

**Relatives of  
Dea. Roland Sears  
(1762-1851)**

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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.

Leslie Sears  
Moore, USA  
23<sup>rd</sup> November 2020



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## **Introduction**

The following pages list data for all known family members as of 23<sup>rd</sup> November 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 Roland 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 Roland Sears. There is a chapter for each generation. Relatives are listed in the order of the nearness of their relationship.

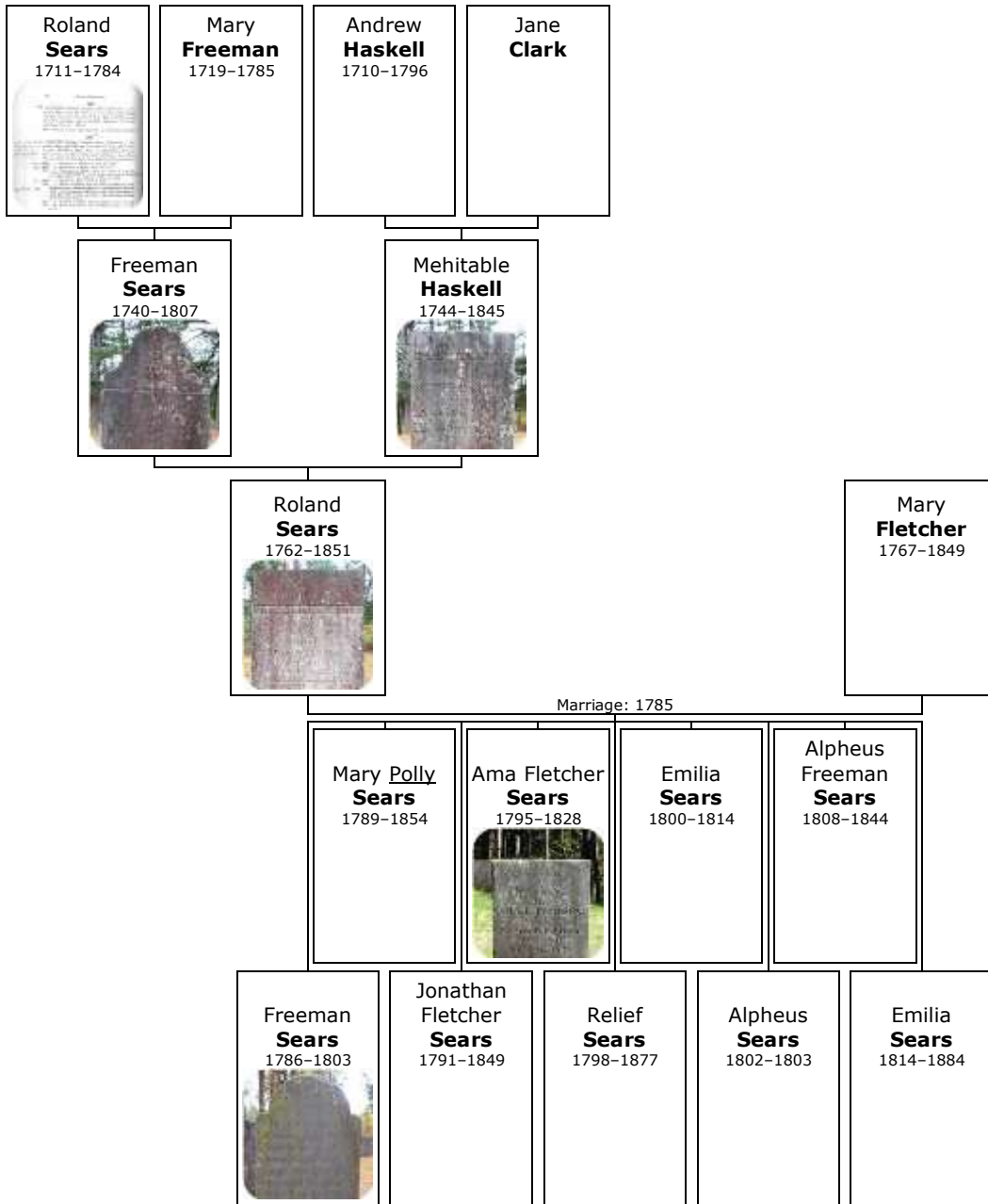
Sources for the information provided are given in the footnotes.

This document reports the details of 243 individuals, of whom 111 are male and 130 are female. The sex of 2 individuals is unknown. Of the 152 individuals with recorded birth and death dates, the average lifespan was 56.43 years. Of these, 70 males averaged 58.25 years, and 81 females averaged 54.66 years. The longest living male was Joseph Edmund Phelps (1805–1895), who died aged 90. The longest living female was Mehitable Haskell (1744–1845), who died aged 100.



# Family of the Starting Person

## Family of Roland Sears and Mary Fletcher



1. **Dea. Roland<sup>6</sup> Sears** (*Freeman<sup>5</sup>, Roland<sup>4</sup>, Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Silas<sup>2</sup>, Richard<sup>1</sup>*) was born on Friday, 24<sup>th</sup> December 1762, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[1, 2]</sup> He was the son of Freeman Sears (3) and Mehitable Haskell (4).



Roland Sears

Roland died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1851, at the age of 88.<sup>[1, 2]</sup> He was buried in Ware.<sup>[1]</sup>

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1890>

!S P May p.299 A tall, erect figure, very kindly and benevolent to the poor, industrious, and with large executive ability, claiming that six hours' sleep was enough for any man. He had a sterling sense of honesty, and fair dealing. He was a patriot, and loved his country, enlisting in its service when but a mere lad of sixteen, and he often astonished his grand-children and friends with recitals of their privations and sufferings during the war. Roland Sears of Greenwich, Hamp. co., MA, 17 years, 5 feet, 8 inches in height dark complexion, arrived in Springfield, 18 Jul 1780, for service in northern army; he had previously served, 17-21 Aug 1777, in Capt Ephraim Jennings' Co., Col David Field's Regt. at Bennington, 30 miles; 12 Sep 1777 to 4 Jan 1778, in Capt Eben. Newell's Co., Col Key's regt; and 21 Jul to 25 Aug 1779, at New London, CT, in Capt Elisha Dwight's Co, Col Elisha Porter's Regt, 85 miles from home. In 1787 he took oath of allegiance, having been concerned in Shay's rebellion. His name appears in census of 1840, as a Revolutionary pensioner, then aged 77. "Dea Roland, as he was called, to distinguish him from his brothers, Dea Andrew and Dea John, who lived near by, was a very conscientious, religious man, quite after the Pilgrim type. He offered grace at every meal. With the greatest reverence I recall my grandfather on his knees in the family prayers, in his earnest and devout expressions of gratitude and thankfulness; and his confessions of shortcomings. And the closing words of the prayer have never left my childish memory, and I often find myself closing the petition with them:' And now Lord, what wait we for? Our wants and complaints are spread before Thee, and Thou knowest what we need, better than we can think or even ask.' Many years ago, in a great movement in the Congregational Church, Dea Sears avowed himself a believer in one God, a Unitarian; quite a grief to his wife, a sweet Christian lady. Later on they both accepted the faith, that evil can never perpetuate itself, in the other life, and as the result every soul shall confess, and glorify God forever.

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!DAR# 29956 enlisted 1777, under Capt Ebenezer Dwight. His pension was allowed for 11 months actual service as a private in the Mass. line.

[https://services.dar.org/Public/DAR\\_Research/search\\_adb/?action=full&p\\_id=A101114](https://services.dar.org/Public/DAR_Research/search_adb/?action=full&p_id=A101114)

2. At the age of 22, Roland married **Mary Fletcher** on Tuesday, 29<sup>th</sup> November 1785, in Barre, Worcester, when she was 18 years old. They had nine children.

Mary was born in Barre on Wednesday, 1<sup>st</sup> July 1767.<sup>[1]</sup> She reached 81 years of age and died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 1<sup>st</sup> February 1849.<sup>[1]</sup> Mary was buried in Ware.<sup>[1]</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

<sup>2</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.  
[Source citation includes one media item]

Children of Roland Sears and Mary Fletcher:

- m I. **Freeman<sup>5</sup> Sears** was born in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 15<sup>th</sup> September 1786.<sup>[1]</sup> He died in Greenwich on 24<sup>th</sup> August 1803, at the age of 16.<sup>[1]</sup> Freeman was buried in Ware.<sup>[1]</sup>
- + 13 f II. **Mary Polly Sears** was born in Greenwich on 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1789. She died in Greenwich on 22<sup>nd</sup> November 1854, at the age of 65.
- + 15 m III. **Jonathan Fletcher Sears** was born in Greenwich on 6<sup>th</sup> May 1791. He died on 8<sup>th</sup> July 1849, at the age of 58.
- + 17 f IV. **Ama Fletcher Sears** was born in Greenwich on 16<sup>th</sup> May 1795.<sup>[1]</sup> She died on 17<sup>th</sup> January 1828, at the age of 32.<sup>[1]</sup>
- + 79 f V. **Relief Sears** was born in Greenwich on 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1798. She died in November 1877 at the age of 79.
- f VI. **Emilia Sears** was born in Greenwich on 1<sup>st</sup> May 1800. She died on 21<sup>st</sup> March 1814, at the age of 13.
- m VII. **Alpheus Sears** was born in Greenwich on 24<sup>th</sup> October 1802.<sup>[1]</sup> Alpheus died in Greenwich on 26<sup>th</sup> August 1803.<sup>[1]</sup>  
He was sealed to his parents on 16<sup>th</sup> January 1964. IFALL. He was buried in Ware.<sup>[1]</sup>
- + 19 m VIII. **Alpheus Freeman Sears** was born in Greenwich on 7<sup>th</sup> May 1808.<sup>[3]</sup> He died in New Salem, Franklin, on 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1844, at the age of 36.<sup>[3, 4]</sup>
- f IX. **Emilia Sears** was born in Greenwich on 5<sup>th</sup> August 1814. She died in 1884 at the age of 69.



Freeman



Ama

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<sup>3</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

<sup>4</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1991 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2015), Ancestry.com, Franklin County Probate Files, Ca. 1812-1915 (Franklin County, Massachusetts); Author: Massachusetts. Probate Court (Franklin County); Probate Place: Franklin, Massachusetts.

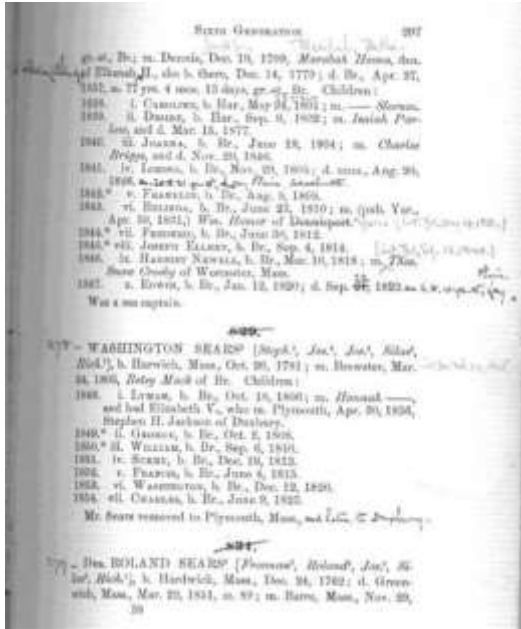


Figure 1: SPM297

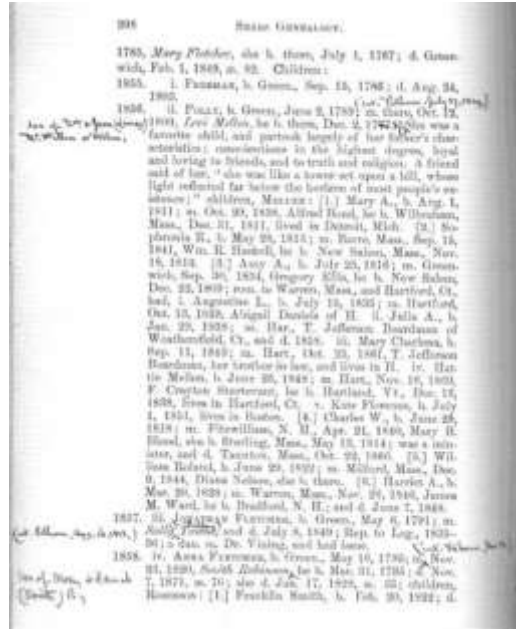


Figure 2: SPM298

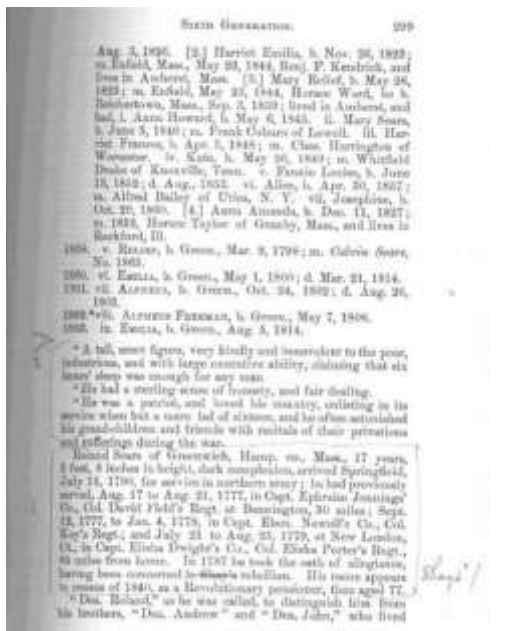


Figure 3: SPM299



Figure 4: SPM300

The image shows a page from a historical record book, specifically a death record book for Massachusetts from 1841 to 1915. The page is filled with a dense grid of text, organized into columns and rows. The columns likely represent different fields of information such as date of death, name of the deceased, age, sex, and cause of death. The text is small and somewhat faded, but the overall structure is that of a formal record book. The page is slightly aged and has some minor discoloration and wear.

Figure 5: Massachusetts, Death Records,  
1841-1915

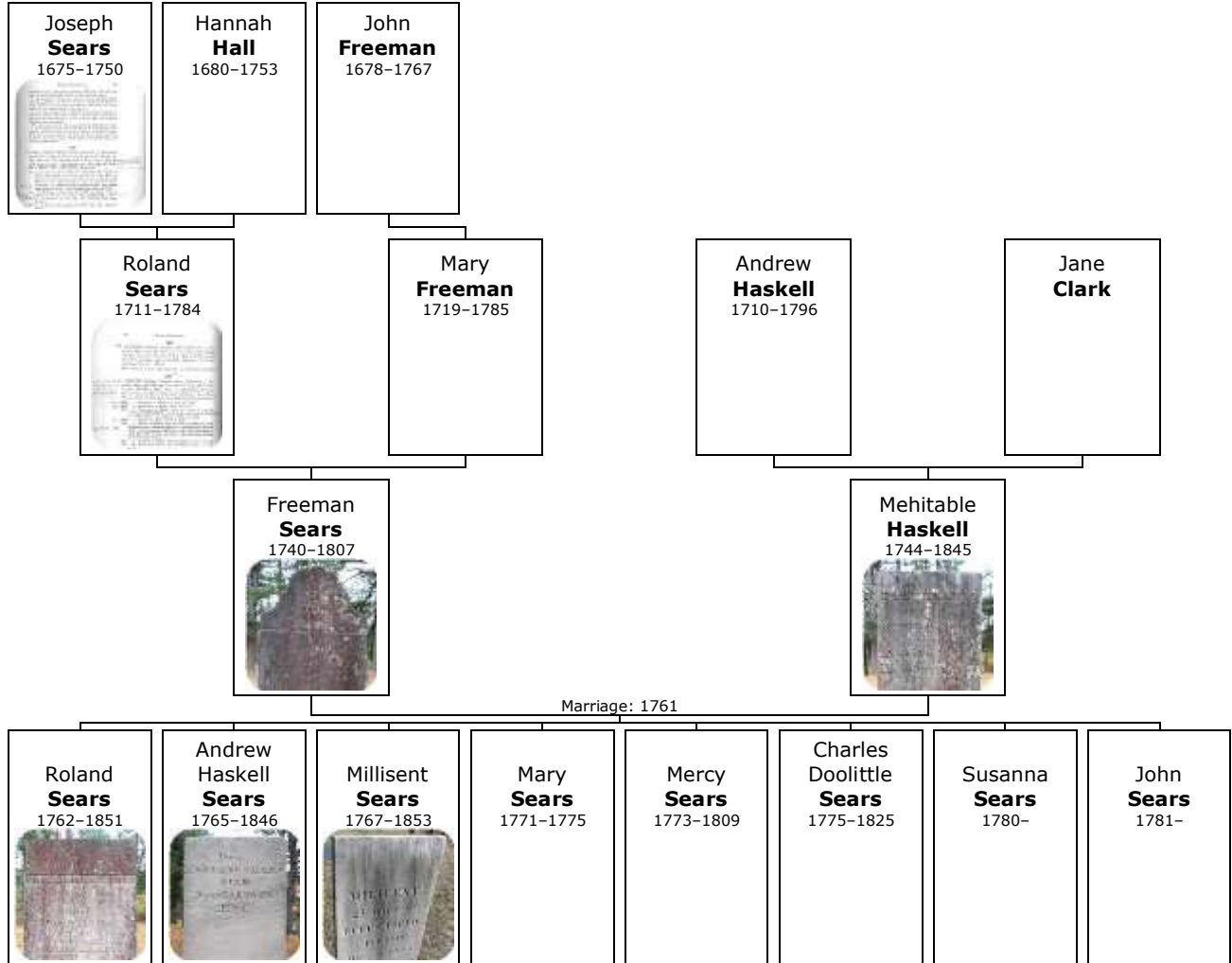




## Related 1 Step Removed

### Parents

#### Family of Freeman Sears and Mehitable Haskell



3. **Freeman<sup>3</sup> Sears** (Roland<sup>2</sup>) was born on 29<sup>th</sup> July 1740, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[5]</sup> He was the son of Roland Sears (21) and Mary Freeman (22).

Freeman died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 30<sup>th</sup> June 1807, at the age of 66.<sup>[5]</sup> He was buried in Ware.<sup>[5]</sup>



Freeman Sears

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1877>

!S P May p.184, No 325, Freeman Sears was in Capt. Timo. Paige's Co., and marched to Bennington, VT, on alarm - 90 miles' travel, and served 21-31 Aug 1777. He had probably removed to Greenwich previous to 2 Feb 1779, when his wife was dismissed

<sup>5</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

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!DAR Col James Converse's 5th MA regiment

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!Vital Records of Hardwick, Massachusetts, to the Year 1850 Compiled by Thomas W. Baldwin ,Boston, Mass., 1917; Freeman and Mehitable Haskel, m. Oct. 22, 1761.

Western Massachusetts Families in 1790. (Original Online Database: AmericanAncestors.org, New England Historic Genealogical Society, 2012. (From various authors, Helen S. Ullmann, FASG, ed.)

<https://www.americanancestors.org/DB475/i/58220/1/0>

4. At the age of 21, Freeman married **Mehitable Haskell** on Thursday, 22<sup>nd</sup> October 1761, in Hardwick, Worcester, when she was 17 years old. They had eight children.

Mehitable was born in perh, Hardwick, on 9<sup>th</sup> July 1744.<sup>[5]</sup> She was the daughter of Andrew Haskell (23) and Jane Clark (24).

Mehitable reached 100 years of age and died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 6<sup>th</sup> April 1845.<sup>[5]</sup> She was buried in Ware.<sup>[5]</sup>



Mehitable Haskell

Children of Freeman Sears and Mehitable Haskell:

- + 1 m I. **Roland<sup>4</sup> Sears** was born in Hardwick on 24<sup>th</sup> December 1762.<sup>[5, 6]</sup> He died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1851, at the age of 88.<sup>[5, 6]</sup>



Roland

- + 5 m II. **Andrew Haskell Sears** was born in Hardwick on 28<sup>th</sup> March 1765.<sup>[5, 7]</sup> He died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 14<sup>th</sup> April 1846, at the age of 81.<sup>[5]</sup>



Andrew

- + 8 f III. **Millisent Sears** was born in Hardwick on 20<sup>th</sup> September 1767. She died in Erving, Franklin, on 6<sup>th</sup> March 1853, at the age of 85.



Millisent

- f IV. **Mary Sears** was born in Hardwick on 17<sup>th</sup> March 1771. She died in perh, Hardwick, on 16<sup>th</sup> January 1775, at the age of 3.

- + 11 f V. **Mercy Sears** was born in Hardwick on 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1773. She died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 12<sup>th</sup> April 1809, at the age of 36.

- m VI. **Charles Doolittle Sears** was born in Hardwick on 7<sup>th</sup> October 1775.<sup>[7, 8]</sup> He was christened on 8<sup>th</sup> August 1775. Charles Doolittle died at Age:

<sup>6</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

<sup>7</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

<sup>8</sup> Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Deaths and Burials Index, 1650-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, Record for Charles D Sears.  
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=2557&h=2375045&indiv=try>.

50 in Hartford, Connecticut, on 11<sup>th</sup> September 1825, at the age of 49.<sup>[8]</sup>

- f VII. **Susanna Sears** was born in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 23<sup>rd</sup> August 1780.
- m VIII. **John Sears** was born on 13<sup>th</sup> October 1781. Greenwich.

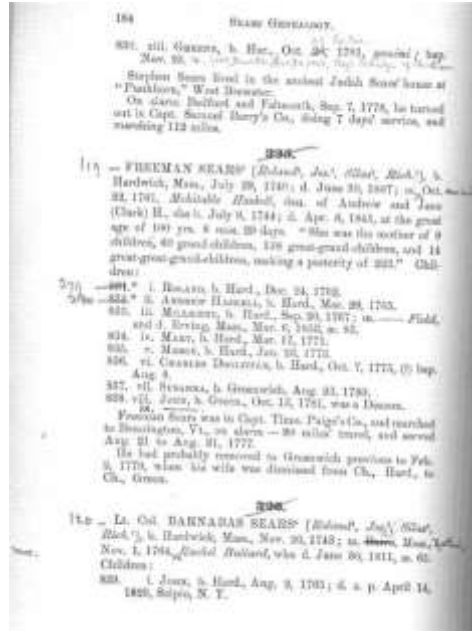


Figure 6: SPM184



## Siblings

### Andrew Sears

5. **Dea. Andrew Haskell<sup>4</sup> Sears** (*Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> March 1765, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[9, 10]</sup> He was the son of Freeman Sears (3) and Mehitable Haskell (4).

Andrew Haskell died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 14<sup>th</sup> April 1846, at the age of 81.<sup>[9]</sup> He was buried in Ware.<sup>[9]</sup>



Andrew Haskell  
Sears

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1869>

!S.P. May p.301 Andrew Sears was a Deacon in the Church for many years, and led the choir 40 years. He was a farmer and cooper, and a very exemplary man.

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!John W Sears Archive: CONFLICT: d. date 1849

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!Vital Records of Hardwick, Massachusetts, to the Year 1850 Compiled by Thomas W. Baldwin, Boston, Mass., 1917 m.

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!Mass Death Records Sears Andrew Greenwich 1845-46 vol 20 p178 Death

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!The Standard Genealogical Encyclopedia of The First Families of America, Vol VII, 1942, Baltimore, Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc, p. 694

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!Mayflower Index, Vol III, 1960 #69,119; parents 69,147

Marriages with Rachel Stetson and Rachel Leonard (Page 25) are known.

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<sup>9</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

<sup>10</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.  
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Figure 7: Sears\_Chauncy\_Dwight

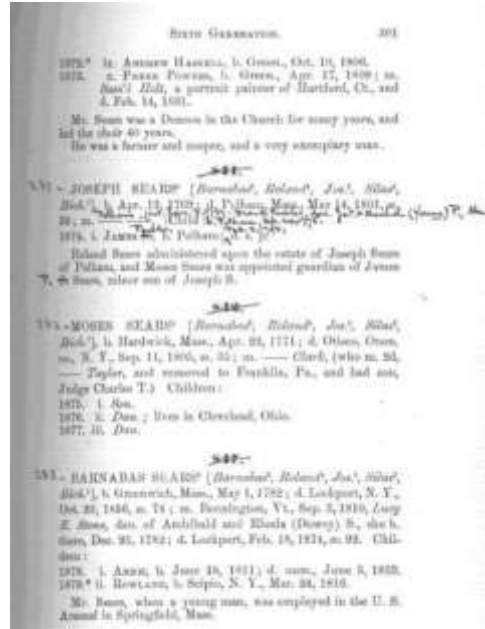


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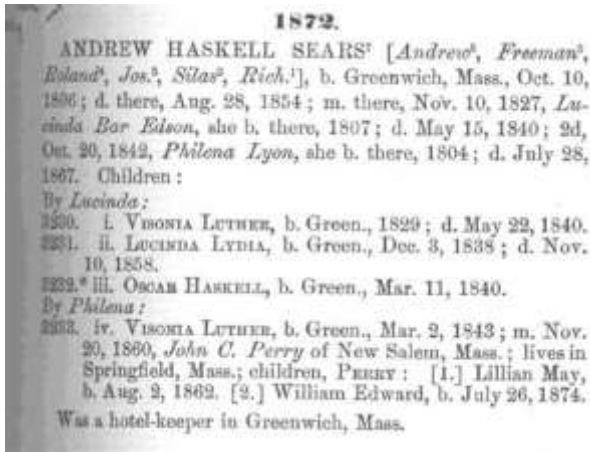


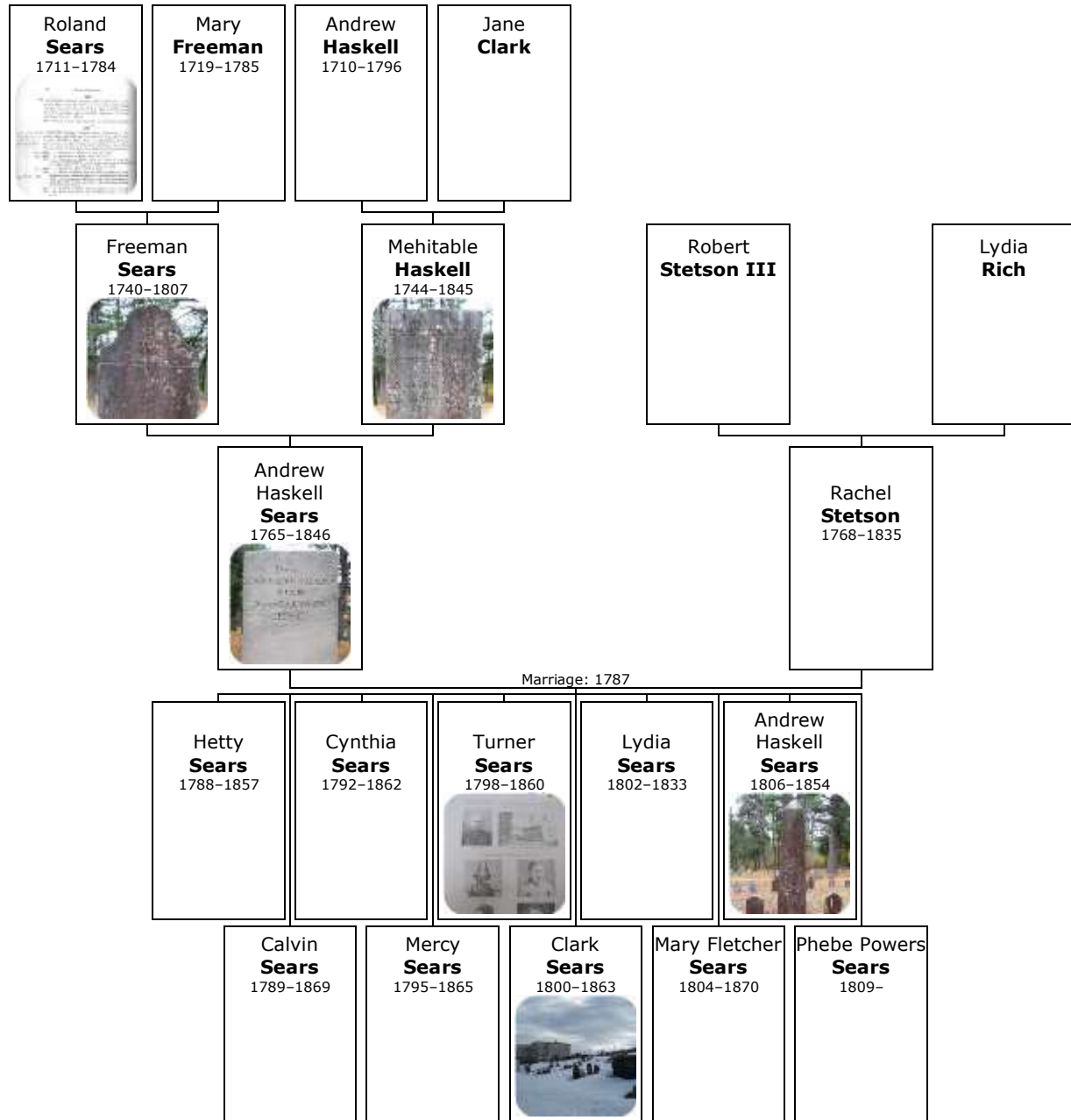
Figure 9: SPM451B



Figure 10: Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988

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**Family of Andrew Sears and Rachel Stetson**



Here are the details about **Andrew Haskell Sears** first marriage, with Rachel Stetson. You can read more about Andrew Haskell on page 21.

- 6. Dea. Andrew Haskell Sears married **Rachel Stetson** on Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> March 1787, in Greenwich, Hampshire.<sup>[11]</sup> They had ten children.

Rachel was born in Greenwich in 1768.<sup>[9]</sup> She was the daughter of Robert Stetson III and Lydia Rich.

<sup>11</sup> Dodd, Jordan, Liahona Research, comp, Massachusetts, Marriages, 1633-1850 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2005), Ancestry.com.

Rachel reached 67 years of age and died in Greenwich on 2<sup>nd</sup> August 1835.<sup>[9]</sup> She was buried in Ware.<sup>[9]</sup>

Children of Andrew Haskell Sears and Rachel Stetson:

- + 76 f I. **Hetty<sup>5</sup> Sears** was born in Greenwich on 13<sup>th</sup> February 1788.<sup>[10, 12, 13]</sup> She died in Hartford, Hartford, Connecticut, on 19<sup>th</sup> May 1857, at the age of 69.<sup>[12, 13]</sup>
- + 78 m II. **Calvin Sears** was born in Greenwich on 30<sup>th</sup> October 1789.<sup>[9, 10, 14, 15]</sup> He died in Hartford, Connecticut, in October 1869 at the age of 79.<sup>[9, 14, 15]</sup>
- f III. **Cynthia Sears** was born in Greenwich on 13<sup>th</sup> April 1792. She died in 1862 at the age of 69.
- + 81 f IV. **Mercy Sears** was born in Greenwich on 13<sup>th</sup> October 1795. She died in Petersham, Worcester, in 1865 at the age of 69.
- + 83 m V. **Turner Sears** was born in Greenwich on 4<sup>th</sup> April 1798.<sup>[9, 10, 16-18]</sup> He died in Greenwich on 14<sup>th</sup> September 1860, at the age of 62.<sup>[9, 10]</sup>
- + 85 m VI. **Clark Sears** was born in Greenwich on 7<sup>th</sup> April 1800.<sup>[19]</sup> He died in Charlestown, Suffolk, on 30<sup>th</sup> June 1863, at the age of 63.<sup>[19]</sup>
- + 87 f VII. **Lydia Sears** was born in Greenwich on 17<sup>th</sup> April 1802. She died on 4<sup>th</sup> October 1833, at the age of 31.
- + 89 f VIII. **Mary Fletcher Sears** was born in Greenwich on 16<sup>th</sup> August 1804. She died in De Kalb, Illinois, in October 1870 at the age of 66.



Turner



Clark

<sup>12</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Newspaper Extractions from the Northeast, 1704-1930 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

<sup>13</sup> Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Hale Cemetery Inscriptions and Newspaper Notices, 1629-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

<sup>14</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Federal Census Mortality Schedules Index, 1850-1880 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 1999), Ancestry.com.

<sup>15</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S. Federal Census Mortality Schedules, 1850-1885 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, The Connecticut State Library; Hartford, Connecticut; Nonpopulation Federal Census Schedules, Mortality, 1850-1885; Census Year: 1869; Census Place: Hartford, Connecticut; Page: 3.

<sup>16</sup> Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts; Roll: M432\_321; Page: 359B; Image: 238.

<sup>17</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

<sup>18</sup> Ancestry.com, 1860 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1860; Census Place: Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts; Roll: M653\_505; Page: 16; Image: 20; Family History Library Film: 803505.

<sup>19</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.



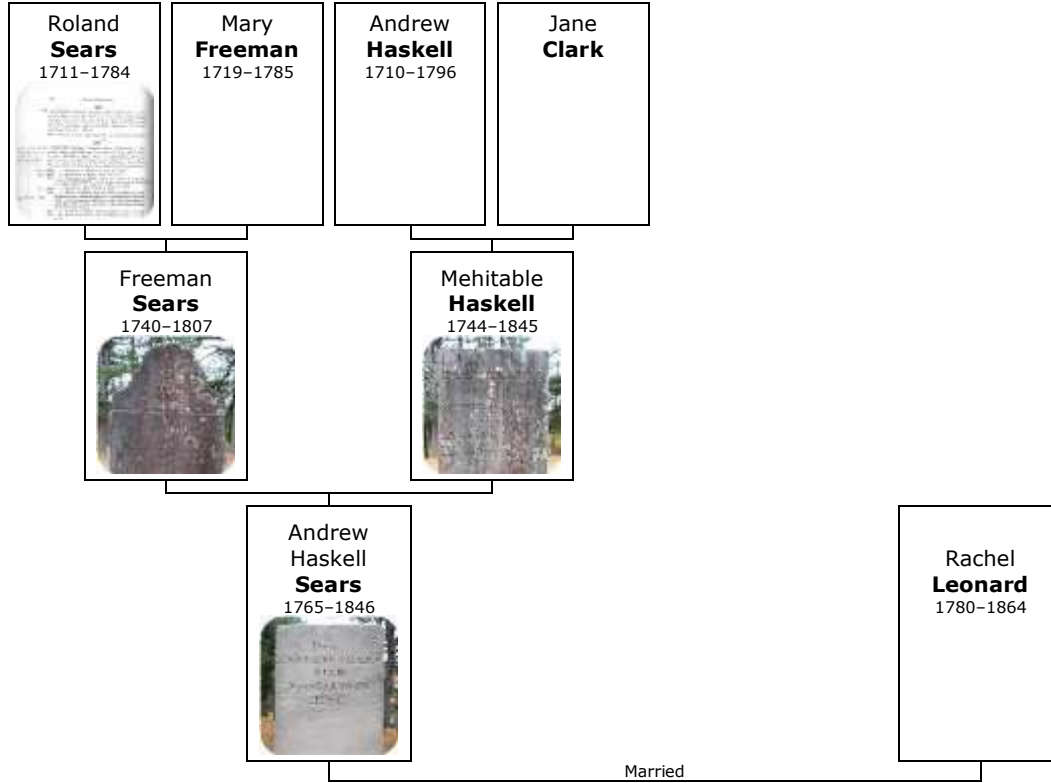
+ 91 m IX. **Andrew Haskell Sears** was born in Greenwich on 10<sup>th</sup> October 1806.<sup>[9]</sup> He died in Greenwich on 28<sup>th</sup> August 1854, at the age of 47.<sup>[9]</sup>



Andrew

+ 94 f X. **Phebe Powers Sears** was born in Greenwich on 17<sup>th</sup> April 1809.

**Family of Andrew Sears and Rachel Leonard**



Here are the details about **Andrew Haskell Sears** second marriage, with Rachel Leonard. You can read more about Andrew Haskell on page 21.

7. Dea. Andrew Haskell Sears married **Rachel Leonard**. Rachel was born in Oakham in 1780.

She reached 84 years of age and died on 14<sup>th</sup> October 1864.

**Millisent Sears**

8. **Millisent<sup>4</sup> Sears** (*Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Sunday, 20<sup>th</sup> September 1767, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Freeman Sears (3) and Mehitable Haskell (4).

Millisent died in Erving, Franklin, on 6<sup>th</sup> March 1853, at the age of 85.



Millisent Sears

!S P May No 833

!

!Hardwick VR SEARS Millisent, d. of Freeman and Mehetabel, b. Sept. 20, 1767.

Birth: 1768 Death: Mar. 6, 1853 of Consumption ae 85 second wife of Rufus Field

Erving Franklin County Massachusetts, USA

!

!Find A Grave Memorial# 109761101

Family links: Spouse: Rufus Field (1780 - 1858) Burial: Erving Center Cemetery Erving Franklin County Massachusetts, USA Created by: s.wes Record added: Apr 30, 2013

From: vlyoder5003@aol.com [mailto:vlyoder5003@aol.com] Sent: Friday, April 11, 2014 5:25 PM To: LRSEARS@Gmail.com

Subject: Descendants of Richard Sears Hello, I just wanted to say thank you for your website on the descendants of Richard Sears. I was in between computers and got sidetracked by weddings of children and grandbabies being born. I loooooove genealogy and I am a math teacher with obsessive compulsive tendencies so when I finally had time and bought my new laptop I subscribed again to Ancestry I wanted to work on some brick walls of mine. I hit the mother load first on [www.famiysearch.org](http://www.famiysearch.org) & <http://www.famiysearch.org> and found my GGG grandmother Satina Blackmer's christening record with her mother Millissent Blackmer. Then, I found two marriage records - the first Melicent Sears married to David Blackmer on 1 December 1785, and then her second to Rufus Field on 1 May 1816. I was so happy! And then I started researching the Sears line and Massachusetts had so many town records online! I had been looking for Satina's parents for 3 decades! This week I was on spring break and in between watching little granddaughters I found your website Descendants of Richard Sears. I love all the historical details and the way it is written with the numbers, little roman numerals and even M and F - it is great!

!I know it is hard to keep track of the female lineage so I wanted to give you the details on Millissent. Her name is spelled many ways and It is not easy finding her at times. On the 1850 census she was still living and was apart from her younger husband living with David Blackmer her son who was born about 1803, with her name being written as Michael Field(Sears) age 83. I found the christening information for not only Satina, but also Augustus and David Blackmer. After her death her son David moved to Michigan to Washtenaw County. GGG Grandmother Satina and husband Seth Flitcroft had moved to New York and then to Allegan County, Michigan about the same time 1856, I haven't been able to find Augustus yet. Well, I could go on and on..... Thank you for providing me with lots of reading material for weeks. I hope this email finds you well and still working on genealogy! You did a wonderful job on Richard Sears! Sincerely, Valerie

From: vlyoder5003@aol.com [mailto:vlyoder5003@aol.com] Sent: Friday, July 04, 2014 11:01 PM To: lrsears@gmail.com

Subject: Blackmers and Sears Connections Hi Ray, Hope you are having a good 4th of July. I am enjoying reading your posts on the Sears Association Facebook page. The picture of the dog tags was really good to go along with your story. I love history and family stories.

!I wanted to ask you if you would help me out and look at your Sears database and specifically, the Blacknur/Blackmer/Blackmores and see if you have a source for 2073 through 2081 and their birthdates and if you have any further information about them. I'm really beginning to think my GGGG Grandmother Millissent Sears married the David Blackmer who was her 2nd cousin and is the son of Peter Blacknur/Blackmer, who was the son of Hannah Sears, who was the daughter of Joseph Sears. I have been reading everything I can find on the internet as far as the Blackmer genealogy and trying to

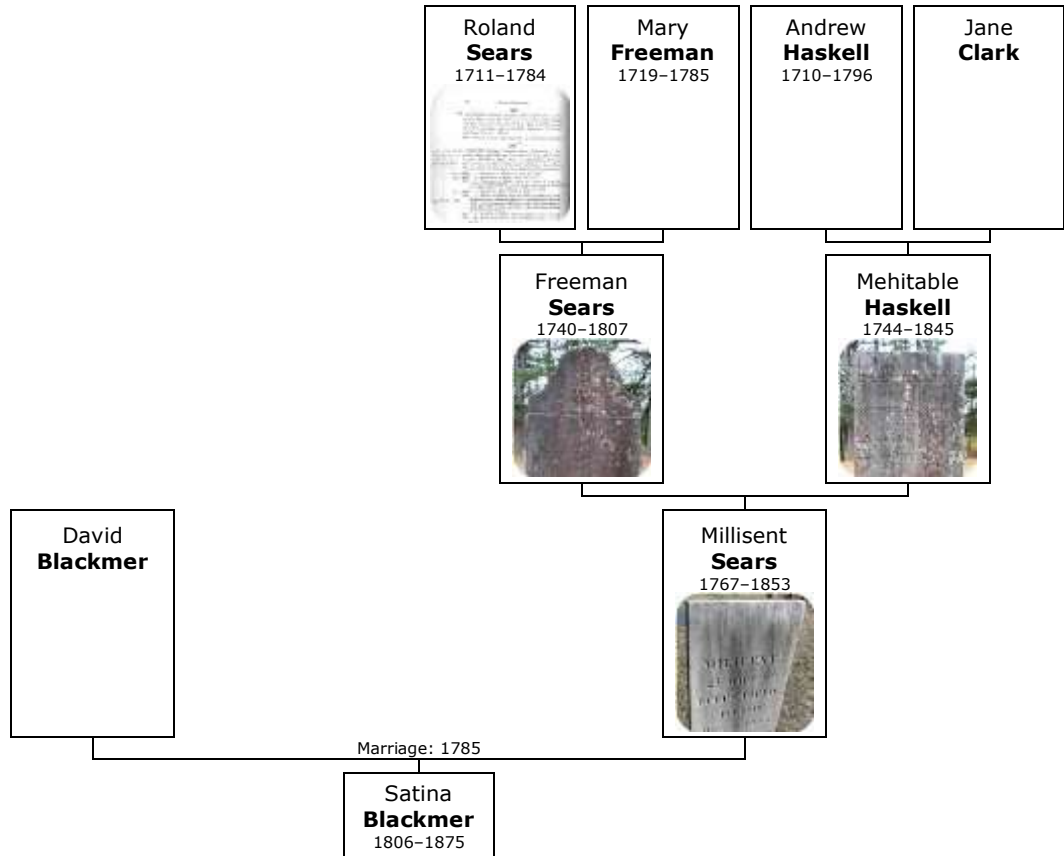
rule out different David Blackmers. On the 1790 Census for Greenwich there is David Blackmer (with Millissent), Roland Blackmer, and Peter Blackmer Jr., who would all be brothers, and then in 1800 they are joined by Amos and Moses who are also their brothers. David is gone in 1800, but when I looked at Freeman Sears in 1800 Greenwich and checked his census it looks like David and Millissent could be with him. David Blackmer then died soon after Satina was born according to her brother David's obituary. David Jr. and Satina both ended up moving to Michigan. David Jr. had Millissent with him on the 1850 census in Franklin Co, Ma before her death 6 March 1853 and then his family moved by 1860 to Michigan. Satina and her family moved to New York first for 30 years and then moved to Michigan by 1860. I am loving this new Sears line. I had pretty well given up on my Satina Blackmer's parents and had not really looked for a few years. A distant cousin had given me the wrong information for her parents listed on her death certificate (and actually she has it wrong on Find a Grave too) She thought "Wilson" Blackmer had to be the father, but when I went up to Michigan and looked at it with the county clerk she said no, this is the mother and it looks like "Milson" Blackmer, which is really Millissent Sears Blackmer. Her name is spelled wrong on every single result on Ancestry. But when you look at the image you can tell it is Millissent or Milicent. Her name was spelled correctly on Familysearch thank goodness because that is where I first found Millissent Sears and David Blackmer as Satina's parents. I thought you might want this information: Millissent Sears born to Freeman and Mehitabel Sears on 20 September 1767 married first David Blackmer on 1 December 1785 Gill, Greenwich, Massachusetts. They had three known children: Augustus Blackmer (I can't find him anywhere), David Blackmer born 15 October 1803, and Satina Blackmer born 24 June 1806 all in Greenwich and baptized 1806. She married 2nd Rufus Field on 1 May 1816 in Greenwich. Rufus Field was born 23 November 1744 Northfield, Massachusetts and died 12 December 1820 Erving, Franklin Co, Massachusetts. Millissent is buried in Erving Center Cemetery, Franklin Co. Rufus is buried there also and is buried with his first wife Elizabeth Field. They have Millissent with the wrong Rufus Field (his son) on Find A Grave. Thank you for your Sears Genealogy information. I look forward to hearing from you when you get a chance. Your new found much related Cousin Valerie

Marriages with David Blackmer and Rufus Field (Page 29) are known.



