

## **GENEALOGY/BIOGRAPHY**

### **General Families**

#### **SCOPE AND CONTENT**

This is an artificial collection containing biographical data that is useful for genealogy research. This series includes information about Waltham individuals and Waltham families. The materials found here include published and unpublished genealogies, published and unpublished biographies, diaries and reminiscences, family papers, wills and related information, copies of obituaries and other vital records, photographs, correspondence and notes regarding genealogy research on specific families, and newsclippings.

The families or individual family members included here in their own subseries are: Archibald; Bacon; Baldwin; Lydia Warren Barnard; Mary F. Barnes; Captain Samuel Barnes; Beal; Bond; Boudreau; Bright; Brown; Butman; Buttrick; Caldwell; Annie Payson Call; Campbell; Caughey; Childs; George W. Daniels; Edith Totten Davis; Fairbanks; Farnsworth; Gore; Graves; Greene; Hanaford; Hardy; Hill; Homer; Marjorie Childs Hunt; Donald Hyde Jr.; Jones; King; Kitson; Phineas Lawrence (Trapelo Browns); Joe Lazaro; Henriette LeBlanc; Leonard; Lovequist; Lowell; Lyman; Moody; Moors (Woodman); Paine; Parker; Peck; Plympron; Ryan; Ryder; Sanderson; Sears; Smith; Stearns; Stedmar; Stone; Tainter; Townsend; Treat; Tufts; Vahen/Vaughan; Viles; Warren; Wellington; Whidden; Willard; Worcester. Other subseries contain general information on Waltham residents including people who lived in specific areas or people of note. Also, Waltham attorneys are represented in a subseries that contains clippings about notable lawyers. Finally, the Genealogical Record written by Walter Starbuck includes the genealogies of the Colburn, Garfield, Hastings, Hatch, Starbuck and Warren families.

Notable among materials found in this series is the Mary F. Barnes subseries which includes the personal papers of Miss Barnes.. These materials offer a unique, if abridged, look into the life of a nineteenth century schoolgirl. The items include school papers and notes, clippings on the Lincoln assassination, poems and reminiscences of Mary Barnes. Also of note in the genealogy series is the appraisal of real estate for the property of Annie Payson Call who was a notable Waltham author in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. Ms. Call's house on Worcester Lane was a noteworthy estate in the city. The appraisal shows the beauty of the property, yet also demonstrates the devastation of the hurricane of 1938 which greatly damaged the area.

#### **ARRANGEMENT**

Many materials in individual series were found boxed in the Waltham Room together in 1994 (pre-archival organization of the collection) but series were not found together. This series of material was brought together by the archivist to create a group of records useful to genealogists and others researching individuals and their families. The folders are arranged alphabetically by family name.

Additional biographical information on individuals may also be found under specific subject record groups. For example, information on Dr. Alfred Worcester can be found under the Medicine series. Also, some families for which the library has larger amounts of information are housed in separate series within the genealogy record group. An example of this is a separate series of Nathaniel Banks material. The materials found in this general series take up one or two folders of space

