

Part 11  
Hagar - Hubbard

**CHARLES HAGAR**

The son of Daniel, he was born in Wendell 15 Oct. 1811 and died 31 July 1890 of “heart” in Deerfield. <sup>1</sup> No original record of his birth or the names of his parents was found. His will said...*to my beloved wife Myra Hager I give devise and bequeath a good and comfortable support in sickness and in health during her natural life with all things she needs to be provided for her as she has heretofore been accustomed to have to be provided for her here on our homestead.* <sup>2</sup> In Oct. 1885 he added a first codicil stipulating that if his wife predeceased him, his life insurance should go to his children. In Sept. of 1888 he added a second codicil and decreased the bequest to his daughter Lydia from \$500 to \$200. He married Myra Felton, born 15 Oct. 1811 in Deerfield and died of old age, in Deerfield, just a few days before her 84th birthday, 6 Oct. 1895. <sup>3</sup> They had five children:

**Dexter**, b. 4 May 1840 and has his own entry

**Fanny**, b. 17 March 1842 and d. 4 March 1866 of typhoid fever, in Deerfield.

**Lydia**, b. 23 March 1845 and d. after 1930 when she was widowed and living in Deerfield with her daughter. She m. Lucien Leon Eaton of Deerfield.

**Otis**, b. 20 Oct. 1849 and has his own entry

**Martin**, b. 16 Sept. 1851 and d. of “acute peritonosis” in Deerfield, 14 Feb. 1892. <sup>4</sup> He m. Ida Judd of Ohio.

**DEXTER HAGAR**

The son of Charles and Myra (Felton) Hagar, Dexter was born 4 May 1840 and died in Jan. 1923. <sup>5</sup> He married (1) Abigail Perry who was born in 1841 and died of pneumonia, 20 May 1887, in Deerfield. <sup>6</sup> He married (2) Harriet Wheaton who was born in 1851 and died in 1925. <sup>7</sup> In 1878, together with his father and his brothers he purchased the Abraham Parker farm located just south of the Deerfield line in Whately. In 1880 Dexter along with his father Charles and Martin were living in three adjacent households in Deerfield and his brother Otis was living on the former Parker Farm in Whately. In 1900, however, Dexter and his second wife were living in Whately along with her mother Almira Fuller Wheaton. Almira died in Whately, 12 March 1910 of heart disease. <sup>8</sup>

Children of Dexter and Abigail:

**Charles**, b. 1873 and d. 1944. He became a minister. He married Lucy Sawyer of Vermont.

**Myra**, b. 1877 and d. 1920 of chronic nephritis. She was a trained nurse and did not marry.

Children of Dexter and Harriet:

**Myron**, b. 1882 and d. 1934. In 1909 he m. Marion Warner of Sunderland but the marriage was recorded in Whately.

**Robert**, b. 1889 and d. 1926. He did not marry.

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<sup>1</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Deerfield BMD*, Image 463 of 481

<sup>2</sup> *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case #10244

<sup>3</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 582 of 2157

<sup>4</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 505 of 1949

<sup>5</sup> Brookside Cemetery, South Deerfield MA #

<sup>6</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 349 of 1411

<sup>7</sup> Brookside Cemetery, South Deerfield MA #

<sup>8</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 5 of 15

## **OTIS HAGAR**

The son of Charles and Myra (Felton) Hagar, he was born 20 Oct. 1849 and died in 1947.<sup>9</sup> He married Jane Elizabeth, daughter of Elijah Dwight **SANDERSON** (30) of Whately. They had four children:

**Zelinda**, b. 17 March 1878 in Conway and d. in 1962. She was a stenographer and worked for the Northern Pacific Railway. She did not marry.

**Warren**, b. 23 Sept. 1879 in Whately and d. in 1922. He m. Jessie Allen.

**Laura**, b. 22 Oct. 1881 in Whately and died 1950 in Florida. She did not marry.

**Ruth**, b. 23 Nov. 1883 and d. 1974 in Florida. She m. Benjamin Forbell.

## **JOHN HALLORAN**

The son of Michael and Katherine (Conkley) Halloran, he was born in Ireland in 1831 and died of "natural causes" in Whately, 9 April 1909.<sup>10</sup> He married Hannah Fitzgerald who was born in 1834 and died of cancer, in Whately, 30 April 1899.<sup>11</sup> John and Hannah had four children born in Northampton before the family came to Whately and Crafts mentioned three others, but no records were found.

**Eliza**, b. 25 April 1860 and d. that same month.<sup>12</sup> No cause was recorded.

**Kate**, b. 29 May 1861 in Northampton and d. in 1938.<sup>13</sup> She did not marry.

**Michael Joseph**, b. 27 May 1862 and has his own entry

**James**, b. 6 Aug. 1864. He is included in a list of men *among the latest victims of the Klondike fever to leave here for the West...James Halloran of Wheatley.*<sup>14</sup>

**Mary Ellen**, his twin, b. 6 Aug. 1864. No further record and not with the family in 1870.



## **Great Klondike Stampede**

### **MICHAEL J. HALLORAN**

The son of John and Hannah (Fitzgerald) Halloran, he was born 27 May 1862 and died at an unknown date but after 1940 when he was enumerated in Whately and when he sold the family property to Stanley and Rose Lisewski. He stayed in Whately and lived with his sister Kate.

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<sup>9</sup> *Massachusetts Death Index, 1901 – 1980*, Image 212 of 568

<sup>10</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 5 of 18

<sup>11</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 436 of 464

<sup>12</sup> *U.S. Federal mortality Schedules, 1850 – 1885*, Image 12 of 74

<sup>13</sup> Saint Mary Cemetery, Northampton MA #98242945

<sup>14</sup> *St. Paul Globe*, 14 Feb. 1898, page 4

## **MICHAEL HANRAHAN**

The name is seen in many variations (Hanrahan, Handrahan, Handerhand, etc.). Michael was born 1818 in Ireland, the son of Thomas and Margaret (Reardon) Hanrahan and died 17 Oct. 1908 of arteriosclerosis, in South Deerfield.<sup>15</sup> He married Mary, daughter of Nicholas **HEAFEY** of Whately. She died of Bright's Disease on 9 May 1882, in Whately.<sup>16</sup> In 1865 they were enumerated as Hendren, in 1870 as Hunter and in 1880 as Heindon. They had seven children. Although Crafts provided birth dates, there are no corresponding records in Whately. There is an intriguing bit in the newspaper on 7 Dec. 1901: *James Sullivan of Whately was charged with assault on Michael Hanrahan. The latter is an old man who lives with Sullivan. The two had been to a dance. Hanrahan got notsy on his return and Sullivan shook him up a little. He was found guilty, and his case was filed away.*<sup>17</sup>

**Thomas**, b. 1 Feb 1856 and d. in 1920.<sup>18</sup> His grave record says he was born in East Guilford, Vermont. He m. Mary Hennessey.

**Nancy**, b. 1857 and d. 22 March 1892, in Deerfield, of tuberculosis.<sup>19</sup> She m. William **CONNELLY** of Whately.

**Margaret**, b. 1859 and d. after 1940 when she was widowed and living with a son in Deerfield. She m. John **CALLAHAN** of Whately.

**Nicholas**, b. 3 April 1863 and d. at an unknown date and place. He was with the family in 1870 and 1880.

**John**, b. 22 Feb. 1864 and d. after 1940 when he was 76 and living in Deerfield with his sister Callahan. He does not appear to have married. .

**Joanna**, b. 2 Aug. 1866 and d. at an unknown date and place. She was with the family in 1870 and 1880.

**Mary**, b. 8 May 1869 and d. of cholera infantum, aged three days.<sup>20</sup>

## **SAMUEL HARDING**

Samuel, son of Samuel and Mary (Cutler) Harding was born in Medway on 27 June 1728. He died 4 May 1806 in Deerfield.<sup>21</sup> He m. (1) Abigail Fisher, 1748 in Wrentham. She was born 1729 in Dedham and died 1756 in Woodstock, Connecticut.<sup>22</sup> He married (2) Dinah Johnson. In his book Crafts called Samuel Harding "of Deerfield" but notes that that part of Deerfield became Whately in 1810.

Children of Samuel and Abigail:

**Abigail**, no supporting records found.

**Timothy**, b. 1749 and d. 1823.<sup>23</sup> He m. Levina Perrin of Woodstock.

**Cornelius**, b. 1755 and d. 1765.<sup>24</sup>

Children of Samuel and Dinah:

**Anna**, b. 1758 and d. 1765.<sup>25</sup>

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<sup>15</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 32 of 42

<sup>16</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 352 of 1268

<sup>17</sup> *Greenfield Gazette and Courier*, 7 Dec. 1901, p. 3

<sup>18</sup> Saint Michael's Cemetery, Springfield MA #75852559

<sup>19</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 505 of 1949

<sup>20</sup> Saint Mary Cemetery, Northampton MA #101825287

<sup>21</sup> Sugarloaf Street Cemetery, South Deerfield MA #93523704

<sup>22</sup> Bungay Cemetery, West Woodstock CT #72814603

<sup>23</sup> Burns Cemetery, Pomfret VT #157655990

<sup>24</sup> Bungay Cemetery, West Woodstock CT #72814605

<sup>25</sup> Bungay Cemetery, West Woodstock CT #72814604

**Abiel**, b. 1 Aug. 1760 and d. 18 Oct. 1851.<sup>26</sup> He m. Olive, daughter of John **SMITH** of Whately. They were the parents of 12 children including the famous portrait artist Chester Harding.

**Abijah**, b. 1761 and has his own entry. .

**Keziah**, b. 19 May 1762 in Woodstock and m. Daniel Graves of Sunderland in 1787. The marriage took place in Whately. Death records not found for either.

**Esther**, b. 1764 and d. of a fever, 4 May 1850, in Whately.<sup>27</sup> She married Justin **MORTON (13)** of Whately.



**Chester Harding's Portrait of Daniel Boone**

### **ABIJAH HARDING**

The son of Samuel and Diana (Johnson) Harding, he was born 1 Aug. 1761 and died 2 March 1844.<sup>28</sup> He married (1) Lydia, daughter of Gideon **DICKINSON 21** of Whately and (2) Elizabeth, widow of Abraham **SCOTT (21)** of Whately and daughter of Philip **SMITH (6)** of Whately.