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### Family of Millisent Sears and David Blackmer



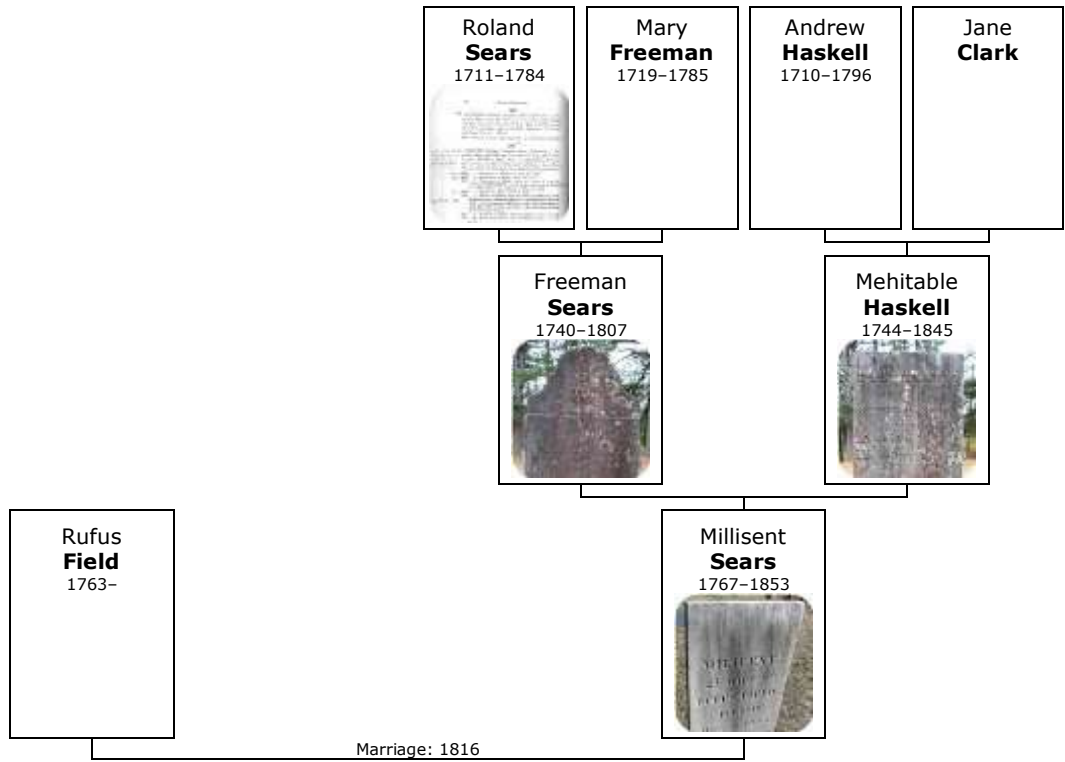
Here are the details about **Millisent Sears** first marriage, with David Blackmer. You can read more about Millisent on page 25.

9. Millisent Sears married **David Blackmer** on Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> December 1785. They had one daughter.

Daughter of Millisent Sears and David Blackmer:

- + 96 f I. **Satina<sup>5</sup> Blackmer** was born in Greenwich, Hampshire, in 1806. She died in Cheshire Township, Allegan, Michigan, on 25<sup>th</sup> June 1875, at the age of 69.

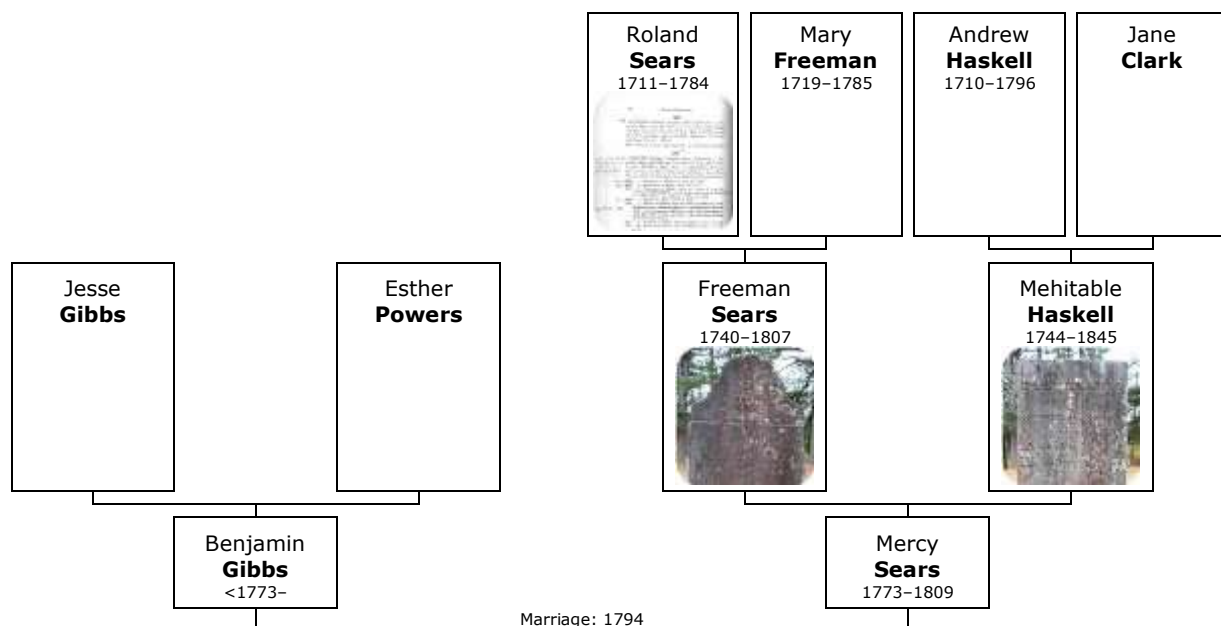
**Family of Millisent Sears and Rufus Field**



Here are the details about **Millisent Sears** second marriage, with Rufus Field. You can read more about Millisent on page 25.

10. Millisent Sears married **Rufus Field** on Wednesday, 1<sup>st</sup> May 1816. Rufus was born in perh, Hardwick, in 1763.

## Family of Mercy Sears and Benjamin Gibbs



- 11. Mercy<sup>4</sup> Sears** (*Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1773, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Freeman Sears (3) and Mehitable Haskell (4).

Mercy died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 12<sup>th</sup> April 1809, at the age of 36.

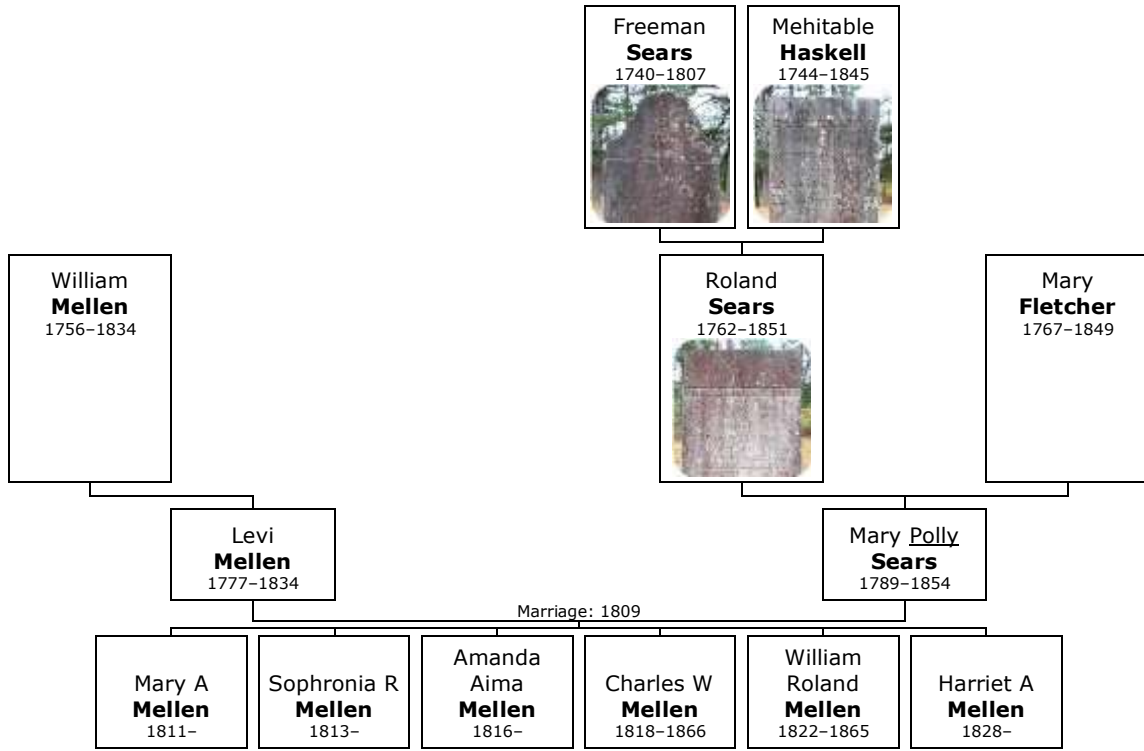
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Western Massachusetts Families in 1790. (Original Online Database: AmericanAncestors.org, New England Historic Genealogical Society, 2012. (From various authors, Helen S. Ullmann, FASG, ed.)  
<https://www.americanancestors.org/DB475/i/22576/5/46178856>

- 12.** Mercy married **Benjamin Gibbs** on Thursday, 18<sup>th</sup> September 1794. Benjamin was born before 13<sup>th</sup> June 1773. He was the son of Jesse Gibbs and Esther Powers.

## Children

### Family of Polly Sears and Levi Mellen



- 13. Mary Polly<sup>5</sup> Sears** (*Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1789, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Roland Sears (1) and Mary Fletcher (2).

Polly was christened in Greenwich on 19<sup>th</sup> July 1789. She died in Greenwich on 22<sup>nd</sup> November 1854, at the age of 65.

!S.P. May No 1856, p.298 She was a favorite child and partook largely of her father's characteristics; conscientious in the highest degree, loyal and loving to friends, and to truth and religion. A friend said of her, "she was like a tower set upon a hill, whose light reflected far below the horizon of most people's existence."

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1888>

More facts and events for Mary Polly Sears:

Residence: Greenwich

- 14.** At the age of 20, Polly married **Levi Mellen** on Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> October 1809, in Greenwich when he was 31 years old. They had six children.

Levi was born in Greenwich on Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> December 1777. He was the son of William Mellen.

Levi reached 56 years of age and died in Greenwich on 1<sup>st</sup> July 1834.

Children of Mary Polly Sears and Levi Mellen:

+ 98 f I. **Mary A<sup>6</sup> Mellen** was born in perh, Greenwich, on 1<sup>st</sup> August 1811.

- + 100 f II. **Sophronia R Mellen** was born in perh on 28<sup>th</sup> May 1813.
- + 102 f III. **Amanda Aima Mellen** was born in perh on 25<sup>th</sup> July 1816.<sup>[20, 21]</sup>
- + 104 m IV. **Charles W Mellen** was born in perh on 29<sup>th</sup> June 1818. He died in Taunton, Bristol, on 22<sup>nd</sup> October 1866, at the age of 48.
- + 106 m V. **William Roland Mellen** was born in perh on 29<sup>th</sup> June 1822.<sup>[22-31]</sup> He died in 1865 at the age of 42.<sup>[27-31]</sup>

<sup>20</sup> Yates Publishing, U.S. and International Marriage Records, 1560-1900 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2004), Ancestry.com, Source number: 335.000; Source type: Electronic Database; Number of Pages: 1; Submitter Code: HCH. Record for Amanda Aima Mellen.  
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=7836&h=824268&indiv=try>.

<sup>21</sup> Ancestry.com, 1870 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1870; Census Place: Hartford Ward 3, Hartford, Connecticut; Roll: M593\_100; Page: 543B; Family History Library Film: 545599. Record for Amanda Ellis.  
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=7163&h=13875652&indiv=try>.

<sup>22</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Massachusetts, Index to Boston Passenger Lists, 1848-1891," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QV51-2J1N> : 16 March 2018), W R G Mellen, 1866; citing Immigration, ship Duiveland, NARA microfilm publication. W R G Mellen, "Massachusetts, Index to Boston Passenger Lists, 1848-1891".  
<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QV51-2J1N>.

<sup>23</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "New York, New York City Municipal Deaths, 1795-1949," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:2WXD-J7M> : 10 February 2018), Wm R. G. Mellen in entry for Elizabeth F. M. Peck, 09 Apr 1902; citing Death, Manhattan, New York, Wm R. G. Mellen in entry for Elizabeth F. M. Peck, "New York, New York City Municipal Deaths, 1795-1949".  
<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:2WXD-J7M>.

<sup>24</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Massachusetts State Census, 1855," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MQ4T-C74> : 11 March 2018), W R G Mellen, Gloucester, Essex, Massachusetts, United States; State Archives, Boston; FHL microfilm 953,978. W R G Mellen, "Massachusetts State Census, 1855". <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MQ4T-C74>.

<sup>25</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "United States Census, 1860", database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MZHF-VGB> : 12 December 2017), William R G Mellen, 1860. William R G Mellen, "United States Census, 1860".  
<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MZHF-VGB>.

<sup>26</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "United States Census, 1850," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MD9Y-XML> : 12 April 2016), Wm R G Mellen, Chicopee, Hampden, Massachusetts, United States; citing family 2851, NARA microfilm publication M432. Wm R G Mellen, "United States Census, 1850". <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MD9Y-XML>.

<sup>27</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FZX3-7VK> : 10 February 2018), William R.G. in entry for Lizzy F. Mellen, 18 Apr 1849; citing Cabotville, Mass, ; FHL microfilm 2,027. William R.G. in entry for Lizzy F. Mellen, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915".  
<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FZX3-7VK>.

<sup>28</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Massachusetts Marriages, 1695-1910," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCWK-7VM> : 9 February 2018), William R. G. Mellen and Diana P. Nelson, 16 Nov 1844; citing reference ; FHL microfilm 496,864. William R. G. Mellen, "Massachusetts Marriages, 1695-1910". <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCWK-7VM>.

<sup>29</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<http://familysearch.org> : modified 08 March 2018, 17:22), entry for William R. G. Mellen(PID <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:K8TS-4P1>); contributed by various users. PersonID K8TS-4P1. William R. G. Mellen. <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:K8TS-4P1>.

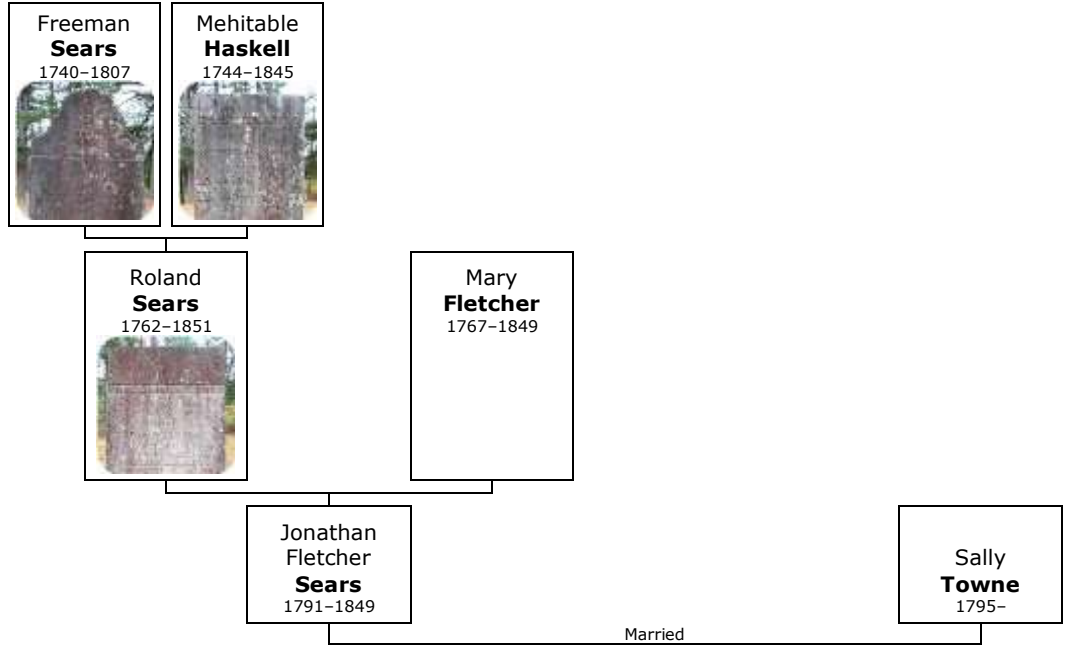
<sup>30</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:VQXF-45N> : 10 February 2018), William R. G. Mellen in entry for Caroline N. Mellen, 19 Dec 1845; citing CAMBRIDGE,MIDDLESEX,MASSACHU. William R. G. Mellen in entry for Caroline N. Mellen, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915".  
<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:VQXF-45N>.

<sup>31</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:VQXX-688> : 10 February 2018), William R. G. Mellen in entry for Isabella A. Mellen, 23 Feb 1847; citing CAMBRIDGE,MIDDLESEX,MASSACHU.



+ 108 f VI. **Harriet A Mellen** was born in perh on 20<sup>th</sup> March 1828.

**Family of Jonathan Sears and Sally Towne**



**15. Jonathan Fletcher<sup>5</sup> Sears** (*Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Friday, 6<sup>th</sup> May 1791, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. He was the son of Roland Sears (1) and Mary Fletcher (2).

Jonathan Fletcher died on 8<sup>th</sup> July 1849, at the age of 58.

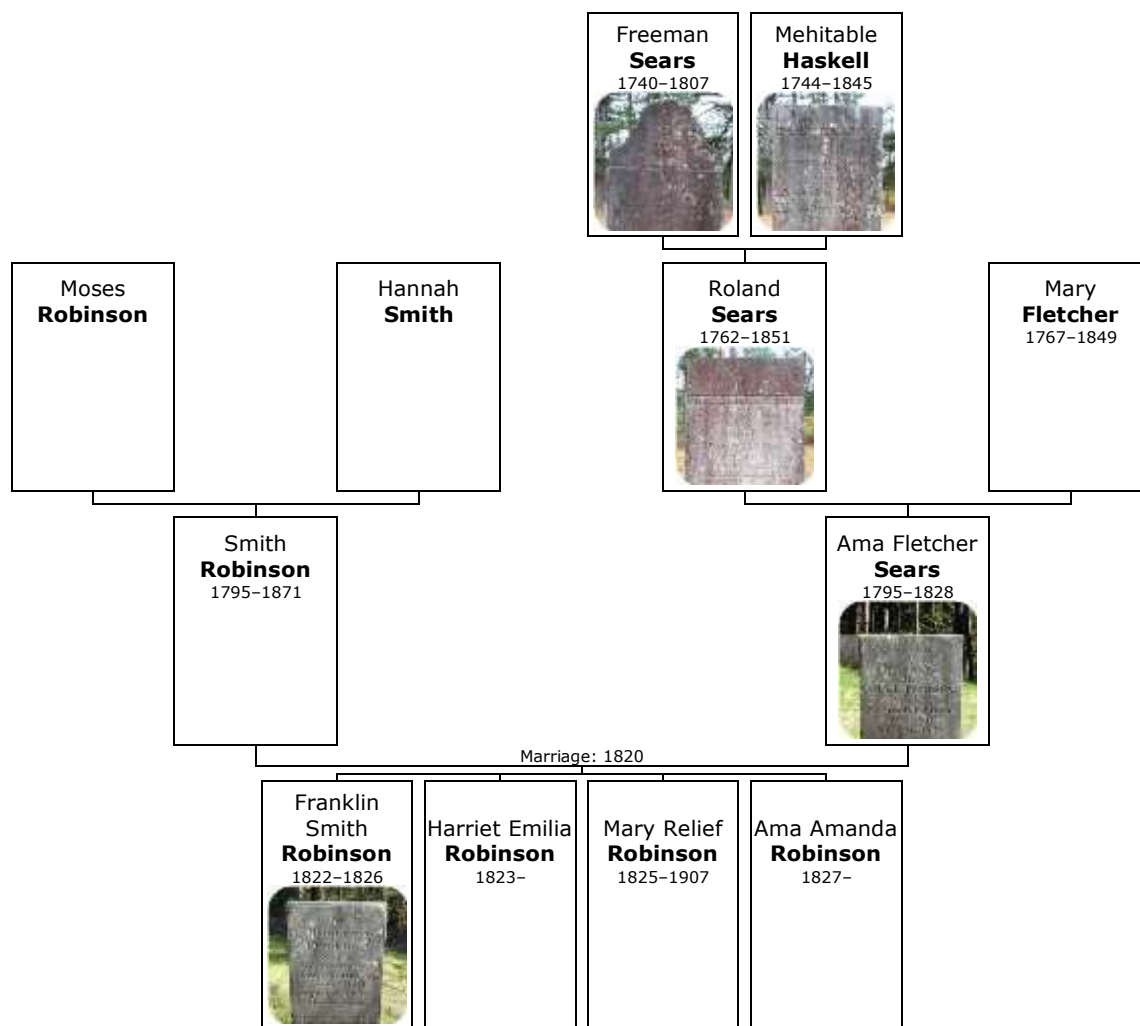
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<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1880>

**16.** He married **Sally Towne**. Sally was born in perh, Greenwich, in 1795.

William R. G. Mellen in entry for Isabella A. Mellen, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915".  
<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:VQXX-688>.

**Family of Ama Sears and Smith Robinson**



**17. Ama Fletcher<sup>5</sup> Sears** (*Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> May 1795, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[32]</sup> She was the daughter of Roland Sears (1) and Mary Fletcher (2).

Ama Fletcher died on 17<sup>th</sup> January 1828, at the age of 32.<sup>[32]</sup> She was buried in Ware.<sup>[32]</sup>



Ama Fletcher Sears

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**18.** At the age of 25, Ama Fletcher married **Smith Robinson** on Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> November 1820, in Pelham when he was 25 years old. They had four children.

Smith was born in perh, Greenwich, on Tuesday, 31<sup>st</sup> March 1795. He was the son of Moses Robinson and Hannah Smith.

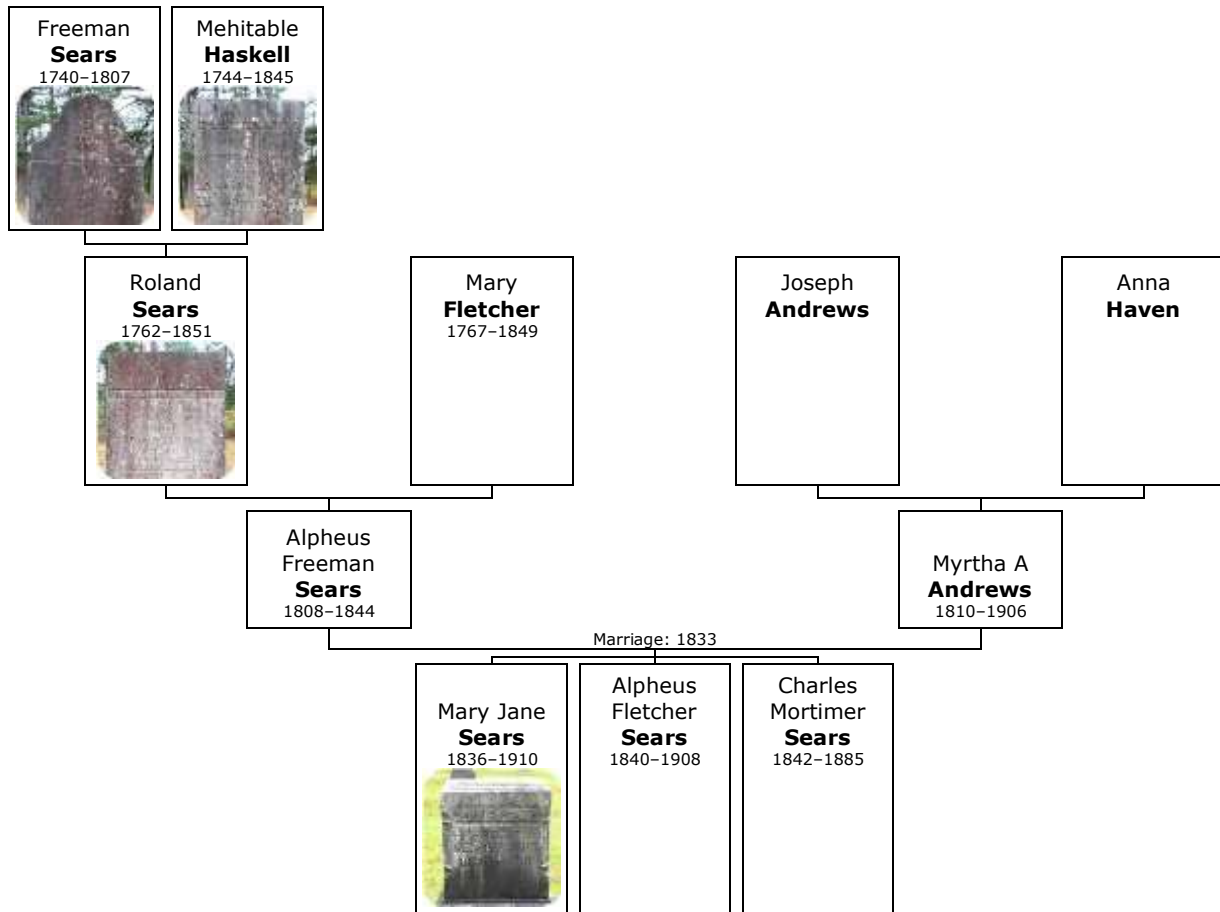
<sup>32</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

Smith reached 76 years of age and died on 7<sup>th</sup> November 1871.

Children of Ama Fletcher Sears and Smith Robinson:

- m I. **Franklin Smith<sup>6</sup> Robinson** was born in perh, Greenwich, on 20<sup>th</sup> February 1822. He died on 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1826, at the age of 4. 
- + 110 f II. **Harriet Emilia Robinson** was born in perh on 26<sup>th</sup> November 1823.
- + 112 f III. **Mary Relief Robinson** was born in Greenwich on 26<sup>th</sup> May 1825.<sup>[33]</sup> She died on 10<sup>th</sup> April 1907, at the age of 81.
- + 114 f IV. **Ama Amanda Robinson** was born in perh, Greenwich, on 11<sup>th</sup> December 1827.<sup>[34]</sup>

**Family of Alpheus Sears and Myrtha Andrews**



<sup>33</sup> Ancestry.com, 1870 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1870; Census Place: Amherst, Hampshire, Massachusetts; Roll: M593\_620; Page: 24B; Family History Library Film: 552119. Record for Mary R Ward. <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=7163&h=26833073&indiv=try>.

<sup>34</sup> National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, Daughters of the American Revolution Lineage Books (152 Vols.) (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2000), Ancestry.com.

- 19. Alpheus Freeman<sup>5</sup> Sears** (*Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Saturday, 7<sup>th</sup> May 1808, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[35]</sup> He was the son of Roland Sears (1) and Mary Fletcher (2).

Alpheus Freeman died in New Salem, Franklin, on 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1844, at the age of 36.<sup>[35, 36]</sup> His estate was probated on 14<sup>th</sup> October 1845, in Franklin.<sup>[36]</sup>

!S P May No 1862

!Mass Death Records Sears Alpheus F. New Salem 1844-45 vol 14 p124 Death

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1867>

- 20.** At the age of 25, Alpheus Freeman married **Myrtha A Andrews** on Wednesday, 18<sup>th</sup> December 1833, in New Salem, Franklin, when she was 23 years old.<sup>[37]</sup> They had three children.

Myrtha A was born in perh, New Salem, on Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1810.<sup>[38, 39]</sup> She was the daughter of Joseph Andrews and Anna Haven.

Myrtha A reached 96 years of age and died in Athol, Worcester, on 16<sup>th</sup> July 1906.<sup>[38]</sup>

Children of Alpheus Freeman Sears and Myrtha A Andrews:

- + 116 f I. **Mary Jane<sup>6</sup> Sears** was born in New Salem on 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1836.<sup>[40-42]</sup> She died in Orange in 1910 at the age of 73.<sup>[42, 43]</sup>



Mary

- m II. **Alpheus Fletcher Sears** was born in New Salem on 1<sup>st</sup> March 1840.<sup>[38, 42]</sup> He died in Whately on 8<sup>th</sup> March 1908, at the age of 68.<sup>[38, 42, 43]</sup> Alpheus Fletcher was buried in New Salem.<sup>[42]</sup>

<sup>35</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.  
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<sup>36</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1991 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2015), Ancestry.com, Franklin County Probate Files, Ca. 1812-1915 (Franklin County, Massachusetts); Author: Massachusetts. Probate Court (Franklin County); Probate Place: Franklin, Massachusetts.  
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<sup>37</sup> Dodd, Jordan, Liahona Research, comp, Massachusetts, Marriages, 1633-1850 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2005), Ancestry.com.

<sup>38</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.  
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<sup>39</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Marriage Records, 1840-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.  
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<sup>40</sup> Ancestry.com, 1870 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1870; Census Place: New Salem, Franklin, Massachusetts; Roll: M593\_615; Page: 294B; Image: 330295; Family History Library Film: 552114.

<sup>41</sup> 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: New Salem, Franklin, Massachusetts; Roll: 533; Family History Film: 1254533; Page: 150B; Enumeration District: 255; Image: 0302.

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

<sup>43</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Index, 1901-1980 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

+ 118 m III. **Charles Mortimer Sears** was born in New Salem on 4<sup>th</sup> April 1842.<sup>[38, 39, 44-46]</sup> He died in Athol, Worcester, on 28<sup>th</sup> September 1885, at the age of 43.<sup>[38]</sup>

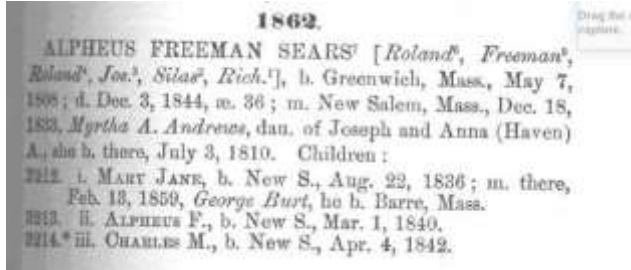


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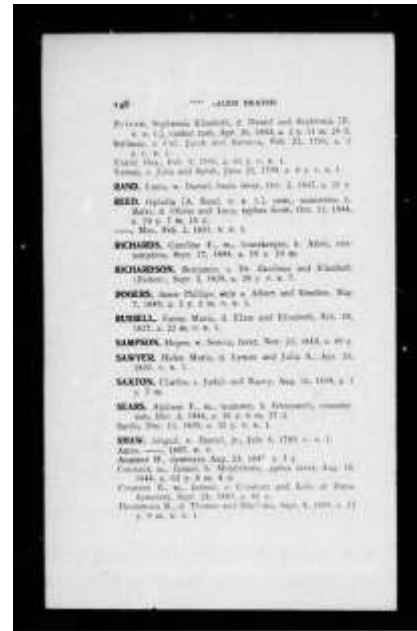


Figure 13: Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988

<sup>44</sup> 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 Marshal.

<sup>45</sup> 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: Athol, Worcester, Massachusetts; Roll: 564; Family History Film: 1254564; Page: 230A; Enumeration District: 839; Image: 0461.

<sup>46</sup> Ancestry.com, 1870 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1870; Census Place: Athol, Worcester, Massachusetts; Roll: M593\_651; Page: 290B; Family History Library Film: 552150.

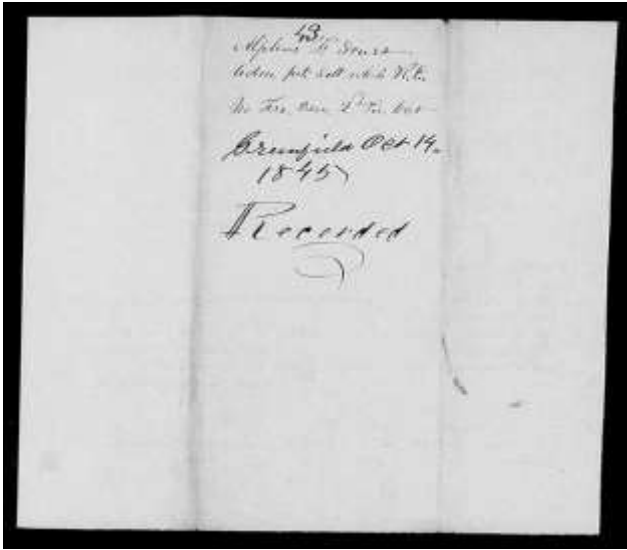


Figure 14: Massachusetts, Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1991

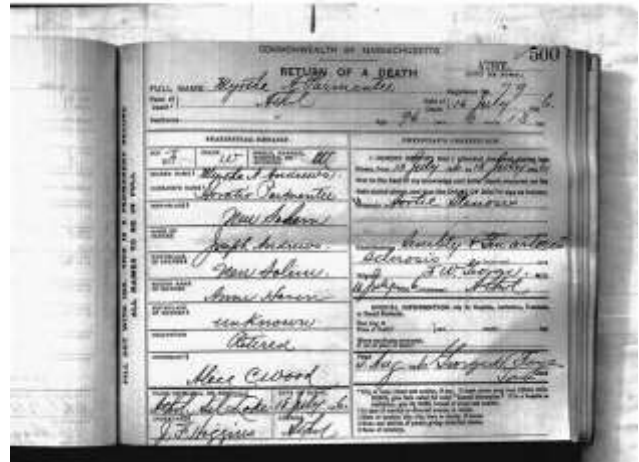


Figure 15: Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915

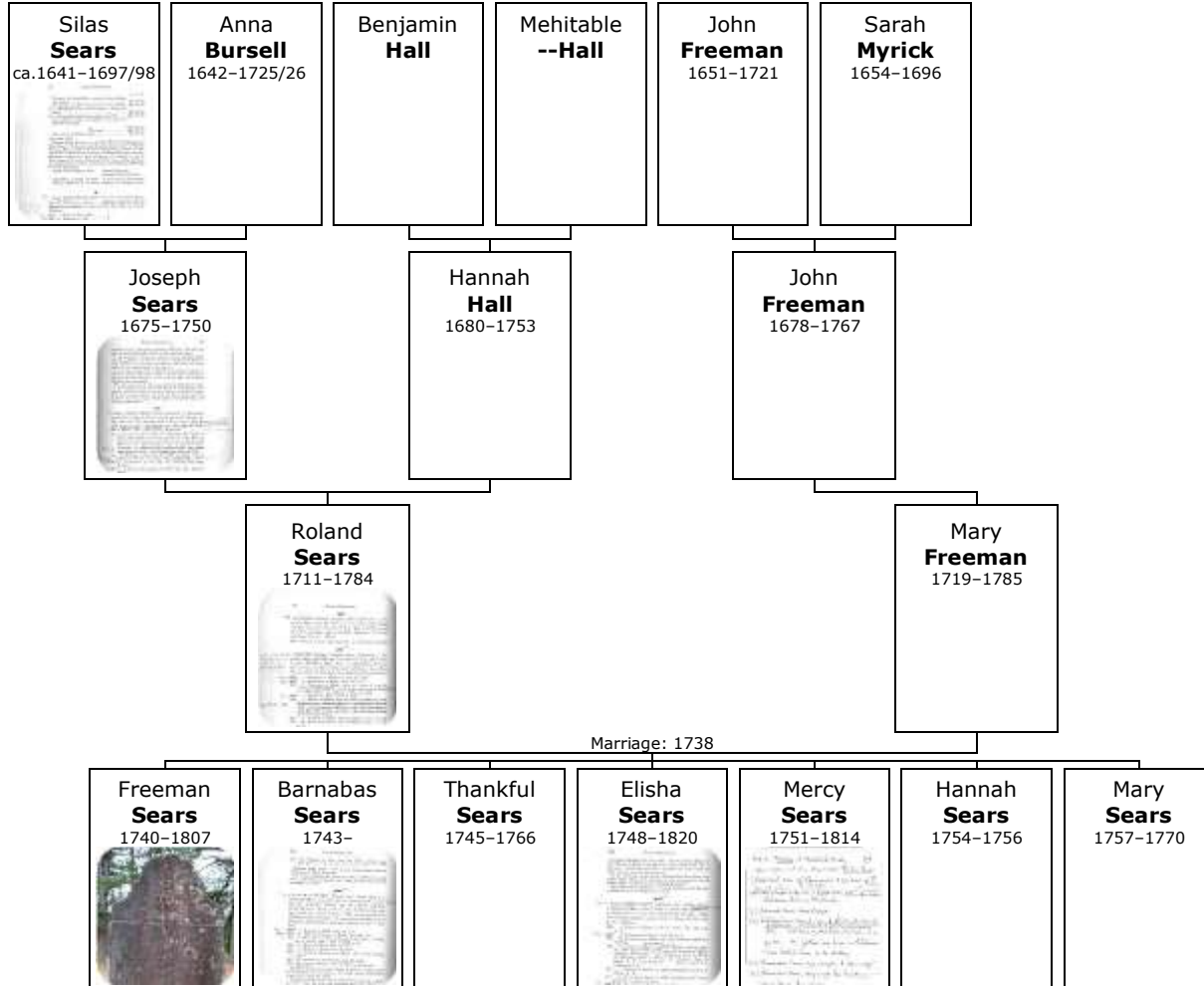


Figure 16: Massachusetts, Marriage Records, 1840-1915

# Related 2 Steps Removed

## Grandparents

### Family of Roland Sears and Mary Freeman



**21. Roland<sup>2</sup> Sears** was born on 17<sup>th</sup> May 1711, in Yarmouth, Barnstable, Massachusetts, USA. He was the son of Joseph Sears and Hannah Hall.

Roland died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 12<sup>th</sup> March 1784, at the age of 72.



Roland Sears

!S P May p.104 No 86 "Roland Sears of Upton & Mary Freeman of Rochester," was pub. Rochester, Mass., Nov. 11, 1738, to Mary Freeman, and soon after removed to Hardwick, Mass., where he purchased land on Moose brook, near Barre, in 1742. He was a "bloomer," or iron forger, and his forge was probably on the site of the one long-called "Taylor's Mills." He was chosen Selectman, 1767-71, after which he removed to Greenwich, Mass. In Hist. Hardwick, he is confused with his grand-son Roland Sears, No. 831. His wife was dismissed from Ch. Hardwick to Ch. Greenwich, Sep. 13, 1779. In 1776, he was rated on 1 poll, 9s 7d. His residence was on north side of Old County road from Furnace Village to Greenwich.

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!Upton VR FREMON Mary of Rochester and Rowland Sears, int. Nov. 11, 1738.

!

Hist of Hardwick p. 492 Roland is described as of Upton; but he seems to have rem to Hk. before the birth o his first child, and in 1742 bought land on Moose Brook, near Barre. p. 493 He was a lieutenant of militia, a soldier in the Revolutionary War, selectman five years, after which he rem. to Greenwich, where he res. in 1787, when he took the oath of allegiance, having been involved in the Shay's Rebellion. His wife Mary was dismissed frm the church in Hk. to the church in Gr 13 Sep 1779.

- 22.** Roland married **Mary Freeman** in 1738 in Rochester, Plymouth. They had seven children.

Mary was born in Harwich, Barnstable, on 13<sup>th</sup> October 1719. She was the daughter of John Freeman.

Mary reached 65 years of age and died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 21<sup>st</sup> April 1785.

Children of Roland Sears and Mary Freeman:

- + 3 m I. **Freeman<sup>3</sup> Sears** was born in Hardwick, Worcester, on 29<sup>th</sup> July 1740.<sup>[47]</sup> He died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 30<sup>th</sup> June 1807, at the age of 66.<sup>[47]</sup>



Freeman

- + 25 m II. **Barnabas Sears** was born in Hardwick on 20<sup>th</sup> November 1743. He was also known as **Col Barnabas Sears**.



Barnabas

- + 27 f III. **Thankful Sears** was born in Hardwick on 15<sup>th</sup> July 1745. She died on 12<sup>th</sup> April 1766, at the age of 20.

- + 29 m IV. **Elisha Sears** was born in Hardwick on 6<sup>th</sup> June 1748. He died in Barre between 1820 and 1821.



Elisha

- + 31 f V. **Mercy Sears** was born in Hardwick on 11<sup>th</sup> April 1751. She died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 5<sup>th</sup> April 1814, at the age of 62.



Mercy

- + 33 f VI. **Hannah Sears** was born in Hardwick on 20<sup>th</sup> February 1754. She died on 8<sup>th</sup> January 1756, at the age of 1.

- f VII. **Mary Sears** was born in 1757. She was christened in Hardwick on 4<sup>th</sup> June 1758. Mary died on 11<sup>th</sup> April 1770, at the age of 13.

<sup>47</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.



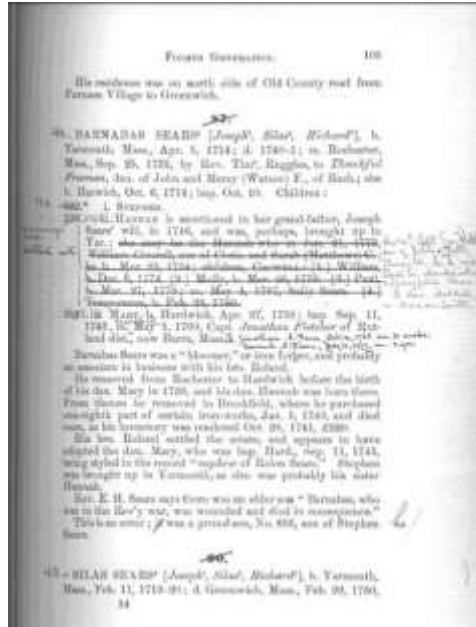
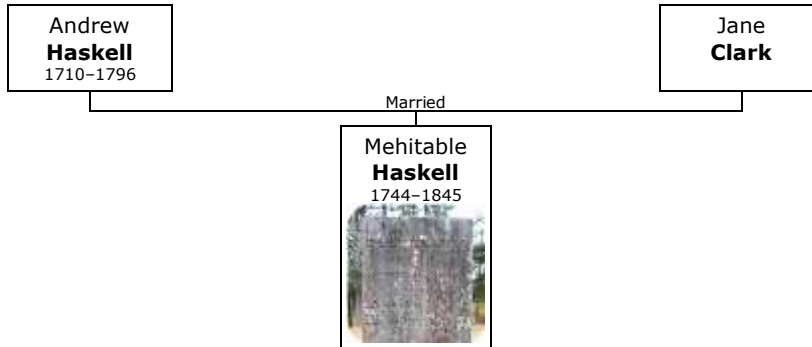


Figure 17: SPM105

**Family of Andrew Haskell and Jane Clark**



**23. Andrew<sup>2</sup> Haskell** was born in 1710. He died in 1796 at the age of 86.

**24. He married Jane Clark.** They had one daughter.

Daughter of Andrew Haskell and Jane Clark:

- + 4 f I. **Mehitable<sup>3</sup> Haskell** was born in perh, Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA, on 9<sup>th</sup> July 1744.<sup>[48]</sup> She died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 6<sup>th</sup> April 1845, at the age of 100.<sup>[48]</sup>



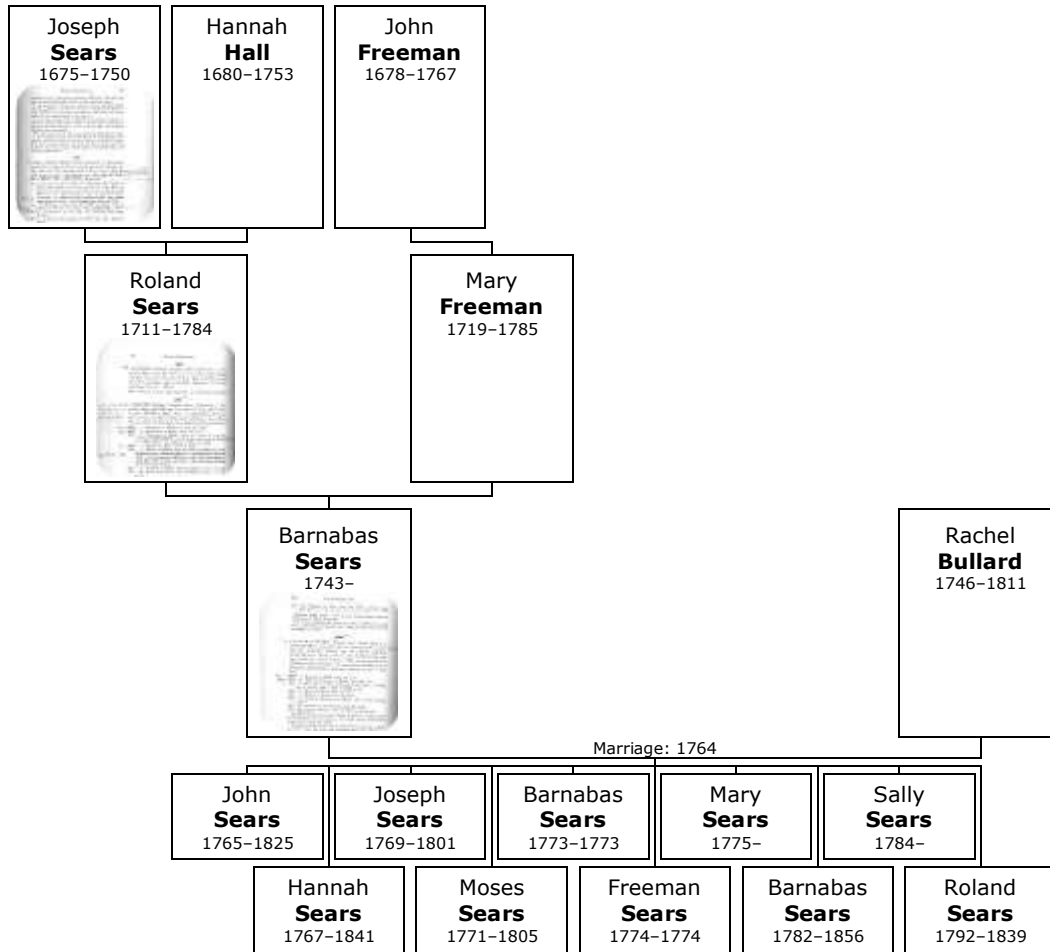
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<sup>48</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.



## Uncles/aunts

### Family of Barnabas Sears and Rachel Bullard



25. **Lt Col Barnabas<sup>3</sup> Sears** (*Roland*<sup>2</sup>) was born on 20<sup>th</sup> November 1743, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. He was the son of Roland Sears (21) and Mary Freeman (22). He was also known as **Col Barnabas Sears**.



