla Sears** was born in 1859.
- m IX. **W Forest Sears** was born in 1865.
- f X. **Alice Sears** was born in 1869.

Family of Clarissa Sears and John Washer



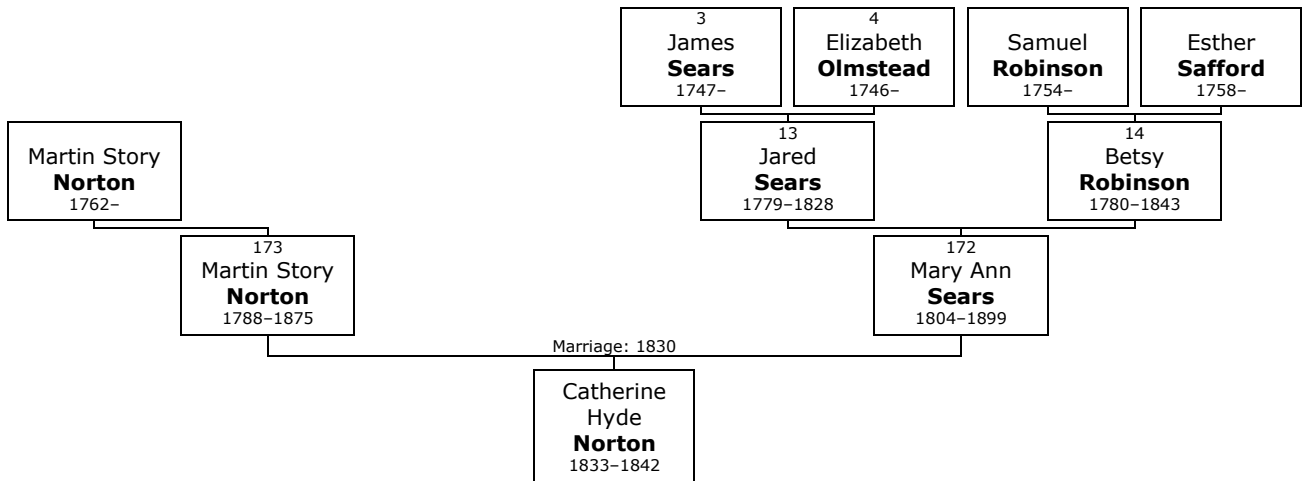
170. Clarissa⁵ Sears (*Lyman⁴, James³, James²*). She is the daughter of Lyman Sears (11) and Hannah Theresa Sager (12).

171. She married **John Washer**. They had one daughter: Charlott (1835–1914).
 He reached -15 years of age and died on 11th May 1771. John was born in 1786.
 d. date of 11 May 1771 must be wrong?

Daughter of Clarissa Sears and John Washer:

- f I. **Charlott⁶ Washer** was born in 1835. She died in 1914 at the age of 79.
 Charlott married **Stephen A Stickney**. They had one daughter: Ella (1866–).
 Stephen A was born in 1830. He reached 85 years of age and died in 1915.

Family of Mary Sears and Martin Norton



172. Mary Ann⁵ Sears (*Jared⁴, James³, James²*) was born on Thursday, 5th April 1804, in Swanton, Franklin, Vermont, USA. She was the daughter of Jared Sears (13) and Betsy Robinson (14).

Mary Ann died in Grass Valley, Nevada, California, in 1899 at the age of 94.

!S.P. May No 1638 p.280 She resides Grass Valley, CA

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-5820>

173. At the age of 26, Mary Ann married **Martin Story Norton** on Monday, 10th May 1830, in Bennington, Vermont, when he was 41 years old. They had one daughter: Catherine (1833–1842).

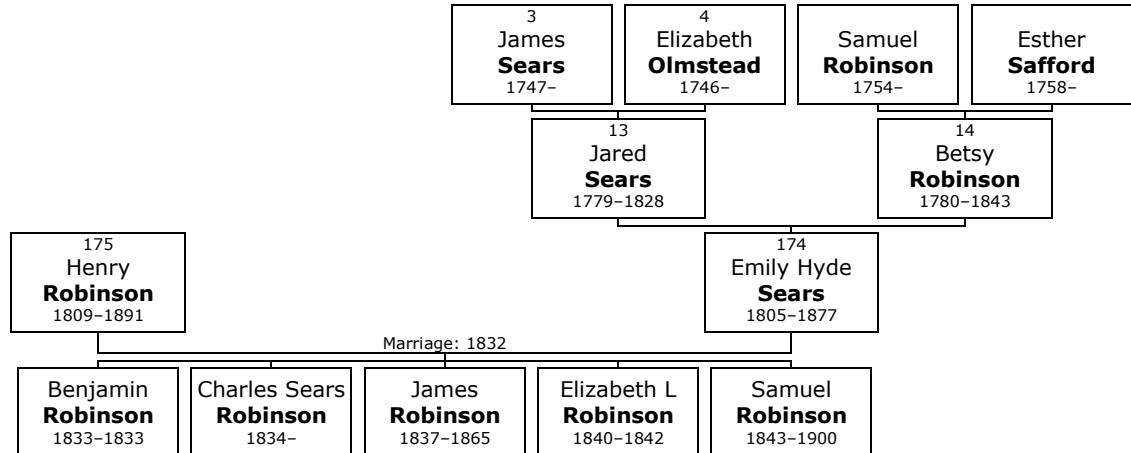
Martin Story was born in Bennington on Friday, 21st November 1788. He was the son of Martin Story Norton.

Martin Story reached 86 years of age and died in Grass Valley, Nevada, California, on 11th February 1875.

Daughter of Mary Ann Sears and Martin Story Norton:

- f I. **Catherine Hyde⁶ Norton** was born in Bennington on 12th June 1833. She died in 1842 at the age of 8.

Family of Emily Sears and Henry Robinson



- 174.** **Emily Hyde⁵ Sears** (*Jared⁴, James³, James²*) was born on Friday, 20th September 1805, in Swanton, Franklin, Vermont, USA. She was the daughter of Jared Sears (13) and Betsy Robinson (14).

Emily Hyde died on 8th April 1877, at the age of 71. She was buried in Charlotte in 1887.

!S.P. May No 1684 p.280 Lives in Charlotte, MI

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-5821>

More facts and events for Emily Hyde Sears:

Residence: 1880 Charlotte

- 175.** At the age of 26, Emily Hyde married **Henry Robinson** on Saturday, 21st April 1832, in Bennington, Vermont, when he was 23 years old. They had five children: Benjamin (1833-1833), Charles (1834-), James (1837-1865), Elizabeth (1840-1842) and Samuel (1843-1900).

Henry was born in Bennington on Sunday, 5th February 1809. He worked as a REVEREND.

Henry reached 82 years of age and died on 11th April 1891. He was buried in Vermontville.

More facts and events for Henry Robinson:

Residence: 1880 Charlotte

Children of Emily Hyde Sears and Henry Robinson:

- m I. **Benjamin⁶ Robinson** was born in Bennington on 1st March 1833. He died in Bennington on 3rd March 1833.
- m II. **Charles Sears Robinson** was born in Bennington on 4th December 1834.^[299]
 Charles Sears married **Asenath Brooks** on Sunday, 22nd June 1856. They had two daughters: Maggie (1857-) and Frances (1861-1862).
 Asenath was born in perh, Bennington, in 1835. She reached 27 years of age and died on 2nd January 1862.
 Charles Sears Robinson married **Bertha H Peterson** on Saturday, 19th August 1865. They had three children: William (1867-1869), Emily (1869-) and Albert (1873-).
 Bertha H was born in perh in 1844.
- m III. **James Robinson** was born in Troy, Albany, New York, on 22nd January 1837. He died on 10th June 1865, at the age of 28.

²⁹⁹ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<http://familysearch.org> : modified 16 May 2016, 23:32), entry for Charles Sears Robinson(PID <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:KCFL-PCN>); contributed by various users. PersonID KCFL-PCN. Charles Sears Robinson.

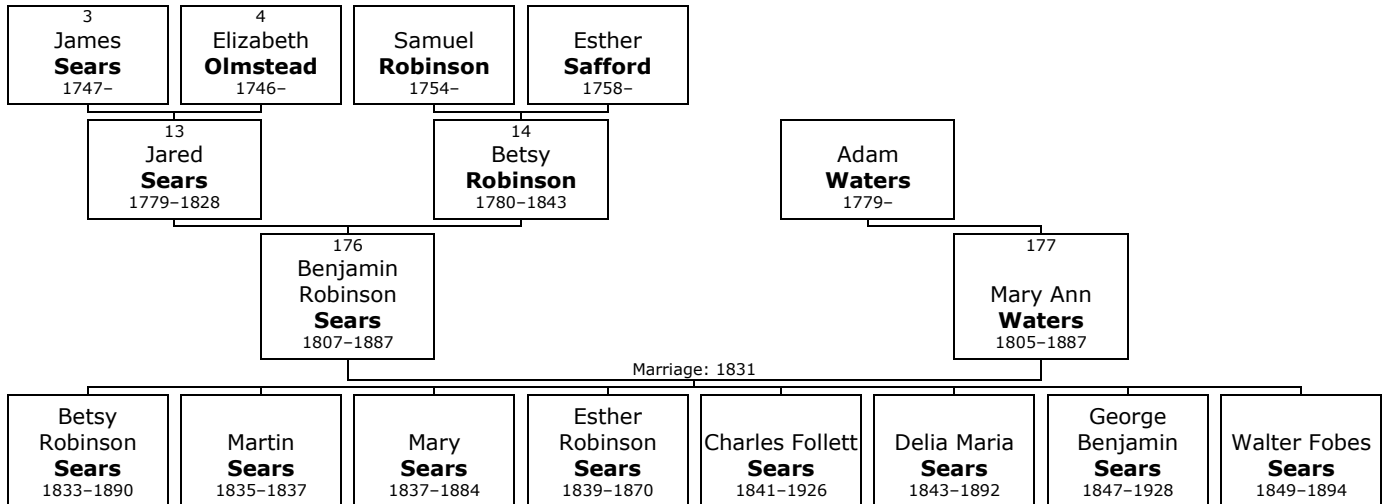
- f IV. **Elizabeth L Robinson** was born in perh, Troy, Rensselaer, on 11th January 1840. She died on 18th November 1842, at the age of 2.
- m V. **Samuel Robinson** was born in perh on 17th December 1843. He died on 4th July 1900, at the age of 56.

At the age of 26, Samuel Robinson married **Rosa H Whitcomb** on Tuesday, 22nd February 1870, when she was 24 years old. They had seven children: Emily (1872-), Samuel (1874-), Henry (1878-), Harry (1880-), Hazel (1882-), Lawrence (1884-) and Frank (1886-).

Rosa H was born on Wednesday, 11th June 1845.

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Family of Benjamin Sears and Mary Waters



176. Hon Benjamin Robinson⁵ Sears (Jared⁴, James³, James²) was born on Monday, 21st December 1807, in Bennington, Vermont, USA.^[300, 301] He was the son of Jared Sears (13) and Betsy Robinson (14).

Benjamin Robinson died in Bennington on 14th December 1887, at the age of 79.^[300] He was buried in Bennington.^[300]

!S.P. May p.425, No 1685 Benjamin Sears lives in Bennington Centre, VT; was Rep. to State Leg.in 1858.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-5822>

!Benjamin R Sears, JR - [Sunday, 20 Nov 1831. Ben. R. Sears was this eve'g by Mr Teesdell wedd'd to Miss M.A. Waters - likewise by the same at the house of s'd Sears - Mr Zebinah Forbes[sic] of Middleton, VT to Miss Lucy R Sears of this village. Adeline was present at these weddings which by previous arrangement were attended only by a few. (From the diary of Benjamin Harwood of Bennington, VT)] !BRS He was a wheelwright. He could lay out a course of lumber for buildings; in modern carpentry terms he would be called a framer. He served for two years as a "side" or assistant judge County Court 1862-3 and afterwards was usually referred to as Judge or the Honorable Benjamin Sears. Cassano, Lynne M., ed. Bennington, !

!Vermont Cemetery Inscriptions. [database online] Orem, UT: Ancestry, Inc., 1999.

Sect: 0E Lot:0001 Sex:M Trans:LC Name:SEARS BENJAMIN R. Cem No:BE008 F BD:21 DEC 1887 DD:14 DEC 1887 H/O MARY ANN (WATERS) SEARS COMMENT MAP CP CD CT S CV L NO GRAVE STONE HTSTONE WIDFSEXISTSEX DATE (551 000A M G U G 1 FT1997)

177. At the age of 23, Benjamin Robinson married **Mary Ann Waters** on Sunday, 20th November 1831, in Bennington when she was 26 years old.^[300, 301] They had eight children: Betsy (1833-1890), Martin (1835-

³⁰⁰ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

³⁰¹ Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.
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1837), Mary (1837–1884), Esther (1839–1870), Charles (1841–1926), Delia (1843–1892), George (1847–1928) and Walter (1849–1894).

Mary Ann was born in Bennington on Monday, 28th October 1805.^[300, 301] She was the daughter of Adam Waters.

Mary Ann reached 81 years of age and died in Bennington on 3rd July 1887.^[300] She was buried in Bennington, Bennington.^[300]

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Children of Benjamin Robinson Sears and Mary Ann Waters:

- f I. **Betsy Robinson⁶ Sears** was born in Bennington on 11th May 1833. She died in Bennington on 1st December 1890, at the age of 57. Betsy Robinson was buried in Bennington.
- m II. **Martin Sears** was born in Bennington on 26th February 1835. He died in Bennington on 16th November 1837, at the age of 2. Martin was buried in Bennington.
- f III. **Mary Sears** was born in Bennington on 12th February 1837. She died on 27th April 1884, at the age of 47. Mary was buried in Bennington.
At the age of 24, Mary married **Edward Walbridge** on Tuesday, 28th January 1862, in Bennington when he was 30 years old. They had one daughter: Harriet (1871–1961).
Edward was born in Bennington on Sunday, 14th August 1831. He reached 77 years of age and died on 15th May 1909.
!Ben. R Sears, Jr. shows b. 14 Aug 1831 !John W Sears Archive: b. date corrected to 14 Aug from 10 Aug
- f IV. **Esther Robinson Sears** was born in Bennington on 24th February 1839. She died on 23rd September 1870, at the age of 31. Esther Robinson was buried in Bennington.
Esther Robinson Sears married **John P Harwood** on Tuesday, 28th June 1864, in Bennington. They have no known children.
John P was born in perh, Bennington, in 1835.
- m V. **Charles Follett Sears** was born in Bennington on 23rd May 1841. He died in 1926 at the age of 84. Charles Follett was buried in Bennington.



Charles

At the age of 25, Charles Follett Sears married **Sarah Metcalf Ammen** on Tuesday, 15th January 1867, in Bennington when she was 21 years old. They had five children: Gracie (1868–1880), Benjamin (1870–1940), Carrie (1876–1880), Lucy (1882–1892) and Norton (1883–1892).

Sarah Metcalf was born in Washington, Mississippi, on Tuesday, 28th January 1845.

She reached 46 years of age and died on 18th May 1891. Sarah Metcalf was buried in Bennington, Vermont.

!Ben. R Sears, Jr shows b. 23 Jan 1845

!Cassano, Lynne M., ed. Bennington, Vermont Cemetery Inscriptions. [database online] Orem, UT: Ancestry, Inc., 1999.

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At the age of 54, Charles Follett Sears married **Jane (Jennie) Elizabeth Robinson** on Wednesday, 27th November 1895, when she was 39 years old. They have no known children.

Jane (Jennie) Elizabeth was born in perh, Bennington, on Friday, 23rd May 1856. She was the daughter of George W Robinson and Jane Elizabeth Hinsdill.

Jane (Jennie) Elizabeth reached 80 years of age and died in 1937.

!John W Sears Archive: d. date

!Benjamin R Sears, Jr - Third cousin to husband Charles

- f VI. **Delia Maria Sears** was born in Bennington on 5th June 1843.^[300, 302] She died in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, on 12th November 1892, at the age of 49.^[300] Delia Maria was buried in Bennington, Bennington, Vermont.^[300]

At the age of 29, Delia Maria Sears married **Orvin J Roe** on Tuesday, 20th August 1872, in Bennington when he was 23 years old. They have no known children.

Orvin J was born in Shoreham, Addison, on Monday, 13th November 1848.

- m VII. **George Benjamin Sears** was born in Bennington on 1st January 1847.^[301, 303, 304] He died in Bennington, Bennington, Vermont, on 24th August 1928, at the age of 81.^[301, 304] George Benjamin was buried in Bennington.



George

More facts and events for George Benjamin Sears:

Residence: 1910 Ward 12, Manhattan, New York, New York^[303]

Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Boarder

Residence: White Plains, Westchester^[304]

George Benjamin Sears married **Antoinette L Nettie Joy** on Tuesday, 11th May 1869, in Momence, Kankakee, Illinois.^[301] They had three sons: Clarence (1870–1925), Duane (1871–1956) and Robbie (1875–1880).

Nettie was born in perh, Momence, in 1850.^[301] She was the daughter of Edwin Joy and Nettie L Keyes.

Nettie reached 78 years of age and died in 1928. She was buried in Bennington, Vermont.

!Ben. R Sears, Jr styled "Nettie" death date Cassano, Lynne M., ed. Bennington, Vermont Cemetery Inscriptions. [database online] Orem, UT: Ancestry, Inc., 1999. 0D 0074 F LC SEARS NETTIE K. BE008 F 0 1850 0 1928 0 0 0 0 W/O GEORGE B. SEARS 863 000E G U G 2 FT1997

- m VIII. **Walter Fobes Sears** was born in Bennington on 12th November 1849.^[300, 305] He died in Steelton, Dauphin, Pennsylvania, on 1st September 1894, at the age of 44.^[300] Walter Fobes was buried in Steelton.^[300]



Walter

At the age of 35, Walter Fobes Sears married **Harriet Robinson Harrington** on Thursday, 22nd October 1885, in Wilmington, Brunswick, North Carolina, when she was 35 years old.^[300, 305] They had two children: Alice (1886–1989) and Walter (1888–1970).

Harriet Robinson was born in Bennington, Vermont, on Monday, 14th October 1850.^[300] She was the daughter of Moses Harrington and Sarah Ann Robinson.

