

Part 12
Ingraham – Lyon

DAVID INGRAHAM

Crafts wrote that David came from Connecticut in 1774 and there are records for his birth in New Milford, 27 Oct. 1749. He died 25 Sept. 1818 in Granville, New York. On 7 Dec. 1775 he married Jemima, the daughter of Nathan **GRAVES (24 ½)**.¹ Records for the family are scanty and those found simply echo Crafts. There is no gravestone for either David or Jemima and no birth records for the children. The deaths of the first three children are recorded without parents named.

Elizabeth, b. about 1775 (age five at time of death) and d. of dysentery in August 1779.²

Nathan, bp. 1 December 1776 and d. of hives in the same month.³

Tirzah, bp. 17 December 1777 and d. of dysentery in August 1779,⁴

Lydia, no supporting records found.

REUBEN JENNEY 1

The son of Seth and Hannah (Rider) Jenney, he was born in Fairhaven 7 July 1767 and died in Whately 7 March 1836.⁵ He is supposed to have built a place in the Hopewell section of East Whately, but together with his son, Reuben, Jr., he operated a general store in West Whately. He married Elizabeth Clark who was born in 1770 and died of consumption, in Whately, 7 May 1846.⁶ Reuben and Elizabeth had four children, all born in New Bedford.

Elisha, b. 1792 and d. 6 November 1819 in North Carolina.⁷ His probate record includes an extraordinarily detailed inventory of items that were for sale in a shop he operated.⁸ The shop was in West Whately on the land of Asa **SANDERSON**.

William, b. 7 September 1794 and d. 8 Dec. 1794.⁹

Reuben, b. 1796 and has his own entry (2)

Mary, born 1799 and d., in Conway, 19 December 1866 of “cancer of the bowels”.¹⁰ She m. Horace Childs of Deerfield

REUBEN JENNEY 2

The son of Reuben (1) and Elizabeth (Clark) Jenney, he was born in New Bedford in 1796 and died in Whately, 6 July 1869 of a liver complaint.¹¹ He was an outspoken abolitionist. He made his will on 20 Oct. 1868.¹² He married Lucinda, daughter of Nathan **WAITE (42)** of Whately. She was born in 1800 and died 2 Jan. 1861.¹³ Reuben and Lucinda had four children:

¹ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 143 of 464

² *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 129 of 464

³ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 128 of 464

⁴ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 129 of 464

⁵ West Whately Cemetery #29849694

⁶ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 173 of 464

⁷ West Whately Cemetery # 29849709

⁸ *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 - 1991 Case #2584*

⁹ *Massachusetts Compiled BMD, 1700 - 1850- Dartmouth*, Image 933 of 972

¹⁰ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 372 of 464

¹¹ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 309 of 1017

¹² *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991, Case #2585*

¹³ West Whately Cemetery # 29849757

Elisha, b. 10 November 1822 and d. 8 April 1831. ¹⁴ His death record has no cause of death.
Mary Euphrasia, b. 1825 and died of typhus, 28 November 1848, aged 22 years. ¹⁵ She had been married only four months. Her husband was Joseph **MARSH** of Whately.

Elisha, b. 1833 and has his own entry (3)

Reuben Rodolphus, b. 18 November 1840 and d. of cancer of the liver, 17 November 1881. ¹⁶ He made a will on 1 April 1881. ¹⁷

ELISHA JENNEY 3

The son of Reuben (2) and Lucinda (**WAITE**) Jenney, he was born 16 February 1833 and died of “organic disease of the heart”, 5 February 1897. ¹⁸ He married Amelia Way of Northampton who was born in 1842 and died of uterine cancer, 21 Nov. 1890. ¹⁹ Elisha and Amelia had four children:

Arthur Hubert, b. 1862 and has his own entry (4)

Alice Euphrasia, b. 1865 and d. in 1914. ²⁰ She m. William **SANDERSON (54)** of Whately.

Reuben Walter, b. 1870 and died in 1935. ²¹ He was buried as “Walter R.” He m. Lettie B. Corey of Savoy.

Flora Belle, b. 1879 and died in 1941. ²² She m. Charles Freeman Sweet of Derby, Connecticut.

ARTHUR HUBERT JENNEY 4

The son of Elisha (3) and Amelia (Way) Jenney, he was born in Whately in 1862 and died of an “abscess of the brain”, 21 1899. ²³ His widow petitioned the court to be appointed guardian of their only child. ²⁴ Arthur married Sarah Langdon of Hatfield. She was born in 1866 and died in 1964. ²⁵ On 29 Oct. 1902 she married (2) Samuel Billings of Hatfield. The one child of Arthur and Sarah, **Gladys Irene**, was born in 1892 and died in 1986. ²⁶ She married Harrison Belden of Hatfield.

JESSE JEWETT 3

The son of Joseph and Phoebe (Richardson) Jewett, he was born at Amherst, New Hampshire in Oct. 1773 and died in Whately 8 June 1854. ²⁷ In 1849 he was recorded as having become a pauper in 1827. ²⁸ In 1845 Thomas Crafts was paid \$113.00 for keeping Jesse Jewett and his wife. In 1848 the town supported “Jesse Jewett and wife until April 7th. In 1850, apparently a boarder,

¹⁴ West Whately Cemetery # 29849665

¹⁵ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 177 of 464

¹⁶ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 415 of 464

¹⁷ *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case #8071

¹⁸ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 433 of 464

¹⁹ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 469 of 1677

²⁰ Bridge Street Cemetery, Northampton MA # 94595142

²¹ Lakeside Park Memorial Cemetery, Hamburg NY # 79363402

²² West Whately Cemetery # 30019228

²³ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 713 of 2415

²⁴ *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case # 12617

²⁵ Main Street Cemetery, Hatfield, MA # 134389717

²⁶ Main Street Cemetery, Hatfield MA # 127386829

²⁷ Center Cemetery, Whately MA #127195568

²⁸ Whately Book of Paupers

he was living in the household of James A. **CRUMP**. The Commonwealth of Massachusetts reimbursed Whately for his support in the amount of \$25.55. He married Abigail, daughter of Moses **CRAFTS (13)** of Whately. She was born in 1789 and died of consumption, 12 Aug. 1850.²⁹ They had seven children born in Whately:

Josiah, b. in 1818 and d. from exposure, in New Haven, Connecticut in the 1888 blizzard.³⁰ He m. Almena Hilliard and resided in New Haven. He died intestate but there is a probate file with an inventory.³¹

John, b. 4 April 1820 and d. soon.³² No supporting records found.

Mary Ann, b. 1822 and d. of rheumatism, 17 April 1789.³³ She m. James Monroe **CRAFTS (44)** of Whately.

John, b. 12 October 1824 and d. soon. No supporting records found

Cornelia, b. 12 May 1827 and d. soon.³⁴ No supporting records found.

Moses William, b. in 1830 and has his own entry (5)

Clarissa Cornelia, b. 7 Nov. 1833 and d. of heart disease, in Northampton, 23 December 1869.³⁵ She m. Sylvester Clapp of Northampton. When she was 16 years old she was living in West Whately with Charlotte Bardwell and in the home of Cotton Munson.