Barnabas Sears

!S.P. May p.185, No 326, Barnabas Sears was a farmer, and lived on part of the old homestead in Hardwick.

! The farm was sold in 1777 to Rev Samuel Dennis, and he removed to the adjoining town of Greenwich, his wife being dismissed to the church there 13 Sep 1779.

! He taught school in 1772, - was on "Committee of Correspondence" in 1777, and a member of Constitutional Conventin, 1779-80.

! His military service during the Revolution was abundant and conspicuous. He was sergeant of the Minute Men, marched in Capt. Simon Hazeltine's Co. on Lexington alarm, 19 Apr 1775, and was allowed for 150 miles travel, and 16 days service £1.19.11.

! He returned and assisted Capt Samuel Billings in organizing a company for the regular service, of which he was com. Lt, 23 May 1775, and was captain of a company in the

camp at Dorchester Heights, 15 Feb 1776. He was elected Major of Col Holman's Regt., 26 Jun 1776, and served as Lt Col in the three months service, 12 Aug to 15 Nov 1781, 3 mos., 10 days' service, and 140 miles travel.

! In the troublous times which followed the Revolution, like many other officers and privates, he was concerned in the unlawful effort of relief, styled "Shay's Rebellion."

! His offense was pardoned by the government, and he subscribed the oath of allegiance in 1787.

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!Hist Hardwick p. 493 He rem. to Greenwich, prob. before 13 Sep 1779,, when his w Rachel was dism. from the church in Hk. to the church in Gr.

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!Vital Records of Hardwick, Massachusetts, to the Year 1850 ,Compiled by Thomas W. Baldwin ,Boston, Mass., 1917 ;Barnabus and Rachel Bullord of Rutland, int. Sept.----, 1764.

!Hardwick VR 1743 SEARS Barnabus, s. of Rowlon and Mary, b. Nov. 20, 1743.

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!Legislators of the Massachusetts General Court, 1691-1780

Name	Year of Birth	Place of Birth	Year of Death	Place of Death	Description
Sears, Barnabas	1743	Greenwich	1800	Hardwick	1800

Bibliography  
Greenwich  
Greenwich HR 1780M, 1779C; Com Corres 1777; capt. 1775, major 1776, lieut. colonel 1781; M Rachel Bullard (c1746-1811) in 1764, 10 ch; teacher, farmer. He was a minuteman at Lexington and an officer in Shays's Rebellion. Moved to Greenwich in 1777. No committees at the 1779 Convention. 1992 Sears g 558

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!Rutland marriages- Mrs. Rachel Bullard & Barnabas Sears of Hardwick - Nov. 1, 1764 also- Rachel Bullard & Barmabas Sears - May 17, 1774

- 26.** Barnabas married **Rachel Bullard** on Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> November 1764, in Barre. They had ten children.

Rachel was born in perh, Barre, in 1746. She reached 65 years of age and died in Northampton, Hampshire, on 30<sup>th</sup> June 1811. Rachel was buried in Bridge Street Cemetery, Northampton.

Children of Barnabas Sears and Rachel Bullard:

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| m    | I. <b>John<sup>4</sup> Sears</b> was born in Hardwick on 2 <sup>nd</sup> August 1765. He died in Scipio, Cayuga, New York, on 14 <sup>th</sup> April 1825, at the age of 59.                  |
| f    | II. <b>Hannah Sears</b> was born in Hardwick on 4 <sup>th</sup> March 1767. She died on 15 <sup>th</sup> August 1841, at the age of 74.   |
| + 35 | m III. <b>Joseph Sears</b> was born in Hardwick on 12 <sup>th</sup> April 1769. <sup>[49]</sup> He died in Pelham, Hampshire, on 14 <sup>th</sup> May 1801, at the age of 32.                 |
| + 37 | m IV. <b>Moses Sears</b> was born in Hardwick on 22 <sup>nd</sup> April 1771. <sup>[49-51]</sup> He died in Otisco, Onondaga, New York, on 11 <sup>th</sup> September 1805, at the age of 34. |

<sup>49</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

<sup>50</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (http://familysearch.org : modified 11 May 2016, 22:53), entry for Moses Sears(PID https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:K8XN-JL5); contributed by various users. PersonID K8XN-JL5. Moses Sears. https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:K8XN-JL5.

<sup>51</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCKF-7ZF : 10 February 2018), Moses

- m V. **Barnabas Sears** was born in Hardwick on 18<sup>th</sup> May 1773. He was christened on 23<sup>rd</sup> May 1773. Barnabas died in Hardwick on 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1773.
- m VI. **Freeman Sears** was born in Hardwick on 4<sup>th</sup> June 1774. He died on 18<sup>th</sup> June 1774.
- f VII. **Mary Sears** was born in Hardwick on 10<sup>th</sup> June 1775. She was christened on 11<sup>th</sup> June 1775. Mary died in Northampton, Hampshire.
- + 39 m VIII. **Barnabas Sears** was born on 1<sup>st</sup> May 1782.<sup>[52]</sup> He died in Lockport, Niagara, New York, on 29<sup>th</sup> October 1856, at the age of 74.
- f IX. **Sally Sears** was born in perh, Greenwich, Hampshire, in 1784. She died in Ohio.
- + 41 m X. **Roland Sears** was born in Greenwich on 14<sup>th</sup> February 1792. He died on 6<sup>th</sup> December 1839, at the age of 47.

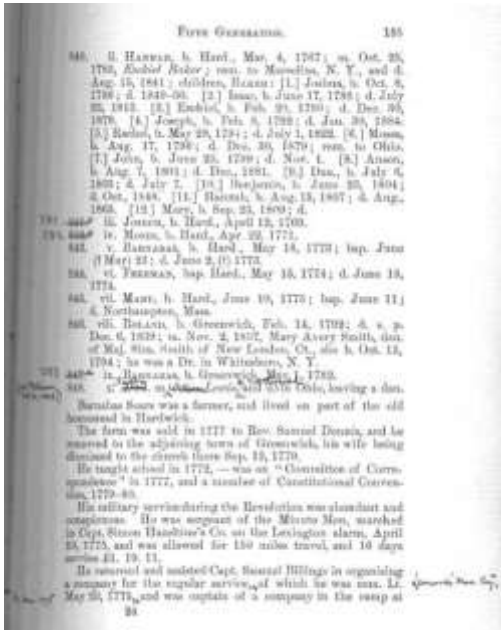


Figure 18: SPM185

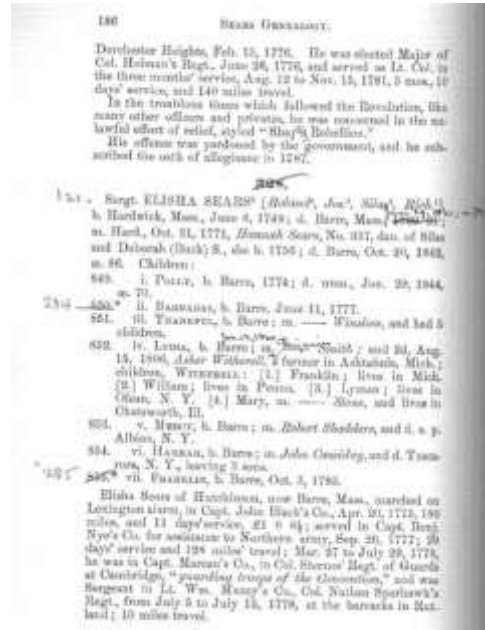


Figure 19: SPM186

Sears, 22 Apr 1771; citing HARDWICK, WORCESTER, MASSACHUSETTS, ; FHL microfilm 0873754 IT 3. Moses Sears, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915". <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCKF-7ZF>.

<sup>52</sup> Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

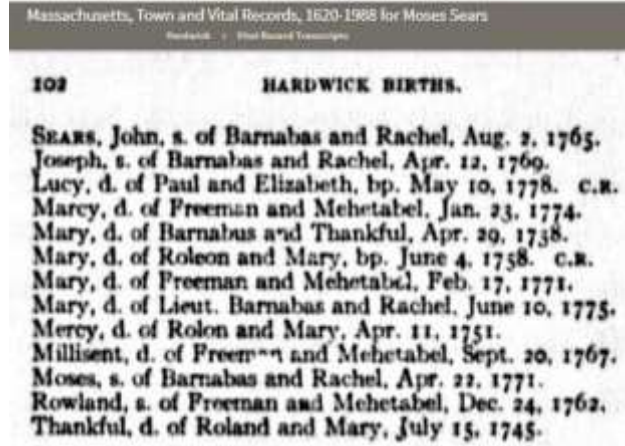
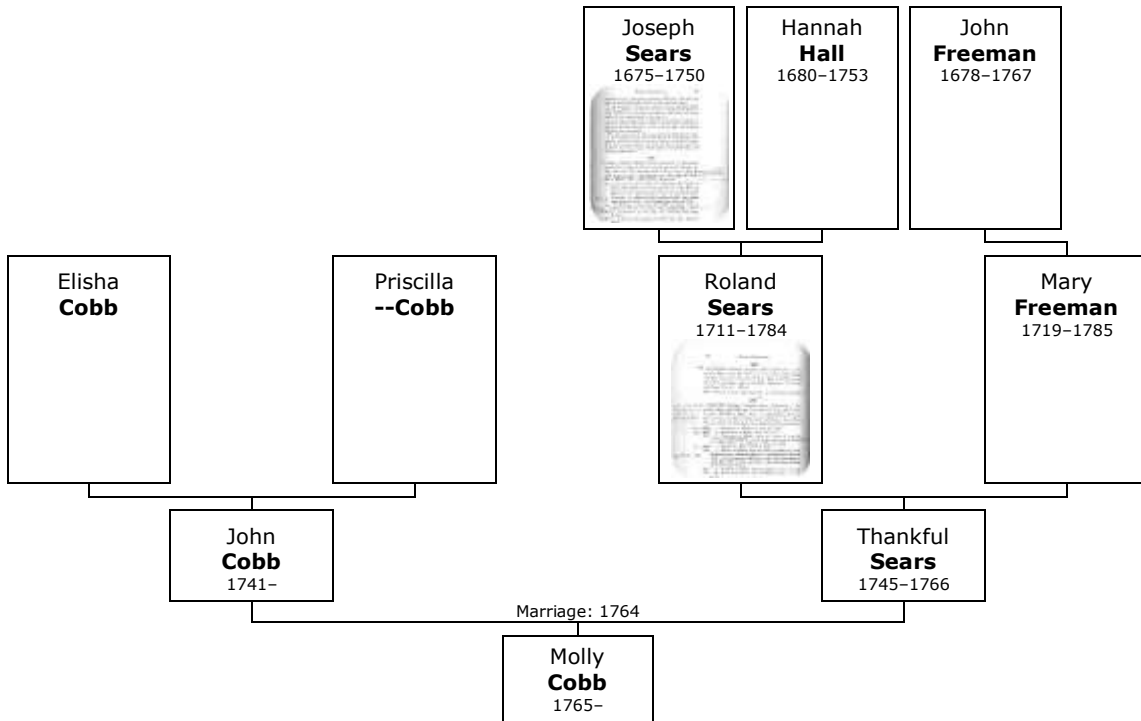


Figure 20: sears\_barnabas\_ofHardwick

**Family of Thankful Sears and John Cobb**



27. **Thankful<sup>3</sup> Sears** (Roland<sup>2</sup>) was born on 15<sup>th</sup> July 1745, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Roland Sears (21) and Mary Freeman (22).

Thankful died on 12<sup>th</sup> April 1766, at the age of 20.

<https://www.wikitree.com/index.php?title=Sears-4239>

!Vital Records of Hardwick, Massachusetts, to the Year 1850, Compiled by Thomas W. Baldwin, Boston, Mass., 1917 ; Thankful and John Cobb, m. July 19, 1764.

!S P May (No 327)

[https://web.archive.org/web/20060707005511/http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.com/~jdevlin/ma/hardwick\\_marr5.htm](https://web.archive.org/web/20060707005511/http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.com/~jdevlin/ma/hardwick_marr5.htm) accessed 5 Apr 2019

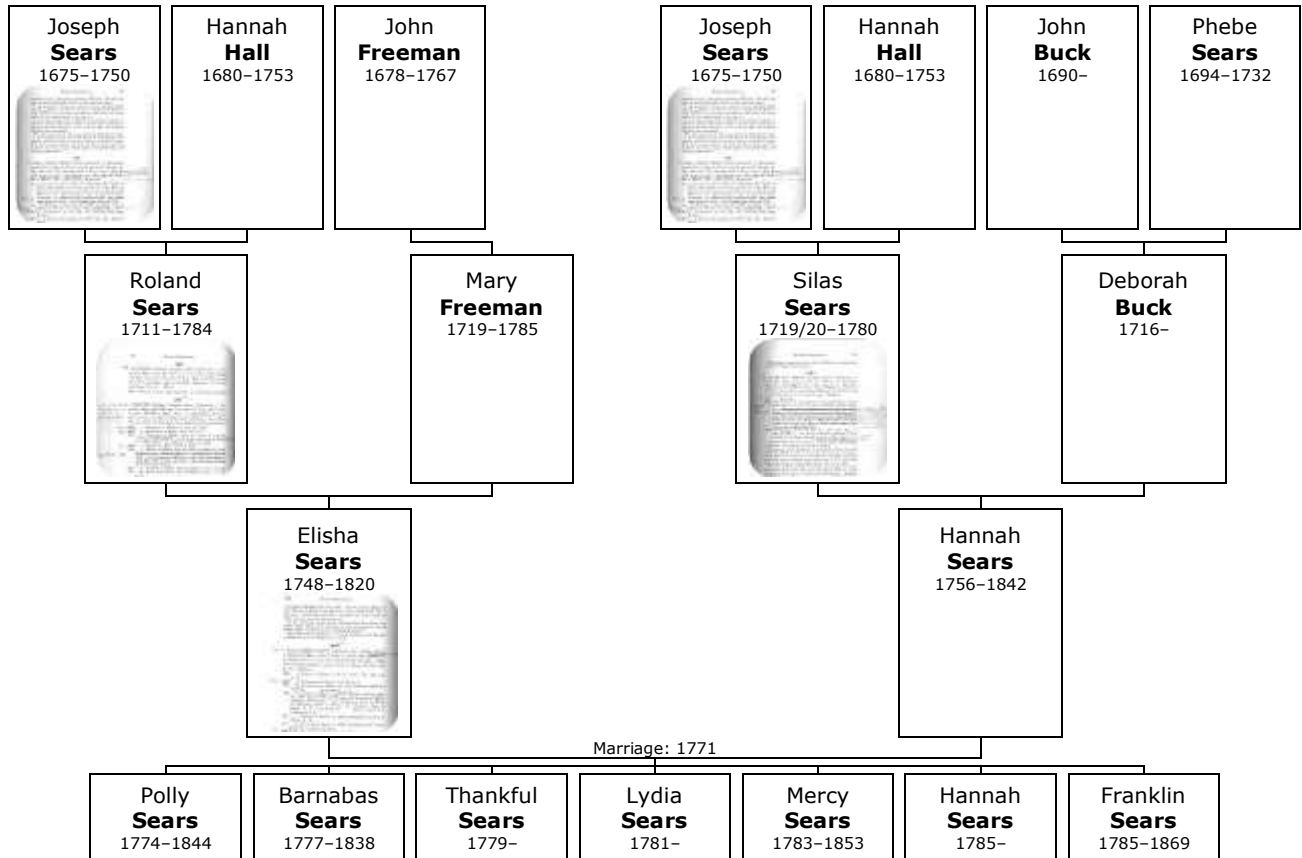
28. Thankful married **John Cobb** on Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> July 1764, in Hardwick. They had one daughter.

John was born in perh, Hardwick, in 1741. He was the son of Elisha Cobb and Priscilla --Cobb.

Daughter of Thankful Sears and John Cobb:

f I. **Molly<sup>4</sup> Cobb** was born in perh, Hardwick, on 18<sup>th</sup> March 1765.

**Family of Elisha Sears and Hannah Sears**



29. **Sergt Elisha<sup>3</sup> Sears** (*Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on 6<sup>th</sup> June 1748, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. He was the son of Roland Sears (21) and Mary Freeman (22).

Elisha died in Barre between 1820 and 1821.



Elisha Sears

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-3200>

!S.P. May p.186, No 328, Elisha Sears of Hutchison, now Barre, MA, marched on Lexington alarm, in Capt John Black's Co., 20 Apr 1775, 180 miles, and 11 days' service, £1.6.6 1/2; served in Capt Benj. Nye's Co. for assistance to Northern army, 26 Sep 1777; 29 days' service and 128 miles' travel; 27 Mar to 29 Jul 1778, he was in Capt Mareau's Co., in Col. Stearns' Regt of Guards at Cambridge, "guarding troops of

the Convention," and was Sergeant in Lt Wm Muzzy's Co., Col Nathan Sparhawk's Regt., from 5-15 Jul 1778, at the barracks in Rutland; 10 miles travel.

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!History of Barre, p. 276 An interesting episode concerned a Barre resident, Henry Sibley, who was a veteran of several campaigns which included a march to Ticonderoga. Sibley enlisted as a sergeant in a Mass regiment of artillery for three years. When it became apparent that this organization was about to leave Boston and participate in action in other colonies, Sibley and several others signed a statement that they would not leave their home colony unless their pay was increased to a level commensurate with that of the artillery of the Continental Army. The signers found themselves in Boston city jail. History does not record how these men regained the good graces of their officer. But they obviously did. Sibley is recorded as Quartermaster Sergeant of Lt Col Paul Revere's Artillery in 1780."

! He was blind for many years previous to his death.

! His widow resided with her daughter Polly, and her name appears as a US pensioner in 1840, then of Barre, ae. 84. ! They were worthy, industrious people.

! The children are perhaps not placed in order of birth.

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!Vital Records of Hardwick, Massachusetts, to the Year 1850 Compiled by Thomas W. Baldwin, Boston, Mass., 1917 ; Elisha and Hannah Sears, m. Oct. 31, 1771. C.R.

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!History of Barre, Windows into the Past, Connington, Helen W, 1992, Barre Hist Comm. Map of Barre showing Original Division of Town into Great Farms and House Lots in 1734 and its present Inhabitants with the RailRoads, Highways, Rivers, Streams & 1875 Hardwick borders Barre on the West, New Braintree SW, Oakham S, Rutland, SE, Hubbardston E, Petersham N First known deed of land 1726. J. Sanderson in block 24 N of Barre Centre S.[Sumner? Elisha's grandson] Sears is in section 10 just 300 rods west of Barre Centre on South St with S E Bates to the west of him and G. Lowe to the east. Just a little west of Dick's Brook which flows into Prince River.

- 30.** Elisha married **Hannah Sears** on Thursday, 31<sup>st</sup> October 1771, in Hardwick. They had seven children.

Hannah was born in perh, Hardwick, in 1756. She was the daughter of Silas Sears and Deborah Buck.

Hannah reached 86 years of age and died in Barre on 20<sup>th</sup> October 1842.

Children of Elisha Sears and Hannah Sears:

- + 43 f I. **Polly<sup>4</sup> Sears** was born in Barre in 1774.<sup>[53, 54]</sup> She died in Barre on 29<sup>th</sup> January 1844, at the age of 70.<sup>[53, 54]</sup>
- + 45 m II. **Barnabas Sears** was born in Barre on 11<sup>th</sup> June 1777. He died in Hardwick on 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1838, at the age of 61.
- + 47 f III. **Thankful Sears** was born in Barre in 1779.
- + 49 f IV. **Lydia Sears** was born in Barre in 1781.
- + 52 f V. **Mercy Sears** was born in Barre in 1783. She died in 1853 at the age of 70.

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<sup>53</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

<sup>54</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.



- + 54 f VI. **Hannah Sears** was born in Barre in 1785. She died in Albion, Orleans, New York.
- + 56 m VII. **Franklin Sears** was born in Barre on 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1785.<sup>[53]</sup> He died in Leicester, Livingston, New York, on 4<sup>th</sup> January 1869, at the age of 83.<sup>[53]</sup>

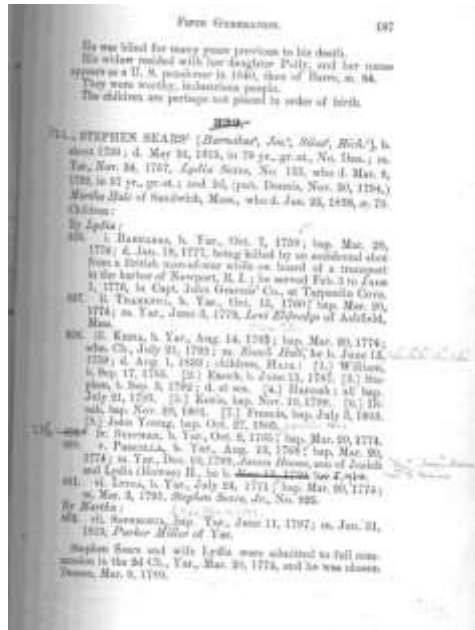
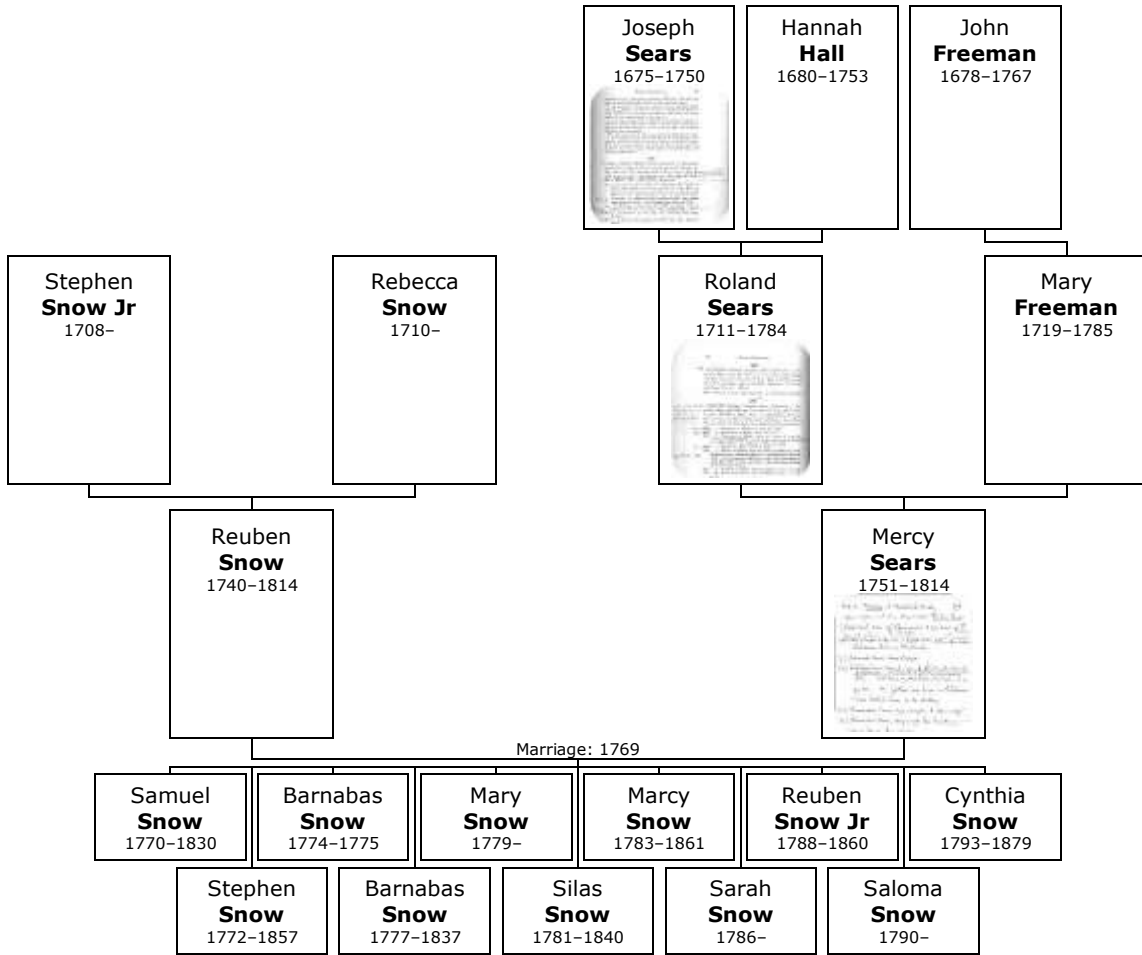


Figure 21: SPM187

**Family of Mercy Sears and Reuben Snow**



**31. Mercy<sup>3</sup> Sears** (Roland<sup>2</sup>) was born on 11<sup>th</sup> April 1751, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Roland Sears (21) and Mary Freeman (22).

Mercy died in Greenwich, Hampshire, on 5<sup>th</sup> April 1814, at the age of 62. She was buried in Greenwich.



Mercy Sears

!S P May (No 329)  
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 !Hardwick VR Mercy d. of Rolon and Mary b.  
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 !Hardwick VR SEARS     Mercy and Reuben Snow, m. May 11, 1769.  
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 !Mayflower Index: No. 29,988 Mercy; spouse Reuben Snow; parent 13,928  
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 !NEHGS Register, Vol 154, Jan 2000, p 61-62  
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 !SNOW FAMILY BIBLE Benjamin Snow, His Book, Dated 1724\* NEHGS Mss C 4160  
 Photographs of the following Bible records were given to the Society in 1989 by the Rev  
 C Corydon Randall of Del mar, California, with the permission of the late Dr Brewster  
 Snow of the Duke University Medical School. The Bible itself is presently owned by Dr

Snow's son, Mr Sabin Tucker Snow of Scottsdale, Arizona, who will be happy to show it to descendants of the families concerned. The Rev Randall has compiled information about the descendants of Silas Snow (n. 1781), who lived in the area near Batavia, New York after leaving Massachusetts.

[Title page] The Holy Bible containing the Old Testament and the New..., printed by the Assigns of Thomas Newcomb and H[torn] [torn] ceas'd; Printers to the Queens most Excelle[torn] MDCCXii

[page 1] large inscription: Benjamin Snow, His Book, Dated 1724

[page 2] Samuel Snow Was Born May ye 28 1770 [at Hardwick, Mass.]\*\* Bracketed information from other records compiled by the Rev C Corydon Randall Stephen Snow Was Born May ye 16 1772 [at Hardwick, Mass.]\*\* Barnabas Snow Was Born [sic][22 August 1774 at Hardwick, Mass.]\*\* Barnabas Snow Was Born May the^ 11 1777 Mary Snow was born July the^ 25 1779 Silas Snow Was Born August the^ 15 1781 Januy the^ 8 1756 my Sister Hannah Sears died in the 2 yere of her age. March the 12 1784 my Father Roland Se[ars] died in the 71 yere of his age. Aprile the 21 1785 my mother Mary Sea[ars] Dyed in the 65 yere of her age. [in a different hand] This is my Mother, Marcy Snow miard[sic] Stephen Snow Stephen Snow was my Father's Father Horace Snow

[page 4] Stephen Snow Was Born May 16th^ 1772 Lydia Snow Was Born October 13th^ 1770 Lydia Snow Died March 16th^ 1841 aged 70 years 5 Months and 3 days [different hand] Stephen Snow Died Jan. 17th^ 1857 aged 84 years and 8 months [different hand] Elisa Wheeler was born April 26 1807 Died August 16 1843 Marcy Snow Was Born September ye^ 4 1783 Sarah Snow Was Born January ye^ 7 1786 [in a different hand] {by Marcy Sears?} Reuben Snow Jr^ was Born July 15th^ 1788 Salome Snow was Born May 26 1790 Cynthia Snow was Born June 16 1793 [page 3] {by Mercy Sears} December 23d^ day 1767 grandfather Freeman Deceased in teh 89 yere of his age. November 25 1768 grandmother Freeman Dececed in ye 84 yere of her age. Aprile ye 12 1766 my sister Thankfull Cobb Died in the 21 yere of her age. Aprile the 11th^ day 1770 my Sister Mary Sears Dyed in the 13 yere of her age.

- 32.** Mercy married **Reuben Snow** on Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> May 1769, in Hardwick, Worcester. They had eleven children.

Reuben was born in perh, Greenwich, Hampshire, in 1740. He was the son of Stephen Snow Jr and Rebecca Snow.

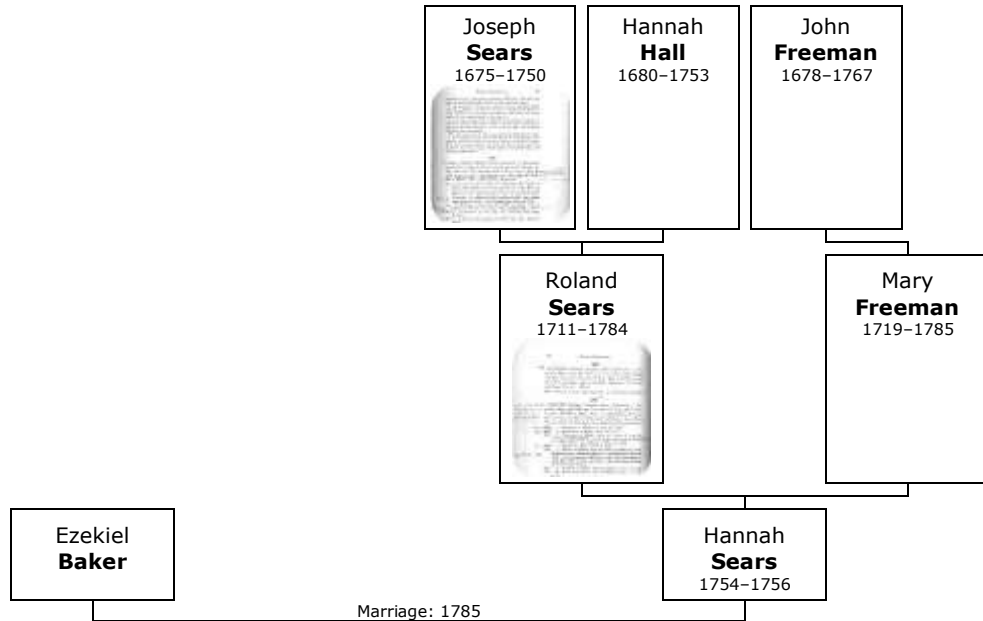
Reuben reached 74 years of age and died in Greenwich on 5<sup>th</sup> April 1814. He was buried in Greenwich.

Children of Mercy Sears and Reuben Snow:

- + 58 m I. **Samuel<sup>4</sup> Snow** was born in Hardwick on 28<sup>th</sup> May 1770. He died in Fredonia, Chautauqua, New York, on 30<sup>th</sup> June 1830, at the age of 60.
- + 60 m II. **Stephen Snow** was born in Hardwick on 16<sup>th</sup> May 1772. He died in Elyria, Lorain, Ohio, on 16<sup>th</sup> January 1857, at the age of 84.
- m III. **Barnabas Snow** was born in Hardwick on 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1774. He died on 31<sup>st</sup> October 1775, at the age of 1.
- + 62 m IV. **Barnabas Snow** was born in Hardwick on 11<sup>th</sup> May 1777. He died in Ware, Hampshire, on 4<sup>th</sup> February 1837, at the age of 59.
- + 64 f V. **Mary Snow** was born in Hardwick on 25<sup>th</sup> July 1779.
- + 66 m VI. **Silas Snow** was born in Ware, Hampshire, on 15<sup>th</sup> August 1781. He died in Ware on 14<sup>th</sup> December 1840, at the age of 59.

- + 68 f VII. **Marcy Snow** was born in perh, Ware, on 4<sup>th</sup> September 1783. She died on 7<sup>th</sup> April 1861, at the age of 77.
- + 70 f VIII. **Sarah Snow** was born in perh on 7<sup>th</sup> January 1786.
- m IX. **Reuben Snow Jr** was born in perh on 15<sup>th</sup> July 1788. He died in Elkhart, Indiana, in April 1860 at the age of 71.
- + 72 f X. **Saloma Snow** was born in perh on 26<sup>th</sup> May 1790.
- + 74 f XI. **Cynthia Snow** was born in perh on 16<sup>th</sup> June 1793. She died in New York on 22<sup>nd</sup> October 1879, at the age of 86.

**Family of Hannah Sears and Ezekiel Baker**



**33. Hannah<sup>3</sup> Sears (Roland<sup>2</sup>)** was born on Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> February 1754, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Roland Sears (21) and Mary Freeman (22).

Hannah died on 8<sup>th</sup> January 1756, at the age of 1.

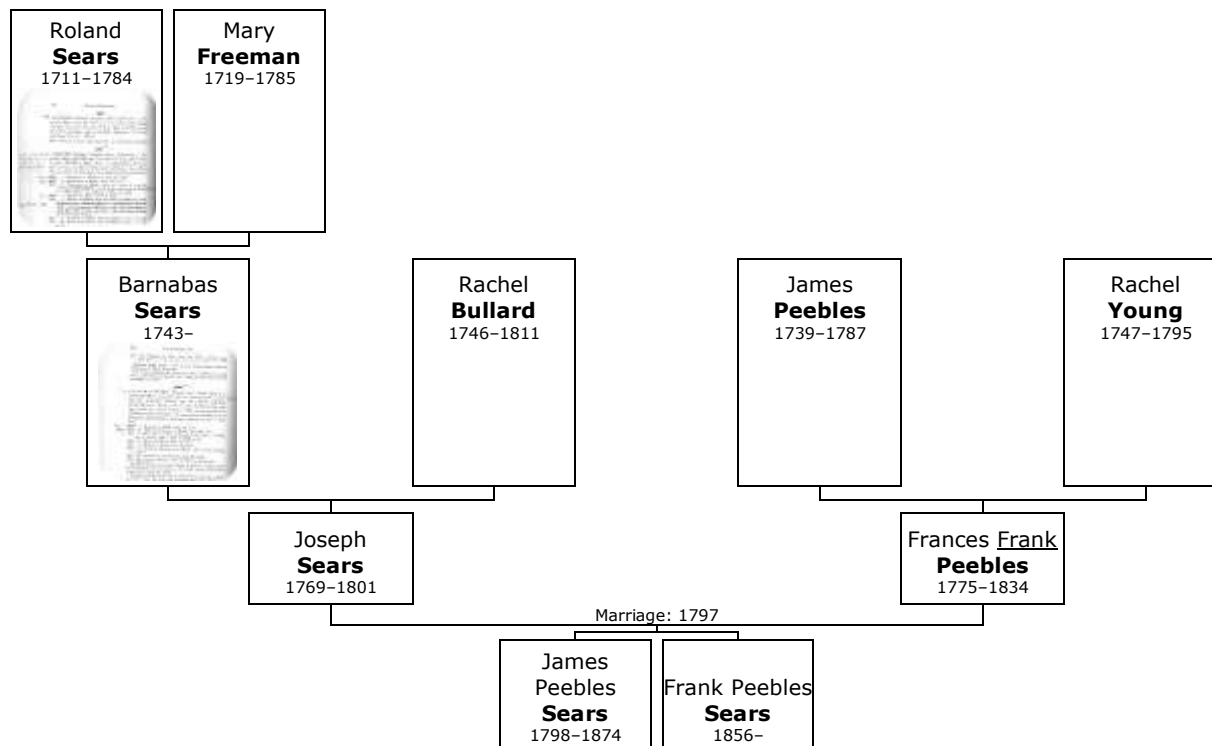
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**34.** Hannah married **Ezekiel Baker** on Sunday, 2<sup>nd</sup> October 1785, in Hardwick.

## 1st Cousins

### Family of Joseph Sears and Frank Peebles



- 35.** **Joseph<sup>4</sup> Sears** (*Lt Col Barnabas<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> April 1769, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[55]</sup> He was the son of Barnabas Sears (25) and Rachel Bullard (26).

Joseph died in Pelham on 14<sup>th</sup> May 1801, at the age of 32.

!S.P. May p.301 Roland Sears administered upon the estate of Joseph Sears of Pelham, and Moses Sears was appointed guardian of James P Sears, minor son of Joseph S. Hand notes indicate wife was dau. of James Peebles. List Frank Peebles as another son?

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!Hardwick VR 1769 SEARS Joseph, s. of Barnabas and Rachel,b. Apr. 12, 1769.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4853>

More facts and events for Joseph Sears:

Residence: 1800 Pelham<sup>[56]</sup>

<sup>55</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.  
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36. At the age of 27, Joseph married **Frances Frank Peebles** on Sunday, 8<sup>th</sup> January 1797, in Pelham when she was 21 years old.<sup>[57]</sup> They had two sons.

Frank was born in Pelham on Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> September 1775.<sup>[55]</sup> She was the daughter of James Peebles and Rachel Young.

Frank reached 58 years of age and died in 1834.

Sons of Joseph Sears and Frances Frank Peebles:

- m I. **James Peebles<sup>5</sup> Sears** was born in Pelham on 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1798. He died in Madison, Madison, New York, in 1874 at the age of 75.
- m II. **Frank Peebles Sears** was born in Pelham in February 1856.



Figure 22: SPM301

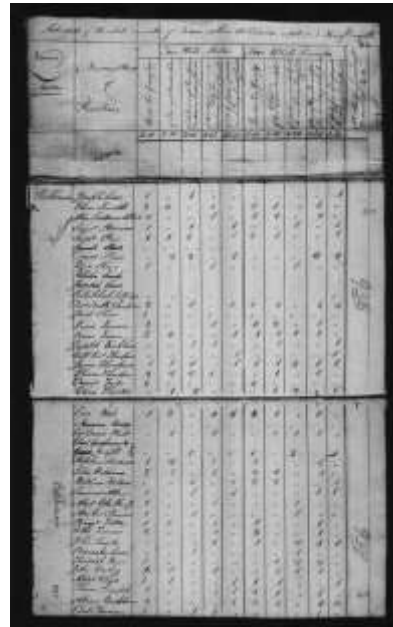


Figure 23: 1800 United States Federal Census

<sup>57</sup> Dodd, Jordan, Liahona Research, comp, Massachusetts, Marriages, 1633-1850 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2005), Ancestry.com.

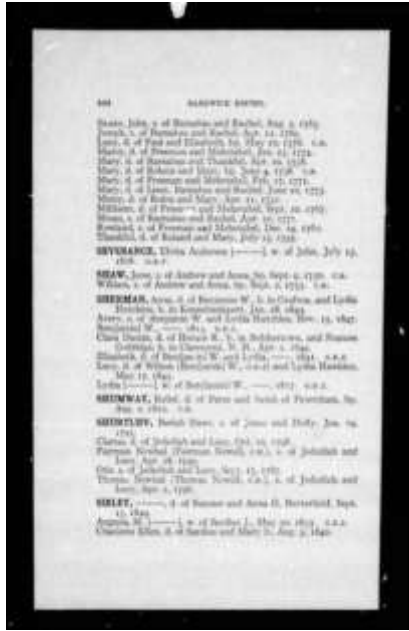


Figure 24: Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1888

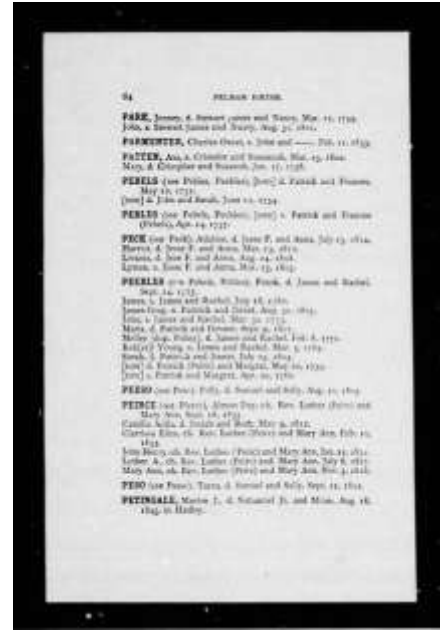
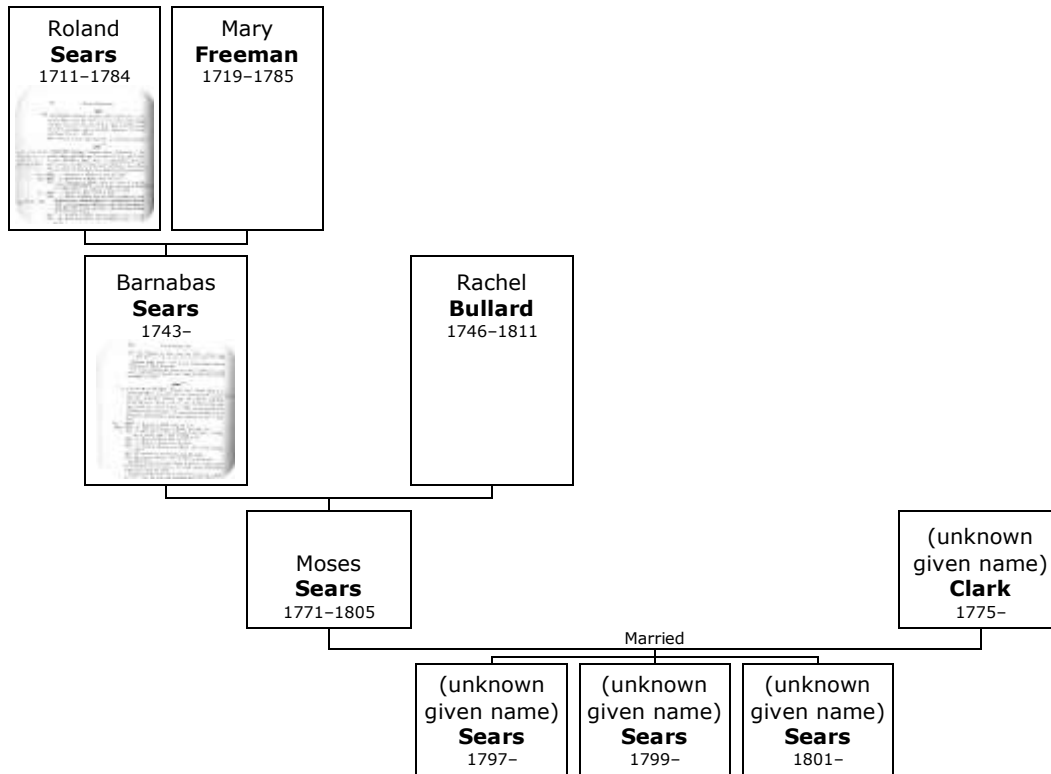


Figure 25: Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1888

Family of Moses Sears and Clark



- 37. Moses<sup>4</sup> Sears** (*Lt Col Barnabas<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> April 1771, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[58-60]</sup> He was the son of Barnabas Sears (25) and Rachel Bullard (26).

Moses died in Otisco, Onondaga, New York, on 11<sup>th</sup> September 1805, at the age of 34.

BIRTH:1771

LOCATION:Hardwick,Worcester,Massachusetts,United States

VOLUME:Hardwick - V1

PAGE:102

TEXT:Moses, s. of Barnabas and Rachel, Apr. 22, 1771.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4854>

- 38.** He married **(unknown given name) Clark**. They had three children.

(unknown given name) was born in perh, Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, in 1775.

Children of Moses Sears and (unknown given name) Clark:

- m I. **(unknown given name)<sup>5</sup> Sears** was born in perh in 1797.
- f II. **(unknown given name) Sears** was born in perh in 1799.
- f III. **(unknown given name) Sears** was born in perh in 1801.

More figures:

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<sup>58</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

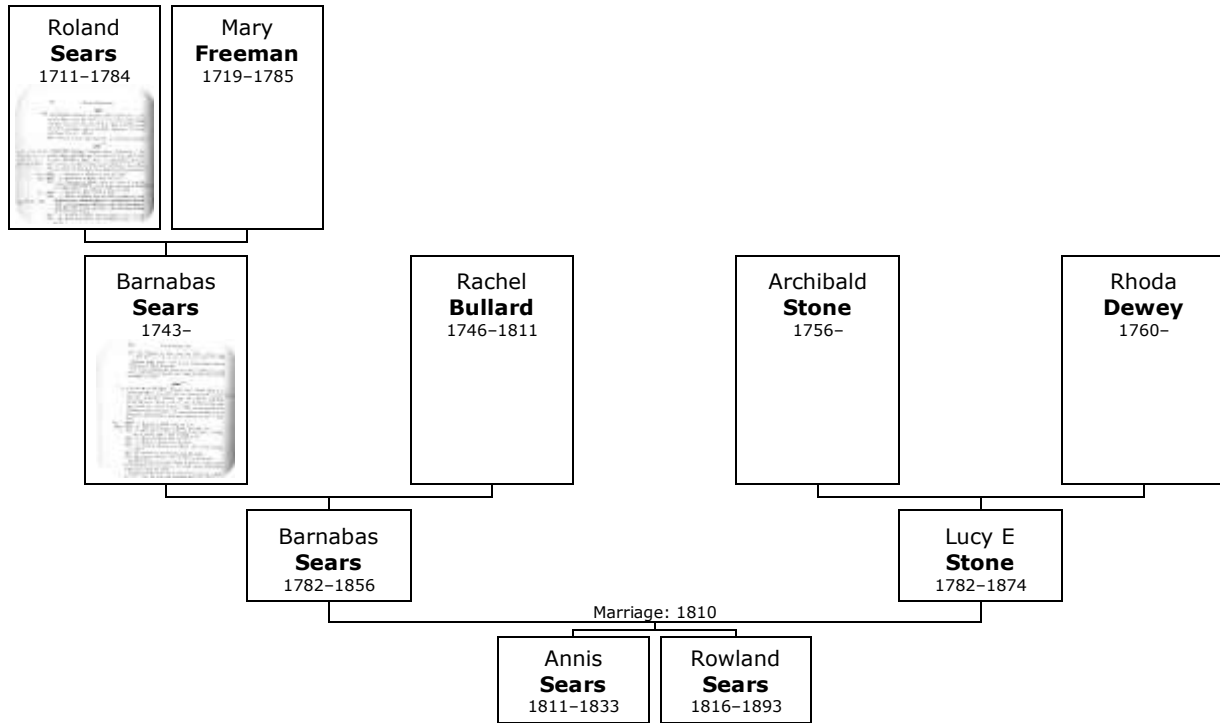
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<sup>59</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (http://familysearch.org : modified 11 May 2016, 22:53), entry for Moses Sears(PID https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:K8XN-JL5); contributed by various users. PersonID K8XN-JL5. Moses Sears. https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:K8XN-JL5.