³⁰² Ancestry.com, Vermont, Vital Records, 1720-1908 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.
³⁰³ Ancestry.com, 1910 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2006), Ancestry.com, Year: 1910; Census Place: Manhattan Ward 12, New York, New York; Roll: T624_1023; Page: 6A; Enumeration District: 0590; FHL microfilm: 1375036.
³⁰⁴ Ancestry.com, Vermont, Death Records, 1909-2008 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, Vermont State Archives and Records Administration; Montpelier, Vermont; Vermont Death Records, 1909-2008; User Box Number: PR-01923; Roll Number: S-30867; Archive Number: M-2051519.
³⁰⁵ Ancestry.com, U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2015), Ancestry.com.

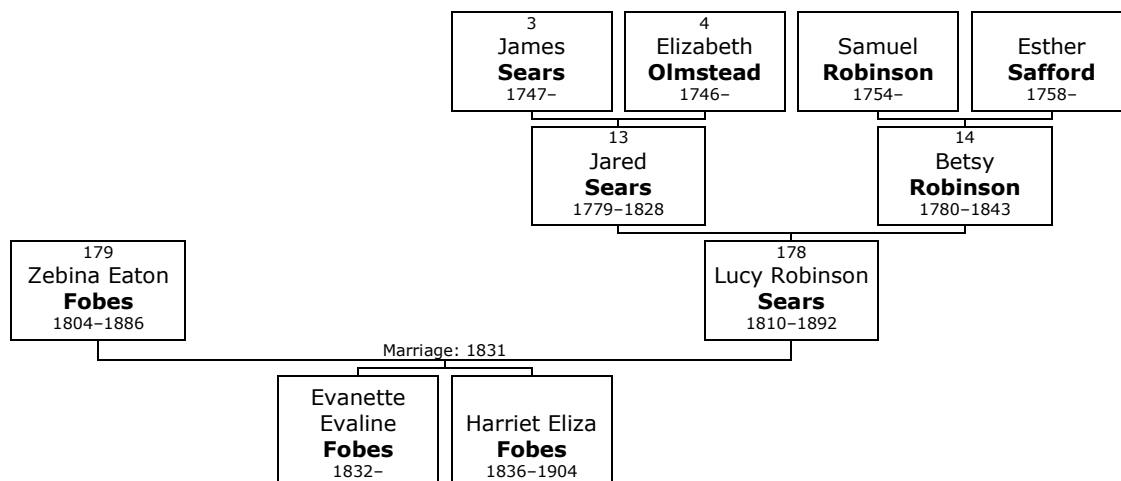
Harriet Robinson reached 88 years of age and died in Newton, Middlesex, Massachusetts, on 24th November 1938.^[300] She was buried in Bennington, Vermont.^[300]

!Ben R. Sears, Jr. dates She was a member of the class of 1872 at Vassar College (the "first graduating class") and when widowed, began work as a teacher. In her early years she was required to teach Greek even though she had no background in it. She enrolled in a course in the language and was usually only a few days ahead of her students. She returned to Bennington a few years after her husbands death to live and raise her two children.

!Biography and Genealogy Master Index, 2d ed, Gale Research, ISBN 0-8103-1094-5, p140; WomWWA 14

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Family of Lucy Sears and Zebina Fobes



- 178.** **Lucy Robinson⁵ Sears** (*Jared⁴, James³, James²*) was born on Tuesday, 13th February 1810, in St Albans, Franklin, Vermont, USA. She was the daughter of Jared Sears (13) and Betsy Robinson (14).

Lucy Robinson died on 10th February 1892, at the age of 81.

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- 179.** At the age of 21, Lucy Robinson married **Zebina Eaton Fobes** on Sunday, 20th November 1831, in St Albans when he was 27 years old. They had two daughters: Evanette (1832-) and Harriet (1836-1904).

Zebina Eaton was born in Middleborough, Plymouth, Massachusetts, on Monday, 19th November 1804. He reached 81 years of age and died on 29th May 1886.

Daughters of Lucy Robinson Sears and Zebina Eaton Fobes:

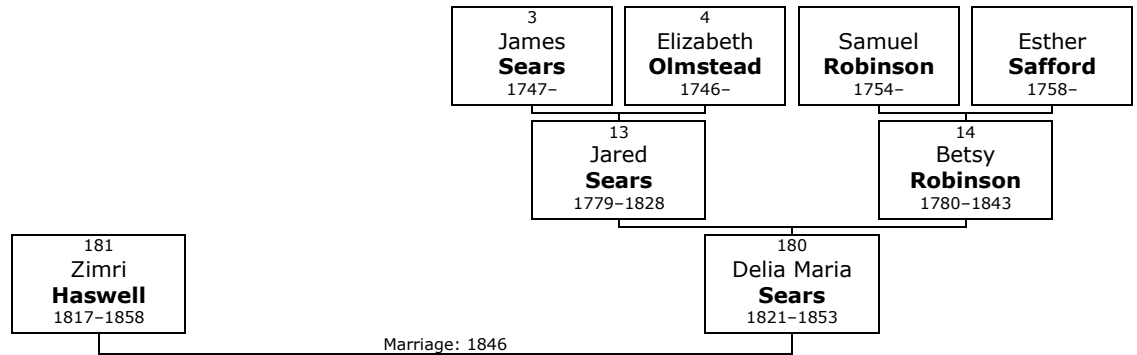
- f I. **Evanette Evaline⁶ Fobes** was born in Middletown Springs, Rutland, on 11th November 1832.
- Evanette Evaline married **Corra Osborn** on Wednesday, 13th July 1859. They had one son: Lucy (1860-).
- Corra was born in perh, Middletown Springs, in 1828.
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- f II. **Harriet Eliza Fobes** was born in perh, Middletown Springs, on 20th May 1836.^[306] She died in 1904 at the age of 67.

³⁰⁶ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<http://familysearch.org> : modified 11 May 2016, 04:11), entry for Harriet Eliza Forbes(PID <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:KZYT-XRS>); contributed by various users. PersonID KZYT-XRS. Harriet Eliza Forbes.

Harriet Eliza Fobes married **Asa D Lyon** on Thursday, 8th October 1857. They had three sons: Colbert (1858-), Job (1860-) and Sears (1862-).

Asa D died on 1st September 1904.

Family of Delia Sears and Zimri Haswell



180. Delia Maria⁵ Sears (*Jared⁴, James³, James²*) was born on Saturday, 25th August 1821, in Bennington, Vermont, USA. She was the daughter of Jared Sears (13) and Betsy Robinson (14).

Delia Maria died on 1st August 1853, at the age of 31.

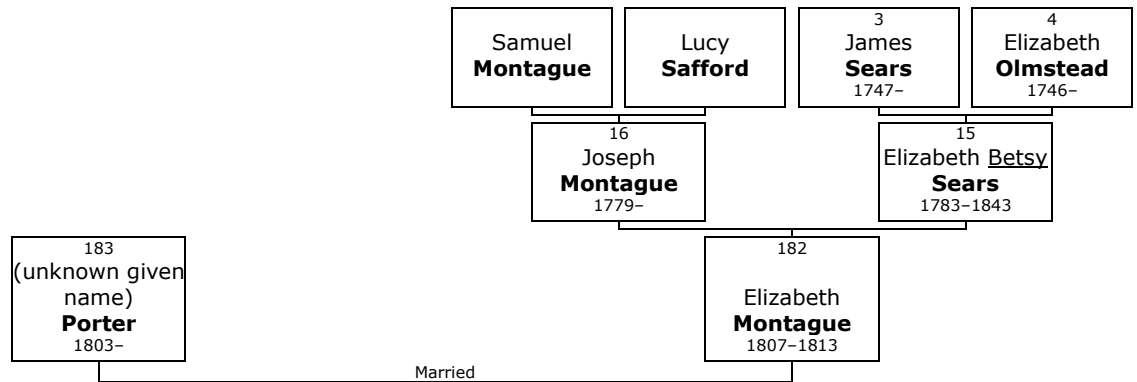
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181. At the age of 24, Delia Maria married **Zimri Haswell** on Thursday, 19th March 1846, in Bennington when he was 28 years old. They have no known children.

Zimri was born in Shoreham, Addison, on Monday, 1st September 1817. He reached 40 years of age and died in San Francisco, California, on 22nd April 1858.

Family of Elizabeth Montague and Porter



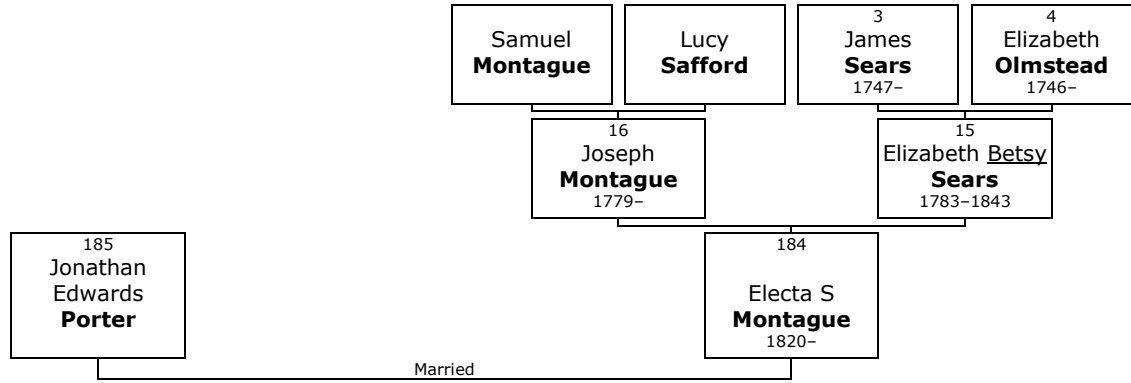
182. Elizabeth⁵ Montague (*Elizabeth Betsy⁴ Sears, James³, James²*) was born in 1807 in perh, Swanton, Franklin, Vermont, USA. She was the daughter of Joseph Montague (16) and Elizabeth Betsy Sears (15).

Elizabeth died in St Albans in 1813 at the age of 6.

183. She married **(unknown given name) Porter**. They have no known children.

(unknown given name) was born in Hadley, Hampshire, Massachusetts, in 1803.

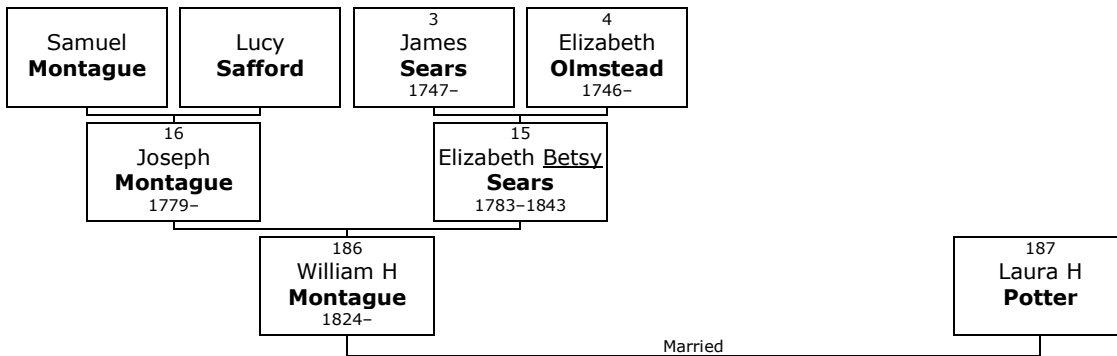
Family of Electa Montague and Jonathan Porter



184. **Electa S⁵ Montague** (*Elizabeth Betsy⁴ Sears, James³, James²*) was born in 1820 in perh, Swanton, Franklin, Vermont, USA. She was the daughter of Joseph Montague (16) and Elizabeth Betsy Sears (15).

185. Electa S married **Jonathan Edwards Porter**.

Family of William Montague and Laura Potter



186. **William H⁵ Montague** (*Elizabeth Betsy⁴ Sears, James³, James²*) was born on Sunday, 24th October 1824, in perh, Swanton, Franklin, Vermont, USA. He was the son of Joseph Montague (16) and Elizabeth Betsy Sears (15).

187. William H married **Laura H Potter**.

Nathan Castle

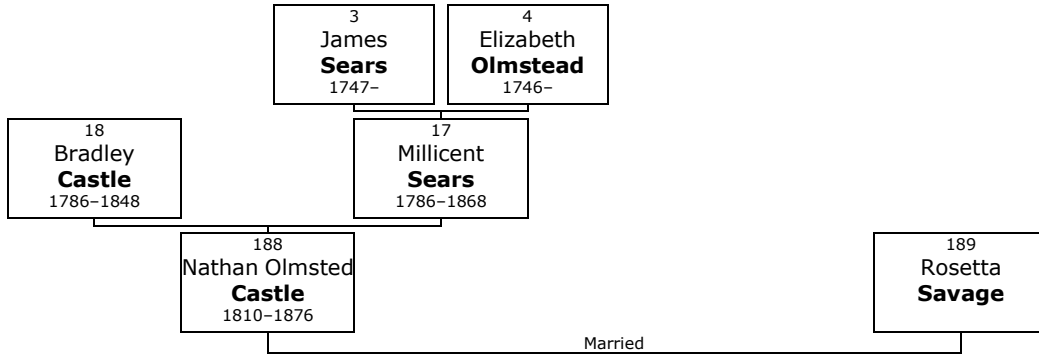
188. **Nathan Olmsted⁵ Castle** (*Millicent⁴ Sears, James³, James²*) was born on Sunday, 20th May 1810, in Shefford, La Haute-Yamaska, Quebec, Canada. He was the son of Bradley Castle (18) and Millicent Sears (17).

Nathan Olmsted died in Afton, Washington, Minnesota, USA, on 24th August 1876, at the age of 66.

BIRTH-MARRIAGE-DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

Marriages with Rosetta Savage and Phebe Lawrence (Page 149) are known.

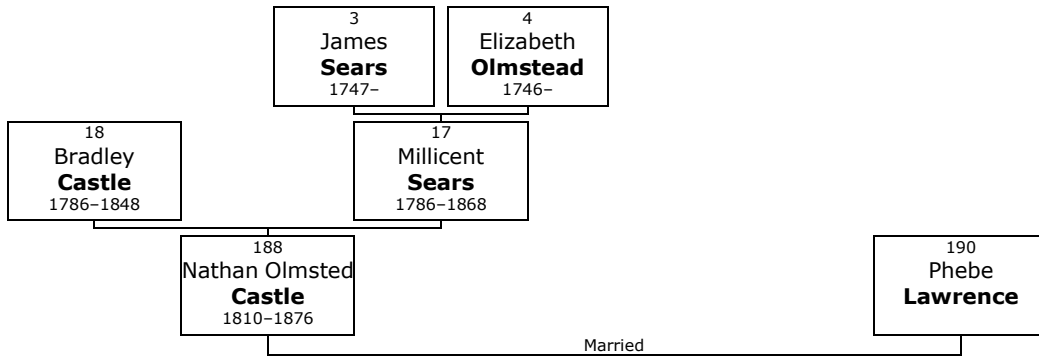
Family of Nathan Castle and Rosetta Savage



Here are the details about **Nathan Olmsted Castle's** first marriage with Rosetta Savage. You can read more about Nathan Olmsted on page 148.

189. Nathan Olmsted married **Rosetta Savage**.

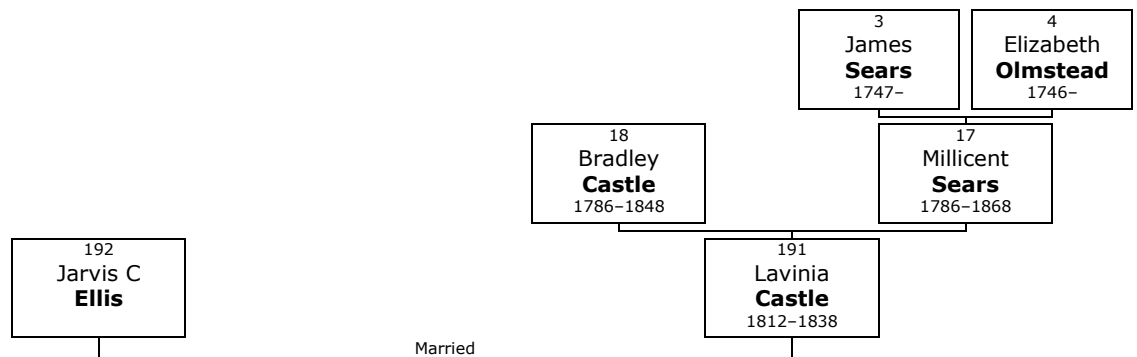
Family of Nathan Castle and Phebe Lawrence



Here are the details about **Nathan Olmsted Castle's** second marriage with Phebe Lawrence. You can read more about Nathan Olmsted on page 148.

190. Nathan Olmsted married **Phebe Lawrence**.

Family of Lavinia Castle and Jarvis Ellis



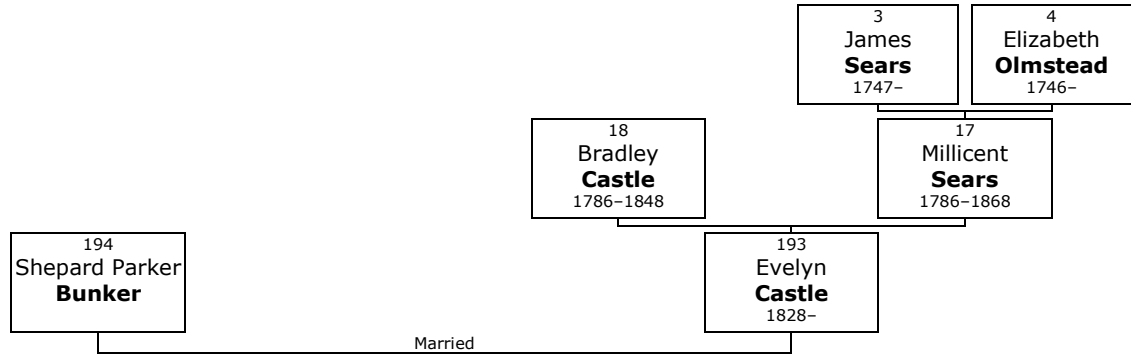
191. **Lavinia⁵ Castle** (*Millicent⁴ Sears, James³, James²*) was born in 1812 in Quebec, Canada. She was the daughter of Bradley Castle (18) and Millicent Sears (17).