MOSES WILLIAM JEWETT 5

The son of Jessie (3) and Abigail (**CRAFTS**) Jewett, he was born at Whately in 1830 and died of paralysis in Whately on 5 Feb. 1891. He built the large Victorian house on the west side of Chestnut Plain, south of the Congregational Church.³⁶ James M. Crafts, in the Crafts family history, wrote that he was engaged for some time in “whale fishing, then was a soldier in the Civil War and returned in poor health.³⁷ His Civil War service was with a Connecticut regiment, and he is not included in the list of Whately soldiers. At some time he was committed to a hospital and upon his release his wife agreed to support him at a price of \$3.50 per week.³⁸ He made a will that is undated, but it was witnessed by a physician suggesting it was made about the time of death.³⁹ He made a bequest of \$500 to Mary A. Jewett “*whom I took in her infancy as my own child*”. He left the rest and residue of his estate to “*my faithful, devoted and self-sacrificing wife, Almira Wells Jewett*”. He married Almira, daughter of Chester and Hannah (Bardwell) **WELLS (16)** of Whately. She was born in 1825 and died of “natural causes”, 23 Sept. 1909.⁴⁰ She made a brief will on 1 July 1909 leaving her estate to “*Mary A. White who has lived with me since she was a small child and has been as a daughter to me.*”⁴¹

Mary Agnes, was born in 1866 and belonged to Moses and Almira “by verbal adoption.” Her birth name is not known. There is a marriage record in Northampton for Mary Jewett and James

²⁹ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 200 of 587

³⁰ *Crafts Family* p. 307

³¹ *Connecticut Wills and Probate Records, 1609 - 1999* Case 320481

³² *Crafts Family* p. 308

³³ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 334 of 1153

³⁴ *Crafts Family* p. 307

³⁵ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 373 of 1017

³⁶ Dufault # 121

³⁷ *The Crafts Family*, page. 308.

³⁸ Whately Book of Paupers

³⁹ *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case # 8749

⁴⁰ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 13 of 18

⁴¹ *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Case #15939

Johnson in 1890 but each column of the record has been marked with a large X. Mary's son William was born as William Johnson and she is called Mary Johnson in the birth records of her daughters Mabel and Mildred, but in 1900 she was enumerated as Mary White, age 28, divorced, and living in Whately with Almira and Mary's four children. William was probably the son of James Johnson and Frederick White is named as the father of Pearl and Mildred.

William, born 3 Nov. 1891.⁴² His birth is in the name of William Johnson and his mother is Mary Jewett. No father was listed.

Pearl, born in Whately on 15 Sept. 1893.⁴³ The entry originally read "no name" but was corrected to Pearl Elizabeth White, by affidavit, 25 July 1955 or 1965. The name of her father, Fred White was added at that time. She m. Anthony Ladone and was possibly an inmate in the Connecticut State Prison in Wethersfield in 1930, in which record she was called married. In 1940 she was divorced and living alone in Hartford.

Mable, b. 29 May 1896 in Whately and d. Feb. 1987 in Mt. Dora, Florida.⁴⁴ The child in the birth record was nameless and the record says only "female illegitimate."⁴⁵ Her mother was named as Mary Johnson. Mable married (1) Arnold Widmer of Williamsburg and (2) Raymond Northrope of Florida.

Mildred, b. 27 Aug. 1899 in Whately,⁴⁶ and d. June 1977.⁴⁷ The birth record gives her parents as Mary Jewett and Frederick White. . She m. Joseph Ladone, the brother of her sister's husband.



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HENRY JOHNSON

The son of Alfred and Emma (Wahlstrom) Johnson, he was born 20 June 1872 in South Deerfield and died 8 April 1950 in Whately. He was the second husband of Alice (Scott) Barrell. They were married in 1907 and by 1910 they were living in Whately with their daughter, Sylvia and her two daughters from the first marriage. Together they had one daughter.

Sylvia Louise, b. 6 Feb 1907 and d. 2 Jan. 1988. She m. Charles Nelson **BALDWIN**. For the Baldwin Family see chapter 20.

⁴² *Massachusetts Birth Records, 1840 – 1915*. Image 718 of 2025

⁴³ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 310 of 464

⁴⁴ *U.S. Social Security Death Index, 1935 – 2014*, text only

⁴⁵ *Massachusetts Birth Records, 1840 – 1915*. Image 1104 of 2537

⁴⁶ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 – 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 452 of 464

⁴⁷ Mt. Saint Benedict Cemetery, Bloomfield CT # 83715999

ELI JONES

The son of Eli and Eunice (Luddington) Jones, he was born on 3 Nov. 1817 in Chesterfield and died of pneumonia, 11 March 1887 in Whately.⁴⁸ When he was 48, he married Charlotte Brown who was from Lebanon, Connecticut. They married in Whately in 1866 and he purchased 33 acres of land in town that same year. They had no children but in 1871 he was included on a list of Whately residents who owned a dog. He left a will giving his “blessing” to his sister Electa Dimock and his niece, Clara Fuller. Everything else he gave to his wife.⁴⁹ She sold the 33 acres of land to Sarah Coddington of New Hampshire in 1877. Charlotte died of meningitis in Whately in 1899⁵⁰ and is buried with her husband in the Hight Street Cemetery in Haydenville.

REV. JONATHAN SHELDON JUDD

The son of Eleazer and Dorothy (Lyman) Judd, he was born 1816 in Westhampton and died of a hemorrhage⁵¹ there on 11 May 1864.⁵² He was a Congregational minister. His property was on the east side of Chestnut Plain, south of the Town Hall.⁵³ He married (1) Emily Wolcott of Agawam who was born in 1818 and died in 1861.⁵⁴ He married (2) Emily Smith who was born in 1833 and died in 1915.⁵⁵ Jonathan and his first wife had three children born in Whately.

Albert, b. in 1845 and d. of “organic brain” and epilepsy on 1 May 1898.⁵⁶ He did not marry.

Henry Melville, b. 1848 and died 20 May 1921.⁵⁷ He was a photographer and did not marry.

Unnamed son, b. 3 October 1850 and d. soon.

ELEAZER JUDD

The brother of Jonathan Judd, he was born in Westhampton in 1821. He died of old age, in Westhampton, 6 November 1896.⁵⁸ He is buried in the Center Cemetery in Hyde Park.⁵⁹ He married Clymenia Sophia, daughter of Eli **SANDERSON (19)** of Whately. She was born in 1818 and died of senility, 17 July 1910, in Williamstown. She is buried as “Sophia C” in the Center Cemetery in Westhampton.⁶⁰ Eleazer and Clymenia Sophia had two children:

Emerson Wadsworth, b. in 1856 and d. in 1930.⁶¹ He m. Mary Wheeler from New York.

Edward Sanderson, b. in 1859 and d. on 12 December 1946.⁶² He m. Elizabeth Connitt from New York.