**Electa**, b. 26 March 1800 in Deerfield and d. 31 Dec. 1876 in Worthington.<sup>29</sup> She m. Caleb Dodge.

**Lyman**, b. 1792 and has his own entry

**Statira**, b. 3 March 1796 and d. 30 Jan. 1880.<sup>30</sup> She m. Othniel Hannum of Deerfield.

**Julia**, b. 23 Dec. 1793 and d. 7 Nov. 1809.<sup>31</sup> She did not marry.

**Maria Parisates**, b. 3 May 1798 in Deerfield and d. 22 Feb. 1873 in Whately.<sup>32</sup> She m. Abel **SCOTT (28)** of Whately.

**Lewis**, b. 20 May 1804 in Deerfield and d. 3 Dec. 1838 in Deerfield. He did not marry and left a will bequeathing jointly to his parents, Abijah and Elizabeth and to his sister, Statira and Julia, jointly and in common, *the use, profit and benefit od my whole estates, real and personal, for and during the term of their natural lives.* He imposed the condition that if any of the four

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<sup>26</sup> Myrtle Hill Cemetery, Barre NY #71774768

<sup>27</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 384 of 464

<sup>28</sup> Sugarloaf Street Cemetery, South Deerfield MA #93523545

<sup>29</sup> Ringville Cemetery, Worthington MA #55260999

<sup>30</sup> Sugarloaf Street Cemetery, Deerfield MA #117250219

<sup>31</sup> Sugarloaf Street Cemetery, Deerfield MA #122089814

<sup>32</sup> Center Cemetery, Whately #127268462

should not continue to reside at his estate they would no longer benefit *to any part of the income arising thereon.*

### **LYMAN HARDING**

The son of Abijah and Lydia (**DICKINSON**) Harding, he was born in 1792 in Deerfield and died 18 July 1866 in Greenfield.<sup>33</sup> He married Sylvia, daughter of Quartus Smith of Sunderland. She was born in 1797 and died of neuralgia and “chronic disease of the stomach” on 4 April 1873.<sup>34</sup> Lyman made his will on 7 July 1866 “knowing that my end is drawing near”. He left to his wife Sylvia, *all my household furniture and wearing apparel, my melodeon, my slip in the Congregational Church in Conway, my horseshed near said church together with all other property of which I may die seized or possessed real or personal to be disposed of by her as she may think best.* He named his son Smith Harding as executor but left nothing to Smith directly.

**Ruby**, b. ca. 1817 in Sunderland and d. of consumption 30 May 1850 in Whately.<sup>35</sup> She m. Samuel Billings of Hatfield.

**Smith**, b. 28 Feb. 1822 in Whately and d. 5 March 1905, of heart disease, in Westfield.<sup>36</sup> He m. (1) Eunice Tilton of Deerfield and (2) Jeannie McNully.

**Lota Jane**, b. 12 March 1829 in Whately and d. 10 July 1862 in Conway.<sup>37</sup> She m. George Washington Hamilton.

**Baxter**, b. c. 1830 in Whately and d. 17 July 1875. The cause of death is hard to read but may say “disease of the stomach.” He m. (1) Philena Stearns and (2) Mattie Jane Bridges.

**Sedgewick**, b. 30 June 1838 in Conway and d. 1918. He m. Ella Bradford

**Tyler**, b. 10 Dec. 1840 and d. 30 Dec. 1918 in Iowa.<sup>38</sup> He. M. Clara Stearns of Conway.

Five children of Lyman were baptized in Deerfield on 17 August 1836. Lota and Baxter are named above. Four others; Austin, Charles, Henry and Quartus are named in the record but not found elsewhere.



**Horsesheds at the Church**

### **REV. MILLARD FILLMORE HARDY**

The son of George and Mary (Stevens) Hardy, he was born in Nelson, New Hampshire 22 July 1850 and came to minister in Whately in 1879. He died of “bronchopneumonia” on 10 Feb 1937

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<sup>33</sup> Pine Grove Cemetery, Conway MA # 81243154

<sup>34</sup> Pine Grove Cemetery, Conway MA # 81243156

<sup>35</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 200 of 587

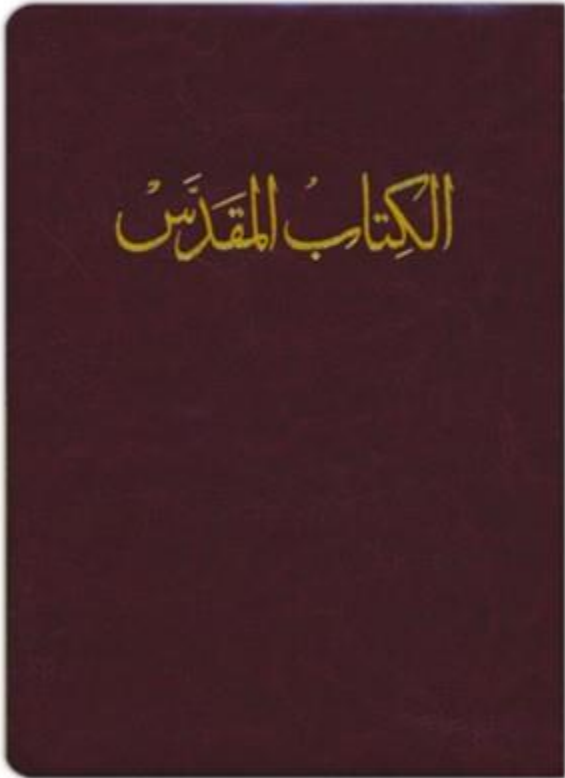
<sup>36</sup> Mill River Cemetery, Deerfield MA #89592387

<sup>37</sup> Howland Cemetery, Conway MA #82761767

<sup>38</sup> Glendale Cemetery, Des Moines IA #62280153

in Nelson. <sup>39</sup> He was single when he first came to Whately but married Irene Harrington of Troy, New Hampshire a year later. They had two children born in Whately, and three more born after they left.

**Bessie May**, b. 26 April 1882 and d. in Oct. 1891 in Nelson, New Hampshire. She was 99 years old. <sup>40</sup> She went to Turkey as a Christian missionary in 1913 and at the age of 40 married a fellow missionary, James Lyman, a clergyman from Illinois. Bessie Hardy Lyman spoke and read Arabic. Her husband died in Turkey in 1850 and she returned to live with her sister in New Hampshire.



#### **Arabic Bible**

**George**, b. 20 Aug. 1883 and d. 24 Sept. 1944, <sup>41</sup> probably in Newton, Massachusetts where he was living in 1940. He m. Lillian Cobb of Burlington, Vermont.

#### **LEMUEL GAY HARRIS**

The son of Lemuel and Persis (Fairman) Harris, he was born 14 Aug. 1814 in Huntington and died of “cancer of neck”, 29 March 1881 in Northampton. <sup>42</sup> He married Caroline, daughter of Seth **BELDEN (16)** She married (2) Horace Field She was born about 1821 and died in Agawam of “acute indigestion” on 8 June 1917. <sup>43</sup> Lemuel and Caroline had four children:

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<sup>39</sup> *New Hampshire Death and Disinterment Records, 1754 – 1947*, Image 1258 of 2370

<sup>40</sup> Nelson Cemetery, Nelson NH # 97218638

<sup>41</sup> *Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936 – 2007*. text only

<sup>42</sup> East Whately Cemetery # 127280971

<sup>43</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 29 of 62

**George**, b. 7 Oct. 1846 and d. in 1921.<sup>44</sup> He m. Elizabeth Sawtelle of Shrewsbury.

**Seth**, b. 17 April 1849 and d. of dysentery, 10 Sept. 1851.<sup>45</sup>

**William**, b. 6 July 1852 and d. 14 March 1855.<sup>46</sup>

**Caroline Marietta**, b. 26 Oct. 1857 in Kossuth County, Iowa and died in 1939.<sup>47</sup> For an unexplained reason she was born in Iowa. She was enumerated as a two-year-old child with her parents in Whately in 1860, and as a 12 year old with them in 1870 in Northampton. In 1879 she m. William H. Porter who was born in 1856 in Hatfield.

### **ELIHU HARVEY**

The son of Elihu and Lucy (Baker) Harvey, he was born in Montague 13 Jan. 1793 and died of old age, in Deerfield, 29 July 1878.<sup>48</sup> He married Submit, daughter of Isaac **SANDERSON (11)** of Whately. She was born in 1795 and died of consumption on 7 May 1846.<sup>49</sup> In 1871 he was included on a list of dog owners in Whately. Elihu and Submit had six children:

**Clymena**, b. 1815 and d. in Deerfield, 10 Sept. 1891 of “inflammation of the bowels”.<sup>50</sup> She m. Roderick Bannister **HARWOOD (8)** of Whately.

**Tryphena**, b. 1817 and d. after 1880 when she was living with her widowed sister, Clymena Harwood. She did not marry. The census record is inaccurate in listing her as Clymena’s mother-in-law.

**Isaac**, b. 1818, and d. of pneumonia on 26 March 1900. There are two death records for him, one giving place of death as Whately and the other, Northampton.<sup>51</sup> He did not marry.

**Lucy**, b. 5 Aug. 1821 and d. soon. Although Crafts includes her in the list of Harvey’s children, there are no supporting records.

**Stephen**, b. 1823 and has his own entry.

**Elihu**, b. 1826 and d. of cancer of the stomach, 20 April 1897.<sup>52</sup> He registered for the Civil War draft in Whately but there is no evidence that he served.<sup>53</sup> He did not marry.

### **STEPHEN HARVEY**

The son of Elihu and Submit (**SANDERSON**) Harvey, he was born in Whately 14 Dec. 1823 and died of gangrene, 26 March 1882, in Montague.<sup>54</sup> He was a member of Company D, 52 Massachusetts Infantry.<sup>55</sup> He married Sarah Best who was born in 1828 in England and died of heart disease, 6 Oct. 1905, in Whately.<sup>56</sup> In 1885 she married (2) as his second wife, Rufus D. **WAITE (60)** of Whately. Stephen and Sarah had twelve children.