Lavinia was christened in Shefford, La Haute-Yamaska, Quebec, on 16th February 1837. She died in Frost Village, Shefford, on 29th September 1838, at the age of 26. Lavinia was buried on 2nd October 1838. Public Burial Ground, Frost Village, Quebec.

BIRTH-DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

192. Lavinia married **Jarvis C Ellis**.

Family of Evelyn Castle and Shepard Bunker

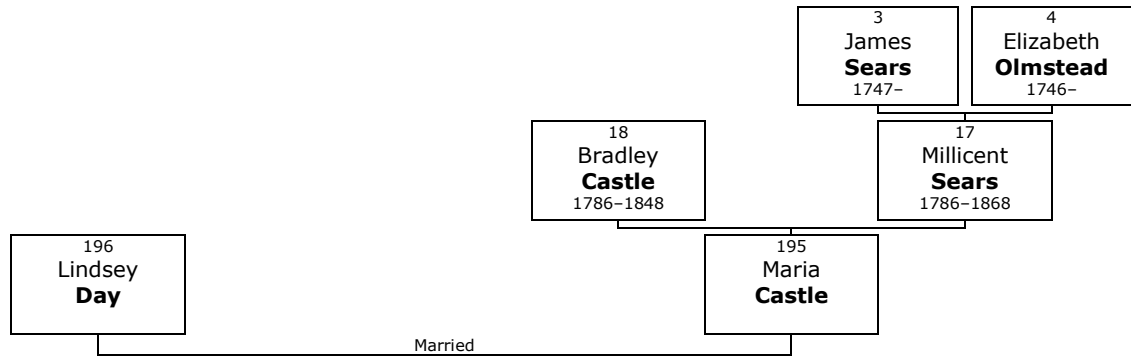


193. Evelyn⁵ Castle (*Millicent⁴ Sears, James³, James²*) was born in 1828. She was the daughter of Bradley Castle (18) and Millicent Sears (17).

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194. Evelyn married **Shepard Parker Bunker**.

Family of Maria Castle and Lindsey Day

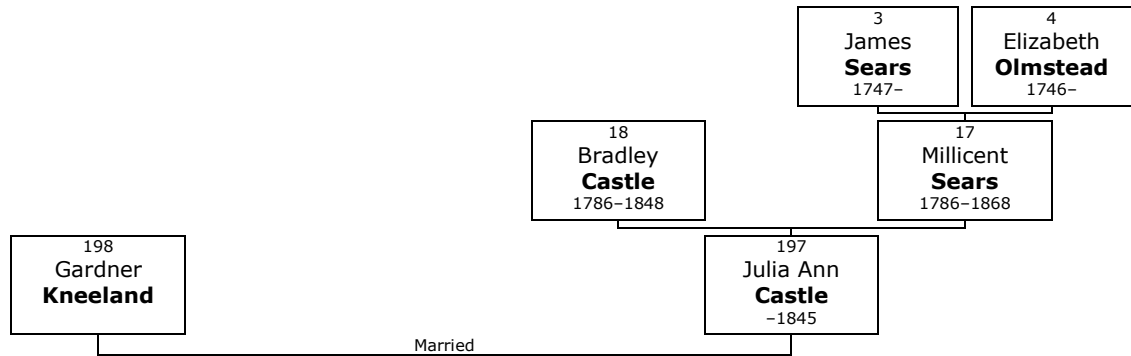


195. Maria⁵ Castle (*Millicent⁴ Sears, James³, James²*). She was the daughter of Bradley Castle (18) and Millicent Sears (17).

PARENTS-MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

196. Maria married **Lindsey Day**.

Family of Julia Castle and Gardner Kneeland



197. Julia Ann⁵ Castle (*Millicent⁴ Sears, James³, James²*). She was the daughter of Bradley Castle (18) and Millicent Sears (17).

Julia Ann died in Shefford, La Haute-Yamaska, Quebec, Canada, on 30th July 1845.

DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

198. Julia Ann married **Gardner Kneeland**.

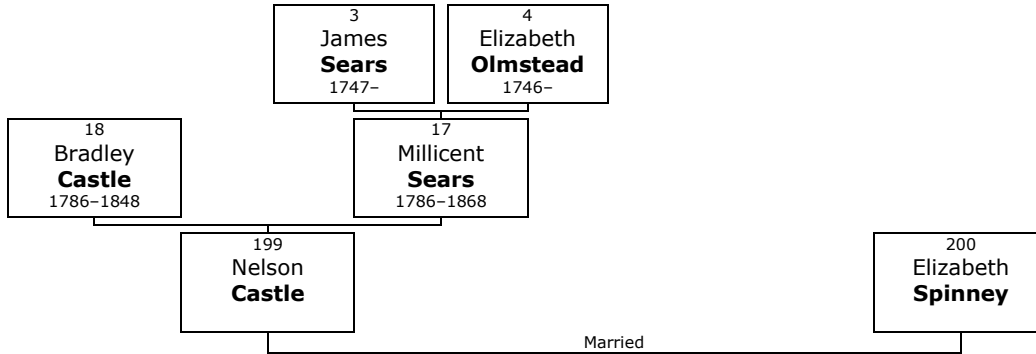
Nelson Castle

199. **Nelson⁵ Castle** (*Millicent⁴ Sears, James³, James²*). He was the son of Bradley Castle (18) and Millicent Sears (17).

BIRTH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

Marriages with Elizabeth Spinney and Hannah Lawrence (Page 151) are known.

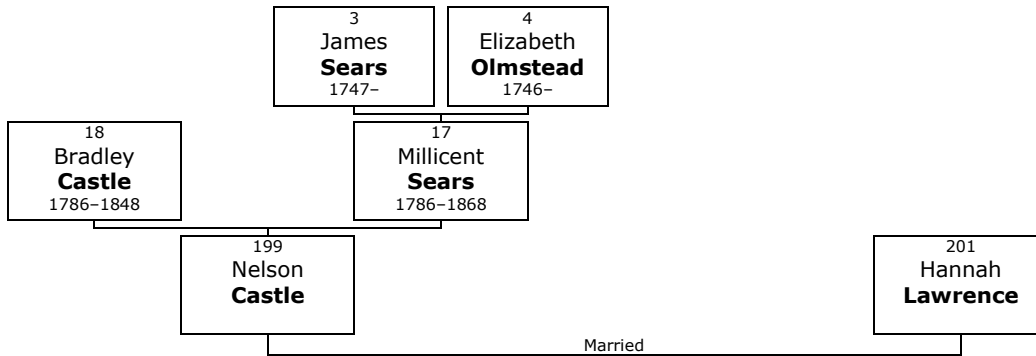
Family of Nelson Castle and Elizabeth Spinney



Here are the details about **Nelson Castle's** first marriage with Elizabeth Spinney. You can read more about Nelson on page 151.

200. Nelson married **Elizabeth Spinney**.

Family of Nelson Castle and Hannah Lawrence

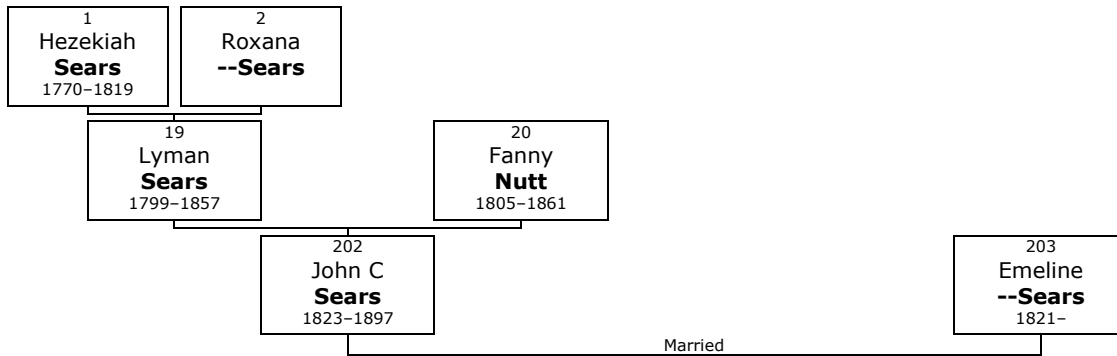


Here are the details about **Nelson Castle's** second marriage with Hannah Lawrence. You can read more about Nelson on page 151.

201. Nelson married **Hannah Lawrence**.

Grandchildren

Family of John Sears and Emeline --Sears



202. **John C⁶ Sears** (*Lyman⁵, Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²*) was born on Thursday, 13th March 1823, in Caldwell Manor, Quebec, Canada.^[307] He was the son of Lyman Sears (19) and Fanny Nutt (20).

John C died in Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, on 28th February 1897, at the age of 73. He was buried in Wilmer Cemetery, Frontenac.

!BIRTH-DEATH-BURIAL: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

More facts and events for John C Sears:

Residence: 1855 Ward 4, Schenectady, Schenectady, New York, USA^[307]
Age: 32; RelationToHead: Head

203. He married **Emeline --Sears.**^[307] They have no known children.

Emeline was born in 1821.^[307]

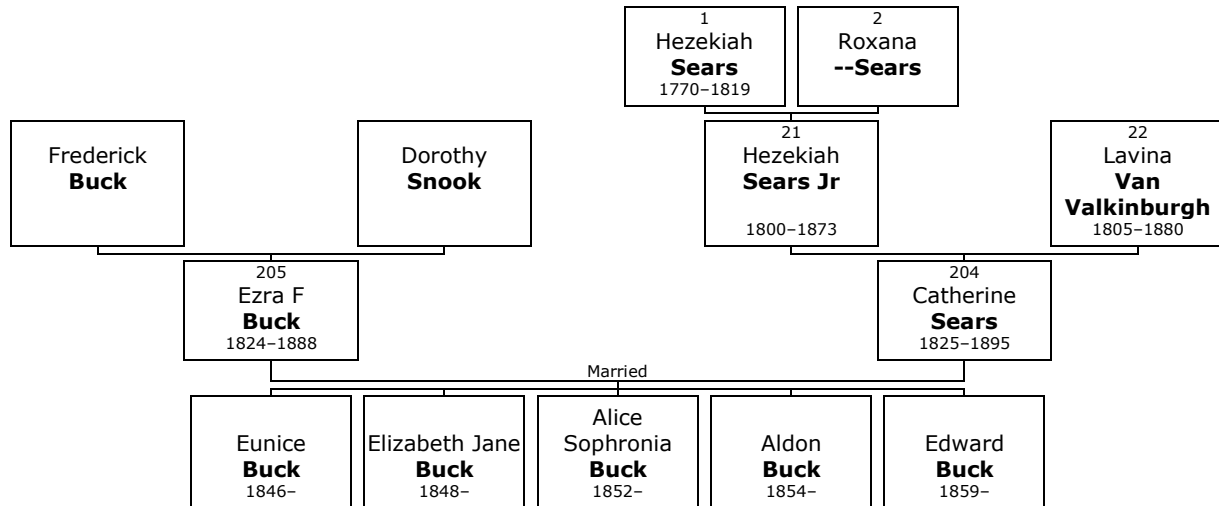
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More facts and events for Emeline --Sears:

Residence: 1855 Ward 4^[307]
Age: 34; RelationToHead: Wife

³⁰⁷ Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com, Record for John C Sears. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=7181&h=1654880597&indiv=try>. [Source citation includes one media item]

Family of Catherine Sears and Ezra Buck



204. Catherine⁶ Sears (*Hezekiah⁵, Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²*) was born in December 1825 in Quebec, Canada. She was the daughter of Hezekiah Sears Jr (21) and Lavina Van Valkinburgh (22).

Catherine died in Drummond, Lanark, Ontario, on 7th September 1895, at the age of 69.

!BIRTH-MARRIAGE-CHILDREN-DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

205. She married **Ezra F Buck**. They had five children: Eunice (1846-), Elizabeth (1848-), Alice (1852-), Aldon (1854-) and Edward (1859-).

Ezra F was born in Frontenac in 1824. He was the son of Frederick Buck and Dorothy Snook.

Ezra F reached 64 years of age and died in Drummond, Lanark, on 5th August 1888. He was buried in Drummond.

!BIRTH-MARRIAGE-CHILDREN-DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

Children of Catherine Sears and Ezra F Buck:

- f I. **Eunice⁷ Buck** was born in Ontario in 1846.
- f II. **Elizabeth Jane Buck** was born in Ontario in 1848.
- f III. **Alice Sophronia Buck** was born in Ontario in 1852.
Alice Sophronia married **Asa Pixley**.
- m IV. **Aldon Buck** was born in Ontario in 1854.
- m V. **Edward Buck** was born in Ontario in 1859.

Horace Sears

206. Horace⁶ Sears (*Hezekiah⁵, Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²*) was born on Friday, 14th March 1828, in Caldwell Manor, Quebec, Canada.^[308] He was the son of Hezekiah Sears Jr (21).

Horace died in Bedford Township, Frontenac, on 31st October 1894, at the age of 66.^[308] He was buried in Wilmer Cemetery.

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/202907882/horace-sears>

BIRTH 14 Mar 1828

Quebec, Canada

DEATH 11 Nov 1896 (aged 68)

Frontenac County, Ontario, Canada

BURIAL

Wilmer Cemetery

Wilmer, Frontenac County, Ontario, Canada

³⁰⁸ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Horace Mack Sears.

<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=millind&h=105014482&indiv=try>.

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Family Members

Parents

Photo

Hezekiah Sears

1800-1873

Spouse

Martha Green Sears

1840-1920 (m. 1857)

Siblings

Photo

Catherine Sears Buck

1825-1895

Photo

David Sears

1833-1888

Photo

William Sears

1839-1887

Photo

John R. Sears

1845-1921

Children

Ella May Idella Sears Sears

1881-1938

!BIRTH-MARRIAGE-DEATH-BURIAL: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

More facts and events for Horace Sears:

Residence: 1852 Loughborough^[308]

Residence: 1861 Bedford^[308]

Residence: 1871 Bedford, Addington^[308]

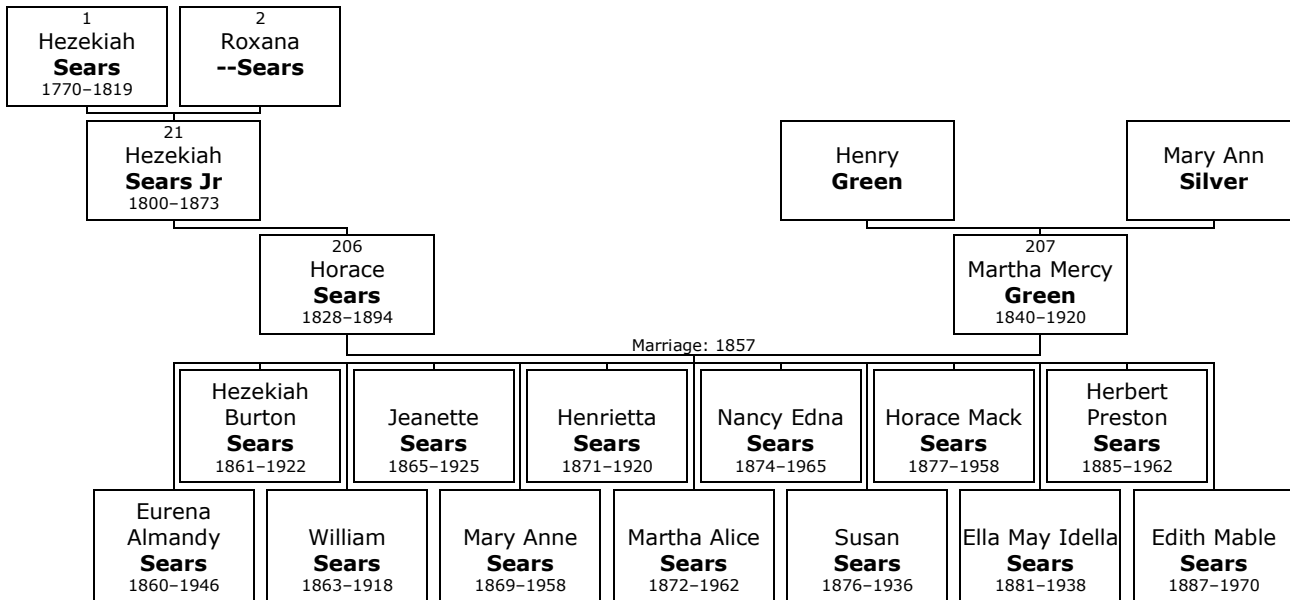
Residence: 1881 Bedford^[308]

Residence: 1884 Kingston, Frontenac^[308]

Residence: 1891 Bedford, Addington^[308]

Marriages with Martha Mercy Green and an unknown partner are known.

Family of Horace Sears and Martha Green



Here are the details about **Horace Sears** first marriage with Martha Mercy Green. You can read more about Horace on page 154.

- 207.** At the age of 29, Horace Sears married **Martha Mercy Green** on Tuesday, 4th August 1857, in Cape Vincent, Jefferson, New York, USA, when she was 17 years old.^[308] They had thirteen children: Eurena (1860-1946), Hezekiah (1861-1922), William (1863-1918), Jeanette (1865-1925), Mary (1869-1958), Henrietta (1871-1920), Martha (1872-1962), Nancy (1874-1965), Susan (1876-1936), Horace (1877-1958), Ella (1881-1938), Herbert (1885-1962) and Edith (1887-1970).

Martha Mercy was born in Loughborough, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, on Saturday, 29th February 1840.^[308] She was the daughter of Henry Green and Mary Ann Silver.

Martha Mercy reached 79 years of age and died in Frontenac on 28th February 1920.^[308] She was buried in Frontenac.