⁴⁸ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 421 of 464

⁴⁹ *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 – 1991, Case #9459*

⁵⁰ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 437 of 464

⁵¹ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Westhampton BMD*, Image 102 of 242

⁵² Middlebury Cemetery, Middlebury CT #10815765

⁵³ Dufault # 81

⁵⁴ Middlebury Cemetery, Middlebury CT # 10815790

⁵⁵ Middlebury Cemetery, Middlebury CT # 38402371

⁵⁶ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 433 of 464

⁵⁷ *Massachusetts Mason Membership Cards, 1733 - 1990*, Image 8072 of 8316

⁵⁸ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, 1242 of 2206

⁵⁹ Center Cemetery, Westhampton MA # 122572620

⁶⁰ Center Cemetery, Westhampton MA # 122572550

⁶¹ Hollywood Forever Cemetery, Hollywood CA # 103845977

⁶² Graceland Cemetery, Chicago IL # 159274847

JOSEPH KELLOGG and WILLIAM KELLOGG

Crafts listed these two men and believed they were brothers. The only record supporting their residence in Whately is the death of William, age 5, March 1774.⁶³ There was no man by either name in Franklin County in 1790.

JOEL KELLOGG

The son of Joseph and Mary (mnu) Kellogg, he was born at Whately in 1774. The cause of death is difficult to read but looks like he died of dysentery, 22 Oct. 1798.⁶⁴ He married Joanna Clark of Northampton. Her dates were not found. Joel and Joanna had six children:

Miriam, b. 1751 and d., in Conway, 2 February 1824.⁶⁵ She m. Eleazer **FRARY (10)** of Whately.

Seth, b. at Hadley 15 July 1753 and d. 8 July 1833 in Richmond, New York.⁶⁶ He m. Jerusha White of Hadley.

Joanna, b. about 1755 and d. in Vermont in 1816.⁶⁷ She m. Jonathan Ingram. There is a birth record in Marlboro, Vermont for Sarah Ingram, daughter of Joanna and Jonathan born 10 Feb. 1798 and a birth record in the same place for Joanna, Ingram, daughter of **Sally** and Jonathan. The author of *The Kelloggs in the New World* wrote "It has been reported that Jonathan Ingram's wife was Sarah Kellogg, dau. of Joel, but the Town Clerk of Marlboro says that records in his office prove that it was Joanna."⁶⁸

Abigail, b. 1757 and d. 8 June 1833.⁶⁹ She m. Moses **CRAFTS (13)** of Whately.

Levi, b. 1760 in Hadley and d. in 1848. He m. Cynthia Wright and resided in Utica, New York.

JOEL KELLOGG

A son of Jonathan, Joel is supposed to have been born in 1803 in Vermont and died in 1840. He married Belinda, daughter of Joseph **SCOTT (18)** of Whately.⁷⁰ In 1834 three minor children of Joel Kellogg petitioned in probate court as grandchildren of Joseph Scott.⁷¹ They were Joseph, supposed to have been born in 1828, Charles, 1830 and Mary Ann, 1832 but there are no birth records to support these dates.

SETH KINGSLEY

The son of Seth and Irene (Warren) Kingsley, Seth was born on 22 Feb. 1788 in Williamsburg and died 18 June 1839 in Northampton. He married Lemira White who was born 15 Sept. 1792 and died 3 Oct. 1845 in Worcester. They had four children:

Moses, b. 1815 and has his own entry.

Elizabeth, b. 4 June 1817 and d. of "general debility" 15 Feb. 1899 in Westborough.⁷² She m. Rev. William Hubbard.

Charles, b. 1823 and has his own entry

⁶³ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 127 of 464

⁶⁴ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 134 of 464

⁶⁵ Cricket Hill Cemetery, Conway MA # 81217885

⁶⁶ Clark Cemetery, Richmond NY #95921554

⁶⁷ *Kelloggs in the New World*, p. 285

⁶⁸ *Kelloggs in the New World*, p. 285

⁶⁹ Center Cemetery, Whately MA # 30779065

⁷⁰ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988*, Image 119 of 464

⁷¹ *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 - 1991*, Case #4135

⁷² *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 1704 of 2415

Sarah, b. 9 Sept. 1827 and d. of “bulbar paralysis” 3 March 1902 in Amherst. She m. George Fitch.

MOSES KINGSLEY

The son of Seth and Lemira (White) Kingsley, he was born on 3 May 1815 and died 20 June 1894.⁷³ He married Rachel Curtis who was born in 1817 and died on 26 August 1900. They had seven children. All except Eldridge are buried in the Main Street Cemetery in Hatfield,

Roswell, b. 1841 and d. 1844.

Elbridge, b. 17 Sept. 1842 in Carthage, Ohio and d. 28 Aug. 1918.⁷⁴ He was an artist and m. Elizabeth Cook.

Seth, b. 1844 and d. 1930.

Stephen, b. 1847 and has his own entry.

Lewis Hubbard, b. 1853 and d. 1924.

Louisa Childs, b. 1855 and d. 1856.

Henry, b. 1859 and d. 1929.

CHARLES KINGSLEY

The son of Seth and Lemira (White) Kingsley, he was born in 1823 and d. 8 May 1894 of pneumonia.⁷⁵ His death was just a few months after his older brother Moses. In 1850 he was living, perhaps as a hired laborer, in the household of Benjamin **DANE**. By 1855 he had married Chloe Dane and they were living in Whately with her widowed mother. They had four children:

Esther, b. 1853 in Whately and with her parents in 1855 and 1860 but no further records found.

Charles, b. 1854 in Whately and d. of typhoid fever on 14 July 1864 in Hatfield.⁷⁶

George Dane, b. 23 June 1856 and d. 1934.⁷⁷ He m. Musetta Appleton.

Roxanna, b. 29 March 1859 in Hatfield and d. 1918 in Cambridge.⁷⁸ She m. Squire Rogers.

STEPHEN KINGSLEY

He was born 5 May 1847 in Hatfield, the son of Moses and Rachel (Curtis) **KINGSLEY**. He died 7 November 1932 in Whately.⁷⁹ He married Mary Elizabeth (**GRAVES**) (**ROOTE**), the daughter of Randall **GRAVES (63)** of Whately and the widow of Fred Roote of Westfield. She was born in 1849 and died 11 Feb. 1943.⁸⁰ They had no children together.

CALVIN KNIGHT

The son of Shubael and Hannah (Rhodes) Knight, he was born in 1811 in Chesterfield and died of typhoid and dysentery in Whately 28 August 1898.⁸¹ His property was on Conway Road.⁸² He married Lucretia Damon who was born in Chesterfield about 1824 and died of “typhoid

⁷³ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 738 of 2120

⁷⁴ Old Hadley Cemetery, Hadley MA #128547203

⁷⁵ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 738 of 2120

⁷⁶ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 – 1915*, Image 399 of 1110

⁷⁷ Main Street Cemetery, Hatfield MA #156830965

⁷⁸ Mt. Auburn Cemetery, Cambridge MA # 156795592

⁷⁹ Center Cemetery, Whately MA # 127267499

⁸⁰ Center Cemetery, Whately MA # 127267462

⁸¹ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 642 of 2306

⁸² Dufault # 112

dysentery” three days after her husband, on 31 Aug 1898. ⁸³ Calvin and Lucretia had fifteen children, the first nine born in Chesterfield.