**Albert**, b. 1848 and d. of a septic infection 18 Feb. 1910.<sup>57</sup> He died at the Dickinson Hospital and was residing in Northampton. He m. Margaret Fitzpatrick of Greenfield.

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<sup>44</sup> Bridge Street Cemetery, Northampton MA #188707616

<sup>45</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 204 of 616

<sup>46</sup> East Whately Cemetery # 127280973

<sup>47</sup> Agawan Center Cemetery, Agawam MA # 136196489

<sup>48</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Deerfield BMD*, Image 438 of 481

<sup>49</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 209 of 464

<sup>50</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 466 of 1811

<sup>51</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 438 of 464

<sup>52</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 433 of 464

<sup>53</sup> *U. S. Civil War Draft Registration Records, 1863 – 1865*, Image 244 of 719

<sup>54</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 340 of 1268

<sup>55</sup> *U.S. Civil War Soldier Records and profiles, 1861 – 1865*, text only

<sup>56</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 18 of 22

<sup>57</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 15 of 390

**Charles**, b. 1849 and d. after 1910 when he was living in Queens, New York. When he was 15 years old in 1865, he was living with his aunt and uncle, Clymena and Roderick **HARWOOD**. He m. Susan Danforth.

**Edward Smith** was b. in Whately in 1851 and d. after 1920 when he was living in Dalton, Massachusetts. He m. Florence Stearns of Springfield.

**Minnie**, b. 1855 and d. of pernicious anemia, in Hampden, 14 March 1937.<sup>58</sup> She m. (1) Frederick Shumway and (2) Dwight Horton.

**Alice**, b. 1857 and d. 27 July 1947.<sup>59</sup> In 1878 in Cuyahoga County, Ohio she m. Charles Watkins.

**Nellie**, b. 1858 and d. at an unknown date. Possibly the widow recorded as Nellie R. Harvey living in Springfield in 1930.

**Emma Josephine**, b. 1860 and d. of typhoid fever, 8 Jan. 1889, in Springfield.<sup>60</sup> She m. Richard Pearsall.

**Anna Gertrude**, b. 1863 and d. young. Included in Crafts but no supporting records.

**Cora**, b. 1864 and d. 12 March 1945.<sup>61</sup> In 1880 she was living in Springfield with her sister and brother-in-law, Nellie and Joseph Reece. She was 16 years old and enumerated as a servant. In 1887 she m. (1) Edward Dunham of Illinois. He d. of phthisis in Whately in Oct. 1900.<sup>62</sup> In April of 1903 she m. (2) Joseph Fairfield, the grandson of Isaiah **BROWN (15)** of Whately. Joseph was b. in 1846 and d. 27 July 2021.<sup>63</sup> A newspaper article dated 3 August 1921 tells of Joseph's death by suicide. *Years ago he was injured by an explosive he was using in clearing up a woodlot, causing total deafness and partial blindness. Of late his failing health undoubtedly clouded his mind and with the peculiar cunning of the suicidal mania he improved his opportunity to procure a stout cord and apparently counting on his opportunity to be left alone on Tuesday as an opportune time to carry out his purpose...*<sup>64</sup> Cora and Joseph had one daughter, Cora, b. 3 Oct. 1906 in Conway and d. 3 Oct. 1972.<sup>65</sup>

**Percy R.**, b. in 1866 and d. in 1948.<sup>66</sup> He m. Eva May, daughter of Elliott **WARNER** of Whately. She was b. 14 June 1870 and d. in 1940.<sup>67</sup> They had one son, **Roy Warren**, b. in Springfield in 1892 and d. in Conway in 1962.<sup>68</sup>

**Stephen Herbert**, b. 1868 and d. 1951.<sup>69</sup> His birth record is as Stephen H. but by the time of his marriage in 1888 he was recorded as Herbert S., and this was consistent in records including the tombstone. He m. Julia Daly of Springfield.

**Lydia Maud**, b. 6 Nov. 1869 and d. of cholera infantum, 10 Feb. 1870.<sup>70</sup>

## **DR. FRANCIS HARWOOD 6**

The son of Nathan and Huldah (Goddard) Harwood, and a descendant of Nathaniel who came from England to Boston in the 1660's, Francis was born 26 Oct. 1763 in Worcester and died in Whately 20 May 1835.<sup>71</sup> His property was on North Street.<sup>72</sup> He married Lucinda Forward of

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<sup>58</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Hampden BMD*, Image 362 of

<sup>59</sup> Fairplains Cemetery, Grand Rapids MI # 80597749

<sup>60</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 456 of 1528

<sup>61</sup> West Whately Cemetery # 30019064

<sup>62</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 770 of 2704

<sup>63</sup> West Whately Cemetery # 29765630

<sup>64</sup> *North Adams Transcript*, 3 August 1921

<sup>65</sup> Howland Cemetery, Conway MA # 90442945

<sup>66</sup> Howland Cemetery, Conway MA # 80423875

<sup>67</sup> Howland Cemetery, Conway MA #80423874

<sup>68</sup> Howland Cemetery, Conway MA # 80423877

<sup>69</sup> St. Michael's Cemetery, Springfield MA # 87961773

<sup>70</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 404 of 464

<sup>71</sup> Center Cemetery, Whately # 127195561



Belchertown. She was born in 1768 and died of old age, 5 Oct. 1856.<sup>73</sup> Francis and Lucinda had ten children, three born before coming to Whately and seven born in Whately.

**Joshua**, b. 25 Nov. 1790 and has his own entry (7)

**Roderick**, b. in 1792 and d. young.<sup>74</sup>

**Violet**, b. at an unknown date and died young.

**Roderick Bannister**, b. 29 Jan. 1795 and has his own entry (8)

**Alonzo**, b. in Whately 1 April 1797 and d. of consumption, 12 May 1817.<sup>75</sup>

**Myron**, b. 16 Aug. 1799 and has his own entry (9)

**Violet**, b. in 9 Sept. 1801 and d. 3 Sept. 1840.<sup>76</sup> She m. Chester **STOCKBRIDGE** (7) of Whately.

**Justus Forward**, b. 25 Oct. 1803 and has his own entry (10)

**Francis W.** b. 14 June 1806 and d. 11 April 1827.<sup>77</sup>

**Eunice Phelps**, b. Nov. 1809 and d. 3 June 1810.<sup>78</sup>

### **JOSHUA DICKINSON HARWOOD 7**

The son of Francis (6) and Lucinda (Forward) Harwood, he was also called Doctor Harwood. He was born 25 Nov. 1790 and died in Whately 3 April 1820.<sup>79</sup> He married Theodosia Boyden, daughter of Frederick Boyden. She was born in 1794 in Conway and died of ulceration of the bowel on 18 July 1868.<sup>80</sup> After her husband's death she was a young widow with two small children. She purchased land and had a small house built.<sup>81</sup> Theodosia married (2) and as his third wife, Dr. Washington Hamilton. In 1850 she was enumerated in Conway as Theodora. Joshua and Theodosia had two children.

**Frederick B.**, b. 27 April 1814 and d. 21 Oct. 1888.<sup>82</sup> He was a dentist and his gravestone styles him Dr. F. B. Harwood. He m. Surlina Williams.

**Lucinda**, b. about 1815 and d. of consumption 15 Dec. 1856, in Conway.<sup>83</sup> She m. Charles Wells of Conway.

### **RODERICK BANNISTER HARWOOD 8**

The son of Dr. Francis (6) and Theodosia (Boyden) Harwood, he was born at Whately 29 Jan. 1795 and died of "general debility" 18 May 1870.<sup>84</sup> He made his will on 30 May 1867 leaving his entire estate to his wife. *"I dispose of my property in this way so that my wife can have the legal right to use the same for her own & for the benefit of my three children; to wit; Fannie M., Lucinda V. and Caroline P.* "His death date differs by six days from that given by Crafts. He married Clymena, daughter of Elihu **HARVEY** of Whately. She was born in 1815 and died

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<sup>72</sup> Dufault # 29

<sup>73</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 390 of 464

<sup>74</sup> *Genealogical History of the Harwood Families*, p. 34

<sup>75</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 139 of 464

<sup>76</sup> East Whately Cemetery #127281055

<sup>77</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately Church Records*, Image 57 of 130

<sup>78</sup> Center Cemetery, Whately MA 127225714

<sup>79</sup> Center Cemetery, Whately # 127195562

<sup>80</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Conway BMD*, Image 376 of 436

<sup>81</sup> Dufault # 63

<sup>82</sup> Florence Cemetery, Florence AL # 122530443

<sup>83</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Conway BMD*, Image 347 of 436

<sup>84</sup> Center Cemetery, Whately MA #127195566

in Deerfield of inflammation of the bowels, 10 Sept. 1891.<sup>85</sup> Roderick and Clymena had five children:

**Francis**, b. 27 Oct. 1848 and d. of scarlet fever, 9 Jan. 1854.<sup>86</sup>

**Lucinda Violet**, b. 2 Jan. 1853 and d. of scarlet fever, 2 Feb. 1854.<sup>87</sup>

**Fannie Maria**, b. 1852 and d. at an unknown date. In 1880 she and her two sisters were living with her widowed mother in Deerfield. No marriage records and no death records were found for any of the three. An undocumented source says that all three “resided in Brooklyn, New York”,<sup>88</sup> but no supporting records were found.