!BIRTH-MARRIAGE-CHILDREN-DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

More facts and events for Martha Mercy Green:

Residence: 1861 Bedford, Frontenac^[308]

Residence: 1871 Bedford, Addington^[308]

Residence: 1881 Bedford^[308]

Residence: 1891 Bedford^[308]

Residence: 1901 Bedford^[308]

Children of Horace Sears and Martha Mercy Green:

- f I. **Eurena Almandy⁷ Sears** was born in Westport, Leeds, Ontario, Canada, on 13th July 1860. She died in Kingston, Frontenac, on 9th March 1946, at the age of 85. Eurena Almandy was buried in Presbyterian Cemetery, Westport, Leeds.
- Eurena Almandy married **Joseph Jones Jr** in 1878 in Bedford Mills, Frontenac. They had twelve children: Della (1878-1952), Letitia (1880-1972), Mary (1883-1967), Florence (1885-1958), Frances (1888-1926), Aggie (1890-1958), infant (1892-1892), Etta (1893-1946), Edna (1896-), Bower (1899-1992), Carl (1902-1990) and Violet (1907-).

Joseph was born in Frontenac on Thursday, 1st January 1857. He reached 56 years of age and died in Bedford Mills, Frontenac, on 18th October 1913.

!MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

- m II. **Hezekiah Burton Sears** was born in Bedford Township, Frontenac, on 17th August 1861. He died in Hastings on 6th July 1922, at the age of 60. Hezekiah Burton was buried on 8th July 1922. Bancroft.

More facts and events for Hezekiah Burton Sears:

Residence: 1871	Bedford, Frontenac
Residence: 31 st March 1901	Hastings, Northumberland
Residence: 1911	West Sub-Districts 1-36, Hastings
Residence:	Bedford, Frontenac

At the age of 20, Hezekiah Burton Sears married **Patience Permelia Drader** on Monday, 12th September 1881, in Frontenac when she was 16 years old. They had twelve children: Hezekiah (1882-1882), William (1883-1952), Annie (1885-1955), John (1886-1950), Edward (1888-1967), Lillie (1889-1939), Retta (1891-1980), Earnest (1893-1964), Martha (1895-1986), Victoria (1897-1988), Herbert (1900-1961) and Edith (1907-1944).

Patience Permelia was born in Ontario on Tuesday, 7th February 1865. She reached 78 years of age and died in Ontario in 1944. Patience Permelia was buried in Bancroft, Hastings County, Ontario, in 1944.

!MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

- m III. **William Sears** was born in Bedford Mills on 27th December 1863. He died on 18th October 1918, at the age of 54. William was buried in Cataraqui Cemetery, Kingston.

William Sears married **Rosetta Young**. They had seven children: Harriet (1895-1895), Hattie (1896-1980), William (1898-1958), Hildred (1903-1982), Lawrence (1906-1908), Clara (1908-1990) and Arthur (1909-1982).

Rosetta was born in 1876. She reached 66 years of age and died in 1942.

!MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

William Sears married **Catherine Foley**. They had one daughter: Martha (1890-1956).

Catherine was born in 1868. She reached 23 years of age and died in 1891.

!MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

- f IV. **Jeanette Sears** was born in Bedford Mills on 2nd December 1865.^[309] She died in Kitchener, Waterloo, on 25th March 1925, at the age of 59.^[309] Jeanette was buried in Kitchener.

Jeanette Sears married **George Walter Blinkhorn** in Southampton, Hampshire, England. They had six children: Ethel (1889-1960), Ernest (1891-1967), Mabel (1893-1980), Jessie (1896-1975), Marguerite (1901-1973) and Ralph (1904-1987).

George Walter was born in 1866. He reached 79 years of age and died in 1945.

!MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

³⁰⁹ Edmund West, comp., Family Data Collection - Individual Records (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2000), Ancestry.com, Birth year: 1865; Birth city: Bedford Mills; Birth state: On.

- f V. **Mary Anne Sears** was born in Bedford Township on 19th February 1869. She died in Wilmer on 19th February 1958, at the age of 89. Mary Anne was buried in Wilmer, Loughborough.
- Mary Anne Sears married **Hugh F Campbell**. They had four children: Vera, Lottie, Tunis and Ethel.
- Hugh F was born in 1870. He reached 60 years of age and died in 1930.
- !MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.
- f VI. **Henrietta Sears** was born in Bedford Mills on 19th March 1871. She died in 1920 at the age of 48. Henrietta was buried in Wilmer Cemetery.
- Henrietta Sears married **Ed Southard**. Kingston? They had one son: Arthur (1895-).
- !MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.
- f VII. **Martha Alice Sears** was born in Bedford Mills on 18th March 1872. She died on 6th December 1962, at the age of 90. Martha Alice was buried in Royal Oaks, Victoria, British Columbia.
- Martha Alice married **John Soden Rogers** on Tuesday, 14th June 1892, in Kingston, Frontenac, Ontario. They had eight children: William (1893-1952), Dorothy (1894-1959), Victoria (1897-1901), Cecil (1901-1901), Olive (1902-1951), Paul (1904-), Archibald (1907-) and Lorna (1912-).
- John Soden was born in 1873. He reached 92 years of age and died in 1965.
- !MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.
- f VIII. **Nancy Edna Sears** was born in Bedford Township on 19th February 1874. She died in Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo, Michigan, USA, on 24th April 1965, at the age of 91. Nancy Edna was buried in Kalamazoo.
- Nancy Edna Sears married **Frank Walton**. They had one daughter: Hazel (1893-).
- Frank was born in 1872.
- Nancy Edna Sears married **Peter Markus Baker** on Sunday, 24th September 1905, in Battle Creek, Calhoun. They had three children: Mollie (1907-1986), Edith (1909-1937) and Carl (1912-).
- Peter Markus was born in 1882. He reached 97 years of age and died in 1979.
- !MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.
- f IX. **Susan Sears** was born in Bedford Mills on 19th February 1876. She died on 20th August 1936, at the age of 60. Susan was buried in Frontenac.
- Susan Sears married **Archibald Wilson** in 1900 in Bedford Mills, Frontenac. They had two children: Ruth (1914-) and Henry (1916-1950).
- Archibald was born in 1876. He reached 88 years of age and died in 1964.
- !MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.
- m X. **Horace Mack Sears** was born in Bedford Mills on 10th December 1877.^[308, 310] He died in Oxford Mills, Leeds, on 25th March 1958, at the age of 80.^[308, 310] Horace Mack was buried in Oxford Mills.

³¹⁰ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Clarence Earl Sears.
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=millind&h=105014482&indiv=try>.

More facts and events for Horace Mack Sears:

Residence: 1881 Bedford, Addington^[308, 310]
Residence: 1891 Bedford^[310]
Residence: 1891 Bedford^[308]
Residence: 1st June 1921 Oxford Township, Grenville^[310]
Residence: 1st June 1921 Oxford Township^[308]

At the age of 26, Horace Mack Sears married **Cecelia Demarsh** on Wednesday, 31st August 1904, in Kingston, Frontenac, when she was 22 years old.^[308, 310] They had five children: Mary (1905–1986), Clarence (1907–1993), Orville (1912–1936), Harold (1914–1993) and Helen (1922–1993).

Cecelia was born in Bedford Mills on Tuesday, 22nd November 1881.^[308, 310] She reached 86 years of age and died in Oxford Mills, Leeds, on 26th October 1968.^[308, 310]

!MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

- f XI. **Ella May Idella Sears** was born in Bedford Township on 8th June 1881.^[311-314] She died in Moose Jaw on 10th February 1938, at the age of 56.^[311-314] Ella May Idella was buried in Moose Jaw.^[311-314]

More facts and events for Ella May Idella Sears:

Residence: 1891 Bedford, Addington, Ontario^[313]
Residence: 1891 Bedford^[311]
Residence: 1891 Bedford^[314]
Residence: 1891^[312]
Residence: 1901 Storrington, Frontenac^[314]
Residence: 1901 Storrington^[311]
Residence: 1901 Storrington^[313]
Residence: 31st March 1901^[312]
Residence: 1906 Townships 15 to 18 inclusive in ranges 19, 20, 21 west of the 2nd M, Saskatchewan^[313]
Residence: 1906 Townships 15 to 18 inclusive in ranges 19, 20, Assiniboia^[314]
Residence: 1906 Townships 15 to 18 inclusive in ranges 19, 20, 21 west of the 2nd M^[311]
Residence: 1911^[312]
Residence: 1916 Moose Jaw^[313]
Residence: 1916^[312]
Residence: 1916 Moose Jaw^[314]
Residence: 1916 Moose Jaw^[311]

³¹¹ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Florence Margaret Sears-<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/27301420/person/26085554273>.
<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCHZ-6MS>.

³¹² "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Gladys Louise Sears-<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/151491548/person/362007875496>.
<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCHX-CH3>.

³¹³ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Harriett May Sears-<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/27301420/person/26085554783>.
<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCHR-S9B>.

³¹⁴ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Ruby Marion Sears-<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/27301420/person/26085554785>.
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=61157&h=3298638&indiv=try>.

Residence: 1st June 1921 Rouleau^[314]
 Residence: 1st June 1921 Rouleau^[313]
 Residence: 1st June 1921 Rouleau^[311]

At the age of 19, Ella May Idella Sears married **George Lewis Sears** on Wednesday, 29th August 1900, in Frontenac, Ontario, when he was 26 years old.^[311-314] They had ten daughters: Myrtle (1903-1989), Florence (1905-1966), Martha (ca.1907-1987), Ruby (1909-1990), Gladys (1910-1991), Harriet (1913-), Edith (ca.1914-2004), Alice (1916-1998), Jean (1919-1990) and Tillie.

George Lewis was born in Perth Road Village, Loughborough Township, Frontenac, on Friday, 10th July 1874.^[311-314] He was the son of William Sears (214) and Aurelie Rattee (215).

George Lewis reached 92 years of age and died in Moose Jaw on 15th May 1967.^[311-314] He was buried in Rosedale Cemetery, Moose Jaw.^[311-314]

!MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

m XII. **Herbert Preston Sears** was born in Bedford Township on 27th April 1885. He died in Wilmer in 1962 at the age of 76. Herbert Preston was buried in Frontenac.

Herbert Preston Sears married **Daisy Ilene Darling**. They had three children: Donald (1921-1985), Charles (1924-1992) and Ilene (1930-1965).

Daisy Ilene was born in 1899. She reached 58 years of age and died on 15th August 1957.

!MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

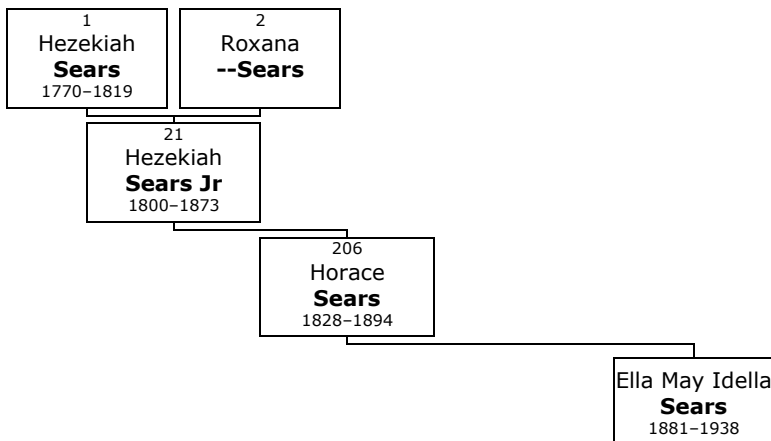
f XIII. **Edith Mable Sears** was born in Bedford Mills on 28th December 1887. She died in Uxbridge, Durham, on 10th August 1970, at the age of 82. Edith Mable was buried in Uxbridge.

Edith Mable Sears married **Frederick Justin Jones** on Wednesday, 1st January 1930, in Uxbridge. They have no known children.

Frederick Justin was born in 1890. He reached 85 years of age and died in Uxbridge in 1975.

!MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

Horace Sears



Here are the details about **Horace Sears** second marriage with an unknown partner. You can read more about Horace on page 154.

Daughter of Horace Sears:

- f I. **Ella May Idella⁷ Sears** was born in Bedford Township, Frontenac, Ontario, on 8th June 1881.^[311-314] She died in Moose Jaw on 10th February 1938, at the age of 56.^[311-314] Ella May Idella was buried in Moose Jaw.^[311-314]

More facts and events for Ella May Idella Sears:

Residence: 1891	Bedford, Addington, Ontario ^[313]
Residence: 1891	Bedford ^[311]
Residence: 1891	Bedford ^[314]
Residence: 1891 ^[312]	
Residence: 1901	Storrington, Frontenac ^[314]
Residence: 1901	Storrington ^[311]
Residence: 1901	Storrington ^[313]
Residence: 31 st March 1901 ^[312]	
Residence: 1906	Townships 15 to 18 inclusive in ranges 19, 20, 21 west of the 2nd M, Saskatchewan ^[313]
Residence: 1906	Townships 15 to 18 inclusive in ranges 19, 20, Assiniboia ^[314]
Residence: 1906	Townships 15 to 18 inclusive in ranges 19, 20, 21 west of the 2nd M ^[311]
Residence: 1911 ^[312]	
Residence: 1916	Moose Jaw ^[313]
Residence: 1916 ^[312]	
Residence: 1916	Moose Jaw ^[314]
Residence: 1916	Moose Jaw ^[311]
Residence: 1 st June 1921	Rouleau ^[314]
Residence: 1 st June 1921	Rouleau ^[313]
Residence: 1 st June 1921	Rouleau ^[311]

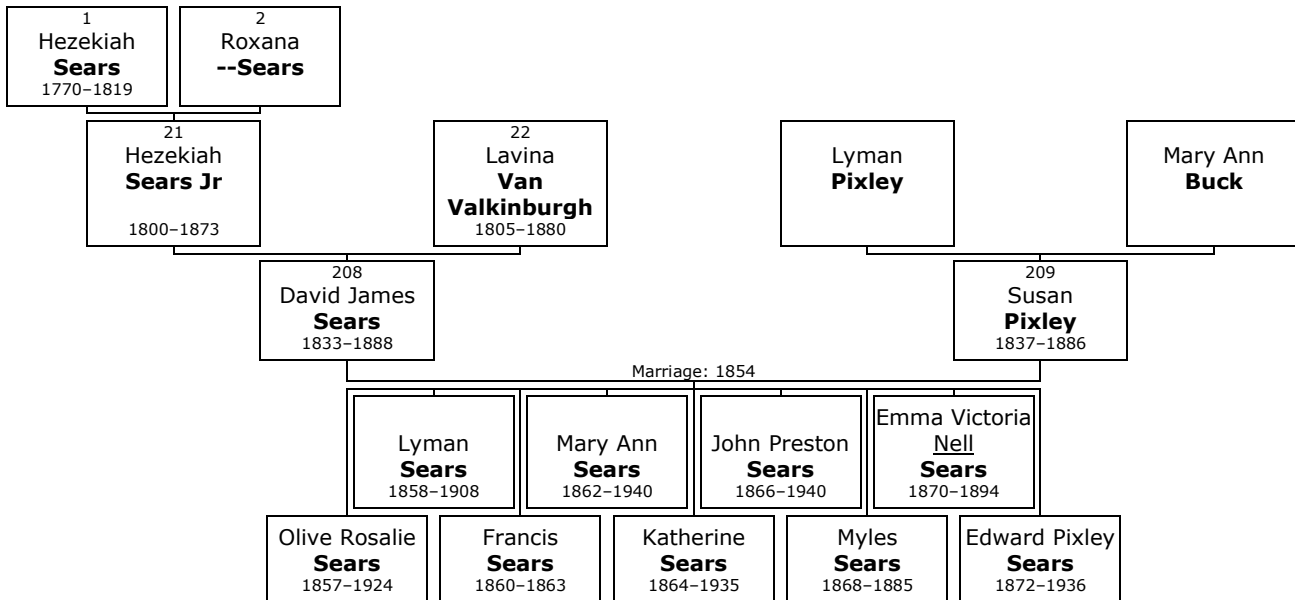
At the age of 19, Ella May Idella married **George Lewis Sears** on Wednesday, 29th August 1900, in Frontenac, Ontario, when he was 26 years old.^[311-314] They had ten daughters: Myrtle (1903-1989), Florence (1905-1966), Martha (ca.1907-1987), Ruby (1909-1990), Gladys (1910-1991), Harriet (1913-), Edith (ca.1914-2004), Alice (1916-1998), Jean (1919-1990) and Tillie.

George Lewis was born in Perth Road Village, Loughborough Township, Frontenac, on Friday, 10th July 1874.^[311-314] He was the son of William Sears (214) and Aurelie Rattee (215).

George Lewis reached 92 years of age and died in Moose Jaw on 15th May 1967.^[311-314] He was buried in Rosedale Cemetery, Moose Jaw.^[311-314]

!MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

Family of David Sears and Susan Pixley



208. David James⁶ Sears (*Hezekiah⁵, Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²*) was born on Wednesday, 9th October 1833, in Caldwell Manor, Quebec, Canada. He was the son of Hezekiah Sears Jr (21) and Lavina Van Valkinburgh (22).

David James died in Ontario, Michigan, USA, on 15th December 1888, at the age of 55.

!DSB- This family began leaving Bedford twp, Frontenac co, Ontario about 1881. They went into the state of MI - first to the area around Watertown, and then on into different areas. They worked on the railroad, or in the lumber industry. Farmer 1. Frontenac County Loyalist Families Author: Waller, Russ Publication: Kingston, ON, Dec 1996 Page: p. 179

2. Records of Diane Sears-Brigode, Northglenn, CO, USA, 1993, states 9 Oct 1833. Church Register, Waterloo Circuit, UC Archives, Toronto, ON, CAN, date shown. Birthplace from records of Dianne Sears-Brigode.

3. Waterloo Cataraqui Circuit church register Publication: UC Archives, Toronto, ON, CAN

4. Records Author: Sears-Brigode, Diane Publication: Northglenn, CO, USA

209. David James married **Susan Pixley** in 1854 in Frontenac, Ontario, Canada. They had nine children: Olive (1857-1924), Lyman (1858-1908), Francis (1860-1863), Mary (1862-1940), Katherine (1864-1935), John (1866-1940), Myles (1868-1885), Nell (1870-1894) and Edward (1872-1936).

Susan was born on Friday, 31st March 1837. She was the daughter of Lyman Pixley and Mary Ann Buck.

Susan reached 49 years of age and died on 12th May 1886.