<sup>60</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCKF-7ZF : 10 February 2018), Moses Sears, 22 Apr 1771; citing HARDWICK,WORCESTER,MASSACHUSETTS, ; FHL microfilm 0873754 IT 3. Moses Sears, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915". https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCKF-7ZF.



**Family of Barnabas Sears and Lucy Stone**



- 39. Barnabas<sup>4</sup> Sears** (*Lt Col Barnabas<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Wednesday, 1<sup>st</sup> May 1782.<sup>[61]</sup> Greenwich. He was the son of Barnabas Sears (25) and Rachel Bullard (26). Barnabas died in Lockport on 29<sup>th</sup> October 1856, at the age of 74.

!S.P. May p.301 Barnabas, when a young man, was employed in the U.S. Arsenal in Springfield, MA In 1811 he removed to Scipio, NY and in 1827 to the "Holland Purchase," buying a large tract of land near Lockport, NY, and afer 1829 resided permanently in the village until his death.

1855 NY Census, Niagra, with Lucy

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4858>

More facts and events for Barnabas Sears:

Residence: 1830 Ward 1, Lockport<sup>[62]</sup>

Residence: 1855 Lockport<sup>[61]</sup>

Relation to Head of House: Head

- 40.** At the age of 28, Barnabas married **Lucy E Stone** on Monday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 1810, in Bennington, Vermont, when she was 27 years old. They had two children.

<sup>61</sup> Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.  
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<sup>62</sup> Ancestry.com, 1830 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, 1830; Census Place: Lockport Ward 1, Niagra, New York; Series: M19; Roll: 95; Page: 404; Family History Library Film: 0017155.  
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Lucy E was born in Bennington on Wednesday, 25<sup>th</sup> December 1782.<sup>[61]</sup> She was the daughter of Archibald Stone and Rhoda Dewey.

Lucy E reached 91 years of age and died in Lockport on 18<sup>th</sup> February 1874.

More facts and events for Lucy E Stone:

Residence: 1855 Lockport<sup>[61]</sup>  
 Relation to Head of House: Wife

Children of Barnabas Sears and Lucy E Stone:

- f I. **Annis<sup>5</sup> Sears** was born in perh, Bennington, on 18<sup>th</sup> June 1811. She died on 5<sup>th</sup> June 1833, at the age of 21.
- m II. **Rowland Sears** was born in Scipio, Cayuga, New York, on 24<sup>th</sup> March 1816.<sup>[61, 63, 64]</sup> He died in Lockport on 6<sup>th</sup> June 1893, at the age of 77.

More facts and events for Rowland Sears:

Residence: 1855 Lockport<sup>[61]</sup>  
 Relation to Head of House: Head  
 Residence: 1880 Lockport<sup>[64]</sup>  
 Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Self



Figure 26: SPM302



Figure 27: 1830 United States Federal Census

<sup>63</sup> Edmund West, comp., Family Data Collection - Individual Records (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2000), Ancestry.com, Birth year: 1816; Birth city: Scipio; Birth state: NY.

<sup>64</sup> 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: Lockport, Niagara, New York; Roll: 901; Family History Film: 1254901; Page: 512D; Enumeration District: 200; Image: 0606.

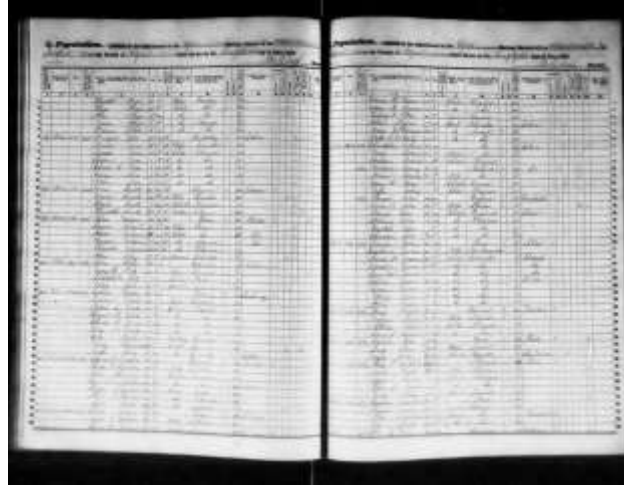
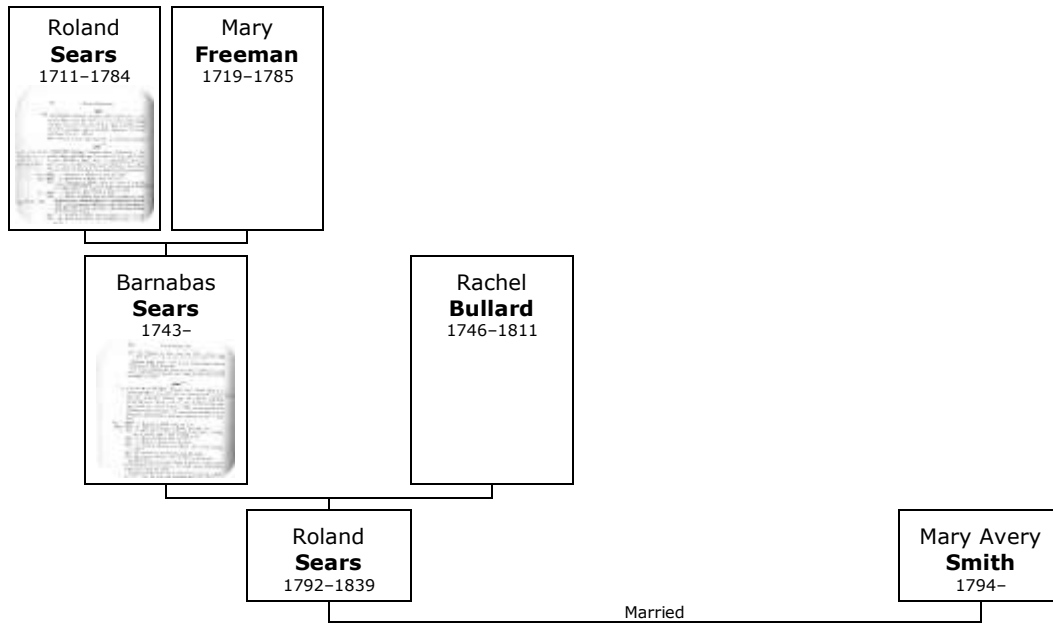


Figure 28: New York, State Census, 1855

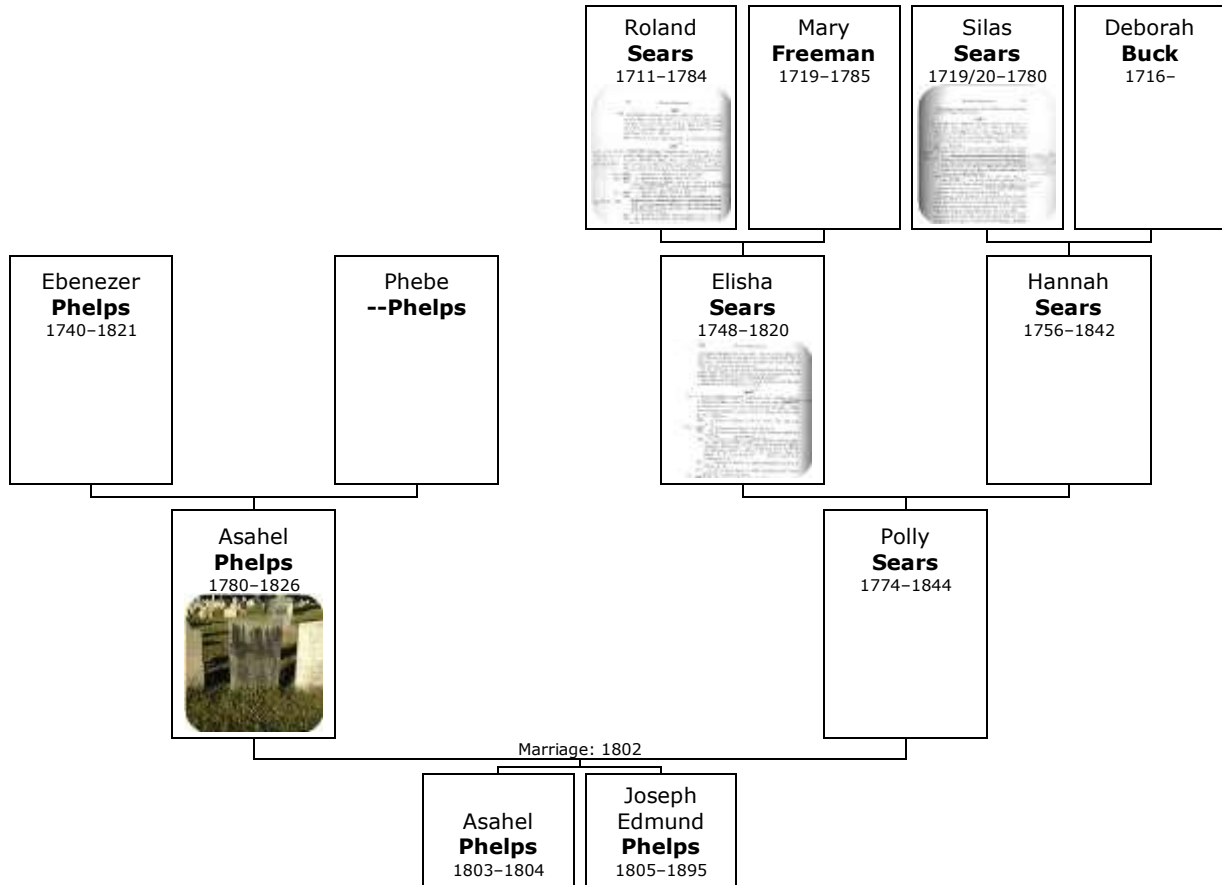
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### Family of Roland Sears and Mary Smith



- 41. Roland<sup>4</sup> Sears** (*Lt Col Barnabas<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Tuesday, 14<sup>th</sup> February 1792, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. He was the son of Barnabas Sears (25) and Rachel Bullard (26).  
Roland died on 6<sup>th</sup> December 1839, at the age of 47.  
!S.P. May p.185 (No 846) He was a Dr. in Whitesboro, NY. d.s.p.
- 42.** He married **Mary Avery Smith**. Mary Avery was born on Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> October 1794.

**Family of Polly Sears and Asahel Phelps**



**43. Polly<sup>4</sup> Sears** (*Sergt Elisha<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born in 1774 in Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[65, 66]</sup> She was the daughter of Elisha Sears (29) and Hannah Sears (30).

Polly died in Barre on 29<sup>th</sup> January 1844, at the age of 70.<sup>[65, 66]</sup> She was buried in Northampton, Hampshire.<sup>[65]</sup>

!S P May (No 849) died unm.;  
!

!Mass Death Records Vol 9 p 118, ae 70 b. Hardwick, d. Barre of dysentaria  
!!Mass Death Records SEARS, Polly County: Worcester Town: Barre Volume:  
9 Page: 118 Death Date: 29 Jan 1844 Title: Age: 70y -m -d Condition:  
Female Cause: Dysentaria Place of Death: Barre Place of Birth:  
Hardwick Father/Husband: Elisha SEARS Mother: Hannah SEARS  
Do you suppose she m. Asahel Phelps?**From:** ArnoldSprague  
[mailto:asprague@gsb.uchicago.edu]

**Sent:** Saturday, September 13, 2014 1:15 PM  
**To:** Ray Sears

<sup>65</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

<sup>66</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.  
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**Subject:** RE: Polly Sears / follow up

Ray,

Back again. Sorry to be an impatient pest.

Take care,

Arnold

5:33 p.m., 9/11/2014

Ray,

I just now found her at FindAGrave.com

&lt;<http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=126473225> &gt;.

Below is her info:

!

!Find A Grave Memorial# 126473225

Mary *Sears* Phelps (headstone photo)

Birth: 1776, Massachusetts, USA

Death: Jan. 28, 1843, Northampton, Hampshire County, Massachusetts, USA

**Daughter of Elisha and Hannah Sears**

Family links:

Spouse: Asahel Phelps (1775 - 1826)

Children: Asahel Phelps (1803 - 1804)\*

\*Calculated relationship

Inscription:

Mary,

Widow of Asahel Phelps

Died Jan. 28 1843

Aged 67

Burial: Bridge Street Cemetery, Northampton, Hampshire County, Massachusetts, USA,

Plot: 392 (1931 Corbin map), GPS (lat/lon): 42.32442, -72.62688

Created by: Scott Stylos

Record added: **Mar 16, 2014**

<http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=126473225>

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Note that this "memorial" is only a few months old!!!! Persistence pays off.  
Every few months I check on various folks.

Now, can you give me info on her parents.: -D See above.

Hope all is well.

Arnold

At 09:45 PM 1/21/2007, you wrote:

Hi Arnold,

Nothing that matches directly,

I have these that might connect.

Polly Sears b.1783 Yarmouth, MA d. Jan 1820

Polly Sears b. 1774 Barre, MA d. 29 Jan 1844

Mary Sears b. 3 Oct 1776 Ashfield

Mary Sears b. 10 Jun 1775 Hardwick, MA

None have fathers names that match your child Joseph Edmund Phelps,  
I've added Asahel and Mary to my database with your name attached in case I  
find a connection.

Regards,

Ray

-----Original Message-----

From: Arnold Sprague [mailto:asprague@chicagogsb.edu]

Sent: Sunday, January 21, 2007 1:26 PM

To: Ray Sears

Subject: Polly Sears

Ray,

It's been awhile since I wrote to you. I was looking at my dead-ends and came upon Polly Sears & <http://www.sprague-database.org/genealogy/getperson.php?personID=I248999&tree=SpragueProject> married (14 Nov 1802) to Asahel Phelps. I looked at your website but could not find anything about either.

Any chance thatshe has materialized over the years???

Many thanks,

Arnold

- 44.** Polly married **Asahel Phelps** on Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> November 1802, in Pelham.<sup>[67]</sup> They had two sons.

Asahel was born in Northampton in 1780.<sup>[65, 66, 68, 69]</sup> He was the son of Ebenezer Phelps and Phebe --Phelps.

Asahel reached 46 years of age and died in Northampton on 16<sup>th</sup> April 1826.<sup>[65, 68, 69]</sup> He was buried in Northampton.<sup>[65]</sup>



Asahel Phelps

Sons of Polly Sears and Asahel Phelps:

- m I. **Asahel<sup>5</sup> Phelps** was born in 1803.<sup>[65]</sup> He died in 1804 at the age of 1.<sup>[65]</sup> Asahel was buried in Northampton.<sup>[65]</sup>
- m II. **Joseph Edmund Phelps** was born in Northampton on 6<sup>th</sup> January 1805.<sup>[65]</sup> He died in Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota, on 4<sup>th</sup> March 1895, at the age of 90.<sup>[65]</sup> Joseph Edmund was buried in Minneapolis.<sup>[65]</sup>

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<sup>67</sup> Dodd, Jordan, Liahona Research, comp, Massachusetts, Marriages, 1633-1850 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2005), Ancestry.com.

<sup>68</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Newspaper Extractions from the Northeast, 1704-1930 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.  
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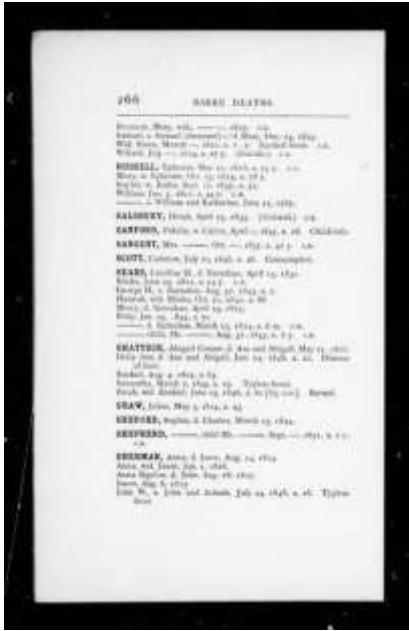


Figure 29: Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988



Figure 30: Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988

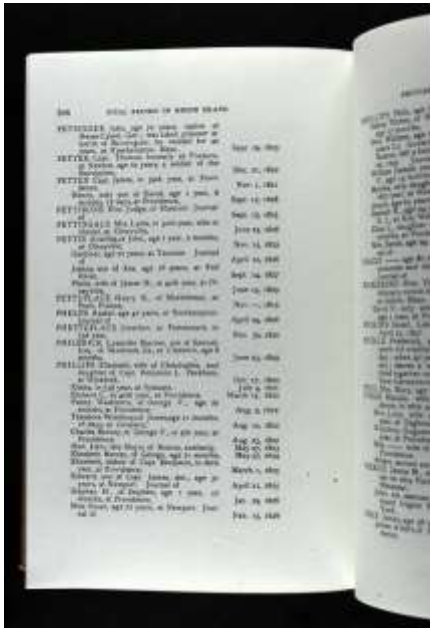


Figure 31: Rhode Island, Vital Extracts, 1636-1899

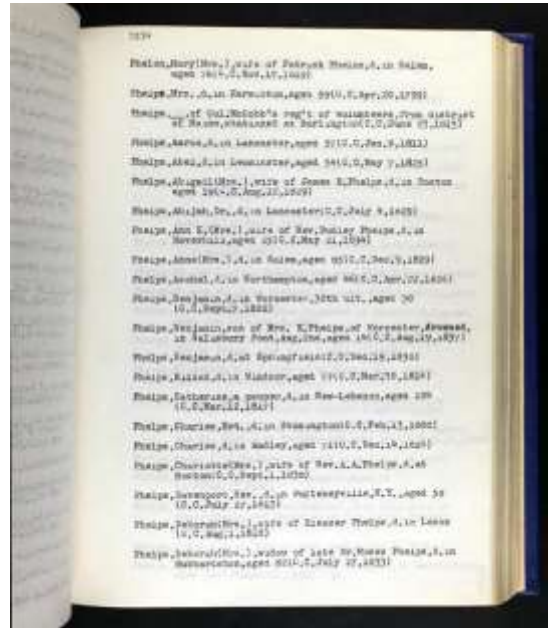
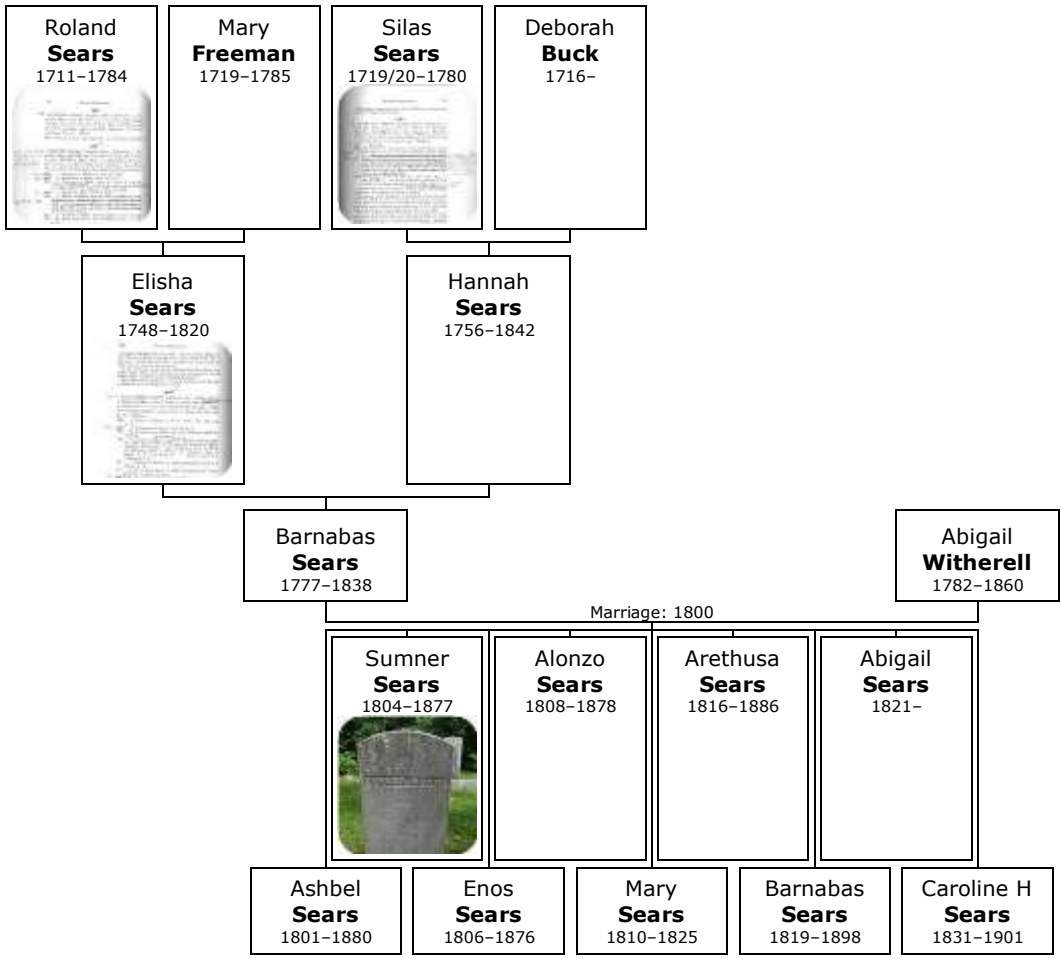


Figure 32: U.S., Newspaper Extractions from the Northeast, 1704-1930

**Family of Barnabas Sears and Abigail Witherell**



**45. Barnabas<sup>4</sup> Sears** (*Sergt Elisha<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Wednesday, 11<sup>th</sup> June 1777, in Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. He was the son of Elisha Sears (29) and Hannah Sears (30).

Barnabas died in Hardwick on 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1838, at the age of 61.

!Hist of Hardwick, p. 493 Barnabas, d. 3 Oct 1838 a. 67. Abigail (wid. of Barnabas), d. 4 Dec 1860, a. 80

!  
!Mayflower Index, Vol III, 1960 #69,124; parents 69,134

S P May p. 302 No 850

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-3418>

Census: US Federal. 1810 Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts. Note: Barnabas is probably living with his wife Abigail and his four children Ashbel, Sumner, Enos, Alonzo. 3 4, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0. [6] US Federal. 1820 Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts. Note: Barnabas is probably living with his wife Abigail and their children Barnabas, Enos, Alonzo, Sumner, Ashbel, Mary and Arethusa. 3 1, 2, 1, 2, 1, 0, 0, 2, 0, 0, 1, 0. 3 [7] US Federal. 1830 Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts. Note: Barnabas is probalby living with his wife Abigail and their children Barnabas, 11, Alonzo, 22 (or Enos, 24), Caroline,



Abigail, 9, and Arethusa, 14. Their son Sumner is a neighbor. One child is deaf and dumb. 3 [8]

Source: S1499 Media: Book Vital Records of Barre, Massachusetts, to the end of year 1849 Publication: Systematic History Fund Vital Records of Barre, Massachusetts, to the end of the year 1849 Worcester, Massachusetts Published by Franklin P. Rice Trustee of the Fund, 1903 Vital Records of Barre, Massachusetts to the end of the year 1849 Published by Franklin P. Rice BARRE BIRTHS To the year 1850 Page 79 SEARS, Abigail, d. Barnabas and Abigail, April 2, 1821 Alonzo, s. Barnabas and Abigail, Jan. 28, 1808 Arathusa, d. Barnabas and Abigail, Dec 13, 1816 Ashbel, s. Barnabas and Abigail, June 28, 1801 Barnabas Jr., s. Barnabas and Abigail, Aug. 12 1819 Caroline H., d. Barnabas and Abigail, Apr. 18, 1827 Enos, s. Barnabas and Abigail, June 24, 1806 Mary, d. Barnabas and Abigail, May 1, 1810 Mercy, d. Barnabas and Abigail, Sept. 8, 1824 Sumner, s. Barnabas and Abigail, Feb. 9, 1804 Page 82 Smith, Ellen Louisa, d. Charles S. and Abigail, July 23, 1845 P91 Weatherell, Abigail, d. Jacob and \_\_\_\_\_, Feb 16, 1782 Elizabeth Harrington, d. Isachar and Emily, May 3, 1826 BARRE MARRIAGES To the year 1850 Page 175 Morel [Moril in int.], Henry (s. John and Diana, a. 25) and Elizabeth H. Wetherell, January 28, 1845. Page 189 Rice, Abigail of Rutland and Stephen Jonson of Hardwick, May 31, 1774 Hannah and John Haskel, Dec 9, 1765 Phinehas and Betsy Jonson of Danna, int. Nov. 3, 1801 Ruth and Jacob Wetherel, Oct. 4, 1775 Page 197 SEARS, Abigail of Hardwick and Charles S. Smith, int. Sept. 3, 1841 Arathusa and Stephen Harris, Nov. 28, 1832 Ashbel and Hannah Stone of Hubbardston, int. Feb. 3, 1821 Barnabas and Rachel Bullard, Nov. 1, 1764 Barnabas and Abigail Witherill, Oct 21, 1800 Enos and Patty Stone, Dec. 15, 1825. C.R. Mary and Charles Stone, Nov. 18, 1827 Sumner and Asenith Voax, Sept. 21, 1824 Page 215 WETHEREL, (See Witherell) Jacob and Ruth Rice, Oct 4, 1775 WETHERELL, Asher and Lydia Smith, Aug 15, 1806 Elizabeth H. (d. Isachar and Emily, a. 18) and Henry Morel, Jan. 28, 1845 Isachar and Emily McClallen of Petersham, int. May 30, 1825 Naphthali and Mary Kelley, March 9, 1807 Page 222 WITHERELL, Lucinda and Eathen Cole, Nov. 25, 1802 WITHERILL, Abigail and Barnabas Sears, Oct. 21, 1800 BARRE DEATHS To the year 1850 Page 264 RICE, Phinehas, Feb. 24, 1814, a. 44 y. C.R. Page 266 SEARS, Caroline H., d. Barnabas, April 15, 1831 George H., s. Barnabas, Aug 31, 1843, a. 2 Mercy, d. Barnabas, April 19, 1825 \_\_\_\_\_, d. Barnabas, March 13, 1824, a. 6 m. C.R. Page 273 WETHERELL (see Witherell), Isacher, \_\_\_\_\_, 1827, a. 37 y. C.R. WITHERELL (see Wetherell), Jacob, Oct. 10, 1806. C.R. \_\_\_\_\_, w. Jacob, March 15, 1806, a. 49. C.R. \_\_\_\_\_, child Naphthali, Sept. 19, 1807. C.R.

Source: S1500 Media: Internet GED: Witherell, Naphtali a23403.ged Publication: Ancestry.com OneWorldTree

Source: S1880 Will: Witherell, Jacob Publication: Templeton Probate Court Oct 21 1800 Jacob Witherell Will Disapproved Templeton Probate Court Oct 21 1806 In the Name of God Amen I Jacob Witherell of Barre in the County of Worcester and Commonwealth of Massachusetts Yeoman do make this my last will and Testament. All my just Debt and funeral charges are to be punctually and Speedily paid and the legacies hereinafter bequeathed are to be paid. And the residue of my property to be divided in manner directed. I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Lucinda Cole ten dollars. I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Abigail Sears ten dollars. I give and bequeath unto my Son Asher Witherell ten dollars. I give and bequeath unto my Sons Naphtali, Isaac & Dan ^& Isachar all the rest and residue of my estate both real and personal to be equally divided among them; and if any of my said four last mentioned sons shall die before they arrive to the ages of twenty one years, their share or shares are to be divided among the survivors of my said last mentioned sons. And I do hereby constitute and

appoint Nehemiah Allen Jun. of said Barre sole executor of this my last Will and Testament - In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 27th Day of August in the Year of our Lord 1806. Signed, sealed and declared in presence Of Seth Lee Joseph Farrar Mathias Farrar Jacob Witherell (Seal) Worcester ss. At a Court of Probate begun & holden at Templeton (Seal) within and for the County of Worcester, in the Common- wealth of Massachusetts. The within written document which purports to be the Last Will and Testament of Jacob Witherell late of Barre in the County of Worcester deceased was presented for probate by Nehemiah Allen Jr. the executor therein named, then present Joseph Farrar one of the subscribing witnesses to said instrument, and also Doctr Walker, Joseph Bacon and Fuller Mills who severally swore that about the time of executing the said instrument and for a considerable length of time previous thereto they were well acquainted with the said Witherell and frequently visited him in his sickness and that at the time of executing the said instrument he was not in their opinion of sound mind and memory nor capable of disposing of his Estate and no evidence to the contrary being produced I do not approve of the said instrument as the last Will and Testament of said deceased. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of Office the 21st day of October Anno Dominic 1806. Nath'l Paine, JProbate Enter'd from the original pr Theophs Wheeler Reg. Repository: #R42 Repository: R42 David B Stearns 7830 Westview Drive Lakewood, Colorado 80214 David B Stearns Lakewood State: Colorado 80214

Source: S1940 Media: Census/Tax 1810 United States Federal Census, Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts Publication: Image Source: Year: 1810; Census Place: Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts; Roll: 22; Page: 786; Image: 169.00. 1810 United States Federal Census Name: Barnabas Sears Township: Barre County: Worcester State: Massachusetts Head of Household: 6 Males 0 thru 9: 4 Males 10 thru 15: 0 Males 16 thru 25: 0 Males 26 thru 44: 1 Males 45 and over: 0 Females 0 thru 9: 0 Females 10 thru 15: 0 Females 16 thru 25: 0 Females 26 thru 44: 1 Females 45 and over: 0 Other Free Persons: 0 Slaves: 0 Date: Neighbors: Jonthan Rice and Jonthan Rice Jr. (in alphabetical order)

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Source: S1950 Media: Census/Tax 1830 United States Federal Census, Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts Publication: Image Source: Year: 1830; Census Place: Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts; Roll: 68; Page: 573. 1830 United States Federal Census Name: Barnabas Sears Township: Barre County: Worcester State: Massachusetts Number of persons in household: 8 Males 10 thru 14: 1 Males 20 thru 29: 1 Males 50

thru 59: 1 Females 0 thru 4: 1 Females 5 thru 9: 1 Females 10 thru 14: 1 Females 40 thru 49: 1 Deaf and Dumb 14 to 25: 1 Neighbors: Sumner Sears

46. At the age of 23, Barnabas married **Abigail Witherell** on Tuesday, 21<sup>st</sup> October 1800, in Barre when she was 18 years old.<sup>[70]</sup> They had nine children.

Abigail was born in Barre on Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> February 1782. She reached 78 years of age and died in Hardwick on 4<sup>th</sup> December 1860.<sup>[71]</sup>

Children of Barnabas Sears and Abigail Witherell:

m I. **Ashbel<sup>5</sup> Sears** was born in Barre on 28<sup>th</sup> June 1801. He died in 1880 at the age of 78.

m II. **Sumner Sears** was born in Barre on 9<sup>th</sup> February 1804.<sup>[72, 73]</sup> He died in Barre on 18<sup>th</sup> May 1877, at the age of 73.<sup>[72, 73]</sup> Sumner was buried in Barre.<sup>[72]</sup>



Sumner

More facts and events for Sumner Sears:

Residence: 1840 Barre<sup>[74]</sup>

m III. **Enos Sears** was born in Barre on 24<sup>th</sup> June 1806. He died in 1876 at the age of 69.

m IV. **Alonzo Sears** was born in Barre on 28<sup>th</sup> January 1808.<sup>[75]</sup> He died in 1878 at the age of 69.<sup>[75]</sup>

More facts and events for Alonzo Sears:

Residence: 1850 Hardwick<sup>[75]</sup>

Residence: 1855 Petersham<sup>[75]</sup>

Residence: 1865 New Braintree<sup>[75]</sup>

Residence: 1870 Petersham<sup>[75]</sup>

f V. **Mary Sears** was born in Barre on 1<sup>st</sup> May 1810. She died on 19<sup>th</sup> April 1825, at the age of 14.

f VI. **Arethusa Sears** was born in Barre on 13<sup>th</sup> December 1816. She died in 1886 at the age of 69.

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<sup>70</sup> Dodd, Jordan, Liahona Research, comp, Massachusetts, Marriages, 1633-1850 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2005), Ancestry.com.

<sup>71</sup> "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Barnabas Sears-<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/tree/1042225/person/24444136584>.  
<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F7WF-24W>.

<sup>72</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

<sup>73</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

<sup>74</sup> Ancestry.com, 1840 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1840; Census Place: Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts; Roll: 199; Page: 137; Family History Library Film: 0014682.

<sup>75</sup> "Ancestry Family Tree", Record for Alonzo Sears-[https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/22543080/person/1256274628/facts tree of Aspired2Write](https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/22543080/person/1256274628/facts%20tree%20of%20Aspired2Write). <https://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1030&h=1256274628&indiv=try>.

m VII. **Barnabas Sears** was born in Barre on 12<sup>th</sup> August 1819.<sup>[71, 76, 77]</sup> He died in Tewksbury, Middlesex, on 8<sup>th</sup> December 1898, at the age of 79.<sup>[71]</sup>

More facts and events for Barnabas Sears:

Residence: 1830 Barre, Worcester<sup>[71]</sup>

Residence: 1870 Adams, Berkshire<sup>[71]</sup>

Residence: 1879 North Adams<sup>[71]</sup>

Residence: 1880 North Adams<sup>[71, 77]</sup>

Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head: Self

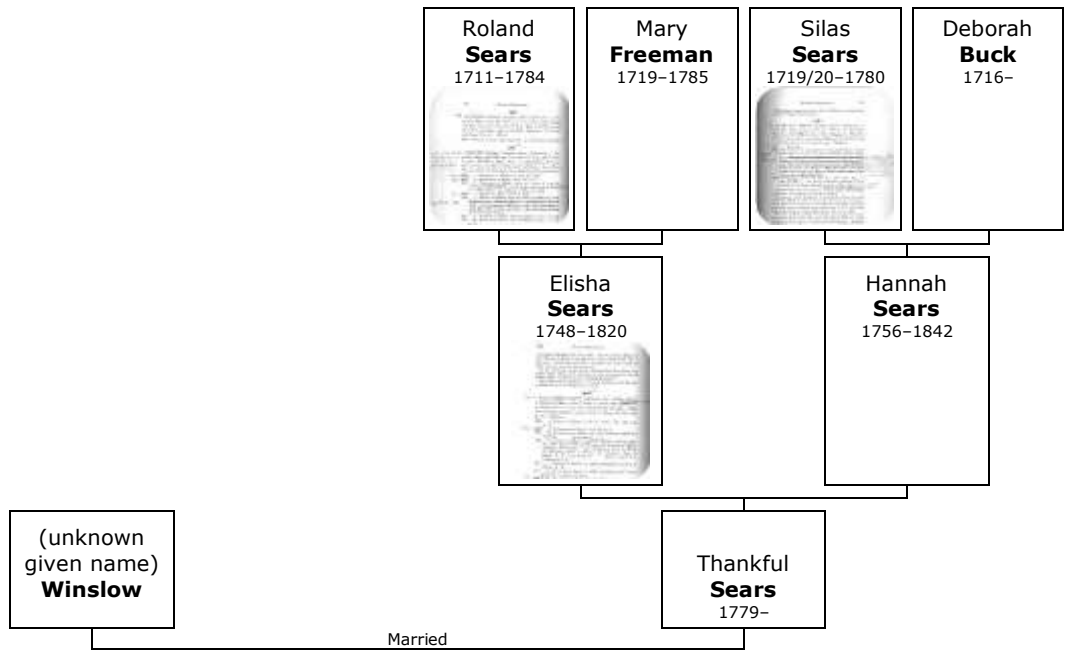
f VIII. **Abigail Sears** was born in perh, Hardwick, in 1821.

f IX. **Caroline H Sears** was born in Barre on 15<sup>th</sup> April 1831. She died in 1901 at the age of 69.

More figures:

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**Family of Thankful Sears and Winslow**



47. **Thankful<sup>4</sup> Sears** (*Sergt Elisha<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born in 1779 in Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Elisha Sears (29) and Hannah Sears (30).

!S P May No 851

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4869>

<sup>76</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

<sup>77</sup> 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: North Adams, Berkshire, Massachusetts; Roll: 521; Family History Film: 1254521; Page: 240D; Enumeration District: 053.

48. She married **(unknown given name) Winslow**.

**Lydia Sears**

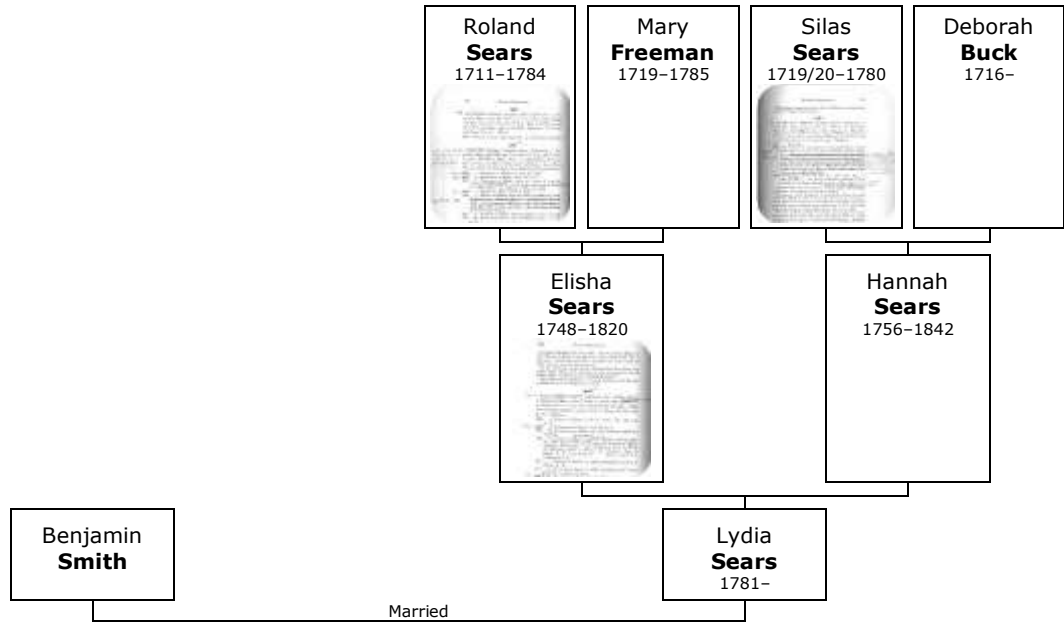
49. **Lydia<sup>4</sup> Sears** (*Sergt Elisha<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born in 1781 in Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Elisha Sears (29) and Hannah Sears (30).

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Marriages with Benjamin Smith and Asher Witherell (Page 71) are known.

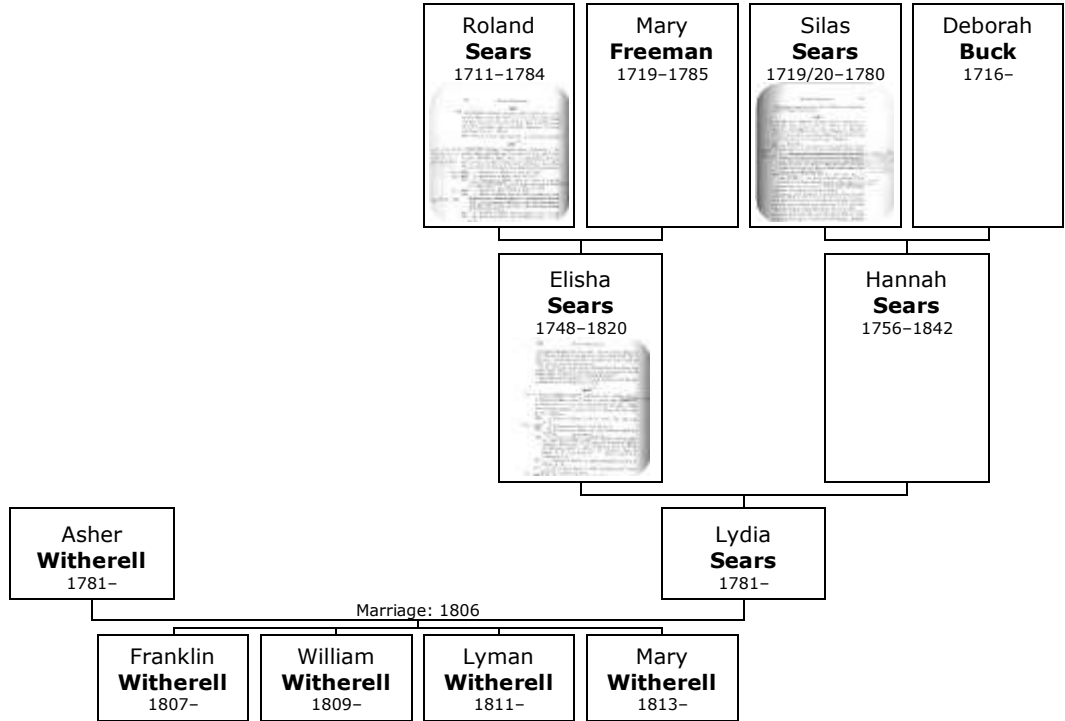
**Family of Lydia Sears and Benjamin Smith**



Here are the details about **Lydia Sears** first marriage, with Benjamin Smith. You can read more about Lydia on page 70.

50. Lydia Sears married **Benjamin Smith**.

## Family of Lydia Sears and Asher Witherell



Here are the details about **Lydia Sears** second marriage, with Asher Witherell. You can read more about Lydia on page 70.

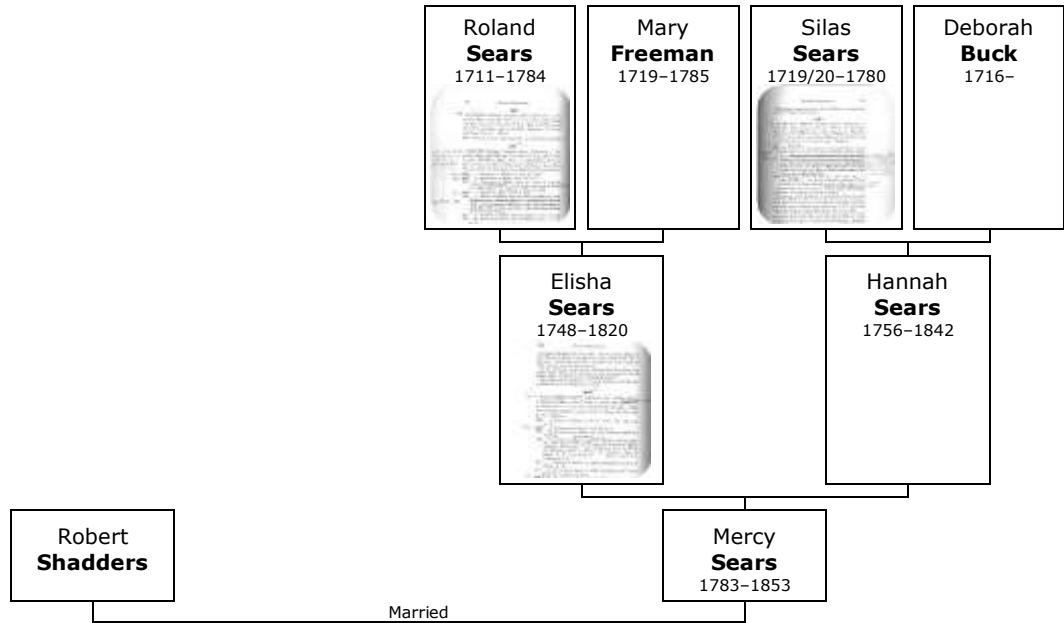
- 51.** Lydia Sears married **Asher Witherell** on Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> August 1806. They had four children.

Asher was born in perh, Barre, in 1781.

Children of Lydia Sears and Asher Witherell:

- m I. **Franklin<sup>5</sup> Witherell** was born in 1807.
- m II. **William Witherell** was born in 1809.
- m III. **Lyman Witherell** was born in Olean, Cattaraugus, New York, in 1811.
- f IV. **Mary Witherell** was born in Chatsworth, Livingston, Illinois, in 1813.

**Family of Mercy Sears and Robert Shadders**



**52. Mercy<sup>4</sup> Sears** (*Sergt Elisha<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born in 1783 in Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Elisha Sears (29) and Hannah Sears (30).