**Lucinda Violet**, b. 1854. See Fannie.

**Carolyn Paul**, b. 1857. See Fannie.

### **DR. MYRON HARWOOD 9**

The son of Dr. Francis (6) and Theodosia (Boyden) Harwood, he was born at Whately 16 Aug. 1799 and died of heart disease, 16 Jan. 1877.<sup>89</sup> He wrote his will on 29 Dec. 1869 leaving \$5.00 to his three surviving children, Ellen Chaffee, Lydia Smith and Mary Harwood.<sup>90</sup> The rest of the estate was left to his wife, Lydia. Myron married (1) Judith White, daughter of Elijah **ALLIS (19)** of Whately. She died of heart disease on 9 March 1862.<sup>91</sup> He married (2) Lydia, the sister of his first wife. Lydia was party to an unusual pre-nuptial contract made before she married Myron Harwood. She was 58 years old at the time of their marriage, 21 April 1864.<sup>92</sup> Her groom was her former brother-in-law, widower of her sister, a man she presumably knew well. The day before the marriage, 20 April 1864 both signed an agreement *“relative to the real and personal estate and property of the said Lydia Allis”*. The contract permitted Lydia to *manage, give, grant and dispose of all the property, real and personal, which she may own at the time of said marriage and all which may come to her by descent, devise, bequest, gift or grant during her coverture, as she shall think fit*. The document included a list of Lydia’s property including a house and land, bank shares, U.S. Bonds, china, silver, carpets, chairs, bedstead, mattress, feather bed, clothing and woodstove.<sup>93</sup> The list portion of the document is much faded. Lydia was born about 1810 and died after 1880 when she was widowed and living with her niece and stepdaughter, Mary Harwood. Myron’s eight children were born to his first wife.

**Maria Louisa**, b. 1833 and d. in 1865. She m. Ephraim Boyce but is buried in Whately as Maria L. Harwood.<sup>94</sup>

**Ellen Electa**, b. 1834 and d. in Springfield, 2 Feb. 1906 of a cerebral embolism.<sup>95</sup> She m. Chester R. **CHAFFEE**.

**Lydia Allis**, b. 1837, and d. of heart disease, in Springfield, 12 Oct. 1902.<sup>96</sup> She m. J. W. Smith of Springfield and is mentioned in her father’s will in 1869.

**Henry White Allis**, b. 6 June 1843 and d. of consumption, 3 Feb. 1864.<sup>97</sup> He was 20 years old.

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<sup>85</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 466 of 1811

<sup>86</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 388 of 464

<sup>87</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 388 of 464

<sup>88</sup> *Harwood Family in England and America* p.58

<sup>89</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 411 of 464

<sup>90</sup> *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991, Case #2200*

<sup>91</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 396 of 464

<sup>92</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 233 of 464

<sup>93</sup> Whately Historical Society, # 2018.401.001

<sup>94</sup> Center Cemetery, Whately # 127245889

<sup>95</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 104 of 1353

<sup>96</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 806 of 2329

<sup>97</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 333 of 1110

**Francis Alonzo**, b. 2 Sept. 1845 and d. before he reached one year.<sup>98</sup>

**Mary Eliza**, b. 2 Feb. 1847 and d. of “influenzy” 13 March 1847.<sup>99</sup>

**Mary E.** b. 14 March 1848 and mentioned in her father’s will in 1869. Alive and living with her stepmother in 1880.

**Fannie Allis**, b. 14 Feb. 1851 and d. of consumption 10 Aug. 1851.<sup>100</sup>

### **JUSTUS FORWARD HARWOOD 10**

The son of Dr. Francis (6) and Theodosia (Boyden) Harwood, he was born 25 Oct. 1803 and died on 11 Dec. 1874.<sup>101</sup> He married Elvira, daughter of John Waite of Williamsburg. Elvira’s mother was Catherine, daughter of Samuel Gillette **MORTON (16)** from Whately. And, although Crafts called him “of Whately”, John Waite was from Williamsburg. Elvira was born in 1806 and died 5 days after her 80<sup>th</sup> birthday.<sup>102</sup> Justus and Elvira had four children:

**Martha Louise**, b. 1830 and d. 14 Nov. 1911.<sup>103</sup> She m. (1) Edward Alonzo **CRAFTS (55)** of Whately. She was widowed in 1872 and then m. (2) and as his fourth wife, Bliss Sutherland

**Judith Morton**, b. 1832 and d. 30 Nov. 1904.<sup>104</sup> She m. George M. Graves.

**Fordyce Manton**, b. 1835 and d. 24 Aug. 1885 in Huron, South Dakota.<sup>105</sup> He m. Nancy Thayer.

**Theron Dwight**, b. 1837 and d. 13 Aug. 1877 in Chicago.<sup>106</sup> He m. Elizabeth Charlotte Keller of Chicago.



**Railroad Flagman**

### **JAMES HASKINS**

The son of Charles and Elvira (Stephens) Haskins, James was born in July of 1850 in New York State. In 1875 he married Nancy Temple who was born in July of 1854 in Heath and died in

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<sup>98</sup> Center Cemetery, Whately MA 127245904

<sup>99</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 211 of 464

<sup>100</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, 204 of 616

<sup>101</sup> Earlham Cemetery, Richmond IN # 124011642

<sup>102</sup> Earlham Cemetery, Richmond IN # 124011609

<sup>103</sup> Riverside Cemetery, Huron SD #138156326

<sup>104</sup> Earlham Cemetery, Richmond IN # 73881474

<sup>105</sup> *Harwood Family in England and America*, p.59

<sup>106</sup> *Harwood Family in England and America*, p.59

Northampton in 1940.<sup>107</sup> In 1900 they were in Whately with their two daughters. James was enumerated as a farm laborer. In 1910 the daughters were both gone, and James had a job as the flagman for the railroad. They had four children:

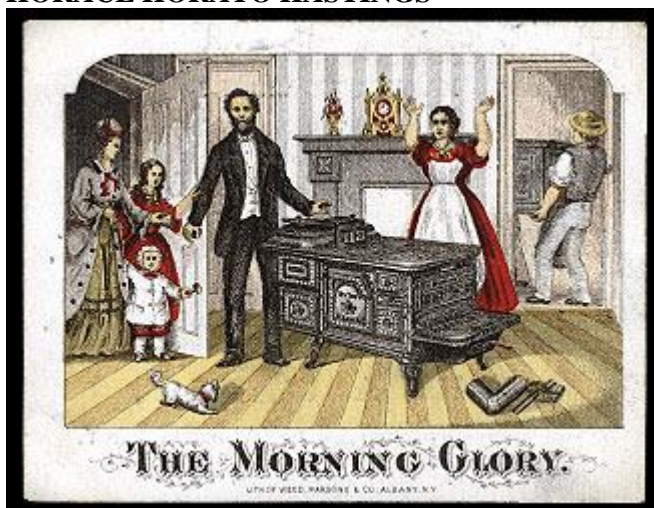
**James**, b. 1877 and d. 1947.<sup>108</sup> He m. Ethel Mason.

**Harry Alton**, b. 14 Nov. 1879 and d. in 1945.<sup>109</sup> In 1903 he was hospitalized for treatment of diphtheria at the U.S. Naval Hospital in South Carolina.<sup>110</sup> He m. Katherine Ryan.

**Alice**, b. 24 July 1882 and d. 20 July 1942.<sup>111</sup> She m. Lester **WAITE** of Whately

**Ruby**, b. 18 Sept. 1887 and d. after 1930 when she was living in Northampton. She m. Leon Otis Graves of Williamsburg.

### HORACE HORATO HASTINGS



This man was not included in Crafts and was discovered only because his name was on an 1871 list of dog owners in Whately. The son of Ephraim and Mary (Doty) Hastings, he was born in Wardsboro, Vermont on 13 April 1833 and died of consumption in Whately on 3 May 1877. Through his mother he was a Mayflower descendant. He purchased the East Whately post office and store from Caleb Thayer in 1859. Some years later he developed consumption and in December of 1876 Horace's stepfather, Eliphalet Eddy came to Whately to care for Horace and to tend his store and post office.<sup>112</sup> In return Eddy claimed to have been promised one half of the goods in the store. When the estate went to probate, creditors claimed fraud and the probate court examined the matter in detail. In a transcription of an oral statement, Eddy said that he had sent goods home to Michigan including *three or four or half a dozen coats, about the same number of pants and about the same number of vests. One or two woolen shirts, I believe but only one. One child's apron. One Morning Glory cook stove. One wardrobe, fix or six pairs of shoes—small shoes. A few reading books, two pairs of men's boots, two chairs--an office chair and a rocker.* Eddy said that some of the merchandise remained in the East Whately store including

<sup>107</sup> *Massachusetts Death Index, 1901 – 1980*, Image 243 of 588

<sup>108</sup> Green River Cemetery, Greenfield MA #132802174

<sup>109</sup> *Massachusetts Death Index, 1901 – 1980*, Image 239 of 594

<sup>110</sup> *Register of Patients at Naval Hospitals, 1812 – 1934*. Image 22 of 146

<sup>111</sup> West Whately Cemetery, #30125218.

<sup>112</sup> *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case #2443

*some candles, pepper and spice, and a few little notions and a lot of stone ware and four or five hay rakes.* Horace married Zella, maiden name unknown, and the 17-year-old Lilla who was with them in Whately in 1870 is not clearly their daughter. In 1875 they sold their Whately property to a Lilla Cummings, probably the same Lilla, but no other record of her was found.

### **RICHARD HAWKS**

The son of Elias and Eunice (**FRARY**) Hawks, he was born 18 July 1814 in Deerfield and died of consumption, 20 April 1874 in Deerfield.<sup>113</sup> He married Louisa, daughter of Joseph **BROWN** of Whately. She was born in 1809 and died of paralysis, 1 Sept. 1882.<sup>114</sup> They had no children. Joseph Brown was not part of the Edward Brown family and has no identifying number but was included in Crafts.

### **FREDERICK HAWLEY**

He was born in Hadley 15 Feb. 1831, the son of Zachariah and Melinda (Belden) Hawley, and died of apoplexy, in Easthampton, 31 Dec. 1909.<sup>115</sup> The gravestone says 1910. He married Cornelia, daughter of Patterson Smith of Conway. She was born in 1838 and died of bronchitis, 22 Feb. 1905 in Easthampton.<sup>116</sup> Both are buried in East Whately. Frederick and Cornelia had eight children:

**Harriet**, b. 1858 and d. 15 Dec. 1926.<sup>117</sup> She m. Edward **BARDWELL (83)** of Whately.

**Louisa**, b. 1860 and d. of a "liver complaint", 25 May 1875.<sup>118</sup>

**Melinda**, b. 1862 and d. 20 June 1912 of a cerebral hemorrhage.<sup>119</sup> She m. Emerson Torrey of Easthampton.

**Sarah**, b. 1865 and d. of acute nephritis, 12 Oct. 1907, in Westminster, Vermont.<sup>120</sup> She m. Solon Kendall in 1905 as his second wife.