Children of David James Sears and Susan Pixley:

f I. **Olive Rosalie⁷ Sears** was born in Loughborough, Frontenac, on 20th September 1857. She was also known as **Rose**.

Olive Rosalie worked as a house wife. She died in Harrison on 1st October 1924, at the age of 67. Olive Rosalie was buried in Maple Grove Cemetery, Harrison, on 3rd October 1924.

More facts and events for Olive Rosalie Sears:

Residence: 1900 ED 26 Hayes township Ward 1-3

Residence: 1910 ward 3

Residence: 1910 ward 3

Residence: 1920 Harrison

Residence: 1920 Harrison

Olive Rosalie married **James Henry Darling** in 1880. They had three children: Lee (1881-1943), Myles (1883-1948) and Gladys (1894-1969).

James Henry was born in 1855. He worked as a railroad section foreman.

James Henry reached 88 years of age and died in Franklin twp, Harrison, on 8th June 1943. He was buried in Maple Grove Cemetery after 8th June 1943.

- m II. **Lyman Sears** was born in Buckhorn, Peterborough, on 16th May 1858. He died in Harrison, Clare, Michigan, USA, on 21st August 1908, at the age of 50. Lyman was buried in Harrison.

At the age of 20, Lyman Sears married **Kathryn Darling** on Saturday, 5th April 1879, in Ontario, Canada, when she was 20 years old. They had seven children: Frank (1880–1937), Elmer (1881–1881), George (1883–1936), Harry (1886–1943), Ethel (1888–1949), Harold (1891–1953) and Charles (1900–1966).

Kathryn was born in Buckhorn, Peterborough, Ontario, on Saturday, 5th February 1859. She reached 81 years of age and died in Clawson, Oakland, Michigan, USA, on 9th April 1940. Kathryn was buried in Maple Grove Cemetery, Harrison, Clare, on 11th April 1940.

!BIRTH: Letter from Eric Palmer, Rochester Hills, MI, to Ray Sears; 1858-1987; Letter dtd 14 Sep 1993; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears-added GEDCOM Records 22580-22781.

!Eric Palmer-Newspaper Funeral services for Katherine Darling Sears were held Thursday afternoon April 11, from the Murphy funeral home, with Miss Irene Ladd of the Clawson Evangelistic Church conducting the services. Interment was in the Maple Grove cemetery of Harrison. Pall bearers were six grandsons. Two of her favorite hymns were sung by Mr and Mrs Fred Weatherhead of Harrison. Katherine Darling was born in Canada, 5 Feb 1859, and in 1897 was united in marriage to Lyman Sears. A few years later they moved to the States, settling at Harrison, MI, later taking up homesteading near Arnold Lake north of Harrison, where they resided for more than twenty-five years. The Sears were among the early settlers in Harrison and a lilac bush which they planted by their lake bank home on the west side of the lake is still growing, and is beside the John Kemmis in Little Alma. Six children were born to this union: Frank and George preceded their mother in death and three sons, Harry, Harold and Charles reside at Clawson, and one daughter, Ethel Reeder at Spokane, WA. Following the death of her husband about twenty five years ago, Mrs Sears moved with her son, George, to Clawson and has since made her home there. She passed from this life Tuesday 9 Apr, at the age of eighty-one years, two months, four days, leaving, besides her four children, twelve grandchildren and four great-grandchildren, and a wide circle of friends. *** Sleep, dear soul, you have earned your rest, So now lay your head on your Master's breast. And softly He'll tell you He understands, That the way was rough to the border lands. He'll hold you firmly so you won't fall, For He knows your soul has answered His call. Tomorrow will dawn another new day. But you'll find much brightness along the way. For in earth's life of four-score years, There was were many heart aches for you, Catherine Sears. For thirty-two years you travelled alone, But raised all your family until they were grown. Then George and Frank went ahead on the way, In order to greet you, on this April day. So sleep on, dear mother, you'll know no more pain, For our earthly loss brings to heaven a gain. And Harry, and Harold, and Charlie - all three with Ethel your daughter, say "Farewell" to thee. But when life's journey for these may be o'er, They will meet you with joy on Eternity's shore. So sleep, dear mother, sleep.

Bought Maple Grove cemetery of the city of Harrison, Clare co, MI, lot no. 42, Block No 5, on 23 Nov 1905.

- m III. **Francis Sears** was born on 10th January 1860. He died on 18th December 1863, at the age of 3.

- f IV. **Mary Ann Sears** was born on 28th September 1862. She died in Portland, Clackamas, Oregon, USA, on 9th January 1940, at the age of 77.

Mary Ann Sears married **Fred D Clark** in 1903 in Michigan. They had one daughter: Helen (1902–).

Fred D was born in 1862.

!Eric Palmer

- f V. **Katherine Sears** was born in Kingston, Frontenac, on 2nd August 1864. She died in Taylorville, Christian, Illinois, USA, on 9th September 1935, at the age of 71.

Katherine Sears married **Lafayette Lafe Dawson** in 1885. They had five children: Owen (1894–), Harry, Mildred, Harve and Nellie.

Lafe was born in 1862.

!Eric Palmer

- m VI. **John Preston Sears** was born in Bedford Township on 7th August 1866.^[315-318] He was also known as **John Sears**.^[318]

John Preston died in Grand Forks on 14th July 1940, at the age of 73.^[317] He was buried in Grand Forks.^[317]

More facts and events for John Preston Sears:

Residence: 1910 Grace City, Grand Forks^[315]
Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Head

Residence: 1910 Grace City^[318]
Age: 45; Age: 43; MaritalStatus: Married; RelationToHead: Head

Residence: 1920 Larimore^[316]
Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Head

John Preston Sears married **Lucy Hanrahan** in 1899 in Larimore.^[315, 316, 318] They had nine children: David (1900–1944), Daniel (ca.1901–), Evelyn (1902–1976), Bonnie (1905–1955), Ida (1906–1987), Gladys (1909–), Ellen (1911–1979), Hazel (1915–1979) and Jack (1918–2005).

Lucy was born in Michigan on Wednesday, 14th August 1878.^[315, 316, 318] She was also known as **Lucy Scars**.^[318]

Lucy reached 47 years of age and died in North Dakota on 19th February 1926. She was buried in Larimore, Grand Forks, North Dakota.

!Eric Palmer !BIRTH-MARRIAGE-DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

- m VII. **Myles Sears** was born on 24th August 1868. He died on 3rd July 1885, at the age of 16.

- f VIII. **Emma Victoria Nell Sears** was born in 1870. She died in Missouri, USA, in 1894 at the age of 24.

Emma Victoria Nell Sears married **William G Will Madison** on Wednesday, 26th February 1890, in Harrison, Clare, Michigan. They have no known children.

Will was born in 1865.

!Eric Palmer

- m IX. **Edward Pixley Sears** was born in Bedford Township on 28th June 1872.^[317, 319] He died in McVile on 15th October 1936, at the age of 64.^[317, 319] Edward Pixley was buried in Nelson.^[317, 319]

More facts and events for Edward Pixley Sears:

Residence: 1910 Grace City, Grand Forks^[319]

³¹⁵ Ancestry.com, 1910 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2006), Ancestry.com, Year: 1910; Census Place: Grace, Grand Forks, North Dakota; Roll: T624_1142; Page: 2B; Enumeration District: 0088; FHL microfilm: 1375155.

³¹⁶ Ancestry.com, 1920 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1920; Census Place: Larimore, Grand Forks, North Dakota; Roll: T625_1334; Page: 1A; Enumeration District: 69; Image: 845.

³¹⁷ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

³¹⁸ Ancestry.com, 1910 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2006), Ancestry.com, Year: 1910; Census Place: Grace, Grand Forks, North Dakota; Roll: T624_1142; Page: 2B; Enumeration District: 0088; FHL microfilm: 1375155. Record for Daniel Sears. <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCHR-S91>.

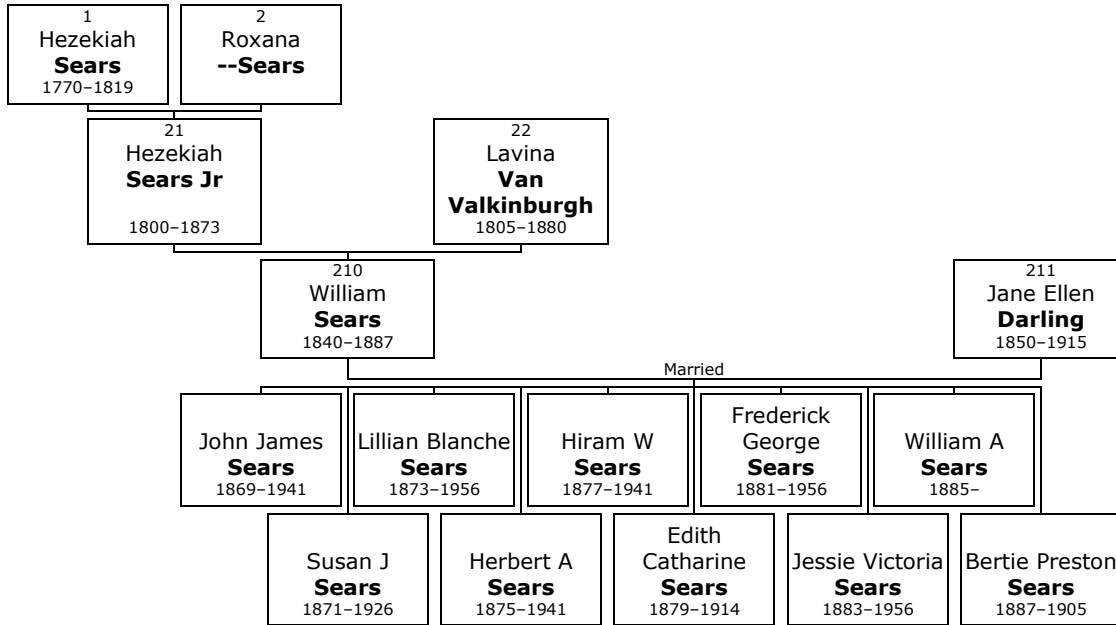
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Residence: 1920 Logan Center^[319]
 Residence: 1930 Dayton, Nelson^[319]

At the age of 32, Edward Pixley Sears married **Katherine Barbara Katie Franz** on Tuesday, 28th June 1904, in Grand Forks when she was 20 years old.^[317, 319, 320] They had eleven children: Myles (1905–1954), Preston (1906–1983), Roy (1908–1975), Ollie (1910–1994), Jime (1911–1991), France (1913–2005), Rich (1915–1967), Liz (1916–1986), Ed (1919–1991), Mildred (1921–2006) and Harvey (1923–1994).

Katie was born in Tilden Twp, Chippewa Co, Wisconsin, on Tuesday, 6th May 1884.^[317, 319, 320] She reached 78 years of age and died in Nelson on 29th July 1962.^[317, 319, 320] Katie was buried in Nelson.^[317, 319, 320]

Family of William Sears and Jane Darling



210. William⁶ Sears (Hezekiah⁵, Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²) was born in 1840 in Ontario, Canada. He was the son of Hezekiah Sears Jr (21) and Lavina Van Valkinburgh (22).

William died in Fostoria, Tuscola, Michigan, USA, on 21st February 1887, at the age of 47. He was buried in Fostoria.

!BIRTH-MARRIAGE-DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets, BUR.: Watertown Twp Cemetery. Cause of death: heart attack He was baptized by Rev. Lane.

1. World Family Tree Publication: Broderbund Software Page: CD #3, Pedigree #5319
2. Records Author: Sears-Degrugillier, Sheila Publication: Fargo, ND, USA
3. Waterloo Catarauqui Circuit church register Publication: UC Archives, Toronto, ON, CAN

Hi, I saw this old message on Genealogy.com about the Sears family. My Grandmother Sadie Myrtle O'Donnell (nee Sears) was 96 yrs old on April 6/07 and is living in a nursing home in Kingston Ontario. She was the second youngest of 13 children of Henry and Sarah Sears (nee Barr) and only one living now. Henry Sears was one of 12 children of William and Orilla Sears (nee Rattie). William was youngest of 4 children of Hezekiah and Lavina Sears (nee Von Valkinburg) married in Quebec. Hezekiah and brothers William, David, and Lyman were sons of Hezekiah and Roxanna Sears. Hezekiah came from Massachusetts to Quebecs eastern townships (Brome County Sutton Twnshp. and applied for a land petition in 1795. I would love any further info you have on the Sears clan. I have a bit on Horace's family in Bedford Twsp. Ontario

³²⁰ Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com, Record for Mildred Leona Duncan.
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1900usfedcen&h=22515715&ti=0&indiv=try&gss=pt>.

as well. I would also like to get ahold of Diane Sears Brigode if you may know her whereabouts ie; e-mail etc. Thanks John O'Donnell Box 177 Bancroft, Ontario KOL 1CO 613-332-4128 elknhast@northcom.net

- 211.** He married **Jane Ellen Darling**. They had ten children: John (1869–1941), Susan (1871–1926), Lillian (1873–1956), Herbert (1875–1941), Hiram (1877–1941), Edith (1879–1914), Frederick (1881–1956), Jessie (1883–1956), William (1885–) and Bertie (1887–1905).

Jane Ellen was born in Ontario, Canada, on Saturday, 27th April 1850. She reached 65 years of age and died in Steele, Kidder, North Dakota, USA, on 14th June 1915. Jane Ellen was buried in Steele.

!BIRTH-MARRIAGE-DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets, BUR.: Allen Cemetery.

Children of William Sears and Jane Ellen Darling:

- m I. **John James⁷ Sears** was born in Bedford Township, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, on 14th December 1869.^[321-324] He died in Eldon on 28th October 1941, at the age of 71.^[323, 324] John James was buried in Minnewaukan on 3rd November 1941.^[323, 324]



John

More facts and events for John James Sears:

Residence: 1920 Eldon^[321]
 Marital Status: Married; Relationship: Head
 Residence: 1930 Eldon^[322]
 Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Head
 Residence: 1930 Eldon^[324]

At the age of 38, John James married **Hilda Anderson** on Thursday, 9th July 1908, in Minnewaukan when she was 20 years old.^[321-324] shows m.Brinsmade, Benson Co, ND, They had nine children: Jessie (1909–1984), Nellie (1910–1976), Ivan (1912–1978), Elwin (1915–1966), Elmer (1917–2003), Raymond (1921–2003), Eileen, (unknown given name) and (unknown given name). Hilda was born in Ramsey on Sunday, 29th January 1888.^[321-324]

She reached 95 years of age and died in Minnewaukan on 16th November 1983.^[323, 324] Hilda was buried in Benson.^[323, 324]

!MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets. parents b. Sweden

- f II. **Susan J Sears** was born in Bedford Township in August 1871. She died in Steele, Kidder, North Dakota, USA, in September 1926 at the age of 55. Susan J was buried in Woodland Cemetery, Steele.

Susan J married **Edwin George Heusted**.

- f III. **Lillian Blanche Sears** was born in Bedford Township in April 1873. She died in 1956 at the age of 82.

Lillian Blanche married **William Myers** on Saturday, 16th May 1891, in Fostoria, Tuscola, Michigan, USA. They have no known children.

William was born in 1870.

³²¹ Ancestry.com, 1920 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1920; Census Place: Eldon, Benson, North Dakota; Roll: T625_1330; Page: 8B; Enumeration District: 26; Image: 725.

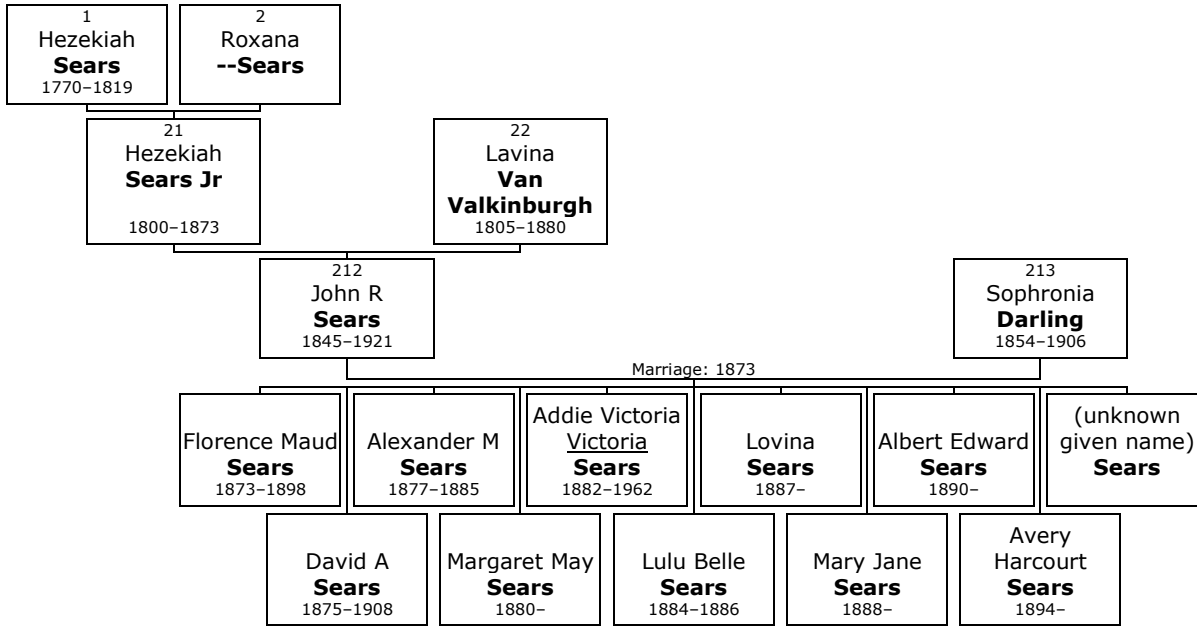
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<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCHT-9QK>.