Unnamed daughter, b. and died in 1843.

Emma, born 1844 and died 1919. ⁸⁴ She married Lorenzo **WILCUTT** of Whately.

Harriet, born 1846 and died 14 Aug. 1914. ⁸⁵ She married Charles **COVELL** of Whately.

George, born 14 Jan. 1849 and died of dropsy, in Whately, 19 Feb. 1870. ⁸⁶

Mary., born 1850 and died 6 Feb. 1944. ⁸⁷ She married James Whitman. Crafts names her Nancy Z. but the marriage record and gravestone show Mary.

Henry S. born 21 Sept. 1852 and died at an unknown date. He married Emma Renstermeyer of Hartford, Connecticut. They had one son, born 3 June 1888 and died the next day. She died of diabetes in Northampton in 1911 and he m. (2), as her third husband, Ellen Witherall. She was the widow of Newton Damon and Frederick Edwin **CRAFTS** of Whately.

Cynthia, b. 20 Jan 1855 in Chesterfield and d. 11 Oct. 1930 in Springfield. She m. Joseph Myrick. Crafts has her as Ellen C.

Lizzie, b. 20 March 1857 in Chesterfield and d. 17 May 1935 in Northampton. She m. (1)

Charles DICKINSON (47) of Whately and (2) Charles Lester Clark.

Anna Malintha, b. 28 Nov. 1858 in Chesterfield and d. 28 July 1888 in Coventry, Connecticut. She m. Sherman Carpenter.

Charles Nelson, b. 1861 and has his own entry.

Albert, b. 8 March 1863 and d. 1 May 1863. ⁸⁸

Carrie, b. 15 April 1865 and d. 11 July 1865. ⁸⁹

Clara, her twin, b. 15 April 1865 and d. 28 July 1865. ⁹⁰

Edgar Calvin, b. 1867 and has his own entry.

Imelda Bertha, born 1869 and died in 1936. ⁹¹ She married Albert Clapp of Southampton. Her records are often found as Bertha I.

CHARLES KNIGHT

The son of Calvin and Lucretia (Damon) Knight, he was born 15 Feb. 1861 and died in 1948. ⁹² He married Lucy Viola, the daughter of Frank **WESTON** of Whately. Three children:

Unnamed son, b. 3 July 1888 and died the next day. ⁹³

Bessie Lee, b. 26 Nov. 1892. This name is given in Crafts, but it is the birth date of Mabel Knight.

Mabel, b. 26 Nov. 1892 and d. 16 Sept. 1955 in Leverett. ⁹⁴ She m. Seaver Strong

Ethel, b. 1897 and d. 1904 ⁹⁵

⁸³ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 642 of 2306

⁸⁴ West Whately Cemetery # 29955020

⁸⁵ Spring Grove Cemetery, Florence MA #48976160

⁸⁶ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988*, Image 404 of 464

⁸⁷ South Yard Cemetery, Tolland MA. # 41826320

⁸⁸ Bofat Cemetery, Chesterfield MA #14087928

⁸⁹ Bofat Cemetery, Chesterfield MA #14087937

⁹⁰ Bofat Cemetery, Chesterfield MA #14087949

⁹¹ Oak Grove Cemetery, Springfield MA # 156276817

⁹² North Hatfield Cemetery, Hatfield MA #111578367

⁹³ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 398 of 1504

⁹⁴ North Hatfield Cemetery, Hatfield MA #111578393

⁹⁵ North Hatfield Cemetery, Hatfield MA #111578388

EDGAR CALVIN KNIGHT

The son of Calvin and Lucretia (Damon) Knight, he was born 22 Jan 1867 and died in 1930.⁹⁶ In 1898 he married (1) Mabel Agnes Curtis and by 1920 he was divorced and working as an attendant at the Northampton State Hospital. His name was included in a list of officials and employees of the Commonwealth with his wage as \$1.74 per day. In 1924 he married (2) Katherine Tritton who was born in England in 1889 and died in Northampton in 1947.⁹⁷ In 1930 he was enumerated as Edwin Knight living in Northampton and working as a portrait artist. The Whately Historical Society has several of his pencil drawings.

Children of Edgar and Mabel.

Warren Curtis, stillborn 1 Aug 1899 in Chesterfield.

Opal Lucretia, b. 18 Aug. 1904 and d. 18 Aug. 1969.⁹⁸ Did she really die on her birthday? The gravestone says only 1969. When she was 15, she was an “inmate” at the State Industrial School in Lancaster, Massachusetts. This was the country’s first reform school for girls and represented a move away from child imprisonment to a correctional approach. In 1924, when she was 20 years old, she m. Felix E. Brishois.

Nellie I. b. 24 Jan. 1914 and d.?



State Industrial School in Lancaster

SAMUEL LAMB

The son of Isaac and Mary (Canedy) Lamb, he was born in Colrain in 1811 and died 8 May 1879 in Amherst, of pneumonia.⁹⁹ He married Maria, daughter of John **WOODS (2)** of Whately. She was born in 1813 and died of consumption, 14 Feb. 1879, in Whately.¹⁰⁰ They had four children:

Fannie, born 1833 in Colrain and died 17 March 1904, in Amherst, of “La Grippe”.¹⁰¹ She married Foster **MEEKINS** of Whately.

Mary, born 1836 and died on 24 May 1911 in Everett, Washington.¹⁰² She married (1) Harrison G. **SCOTT (33)** of Whately. He was a Civil War Soldier who died 10 July 1863, the day after the Battle of Port Hudson.¹⁰³ In 1866 Mary married (2) Charles **MACOMBER**. In 1870 Mary

⁹⁶ Village Hill Cemetery, Williamsburg MA # 69978122

⁹⁷ Village Hill Cemetery, Williamsburg MA #

⁹⁸ Saint Mary’s Assumption Cemetery Haydenville MA #

⁹⁹ East Whately Cemetery # 127170526

¹⁰⁰ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 413 of 424

¹⁰¹ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 2 of 62

¹⁰² *Washington Death Records, 1833 - 1960*, text only

¹⁰³ *U.S. Register of Deaths of Volunteers, 1861 - 1865*

and Charles together with Ida and Harry Scott, the children of her first marriage, were living in Whately. Charles died in July 1870¹⁰⁴ and Mary married (3) George Hastings.

Clara, born 1845 and died 10 May 1899 of “asthenia¹⁰⁵ due to “malignant disease”.¹⁰⁶ She married Henry Macomber of Conway. Charles and Henry Macomber were brothers.

Lucy, born 1851 and died in 1884.¹⁰⁷ She married Thomas **BELDEN (65)** of Whately.