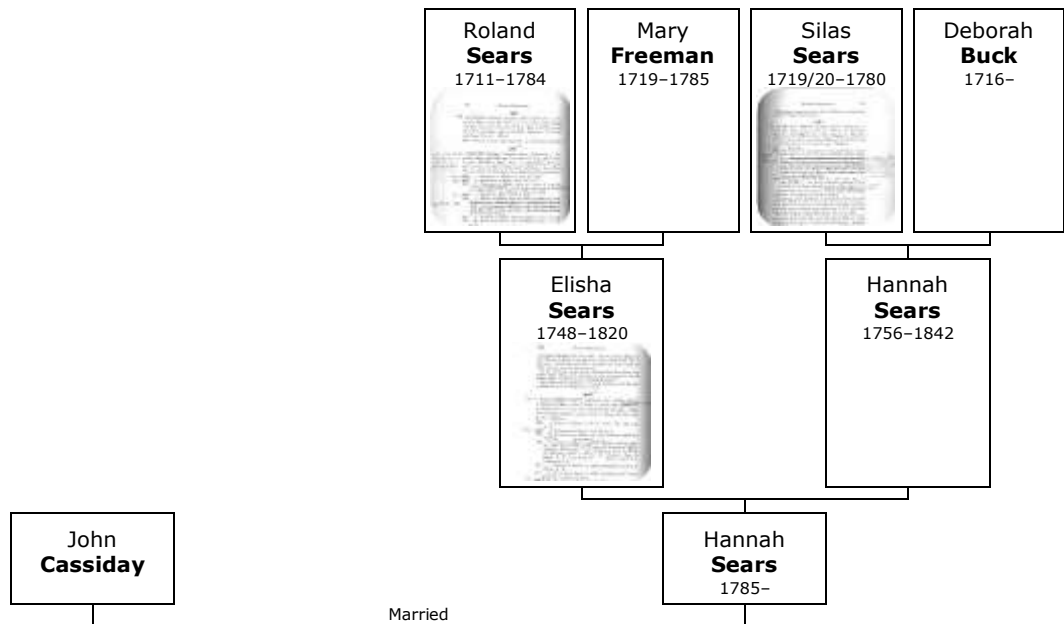
Mercy died in 1853 at the age of 70.

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<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4871>

**53.** She married **Robert Shadders**.

**Family of Hannah Sears and John Cassiday**





- 54. Hannah<sup>4</sup> Sears** (*Sergt Elisha<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born in 1785 in Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Elisha Sears (29) and Hannah Sears (30).

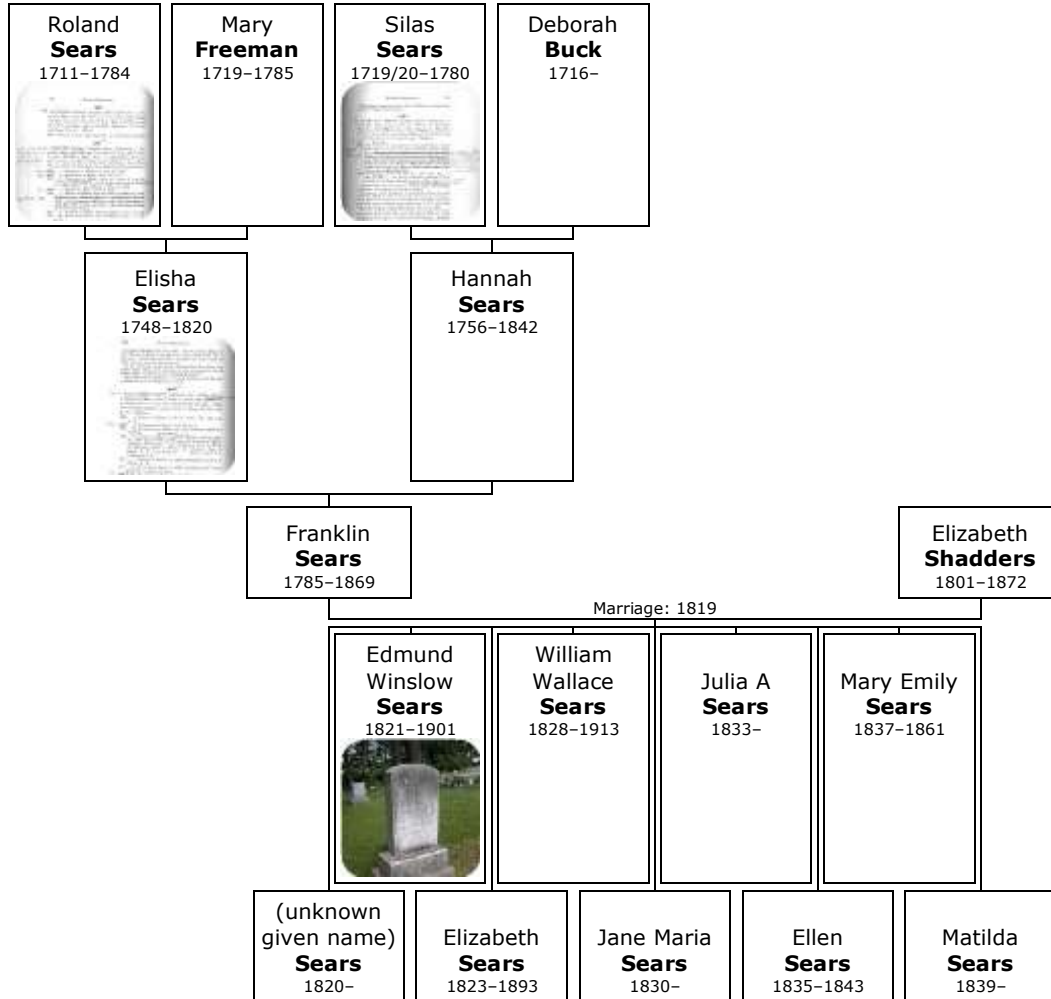
Hannah died in Albion, Orleans, New York.

!S.P. May p.186 (No 854) had 3 sons

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-4872>

- 55.** She married **John Cassidy**.

**Family of Franklin Sears and Elizabeth Shadders**



- 56. Franklin<sup>4</sup> Sears** (*Sergt Elisha<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Monday, 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1785, in Barre, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[78]</sup> He was the son of Elisha Sears (29) and Hannah Sears (30).

Franklin died in Leicester, Livingston, New York, on 4<sup>th</sup> January 1869, at the age of 83.<sup>[78]</sup> He was buried in Leicester.<sup>[78]</sup>

<sup>78</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-3201>  
S P May p 302

- 57.** At the age of 34, Franklin married **Elizabeth Shadders** on Thursday, 9<sup>th</sup> December 1819, in Groveland when she was 18 years old. They had nine children.

Elizabeth was born in Hagerstown, Washington, Maryland, on Thursday, 22<sup>nd</sup> January 1801. She reached 71 years of age and died in Moscow, New York, on 9<sup>th</sup> February 1872.

Children of Franklin Sears and Elizabeth Shadders:

f I. **(unknown given name)<sup>5</sup> Sears** was born in perh, Groveland, in 1820.

m II. **Edmund Winslow Sears** was born in Groveland on 9<sup>th</sup> October 1821.<sup>[78-83]</sup> He died in 1901 at the age of 79. Edmund Winslow was buried in Leicester.<sup>[78]</sup>



Edmund

More facts and events for Edmund Winslow Sears:

Residence: 1855	Leicester <sup>[81]</sup> Relation to Head of House: Head
Residence: 1865	Leicester <sup>[82]</sup> Relation to Head of House: Head
Census: 1870	Leicester
Residence: 1 <sup>st</sup> June 1875	Leicester <sup>[80]</sup> Relation to Head of House: Head
Residence: 1880	Moscow <sup>[83]</sup> Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head: Self
Residence: 1900	Leicester <sup>[79]</sup> Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head: Head

f III. **Elizabeth Sears** was born in Groveland in 1823. She died in 1893 at the age of 70.

m IV. **William Wallace Sears** was born at Short Tract, Alleghany, NY in Groveland on 21<sup>st</sup> April 1828. He died in Malden, Whitman, Washington, on 27<sup>th</sup> February 1913, at the age of 84.

f V. **Jane Maria Sears** was born in perh, Groveland, on 21<sup>st</sup> July 1830.

<sup>79</sup> Ancestry.com, 1900 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2004), Ancestry.com, Year: 1900; Census Place: Leicester, Livingston, New York; Roll: 1070; Page: 14B; Enumeration District: 0026; FHL microfilm: 1241070.

<sup>80</sup> Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1875 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

<sup>81</sup> Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

<sup>82</sup> Ancestry.com, New York, State Census, 1865 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

<sup>83</sup> 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: Moscow, Livingston, New York; Roll: 858; Family History Film: 1254858; Page: 130C; Enumeration District: 025.

- f VI. **Julia A Sears** was born in perh on 29<sup>th</sup> April 1833.
- f VII. **Ellen Sears** was born in perh on 26<sup>th</sup> October 1835. She died on 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1843, at the age of 7.
- f VIII. **Mary Emily Sears** was born in perh on 26<sup>th</sup> October 1837. She died in 1861 at the age of 23.
- f IX. **Matilda Sears** was born in perh in 1839.



Figure 33: SPM302

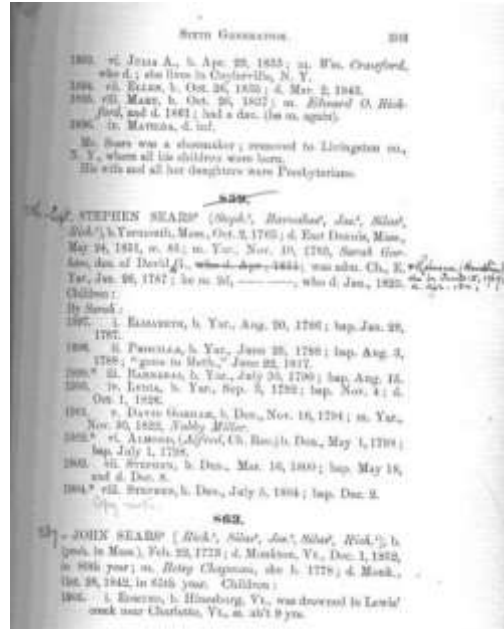
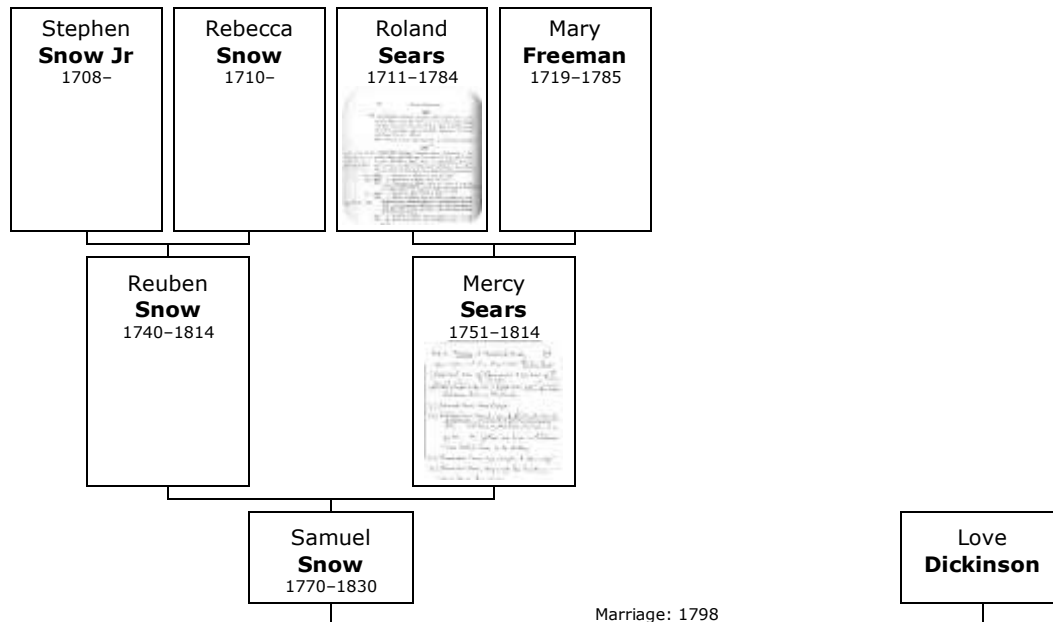


Figure 34: SPM303

**Family of Samuel Snow and Love Dickinson**



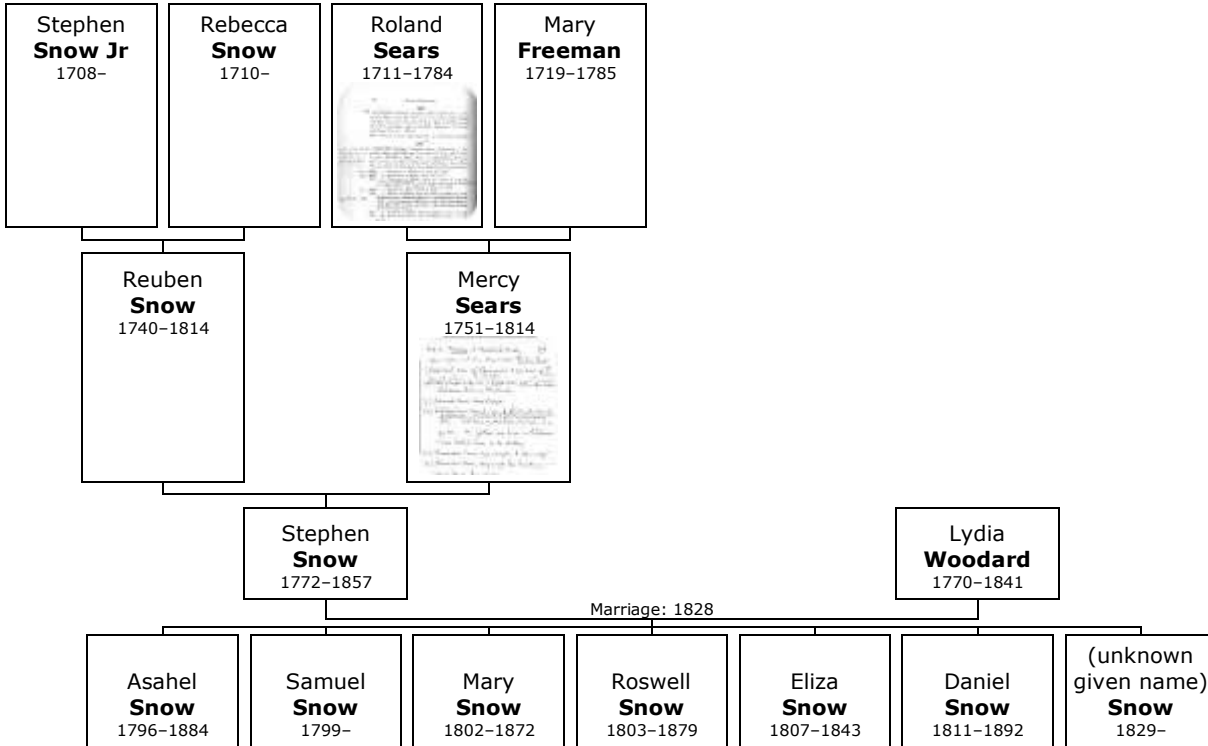
58. **Samuel<sup>4</sup> Snow** (*Mercy<sup>3</sup> Sears, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> May 1770, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. He was the son of Reuben Snow (32) and Mercy Sears (31).

Samuel died in Fredonia, Chautauqua, New York, on 30<sup>th</sup> June 1830, at the age of 60.

d. was 1823 Cory Randall      Submitter: James J. Kaufman      Jimmy Murray has d. date, place

59. Samuel married **Love Dickinson** on Thursday, 29<sup>th</sup> November 1798.

**Family of Stephen Snow and Lydia Woodard**



60. **Stephen<sup>4</sup> Snow** (*Mercy<sup>3</sup> Sears, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> May 1772, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. He was the son of Reuben Snow (32) and Mercy Sears (31).

Stephen died in Elyria, Lorain, Ohio, on 16<sup>th</sup> January 1857, at the age of 84.

!S.P. May hand note p.104 Rem to Va abt 1828. H.N. Snow of Durham, NC, is a gr-son. His father was born in Pelham and had brother born in S. Hadley.

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!Snow Family Bible shows d. 17 Jan 1857

!Cory Randall - birthplace

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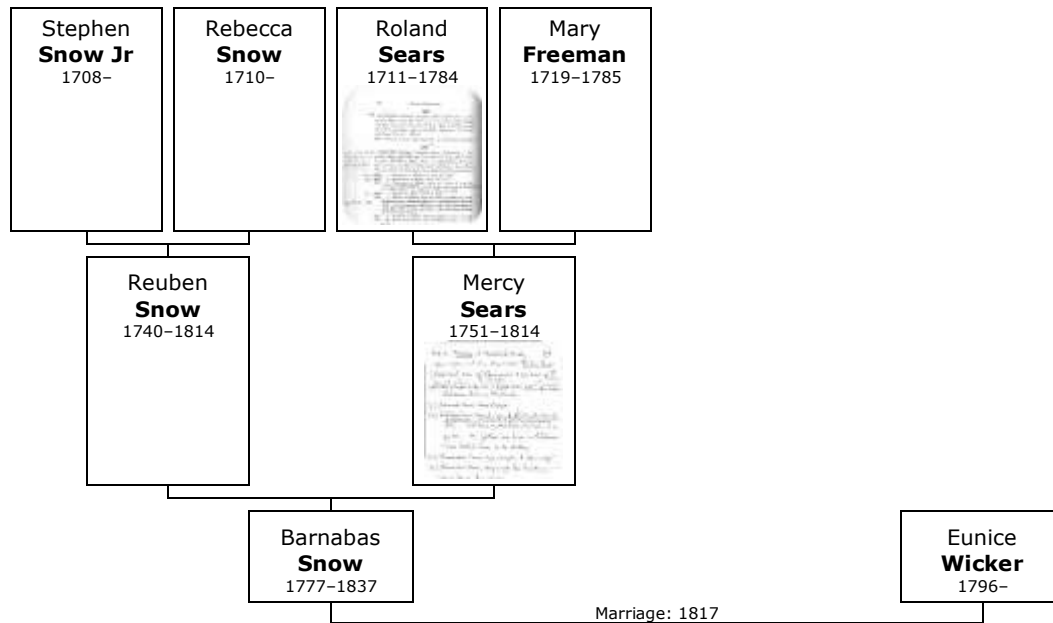
61. At the age of 55, Stephen married **Lydia Woodard** on Thursday, 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1828, when she was 57 years old. They had seven children.

Lydia was born in perh, South Hadley, Hampshire, Massachusetts, on Saturday, 13<sup>th</sup> October 1770. She reached 70 years of age and died in Ridgeville, Henry, Ohio, on 16<sup>th</sup> March 1841.

Children of Stephen Snow and Lydia Woodard:

- m I. **Asahel<sup>5</sup> Snow** was born in Massachusetts on 15<sup>th</sup> November 1796. He died on 2<sup>nd</sup> October 1884, at the age of 87.
- m II. **Samuel Snow** was born in South Hadley, Hampshire, Massachusetts, on 5<sup>th</sup> May 1799.
- f III. **Mary Snow** was born in Massachusetts on 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1802. She died in Virginia on 24<sup>th</sup> October 1872, at the age of 70.
- m IV. **Roswell Snow** was born in Pelham, Hampshire, Massachusetts, on 24<sup>th</sup> September 1803. He died in Elyria, Lorain, Ohio, on 11<sup>th</sup> July 1879, at the age of 75.
- f V. **Eliza Snow** was born in perh, Hardwick, Worcester, on 20<sup>th</sup> April 1807. She died on 16<sup>th</sup> August 1843, at the age of 36.
- m VI. **Daniel Snow** was born on 28<sup>th</sup> September 1811. He died in Ohio in April 1892 at the age of 80.
- f VII. **(unknown given name) Snow** was born in perh in 1829.

**Family of Barnabas Snow and Eunice Wicker**



**62. Barnabas<sup>4</sup> Snow** (*Mercy<sup>3</sup> Sears, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> May 1777, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. He was the son of Reuben Snow (32) and Mercy Sears (31).

Barnabas was christened on 8<sup>th</sup> June 1778. He died in Ware, Hampshire, on 4<sup>th</sup> February 1837, at the age of 59.

!Cory Randall -birthplace Snow Family Bible shows b. 11 May 1777

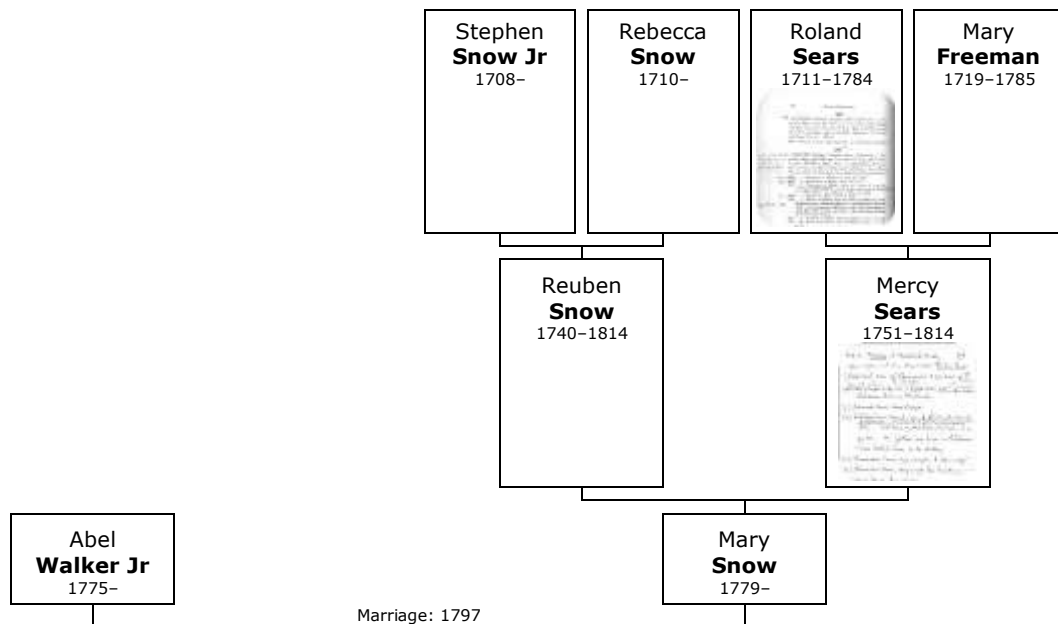
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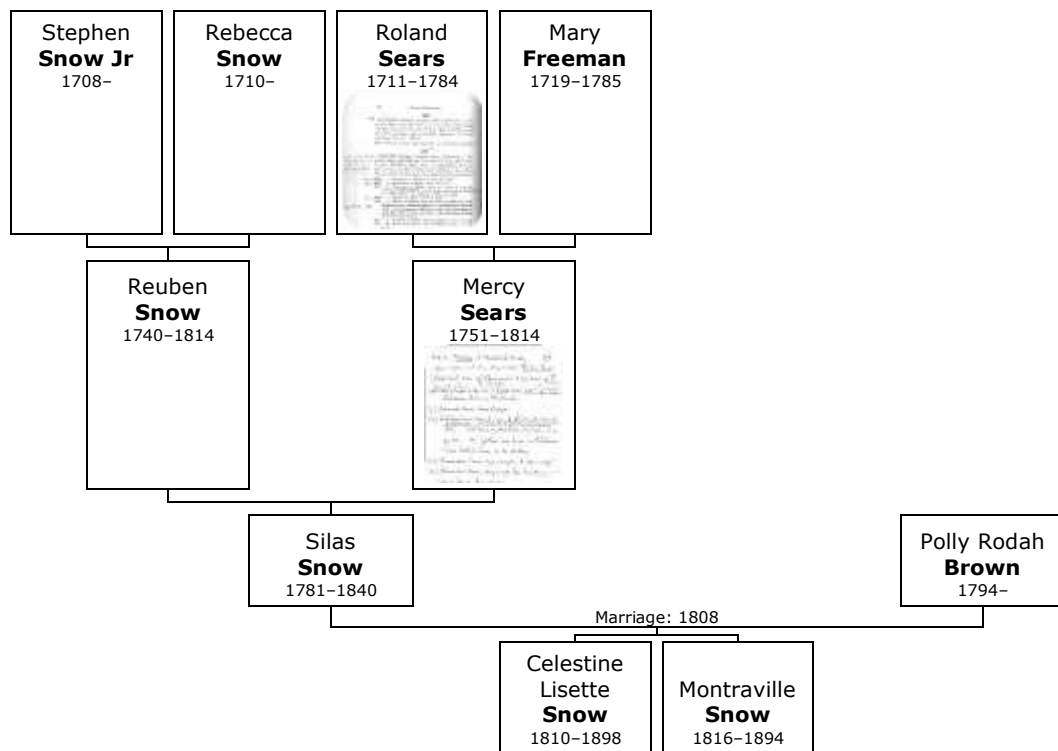
63. Barnabas married **Eunice Wicker** on Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> February 1817. Eunice was born in perh, Hardwick, Worcester, in 1796.

**Family of Mary Snow and Abel Walker**



64. **Mary<sup>4</sup> Snow** (*Mercy<sup>3</sup> Sears, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Sunday, 25<sup>th</sup> July 1779, in Hardwick, Worcester, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Reuben Snow (32) and Mercy Sears (31).  
Mary was christened on 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1779.  
Cory Randall- birthplace, baptism      Submitter: James J. Kaufman
65. Mary married **Abel Walker Jr** on Thursday, 26<sup>th</sup> January 1797. Abel was born in perh, Hardwick, in 1775.

### Family of Silas Snow and Polly Brown



- 66. Silas<sup>4</sup> Snow** (*Mercy<sup>3</sup> Sears, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> August 1781, in Ware, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. He was the son of Reuben Snow (32) and Mercy Sears (31).

Silas died in Ware on 14<sup>th</sup> December 1840, at the age of 59.

!Cory Randall - birth, death place; Salt Lake Temple Records #24606, Book 6L, pg 1110  
 Cory Randall- on Ancestry He lived in Stafford, Genesee Co., NY. His will and administration papers are there in the Probate Office. I have not found his grave, even on his farm.

Submitter: James J. Kaufman Jimmy Murray shows d. Stafford, NY

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!1820 United States Federal Census

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!1830 United States Federal Census

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!1840 United States Federal Census

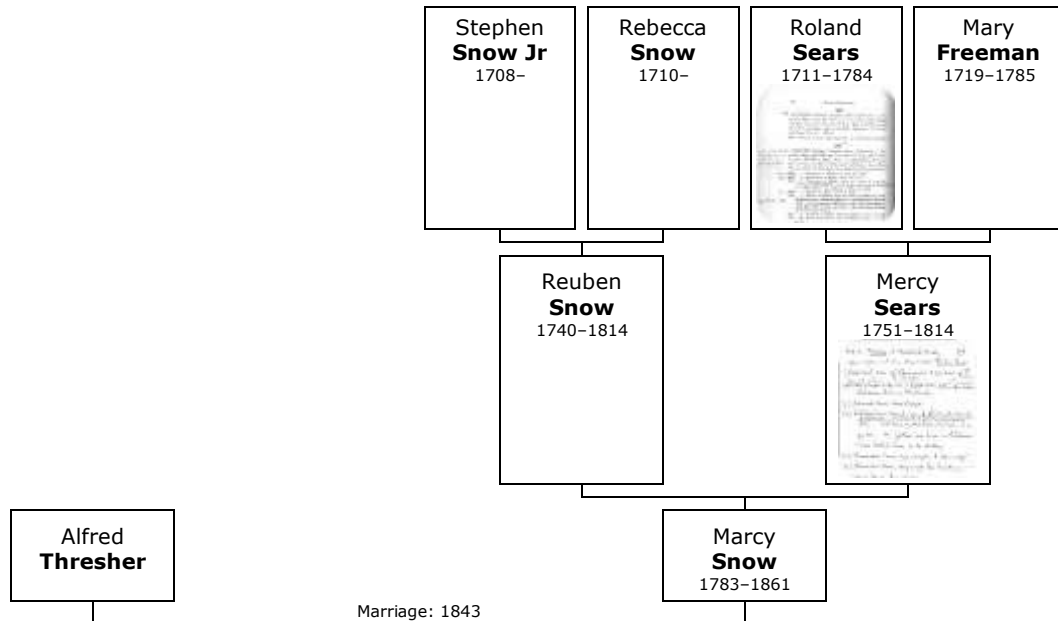
&lthttp://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=8057&gt Name: Silas Snow Township: Stafford County: Genesee State: New York

- 67. Silas** married **Polly Rodah Brown** on Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> April 1808. They had two children. Polly Rodah was born in perh, Stafford, Genesee, New York, in 1794.

Children of Silas Snow and Polly Rodah Brown:

- f I. **Celestine Lisette<sup>5</sup> Snow** was born in perh on 10<sup>th</sup> July 1810. She died on 30<sup>th</sup> January 1898, at the age of 87.
- m II. **Montraville Snow** was born in Stafford on 13<sup>th</sup> August 1816.<sup>[84, 85]</sup> He died in Paw Paw, Van Buren, Michigan, on 12<sup>th</sup> April 1894, at the age of 77.<sup>[84, 85]</sup> Montraville was buried in Paw Paw.<sup>[85]</sup>

**Family of Marcy Snow and Alfred Thresher**



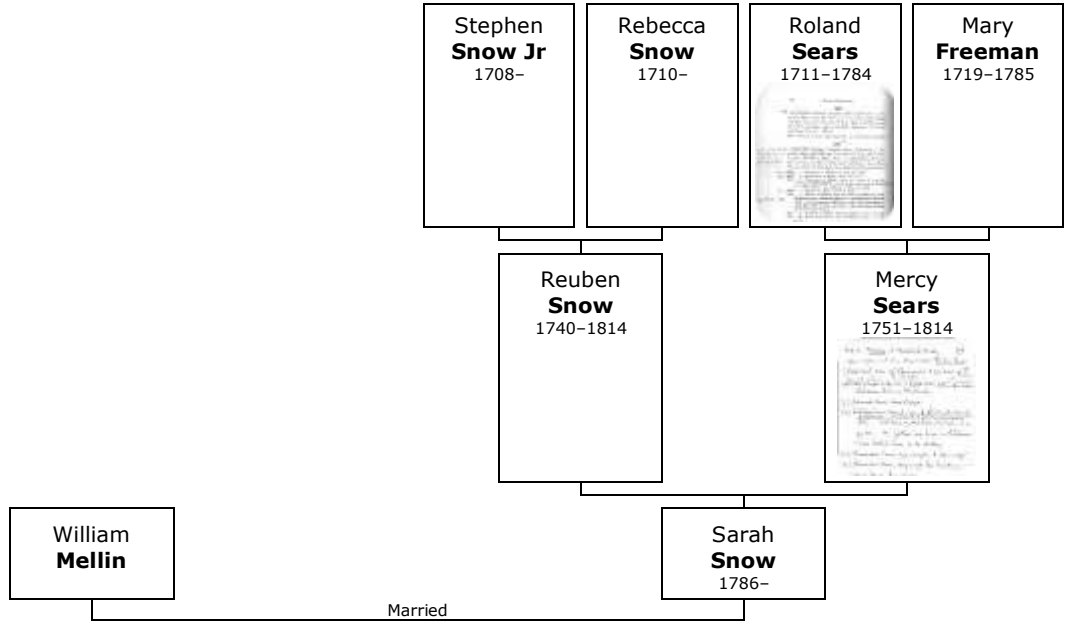
- 68. **Marcy<sup>4</sup> Snow** (*Mercy<sup>3</sup> Sears, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Thursday, 4<sup>th</sup> September 1783, in perh, Ware, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Reuben Snow (32) and Mercy Sears (31).  
 Marcy died on 7<sup>th</sup> April 1861, at the age of 77.  
 Submitter: James J. Kaufman Jimmy Murray d. date
- 69. Marcy married **Alfred Thresher** in 1843.

<sup>84</sup> 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.

<sup>85</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.



**Family of Sarah Snow and William Mellin**

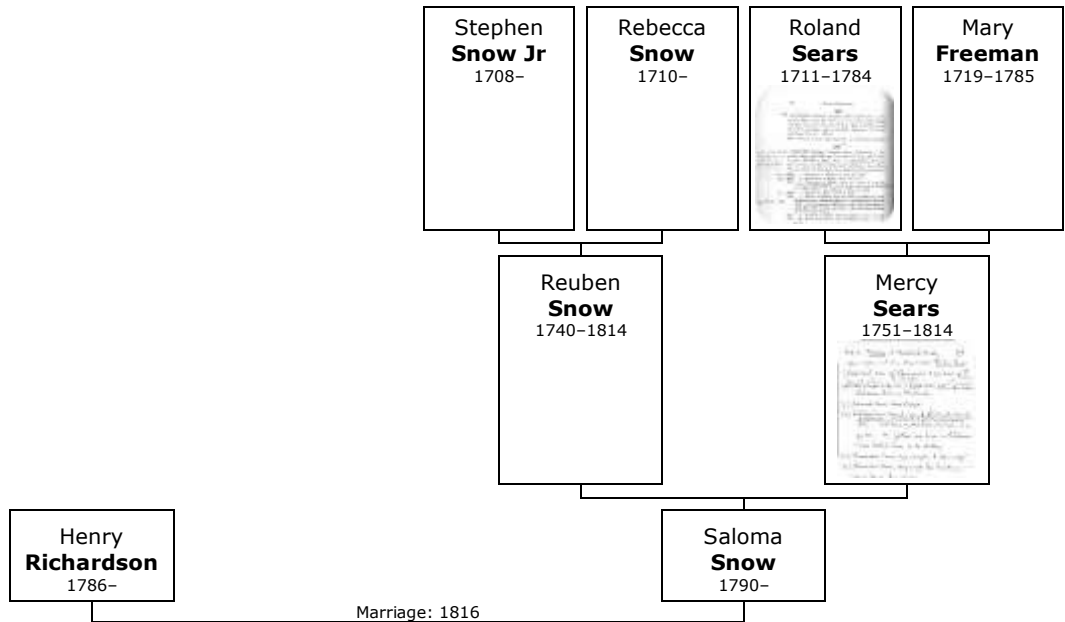


**70. Sarah<sup>4</sup> Snow** (*Mercy<sup>3</sup> Sears, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Saturday, 7<sup>th</sup> January 1786, in perh, Ware, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Reuben Snow (32) and Mercy Sears (31).

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**71.** She married **William Mellin**.

**Family of Saloma Snow and Henry Richardson**



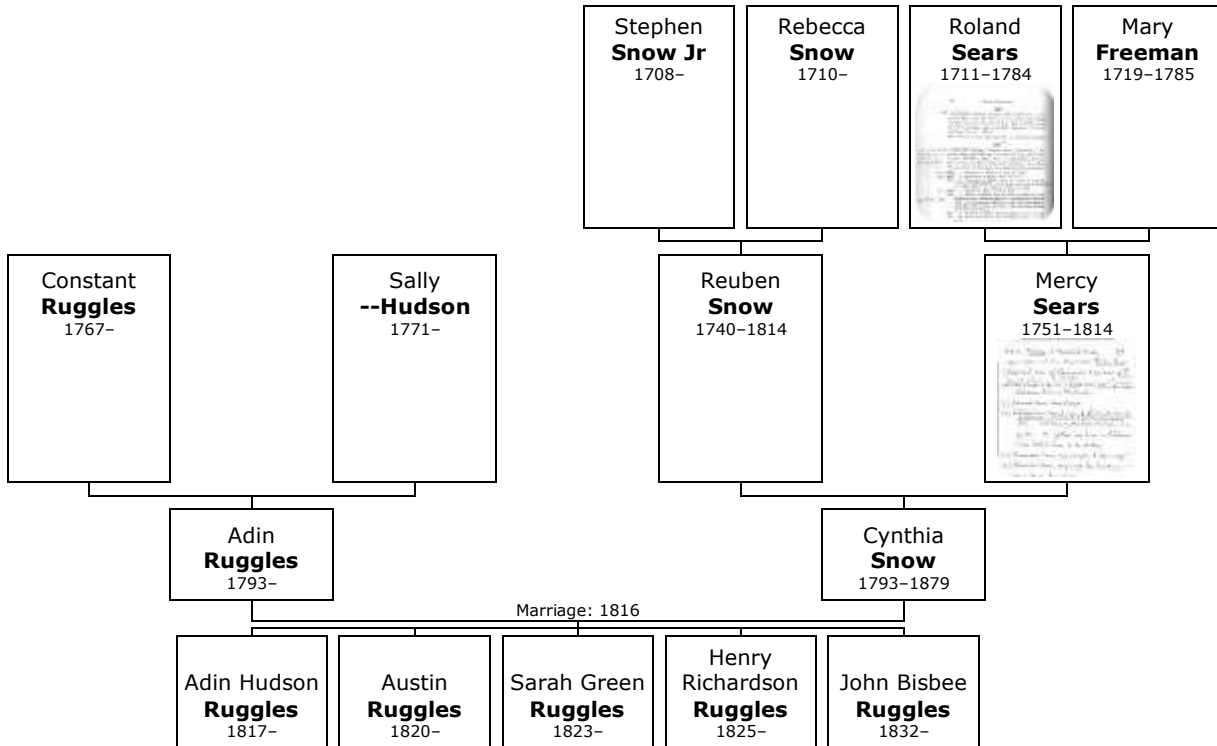
- 72. Saloma<sup>4</sup> Snow** (*Mercy<sup>3</sup> Sears, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Wednesday, 26<sup>th</sup> May 1790, in perh, Ware, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Reuben Snow (32) and Mercy Sears (31).

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- 73.** Saloma married **Lt Henry Richardson** on Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> June 1816, in Pelham. Henry was born in Pelham in 1786.

**Family of Cynthia Snow and Adin Ruggles**



- 74. Cynthia<sup>4</sup> Snow** (*Mercy<sup>3</sup> Sears, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Sunday, 16<sup>th</sup> June 1793, in perh, Ware, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Reuben Snow (32) and Mercy Sears (31).

Cynthia died in New York on 22<sup>nd</sup> October 1879, at the age of 86.

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Jimmy Murray shows d. 1870

- 75.** At the age of 22, Cynthia married **Adin Ruggles** on Thursday, 25<sup>th</sup> April 1816, in Pelham, Hampshire, Massachusetts, when he was 22 years old. They had five children. Adin was born in Hardwick, Worcester, on Thursday, 8<sup>th</sup> August 1793. He was the son of Constant Ruggles and Sally --Hudson.

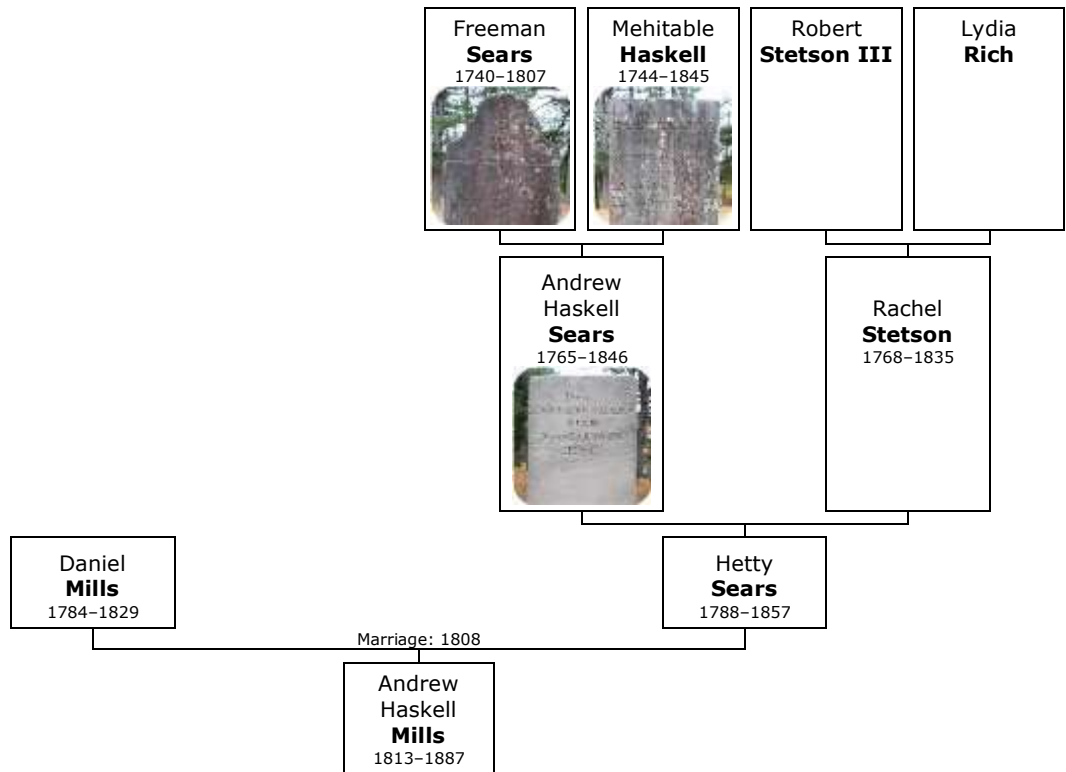
Children of Cynthia Snow and Adin Ruggles:

- m I. **Adin Hudson<sup>5</sup> Ruggles** was born on 20<sup>th</sup> October 1817.
- m II. **Austin Ruggles** was born in December 1820.
- f III. **Sarah Green Ruggles** was born in May 1823.
- m IV. **Henry Richardson Ruggles** was born on 19<sup>th</sup> September 1825.
- m V. **John Bisbee Ruggles** was born on 2<sup>nd</sup> July 1832.



## Nephews/nieces

### Family of Hetty Sears and Daniel Mills



- 76. Hetty<sup>5</sup> Sears** (*Dea. Andrew Haskell<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> February 1788, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[86-88]</sup> She was the daughter of Andrew Haskell Sears (5) and Rachel Stetson (6).

Hetty died in Hartford, Hartford, Connecticut, on 19<sup>th</sup> May 1857, at the age of 69.<sup>[86, 87]</sup>

S P May No 1864

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1879>

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

U.S., Newspaper Extractions from the Northeast, 1704-1930 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Hartford Times, 23 May 1857 - obituary for Hetty Daniels who died May 19, 1857. Call Number:486551.

<sup>86</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Newspaper Extractions from the Northeast, 1704-1930 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.  
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<sup>87</sup> Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Hale Cemetery Inscriptions and Newspaper Notices, 1629-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.  
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<sup>88</sup> 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]

77. Hetty married **Daniel Mills** in 1808. They had one son.

Daniel was born in 1784. He reached 45 years of age and died in 1829.

Son of Hetty Sears and Daniel Mills:

m I. **Andrew Haskell<sup>6</sup> Mills** was born in 1813. He died in 1887 at the age of 74.

NAME	DATE	LOCATION	AGE	SEX
Wright, LORAIN (Mrs.)	1829	Wife of Stephen	45	F
Wright, Mary (Mrs.)	1829	Wife of Samuel S.	45	F
Wright, John S.	1829	Wife of Samuel S.	45	M
Wright, Sarah S.	1829	Wife of Samuel S.	45	F
Wright, Elizabeth (Mrs.)	1829	Wife of Stephen	45	F
Wright, Charles (Mrs.)	1829	Wife of John	45	F
Wright, Julia	1829	Wife of John	45	F
Wright, Mary S.	1829	Wife of John	45	F
Wright, Francis Weston	1829	Wife of John	45	M
Wright, Maria Jane	1829	Wife of John	45	F

Figure 35: Connecticut, Hale Cemetery Inscriptions and Newspaper Notices, 1629-1934

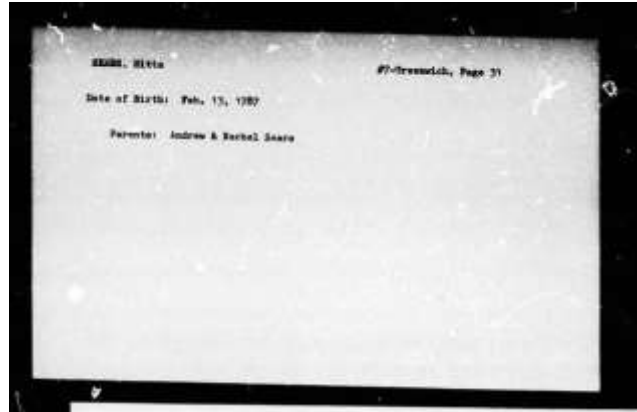


Figure 36: Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988

NAME	DATE	LOCATION	AGE	SEX
Wright, LORAIN (Mrs.)	1829	Wife of Stephen	45	F
Wright, Mary (Mrs.)	1829	Wife of Samuel S.	45	F
Wright, John S.	1829	Wife of Samuel S.	45	M
Wright, Sarah S.	1829	Wife of Samuel S.	45	F
Wright, Elizabeth (Mrs.)	1829	Wife of Stephen	45	F
Wright, Charles (Mrs.)	1829	Wife of John	45	F
Wright, Julia	1829	Wife of John	45	F
Wright, Mary S.	1829	Wife of John	45	F
Wright, Francis Weston	1829	Wife of John	45	M
Wright, Maria Jane	1829	Wife of John	45	F

Figure 37: U.S., Newspaper Extractions from the Northeast, 1704-1930

**Calvin Sears**

**78. Calvin<sup>5</sup> Sears** (*Dea. Andrew Haskell<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> October 1789, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[89-92]</sup> He was the son of Andrew Haskell Sears (5) and Rachel Stetson (6).

Calvin died in Hartford, Connecticut, in October 1869 at the age of 79.<sup>[89-91]</sup> He was buried in Ware, Hampshire, Massachusetts.<sup>[89]</sup>

!S.P. May No 1865 p.450 Kept a hotel in Hartford, CT

1860 census - inn keeper

Springfield Families by Thomas B Warren Vol III P-Z Copied by Mercy Warren Chapter Springfield, Mass 1934-35 Calvin Sears m 7 May 1813 Martha Chapman of Longmeadow

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Marriages with Relief Sears and Martha Chapman (Page 89) are known.