- !MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.
- m IV. **Herbert A Sears** was born in Bedford Township in May 1875. He died on 1st June 1941, at the age of 66.
Herbert A married **Esther Isbel**.
- m V. **Hiram W Sears** was born in Bedford Township in April 1877. He died in Alberta in 1941 at the age of 63.
Hiram W married **Mary Ann Reynolds**.
- f VI. **Edith Catharine Sears** was born in Bedford Township in 1879. She died in Devils Lake, Ramsey, North Dakota, USA, in 1914 at the age of 35. Edith Catharine was buried in Steele, Kidder.
Edith Catharine married **John Sheldon Darling** in 1895 in Jamestown, Stutsman. They had six children: Fred (1902-), Vera (1905-1915), Hugh (1906-), (unknown given name), (unknown given name) and (unknown given name).
John Sheldon was born in Loughborough, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, on Saturday, 7th May 1864. He was the son of Charles W Darling and Katherine Spooner.
John Sheldon reached 81 years of age and died in Devils Lake, Ramsey, North Dakota, USA, on 1st August 1945.
!MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets. <http://trees.ancestry.com/owt/person.aspx?pid=38917902>
- m VII. **Frederick George Sears** was born in Bedford Township in February 1881. He died in 1956 at the age of 74.
Frederick George Sears married **Lena Morrison**. They have no known children.
Lena was born in 1885.
!MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.
- f VIII. **Jessie Victoria Sears** was born in Watertown Twp, Tuscola, Michigan, USA, on 10th April 1883. She died in Fargo, Cass, North Dakota, on 14th February 1956, at the age of 72.
Jessie Victoria Sears married **Ole B Lund** on Monday, 11th November 1912, in Carrington, Foster. They had one son: William (-1946).
!MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.
- m IX. **William A Sears** was born in Watertown Twp on 29th October 1885.
William A married **Edith L Smith**.
- m X. **Bertie Preston Sears** was born in Watertown Twp on 20th August 1887. He died in Brinsmade, Benson, North Dakota, in March 1905 at the age of 17. Bertie Preston was buried in Allen Twp, Kidder Co.

Family of John Sears and Sophronia Darling



- 212.** **John R⁶ Sears** (*Hezekiah⁵, Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²*) was born on Friday, 28th February 1845, in Loughborough, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada.^[325-355] He was the son of Hezekiah Sears Jr (21) and Lavina Van Valkinburgh (22).

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He was buried in Latimer in 1921.^[325, 326, 330-333] John R died in Storrington, Frontenac, on 14th September 1921, at the age of 76.^[325, 326, 330-333]

!m.i.-<http://www.gencircles.com/users/bgibbard/1/data/34365.html> (no longer accesible) John R. Sears Birth: 28 Feb 1845 in Loughborough Twp, Frontenac Co, ON, CAN 1 2 Death: 1921 in Storrington Twp, Frontenac Co, ON, CAN 3 Sex: M Father: Hezekiah Sears Mother: Lavina Vanvolkingburgh Burial: Latimer, Frontenac Co, ON, CAN 3 Reference: #34349 Occupation: Labourer/toll-gate keeper Sophrona Darling (Wife) 2 Marriage: 27 Jan 1873 in Kingston, Frontenac Co, ON, CAN Children: Florence Maud Sears David A. Sears Alexander M. Sears Margaret May Sears Addie Victoria "Victoria" Sears Lulu Belle Sears Lovina Sears Mary Jane Sears Albert Edward Sears Living Living Notes Individual: Married by Rev. John A. Mulock, Episcopal Methodist Ministe r. Sources Title: Canada Census, 1901 Page: ON, Frontenac Co, Storrington Twp, dist f-1, pg 6, ln 4 Title: Vital Statistics : Marriages - Registrations Author: Ontario. Office of the Registrar General Publication: ON Call Number: Record Group RG 80-5, Microfilm Series MS 932 Page: #003364/73 Title: Records Author: Sears-Degrugillier, Sheila Publication: Fargo, ND, USA

More facts and events for John R Sears:

Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac^[325, 330-333]

- 213.** At the age of 27, John R married **Sophronia Darling** on Monday, 27th January 1873, in Kingston, Frontenac, when she was 18 years old.^[325, 330-333] They had eleven children: Florence (1873-1898), David (1875-1908), Alexander (1877-1885), Margaret (1880-), Victoria (1882-1962), Lulu (1884-1886), Lovina (1887-), Mary (1888-), Albert (1890-), Avery (1894-) and (unknown given name).

Sophronia was born in Storrington on Friday, 22nd December 1854. Sophronia was buried in Latimer, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, in 1906. She reached 51 years of age and died in Watertown, Jefferson, New York, USA, on 25th October 1906.

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More facts and events for Sophronia Darling:

Residence: 1861 Loughborough

Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac

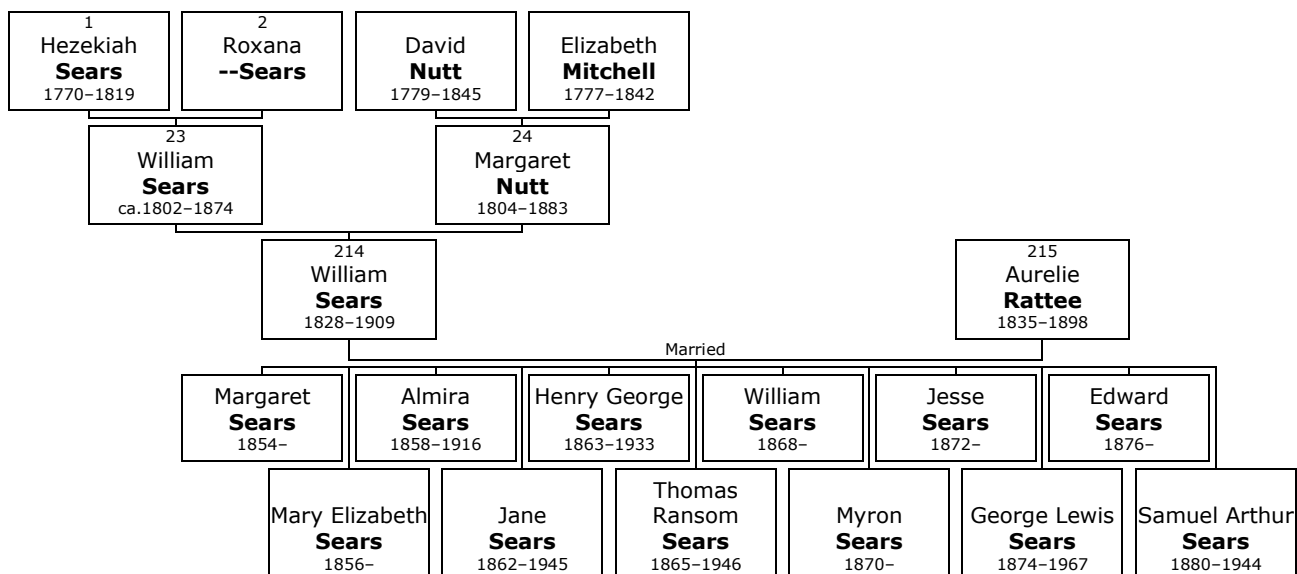
Children of John R Sears and Sophronia Darling:

- f I. **Florence Maud⁷ Sears** was born in Frontenac in 1873. She died in Storrington Twp, Frontenac, on 8th November 1898, at the age of 25. Florence Maud was buried in Latimer Cemetery, Latimer.
Florence Maud married **Bower Williams** on Saturday, 25th December 1897, in Storrington Twp. They have no known children.
Bower was born in 1876.
- m II. **David A Sears** was born in Inverary, Frontenac, on 5th January 1875. He died in Kingston, Frontenac, on 15th June 1908, at the age of 33. David A was buried in Latimer.
More facts and events for David A Sears:
Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac
- m III. **Alexander M Sears** was born in Storrington Twp in January 1877. He died in Storrington Twp on 22nd December 1885, at the age of 8.
- f IV. **Margaret May Sears** was born in Storrington Twp on 15th March 1880.
More facts and events for Margaret May Sears:
Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac
- f V. **Addie Victoria Victoria Sears** was born in Inverary on 4th April 1882. She died in Michigan, USA, on 13th November 1962, at the age of 80.
More facts and events for Addie Victoria Victoria Sears:
Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac, Ontario, Canada
Addie Victoria Victoria Sears married **Walter John Cooper** on Wednesday, 5th July 1905, in Kingston, Frontenac. They have no known children.
Walter John was born in Seeleys Bay, Grenville, in 1883.
- f VI. **Lulu Belle Sears** was born in Storrington Twp in April 1884. Lulu Belle was buried in Latimer in 1886. She died in Storrington Twp on 28th September 1886, at the age of 2.
- f VII. **Lovina Sears** was born in Storrington Twp on 24th April 1887.
More facts and events for Lovina Sears:
Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac
- f VIII. **Mary Jane Sears** was born in Storrington Twp on 19th January 1888.
More facts and events for Mary Jane Sears:
Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac
- m IX. **Albert Edward Sears** was born in Storrington Twp on 4th January 1890.
More facts and events for Albert Edward Sears:
Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac
- m X. **Avery Harcourt Sears** was born at Storrington in Frontenac on 25th May 1894.
More facts and events for Avery Harcourt Sears:
Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac

Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac

m XI. (unknown given name) Sears.

Family of William Sears and Aurelie Rattee



214. William⁶ Sears (*William⁵, Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²*) was born on Friday, 26th September 1828, at source: Gord Ballik in Quebec, Canada.^[356-366] He was the son of William Sears (23) and Margaret Nutt (24).

- ³⁵⁶ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<http://familysearch.org> : modified 17 November 2018, 19:52), entry for William Sears(PID <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:96SD-7WV>); contributed by various users. PersonID 96SD-7WV. William Sears.
- ³⁵⁷ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Canada Census, 1871," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:M431-CVX> : 24 October 2018), Jane Sears in household of William Sears, Loughborough, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada; citing 1871; citing National Archives of Canada, Ottawa, Ontario. William Sears.
- ³⁵⁸ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:XLPD-1B9> : 10 February 2018), William Sears in entry for George Lewis Sears, 10 Jul 1874; citing Ontario, Canada; FHL microfilm 1,871,359. William Sears in entry for George Lewis Sears, "Ontario Births and Baptisms, 1779-1899".
- ³⁵⁹ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FMJ4-CD1> : 11 March 2018), Wm in entry for William James Arthur and Almena Sears, 04 Sep 1882; citing registration , Kingston, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, Archives of Ontario, Toronto; FHL microfilm 1,869,758. Wm in entry for William James Arthur and Almena Sears, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927".
- ³⁶⁰ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FMJ4-CJK> : 11 March 2018), Wm in entry for Edwin Clark King and Jane Sears, 15 Feb 1882; citing registration , Inverary, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, Archives of Ontario, Toronto; FHL microfilm 1,869,758. Wm in entry for Edwin Clark King and Jane Sears, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927".
- ³⁶¹ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Births, 1869-1912," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FMZR-3L2> : 10 February 2018), William Sears in entry for George Lewis Sears, 10 Jul 1874; citing Birth, Loughborough, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, citing Archives of Ontario, Toronto; FHL microfilm 1,871,359.
. William Sears in entry for George Lewis Sears, "Ontario Births, 1869-1912".
- ³⁶² FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FMJS-4QL> : 11 March 2018), William Sears in entry for David Gowan and Mary Elizth Sears, 11 Mar 1878; citing registration , Kingston, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, Archives of Ontario, Toronto; FHL microfilm 1,863,651. William Sears in entry for David Gowan and Mary Elizth Sears, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927".
- ³⁶³ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FMV9-MTV> : 11 March 2018), William Sears in entry for Henry Sears and Sarah Barr, 12 Oct 1886; citing registration , Westport, Leeds, Ontario, Canada, Archives of Ontario, Toronto; FHL microfilm 1,869,962. William Sears in entry for Henry Sears and Sarah Barr, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927".

William died at source: Gord Ballik in Mount Chesney, Frontenac, Ontario, on 4th May 1909, at the age of 80.^[356-358]

Leslie Sears

Jul 05, 2019

Hi Kerry it's great to hear from you again. Sorry i haven't done well in maintaining connections but i am trying to do better now that i am retired. So is it spelled Aurelie Rattee with two e's? It is hard to imagine William living through such a time. Just this morning i was talking with my sister about Nova Scotia and how long it has been a province and some of the early French influence and then banishing Acaadian families to Louisiana. What a time that must have been. Gord Ballik recently sent me some info on William back in Dec. Do you know him. He might be a close cousin to you. I could see how Aurelie could get "anglicized" to Orilla. I have no ear for French. I will send you the letter from Gord over on your email

Regards

Ray

Write another reply

Kerry M Shaw (<https://www.ancestry.com/connect/profile/00f85efd-0003-0000-0000-000000000000>)

Jul 05, 2019

Hello Leslie, my name is Kerry Shaw and we spoke several years ago when I was first trying to track my Sears Ancestry. I had asked if you knew of any Sears that had come from Ontario to Edmonton, Alberta. William Sears above is my Great Great Grand father through Samuel Arthur Sears (1879-1944) his youngest son.

I have a correction for you for William's Wife "Orilla" name spelling. The correct spelling is actually "Aurelie Ratte" (ee) she was French Canadian. It had me stuck for sometime until I check trees of people who where a DNA match with me and had Rattee in there trees. I was able to search their trees to find a birth and death range that matched and found the correct spelling. The Rattee French family history goes back in Canadian history to the earliest of Settles in Quebec and to Abraham Martin and the Plains of Abraham where the English and French fought in 1759 for the control of Canada. Once I had Aurelie's correct Spelling it opened up for me a whole French Canadian Ancestry I had no idea of.

If you have any question or concerns please feel free to contact me:

Kerry Shaw

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- 215.** William married **Aurelie Rattee** in Clarenceville, Quebec. They had twelve children: Margaret (1854-), Mary (1856-), Almira (1858-1916), Jane (1862-1945), Henry (1863-1933), Thomas (1865-1946), William (1868-), Myron (1870-), Jesse (1872-), George (1874-1967), Edward (1876-) and Samuel (1880-1944).

Aurelie was born at source: Gord Ballik in Ontario in 1835. She reached 63 years of age and died in 1898. source: Gord Ballik.

not Orilla

Children of William Sears and Aurelie Rattee:

- f I. **Margaret⁷ Sears** was born in Storrington Twp, Frontenac, Ontario, in 1854.

³⁶⁴ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FMVG-SSJ : 11 March 2018), William Sears in entry for Charles Wright and Jessie Sears, 14 Dec 1892; citing registration , Battersea, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, Archives of Ontario, Toronto; FHL microfilm 1,870,471. William Sears in entry for Charles Wright and Jessie Sears, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927".

³⁶⁵ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Canada Births and Baptisms, 1661-1959," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F24T-3YW : 10 February 2018), William Sears in entry for George Lewis Sears, 10 Jul 1874; citing Ontario, Canada, 10 Jul 1874, reference cn 901867; FHL microfilm 1,871,359. William Sears in entry for George Lewis Sears, "Canada Births and Baptisms, 1661-1959".

³⁶⁶ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:KZBZ-F16 : 11 March 2018), William Sears in entry for George Lewis Sears and Ella May Sears, ; citing registration , , Leeds, Ontario, Canada, Archives of Ontario, Toronto; FHL microfilm 1,871,077. William Sears in entry for George Lewis Sears and Ella May Sears, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927".

More facts and events for Margaret Sears:

Residence: 1871 Frontenac
Loughboro

- f II. **Mary Elizabeth Sears** was born in Storrington Twp in 1856.

More facts and events for Mary Elizabeth Sears:

Residence: 1871 Frontenac, Ontario
Loughboro
Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac
Residence: 1911 Regina, Saskatchewan
Sub-Districts 6-71

Mary Elizabeth married **David Gowan** on Monday, 11th March 1878, at source: Gord Ballik in Kingston, Frontenac, Ontario. They had nine children: Orilla (1879-), David (1881-), William (1883-), Mary (1885-1892), James (1888-), Susan (1890-1971), John (1894-), Gertrude (1899-) and Charles (1900-).

David was born in Canada in 1849. He was the son of Joseph Gowan and Elizabeth --Gowan.

- f III. **Almira Sears** was born in Storrington Twp on 17th April 1858. She was also known as **Almira Abigail Sears**.

Almira died in Storrington Twp, Frontenac, in 1916 at the age of 57. She was buried at 4448 Battersea Rd source: Gord Ballik in Sandhill Cemetery, Battersea.

More facts and events for Almira Sears:

Residence: 1911 Frontenac
Sub-Districts 1-54

Almira Sears married **William James Arthur**. They had four children: Annie (1886-1967), Charles (1890-), William (1892-1944) and Ethel (1901-).

William James was born in Storrington Twp, Frontenac, on Monday, 19th May 1856. He was the son of Sampson Lewarne Arthur and Mary Anne --Arthur.

William James reached 61 years of age and died in Storrington Twp in 1918. He was buried at source: Gord Ballik in Sandhill Cemetery, Battersea.

- f IV. **Jane Sears** was born at Loughboro in Frontenac in 1862. She died at Elginburg in Kingston, Frontenac, on 25th September 1945, at the age of 83. Jane was buried. Sand Hill Cementery.

More facts and events for Jane Sears:

Residence: 1871 Loughborough
Residence: 31st March 1901 C
Residence: 1911 Frontenac
Sub-Districts 1-54

- m V. **Henry George Sears** was born in Frontenac on 2nd June 1863.^[367, 368] He died at Mount Chesney in Kingston on 5th October 1933, at the age of 70.^[367, 368] Henry George was buried in Battersea.^[367, 368]

³⁶⁷ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Baden N
Sears-<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/27301420/person/26085594566>.
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=matownvital&h=45252021&ti=0&indiv=try&gss=pt>.

³⁶⁸ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Sadie Myrtle
Sears-<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/27301420/person/26085594572>.
<https://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1030&h=26085594572&indiv=try>.

More facts and events for Henry George Sears:

Residence: 1891	Crosby North, Leeds ^[368]
Residence: 1891	Crosby North ^[367]
Residence: 1891	Crosby North ^[367]
Census: 1891	Leeds North Crosby
Residence: 1891	Crosby North, Leeds ^[368]
Residence: 1901	Kingston, Frontenac ^[368]
Residence: 1901	Kingston ^[367]
Residence: 1901	Kingston ^[368]
Residence: 1901	Kingston ^[367]
Residence: 1911	Frontenac ^[367, 368] Sub-Districts 1-54
Residence: 1 st June 1921	Kingston Twp, Frontenac ^[368]
Residence: 1 st June 1921	Kingston Twp ^[367]

At the age of 23, Henry George Sears married **Sarah Jane Barr** on Tuesday, 12th October 1886, at source: Gord Ballik in Westport, North Crosby (Grenville), Leeds, when she was 21 years old.^[367, 368] They had twelve children: Mabel (1887–), Jennie (1888–1988), Ethel (1890–1971), Lottie (1895–1961), Bill (1896–1978), Margaret (1898–1929), Henry (1899–1977), Beatrice (1901–), Frances (1903–ca.1994), Baden (1905–), Sally (1907–2004) and Howard (1909–1992).