**John**, b. 1868 and d. in 1935.<sup>121</sup> He m. Myra Wood of Northampton.

**Cornelia**, b. 1871 and d. of pernicious anemia, 26 Feb. 1928, in Brattleboro. In 1908, a year after her sister Sarah's death she m. the widower, Solon Kendall. Solon d. at an unknown date.

Sometime between 1920 when Henry Brayman was enumerated as a widower and 1928 when Cornelia died, she m. (2) Henry Brayman.

**Myron Lester**, b. 1875 and d. 9 March 1953.<sup>122</sup> He m. (1) Florence May Willard of Westminster, Vermont and (2) Francis Bliss McIver of Canada.

**Emery Ellery**, b. 1879 and d. 23 June 1953.<sup>123</sup> He m. Caroline Hayward of Westminster.

### **ASHLEY HAYDEN**

The son of Moses and Mary (Buxton) Hayden, Ashley was born in Ludlow about 1810. He died in Whately on 2 Dec. 1861.<sup>124</sup> No connection between Ashley and Loren Hayden was found although both were hotel keepers, they were born of an age to be brothers, and both were born in Hampden County. Ashley married (1) Laura King and (2) Salome whose maiden name was not

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<sup>113</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 312 of 1165

<sup>114</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 418 of 1268

<sup>115</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 116 of 119

<sup>116</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 14 of 108

<sup>117</sup> West Whately Cemetery # 29790292

<sup>118</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 409 of 464

<sup>119</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 72 of 154

<sup>120</sup> *Vermont Vital Records, 1720 – 1908*, Image 3504 of 4678

<sup>121</sup> Bridge Street Cemetery, Northampton MA # 88289965

<sup>122</sup> Oak Grove Cemetery, Springfield MA # 139375063

<sup>123</sup> Brookside Cemetery, Deerfield MA # 96763284

<sup>124</sup> Island Pond Cemetery, Ludlow MA #93783258

found. His daughter Emma married George E. **DICKINSON (36)** of Whately

### **LOREN HAYDEN**

He was born in 1814 in Belchertown of unknown parents and came to Whately in 1851. He died on 6 Sept. 1875 of a heart attack brought on by the loss to his house and barns to fire the day before.<sup>125</sup> The space for his parents' names in the death record is blank. Loren made his will on 31 May 1867, several years before his death. His probate record includes an inventory with the notation that some items were damaged by fire. The inventory also includes an amazing list of the many properties he owned.<sup>126</sup> He married Hannah Hawks of Charlemont. She was born in 1816 and died of heart disease, 16 Dec. 1883.<sup>127</sup> They had ten children, only two of whom were born in Whately and neither had Whately associations. His gravestone has his name as Lorin.<sup>128</sup>

### **DENNIS HAYES**

He was born about 1830 in Ireland, the son of Dennis and Mary (Shea) Hayes. He died in Whately of "natural causes", 4 Nov. 1907.<sup>129</sup> He registered for the Civil War draft but was excused on account of being an alien.<sup>130</sup> His property was on Long Plain Road and in 1871 he was on a list of Whately residents who kept a dog.<sup>131</sup> He married (1) Margaret Griffin who died of phthisis, 27 Aug. 1878 in Easthampton.<sup>132</sup> His second marriage, on 4 July 1886 was to Susie Hardworp, a woman 36 years his junior. Crafts called her a "Polander" but the birth record for their daughter Susanna says she was from Hungary.

Children of Dennis and Margaret:

**Mary**, b. 5 Oct. 1856 and d. of phthisis 8 May 1880 in Easthampton.<sup>133</sup>

**Daniel**, b. 27 Aug. 1858 and d. of phthisis 5 March 1879 in Easthampton.<sup>134</sup>

**Hannah**, b. 12 Feb. 1863 and d. 2 August 1918.<sup>135</sup> She was living with her widowed father in Whately in 1880 and m. James Minehan in Boston in 1881.

**Ellen**, b. 12 Feb. 1863 and d. of phthisis, 17 Sept. 1881 in Boston.<sup>136</sup> Death record as "Nellie".

**Elizabeth**, b. 30 Aug. 1864. She was with her parents as "Lizzie" in 1870 but no further records found.

**Margaret**, b. 16 Feb. 1865. She was with her parents as "Maggie" in 1870 and as "Margret" in 1880 but no further records found.

**Dennis**, b. 2 March 1868 and d. 28 April 1872.<sup>137</sup>

**Martha**, b. 27 Feb. 1871 and d. 6 July 1871. In the death record she is "Katie". Her parents are listed as Dennis and Bridget.

Children of Dennis and Susy:

**John**, b. Nov. 1885, before the marriage of his parents on 4 July 1886.<sup>138</sup> John d. in 1961.<sup>139</sup>

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<sup>125</sup> Brookside Cemetery, Deerfield MA #96763297

<sup>126</sup> *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case #2328

<sup>127</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 336 of 1309

<sup>128</sup> Brookside Cemetery, Deerfield MA # 96763297

<sup>129</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 24 of 27

<sup>130</sup> *U.S. Civil War Draft Registration Records, 1863 – 1865*, Image 558 of 719

<sup>131</sup> Dufault # 118

<sup>132</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 384 of 1134

<sup>133</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 415 of 1222

<sup>134</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 378 of 1114

<sup>135</sup> Mount Calvary Cemetery, Roslindale MA #3163382888

<sup>136</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 978 of 1231

<sup>137</sup> Saint Mary Cemetery, Northampton # 116365454

<sup>138</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 361 of 464

**Daniel**, b. 31 Jan. 1887. He may have d. in 1952 when a Social Security Claim was made.  
**Susanna**, b. 27 Sept. 1897. She d. in South Deerfield 8 April 1959.<sup>140</sup> She m. Philip Lester **HARRIS**. For their family see Chapter 20.

### **NANCY HEAFEY**

Note that Crafts spelled the name Hafey, but most records are Heafey. In Nancy's case the spellings were even more erratic and included Hayfield, Heaphy and Hoffee. In addition, birthdates for family members are inconsistent at best. Born about 1800 in Ireland, the daughter of John and Bridget (Riley) Heafey, she was the oldest and earliest Heafey immigrant to Whately. She married Nicholas Heafey who died in Ireland in 1845. She was in Whately by 1860, enumerated as Nancy Hayfield, with five adult children. She was still in Whately in 1865, by then in a household headed by her son Jerry Heafey. She died of old age, 7 Dec. 1881, in Northampton.<sup>141</sup> The death record was in the name of Nancy Hoffee. Although she died intestate, there is a probate record that is very helpful in untangling the names of her children.<sup>142</sup> She is buried in the St. Mary Cemetery in Northampton as Nancy Heaphy.

**Mary**. Her birth year varies from 1825 to 1831 but it seems she can be placed as the eldest of the Heafey children. She was named in her mother's probate record. She d. of Bright's disease on 9 May 1882.<sup>143</sup> She m. Michael **HANDRAHAN** of Whately.

**Bridget**, b. about 1929 and d. in Brattleboro, Vermont in 1912.<sup>144</sup> She is named in her mother's will as living in Brattleboro and the wife of Patrick Ryan.

**John**, b. in 1831 in Ireland and d. in Brattleboro in 1871.<sup>145</sup>

**Margaret**, b. about 1834 in Ireland. She was named in her mother's probate record as living in Greenfield, the wife of James Lawler. She d. of bronchitis and "La Grippe", 24 Jan. 1907<sup>146</sup> in Greenfield, by which time she was widowed.

**Larry**, b. about 1835 in Ireland. He was named as Lawrence of Brattleboro in his mother's probate record. He d. of cirrhosis of the liver, 19 April 1910 in Brattleboro.<sup>147</sup>

**Johanna**, b. 20 Dec. 1835. She is supposed to have d. in Greenfield on 24 Nov. 1921. She was named in her mother's probate record as living in Whately, the wife of Thomas **FLEMMING**. In 1920 she was living in Greenfield with a daughter and son-in-law.

**Jerry**, b. about 1838 in Ireland and has his own entry. Named in his mother's probate record.

**Nick**, b. about 1839 in Ireland and has his own entry. Named in his mother's probate record.

### **PATRICK HEAFEY**

The son of Nicholas and Nancy (Riley) Heafey, Patrick was born in Stradbally, Waterford Ireland about 1826. He died after 1865 when he was living in South Hadley. He married Honora Whelan, who was born 15 May 1829 in Ireland and died 4 May 1878.<sup>148</sup> The family was in Whately in 1860 but in South Hadley by 1865, spelled as Hafey. . They had at least five children, none named in Crafts but recorded in the Federal Census in 1860 and beyond.

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<sup>139</sup> Saint Mary Cemetery, Northampton # 96733000

<sup>140</sup> Brookside Cemetery, Deerfield MA # 126705912

<sup>141</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 351 of 1231

<sup>142</sup> *Massachusetts Wills and probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case #8142

<sup>143</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 352 of 1208

<sup>144</sup> Saint Michaels Cemetery, Brattleboro VT # 10823167

<sup>145</sup> St. Matthew's Cemetery, Springfield MA #3147710465

<sup>146</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 16 of 153

<sup>147</sup> *Vermont Vital Records, 1909 – 2008*, Image 752 of 1963

<sup>148</sup> Saint Mary Cemetery, Northampton MA #101030445

**Jerry (Jeremiah)**, b. 29 Dec. 1856 in Whately, and d. after 1930 when he and his wife were living with their son and family in Springfield. He m. Julia Thornton.

**Margaret/Mary**, b. about 1858. Called Margaret in 1865. Possibly Margaret Hafey a sister in the Notre Dame Convent in Chicopee in 1920.