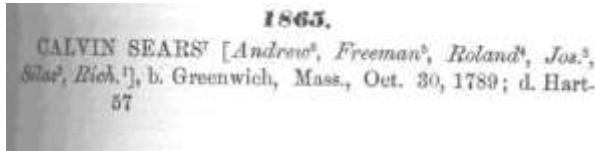


Figure 38: SPM449E

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SEARS GENEALOGY.

ford, Ct., Oct., 1869, a. 79; m. *Martha Chapman* (or *Chapin*) of Springfield, Mass., who d. Weathersfield, Ct.; 3d, *Relief Sears*, No. 1859, dau. of Roland S., she b. Greenwich, Mar., 1799; d. Hartford, Nov., 1877, a. 78. Children:

By *Martha* :

3215. i. RACHEL F., m. *Samuel Holt* of Hartford; child, HOLT: [1.] Russell S.; lives in H.

3216. ii. HEZEKIAH K., m. Windsor, Ct., *Julia O. Halsey*, and d. Hartford, a. 48.

By *Relief* :

3217. iii. MARTHA A., b. Nov. 10, 1832; grad. Hartford High School, 1849; m. Hartford, Nov., 1852, *Benj. Haskell*, he b. New Salem, Mass., Oct., 1828, of firm Haskell & Fowler, Atchison, Kans.; child, HASKELL: [1.] Kate L., b. Sep. 26, 1857; m. Sep., 1881, Chas. S. Osborn, he b. St. Louis, Mo., Sep. 6, 1850; lives in Atchison.

3218. iv. CALVIN F. H., b. Hartford, Jan., 1835; m. there, *Eliza A. Johnson*, and lives there.

Kept a hotel in Hartford, Ct.

Figure 39: SPM450A

<sup>89</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

<sup>90</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Federal Census Mortality Schedules Index, 1850-1880 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 1999), Ancestry.com.

<sup>91</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S. Federal Census Mortality Schedules, 1850-1885 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, The Connecticut State Library; Hartford, Connecticut; Nonpopulation Federal Census Schedules, Mortality, 1850-1885; Census Year: 1869; Census Place: Hartford, Connecticut; Page: 3. [Source citation includes one media item]

<sup>92</sup> 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]

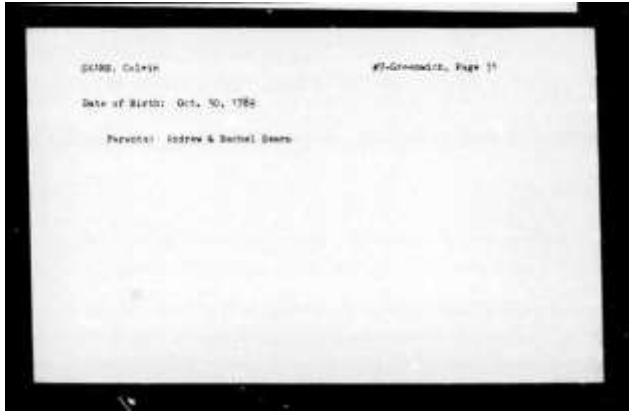
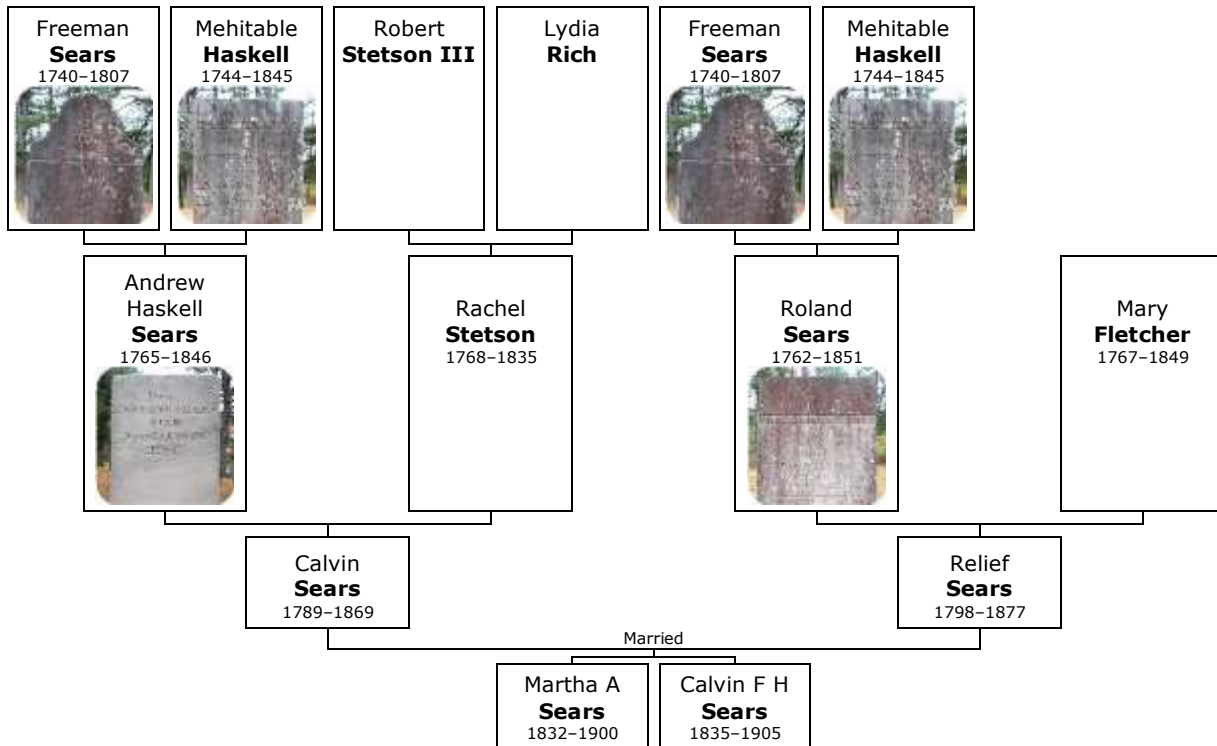


Figure 40: Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988



Figure 41: U.S. Federal Census Mortality Schedules, 1850-1885

**Family of Calvin Sears and Relief Sears**



Here are the details about **Calvin Sears** first marriage, with Relief Sears. You can read more about Calvin on page 87.

**79.** Calvin Sears married **Relief Sears**. They had two children.



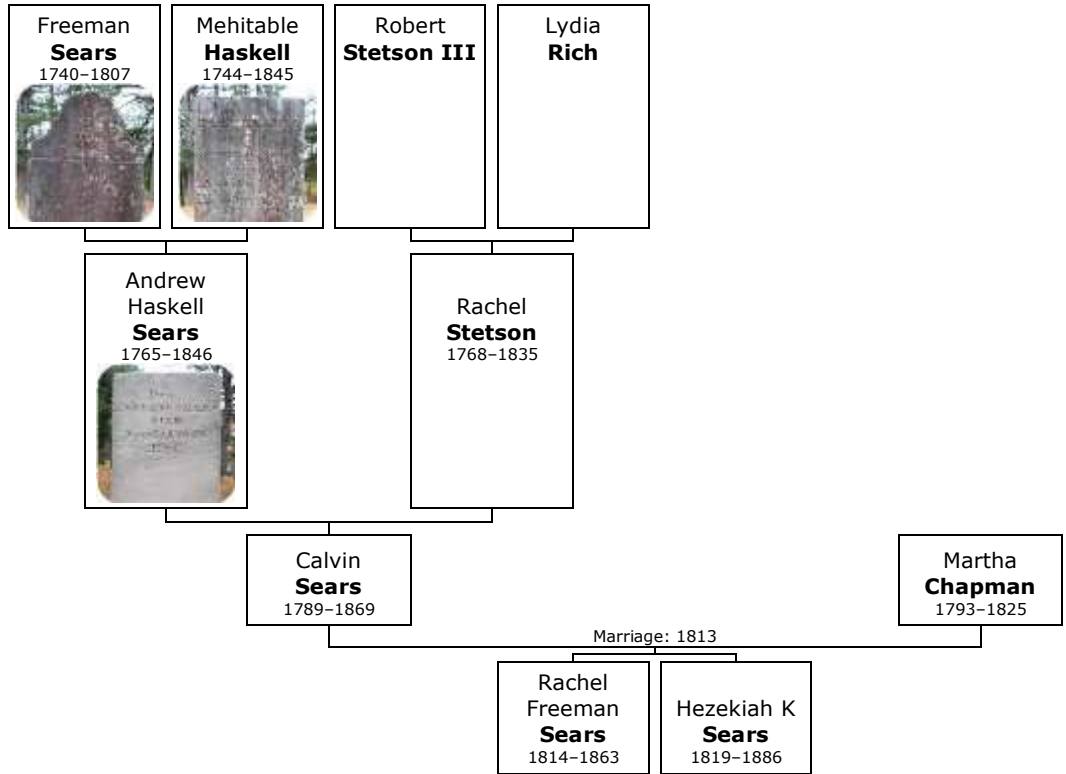
Relief was born in Greenwich on Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1798. She was the daughter of Roland Sears (1) and Mary Fletcher (2).

Relief reached 79 years of age and died in November 1877.

Children of Calvin Sears and Relief Sears:

- + 121 f I. **Martha A<sup>6</sup> Sears** was born in perh, Hartford, Connecticut, on 10<sup>th</sup> November 1832.<sup>[89, 93]</sup> She died in perh, Kansas, in 1900 at the age of 67.<sup>[89]</sup>
- + 123 m II. **Calvin F H Sears** was born in Hartford in January 1835. He died in 1905 at the age of 70.

**Family of Calvin Sears and Martha Chapman**



Here are the details about **Calvin Sears** second marriage, with Martha Chapman. You can read more about Calvin on page 87.

**80.** Calvin Sears married **Martha Chapman** on Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> May 1813. They had two children.

Martha was born in Springfield, Hampden, in 1793.<sup>[89]</sup> She reached 32 years of age and died in Wethersfield, Hartford, Connecticut, on 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1825.<sup>[89]</sup> Martha was buried in Wethersfield.<sup>[89]</sup>

Children of Calvin Sears and Martha Chapman:

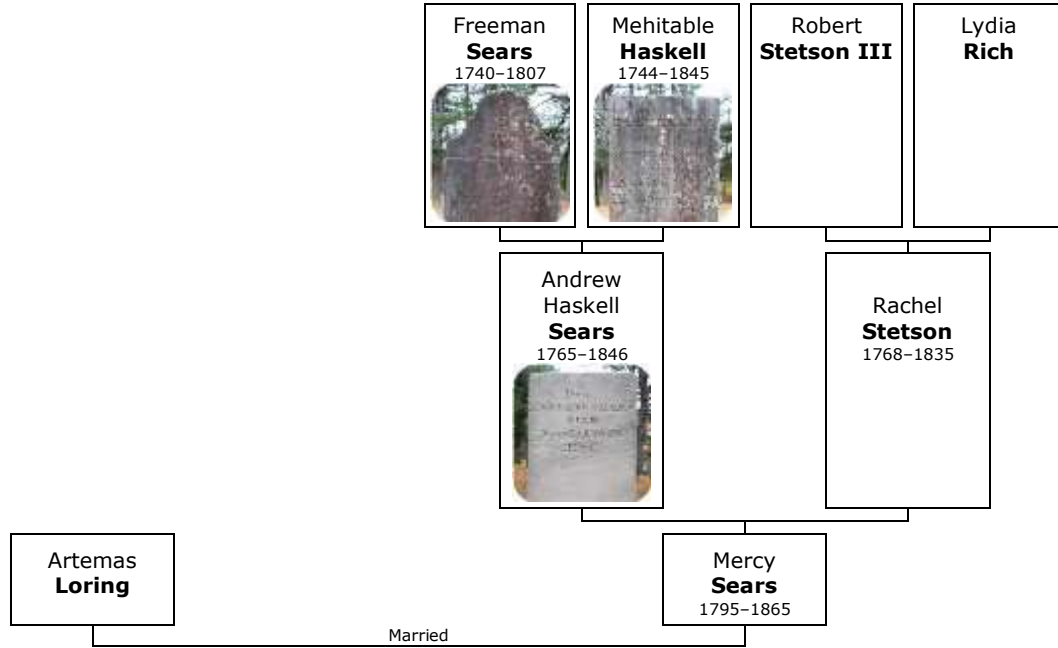
- f I. **Rachel Freeman<sup>6</sup> Sears** was born in Springfield, Hampden, Massachusetts, on 10<sup>th</sup> February 1814.<sup>[89, 94, 95]</sup> She died in Poquonock,

<sup>93</sup> 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: Atchison City, Atchison, Kansas; Roll: 372; Family History Film: 1254372; Page: 247C; Enumeration District: 001; Image: 0499.

Hartford, Connecticut, on 16<sup>th</sup> August 1863, at the age of 49.<sup>[89, 94, 95]</sup>  
 Rachel Freeman was buried in Windsor.<sup>[89]</sup>

m II. **Hezekiah K Sears** was born in Connecticut in 1819.<sup>[96]</sup> His estate was probated in 1860 in Hartford.<sup>[97]</sup> He died in Hartford, Connecticut, on 21<sup>st</sup> March 1886, at the age of 67.<sup>[96, 97]</sup>

**Family of Mercy Sears and Artemas Loring**



81. **Mercy<sup>5</sup> Sears** (*Dea. Andrew Haskell<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> October 1795, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Andrew Haskell Sears (5) and Rachel Stetson (6).

Mercy died in Petersham, Worcester, in 1865 at the age of 69.

S P May No 1867 b., m. Artemas Loring of Petersham, Mass., a farmer and d. there

<https://www.wikitree.com/index.php?title=Sears-6078>

82. She married **Artemas Loring**.

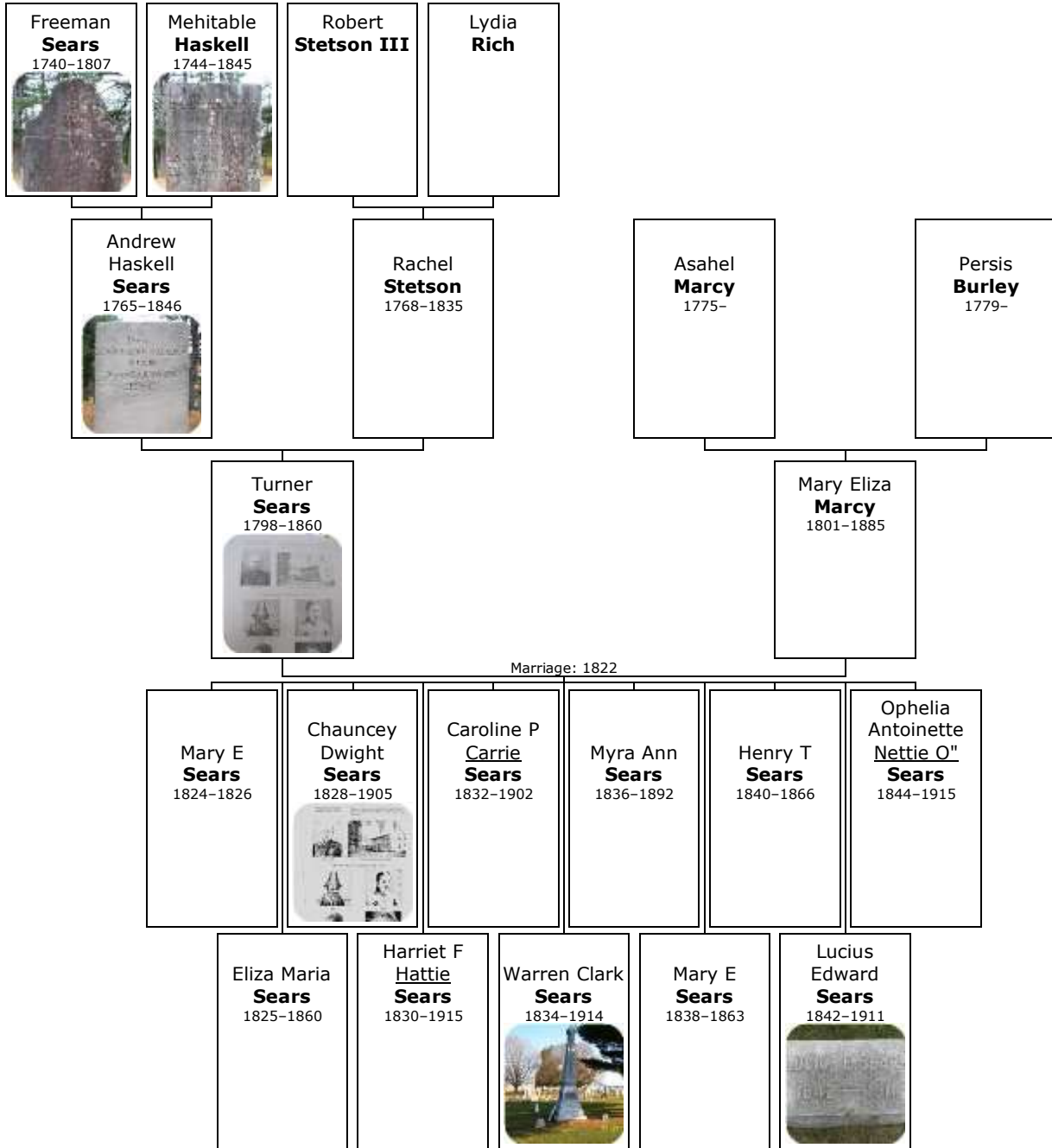
<sup>94</sup> Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Hale Cemetery Inscriptions and Newspaper Notices, 1629-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

<sup>95</sup> Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Deaths and Burials Index, 1650-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

<sup>96</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Sons of the American Revolution Membership Applications, 1889-1970 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com, Volume: 312.

<sup>97</sup> 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.

**Family of Turner Sears and Mary Marcy**



- 83. Turner<sup>5</sup> Sears** (*Dea. Andrew Haskell<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Wednesday, 4<sup>th</sup> April 1798, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[98-102]</sup> He was the son of Andrew Haskell Sears (5) and Rachel Stetson (6).



Turner Sears

Turner died in Greenwich on 14<sup>th</sup> September 1860, at the age of 62.<sup>[98, 99]</sup> He was buried in Ware.<sup>[99]</sup>

!S.P. May p.451 No 1868 Turner Sears was a farmer, and a very worthy Christian man.

<https://web.archive.org/web/20060515075001/http://www.walthowe.com/genealogy/gp949.html> shows m. Woodstock, VT accessed 20 Sep 2020- clearly some confusion of Woodstocks- this page also says spouse Mary was born Woodstock, Mass?

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1891>

Find A Grave, Inc., Find A Grave, digital images, Record for Turner Sears. Find A Grave Memorial# 132103089. Maintained by: James Bianco. Originally Created by: Nick Francischelli. Record added: Jun 30, 2014. [Link]

More facts and events for Turner Sears:

Residence: 1850 Greenwich<sup>[100]</sup>

Residence: 1855 Greenwich<sup>[101]</sup>

Residence: 1860 Greenwich<sup>[102]</sup>

- 84.** At the age of 23, Turner married **Mary Eliza Marcy** on Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> March 1822, in Woodstock, Windham, Connecticut, when she was 20 years old. They had eleven children.

Mary Eliza was born in Woodstock on Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> March 1801. She was the daughter of Asahel Marcy and Persis Burley.

Mary Eliza reached 84 years of age and died in Lansing, Ingham, Michigan, on 24<sup>th</sup> November 1885.

Children of Turner Sears and Mary Eliza Marcy:

- f I. **Mary E<sup>6</sup> Sears** was born in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, on 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1824. She died in Greenwich on 12<sup>th</sup> February 1826, at the age of 1.

<sup>98</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.  
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<sup>99</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

<sup>100</sup> Ancestry.com, 1850 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1850; Census Place: Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts; Roll: M432\_321; Page: 359B; Image: 238.  
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<sup>101</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, State Census, 1855 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.  
[Source citation includes one media item]

<sup>102</sup> Ancestry.com, 1860 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1860; Census Place: Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts; Roll: M653\_505; Page: 16; Image: 20; Family History Library Film: 803505.  
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- f V. **Caroline P Carrie Sears** was born in Greenwich on 19<sup>th</sup> July 1832.<sup>[111, 112]</sup> She died in Lansing in 1902 at the age of 69.<sup>[111]</sup>

More facts and events for Caroline P Carrie Sears:

Residence: 1910 Ward 4, Lansing<sup>[112]</sup>  
 Marital Status: Widowed; Relation to Head of House: Mother-in-law

- m VI. **Warren Clark Sears** was born in Greenwich on 1<sup>st</sup> August 1834.<sup>[98, 99, 113-115]</sup> He died in Coffey, Daviess, Missouri, on 20<sup>th</sup> April 1914, at the age of 79.<sup>[99]</sup> Warren Clark was buried in Amboy, Lee, Illinois.<sup>[99]</sup>



Warren

More facts and events for Warren Clark Sears:

Residence: 1<sup>st</sup> July 1863 Lee<sup>[115]</sup>  
 Marital Status: Married  
 Residence: 1880 Burlington, Coffey, Kansas<sup>[114]</sup>  
 Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Self  
 Residence: 1910 Ward 1, Burlington<sup>[113]</sup>  
 Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Head

- f VII. **Myra Ann Sears** was born in Greenwich on 17<sup>th</sup> July 1836.<sup>[101]</sup> She died in Middlesex, England, on 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1892, at the age of 55.

More facts and events for Myra Ann Sears:

Residence: 1855 Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA<sup>[101]</sup>

- f VIII. **Mary E Sears** was born in Greenwich on 31<sup>st</sup> March 1838. She died in Amboy, Lee, Illinois, on 8<sup>th</sup> May 1863, at the age of 25.

- m IX. **Henry T Sears** was born in Greenwich on 23<sup>rd</sup> February 1840.<sup>[98, 101, 102]</sup> He died in Amboy, Lee, Illinois, on 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1866, at the age of 26.

More facts and events for Henry T Sears:

Residence: 1855 Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts<sup>[101]</sup>

<sup>111</sup> Ancestry.com, Michigan, Death Records, 1867-1950 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2015), Ancestry.com.

<sup>112</sup> Ancestry.com, 1910 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2006), Ancestry.com, Year: 1910; Census Place: Lansing Ward 4, Ingham, Michigan; Roll: T624\_651; Page: 12A; Enumeration District: 0067; FHL microfilm: 1374664.

<sup>113</sup> Ancestry.com, 1910 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2006), Ancestry.com, Year: 1910; Census Place: Burlington Ward 1, Coffey, Kansas; Roll: T624\_435; Page: 4B; Enumeration District: 0010; FHL microfilm: 1374448.

<sup>114</sup> 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: Burlington, Coffey, Kansas; Roll: 377; Family History Film: 1254377; Page: 335C; Enumeration District: 043; Image: 0216.

<sup>115</sup> 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 Marsh.

Residence: 1860 Greenwich<sup>[102]</sup>

- m X. **Lucius Edward Sears** was born in Greenwich on 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1842.<sup>[99, 110-112, 116-117]</sup> He died in Lansing on 6<sup>th</sup> June 1911, at the age of 69.<sup>[99, 111, 117]</sup> Lucius Edward was buried in Lansing.<sup>[99]</sup>



Lucius

More facts and events for Lucius Edward Sears:

Residence: 1880 Lansing<sup>[116]</sup>

Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Self

Residence: 1910 Ward 4, Lansing<sup>[112]</sup>

Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Head

- f XI. **Ophelia Antoinette Nettie O" Sears** was born in Greenwich on 8<sup>th</sup> May 1844.<sup>[118]</sup> She died in Athol in 1915 at the age of 70.<sup>[119]</sup>

More facts and events for Ophelia Antoinette Nettie O" Sears:

Residence: 1880 Athol<sup>[118]</sup>

Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Wife

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<sup>116</sup> 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: Lansing, Ingham, Michigan; Roll: 583; Family History Film: 1254583; Page: 372A; Enumeration District: 130; Image: 0090.

<sup>117</sup> 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: 30000008533600; Roll Number: 155; Certificate Number: 177.

<sup>118</sup> 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: Athol, Worcester, Massachusetts; Roll: 564; Family History Film: 1254564; Page: 230A; Enumeration District: 839; Image: 0461.

<sup>119</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

1868.

TURNER SEARS<sup>1</sup> [*Andros<sup>2</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>4</sup>, Jos<sup>5</sup>, Silas<sup>6</sup>, Rich<sup>7</sup>*], b. Greenwich, Mass., Apr. 4, 1797; d. there, Sep. 14, 1860, m. 63; m. Woodstock, Ct., Mar. 6, 1822, *Mary Eliza Marcy*, dau. of Asabel and Persis (Burley) M., she b. there, Mar. 9, 1801; d. Nov. 24, 1885. Children:

- 3219. i. MARY E., b. Greenwich, July 22, 1824; scalded to death, Feb. 12, 1826.
- 3220. ii. ELIZA MANTA, b. Green., Dec. 10, 1825; m. Nov. 17, 1855, *Jas. F. Powers*, and d. Amboy, Ill., Apr. 9, 1860.
- 3221.\* iii. CHAUNCEY D., b. Green., June 4, 1828.
- 3222. iv. HATTIE F., b. Green., Feb. 2, 1850; m. Aug. 22, 1852, *Oliver Keith* of Prescott, Mass., a farmer, and lives in Lansing, Mich.
- 3223. v. CAROLINE P., b. Green., July 19, 1832; m. May 20, 1856, *Oscar Clark*, a lumber dealer in No. Lansing, Mich.
- 3224.\* vi. WARREN CLARK, b. Green., Aug. 1, 1834.
- 3225. vii. MYRA A., b. Green., July 17, 1836; m. June 5, 1857, *Charles J. Mattheus*, a cabinet maker, and lives in Bayswater, London, Eng.
- 3226. viii. MARY E., b. Green., Mar. 31, 1838; a music teacher; d. Amboy, Ill., May 8, 1863.

Figure 42: SPM450B

A handwritten death record for Turner Sears, dated September 14, 1860. The record is written on a pre-printed form with columns for name, age, sex, color, and cause of death. The text is written in cursive and matches the biographical information provided in Figure 42.

Figure 44: Turner Sears death record

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3227. ix. HENRY T., b. Green., Feb. 23, 1840; m. May 5, 1863, *Mary A. Parker*; was a farmer, and d. Amboy, Ill., Oct. 3, 1866; his widow returned to Greenwich.

3228.\* x. LUCIEN E., b. Green., Mar. 22, 1842.

3229. xi. OPHELIA A., b. Green., May 8, 1844; m. Dec. 2, 1863, *Sylvester S. Cleveland*, a farmer, and lives in Athol, Mass.

Mr. Sears was a farmer, and a very worthy Christian man.

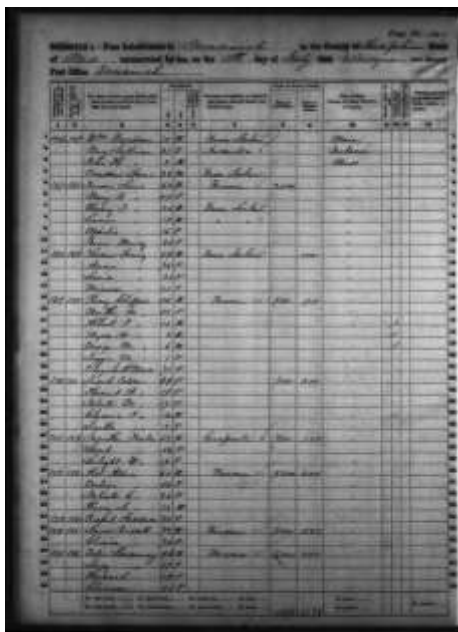
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Figure 43: SPM451A

A page from the 1850 United States Federal Census, showing a list of individuals with columns for name, age, sex, color, and occupation. The handwriting is in cursive and matches the names and dates mentioned in the other figures.

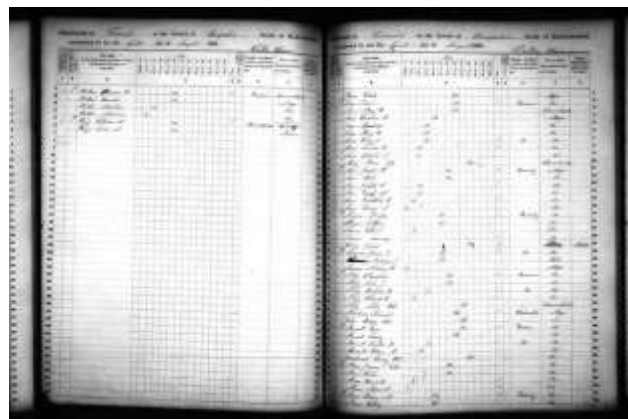
Figure 45: 1850 United States Federal Census





This image shows a page from the 1860 United States Federal Census. It is a large, dense table with many columns and rows, containing handwritten entries for each household. The columns include names, ages, sexes, colors, occupations, and property values. The handwriting is in dark ink on a light-colored paper.

Figure 46: 1860 United States Federal Census



This image shows two pages from the Massachusetts State Census of 1855. The pages are filled with handwritten data in a structured, grid-like format. The text is dense and covers most of the page area.

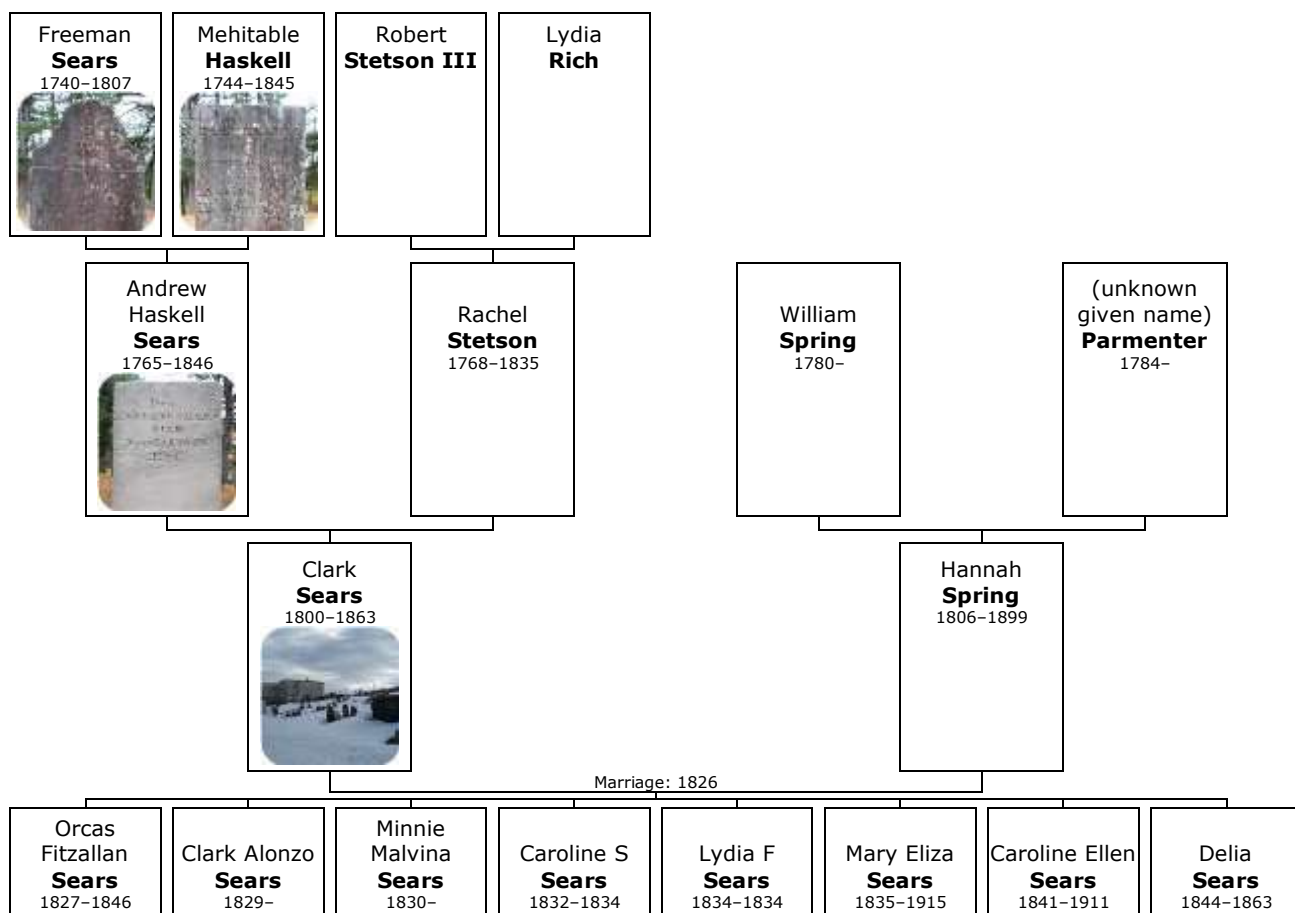
Figure 47: Massachusetts, State Census, 1855



This image shows two pages from a book of Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, covering the period from 1620 to 1988. The pages contain handwritten entries, likely birth, marriage, and death records, organized in a structured manner.

Figure 48: Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988

## Family of Clark Sears and Hannah Spring



- 85. Clark<sup>5</sup> Sears** (*Dea. Andrew Haskell<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Monday, 7<sup>th</sup> April 1800, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[120]</sup> He was the son of Andrew Haskell Sears (5) and Rachel Stetson (6).

Clark died in Charlestown, Suffolk, on 30<sup>th</sup> June 1863, at the age of 63.<sup>[120]</sup>

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1873>

!S.P. May, No 1869, p. 300, 451- handnotes Mr Sears was an Expressman.

!Town records Petersham, MA show m. 10 Jul 1825 !Petersham VR 1825 SEARS Clark of Boston and Hannah Spring, m. July 10, 1825.

!Mr Sears was an expressman. Owing to Indians terrorizing the district where they lived, Mrs Sears father, Wm Spring, moved to Petersham, MA when she was 9 yrs old. Her mother died 4 years previous. In this latter town her father gained his livelihood by farming. Mrs Sears grandfather, Capt John Parmenter was in the Rev War and also fought in the Indian Wars.



Clark Sears

<sup>120</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.  
[Source citation includes one media item]

!Mass death records Sears Clark Charlestown 1863 vol 166 p70 Death

- 86.** At the age of 26, Clark married **Hannah Spring** on Wednesday, 26<sup>th</sup> July 1826, when she was 20 years old. They had eight children.

Hannah was born in Stanstead, Connecticut, on Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> February 1806. She was the daughter of William Spring and (unknown given name) Parmenter.

Hannah reached 92 years of age and died in Cambridge, Middlesex, Massachusetts, on 10<sup>th</sup> January 1899.

Children of Clark Sears and Hannah Spring:

- m I. **Orcas Fitzallan<sup>6</sup> Sears** was born in Boston, Suffolk, on 15<sup>th</sup> April 1827. He died in Worcester on 21<sup>st</sup> January 1846, at the age of 18.
- m II. **Clark Alonzo Sears** was born in Boston on 17<sup>th</sup> May 1829.<sup>[121, 122]</sup>  
More facts and events for Clark Alonzo Sears:  
Residence: 1860 Portland<sup>[122]</sup>
- f III. **Minnie Malvina Sears** was born in Boston on 15<sup>th</sup> February 1830.
- f IV. **Caroline S Sears** was born in Boston, Middlesex, on 20<sup>th</sup> March 1832. She died in September 1834 at the age of 2.
- f V. **Lydia F Sears** was born in Boston, Suffolk, in 1834. She died in August 1834.
- f VI. **Mary Eliza Sears** was born in Boston on 4<sup>th</sup> May 1835.<sup>[123]</sup> She died in Brockton, Plymouth, in 1915 at the age of 79.<sup>[124]</sup>
- f VII. **Caroline Ellen Sears** was born in Boston on 13<sup>th</sup> May 1841. She died in 1911 at the age of 69.
- f VIII. **Delia Sears** was born in Charlestown on 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1844. She died in Charlestown on 30<sup>th</sup> August 1863, at the age of 19.

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<sup>121</sup> Ancestry.com, Oregon, Early Oregonians Index, 1800-1860 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

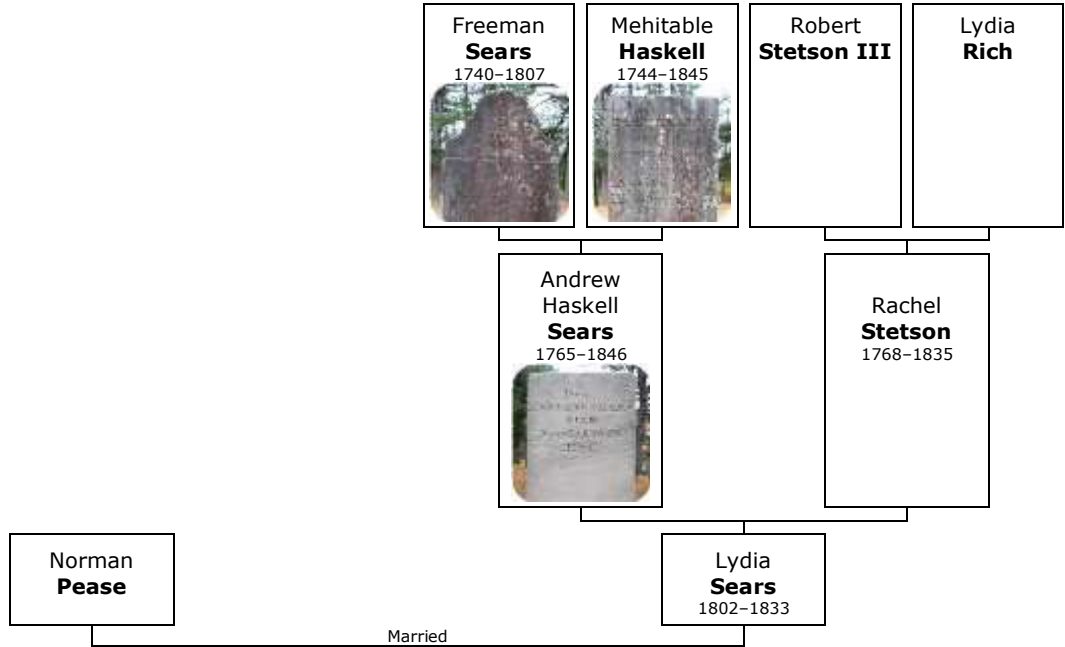
<sup>122</sup> Ancestry.com, 1860 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1860; Census Place: Portland, Multnomah, Oregon; Roll: M653\_1056; Page: 481; Family History Library Film: 805056.

<sup>123</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<a href="http://familysearch.org">http://familysearch.org</a> : modified 07 May 2016, 03:08), entry for Mary Eliza Sears(PID <a href="https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:MDXT-GMF">https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:MDXT-GMF</a>); contributed by various users. PersonID MDXT-GMF. Mary Eliza Sears. <a href="https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:MDXT-GMF">https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:MDXT-GMF</a>.

<sup>124</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Index, 1901-1980 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com, Record for Mary E Sears Toppan. <a href="http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=3659&h=3895500&indiv=try">http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=3659&h=3895500&indiv=try</a>.



**Family of Lydia Sears and Norman Pease**



**87.** **Lydia<sup>5</sup> Sears** (*Dea. Andrew Haskell<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Saturday, 17<sup>th</sup> April 1802, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Andrew Haskell Sears (5) and Rachel Stetson (6).

Lydia died on 4<sup>th</sup> October 1833, at the age of 31.

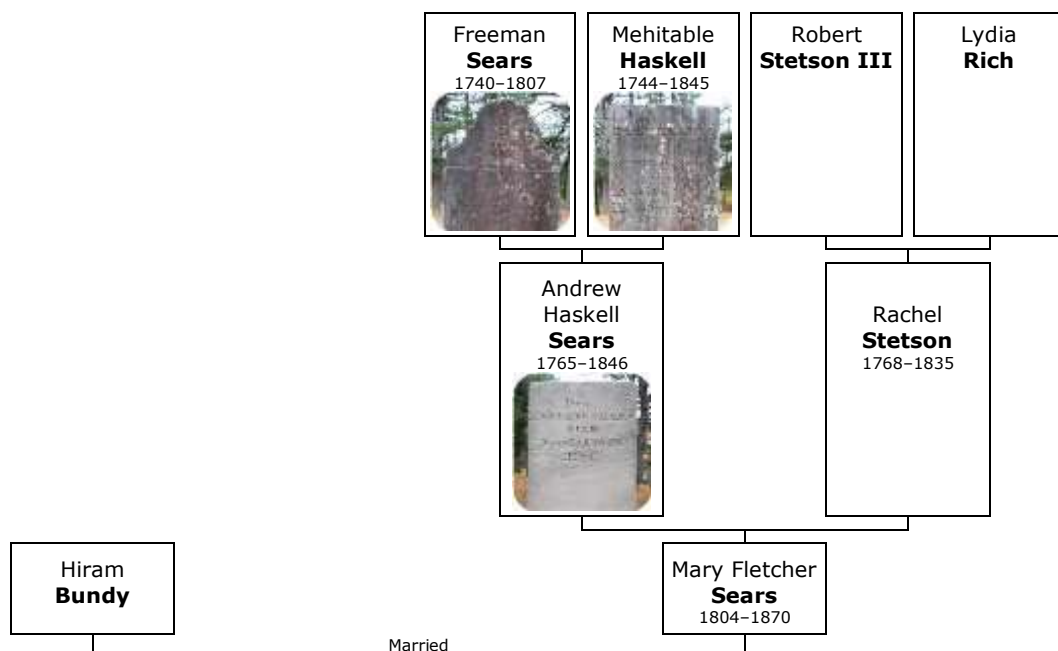
S P May No 1870 m. Capt Norman Pease of Hartford, Ct.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1881>

Find A Grave, Inc., Find A Grave, digital images, Record for Lydia Sears Pease.(labelled Lydia Rich Pease. ) Find A Grave Memorial# 145038790.Created by: Donna Barnes. Record added: Apr 15, 2015.

**88.** She married **Capt Norman Pease**.

## Family of Mary Sears and Hiram Bundy



- 89. Mary Fletcher<sup>5</sup> Sears** (*Dea. Andrew Haskell<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Thursday, 16<sup>th</sup> August 1804, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Andrew Haskell Sears (5) and Rachel Stetson (6).

Mary Fletcher died in De Kalb, Illinois, in October 1870 at the age of 66.

S P May No 1871 b., m., d.

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1885>  
Connecticut Marriage Records, Barbour Collection

1870 United States Federal Census. 870; Census Place: DeKalb, Dekalb, Illinois; Roll: M593\_215; Page: 392B; Family History Library Film: 545714. Census was taken August 26, 1870

Connecticut, Town Marriage Records, pre 1870.

- 90.** She married **Hiram Bundy**.

### Andrew Sears

- 91. Andrew Haskell<sup>5</sup> Sears** (*Dea. Andrew Haskell<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Friday, 10<sup>th</sup> October 1806, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[125]</sup> He was the son of Andrew Haskell Sears (5) and Rachel Stetson (6).

Andrew Haskell died in Greenwich on 28<sup>th</sup> August 1854, at the age of 47.<sup>[125]</sup> He was buried in Ware.<sup>[125]</sup>



Andrew Haskell  
Sears

<sup>125</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

!S.P. May No 1872 p.451 Was a hotel-keeper in Greenwich, MA

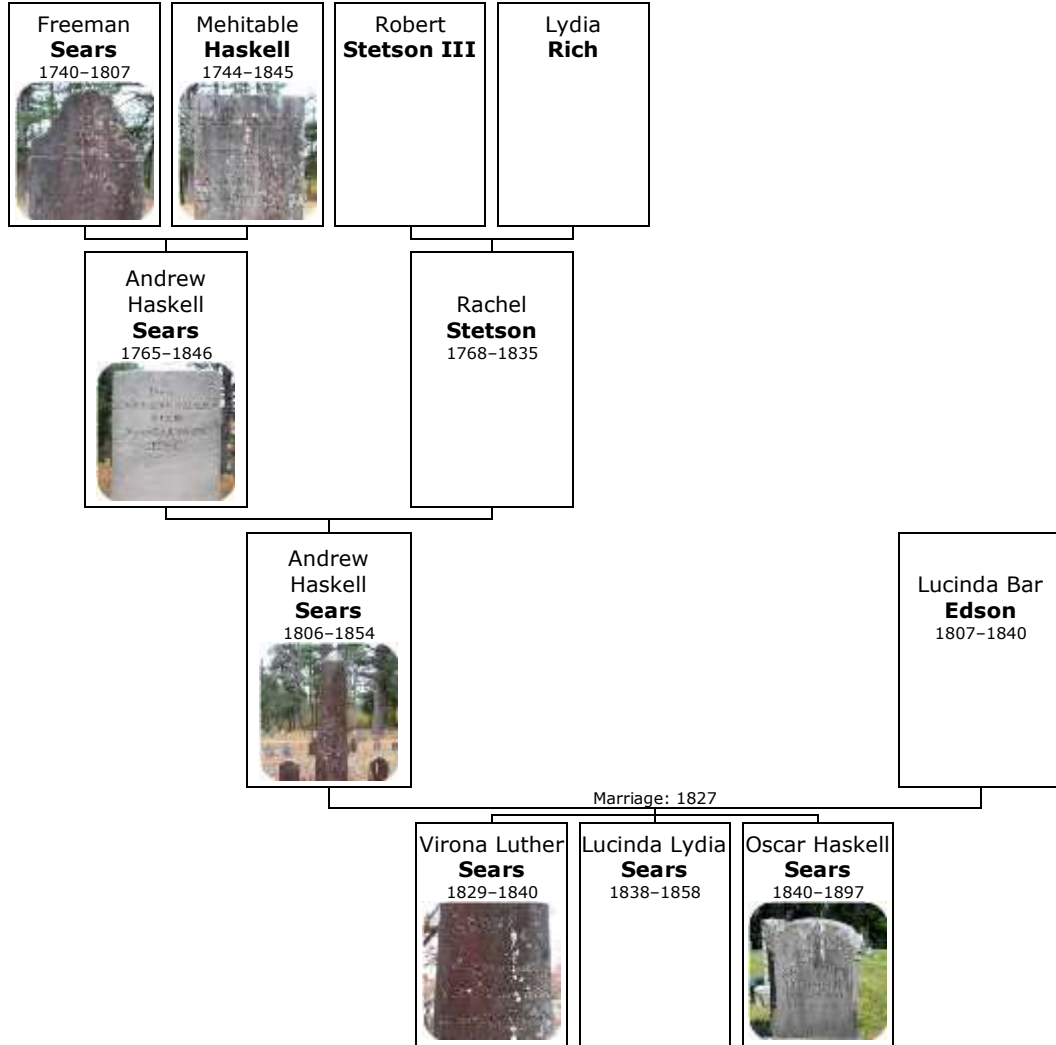
!Mass death records Sears Andrew H. Greenwich 1854 vol 85 p17 Death

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Find A Grave, Inc., Find A Grave, digital images, Record for Andrew Haskell Sears 1806-1854. Find A Grave Memorial# 132078749. Maintained by: James Bianco. Originally Created by: Nick Francischelli. Record added: Jun 29, 2014.