JOHN LAMSON

Crafts has the spelling Lamson but some records are as Lampson or Lambson. The son of William and Hannah (Judson) Lamson, John was born on 22 Oct. 1747 and is supposed to have died on 25 Sept. 1818 in Granville. He came to Whately from Connecticut in 1771 or 1772. According to Crafts he built a gambrel roofed house that stood on the east side of Chestnut Plain, near the present Town Hall. The house was operated as a tavern but became dilapidated and eventually burned. He married Mercy, daughter of Daniel **MORTON (7)** of Whately. On 21 Dec. 1882 he confessed to the church his sins; *of abusing the wife of his bosom, of breach of promise and lying, of immoderate drinking of spirituous liquors, of idleness and dissipation, of profane cursing and swearing and of theft.* This confession was accepted by the congregation.¹⁰⁸

Annis, bp. Whately, 5 July 1778.¹⁰⁹ and d. in 1868.¹¹⁰ She m. Zenas Shaw.

Judson, bp Whately, 1783,¹¹¹

Lucretia, bp. Whately, 1791¹¹²

Sophia, bp. Whately, 1791¹¹³

William, no supporting records

Tirzah, no supporting records

Horace, no supporting records

SAMUEL LAMSON

He was born in 1763 and died at an unknown date but before 1848 when his wife was called a widow. He married Miriam Stratton of Weston. She died of old age in Whately, 2 Jan. 1848.¹¹⁴ They had ten children according to Crafts, three of whom died early. Their connection to Whately is limited but his name appears on a church record in 1826¹¹⁵ and one child has a Whately marriage. Crafts' list and the list recorded in Rowe includes seven children:

Anna, born in Weston in 1787 and died at an unknown date. She married Medad Bartlett of Marlboro, Vermont.

¹⁰⁴ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately Church Records, Image 74 of 130*

¹⁰⁵ Asthenia is weakness or loss of energy due to disease

¹⁰⁶ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915, Image 858 of 2415*

¹⁰⁷ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Statewide Indexes, Image 64 of 299*

¹⁰⁸ *Whately Church Records, scanned by Peter Thomas*

¹⁰⁹ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Whately Church Records, Image 50 of 66*

¹¹⁰ Weybridge Hill Cemetery, Weybridge VT #137797838

¹¹¹ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Whately Church Records, Image 52 of 66*

¹¹² *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Whately Church Records, Image 56 of 66*

¹¹³ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Whately Church Records, Image 56 of 66*

¹¹⁴ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Image 212 of 464*

¹¹⁵ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988, Whately Church Records, Image 56 of 130*

Maria, born in Weston in 1791 and died 1 April 1872 of heart disease.¹¹⁶ She married Erastus **CRAFTS (32)** of Whately.

Samuel, born in Weston in 1796 and died after 1860 when he was living in Chicopee.

Amasa, born in Weston in 1798 and has his own entry.

Almira, born in Petersham and died at an unknown date. She married Emory Bruce of Marlboro.

Eliza, born in Rowe in 1803 and died at an unknown date.

Ira born in Rowe in 1805 and died after 1878. In 1872, indexed as Pra Lampson, he was recorded as an inmate of the Rensselaer County Poorhouse in the State of New York. He was a widower with no children and declared unable to work and permanently dependant due to “rupture and piles”. The form recorded for his admission stated that he could read and write and that his “habits” as well as those of his mother and father were “temperate”.¹¹⁷ He died on 30 July 1878.¹¹⁸



Unidentified Poorhouse

AMASA LAMSON

The son of Samuel and Miriam (Stratton) Lamson, he was born in Weston in 1798 and died in Franklin, Michigan in 1833.¹¹⁹ He married Hannah, daughter of Reuben **CRAFTS (16)** of Whately. Amasa and Hannah had three children born in Whately.

Velorus, born 1825 and died on 3 Aug. 1866.¹²⁰ He married Caroline Moore of Ontario Canada.

Mary Sophia, born 1826 and died in 1905.¹²¹ She married Ruel Wetherell. The grave annotation gives her maiden name as Sampson,

Caleb Crafts, born 18 July 1856 and died of Addison’s Disease, 20 March 1901.¹²² He married Abbie Davidson.

JOHN WILLIAM LANE

The son of Charles and Hannah (French) Lane, he was a Congregational minister in Whately. Hhe was born at Newfields, New Hampshire in 1827 and died of pneumonia, 13 May 1911, in

¹¹⁶ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 404 of 424

¹¹⁷ *New York Census of Inmates of Almshouses and Poorhouse, 1830 – 1950*, Image 40 of 53

¹¹⁸ Rensselaer County farm Cemetery, Rensselaer NY 3157902971

¹¹⁹ *Newspaper Extractions from the Northeast, 1704 - 1930*, Image 529 of 958

¹²⁰ Oak Grove Cemetery, Manchester MI #130283043

¹²¹ Brookside Cemetery, Tecumseh MI #61449819

¹²² *Michigan Death Records, 1867 - 1950*, Image 1529 of 3318

Hadley.¹²³ His property was on the west side of Chestnut Plain.¹²⁴ He was of great service to the town. His entry in Crafts is lengthy and will not be repeated here. He married Mary Haynes of Townsend. She was born in 1841 and died on 25 June 1922.¹²⁵ He had eight children, the first six born in Whately.

Charles, born 10 November 1869 and died 26 October 1870.¹²⁶ Cause of death from a damaged sheet of records is possibly “chronic dysentery”.

Samuel, born and died 6 March 1871. No supporting records found.

John Edward, born 1872 and died in 1933 in Connecticut.¹²⁷ He was a physician and married in 1909, Alice Treat Rogers of Connecticut.

Aleck Forbes, born 1873 and died of spinal meningitis, 15 March 1875.¹²⁸

Amy Sanders, born 1874 and died at the Brattleboro Retreat where she was hospitalized with senile psychosis and died of arteriosclerosis, 26 January 1952.¹²⁹ She married William Powell.

Wallace Rutherford, born 12 Aug. 1876 and died 24 May 1946.¹³⁰

Wilfred Clary, born 1878 and died 13 November 1925.¹³¹ He married Lila Darling Woodbury.

Susan Kleine, born 1881 and died in 1968.¹³² The annotation with her burial record is based on a misreading of the death date.

BENJAMIN LARRABEE

He was born about 1788 in Hatfield and died in Plainfield, Vermont, 19 April 1828, aged 40.¹³³ He married in 1816 (1) Caroline, daughter of Moses **CRAFTS (13)**. She was born about 1793 and died in Whately, 17 Feb. 1822.¹³⁴ No cause of death recorded. They had one child, **Henry**, born in 1817. He has his own entry. He married (2) Sally Freeman of Plainfield, Vermont by whom he had a second son, **Paraclete** Larrabee.

HENRY DICKINSON LARRABEE

The son of Benjamin and Caroline (**CRAFTS**) Larrabee. James M. Crafts wrote that he was born in Whately but there is no birth record and his death record in Vermont says that he was born in Worcester. In any case, he was born in 1817 and died of consumption in Northfield, Vermont, 24 December 1878.¹³⁵ He married Hannah Andrews of Winchendon and had four children, all born in Vermont and with no Whately associations.