**Patrick**, b. 17 or 18 March 1860 and d. 15 March 1937.<sup>149</sup> He was a clergyman.

**James**, b. 16 Oct. 1861 in Whately and d. in 1939 in New Jersey

**Thomas**, b. 18 March 1868 and d. 13 April 1942.<sup>150</sup>

**Michael**, b. 21 Jan. 1869 and d. 1 Feb. 1949.<sup>151</sup>

### **NICHOLAS HEAFEY**

The son of Nicholas and Nancy (Riley) Heafey, he was born in Ireland on 1 May 1838. His age in census records and his death record vary from this date. He died in Whately of tuberculosis and chronic gastritis on 2 May 1904.<sup>152</sup> He made his will on 20 April 1904, leaving \$25.00 for masses to pay for his soul, the customary one third to his wife Honora and the rest to be divided between his four children: Honora Dwyer of South Deerfield and Patrick, Thomas and John of Whately.<sup>153</sup> Honora was the wife of Michael Dwyer and appears in census records until 1930 as “Nano”. She should not be confused, as I briefly was, by another older Honora Dwyer who also lived in Franklin County. Nicholas married (1) Mary Powers, also born in Ireland. There are two death records for Mary, one in Whately<sup>154</sup> and one in Northampton.<sup>155</sup> The Northampton record gives a death date of 14 Oct. 1875, a cause of death as consumption and an age of 37. The Whately record gives the same date, the same cause of death and an age of 27. Nicholas married (2) by 1880 when the census lists his wife as “Hannah” Haffee. Some records list his wife as Hanora Whalen but cannot be the Honora Whalen who was married to his brother Patrick because she died in 1878 and Nicholas’ wife Honora was named in his will in 1904.<sup>156</sup>

Child of Nicholas and Mary:

**Johanna**, b. 15 June 1868. She d. of consumption, 17 April 1898.<sup>157</sup> She made a will on 25 March 1898.<sup>158</sup> Called “Anna” in 1870 and 1880 when she was in the census with her family. No further records found.

**Nanno**, b. about 1872. Listed with Nicholas in 1880.

**Nicholas**, b. about 1874. Listed with his father in 1880. He d. 7 July 1899 in South Deerfield. He did not marry.<sup>159</sup>

Children of Nicholas and Honora:

**Margaret**, listed in Crafts but no supporting records found.

**Patrick**, b. about 1879. He was not listed in Crafts but with the family in 1900 when “Norah” reported three children born and three living. He d. 10 Aug. 1906 of typhoid fever.<sup>160</sup>

**Thomas**, b. 1880 and has his own entry.

**John**, b 1883, and has his own entry.

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<sup>149</sup> Saint Mary Cemetery, Northampton MA # 101030480

<sup>150</sup> Saint Mary Cemetery, Northampton MA # 101030536

<sup>151</sup> Saint Mary Cemetery, Northampton MA # 101030511

<sup>152</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 6 of 18

<sup>153</sup> *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case #14186

<sup>154</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 352 of 1251

<sup>155</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 440 of 1251

<sup>156</sup> *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case #14186

<sup>157</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 609 of 2306

<sup>158</sup> *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case #12298

<sup>159</sup> *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case #12630

<sup>160</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 10 of 16



### **JEREMIAH (JERRY) HEAFEY**

The son of Nicholas and Nancy (Riley) Heafey, he was born on 17 March 1840 in Ireland. He died 22 April 1915 of a cerebral hemorrhage, in Northampton. <sup>161</sup> His name is inscribed on his wife's gravestone with no dates. In 1860 he was in Whately with his widowed mother in 1860, indexed as Hayfield. He registered for the Civil War draft but was excused on account of being an alien. <sup>162</sup> In 1865 he headed a household of himself, his mother and his wife, Mary Eagan. Jerry and Mary had five children.

**Anna**, b. 23 Sept. 1865 and d. in 1941. <sup>163</sup> She m. John Merrick of South Deerfield. Their daughter Elizabeth m. Thomas J. **FLYNN** of Whately. Their daughter **Mary** m. Richard **CALLAHAN** of Whately. Mary's parents are mistakenly recorded as Heafey.

**Bridget**, b. 1868 and d. after 1930 when she and her husband were living in Hatfield. She m. John Boyle.

**Nicholas**, b. 1869 and has his own entry.

**John**, b. 1871 and died after 1930 when he and his wife were living in Deerfield. He m. Emma Cardigan of South Deerfield

**Thomas Jeremiah**, b. 22 July 1873 and d. 8 Dec. 1947. <sup>164</sup>

### **NICHOLAS HEAFEY**

The son of Jeremiah and Mary (Eagan) Heafey, he was born in 1869 and is supposed to have died in 1935. On 12 Sept. 1894, in Hatfield, he married Margaret Boyle. <sup>165</sup> She was born in 1866 in Belchertown and died at an unknown date. They had five children:

**Unnamed son, stillborn** 13 April 1897. <sup>166</sup>

**Allen Boyle**, b. 28 Jan 1899 <sup>167</sup>

**Maurice Jeremiah**, b. 27 May 1901 <sup>168</sup> and d. of laryngitis, 28 Nov. 1806. <sup>169</sup>

**Charles Nicholas**, b. 8 Aug. 1902 <sup>170</sup>

**John Patrick**, b. 8 March 1904 and died in 1937. <sup>171</sup> He m. Vera Hayes.

### **THOMAS HEAFEY**

The son of Jeremiah and Mary (Eagan) Heafey he was born 21 Oct. 1880. He registered for the World War I draft, 12 Sept. 1918 as Thomas Lorance Hafey born 21 Oct. 1881. Parents named as Nicholas Heafey and Norah Whelan on a Social Security application. <sup>172</sup> He married Mary Shea of Northampton. Six children:

**Ora Egan**, b. 20 March 1904 and d. 15 Aug. 1945. She m. Delmar Lamountain.

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<sup>161</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 8 of 19

<sup>162</sup> *U.S. Civil War Draft Registration Records, 1863 – 1865*, Image 558 of 719

<sup>163</sup> Saint Mary Cemetery, Northampton MA # 92718992

<sup>164</sup> Brookside Cemetery, Deerfield MA # 96763308

<sup>165</sup> *Massachusetts Marriage Records, 1840 – 1915*, Image 568 of 1564

<sup>166</sup> *Massachusetts Birth Records, 1840 – 1915*, Image 1104 of 2525

<sup>167</sup> *Whately Town Clerk's Report*, Births Registered in 1899

<sup>168</sup> *Whately Town Clerk's Report*, Births Registered in 1901

<sup>169</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 15 of 16

<sup>170</sup> *Whately Town Clerk's Report*, Births Registered in 1902

<sup>171</sup> Saint Mary Cemetery, Northampton MA #98242932

<sup>172</sup> *Social Security Application and Claims Index, 1936 - 2007*

**Francis Shea**, b. 11 March 1906 and d. 16 April 1990. He married (1) Margaret Trainor and (2) Anna Ryan. With his brother Leonard they operated Greenbrook Farm in Whately, now the Nourse Farm.

**Mark Jeremiah**, b. 16 Dec. 1910 and d. 4 April 2001.<sup>173</sup> He m. Anastasia Millane.

**Robert Thomas**, b. 15 March 1912 and d. 26 Nov. 1996.<sup>174</sup> He m. Anna Draper

**Rose Marie**, b. 17 Dec. 1914 and d. 16 May 1984.<sup>175</sup> She m. Harry **KUENZEL** of Whately.

**Leonard Nicholas**, b. 16 Nov. 1916 and d. 14 Feb. 1950.<sup>176</sup> The name recorded in the Whately statistics for 1916 was Morris Nicholas Heafey. He did not marry.

### **JOHN NICHOLAS HEAFEY**

The son of Nicholas and Margaret (Boyle) Heafey, he was born 2 Feb. 1883, and d. in 1950.<sup>177</sup> He m. Ellen Boyle of Hadley.

**William Michael**, b. in Hatfield 5 June 1909 and d. in Northampton, July 1981.<sup>178</sup>

**Margaret**, b. 9 Dec. 1911 in Hatfield, but recorded in Whately. She d. in 1991.<sup>179</sup> She m. Lewis Taft.

**Mary/Marion**, her twin, b. 9 Dec. 1911 in Hatfield but recorded in Whately. She d. 30 Jan. 1987.<sup>180</sup> She m. Ernest Lovisone.

**Lillian Rita** was b. in Whately on 22 Feb. 1919.

### **GEORGE HIBBARD**

The son of Joseph and Lydia (Allen) Hibbard, he was born in 1746 in Connecticut and died 1823 in Hadley. He married Lydia Allen. Neither lived in Whately and their children were not born in Whately but five of their children married Whately spouses.

**John**, b. 1776 in Connecticut and d. 1 Sept. 1853 in North Hadley.<sup>181</sup>

**Abigail**, b. 1775 in Connecticut and died 3 March 1835 in Hadley.<sup>182</sup> She m. Stephen **BELDEN (12)** of Whately.

**Sarah**, b. 12 March 1786 and d. 10 Dec. 1842<sup>183</sup> She m. Aaron **BELDEN (17)** of Whately.

**Hannah**, b. 18 May 1788 and d. of consumption in Whately, 1 April 1845. She m. Reuben **BELDEN (15)** off Whately

**Frances**, b. 29 May 1790 and d. 14 May 1846, in Whately, of "dropsy in the head."<sup>184</sup> She m. John **WOODS** of Whately.