Marriages with Lucinda Bar Edson and Philena Lyon (Page 105) are known.

### Family of Andrew Sears and Lucinda Edson



Here are the details about **Andrew Haskell Sears** first marriage, with Lucinda Bar Edson. You can read more about Andrew Haskell on page 102.

- 92.** Andrew Haskell Sears married **Lucinda Bar Edson** on Saturday, 10<sup>th</sup> November 1827, in Greenwich. They had three children.

Lucinda Bar was born in Greenwich in 1807. She reached 33 years of age and died on 15<sup>th</sup> May 1840.

Children of Andrew Haskell Sears and Lucinda Bar Edson:

- f I. **Virona Luther<sup>6</sup> Sears** was born in Greenwich in 1829.  
She died on 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1840, at the age of 11.



Virona

- f II. **Lucinda Lydia Sears** was born in Greenwich on 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1838.  
She died in Greenwich on 10<sup>th</sup> November 1858, at the age of 19.

- m III. **Oscar Haskell Sears** was born in Greenwich on 11<sup>th</sup>  
March 1840.<sup>[125-128]</sup> He served in the military in Vermont  
on 15<sup>th</sup> July 1863.<sup>[127]</sup>



Oscar

Oscar Haskell died in 1897 at the age of 56.<sup>[125]</sup> He was  
buried in Ware, Hampshire, Massachusetts.<sup>[125]</sup>

More facts and events for Oscar Haskell Sears:

Residence: Vermont<sup>[127]</sup>

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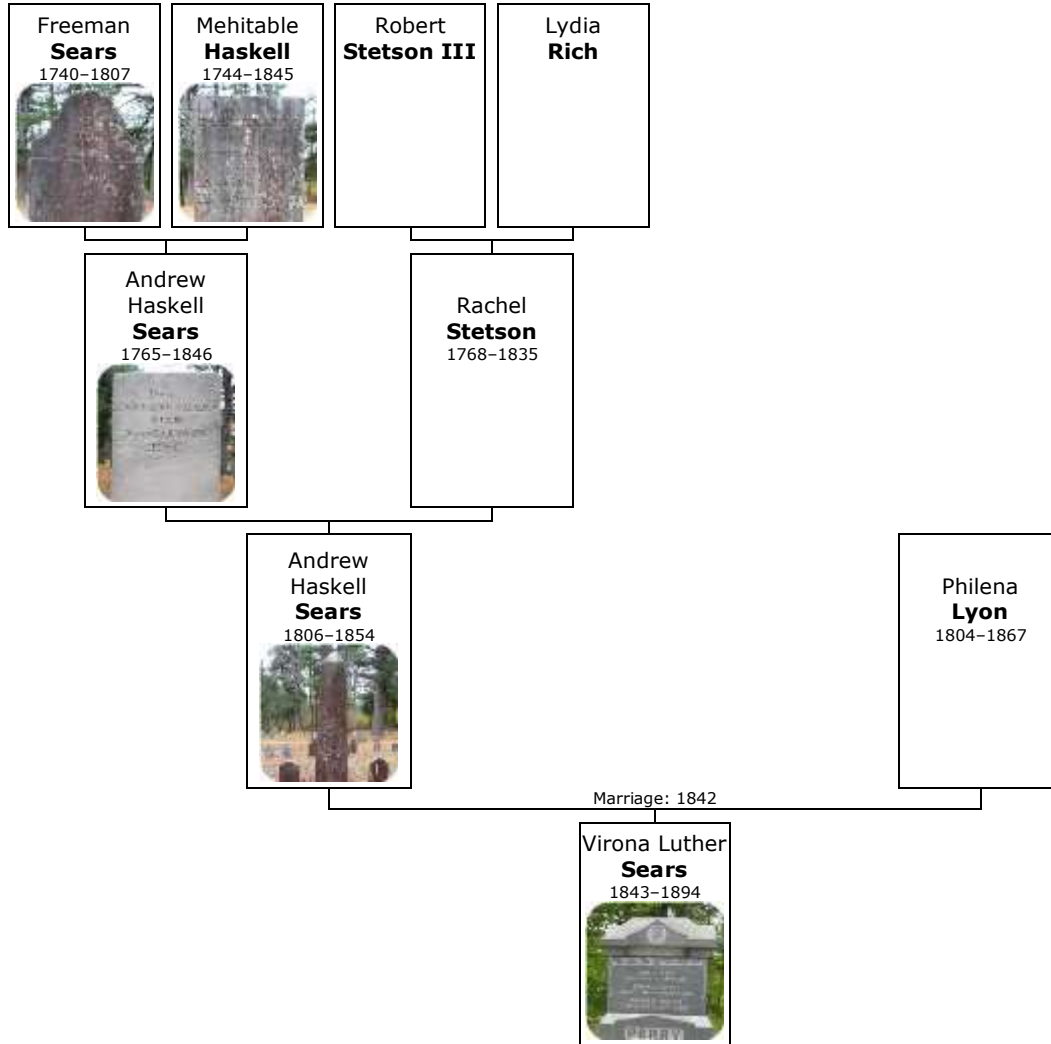
<sup>126</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1988 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

<sup>127</sup> Historical Data Systems, comp, U.S., Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles, 1861-1865 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2009), Ancestry.com.

<sup>128</sup> 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.



**Family of Andrew Sears and Philena Lyon**



Here are the details about **Andrew Haskell Sears** second marriage, with Philena Lyon. You can read more about Andrew Haskell on page 102.

- 93.** Andrew Haskell Sears married **Philena Lyon** on Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> October 1842. They had one daughter.

Philena was born in Greenwich in 1804. She reached 63 years of age and died on 28<sup>th</sup> July 1867.

Daughter of Andrew Haskell Sears and Philena Lyon:

- f I. **Virona Luther<sup>6</sup> Sears** was born in Greenwich on 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1843.<sup>[125, 128-131]</sup> She died in New Salem, Franklin, on 20<sup>th</sup> March 1894, at the age of 51.<sup>[125, 126, 131]</sup> Virona Luther was buried in New Salem.<sup>[125]</sup>



Virona

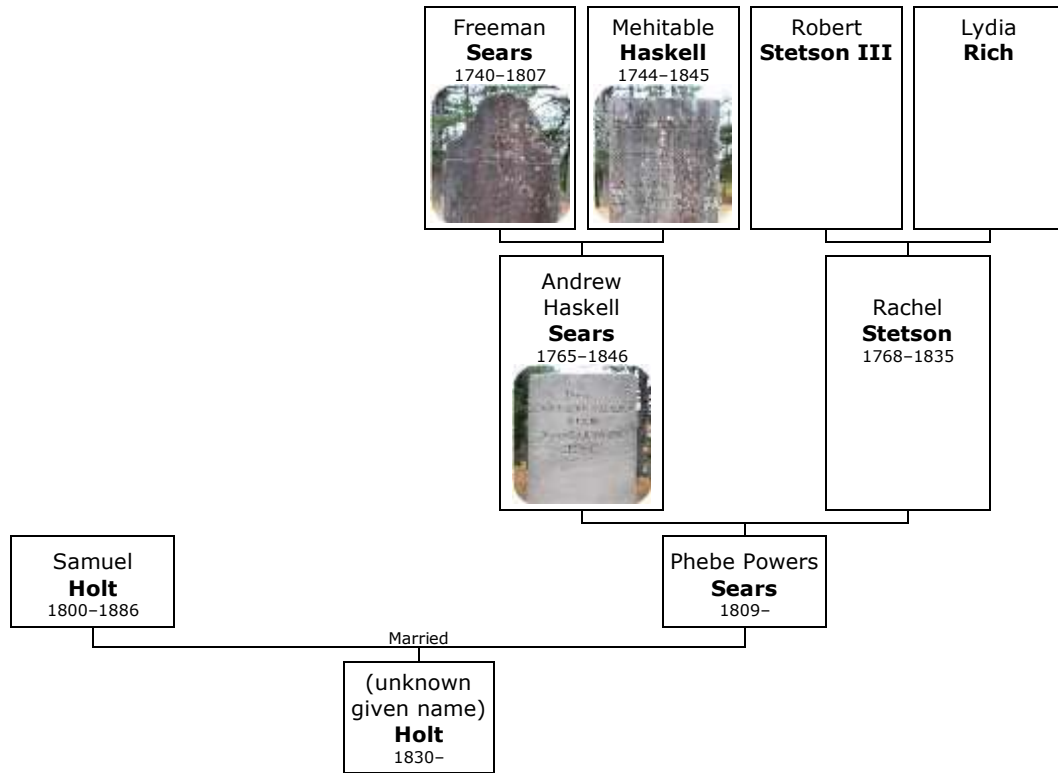
<sup>129</sup> Ancestry.com and The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1880 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1880; Census Place: Springfield, Hampden, Massachusetts; Roll: 536; Family History Film: 1254536; Page: 251C; Enumeration District: 318.

More facts and events for Virona Luther Sears:

Residence: 1870 Ward 5, Springfield, Hampden<sup>[130]</sup>  
 Residence Post Office: Springfield

Residence: 1880 Springfield<sup>[129]</sup>  
 Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head: Wife

**Family of Phebe Sears and Samuel Holt**



**94. Phebe Powers<sup>5</sup> Sears** (*Dea. Andrew Haskell<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> April 1809, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Andrew Haskell Sears (5) and Rachel Stetson (6).

S P May No 1873

<https://www.wikitree.com/wiki/Sears-1887>

**95.** She married **Samuel Holt**. They had one child.

Samuel was born in Meriden, New Haven, Connecticut, in 1800. He reached 86 years of age and died in Agawam, Hampden, Massachusetts, on 23<sup>rd</sup> September 1886. Samuel was buried in Agawam.

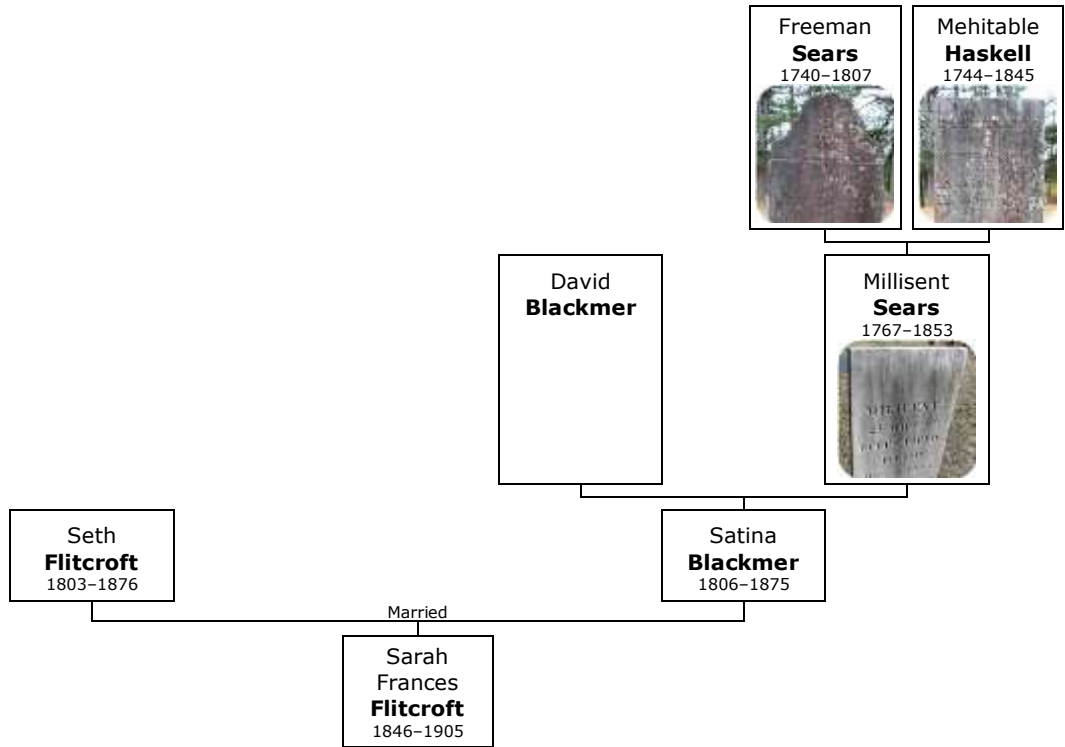
<sup>130</sup> Ancestry.com, 1870 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1870; Census Place: Springfield Ward 5, Hampden, Massachusetts; Roll: M593\_618; Page: 246A; Family History Library Film: 552117.

<sup>131</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

Child of Phebe Powers Sears and Samuel Holt:

I. **(unknown given name)<sup>6</sup> Holt** was born on 24<sup>th</sup> June 1830.

**Family of Satina Blackmer and Seth Flitcroft**



**96. Satina<sup>5</sup> Blackmer** (*Millisent<sup>4</sup> Sears, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born in 1806 in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of David Blackmer (9) and Millisent Sears (8).

Satina was christened in Greenwich in October 1806. Satina was buried in Cheshire in 1875. She died in Cheshire Township, Allegan, Michigan, on 25<sup>th</sup> June 1875, at the age of 69.

More facts and events for Satina Blackmer:

- Residence: 1870 Michigan
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- Residence: Greenwich

**97.** She married **Seth Flitcroft**. They had one daughter.

Seth was born in New York in 1803. He reached 73 years of age and died in Cheshire Township, Allegan, Michigan, on 7<sup>th</sup> March 1876.

More facts and events for Seth Flitcroft:

- Residence: 1870 Michigan
- Residence: 1870 Michigan

Residence: 1870 Michigan

Daughter of Satina Blackmer and Seth Flitcroft:

- f I. **Sarah Frances<sup>6</sup> Flitcroft** was born in Syracuse, Onondaga, New York, in August 1846.<sup>[132-141]</sup> Sarah Frances was buried in South Bend in 1905.<sup>[132, 134, 135, 137, 141]</sup> She died in Mishawaka, St Joseph, Indiana, on 25<sup>th</sup> June 1905, at the age of 58.<sup>[132, 134, 135, 137, 141]</sup>

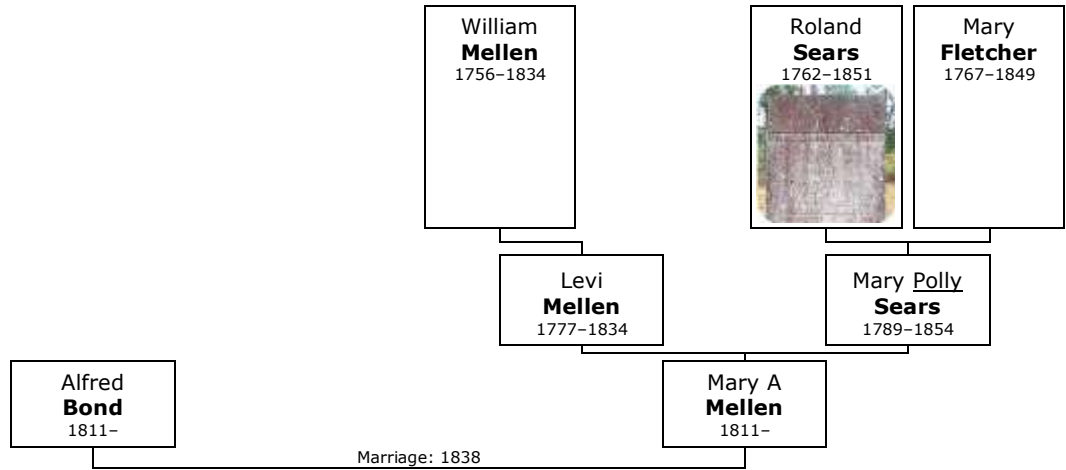
More facts and events for Sarah Frances Flitcroft:

Residence: 1880 Cheshire, Allegan, Michigan<sup>[132, 134, 135, 141]</sup>

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- <sup>132</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Michigan Births and Christenings, 1775-1995," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F4BS-GYT : 11 February 2018), Sarah Francis Fletchroft in entry for Minnie Sutina Keene, 18 Aug 1876; citing Cheshire Twp , Allegan, Mich. Sarah Francis Fletchroft in entry for Minnie Sutina Keene, "Michigan Births and Christenings, 1775-1995". https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F4BS-GYT.
- <sup>133</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Michigan Births, 1867-1902," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:NQJS-J8Y : 10 March 2018), Sarah F. in entry for Myrtle M. Keene, 24 Feb 1877; citing item 2 p 53 rn 1490, Cheshire, Allegan, Michigan, Depart. Sarah F. in entry for Myrtle M. Keene, "Michigan Births, 1867-1902". https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:NQJS-J8Y.
- <sup>134</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (http://familysearch.org : modified 09 June 2016, 23:47), entry for Sarah Frances Flitcroft(PID https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:96HT-3H8); contributed by various users. PersonID 96HT-3H8. Sarah Frances Flitcroft. https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:96HT-3H8.
- <sup>135</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, Electronic document, 1870 census: Deerfield, Van Buren, Michigan., Archive, ancestry.com. Legacy NFS Source: Sarah Francis Flitcraft - Government record: Census record: birth: about 1846; „New York, United States.
- <sup>136</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "United States Census, 1880," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MW9L-18L : 14 August 2017), Sarah F Keen in household of Peter S Keen, Cheshire, Allegan, Michigan, United States; citing enumeration district. Sarah F Keen in household of Peter S Keen, "United States Census, 1880". https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MW9L-18L.
- <sup>137</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Find A Grave Index," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QVP3-4WJ4 : 11 July 2016), Sarah Frances Flitcroft Keene, 1905; Burial, South Bend, St. Joseph, Indiana, United States of America, Riverview Cemetery; citing reco. Sarah Frances Flitcroft Keene, "Find A Grave Index". https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QVP3-4WJ4.
- <sup>138</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Michigan Births, 1867-1902", database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:NQ49-DY7 : 30 April 2018), Sarah Keen in entry for Alice L. Keen, 1869. Sarah Keen in entry for Alice L. Keen, "Michigan Births, 1867-1902". https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:NQ49-DY7.
- <sup>139</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Michigan Births, 1867-1902," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:NQHR-7JS : 10 March 2018), Sarah in entry for Frank Keen, 12 Jul 1881; citing item 1 p 8 rn 26, Allegan, Allegan, Michigan, Department of Vita. Sarah in entry for Frank Keen, "Michigan Births, 1867-1902". https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:NQHR-7JS.
- <sup>140</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "United States Census, 1850," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MCYJ-3MF : 12 April 2016), Sarah F Flitcroft in household of Seth Flitcroft, Little Falls, Herkimer, New York, United States; citing family 51. Sarah F Flitcroft in household of Seth Flitcroft, "United States Census, 1850". https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MCYJ-3MF.
- <sup>141</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Michigan Births and Christenings, 1775-1995," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F4BJ-QPG : 11 February 2018), Sarah in entry for Frank Keen, 12 Jul 1881; citing Allegan, Allegan, Michigan, reference ; FHL microfilm 2,. Sarah in entry for Frank Keen, "Michigan Births and Christenings, 1775-1995". https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F4BJ-QPG.

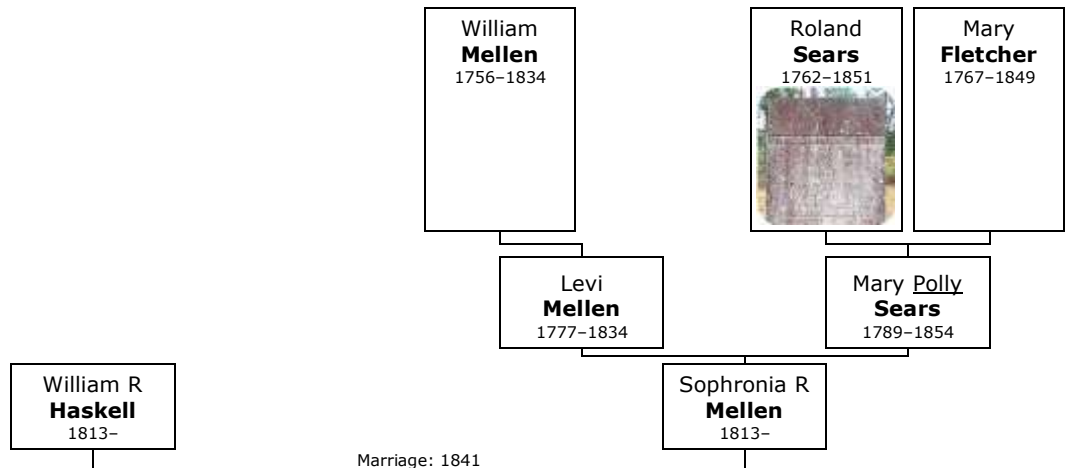
## Grandchildren

### Family of Mary Mellen and Alfred Bond



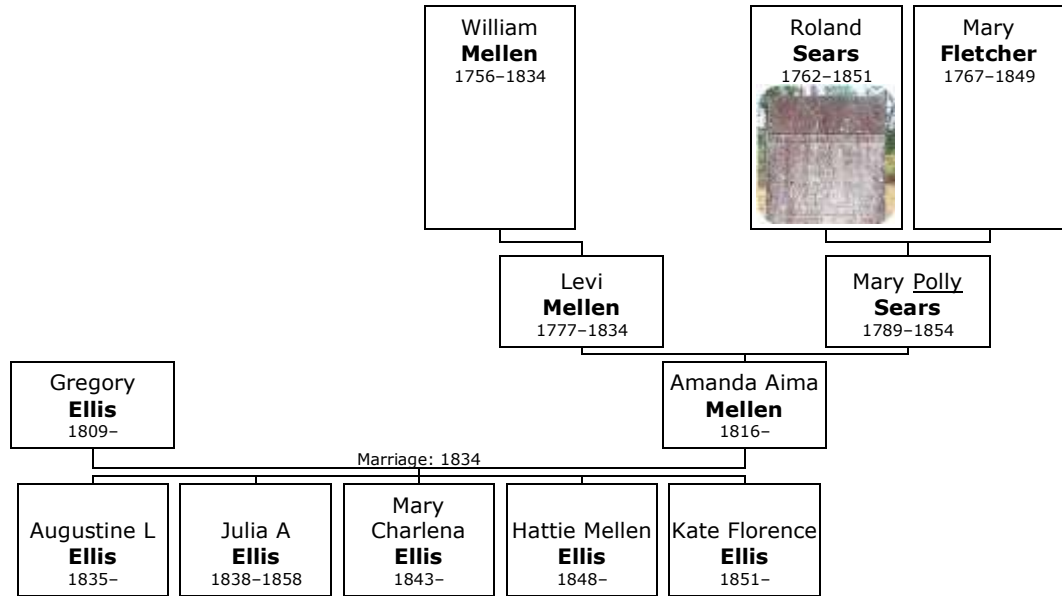
- 98.** **Mary A<sup>6</sup> Mellen** (*Mary Polly<sup>5</sup> Sears, Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> August 1811, in perh, Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Levi Mellen (14) and Mary Polly Sears (13).  
!S.P. May p.298 lived in Detroit, MI
- 99.** At the age of 27, Mary A married **Alfred Bond** on Monday, 29<sup>th</sup> October 1838, when he was 26 years old. Alfred was born in Wilbraham, Hampden, on Tuesday, 31<sup>st</sup> December 1811.

### Family of Sophronia Mellen and William Haskell



- 100.** **Sophronia R<sup>6</sup> Mellen** (*Mary Polly<sup>5</sup> Sears, Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Friday, 28<sup>th</sup> May 1813, in perh, Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Levi Mellen (14) and Mary Polly Sears (13).
- 101.** At the age of 28, Sophronia R married **William R Haskell** on Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> September 1841, in Barre, Worcester, when he was 27 years old. William R was born in New Salem, Franklin, on Thursday, 18<sup>th</sup> November 1813.

## Family of Amanda Mellen and Gregory Ellis



- 102. Amanda Aima<sup>6</sup> Mellen** (*Mary Polly<sup>5</sup> Sears, Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Thursday, 25<sup>th</sup> July 1816, in perh, Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[142, 143]</sup> She was the daughter of Levi Mellen (14) and Mary Polly Sears (13).

!S P May p. 298 rem to Warren, MA, and Hartford, CT

More facts and events for Amanda Aima Mellen:

Residence: 1870 Hartford<sup>[143]</sup>  
 Age: 54; CannotRead: Y; CannotWrite: Y; Occupation: Keeping House/Ward 3

- 103.** At the age of 18, Amanda Aima married **Gregory Ellis** on Tuesday, 30<sup>th</sup> September 1834, in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, when he was 24 years old. They had five children.

Gregory was born in New Salem, Franklin, on Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1809.<sup>[142, 143]</sup>

More facts and events for Gregory Ellis:

Residence: 1870 Hartford<sup>[143]</sup>  
 Age: 62; CannotRead: Y; CannotWrite: Y;  
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 Occupation: Wool Sorter/Ward 3

<sup>142</sup> Yates Publishing, U.S. and International Marriage Records, 1560-1900 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2004), Ancestry.com, Source number: 335.000; Source type: Electronic Database; Number of Pages: 1; Submitter Code: HCH. Record for Amanda Aima Mellen.  
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=7836&h=824268&indiv=try>.

<sup>143</sup> Ancestry.com, 1870 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1870; Census Place: Hartford Ward 3, Hartford, Connecticut; Roll: M593\_100; Page: 543B; Family History Library Film: 545599. Record for Amanda Ellis.  
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=7163&h=13875652&indiv=try>.  
 [Source citation includes one media item]

Children of Amanda Aima Mellen and Gregory Ellis:

- m I. **Augustine L<sup>7</sup> Ellis** was born in perh, Greenwich, on 15<sup>th</sup> July 1835.
- f II. **Julia A Ellis** was born in perh on 29<sup>th</sup> January 1838. She died in 1858 at the age of 19.
- f III. **Mary Charlena Ellis** was born in perh on 11<sup>th</sup> September 1843.
- f IV. **Hattie Mellen Ellis** was born in perh on 25<sup>th</sup> June 1848.
- f V. **Kate Florence Ellis** was born at perh in Greenwich on 1<sup>st</sup> July 1851.<sup>[143]</sup>

More facts and events for Kate Florence Ellis:

- Residence: 1870 Hartford<sup>[143]</sup>  
Age: 18; CannotRead: Y; CannotWrite: Y;  
Occupation: At Home/Ward 3
- Residence: 1870 Hartford<sup>[143]</sup>  
Age: 18; CannotRead: Y; CannotWrite: Y;  
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Occupation: At Home/Ward 3

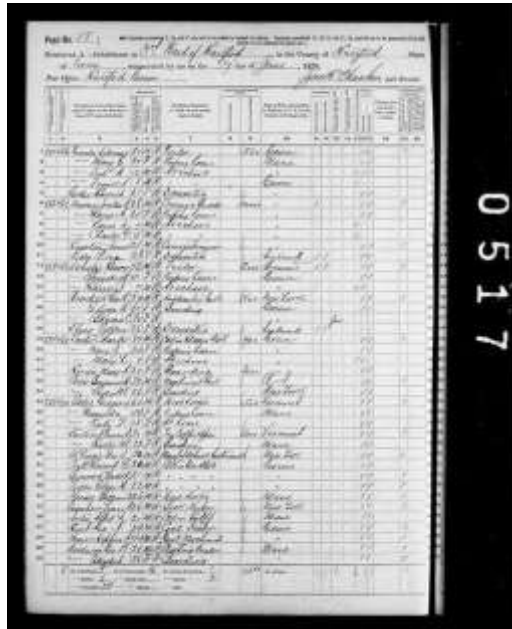
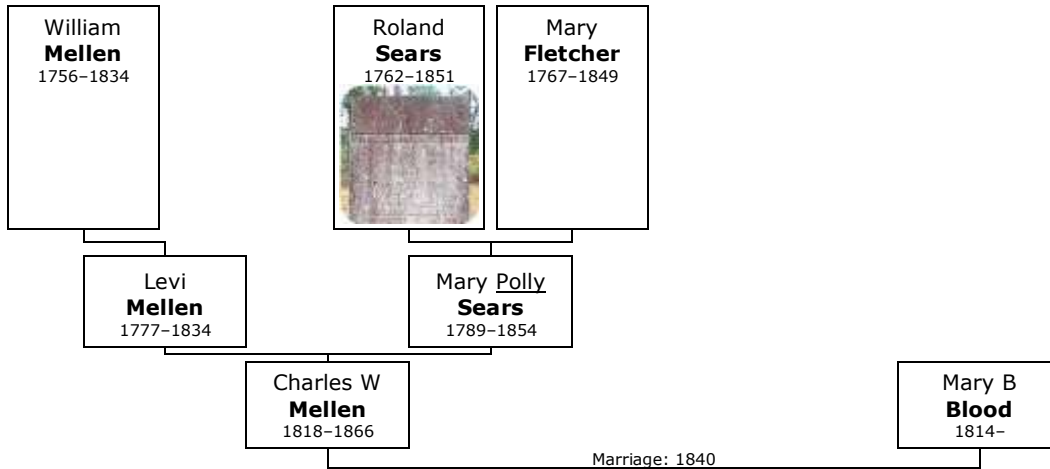


Figure 52: 1870 United States Federal Census

## Family of Charles Mellen and Mary Blood



- 104. Charles W<sup>6</sup> Mellen** (*Mary Polly<sup>5</sup> Sears, Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Monday, 29<sup>th</sup> June 1818, in perh, Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. He was the son of Levi Mellen (14) and Mary Polly Sears (13).  
Charles W died in Taunton, Bristol, on 22<sup>nd</sup> October 1866, at the age of 48.  
!S.P. May p.298 Was a minister
- 105.** At the age of 21, Charles W married **Mary B Blood** on Tuesday, 21<sup>st</sup> April 1840, in Fitzwilliam, Cheshire, New Hampshire, when she was 25 years old. Mary B was born in Sterling, Worcester, Massachusetts, on Friday, 13<sup>th</sup> May 1814.

### William Mellen

- 106. William Roland<sup>6</sup> Mellen** (*Mary Polly<sup>5</sup> Sears, Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Saturday, 29<sup>th</sup> June 1822, in perh, Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[144-153]</sup> He was the son of Levi Mellen (14) and Mary Polly Sears (13).

<sup>144</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Massachusetts, Index to Boston Passenger Lists, 1848-1891," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QV51-2J1N : 16 March 2018), W R G Mellen, 1866; citing Immigration, ship Duiveland, NARA microfilm publication. W R G Mellen, "Massachusetts, Index to Boston Passenger Lists, 1848-1891".  
https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QV51-2J1N.

<sup>145</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "New York, New York City Municipal Deaths, 1795-1949," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:2WXD-J7M : 10 February 2018), Wm R. G. Mellen in entry for Elizabeth F. M. Peck, 09 Apr 1902; citing Death, Manhattan, New York,. Wm R. G. Mellen in entry for Elizabeth F. M. Peck, "New York, New York City Municipal Deaths, 1795-1949".  
https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:2WXD-J7M.

<sup>146</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Massachusetts State Census, 1855," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MQ4T-C74 : 11 March 2018), W R G Mellen, Gloucester, Essex, Massachusetts, United States; State Archives, Boston; FHL microfilm 953,978. W R G Mellen, "Massachusetts State Census, 1855". https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MQ4T-C74.

<sup>147</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "United States Census, 1860", database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MZHF-VGB : 12 December 2017), William R G Mellen, 1860. William R G Mellen, "United States Census, 1860".  
https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MZHF-VGB.

<sup>148</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "United States Census, 1850," database with images, <i>FamilySearch</i> (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MD9Y-XML : 12 April 2016), Wm R G Mellen, Chicopee, Hampden, Massachusetts, United States; citing family 2851, NARA microfilm publication M432. Wm R G Mellen, "United States Census, 1850". https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MD9Y-XML.



He died in 1865 at the age of 42.<sup>[149-153]</sup> William Roland immigrated to Boston, Suffolk, in 1866.<sup>[149-153]</sup>

More facts and events for William Roland Mellen:

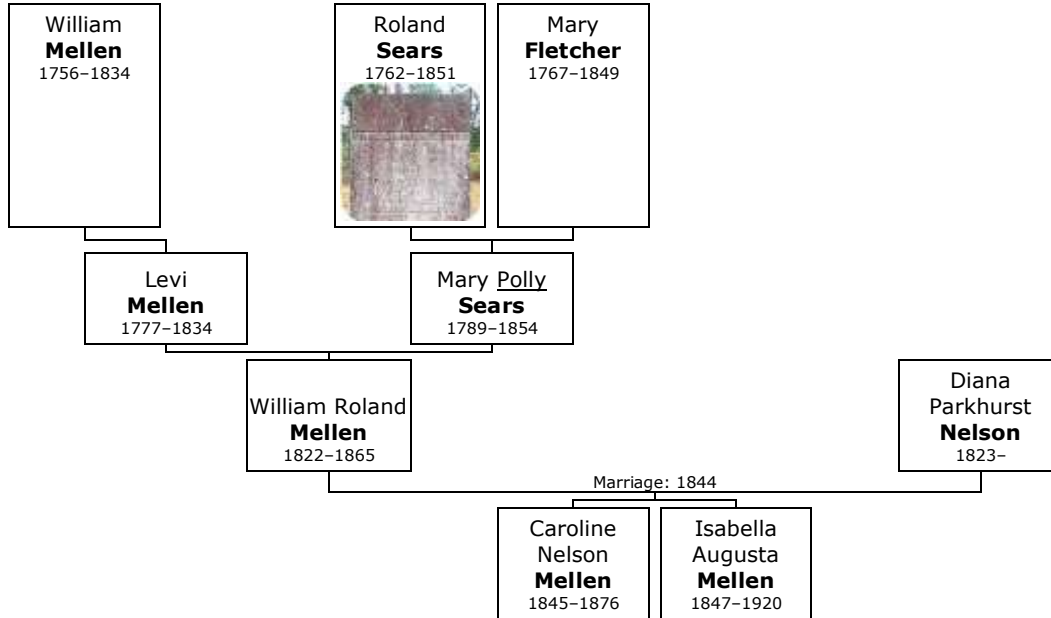
Residence: 1850 Chicopee, Hampden<sup>[149-153]</sup>

Residence: 1855 Gloucester, Essex<sup>[149-153]</sup>

Residence: 1860 Gloucester<sup>[149-153]</sup>

Marriages with Diana Parkhurst Nelson and an unknown partner are known.

**Family of William Mellen and Diana Nelson**



<sup>149</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FZX3-7VK> : 10 February 2018), William R.G. in entry for Lizzy F. Mellen, 18 Apr 1849; citing Cabotville, Mass. ; FHL microfilm 2,027. William R.G. in entry for Lizzy F. Mellen, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915". <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FZX3-7VK>.

<sup>150</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Massachusetts Marriages, 1695-1910," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCWK-7VM> : 9 February 2018), William R. G. Mellen and Diana P. Nelson, 16 Nov 1844; citing reference ; FHL microfilm 496,864. William R. G. Mellen, "Massachusetts Marriages, 1695-1910". <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FCWK-7VM>.

<sup>151</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Family Tree," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<http://familysearch.org> : modified 08 March 2018, 17:22), entry for William R. G. Mellen(PID <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:K8TS-4P1>); contributed by various users. PersonID K8TS-4P1. William R. G. Mellen. <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/4:1:K8TS-4P1>.

<sup>152</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:VQXF-45N> : 10 February 2018), William R. G. Mellen in entry for Caroline N. Mellen, 19 Dec 1845; citing CAMBRIDGE,MIDDLESEX,MASSACHU. William R. G. Mellen in entry for Caroline N. Mellen, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915". <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:VQXF-45N>.

<sup>153</sup> FamilySearch.org, FamilySearch Family Tree, FamilySearch, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915," database, <i>FamilySearch</i> (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:VQXX-688> : 10 February 2018), William R. G. Mellen in entry for Isabella A. Mellen, 23 Feb 1847; citing CAMBRIDGE,MIDDLESEX,MASSACHU. William R. G. Mellen in entry for Isabella A. Mellen, "Massachusetts Births and Christenings, 1639-1915". <https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:VQXX-688>.

Here are the details about **William Roland Mellen's** first marriage, with Diana Parkhurst Nelson. You can read more about William Roland on page 112.

- 107.** William Roland Mellen married **Diana Parkhurst Nelson** on Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> December 1844, in Milford, Worcester.<sup>[149-153]</sup> They had two daughters.

She was christened in Milford on 28<sup>th</sup> January 1818. Diana Parkhurst was born in Milford in 1823.

More facts and events for Diana Parkhurst Nelson:

Residence: 1850 Chicopee, Hampden  
Residence: 1850 Chicopee  
Residence: 1855 Gloucester, Essex  
Residence: 1855 Gloucester  
Residence: 1860 Gloucester  
Residence: 1860 Gloucester  
Residence: 1865 Ward 8, Boston, Suffolk  
Residence: 1865 Ward 8

Daughters of William Roland Mellen and Diana Parkhurst Nelson:

- f I. **Caroline Nelson<sup>7</sup> Mellen** was born in Milford on 19<sup>th</sup> December 1845. She died on 20<sup>th</sup> June 1876, at the age of 30.

More facts and events for Caroline Nelson Mellen:

Residence: 1845 Cambridge, Middlesex  
Residence: 1845 Cambridge  
Residence: 1845 Cambridge  
Residence: 1850 Chicopee, Hampden  
Residence: 1850 Chicopee  
Residence: 1850 Chicopee  
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Residence: 1855 Gloucester  
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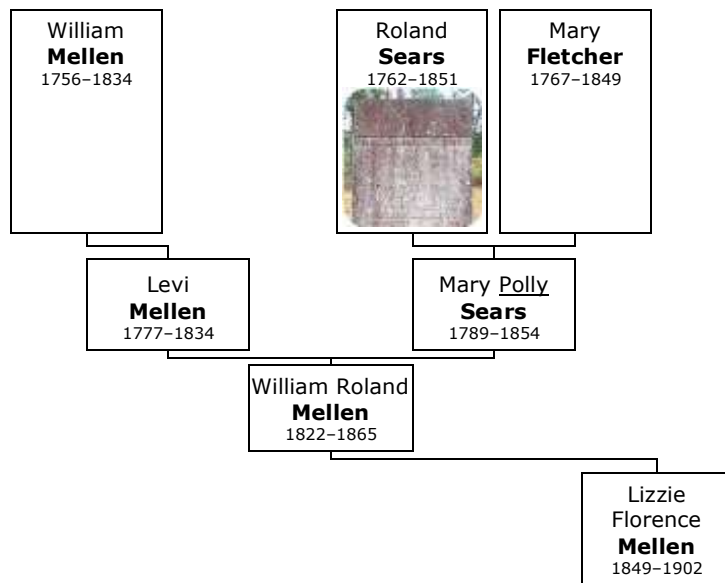
- f II. **Isabella Augusta Mellen** was born in Cambridge, Middlesex, on 23<sup>rd</sup> February 1847. She died in Detroit in 1920 at the age of 72. Isabella Augusta was buried at Elmwood Cemetery in Detroit.

More facts and events for Isabella Augusta Mellen:

Residence: 1847 Cambridge, Middlesex, Massachusetts  
Residence: 1847 Cambridge  
Residence: 1847 Cambridge  
Residence: 1850 Chicopee, Hampden

Residence: 1850 Chicopee  
Residence: 1850 Chicopee  
Residence: 1855 Gloucester, Essex  
Residence: 1855 Gloucester  
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Residence: 1860 Gloucester  
Residence: 1860 Gloucester  
Residence: 1860 Gloucester  
Residence: 1865 Ward 8, Boston, Suffolk  
Residence: 1865 Ward 8  
Residence: 1865 Ward 8  
Residence: 1880 Detroit, Wayne, Michigan  
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### William Mellen



Here are the details about **William Roland Mellen's** second marriage, with an unknown partner. You can read more about William Roland on page 112.

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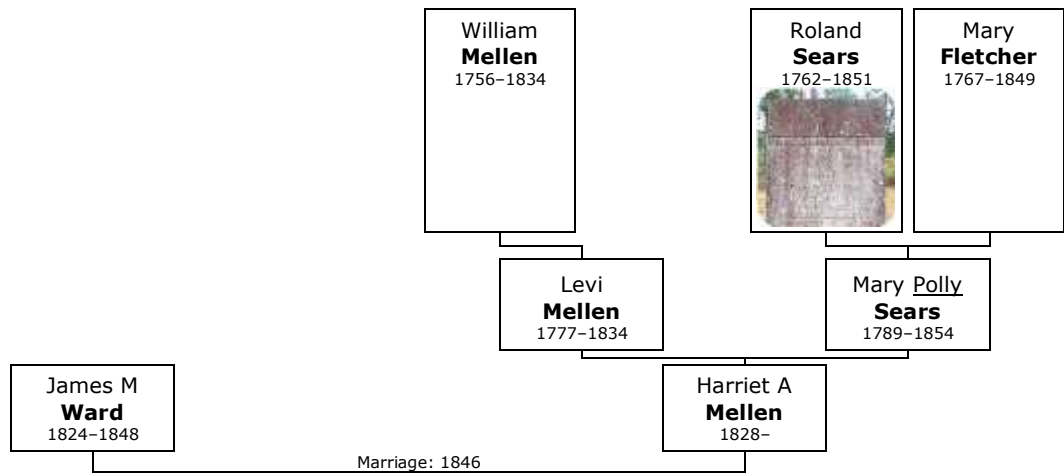
- f I. **Lizzie Florence<sup>7</sup> Mellen** was born in Cabotville, Chicopee, Hampden, on 18<sup>th</sup> April 1849. She died in Manhattan, New York, New York, on 9<sup>th</sup> April 1902, at the age of 52. Lizzie Florence was buried on 11<sup>th</sup> April 1902.

More facts and events for Lizzie Florence Mellen:

Residence: 1850 Chicopee, Hampden, Massachusetts  
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Residence: 1850 Chicopee

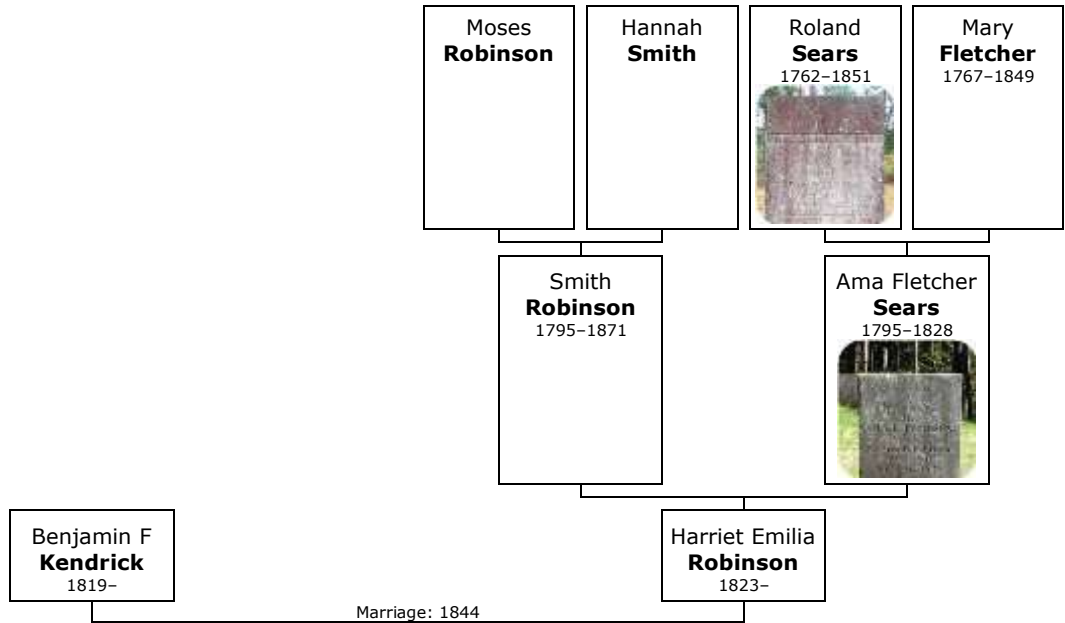
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**Family of Harriet Mellen and James Ward**



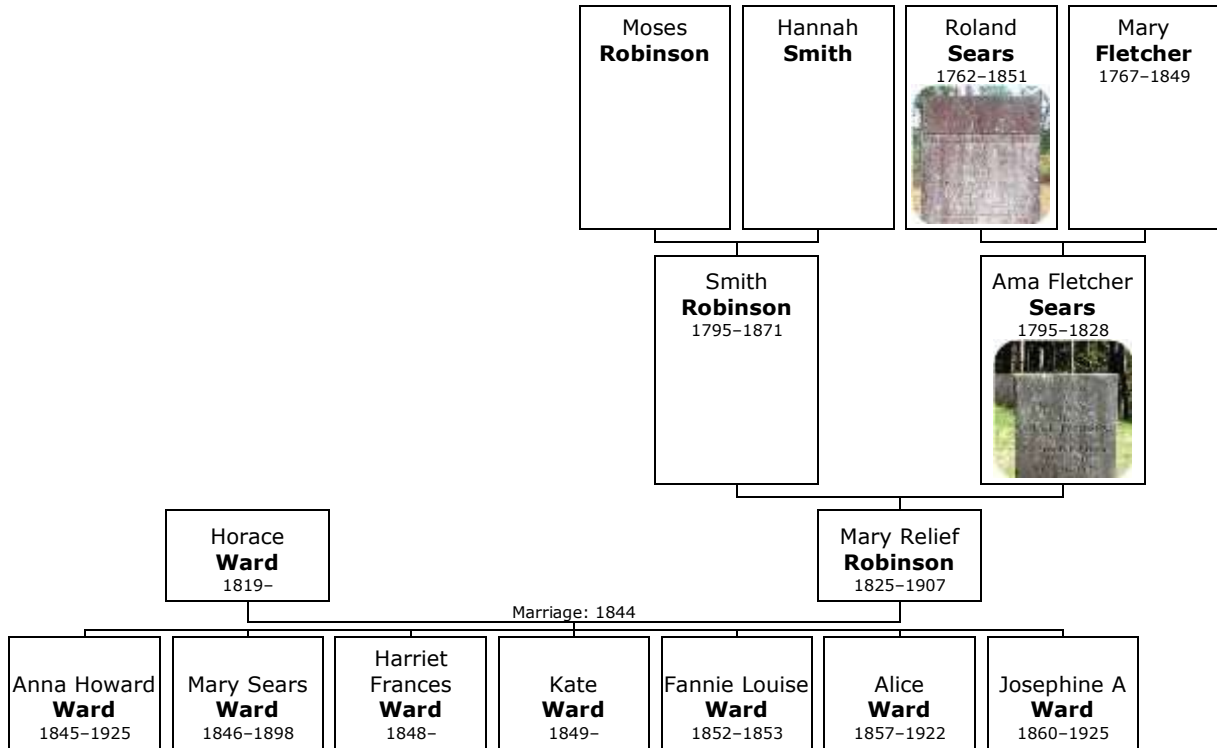
- 108. **Harriet A<sup>6</sup> Mellen** (*Mary Polly<sup>5</sup> Sears, Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> March 1828, in perh, Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Levi Mellen (14) and Mary Polly Sears (13).
- 109. Harriet A married **James M Ward** on Thursday, 26<sup>th</sup> November 1846, in Warren, Worcester. James M was born in Bradford, Merrimack, New Hampshire, in 1824. He reached 24 years of age and died on 7<sup>th</sup> June 1848.