MOSES HAYDEN LEONARD

The son of Elijah and Abigail (Hayden) Leonard, he was born in Conway on 18 Nov. 1796 and died 14 October 1842 in Philadelphia.¹³⁶ A pendant belonging to his sister, Anna Adams Leonard

¹²³ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 14 of 38

¹²⁴ Dufault # 70

¹²⁵ Stratham Cemetery, Stratham NH # 115953765

¹²⁶ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 331 of 1048

¹²⁷ *Connecticut Deaths and Burials Index, 1650 - 1934*, text only

¹²⁸ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 409 of 424

¹²⁹ *Vermont Vital Records, 1909 - 2008*, Image 1278 of 3304

¹³⁰ *Illinois Deaths and Stillbirths Index, 1916 - 1947*, text only

¹³¹ Stratham Cemetery, Stratham NH # 115953925

¹³² Stratham Cemetery, Stratham NH # 115954048

¹³³ *History of the Crafts Family*, p. 308

¹³⁴ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately Ch. Records*, Image 71 of 125

¹³⁵ *Vermont Vital Records, 1720 - 1908*, Image 3039 of 4553

¹³⁶ *Philadelphia Pennsylvania Death Certificates Index, 1803 - 1915*, text only

was found in Vermont in 2020 and is the subject of a video biography titled *Anna and the Pendant*. Moses married Asenath, daughter of Francis **BELDEN** (14) of Whately. She was born in Hatfield in 1802 and died in Chicago, 6 Aug. 1874.¹³⁷ Moses and Asenath had seven children:

Emily, born in December 1819 and died 26 July 1905 in Chicago.¹³⁸ She married (1) Spencer Rowe and (2) Dexter Rowe. Her husbands, both born in Sunderland, were second cousins. She married Spencer in 1840 and Dexter in 1850 and must have been divorced as Spencer did not die until 1863.

Samantha, born 9 December 1821 and died 30 May 1916.¹³⁹ She married William C. Bradley. **Alfred**, born about 1824 in Whately and died 26 December 1825.¹⁴⁰ The death record is last name only.

Asenath, born 2 May 1826 and died in Madison, Wisconsin 5 Dec. 1863.¹⁴¹ She married the Rev. Porter Howard **SNOW** of Ware and Whately.

Roxanna, born 13 July 1828 and died 4 September 1870. Cause of death not clear from death record.¹⁴² She married Elihu **BELDEN (29)** of Whately.

Elvira, born in 1831 and died after 1870 when she and her husband were living in Chicago. She married James A. Brainard.

Henrietta, born 30 Aug. 1840 in Philadelphia and died in Chicago in 1925.¹⁴³ Her gravestone is next to that of her sister Emily. She married Charles Backus. Snow of Ware. Charles Snow was the brother of Porter **SNOW**. Their daughter, **Alice** Asenath Snow was born in Whately in 1860 but they had no other association with town.

SAMUEL LESURE

The son of Samuel and Hannah (Cummings) Lesure, Samuel was born in Warwick in 1803 and died of old age in Whately, 29 November 1894.¹⁴⁴ He built two houses on Chestnut Plain, just south of the Town Hall.¹⁴⁵ Samuel married Lucy Buell who was born in 1812 and died of “neuralgia of heart”, in Whately, 16 Oct. 1889.¹⁴⁶ Samuel and Lucy had one child. **Mari Edith**. She was born in 1842 and died 16 Oct. 1928.¹⁴⁷ Her death occurred on the 39th anniversary of the death of her mother. Mari married Samuel B. **WHITE (15)** of Whately.

JOHN LOCKE

The son of John and Mary (Reed) Locke, John was born 10 June 1752 in Woburn and died 31 March 1834, in Choconut, Pennsylvania.¹⁴⁸ The annotation on his grave record says that he was involved in the Boston Tea Party and that he was at the Battles of Bunker Hill, White Plains and

¹³⁷ *Cook County Illinois Marriage and Death indexes, 1833 - 1889*, image 21 of 370

¹³⁸ Rosehill Cemetery, Chicago IL #316552870

¹³⁹ Bronswood Cemetery, Oak Grove IL # 114280496

¹⁴⁰ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately Church Records*, Image 72 of 125

¹⁴¹ Rosehill Cemetery, Chicago IL #218631092

¹⁴² *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 331 of 1048

¹⁴³ Rosehill Cemetery, Chicago IL #165552908

¹⁴⁴ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 613 of 2120

¹⁴⁵ Dufault #'s 95 and 96

¹⁴⁶ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records 1620 - 1988*, Image 423 of 464

¹⁴⁷ Center Cemetery, Whately MA #127271110

¹⁴⁸ John Locke Cemetery, Choconut PA # 58126299

Saratoga. He married Ruth Faxon who was born in 1752 and died in 1817.¹⁴⁹ Four of their daughters are listed in Whately birth records, all on the same page.¹⁵⁰

John, born 1775 in Deerfield.

Henry, born 1778 in Deerfield.

Joanna, b. 15 Sept. 1778 in Whately and died 16 July 1864.¹⁵¹ She married Abiah Mayhew of Martha's Vineyard.

Lucy, born 13 Sept. 1781 in Whately and died of old age, in Somerville, 8 Oct. 1866.¹⁵² She married Sewall Kendall of Vermont.

Mary, born 30 Jan. 1783 in Whately and died 1787 in Deerfield.¹⁵³

Priscilla, born 1784 in Whately and died 31 July 1865.¹⁵⁴ She married Andrew Robinson of Bennington, Vermont.

Ruth, born 1786 in Deerfield and died at an unknown date. She married Thomas Capel of Lebanon, Connecticut.

Mary, born 1788 in Deerfield and died in April 1855.¹⁵⁵ She married Nahum Taft.

Edmund, born 1791 in Deerfield and died 9 August 1851.¹⁵⁶ He married Samantha Atwood of Bennington, Vermont.¹⁵⁷

Nathaniel, born 1793 in Deerfield and died 25 July 1890.¹⁵⁸ He married (1) Hester Ross, (2) Philimedia Taft and (3) Almira Doty Faxon. He was a soldier in the War of 1812 and his grave annotation says "he was probably the oldest Methodist in the United States".

JOSEPH LYMAN LONGLEY

The son of Joseph and Almira (Crittenden) Longley and called Lyman, he was born in Hawley in 1824 and died of senility and heart disease, 23 February 1903.¹⁵⁹ He was a member of the 52nd Mass. Infantry Regiment and survived the war with impaired health. He married Jane, daughter of Levi **MORTON (36)** of Whately. They divorced sometime between 1870 when she was enumerated with Joseph and 1879 when she married Quartus Warner. Jane was born in 1831 and was "found dead in bed" 31 Aug. 1901 in Williamsburg.¹⁶⁰ Joseph and Jane had one child, **Levi Herbert**, who has his own entry below.

LEVI HERBERT LONGLEY

The son of Joseph and Jane (**MORTON**) Longley, he was born in 1856 and died in 1938.¹⁶¹ His name is often seen as Levi or Levi H. but his gravestone says "L. Herbert". He married Idalette, daughter of David **SCOTT (39)** of Whately. She was born about 1860 and died of "cardiac dilatation" on 10 April 1905.¹⁶² She was 45 years old.