**Amelia**, b. 2 May 1797 and d. 10 Nov. 1860.<sup>185</sup> She m. Dexter **CLARK** of Whately.

### **CLARENCE HIBBARD**

The son of John and Effie (Moore) Hibbard, he was born in Hadley 29 March 1892 and died on 9 April 1981. He married Charlotte Warner who was born in Williamsburg, 4 Aug. 1888 and

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<sup>173</sup> Brookside Cemetery, Deerfield MA # 96763305

<sup>174</sup> Brookside Cemetery, Deerfield MA # 96763307

<sup>175</sup> Brookside Cemetery, Deerfield MA # 1588489568

<sup>176</sup> Brookside Cemetery, Deerfield MA # 96763304

<sup>177</sup> Saint Mary Cemetery, Northampton MA # 61134618

<sup>178</sup> *U.S. Social Security Death index, 1935 - 2014*

<sup>179</sup> Mount Saint Benedict Cemetery, Bloomfield CT #88004944

<sup>180</sup> Mount Saint Benedict Cemetery, Bloomfield CT #87535809

<sup>181</sup> North Hadley Cemetery, Hadley MA #42341318

<sup>182</sup> North Hadley Cemetery, Hadley MA #41631916

<sup>183</sup> West Cemetery, Amherst MA # 115748869

<sup>184</sup> East Whately Cemetery #127281089

<sup>185</sup> East Whately Cemetery #127170858

died 18 Feb. 1975. They divorced and in 1940 she was working as a servant at the Clarke School in Northampton. She married (2) Lincoln Dwight **BOND** of Whately. Clarence and Charlotte had three children:

**John Warner**, b. 25 April 1916 and d. 1 Sept. 2010.

**Marion Jane**, b. 1919 and d. 3 Feb. 1953. <sup>186</sup> She married Cecil M. **DICKINSON** of Whately.

**Edward Arthur**, b. 17 June 1921 and d. 13 Nov. 1980. <sup>187</sup>

### **HENRY SERENO HIGGINS**

The son of Alpheus and Rebecca (Thomas) Higgins, he was born in Dummerston, Vermont 8 Jan. 1824 and died of asthma in Whately 19 June 1894. <sup>188</sup> His barn burned on 21 June 1882; a fire significant enough to be noted in George Crafts' diary. <sup>189</sup>



Henry died intestate but there is a probate record. Even though he died in 1894 his estate did not go to probate until 1908. <sup>190</sup> Crafts' statement that he was born in Hinsdale, New Hampshire conflicts with the death record. He married Tryphena, daughter of Eliphas **WOODS (3)** of Whately. She was born in 1834 and died in 1920. <sup>191</sup> Henry and Tryphena had six children.

**Sarah Tryphena**, b. 1852 and d. in 1916. <sup>192</sup> She did not marry. In 1910 she was living with the family of her sister, Jennie Beers. In records she appears as Tryphena S. She is listed as one of the heirs to her father's estate. <sup>193</sup>

**Ellen Frances**, b. 1854 and d. after 1910 when she was living with her husband in Brattleboro. She m. Seth Stone of Brattleboro and is named Ellen Stone in her father's probate record.

**Mary Thomas**, b. 12 March 1861 and d. 27 March 1861. Dates are from Crafts.

**Mary Thomas**, b. 1862 and d. 7 April 1929. <sup>194</sup> She m. Lemuel **GRAVES (106)** of Whately. She is listed as an heir to her father's estate

**Henry Sereno**, b. 1865 and has his own entry

**Jennie Wood**, b. 1868 and d. in San Diego, California, 1 June 1948. <sup>195</sup> She m. Arthur **BEERS** of Whately. She was listed as an heir to her father's estate.

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<sup>186</sup> Center Cemetery, Whately # 127243060

<sup>187</sup> Calvary Cemetery, Greenfield MA #193443446

<sup>188</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 613 of 2120

<sup>189</sup> Diary of George W. Crafts, 1882 WHS #1981.017.001

<sup>190</sup> *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case # 15538

<sup>191</sup> East Whately Cemetery # 127280981

<sup>192</sup> East Whately Cemetery # 127280982

<sup>193</sup> *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case # 15538

<sup>194</sup> Center Cemetery, Whately # 127228788

<sup>195</sup> *California Death Index, 1940 – 1997*, text only

## HENRY SERENO HIGGINS

The son of Henry and Tryphena (**WOODS**) Higgins, he was born in Whately 5 June 1865 and died in 1951.<sup>196</sup> In 1896 he married (1) Sarah Gould of Connecticut. She died of puerperal eclampsia, 17 June 1902, the day her third child was born.<sup>197</sup> Together they had three children: In 1908 he married (2) Jennie Hubbard, also of Connecticut but there were no children of the second marriage.

**Mildred Frances**, b. 1897 and d. 16 June 1962.<sup>198</sup> She m. John Leon Farnham of Haverhill, New Hampshire.<sup>199</sup>

**Sereno Harold**, b. 13 Aug. 1901 and d. in 1961.<sup>200</sup> In records he is Harold S. In 1920 he was an inpatient at the Massachusetts School for the Feeble Minded in Waltham.

**Sarah Rosalind**, b. 17 June 1902 and d. 9 Sept. 1988.<sup>201</sup> She was not with her father and siblings in 1910 but in 1920 and 1930 she was living with her aunt, Lucia Gould, in Conway. In records she is Rosalind. She m. William C. Weston.

## JOSEPH HILL 2

The son of Josiah and Abigail (Beal) Hill, he was born about 1752 (age 67 at time of death) and died of typhus, 1 Oct. 1819.<sup>202</sup> He died intestate but there is a large probate file including inventory.<sup>203</sup> In 1776, a resident of Hatfield, he married Esther, daughter of Elisha **SMITH (4)** of Whately. She was born in 1751 and is supposed to have died in 1828. Joseph and Esther had ten children, all born in Whately:

**Betsey**, b. 1778 and d. of consumption, 13 Sept. 1850.<sup>204</sup> She m. David **SMITH (28)** of Whately  
**Pamelia**, b. 1779 and d. about 1828.<sup>205</sup> She m. Wareham Judd.

**Alinda**, b. 1780 and d. 20 Feb. 1841.<sup>206</sup> She m. Daniel **ROGERS** of Whately. In records she is called "Mindy".

**Luke**, b. 1782 and d. 22 Aug. 1833.<sup>207</sup> He m. Philenia Ingram.

**Gideon**, b. 1783 and d. of lung fever, in Joliet, Illinois, Dec. 1849.<sup>208</sup> He m. Martha Allen

**Moses**, b. 30 March 1785 and d. 13 Sept. 1820.<sup>209</sup> He made his will the day before he died leaving all his estate to his wife Clarissa.<sup>210</sup> A note in the probate record dated 13 November 1820 read *Whereas the last will and testament of Moses Hill has this day been proved, Clarissa Hill of said Whately the widow of said Hill and executrix has become insane.* Moses m.

Clarissa Rockwood of Northampton. Her parents were not found.

**Sally**, b. 1787 but nothing found beyond birth record.

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<sup>196</sup> East Whately Cemetery # 127280978

<sup>197</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 673 of 2369

<sup>198</sup> Horse Meadow Cemetery, North Haverhill NH # 19194441

<sup>199</sup> *New Hampshire Marriage and Divorce Records, 1659 - 1947*

<sup>200</sup> Highland Cemetery, Norwood MA #174263127

<sup>201</sup> Howland Cemetery, Conway MA #89433480

<sup>202</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 139 of 464

<sup>203</sup> *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case #2393

<sup>204</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 384 of 464

<sup>205</sup> *Newspaper Extractions from the Northeast, 1704 - 1930*

<sup>206</sup> West Whately Cemetery # 29929390

<sup>207</sup> North Cemetery, Amherst MA # 118489904

<sup>208</sup> *U.S. Federal Census Mortality Schedules, 1850 – 1885*, Image 5 of 7

<sup>209</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 140 of 464

<sup>210</sup> *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case #2394

**Esther**, b. 1789 and d. at an unknown date. She m. Israel **STARKS** son of John Starks of Whately. Crafts erroneously wrote that she m. John Starks. She is named as the wife of Israel Starks in a land record, 16 July 1816. <sup>211</sup>

**Rebecca**, b. 1791 and d. at an unknown date. She married Jonathan Shattuck

**Ruggles**, b. 1793 and has his own entry (4)

#### **RUGGLES HILL 4**

The son of Joseph (2) and Esther (**SMITH**) Hill, he was born in Whately 30 Dec. 1793 and died about 1834. <sup>212</sup> He married Sophia Warner of Williamsburg, Details of her dates and parentage were not found. Ruggles and Sophia had five children born in Whately:

**Ruth**, b. 1816 and d. of pneumonia, 16 Feb. 1891, in Northampton. <sup>213</sup> She did not marry.

**Naomi**, b. 1818 and d. in Hatfield in 1843. <sup>214</sup>

**Abbie**, b. 1819 and d. 18 June 1878 of meningitis. <sup>215</sup> She m. John Temple.

**Nelson**, b. 1820 and d. in 1843. *I, Nelson Hill...son and heir of Ruggles Hill, late of said Whately deceased, being above the age of fourteen years, namely of the age of about sixteen, have nominated elected chosen and appointed and by these presents I do nominate elect choose and appoint John Field of said Whately to be guardian of my person and of my estate real and personal until I shall attain the full age of twenty-one years.* <sup>216</sup>

**Silas**, b. 1825 and d. at an unknown date. He m. (1) Sophronia Starkweather of Walpole, New Hampshire in 1849 and she d. 15 April 1863. He m. (2) Mary whose maiden name is unknown.

#### **RICHARD HOAR**

He was baptized 24 May 1818 in Luxulyan, Cornwall, the son of Jane and John Hoar, <sup>217</sup> and died of heart disease, in Conway, 15 May 1887. <sup>218</sup> In 1865 he was boarding with Aminda Bardwell Munson in West Whately and working as a miner. On 20 December 1866 he married a neighbor woman, Lucretia Angeline Train, daughter of Roswell and Elizabeth (Smith) Train. <sup>219</sup> Lucretia was the youngest of the eleven Train children and she was 31 to Richard's 46 years when they married. The fact that their son Richard was born in June 1867 in Whately may have had something to do with the timing of the marriage. <sup>220</sup> The boy is unnamed in the birth record but Richard in later records.