Sarah Jane was born in Burr ridge, Frontenac, on Monday, 24th July 1865.^[367, 368] She was the daughter of George Quinn Barr and Mary Jane Crozier.

Sarah Jane reached 80 years of age and died in Mount Chesney on 17th September 1945.^[367, 368] She was buried in Battersea.^[367, 368]

m VI. **Thomas Ransom Sears** was born in Battersea, Storrington Township, on 3rd June 1865. He immigrated in 1890.

Thomas Ransom died on 6th May 1946, at the age of 80. Wasco, Sherman co, WY (Should this be OR?). He was buried at Plot: Row F Lot 13 Space 7 source: Gord Ballik in Greenhill Cemetery, Laramie.



Thomas

More facts and events for Thomas Ransom Sears:

Residence: 1910	Laramie
Residence: 1935	Same House
Residence: 1940	Laramie Ward 2, Election District 5

Thomas Ransom Sears married **Margaret May Surline**. They had one daughter: Velva (1898–1900).

Margaret May was born in St Clair, Michigan, on Wednesday, 29th April 1874. She was the daughter of Asher David Surline and Sarah Jeanette Anderson.

Margaret May reached 83 years of age and died in Multnomah, Multnomah, Oregon, on 24th September 1957. She was buried in Greenhill Cemetery, Laramie, Albany, Wyoming.

Find A Grave Memorial# 79401839 Birth: Apr. 29, 1874 St. Clair County Michigan, USA Death: Sep. 24, 1957 Multnomah Multnomah County Oregon, USA Family links: Parents: Asher David Surline (1848 - 1926) Sarah Jeanette Anderson Surline (1853 - 1935) Spouse: Thomas Ransom Sears (1865 - 1946)* Children: Velva O. Sears (1898 - 1900)* *Calculated relationship Burial: Greenhill Cemetery Laramie Albany County Wyoming, USA Plot: Row F Lot 13 Space 6 Created by: Lostnwyomn Record added: Oct 27, 2011

m VII. **William Sears** was born in Ontario in 1868.

m VIII. **Myron Sears** was born in Ontario in 1870.

More facts and events for Myron Sears:

Residence: 1871 Frontenac
Loughboro

Residence: Storrington, Frontenac

f IX. **Jesse Sears** was born in Storrington Twp, Frontenac, Ontario, in 1872. She immigrated in 1896.

Jesse died in Brownville.

More facts and events for Jesse Sears:

Residence: 1905 Brownville

Residence: 1905 Brownville

Residence: 1910 Brownville

Residence: 1920 Brownville

Jesse Sears married **Charles Wright** on Wednesday, 14th December 1892, at source: Gord Ballik in Battersea, Storrington Township, Ontario, Canada. They have no known children.

Charles was born in 1864. He was the son of Abraham Wright and Sarah Jane Ferguson.

m X. **George Lewis Sears** was born in Perth Road Village, Loughborough Township, on 10th July 1874.^[369-372] He died in Moose Jaw on 15th May 1967, at the age of 92.^[369-372]

George Lewis was buried in Rosedale Cemetery, Moose Jaw.^[369-372]

More facts and events for George Lewis Sears:

Residence: 1874 Ontario

Residence: 1891 Frontenac, Ontario^[372]

Residence: 1891 Frontenac^[372]

Residence: 1891 Frontenac^[372]

Residence: 1891 Frontenac^[369, 371]

Residence: 1901 Storrington, Frontenac^[372]

Residence: 1901 Storrington^[369, 371]

Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac

Residence: 1906 Townships 15 to 18 inclusive in ranges 19, 20, Assiniboia, Saskatchewan^[372]

Residence: 1906 Townships 15 to 18 inclusive in ranges 19, 20, 21 west of the 2nd M^[369, 371]

Residence: 1911 Grenville, Ontario
Sub-Districts 11-42

Residence: 1916 Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan^[369, 371, 372]

³⁶⁹ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Florence Margaret Sears-<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/27301420/person/26085554273>.
<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCHZ-6MS>.

³⁷⁰ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Gladys Louise Sears-<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/151491548/person/362007875496>.
<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCHX-CH3>.

³⁷¹ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Harriett May Sears-<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/27301420/person/26085554783>.
<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCHR-S9B>.

³⁷² "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Ruby Marion Sears-<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/27301420/person/26085554785>.
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=61157&h=3298638&indiv=try>.

Residence: 1st June 1921 Rouleau^[372]
 Residence: 1st June 1921 Rouleau^[369, 371]
 Residence: 1940 Moose Jaw^[369, 371]
 Residence: 1940 Moose Jaw^[372]
 Residence: 1962 Moose Jaw^[369, 371]
 Moose Jaw; Lake Centre, Saskatchewan,
 Canada
 Residence: 1962 Moose Jaw^[372]

At the age of 26, George Lewis Sears married **Ella May Idella Sears** on Wednesday, 29th August 1900, in Frontenac, Ontario, when she was 19 years old.^[369-372] They had ten daughters: Myrtle (1903-1989), Florence (1905-1966), Martha (ca.1907-1987), Ruby (1909-1990), Gladys (1910-1991), Harriet (1913-), Edith (ca.1914-2004), Alice (1916-1998), Jean (1919-1990) and Tillie.

Ella May Idella was born in Bedford Township, Frontenac, on Wednesday, 8th June 1881.^[369-372] She was the daughter of Horace Sears (206) and Martha Mercy Green (207).

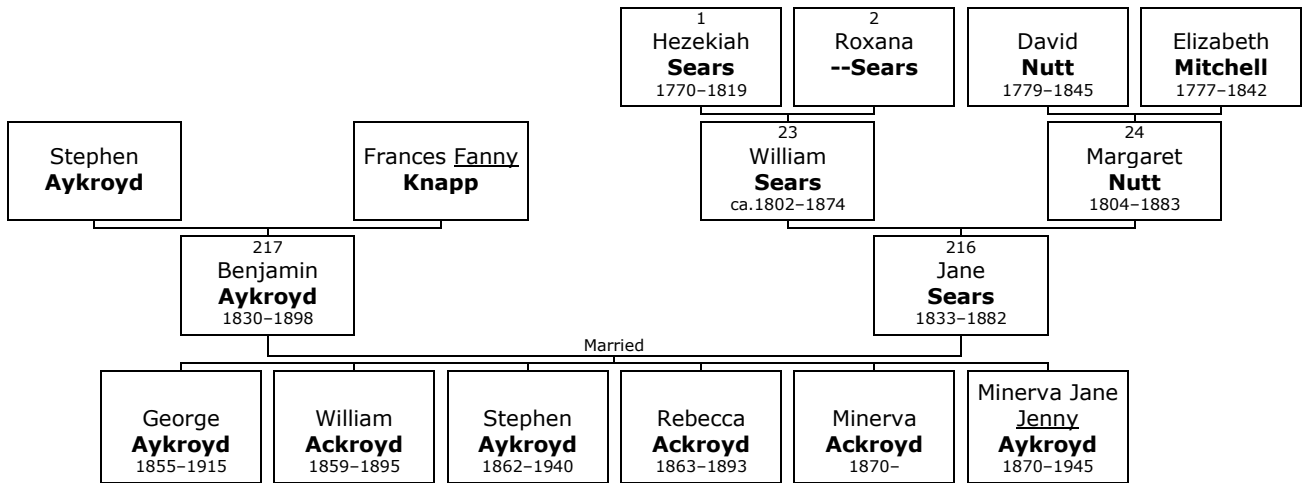
Ella May Idella reached 56 years of age and died in Moose Jaw on 10th February 1938.^[369-372] She was buried in Moose Jaw.^[369-372]

!BIRTH-MARRIAGE: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

m XI. **Edward Sears** was born in Ontario in 1876.

m XII. **Samuel Arthur Sears** was born in Ontario in 1880. He died in 1944 at the age of 64.

Family of Jane Sears and Benjamin Aykroyd



216. Jane⁶ Sears (*William⁵, Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²*) was born on Saturday, 13th April 1833, in Ontario, Canada.^[373] She was the daughter of William Sears (23) and Margaret Nutt (24).

Jane died at source: Gord Ballik in Bedford Township, Frontenac, Ontario, on 6th November 1882, at the age of 49.

!BIRTH-MARRIAGE-DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

!Hello L. Ray Sears, III,

!My mother Yvonne Mary Burnett (1934-1992) is buried in Sydenham Cemetery. My maternal

³⁷³ Ancestry.com, Iowa, Marriage Records, 1880-1937 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com, Iowa State Archives; Des Moines, Iowa; Volume: 354 (Page - Story).
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grandmother Thorall Anne Aykroyd (1907-1967) is buried in Cataraqui Christ Church (Anglican) Cemetery in Kingston, Ontario in a Burnett plot. My mother is buried in Sydenham Cemetery in an Aykroyd plot. My mother is buried with my Great-Grandfather Wilkie Ward Aykroyd (1888-1961) and my 2nd Great-Grandfather George Aykroyd (1855-1915). George Aykroyd was a son of my 3rd Great-Grandparents Benjamin Aykroyd (1830-1898) and his first wife Jane Sears (1833-1882).

!I am writing to you today to find out more information about "Sears Family Association™" and how I can join myself and perhaps share information I have here forward. I know my Benjamin Aykroyd is buried in Wilmer Cemetery located now in South Frontenac Township, Frontenac County, Ontario. I am not sure nor do I know where Jane Sears is interred.

!I also know that "this" Benjamin Aykroyd remarried to widow Mary Jane Stoness nee Buck (1847-1912). I as well have a copy here of (Samuel Cuthbert) Peter Hugh Aykroyd's 2002 book called "A Sense of Place." I myself am listed on pg. 52. Other researchers have not linked the fact that this Benjamin Aykroyd are one and the same as does Peter Hugh Aykroyd in "A Sense of Place" on pg. 47.

!Ray, as myself a direct descendent of Richard Sears (my 10th Great-Grandfather) I would like to join the Sears Family Association as a member. Any information you can share will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your time and awaiting your response,
Gord Ballik

PS I am in the process of moving so may not be able to respond myself in a timely fashion.

- 217.** She married **Benjamin Aykroyd**.^[373] They had six children: George (1855–1915), William (1859–1895), Stephen (1862–1940), Rebecca (1863–1893), Minerva (1870–) and Jenny (1870–1945).

Benjamin was born at source: Gord Ballik in Bedford Township, Central Frontenac, in 1830. He was the son of Stephen Aykroyd and Frances Fanny Knapp.

Benjamin reached 68 years of age and died in Loughborough Township on 19th July 1898. He was buried in Wilmer Cemetery, Wilmer, Loughborough Township.

!BIRTH-MOTHER-MARRIAGE-DEATH: Letter from Diane Sears Brigode, Northglenn, CO, to Ray Sears in Duncan, OK; 1830-1915; Letter dtd 27 Jan 1994; ; copy in poss of Ray Sears; Family Group Sheets.

Children of Jane Sears and Benjamin Aykroyd:

- m I. **George⁷ Aykroyd** was born in Storrington on 24th December 1855. He died in Inverary on 9th October 1915, at the age of 59. George was buried in Sydenham Cemetery, Loughborough Township.



George

At the age of 22, George married **Althea Spafford** on Wednesday, 13th November 1878, in Spaffordtown when she was 21 years old. They had two children: Jennie (1882–1950) and Wilkie (1888–1961).

Althea was born at source: Gord Ballik in Loughborough on Thursday, 28th May 1857. She was the daughter of Elijah Spafford and Eliza Jane Jane Cranston.

Althea reached 70 years of age and died in Storrington on 13th May 1928. She was buried in Sydenham Cemetery, Loughborough Township, on 15th May 1928.

- m II. **William Ackroyd** was born in Bedford Township in 1859. He died in Frontenac on 28th November 1895, at the age of 36.

William Ackroyd married **Lurena Victoria Amey**. They had three children: Jane (1880–1884), Lyle (1888–1953) and Myrtle (1894–).

Lurena Victoria was born in Ontario on Wednesday, 25th June 1862. She was the daughter of Frances Grant Frank Amey and Rosilla Pixley.

Lurena Victoria reached 63 years of age and died in Sault Sainte Marie, Algoma, Ontario, on 22nd June 1926. She was buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Sault Sainte Marie.

- m III. **Stephen Aykroyd** was born in Bedford Township in 1862. He died in 1940 at the age of 78. Stephen was buried in Elmwood Cemetery, De Witt, Clinton, Iowa, USA.

Stephen Aykroyd married **Annie Victoria McConnell** on Tuesday, 1st March 1892, in Sydenham, Loughborough Township, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada. They had five children: Helen (1894–), Garrett (1896–1980), Robert (1902–1902), Harold (1905–) and Victor (1913–1985).

Annie Victoria was born in 1868. She was the daughter of Robert McConnell and Ann --McConnell.

Annie Victoria reached 45 years of age and died in 1913. She was buried in Elmwood Cemetery, De Witt, Clinton, Iowa, USA.

- f IV. **Rebecca Ackroyd** was born in Bedford Township on 8th September 1863. She died at source: Gord Ballik in Clinton, Clinton, Iowa, USA, on 1st November 1893, at the age of 30. Rebecca was buried in Wilmer Cemetery, Wilmer, Loughborough Township, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada.

Rebecca Ackroyd married **Charles Calvin Charlie Spafford**. They had one daughter: Grace (1893–1973).

Charlie was born in Elwood, Jackson, Will, Illinois, USA, on Wednesday, 23rd March 1859. He was the son of Stephen Miles Spafford and Mary Elizabeth Rachel Shoemaker.

Charlie reached 73 years of age and died in Clinton, Clinton, Iowa, on 18th January 1933. He was buried at Lot 104, Block 39 source: Gord Ballik in Springdale Cemetery, Clinton.

- f V. **Minerva Ackroyd** was born in Bedford Township in 1870.

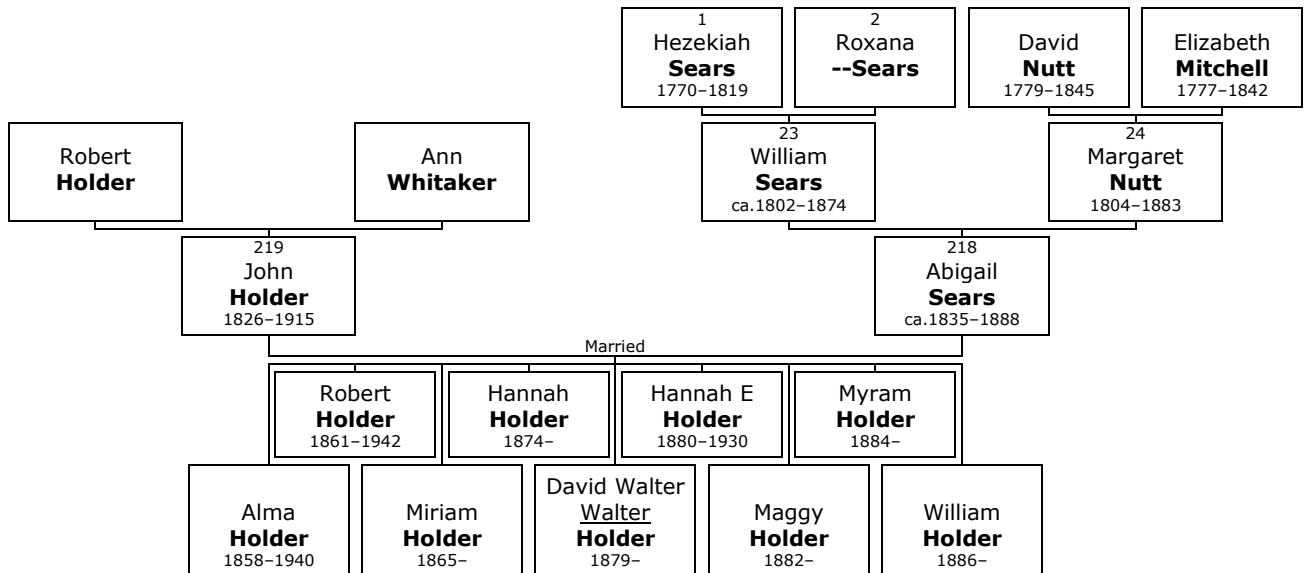
- f VI. **Minerva Jane Jenny Aykroyd** was born at source: Gord Ballik in Bedford Township, Central Frontenac, in February 1870.^[373] She died on 5th January 1945, at the age of 74. Jenny was buried in Springdale Cemetery, Clinton, Clinton, Iowa, USA.

Minerva Jane Jenny Aykroyd married **Capt Thomas H Duncan**. They have no known children.

Thomas H was born in New York in July 1846. He was the son of William Duncan and Eliza Williscraft.

Thomas H reached 66 years of age and died on 15th April 1913. He was buried in Springdale Cemetery, Clinton, Clinton, Iowa.

Family of Abigail Sears and John Holder



- 218. Abigail⁶ Sears** (*William⁵, Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²*) was born about 1835 in Quebec, Canada. She was the daughter of William Sears (23) and Margaret Nutt (24).

Abigail died at Storrington Township in Frontenac, Ontario, on 3rd May 1888, at the age of 53. She was buried at source: Gord Ballik in Sandhill Cemetery, Battersea, Frontenac.

- 219.** She married **John Holder**. They had nine children: Alma (1858–1940), Robert (1861–1942), Miriam (1865–), Hannah (1874–), Walter (1879–), Hannah (1880–1930), Maggy (1882–), Myram (1884–) and William (1886–).