¹⁴⁹ John Locke Cemetery, Choconut PA # 58126515

¹⁵⁰ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately Town Meeting Records*, Image 7 of 287

¹⁵¹ Spencertown Cemetery, Spencertown NY # 20524290

¹⁵² *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 467 of 909

¹⁵³ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Deerfield VR Transcripts*, Image 292 of 322

¹⁵⁴ Oak Hill Cemetery, Evansville IN # 17348767

¹⁵⁵ East Pittstown Methodist Cemetery, Pittstown NY # 109401605

¹⁵⁶ Riverside Cemetery, Endicott NY # 60450463

¹⁵⁷ *History of the Faxon Family* p. 101

¹⁵⁸ Maplewood Cemetery, Toledo OH # 60475843

¹⁵⁹ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 3 of 11

¹⁶⁰ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 894 of 2728

¹⁶¹ East Whately Cemetery # 127280984

¹⁶² *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 10 of 42

ABNER LOOMIS ¹⁶³

Abner was born at Colchester, Connecticut in 1750 and died 2 April 1812. ¹⁶⁴ Identification of his parents is uncertain. He married Zilpah, daughter of Eliakim **FIELD (5)** of Whately. She was born on 13 Nov. 1756 and died on 22 March 1847. ¹⁶⁵ Abner and Zilpah had five children:

Sarah born 1783 and died 27 November 1854. ¹⁶⁶ She married Elijah **SANDERSON (20)** of Whately.

Jonathan Colton, born 1785 and has his own entry.

William, born 1789 and has his own entry.

Leonard, born 1797 and has his own entry.

Luther, born 1798 and died 30 September 1804. ¹⁶⁷

JONATHAN C. LOOMIS

Jonathan, son of Abner and Zilpah (**FIELD**) Loomis, was born in 1785 and died of a "congestive fever", 25 August 1864. ¹⁶⁸ His property was on the south side of Haydenville Road in the area formerly called West Lane. ¹⁶⁹ He made his will on 1 Feb 1859. ¹⁷⁰ He was a volunteer who served in the War of 1812; the Sergeant in Captain Amos Pratt's Company, September and October 1814. ¹⁷¹ He married Electa, daughter of David **STOCKBRIDGE (5)** of Whately. She was born in 1789 and died of cancer, 7 Feb. 1877. ¹⁷² Jonathan and Electa had nine children born at Whately.

Angenette, born 1812 and died 20 February 1892. ¹⁷³ She married Fowler Preston of Granby, as his second wife. Crafts and a birth record give her name as above but her tombstone says "Ann Jennette" and in other records she is Ann J. or Ann. L.

Mary, born 9 Jan. 1814 and died on Christmas Day 1896. ¹⁷⁴ She married Rev. John Little of Northampton.

Almira, born 14 Oct. 1815 and died of pneumonia, 22 March 1893. ¹⁷⁵ She married Horace **MANNING** of Whately.

Sarah, born 12 Oct. 1817 and died of cystitis, 6 December 1901. ¹⁷⁶ She married Reuben Hibbard **BELDEN (28)** of Whately.

Elizabeth, born 20 Dec. 1819 and died after 1880 when she and her husband were living in Menard, Illinois. She married John D. Lee of Virginia.

¹⁶³ Crafts did not give identifying numbers to Loomis or his sons.

¹⁶⁴ West Whately Cemetery # 29683486

¹⁶⁵ West Whately Cemetery # 29683561

¹⁶⁶ West Whately Cemetery # 29683772

¹⁶⁷ West Whately Cemetery # 29683582

¹⁶⁸ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 398 of 464

¹⁶⁹ Dufault # 102

¹⁷⁰ *Massachusetts Wills and Probate Records, 1635 - 1991*, Case #9668

¹⁷¹ *U.S. Adjutant General Military Records, 1631 - 1976*.

¹⁷² *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 322 of 1114

¹⁷³ St. Joseph City Cemetery, St. Joseph MI # 134780118

¹⁷⁴ Indian Point Cemetery, Athens IL #195561001

¹⁷⁵ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 585 of 2114

¹⁷⁶ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 860 of 2728

Philomela, born 12 Oct. 1822 and died of heart disease, in Whately, 6 May 1901.¹⁷⁷ When widowed she lived with her brother Calvin. She married Ira Brown of Baltimore. Their daughter Emma married Ira Dickinson, the son of Arhur **DICKINSON (53)** of Whately. Emma inherited the property of her uncle, Calvin **LOOMIS**.

Electa, born 1 Sept. 1824 and died of heart disease, 11 November 1905, in Hatfield.¹⁷⁸ She married Otis Wells of Hatfield.

Calvin Stockbridge, born 26 March 1827 and died of pneumonia, 10 April 1911, in Whately.¹⁷⁹ He had slipped and fallen on ice, fracturing his femur. He made his will on 3 April, leaving \$200 to his “faithful housekeeper” Sarah Morton, money to his several nieces and nephews and his real estate to his niece Emma F. Brown **DICKINSON**.¹⁸⁰

Charles, born 1829 and died 10 April 1890.¹⁸¹ He married Helen M. Slate of Northampton.

WILLIAM LOOMIS

William, son of Abner and Zilpah (**FIELD**) Loomis, was born in 1789 and died of consumption in Williamsburg, 13 October 1853.¹⁸² He married (1) Rebecca, the daughter of Benjamin **WAITE (44)** of Whately. She was born 13 November 1792 and died 20 Dec. 1821.¹⁸³ Her name on the gravestone is “Rebekah”. One year later William married (2) Lucinda Thayer. Although her grave annotation says that Lucinda was born in Whately, it is more likely Williamsburg. The daughter of Oliver, she was born in 1795 and died in Haydenville, 14 Nov. 1872.¹⁸⁴ Crafts mentions that William was a carpenter but does not include that he was an important bridge architect and builder and “under the supervision of Captain Damon superintended the construction of all the large bridges constructed or rebuilt on the larger streams and rivers of the Connecticut Valley”.^{185 186}

Children of William and Rebecca:

Luther, born 1814 and died of heart failure, in Williamsburg, 12 December 1891.¹⁸⁷ He married (1) Caroline Cowing and (2) Thankful Lawrence.

Maria, born 1816 and died of “Grippe, complications of same”, 26 March 1897.¹⁸⁸ She married (1) Rufus Buell and was with him and three children in Westmoreland, New York in 1850. He died in 1851 and is buried in Westmoreland but there is a cenotaph in Westfield.¹⁸⁹ Maria and her dates are recorded on that stone although the death date appears to be incorrect. In 1856 in Belchertown, she married Nathaniel Marsh.