**Family of Harriet Robinson and Benjamin Kendrick**



- 110. Harriet Emilia<sup>6</sup> Robinson** (*Ama Fletcher<sup>5</sup> Sears, Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Wednesday, 26<sup>th</sup> November 1823, in perh, Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA. She was the daughter of Smith Robinson (18) and Ama Fletcher Sears (17).  
!S.P. May p.299 Lives in Amherst, MA
- 111.** Harriet Emilia married **Benjamin F Kendrick** on Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> May 1844, in Enfield. Benjamin F was born in perh, Enfield, in 1819.

## Family of Mary Robinson and Horace Ward



- 112.** **Mary Relief<sup>6</sup> Robinson** (*Ama Fletcher<sup>5</sup> Sears, Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Thursday, 26<sup>th</sup> May 1825, at perh in Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[154]</sup> She was the daughter of Smith Robinson (18) and Ama Fletcher Sears (17).

Mary Relief died on 10<sup>th</sup> April 1907, at the age of 81.

!S.P. May p.299 Lived in Amherst, MA

BIRTH-DEATH: GENSERV KLIA6HA RIN 8268

More facts and events for Mary Relief Robinson:

Residence: 1870 Amherst<sup>[154]</sup>  
Age: 45; Occupation: Keeping House

Residence: 1870 Amherst<sup>[154]</sup>  
Age: 45; Occupation: Keeping House

- 113.** At the age of 18, Mary Relief married **Horace Ward** on Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> May 1844, in Enfield when he was 24 years old. They had seven daughters.

Horace was born in Belchertown on Friday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 1819.<sup>[154]</sup>

More facts and events for Horace Ward:

Residence: 1870 Amherst<sup>[154]</sup>  
Age: 51; MaleCitizenOverTwentyone: Y; PersonalEstateValue: 1000;  
RealEstateValue: 9500; Occupation: Comm MS Produce Dealer

<sup>154</sup> Ancestry.com, 1870 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1870; Census Place: Amherst, Hampshire, Massachusetts; Roll: M593\_620; Page: 24B; Family History Library Film: 552119. Record for Mary R Ward.  
<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=7163&h=26833073&indiv=try>.  
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Daughters of Mary Relief Robinson and Horace Ward:

- f I. **Anna Howard<sup>7</sup> Ward** was born in perh, Enfield, on 6<sup>th</sup> May 1845. She died in 1925 at the age of 79.
- f II. **Mary Sears Ward** was born at perh in Enfield on 5<sup>th</sup> June 1846.<sup>[154]</sup> She died on 19<sup>th</sup> June 1898, at the age of 52.  
More facts and events for Mary Sears Ward:  
Residence: 1870 Amherst<sup>[154]</sup>  
Age: 23; Occupation: Teacher  
Residence: 1870 Amherst<sup>[154]</sup>  
Age: 23; Occupation: Teacher  
Residence: 1870 Amherst<sup>[154]</sup>  
Age: 23; Occupation: Teacher
- f III. **Harriet Frances Ward** was born at perh in Enfield on 5<sup>th</sup> April 1848.  
More facts and events for Harriet Frances Ward:  
Residence: 1870 Amherst  
Age: 21; Occupation: Wt Occupation  
Residence: 1870 Amherst  
Age: 21; Occupation: Wt Occupation  
Residence: 1870 Amherst  
Age: 21; Occupation: Wt Occupation
- f IV. **Kate Ward** was born at perh in Enfield on 26<sup>th</sup> May 1849.<sup>[154]</sup>  
More facts and events for Kate Ward:  
Residence: 1870 Amherst<sup>[154]</sup>  
Age: 20; Occupation: Wt Occupation  
Residence: 1870 Amherst<sup>[154]</sup>  
Age: 20; Occupation: Wt Occupation  
Residence: 1870 Amherst<sup>[154]</sup>  
Age: 20; Occupation: Wt Occupation
- f V. **Fannie Louise Ward** was born in perh, Enfield, on 13<sup>th</sup> June 1852. She died in August 1853 at the age of 1.
- f VI. **Alice Ward** was born at perh in Enfield on 30<sup>th</sup> April 1857.<sup>[154]</sup> She died on 9<sup>th</sup> November 1922, at the age of 65.  
More facts and events for Alice Ward:  
Residence: 1870 Amherst<sup>[154]</sup>  
Age: 13; AttendedSchool: Y; Occupation: At School  
Residence: 1870 Amherst<sup>[154]</sup>  
Age: 13; AttendedSchool: Y; Occupation: At School  
Residence: 1870 Amherst<sup>[154]</sup>  
Age: 13; AttendedSchool: Y; Occupation: At School
- f VII. **Josephine A Ward** was born at perh in Enfield on 20<sup>th</sup> October 1860.<sup>[154]</sup> She died in 1925 at the age of 64.

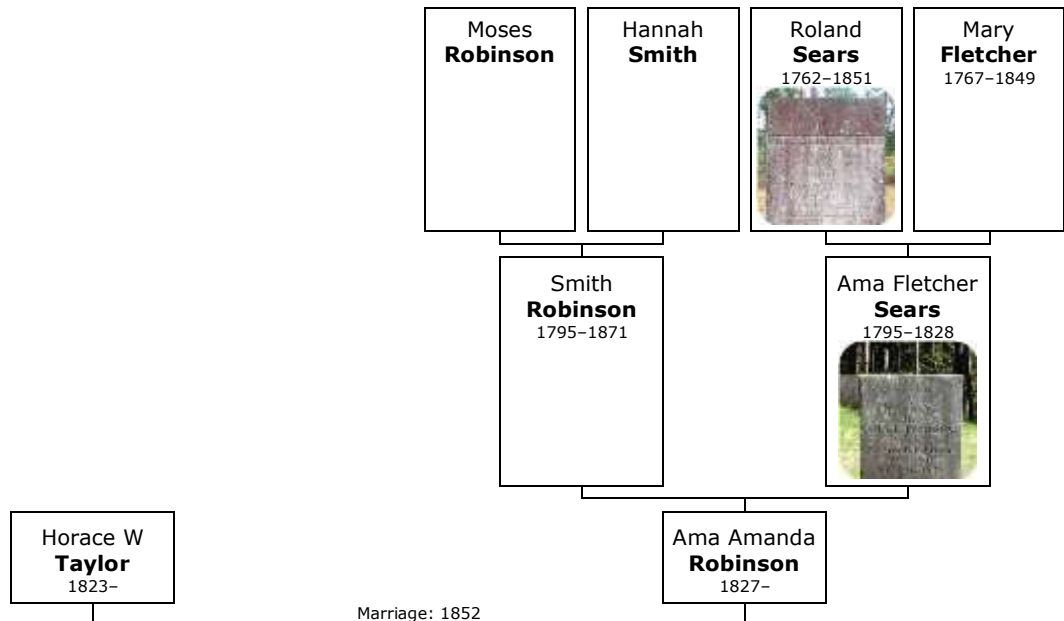
More facts and events for Josephine A Ward:

- Residence: 1870 Amherst<sup>[154]</sup>  
Age: 9; AttendedSchool: Y; Occupation: At School
- Residence: 1870 Amherst<sup>[154]</sup>  
Age: 9; AttendedSchool: Y; Occupation: At School
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Age: 9; AttendedSchool: Y; Occupation: At School



Figure 53: 1870 United States Federal Census

**Family of Ama Robinson and Horace Taylor**



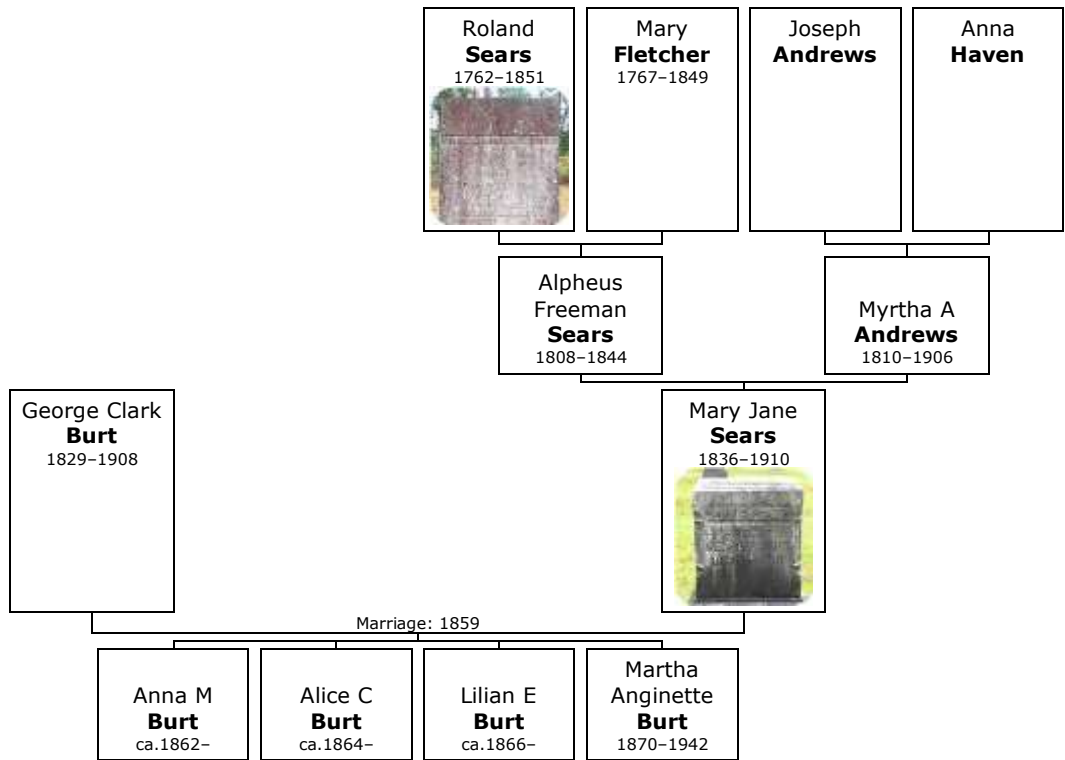


- 114. Ama Amanda<sup>6</sup> Robinson** (*Ama Fletcher<sup>5</sup> Sears, Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> December 1827, in perh, Greenwich, Hampshire, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[155]</sup> She was the daughter of Smith Robinson (18) and Ama Fletcher Sears (17).

!S.P. May p.299 Records her name as Anna Amanda. Lives in Rockford, IL  
 -----Original Message----- From: John D. Howard [mailto:hjhjl@erols.com] Sent: Wednesday, September 11, 2002 11:32 PM To: LRSEARS@capecod.net Subject: Anna Amanda Robinson Dear sir or madam: On your Sears genealogy url: <http://www.genealogy.org/~lrsears/richard/d0007/g0000641.htm> you have Anna Amanda Robinson, reference #3402. My mother Nancy deBeers is greatgranddaughter of same (and Judge Horace Willard Taylor), and she has a book with the same A. A. Taylor's signature. The signature in the book [Chaucer's Poems] owned by Nancy deB Howard is as follows: 'Ama A. Taylor Feb. 1889' I noticed this just a few weeks ago. So, I believe her first name is Ama, and that is also how Nancy deBeers Howard remembers it to be. Sincerely, John Howard

- 115.** Ama Amanda married **Judge Horace W Taylor** in 1852. Horace W was born in Granby in 1823.

**Family of Mary Sears and George Burt**



<sup>155</sup> National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, Daughters of the American Revolution Lineage Books (152 Vols.) (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2000), Ancestry.com.

- 116. Mary Jane<sup>6</sup> Sears** (*Alpheus Freeman<sup>5</sup>, Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1836, in New Salem, Franklin, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[156-158]</sup> She was the daughter of Alpheus Freeman Sears (19) and Myrtha A Andrews (20).



Mary Jane Sears

Mary Jane died in Orange in 1910 at the age of 73.<sup>[158, 159]</sup> She was buried in New Salem.<sup>[158]</sup>

!S P May No 3212

More facts and events for Mary Jane Sears:

Residence: 1870 New Salem<sup>[156]</sup>

Post Office: New Salem

Residence: 1880 New Salem<sup>[157]</sup>

Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Wife

- 117.** At the age of 22, Mary Jane married **George Clark Burt** on Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> February 1859, in New Salem when he was 29 years old. They had four children.

George Clark was born in Barre, Worcester, on Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> September 1829.<sup>[157, 158]</sup> He reached 78 years of age and died on 30<sup>th</sup> March 1908.<sup>[158]</sup> George Clark was buried in New Salem.<sup>[158]</sup>

More facts and events for George Clark Burt:

Residence: 1880 New Salem<sup>[157]</sup>

Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Self

Children of Mary Jane Sears and George Clark Burt:

- f I. **Anna M<sup>7</sup> Burt** was born in Massachusetts about 1862.<sup>[157]</sup>

More facts and events for Anna M Burt:

Residence: 1880 New Salem<sup>[157]</sup>

Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Daughter

- f II. **Alice C Burt** was born in Massachusetts about 1864.

More facts and events for Alice C Burt:

Residence: 1880 New Salem

Marital status: Single; Relation to Head of House: Daughter

<sup>156</sup> Ancestry.com, 1870 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1870; Census Place: New Salem, Franklin, Massachusetts; Roll: M593\_615; Page: 294B; Image: 330295; Family History Library Film: 552114.  
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<sup>157</sup> 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: New Salem, Franklin, Massachusetts; Roll: 533; Family History Film: 1254533; Page: 150B; Enumeration District: 255; Image: 0302.  
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<sup>158</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

<sup>159</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Index, 1901-1980 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.  
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f III. **Lilian E Burt** was born in Massachusetts about 1866.<sup>[157]</sup>

More facts and events for Lilian E Burt:

Residence: 1880 New Salem<sup>[157]</sup>

Marital status: Single; Relation to Head of House:  
Daughter

IV. **Martha Anginette Burt** was born in New Salem, Franklin, Massachusetts, on 10<sup>th</sup> February 1870.<sup>[158]</sup> He or she died in Stockton, San Joaquin, California, on 20<sup>th</sup> September 1942, at the age of 72.<sup>[158]</sup> Martha Anginette was buried in Stockton.<sup>[158]</sup>



Figure 54: 1870 United States Federal Census

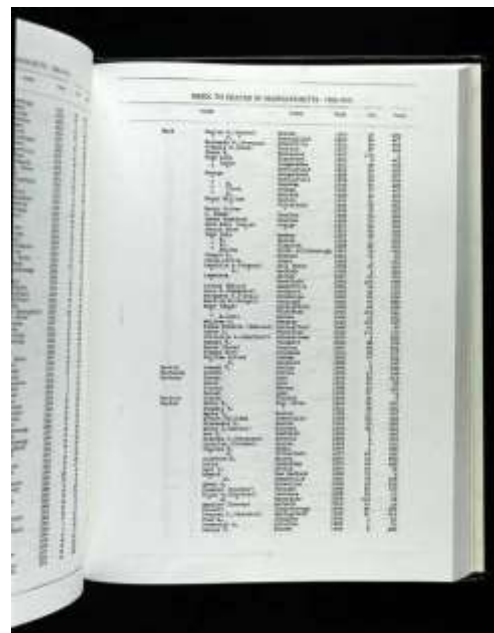


Figure 55: Massachusetts, Death Index, 1901-1980

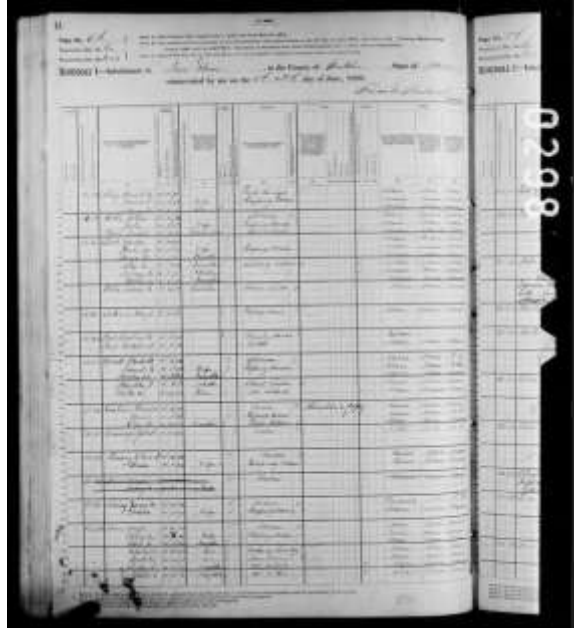


Figure 56: 1880 United States Federal Census

### Charles Sears

**118. Charles Mortimer<sup>6</sup> Sears** (*Alpheus Freeman<sup>5</sup>, Dea. Roland<sup>4</sup>, Freeman<sup>3</sup>, Roland<sup>2</sup>*) was born on Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> April 1842, in New Salem, Franklin, Massachusetts, USA.<sup>[160-164]</sup> He was the son of Alpheus Freeman Sears (19) and Myrtha A Andrews (20).

Charles Mortimer died in Athol on 28<sup>th</sup> September 1885, at the age of 43.<sup>[160]</sup>

!S.P. May No 3214 p.542 Was of firm Brooks & Sears, grocers, Athol, AM

!Athol, Massachusetts Directories, 1885    Name Business Name Occupation Location 1

Location 2 City State Year    Charles M. Sears Brooks & Sears    Main corner

Riverbend Athol MA 1885

!also may be his son? Athol, Massachusetts Directories, 1897

!Name Business Name Occupation Location 1 Location 2 City State Year    Charles

<sup>160</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Death Records, 1841-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

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<sup>161</sup> 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 Marsh.

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<sup>162</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Marriage Records, 1840-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

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<sup>163</sup> 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: Athol, Worcester, Massachusetts; Roll: 564; Family History Film: 1254564; Page: 230A; Enumeration District: 839; Image: 0461.

[Source citation includes one media item]

<sup>164</sup> Ancestry.com, 1870 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009), Ancestry.com, Year: 1870; Census Place: Athol, Worcester, Massachusetts; Roll: M593\_651; Page: 290B; Family History Library Film: 552150.

[Source citation includes one media item]

Sears Charles M. Lee's Sons employed boards 249 Hapgood Athol MA 1897  
!Mass death records Sears Charles M. Athol 1885 vol 366 p377 Death

More facts and events for Charles Mortimer Sears:

Residence: 1<sup>st</sup> July 1863                      New Salem, Franklin<sup>[161]</sup>  
Marital Status: Unmarried  
Residence: 1870                                  Athol, Worcester<sup>[164]</sup>  
Residence Post Office: Templeton  
Residence: 1880                                  Athol<sup>[163]</sup>  
Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House:  
Self

Marriages with Anna Flower Annie Chapin and Annis Jane Smith (Page 128) are known.

**3214.**  
CHARLES M. SEARS<sup>8</sup> [*Alpheus<sup>8</sup>, Roland<sup>8</sup>, Freeman<sup>8</sup>,  
Roland<sup>8</sup>, Jos.<sup>3</sup>, Silas<sup>2</sup>, Rich.<sup>2</sup>], b. New Salem, Mass., Apr. 4,  
1842; d. Athol, Mass., Sep. 28, 1885, m. 43; m. Hartford, Ct.,  
Sep. 15, 1863, *Annie F. Chapin*, who d. Apr. 9, 1868, m. 23;  
2d, Athol, Nov. 10, 1870, *Annis J. Smith*, she b. Watertown,  
N. Y. Children:  
4057. i. *Son*, b. Athol; is a book-keeper in wholesale grocery,  
Chicago, Ill.  
4058. ii. *Son*.  
4059. iii. *Dau*.  
Was of firm Brooks & Sears, grocers, Athol, Mass.*

Figure 57: spm542c



Figure 58: 1870 United States Federal Census

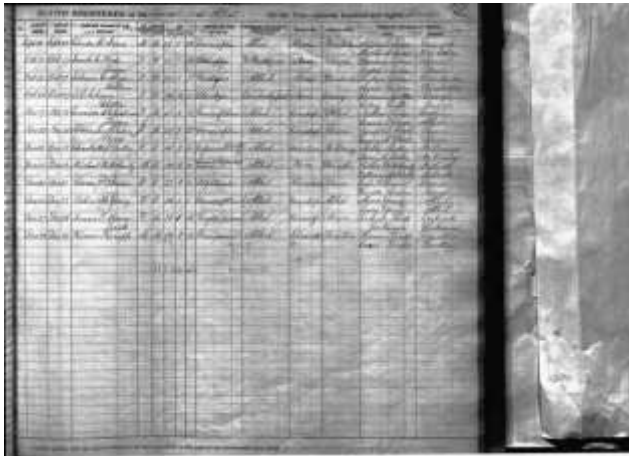
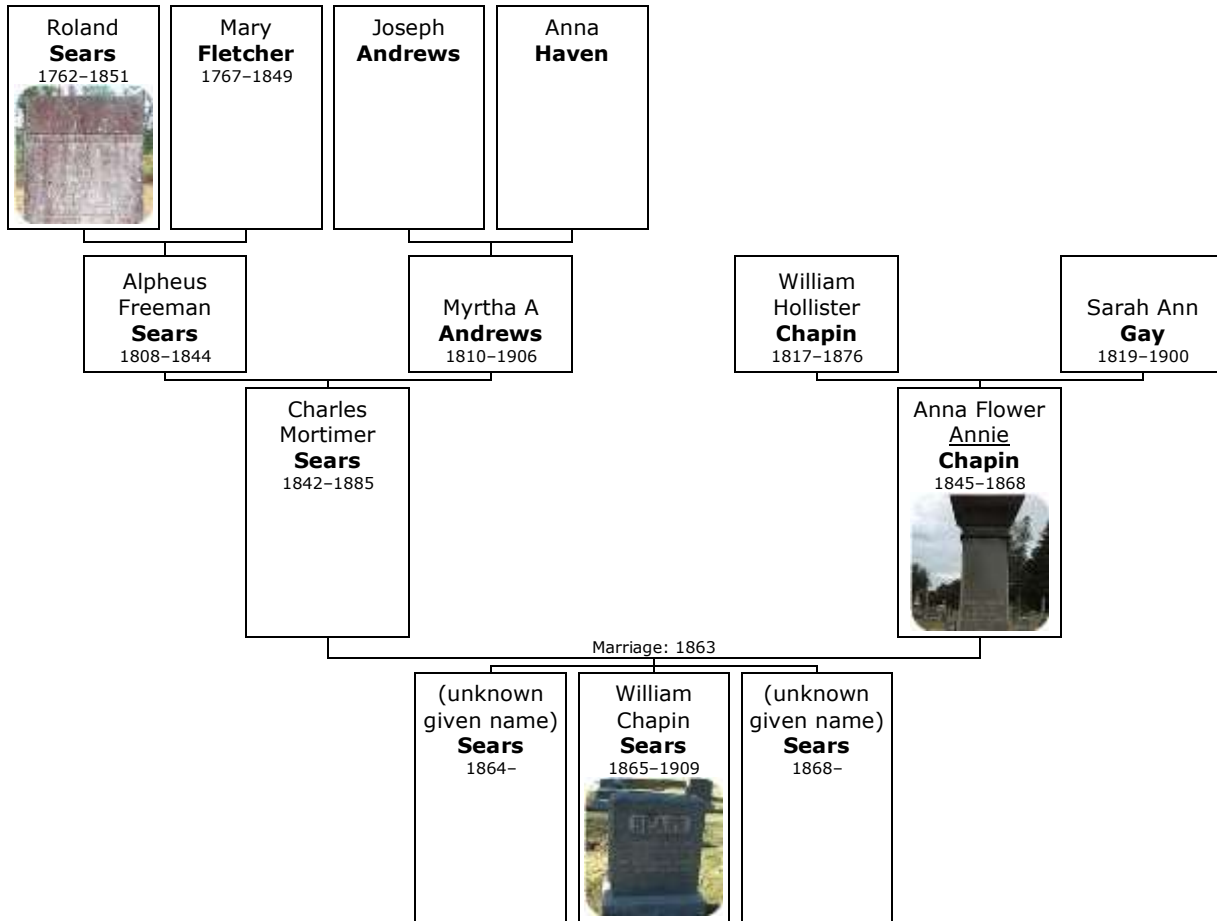


Figure 59: Massachusetts, Death Records,  
1841-1915



Figure 60: U.S., Civil War Draft Registrations  
Records, 1863-1865

## Family of Charles Sears and Annie Chapin



Here are the details about **Charles Mortimer Sears** first marriage, with Anna Flower Annie Chapin. You can read more about Charles Mortimer on page 124.

- 119.** Charles Mortimer Sears married **Anna Flower Annie Chapin** on Tuesday, 15<sup>th</sup> September 1863, in Hartford, Connecticut. They had three children.

Annie was born in perh, Hartford, in 1845.<sup>[165-167]</sup> She was the daughter of William Hollister Chapin and Sarah Ann Gay.

Annie reached 23 years of age and died in Hartford on 9<sup>th</sup> April 1868.<sup>[165, 166, 168]</sup> She was buried in Hartford.<sup>[165, 166, 168]</sup> Anna Flower Annie Chapin



<sup>165</sup> 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]

<sup>166</sup> Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Deaths and Burials Index, 1650-1934 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2011), Ancestry.com.

<sup>167</sup> 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]

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

Children of Charles Mortimer Sears and Anna Flower Annie Chapin:

- m I. **(unknown given name)<sup>7</sup> Sears** was born in Athol, Worcester, Massachusetts, in 1864.
- m II. **William Chapin Sears** was born in New Salem, Franklin, on 18<sup>th</sup> December 1865.<sup>[163, 167-169]</sup> He died on 21<sup>st</sup> August 1909, at the age of 43.<sup>[168]</sup> William Chapin was buried in Denver, Denver, Colorado.<sup>[168]</sup>



William

More facts and events for William Chapin Sears:

Residence: 1880 Athol, Worcester, Massachusetts<sup>[163]</sup>

Marital status: Single; Relation to Head of House: Son

- f III. **(unknown given name) Sears** was born in perh, Athol, Worcester, in 1868.

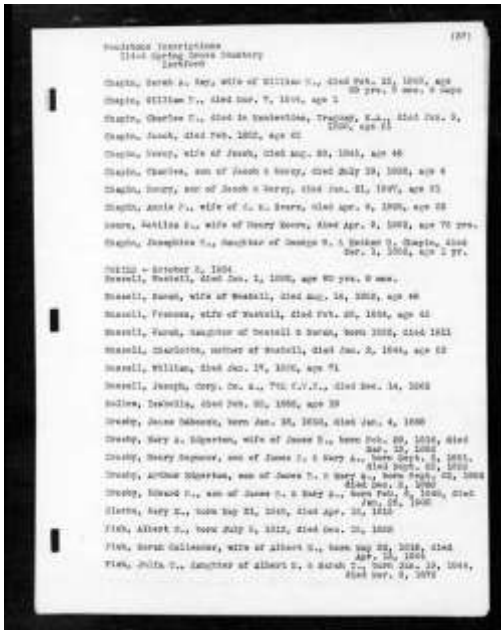


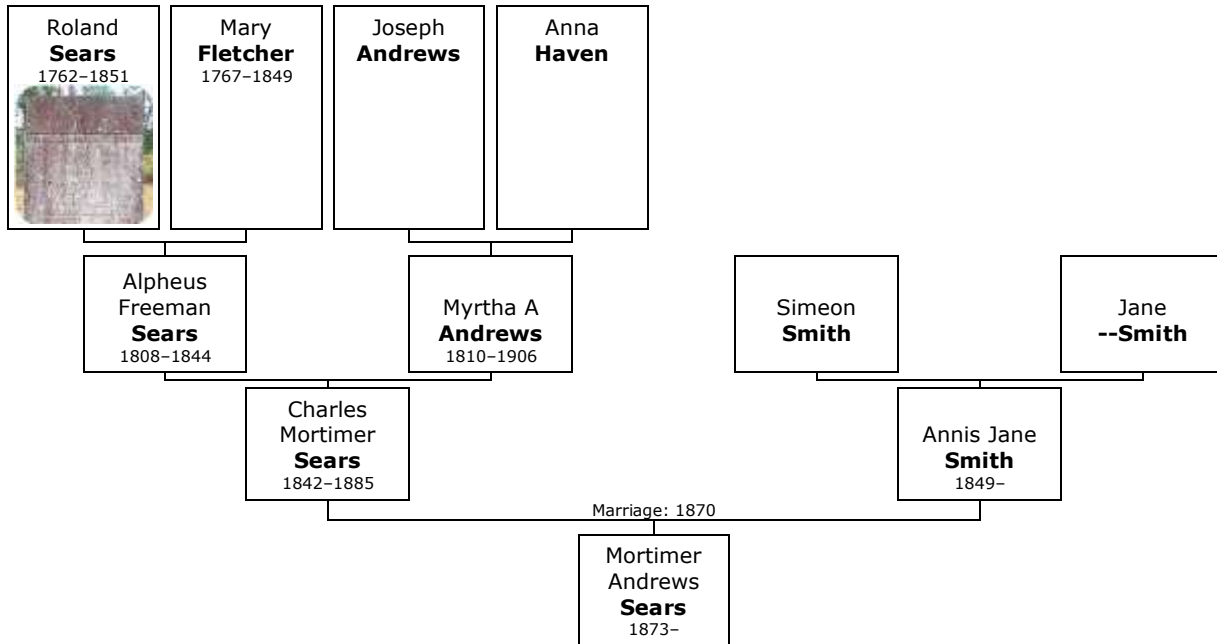
Figure 61: Connecticut, Hale Cemetery Inscriptions and Newspaper Notices, 1629-1934



Figure 62: Massachusetts, Town and Vital Records, 1620-1888

<sup>169</sup> Ancestry.com, Massachusetts, Birth Records, 1840-1915 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2013), Ancestry.com.

## Family of Charles Sears and Annis Smith



Here are the details about **Charles Mortimer Sears** second marriage, with Annis Jane Smith. You can read more about Charles Mortimer on page 124.

- 120.** Charles Mortimer Sears married **Annis Jane Smith** on Thursday, 10<sup>th</sup> November 1870, in Athol, Worcester.<sup>[162]</sup> They had one son.

Annis Jane was born in Watertown, Jefferson, New York, in 1849.<sup>[162, 163]</sup> She was the daughter of Simeon Smith and Jane --Smith.

More facts and events for Annis Jane Smith:

Residence: 1880 Athol<sup>[163]</sup>

Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Wife

Son of Charles Mortimer Sears and Annis Jane Smith:

- m I. **Mortimer Andrews<sup>7</sup> Sears** was born in New York on 5<sup>th</sup> January 1873.<sup>[163, 170-174]</sup>

<sup>170</sup> Ancestry.com, 1910 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2006), Ancestry.com, Year: 1910; Census Place: Denver Ward 15, Denver, Colorado; Roll: T624\_118; Page: 2A; Enumeration District: 0186; FHL microfilm: 1374131.

<sup>171</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2005), Ancestry.com, Registration State: West Virginia; Registration County: Wayne; Roll: 1992487; Draft Board: 1.

<sup>172</sup> Ancestry.com, 1930 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2002), Ancestry.com, Year: 1930; Census Place: Washington, Washington, District of Columbia; Roll: 297; Page: 12A; Enumeration District: 0199; Image: 657.0; FHL microfilm: 2340032.

<sup>173</sup> Ancestry.com, 1920 United States Federal Census (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010), Ancestry.com, Year: 1920; Census Place: Huntington Ward 3, Cabell, West Virginia; Roll: T625\_1950; Page: 7A; Enumeration District: 25.

<sup>174</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S. School Yearbooks, 1880-2012 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010), Ancestry.com, "U.S., School Yearbooks, 1880-2012"; Yearbook Title: Technique; Year: 1897.



More facts and events for Mortimer Andrews Sears:

- Residence: 1880 Athol, Worcester, Massachusetts<sup>[163]</sup>  
Marital status: Single; Relation to Head of House: Son
- Residence: 1897 Cambridge, Middlesex<sup>[174]</sup>
- Residence: 1910 Ward 15, Denver, Denver, Colorado<sup>[170]</sup>  
Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Head
- Residence: 1920 Ward 3, Huntington, Cabell, West Virginia<sup>[173]</sup>  
Relation to Head: Head; Residence Marital Status: Married
- Residence: 1930 Washington, District of Columbia<sup>[172]</sup>  
Marital Status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Head
- Residence: Huntington, Wayne, West Virginia<sup>[171]</sup>

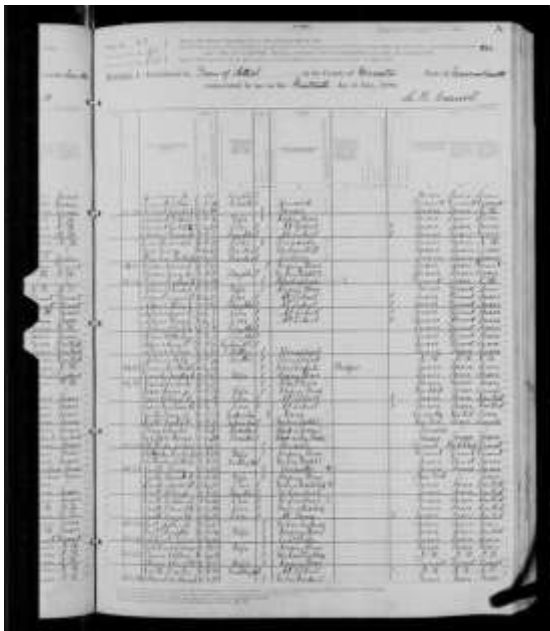
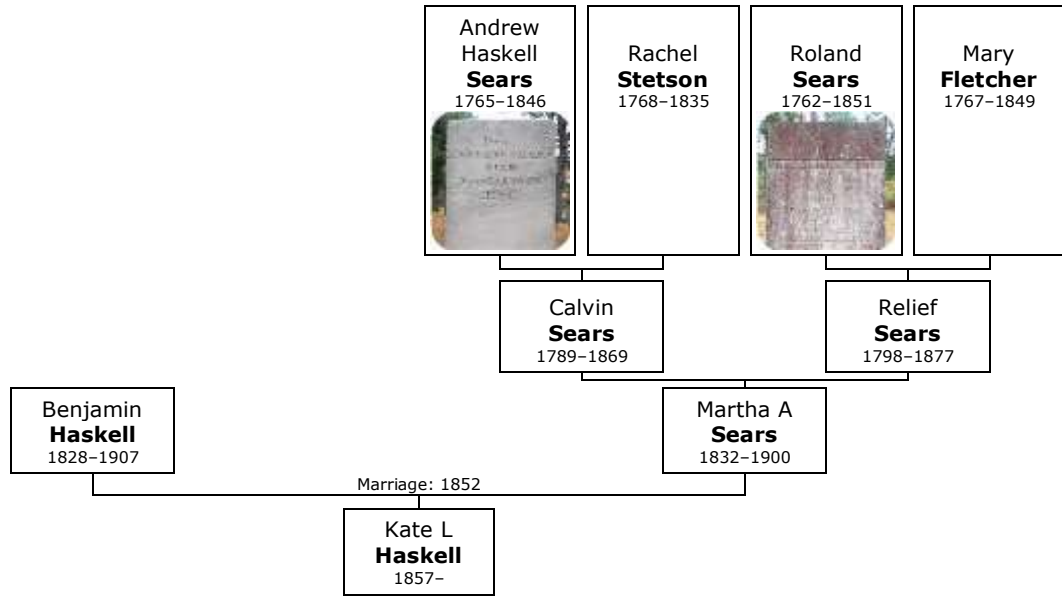


Figure 63: 1880 United States Federal Census



Figure 64: Massachusetts, Marriage Records, 1840-1915

## Family of Martha Sears and Benjamin Haskell



- 121. Martha A<sup>6</sup> Sears** (*Relief<sup>5</sup>*) was born on Saturday, 10<sup>th</sup> November 1832, in perh, Hartford, Connecticut, USA.<sup>[175, 176]</sup> She was the daughter of Calvin Sears (78) and Relief Sears (79).

Martha A died in perh, Kansas, in 1900 at the age of 67.<sup>[175]</sup> She was buried in Atchison, Atchison.<sup>[175]</sup>

!S.P. May No 3217 p.450 lives in Atchison, grad. Hartford High School, 1849

!1880 United States Federal Census

&lthttp://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=6742&gt Name: Martha Haskell  
Home in 1880: Atchison City, Atchison, Kansas Age: 48 Estimated birth year: abt 1832 Birthplace: Connecticut Relation to Head of Household: Wife Spouse's name: Benj. Father's birthplace: Massachusetts Mother's birthplace: Massachusetts Occupation: Keeping House Marital Status: Married Race: White Gender: Female Household Members: Name Age Benj. Haskell 52 Martha Haskell 48 Kate L. Haskell 22 Fred P. Holt 19 Regina M. Holt 21

More facts and events for Martha A Sears:

Residence: 1880 Atchison<sup>[176]</sup>

Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Wife

Residence: Hartford, Connecticut<sup>[177]</sup>

- 122.** Martha A married **Benjamin Haskell** on Monday, 29<sup>th</sup> November 1852, in Hartford.<sup>[177]</sup> They had one daughter.

<sup>175</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Find A Grave Index, 1600s-Current (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2012), Ancestry.com.

<sup>176</sup> 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: Atchison City, Atchison, Kansas; Roll: 372; Family History Film: 1254372; Page: 247C; Enumeration District: 001; Image: 0499. [Source citation includes one media item]

<sup>177</sup> Ancestry.com, Connecticut, Town Marriage Records, pre-1870 (Barbour Collection) (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2006), Ancestry.com. [Source citation includes one media item]

Benjamin was born in New Salem, Franklin, Massachusetts, in October 1828.<sup>[175, 176]</sup> He reached 78 years of age and died in Atchison, Atchison, Kansas, on 9<sup>th</sup> January 1907.<sup>[175]</sup> Benjamin was buried in Atchison.<sup>[175]</sup>

More facts and events for Benjamin Haskell:

Residence: 1880 Atchison<sup>[176]</sup>

Marital status: Married; Relation to Head of House: Self

Residence: Hartford, Connecticut<sup>[177]</sup>

Daughter of Martha A Sears and Benjamin Haskell:

f I. **Kate L<sup>7</sup> Haskell** was born in Connecticut on 26<sup>th</sup> September 1857.<sup>[176]</sup>

More facts and events for Kate L Haskell:

Residence: 1880 Atchison<sup>[176]</sup>

Marital status: Single; Relation to Head of House: Daughter



Figure 65: sears\_martha\_a\_1831

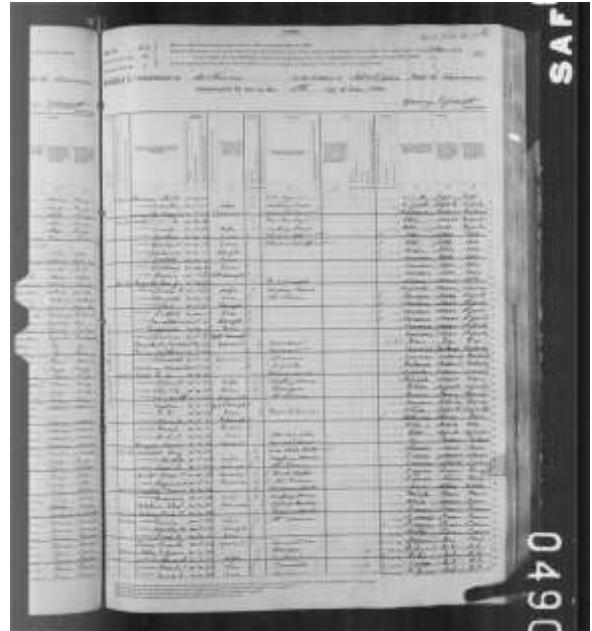
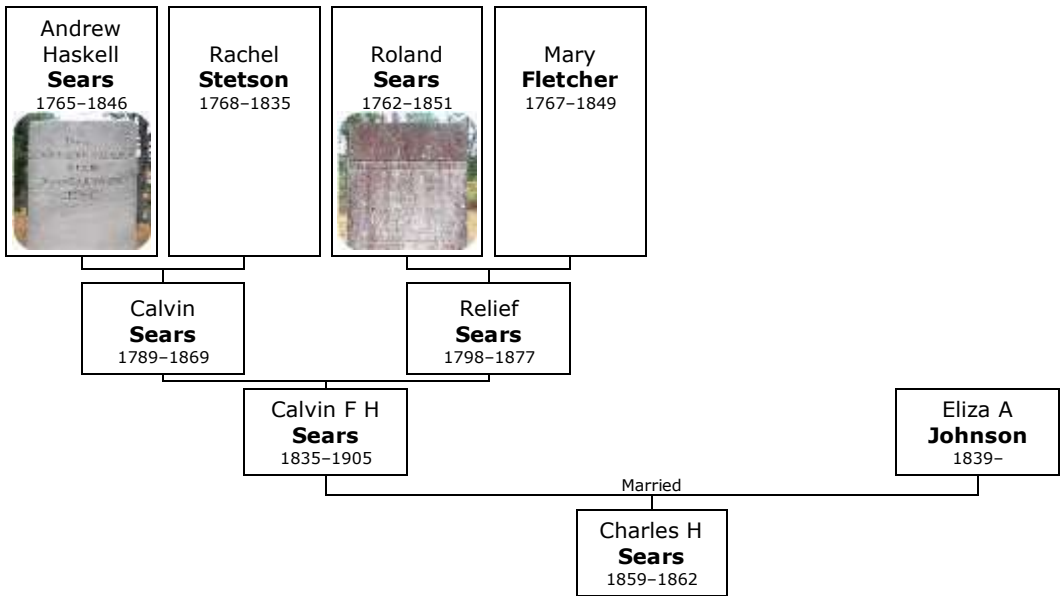


Figure 66: 1880 United States Federal Census

Figure 67: Connecticut, Town Marriage Records, pre-1870 (Barbour Collection)

Figure 68: Connecticut, Town Marriage Records, pre-1870 (Barbour Collection)

**Family of Calvin Sears and Eliza Johnson**



**123. Calvin F H<sup>6</sup> Sears (Relief<sup>f</sup>)** was born in January 1835 in Hartford, Connecticut, USA. He was the son of Calvin Sears (78) and Relief Sears (79).

Calvin F H died in 1905 at the age of 70.

!S.P. May No 3218 p.450 lives Hartford

!1860 Census Name: Calvin H Sears Age in 1860: 24 Birthplace: Connecticut Home in 1860: Hartford District 1, Hartford, Connecticut Gender: Male Head of Household: Calvin Sears pollisher

**124. Calvin F H** married **Eliza A Johnson** in Hartford. They had one son.

Eliza A was born in perh, Hartford, in 1839.

Son of Calvin F H Sears and Eliza A Johnson:

- m I. **Charles H<sup>7</sup> Sears** was born in Connecticut in 1859.<sup>[178, 179]</sup> He died in Hartford, Hartford, Connecticut, on 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1862, at the age of 3.<sup>[178, 179]</sup>

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<sup>178</sup> Ancestry.com, U.S., Newspaper Extractions from the Northeast, 1704-1930 (Provo, UT, USA, Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014), Ancestry.com.

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