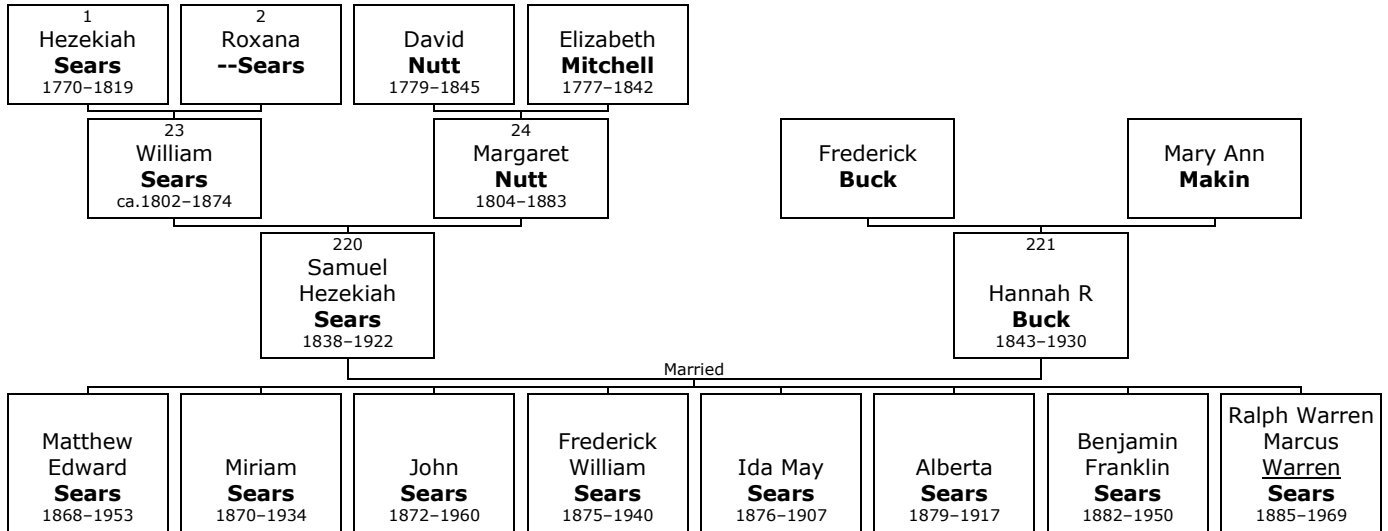
John was born in Leeds, Yorkshire, England, in 1826. He was the son of Robert Holder and Ann Whitaker.

He was christened at source: Gord Ballik in Lees, Lancashire, on 23rd January 1826. John reached 89 years of age and died in Canada in 1915.

Children of Abigail Sears and John Holder:

- f I. **Alma⁷ Holder** was born in Canada on 17th August 1858. She died in Kingston, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, on 28th December 1940, at the age of 82.
- At the age of 15, Alma married **James McIlroy** on Tuesday, 17th February 1874, at source: Gord Ballik in Storrington when he was 22 years old. They had twelve children: Margaret (1875-), Abigail (1877-), John (1879-1961), George (1881-1958), Issah (1883-), Edward (1885-), Evelena (1886-), Edna (1888-), Frank (1891-1961), Isaac (1893-1961), William (1896-) and Letta (1898-1985).
- James was born in Frontenac on Sunday, 20th April 1851. He was the son of John McIlroy and Sarah Carter.
- James reached 89 years of age and died in Frontenac on 27th April 1940.
- m II. **Robert Holder** was born in Battersea, Storrington Township, Ontario, Canada, on 8th June 1861. He died in Bladworth, Saskatchewan, on 13th June 1942, at the age of 81.
- At the age of 28, Robert Holder married **Sarah Catharine Keeler** on Wednesday, 26th February 1890, when she was 22 years old. They had five children: Roy (1890-), Lloyd (1892-), Abbie (1894-), Frank (1897-) and Bertram (1899-1987).
- Sarah Catharine was born in Battersea, Storrington Township, Ontario, on Friday, 7th February 1868. She was the daughter of Joseph Keeler and Ellen Kearns.
- Sarah Catharine reached 74 years of age and died on 8th April 1942. She was buried in Bladworth, Saskatchewan.
- f III. **Miriam Holder** was born in Ontario in 1865.
- Miriam Holder married **Thomas Mcavoy**. They have no known children.
- Thomas was born in St Catharines, Port Dalhousie, Niagara, Ontario, in 1864. He was the son of John Mcavoy and Maria Reed.
- f IV. **Hannah Holder** was born in 1874.
- m V. **David Walter Walter Holder** was born in 1879.
- f VI. **Hannah E Holder** was born in 1880. She died in Leeds, Ontario, in 1930 at the age of 50.
- Hannah E Holder married **William Henry Free**. They have no known children.
- William Henry was born in Leeds in 1880. He was the son of Henry Joseph Free and Margaret Carpenter.
- William Henry reached 57 years of age and died in Sarnia, Lambton, in 1937. He was buried at source: Gord Ballik in Leeds.
- f VII. **Maggy Holder** was born in 1882.
- f VIII. **Myram Holder** was born in 1884.
- m IX. **William Holder** was born in 1886.

Family of Samuel Sears and Hannah Buck



220. Samuel Hezekiah⁶ Sears (*William⁵, Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²*) was born on Friday, 4th May 1838, in Quebec, Canada. He was the son of William Sears (23) and Margaret Nutt (24).

Samuel Hezekiah died in Perth Road Village, Loughborough Township, Frontenac, Ontario, on 2nd February 1922, at the age of 83. He was buried in Wilmer Cemetery, Wilmer, on 4th February 1922.

221. He married **Hannah R Buck**. They had eight children: Matthew (1868–1953), Miriam (1870–1934), John (1872–1960), Frederick (1875–1940), Ida (1876–1907), Alberta (1879–1917), Benjamin (1882–1950) and Warren (1885–1969).

Hannah R was born in 1843. She was the daughter of Frederick Buck and Mary Ann Makin.

Hannah R reached 87 years of age and died in 1930. She was buried at source: Gord Ballik in Wilmer Cemetery, Wilmer, Loughborough Township.

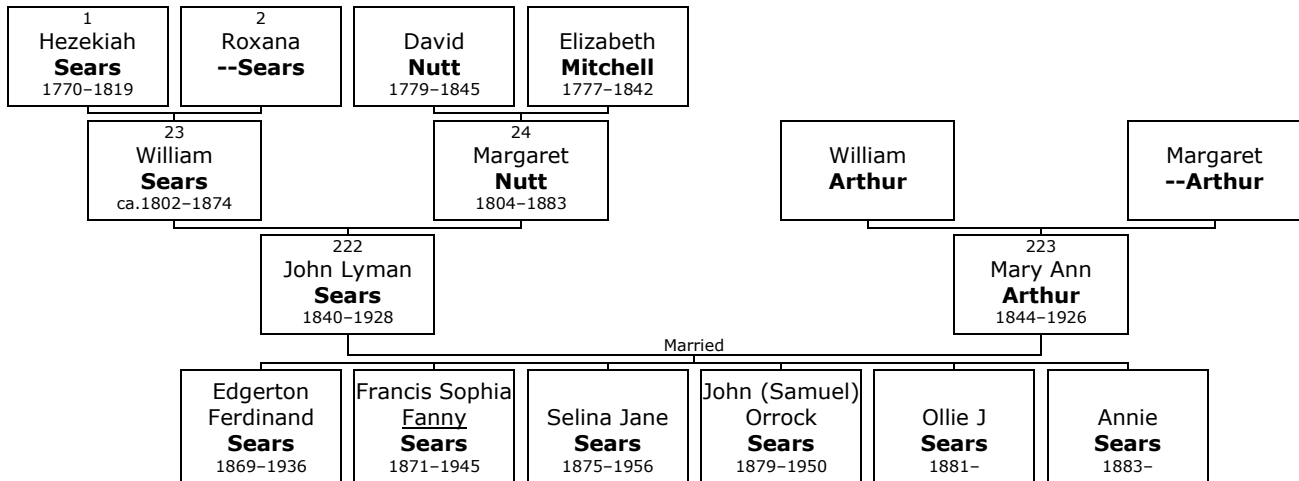
Children of Samuel Hezekiah Sears and Hannah R Buck:

- m I. **Matthew Edward⁷ Sears** was born in 1868. source: Gord Ballik. He died in 1953 at the age of 85.
 Matthew Edward married **Elizabeth Pearl Pearl Guthrie**. They had one daughter: Ruth. Pearl was born in 1889. She reached 66 years of age and died in 1955.
 Matthew Edward Sears married **Charlotte Isabella Snook**. They have no known children.
 Charlotte Isabella was born in 1885. She reached 30 years of age and died in 1915. Charlotte Isabella was buried in Wilmer Cemetery.
- f II. **Miriam Sears** was born in Perth Road Village on 17th April 1870. She died in Loughborough Township on 25th February 1934, at the age of 63. Miriam was buried at source: Gord Ballik in Wilmer Cemetery, Wilmer, Loughborough Township, on 27th February 1934.
 Miriam Sears married **Leroy McCrimmon**. They have no known children.
 Leroy was born in Ontario on Sunday, 18th December 1870. He was the son of Nathan McCrimmon and Eve Dulmage.
 Leroy reached 85 years of age and died in 1956. He was buried in Wilmer Cemetery, Wilmer, Loughborough Township, Frontenac, Ontario.
- m III. **John Sears** was born in Ontario on 12th October 1872. He died in 1960 at the age of 87. John was buried in Wilmer Cemetery, Wilmer, Loughborough Township, Frontenac, Ontario.
 John Sears married **Edith Reff**. They had one son: Samuel (1896–).
 Edith was born in Ontario on Sunday, 8th October 1876. She reached 76 years of age and died in 1953. Edith was buried in Wilmer Cemetery, Wilmer, Loughborough Township, Frontenac, Ontario.

- m IV. **Frederick William Sears** was born in Ontario in 1875. He died in Saskatchewan on 6th May 1940, at the age of 65. Frederick William was buried at plot 044-012 source: Gord Ballik in Hillcrest Cemetery, Weyburn, Saskatchewan.
- Frederick William Sears married **Margaret Ann Edmund** on Monday, 15th August 1904, in Kingston, Frontenac, Ontario. They had three children: Jessie (1906–<2004), Ed (1909–1969) and Olivia (1913–2004).
- Margaret Ann was born in Ontario in 1876. She was the daughter of John Edmund and Bridget McCormick.
- Margaret Ann reached 61 years of age and died in Saskatchewan on 26th June 1937.
- f V. **Ida May Sears** was born in Perth Road Village, Loughborough Township, Frontenac, Ontario, on 2nd February 1876. She died in Kingston on 23rd September 1907, at the age of 31.
- At the age of 25, Ida May Sears married **Haffell James Hubbel Powell** on Wednesday, 8th May 1901, in Perth Road Village, Loughborough Township, when he was 27 years old. They had three children: Alberta (1901–), Arleen (1903–1990) and Haffell (1905–1985).
- Hubbel was born in Kingston on Friday, 22nd August 1873. He was the son of James William Powell and Jane Sallans.
- Hubbel reached 75 years of age and died in Kingston on 23rd January 1949.
- f VI. **Alberta Sears** was born in Ontario in 1879. She died in Kingston, Frontenac, Ontario, on 9th February 1917, at the age of 38.
- At the age of 29, Alberta Sears married **John Henry Allmark** on Wednesday, 17th June 1908, in Portsmouth, Kingston, when he was 29 years old. They had two sons: Mathew (1909–) and Benjamin (1911–).
- John Henry was born in England on Saturday, 21st December 1878.
- m VII. **Benjamin Franklin Sears** was born in Perth Road Village, Loughborough Township, Frontenac, Ontario, in 1882. He died in 1950 at the age of 68. Benjamin Franklin was buried in Cataraqui United Church Cemetery, Kingston.
- Benjamin Franklin Sears married **Annie Holland** on Thursday, 1st September 1904, in Portsmouth. They had two sons: Howard (1904–1964) and Frederick.
- Annie was born in Portsmouth in 1883. She was the daughter of William Holland and Elizabeth McMahon.
- Annie reached 50 years of age and died on 20th March 1933. She was buried in Cataraqui United Church Cemetery.
- m VIII. **Ralph Warren Marcus Warren Sears** was born in Perth Road, Loughborough, on 24th May 1885.^[374] He died in Kingston, Frontenac, on 5th February 1969, at the age of 83.^[374] Warren was buried in Wilmer Cemetery, Wilmer, Loughborough Township.^[374]
- More facts and events for Ralph Warren Marcus Warren Sears:
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| Residence: 1891 | Addington ^[374] |
| Residence: 1901 | Loughborough, Addington ^[374] |
| Residence: 1911 | Nipissing ^[374] |
| Residence: 1 st June 1921 | Portsmouth, Kingston ^[374] |
- At the age of 25, Ralph Warren Marcus Warren Sears married **Emma Rose Turner** on Wednesday, 21st December 1910, in Kingston, Frontenac, when she was 27 years old.^[374] They had three children: Doris (1911–1916), Jack (1914–1995) and Willie.
- Emma Rose was born in St Saviour Southwark, London, on Friday, 24th August 1883.^[374] She was the daughter of Frank Charles Turner and Mary Jane Goodchild.
- Emma Rose reached 34 years of age and died in Kingston, Frontenac, on 24th November 1917.^[374] She was buried in Wilmer Cemetery, Wilmer, Loughborough Township.^[374]

³⁷⁴ "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Albert John "Jack" Sears-<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/17930751/person/20486467738>.
<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:M595-849>.

Family of John Sears and Mary Arthur



222. John Lyman⁶ Sears (*William⁵, Hezekiah⁴, James³, James²*) was born on Sunday, 20th September 1840, in Clarenceville, Quebec, Canada.^[375-389] He was the son of William Sears (23) and Margaret Nutt (24).

³⁷⁵ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<http://familysearch.org> : modified 08 April 2017, 22:34), entry for John Lyman Sears(PID <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:L4Q7-5QM>); contributed by various users. PersonID L4Q7-5QM. John Lyman Sears.

³⁷⁶ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Recensement du Canada de 1911," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QVB8-BDNR> : 16 March 2018), John L Sears, 1911; citing Census, Frontenac Sub-Districts 1-54, Ontario, Canada, Library and Archives of Canada, Ottawa, Ontario; FHL microfilm 2,417,697. John L Sears, "Canada Census, 1911".

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³⁸² FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:KZ17-X9W> : 11 March 2018), John Lyman Sears in entry for Neil Campbell and Selina Jane Sears, 18 Jan 1905; citing registration , Schomberg, York, Ontario, Canada, Archives of Ontario, Toronto; FHL microfilm 1,871,549. John Lyman Sears in entry for Neil Campbell and Selina Jane Sears, "Ontario Marriages, 1869-1927".

³⁸³ FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Ontario Births, 1869-1912," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FM7D-CG7> : 16 July 2017), John L. Sears in entry for Annie Sears, 20 Feb 1883; citing Birth, Storrington, Frontenac, Ontario, Canada, citing Archives of Ontario, Toronto; FHL microfilm 1,845,585. . John L. Sears in entry for Annie Sears, "Ontario Births, 1869-1912".

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John Lyman was christened in Saint-Armand Methodist Church, Saint Armand, Monteregie, on 10th October 1841. He died in Kingston, Frontenac, on 3rd January 1928, at the age of 87.^[375, 377, 379-381] John Lyman was buried in Cataraqui Cemetery, Kingston.^[375, 377, 380, 381]

More facts and events for John Lyman Sears:

Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac^[375, 380, 381]

Residence: 1911 Frontenac^[375, 380, 381]
Sub-Districts 1-54

223. He married **Mary Ann Arthur**. They had six children: Edgerton (1869–1936), Fanny (1871–1945), Selina (1875–1956), John (1879–1950), Ollie (1881–) and Annie (1883–).

Mary Ann was born in Cornwall, England, on Thursday, 25th April 1844. She was the daughter of William Arthur and Margaret --Arthur.

Mary Ann reached 81 years of age and died in Frontenac in 1926. She was buried in Cataraqui Cemetery, Kingston, Frontenac.

More facts and events for Mary Ann Arthur:

Residence: 1911 Frontenac
Sub-Districts 1-54

Children of John Lyman Sears and Mary Ann Arthur:

m I. **Edgerton Ferdinand⁷ Sears** was born in Frontenac on 13th February 1869. He died in Frontenac, Ontario, on 29th August 1936, at the age of 67. Edgerton Ferdinand was buried in Cataraqui Cemetery, Kingston, Frontenac.

More facts and events for Edgerton Ferdinand Sears:

Residence: 1869 Ontario

Edgerton Ferdinand married **Cassie Amelia Reed**. They had two children: Mary (1900–1901) and William (1902–1920).

Cassie Amelia was born in 1867. She reached 64 years of age and died in 1931. Cassie Amelia was buried in Cataraqui Cemetery, Kingston, Frontenac, Ontario.

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- f II. **Francis Sophia Fanny Sears** was born at Storrington Township in Frontenac on 7th July 1871. She died at East York in York, Ontario, on 10th July 1945, at the age of 74. Fanny was buried in Cataraqui Cemetery, Kingston, Frontenac.
- More facts and events for Francis Sophia Fanny Sears:
- Residence: 1871 Ontario
- f III. **Selina Jane Sears** was born in Battersea, Storrington Township, on 13th February 1875. She died in February 1956 at the age of 80.
- More facts and events for Selina Jane Sears:
- Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac
- Selina Jane Sears married **Neil Campbell**. They have no known children.
- Neil was born in Linton, King Township, York, on Wednesday, 13th November 1861. He was the son of Duncan Campbell and Isabel --Campbell.
- Neil reached 74 years of age and died on 2nd April 1936.
- m IV. **John (Samuel) Orrock Sears** was born in Frontenac on 11th April 1879. He died on 1st December 1950, at the age of 71. John (Samuel) Orrock was buried in Cataraqui Cemetery, Kingston, Frontenac, Ontario.
- More facts and events for John (Samuel) Orrock Sears:
- Residence: 1879 Ontario
- m V. **Ollie J Sears** was born in Ontario in 1881.
- More facts and events for Ollie J Sears:
- Residence: 31st March 1901 Frontenac
- f VI. **Annie Sears** was born at Storrington Township in Frontenac, Ontario, on 20th February 1883.

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