Jane, born 1818 and died of old age and heart problems, in Haydenville, 24 March 1906.¹⁹⁰ She married (1) George Bates, the marriage intention recorded 1 March 1838 in Northampton.¹⁹¹ He

¹⁷⁷ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 673 of 2728

¹⁷⁸ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 32 of 34

¹⁷⁹ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 6 of 19

¹⁸⁰ *Massachusetts Wills and probate Records, 1635 – 1991*, Files 16142 - 16445

¹⁸¹ Spring Grove Cemetery, Hartford CT # 147215142

¹⁸² *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 270 of 658

¹⁸³ Center Cemetery, Whately MA # 127229257

¹⁸⁴ Mountain Street Cemetery, Haydenville MA # 20584970

¹⁸⁵ *Genealogical and Personal Memoirs Relating to the Families of Massachusetts*

¹⁸⁶ Isaac Damon was an important architect who is believed to have built 13 churches and 25 bridges in Massachusetts

¹⁸⁷ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 640 of 1811

¹⁸⁸ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 754 of 2241

¹⁸⁹ Pine Hill Cemetery, Westfield MA # 59046949

¹⁹⁰ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 5 of 32

died the very next year (no source citation) and she married Job Cowing as his second wife in 1840.

Zilpah, bapt. 29 Oct. 1820.¹⁹² No further records found.

Children of William and Lucinda:

Rebecca, born 1823 and died 28 October 1848, in Williamsburg, of “childbed fever”.¹⁹³ She was 25 years old. She married William Cowing of Haydenville. He was not a brother of Job Cowing, her half sister’s husband.

Mary, born 1826 and died of “brain fever”, in Haydenville, 20 February 1847.¹⁹⁴ She married Ansel Packard. She is buried with her infant son, who died eight days earlier.¹⁹⁵

Charles, born 1828 and died of “pyrexia”,¹⁹⁶ 7 December 1900, in Springfield.¹⁹⁷ He married first Wealthy Leonard and secondly Harriet Adams.

Francis, born 1832 and died of heart disease, 11 March 1906.¹⁹⁸ He married Sarah Hillman who died of uremia¹⁹⁹ about six months later, 5 September 1906.²⁰⁰ It is interesting to note that Francis died 13 days before his half sister, Jane Loomis Cowing.

Elizabeth, born 1835 and died of Bright’s Disease, 30 October 1906, in Northampton.²⁰¹ She married first John Damon and secondly LeRoy Huntley.

LEONARD LOOMIS

William, son of Abner and Zilpah (**FIELD**) Loomis, he was born in 1797 and died of old age, 1 June 1880.²⁰² He married (1) Philomela Arms of Deerfield who died on 31 July 1825 aged 24.²⁰³ They had been married only three years and had no children. Leonard married (2) Clarissa Bardwell of Heath. She was born in 1798 and died of a “chronic liver affliction” 30 Nov. 1876.²⁰⁴ Leonard and Clarissa had five children.

Frances Arms, born 1829 and died 16 January 1899.²⁰⁵ She married Alfred Starkweather **Philomela A.** born 1831 and died 4 November 1907 of uremia, in Radnor, Pennsylvania.²⁰⁶ She married Evan D. Ashton of Philadelphia. She is called Philis A. Ashton on the death certificate and her date of birth and her father’s name are incorrect. She is buried in the Center Cemetery in Whately.

Clarissa, born 1832 and died of consumption, 23 December 1881.²⁰⁷ She did not marry.

¹⁹¹ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988*, Image 32 of 2680

¹⁹² *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately Church Records*, Image 66 of 66

¹⁹³ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 450 of 662

¹⁹⁴ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 409 of 505

¹⁹⁵ Mountain Street Cemetery, Haydenville MA #20585533

¹⁹⁶ Pyrexia is a alternate medical term for fever

¹⁹⁷ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, 909 of 2704

¹⁹⁸ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 3 of 32

¹⁹⁹ Uremia is an alternate medical term for kidney failure

²⁰⁰ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*. Image 24 of 32

²⁰¹ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 203 of 388

²⁰² *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 347 of 322

²⁰³ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately Church Records*, Image 72 of 125

²⁰⁴ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 410 of 464

²⁰⁵ Highland View Memorial Gardens, Farmington CA # 145906367

²⁰⁶ *Pennsylvania Death Certificates, 1906 - 1964*, Image 1884 of 3864

²⁰⁷ *Massachusetts Death Records, 1841 - 1915*, Image 351 of 1231

Esther Arms, born 1836 and died in 1871 (no source citation) She married Samuel Haynes. No supporting records found.

Samuel, born 1838 and has his own entry.

SAMUEL LOOMIS

The son of Leonard and Clarissa (Bardwell) Loomis, he was born at Whately in 1838 and died 16 January 1921.²⁰⁸ He married Sarah Longley of Amherst. She was born in 1846 and died on 20 Feb, 1878.²⁰⁹ Samuel and Sarah had two children.

Wilfred Raymond, born 1874 and died 25 August 1926.²¹⁰ He married Gertrude Miller of Wallingford, Connecticut as her second husband.

Oliver S., born 9 April 1877 and died 24 September 1877.²¹¹

JAMES LULL

Crafts names him John but the records of his daughters Hannah and Persis call the parents James and Beulah (Reed) Lull. He lived on Poplar Hill in West Whately "but a few years." Their daughter **Sarah**, born about 1764 (unsourced on the internet) or 1768 (by age at death) married Consider **WAITE (18)** of Whately and died of "childbed fever", 1 June 1796, aged 28.²¹² The death record says simply "Mrs Wait" without a given name. Their daughter **Hannah** was born about 1770 and married Seth Field of Hatfield. She died at an unknown date. Their daughter Persis, born 1773, married Festus **FRARY** of Whately and died in Aug. 1830 in Otsego, New York.²¹³ Caution is needed because Crafts writes that it was Persis who married Consider Waite.

ZEBINA LYON

Crafts wrote that Zebina came to Whately about 1780. His parents are not known. His wife Lydia died of dropsy in Whately 24 August 1789.²¹⁴ He was enumerated in Whately in 1790 but his children were born elsewhere. Crafts lists six children with details for Lydia.

Lydia, b. in 1763, d. in 1837.²¹⁵ She m. Reuben **GRAVES (46)** of Whately.

Lemuel, b. 1765 and d. 7 Jan. 1833.²¹⁶ He m. Jerusha Daniels

Arunah, b. 1775 and d. 7 June 1854 in Waterbury, Vermont.²¹⁷ He m. Ruth Rumnill

Melinda, b. and d. at an unknown date and place. She m. Erastus **GRAVES (81)** of Whately although at the time of the marriage, 6 June 1798²¹⁸ Erastus was recorded as a resident of Middlefield and Melinda a resident of Whately.

Samuel, no supporting records found but records for Lemuel and Samuel are muddled and they are perhaps the same person.

²⁰⁸ Center Cemetery, Whately # 127228877

²⁰⁹ South Amherst Cemetery, Amherst MA # 121182923

²¹⁰ Center Cemetery, Whately # 127228873

²¹¹ South Amherst Cemetery, Amherst MA # 121182722

²¹² *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 133 of 464

²¹³ Old Orleans Cemetery, Phelps NY # 13771890

²¹⁴ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 131 of 464

²¹⁵ Center Cemetery, Whately # 127195543

²¹⁶ *Vermont Vital Records, 1720 - 1908*, Image 3856 of 4053

²¹⁷ Waterbury Center Cemetery (old), Waterbury VT #53221097

²¹⁸ *Massachusetts Town and Vital Records, 1620 - 1988, Whately BMD*, Image 147 of 464