Children of Richard and Lucretia:

**Richard**, b. 30 June 1867 in Whately. With his father in 1880.

**John Lewis**, b. 25 June 1869 in Conway. <sup>221</sup> Not with his father in 1880. There is a copy of his obituary with the grave record. It was reported that he had become deranged,

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<sup>211</sup> Franklin County Deeds, Book 39, page 309-310

<sup>212</sup> *Newspaper Extractions from the Northeast, 1704 - 1930*

<sup>213</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 614 of 1811

<sup>214</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988*, Statewide Indexes, 1841 - 1850

<sup>215</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 396 of 1134

<sup>216</sup> *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 - 1991*, Case #2396

<sup>217</sup> *England Select Births & Christenings, 1538 to 1975*, text only

<sup>218</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988*, Conway BMD, Image 424 of 436

<sup>219</sup> *Massachusetts Marriage Records, 18401 - 1915*, Image 325 of 1038

<sup>220</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988*, Whately BMD, Image 293 of 464

<sup>221</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988*, Conway BMD, Image 247 of 436

stabbed himself in the chest with a safety pin and was hospitalized on that account. He died 30 March 1921 of a punctured lung, in Providence.<sup>222</sup>

**Angeline**, b. 24 Nov. 1870 in Conway.<sup>223</sup> In 1878 she was with Fred and Electa Freeman in Conway. She was formally adopted by them and changed her name from Lucinda Angeline Hore to Angeline Freeman.<sup>224</sup> There are several pictures of “Angie” available including what appears to be a Howes Brothers picture of Angie and Electa outside their home on River Street in Conway.

**Jane Elizabeth**, b. 23 May 1872 and d. of *cholera infantum* in Conway on 20 Sept. 1873.<sup>225</sup>

Lucretia Train Hoar died on 26 Jan. 1876 of “abortion and inflammation of the bowels.”<sup>226</sup> Abortion at that time was more likely to have meant miscarriage. The Selectmen of Conway believed that Richard was unfit to care for his daughter Angeline and petitioned to have a guardian appointed. She went to live with Fred and Electa Freeman of Conway.

Comments on Ancestry state that Richard was born in Cornwall, then went to Spain to mine for silver and ended up in Conway where he was known as a “character”. He died of heart disease in Conway in 1887. His death record says that he was buried in West Whately but no record was found. He lived in the southeast corner of Conway, once called “Hard Scrabble,” this is the corner that abuts West Whately.



Galena, one of the minerals mined in Whately.

## JAMES HOAR

James, the brother of Richard, was baptized in Luxulyan, Cornwall on 23 November 1828.<sup>227</sup> On 18 May 1851 he married Mary Jane Wheeler in Bantam Falls, Litchfield, Connecticut.<sup>228</sup> She died 3 February 1854, aged 20 years and is buried in Bantam. The

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<sup>222</sup> Forestdale Cemetery, Holyoke MA # 197364843

<sup>223</sup> *Massachusetts Birth Records, 1840 – 1915*, Image 375 of 1222

<sup>224</sup> *Massachusetts Name Changes, 1780 – 1892*, text only.

<sup>225</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 345 of 1196

<sup>226</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 303 of 1178

<sup>227</sup> *England Select Births & Christenings, 1538 to 1975*, text only

<sup>228</sup> *Litchfield Vital Records*, Image 113 of 273

inscription on her gravestone reads *Erected by James Hoar as a tribute of love to his affectionate wife, Mary Jane, daughter of Lorenzo and Anthe Wheeler.* <sup>229</sup>

Children of James and Mary Jane:

**James Henry**, b. 1851 in Litchfield and d. 1919 in Litchfield. He has his own entry.

**Mary Jane**, b. 30 October 1953 and d. 25 December 1853. <sup>230</sup>

James was not located in 1860. His son James, sometimes called Henry, was with his Wheeler grandparents in Litchfield. By 1865 both the elder and the younger James were in West Whately with Richard Hoar, boarding with Aminda Munson. Nothing further was found for the 1828 James.

### **HENRY JAMES HOAR**

The son of James and Mary Jane (Wheeler) Hoar, he was a five-month baby born 20 Sept. 1851 in Litchfield, Connecticut (not Whately as in Crafts) and died in 1919 in Litchfield. <sup>231</sup> In 1860, his mother having died, he was living in Litchfield with his Wheeler grandparents. By 1865 he and his father were in West Whately, boarding with Aminda Munson and working as miners. On 24 Feb. 1870, in Conway, <sup>232</sup> coincidentally the same day that his cousin Angeline Hoar was born in Conway, he married Emma, daughter of Elliot **WARNER** of Whately. She was born in 1854 and died 28 Oct. 1916. <sup>233</sup> Henry is not buried in West Whately with his wife. Henry and Emma had one child, **Minnie Louisa** who was born 8 Oct. 1872 and died of a “spinal disease”, 6 July 1877. <sup>234</sup> She was called “Little Minnie” on her gravestone. <sup>235</sup>

### **EDWARD HOLLEY**

He was born in Ireland about 1850, by age in census records, the son of William and Catherine, and died in Hatfield in 1931. <sup>236</sup> He is buried in Northampton with an inaccurate birth year of 1861 and no known death date. <sup>237</sup> He married Ellen Carty/Cartle/Cratty in Northampton in 1872. She was born about 1852 in Ireland and “disappeared” after the birth of her sixth child in 1883. Edward and Ellen had six children born in Whately.

**Catherine**, b. 1873 and d. of Bright’s Disease, 22 Nov. 1896. <sup>238</sup> Called Katie.

**Dennis**, b. 1874 and d. in 1941. <sup>239</sup> He m. Hattie Mattson of Sweden.

**Mary**, b. 1876 and d. in 1963, probably in Greenfield where she was living in 1940. <sup>240</sup> She m. Thomas **FLEMMING** of Whately. Mary was not included in Crafts.

**Johanna**, b. 1879. She was with her family, aged one, in 1880 but no further records found.

**Judith**, b. 16 June 1881. Birth record as “Juda” but no further records found.

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<sup>229</sup> Bantam Burying Ground, Bantam CT #134452787

<sup>230</sup> *Hale Collection of Cemetery Inscriptions, 1629 – 1934*, Image 406 of 672

<sup>231</sup> Bantam Burying Ground, Bantam CT # 98032089

<sup>232</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Conway BMD*, Image 316 of 436

<sup>233</sup> West Whately Cemetery # 29955396

<sup>234</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 322 of 1114

<sup>235</sup> West Whately Cemetery # 29849628

<sup>236</sup> *Massachusetts Death Index, 1901 – 1980*, Image 339 of 564

<sup>237</sup> Saint Mary Cemetery, Northampton MA #90261169

<sup>238</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 804 of 2206

<sup>239</sup> *Massachusetts Death Index, 1901 – 1980*, Image 326 of 594

<sup>240</sup> Social Security Death Index, 1936 - 2014

**Elizabeth**, b. 1883 and d. of diabetes, 13 May 1907.<sup>241</sup> She m. Homer Boyden of Conway. Elizabeth, called “Bessie”, was not included in Crafts.

### **MICAJAH HOWES**

The son of Micajah and Roxanna (Cranston) Howes, Micajah was born at Ashfield in 1831 and died of a cerebral hemorrhage on 28 Sept. 1915.<sup>242</sup> He married Pamela Parker of Ashfield. It is interesting to note that she died, also of a cerebral hemorrhage, the very next day, 29 Sept. 1915.<sup>243</sup> The death record is found as “Permella A. Parker Howes”. Micajah was renowned for his excellent singing voice. They had two children both born in Ashfield

**Ryland Clinton**, b. 1859 and has his own entry.

**Myra Lovinia**, b. 1862 and d. in 1954.<sup>244</sup> She m. Cooley B. **DICKINSON (61)** of Whately.

### **RYLAND/RYLAN CLINTON HOWES**

The son of Micajah and Pamela (Parker) Howes, he was born 1 June 1859 and died 23 March 1924.<sup>245</sup> An undated newspaper clipping in the collection of the Whately Historical Society reported that Ryland was found dead in his car, probably due to apoplexy. He married Anna Eliza, daughter of Eleazer **ORCUTT (8)** of Whately. They divorced and he married (2) Mary J. Mosher. Mary was born in Hatfield, the daughter of Francis and the granddaughter of Solomon **MOSHER** of Whately. She was born on 30 Nov. 1871 and died on 6 May 1958.<sup>246</sup> There were no children of either marriage.

### **WILLIAM HUBBARD**

The son of Edward and Sally (Goodsell) Hubbard, he was born 15 Jan. 1836 and died 18 Sept. 1923.<sup>247</sup> He married (1) Ellen, daughter of Noah **CRAFTS (30)** of Whately. She died of typhoid fever in 1866.<sup>248</sup> In 1868 he married (2) Harriet Lovina Field. She was born in 1837 in Bernardston and died 17 April 1884 in Woods Hole, Massachusetts.<sup>249</sup> In 1893 he married (3), Clara Holmes of Falmouth.

Children of William and Ellen:

**Lizzie Ellen**, b. 1860 and d. 15 Jan. 1936.<sup>250</sup> She m. Walter **ORCUTT (10)** of Whately. She was buried under her maiden name, perhaps because she had been a widow for more than 30 years.

**Davis Ward.**, b. 2 Sept. 1861 and d. of typhoid fever 12 Sept. 1862.<sup>251</sup>

**Anna Crafts**, b. 1865 and d. 24 May 1941 in Falmouth, Massachusetts.<sup>252</sup> In 1940 she was living with her son Hubbard Swift. She m. Charles Swift, not a Whately Swift.

Child of William and Levina:

**Addie Field**, b. 1870 in New Hampshire and d. 1 May 1927 in Falmouth.<sup>253</sup>

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<sup>241</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 19 of 43

<sup>242</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 16 of 19

<sup>243</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 17 of 19

<sup>244</sup> Center Cemetery, Whately # 127243128

<sup>245</sup> Center Cemetery, Whately MA # 127243115

<sup>246</sup> Center Cemetery, Whately MA #127226434

<sup>247</sup> Oak Grove Cemetery, Falmouth MA # 112060854

<sup>248</sup> *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 251 of 909

<sup>249</sup> Center Cemetery, Bernardston MA # 127360094

<sup>250</sup> Center Cemetery, Whately # 127246796

<sup>251</sup> *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Deerfield BMD*, Image 396 of 481

<sup>252</sup> Oak Grove Cemetery, Falmouth, MA # 112061741

<sup>253</sup> Oak Grove Cemetery, Falmouth MA # 120307178