Rev. by Janice Zwicker  
12/17/2007

**BOX AND FOLDER LIST**  
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<u>Box</u>	<u>Folder</u>
1	Waltham Residents - General Glancy, Warren. "Long Time Residents of Crescent Park - Cram's Island: A Treatise," 1982. "I Believe: A Unitarian-Universalist Minister Speaks Out.. in "Modern Maturity," Aug.-Sept. 1976 (interview with Rev. Donald Harrington, WHS Class of 1931) (Acc.# 2002-01) "Men and Women of National Fame or Outstanding Achievement," 1947 (2 copies) A List of Waltham Residents, ND Picture of Blanche B. Hayden (# 2943) (Acc.# 2000-40) Pictures of Nathaniel Appleton, Nathan Warren, Christopher Gore and Charles Welch Sanderson, Edmund L. "Listing of Prominent Waltham People," ND Stahl, Jasper J. "History of Old Broad Bay and Waldoboro," Vols. I and II, 1956 Newsclippings- (Acc.# 2000-40) Finkenbeiner Parmenter Waltham Women Newsclippings- miscellaneous "Genealogical Record" by Walter Starbuck - Colburn genealogy - Garfield        " - Hastings        " - Hatch         " - Starbuck        " - Warren         "  Archibald Family - Letter from Priscilla Archibald Mayo to the First Parish Church re: Archibald genealogy, 1977 Letter from Archibald to Archivist Elizabeth Castner, 1977 Letter from Archivist Elizabeth Castner to Priscilla Archibald Mayo, 1977  Bacon, Albert T. - Brain, Alfred E. "Albert T. Bacon," 1990  Baldwin Family - Cutter. "Baldwin family"  Barnard, Lydia Warren - The Exploits of Lydia Warren Barnard, April 19, 1775 An Early "Daughter of the Revolution."

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1 (cont.)	Barnes, Mary F. - Collection School Themes and Notes School Papers, 1853- Clippings on President Lincoln and His Assassination Poems (original?) References to teachers and pupils (Waltham High School?), ca. 1853
	Barnes, Captain Samuel "Captain Samuel Barnes and Some of His Descendants," 1958
	Beal family - Letter from John D. Beal Jr. to his Beal correspondents re: Beale, Ripley and Hobart ancestors, 1981 Beal, John D. Jr. "Reverend Edward Beales, 1638"
	Bond family - Handwritten notes by Elizabeth Castner re: Bond genealogy "Bond Family Records" photocopied from NEHGS Register Typed notes for Bond genealogy by Elizabeth Castner
	Boudreau family Genealogy, ND
	Bright family - "Jonathan Brown Bright," <u>The Historical and Genealogical Register</u> , April 1881. Print of William Ellery Bright
	Brown family- Newsclipping (Acc.# 2000-40)
	Butman, Douglas E. Dr.- Newsclippings (photocopies)
	Buttrick family - Photographs
	Caldwell family - Letter from Elizabeth Castner to Mr. Taranto re: Caldwell House Photocopy of telegram re: death of Liet. Caldwell's mother "List of Vessels Commodore Caldwell Served in" Photocopies - letter to Commodore Caldwell from Rear Admiral and other miscellaneous correspondence Photocopy - Commodore Caldwell biography Blage genealogy

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1 (cont.)	Call, Annie Payson - Appraisal of Real Estate, February 2, 1940. Worcester Lane. Shows devastation of hurricane of September 21, 1938. (a few pages torn from the report) Obituary; Feb. 3, 1940
	Campbell Family - Copies from city directories, 1901-1934 Information from microfilmed Waltham city records re: Campbell family Typed copy of obituary of Rebecca Campbell
	Caughey Family - Newscippings - copies from local paper re: Caugheys Typed genealogy notes by Elizabeth Castner
	Chernoff, Miriam – “Ordinary people, extraordinary lives – Stories from a naturally occurring retirement community in Waltham, Massachusetts” May 30, 2013 (includes four CDs): Oral histories printed and on CD, with essay and bibliography(interviews of Barbara Berube, Joycena Lund, Ellie Parker, Mike Vinciulla) (Acc. # 2013-01)
	Childs Family - Elliot Childs Newsclipping, obituary, 1979 List of children of Samuel Hildreth and Sophia Doloph Isaac Childs - Photocopy - record of death, 1850 Record of Commission and Discharge Certificate of Death, 1903 Harriet Pillsbury Childs - Certificate of Death, 1927 1880 Census Thomas Whittemore Childs - Newsclipping, obituary, 1927 Photocopy of death certificate of his child, Annie F. Archibald, 1929 Volunteer enlistment Childs, Annie Florence - Photocopy of certificate of Marriage to Fred W. Archibald, 1890 Photocopy of birth certificate of child, Herbert H. Archibald, 1892
	Daniels, George W. - Notes taken by Roger K. Smith re: Daniels' life
	Davis, Edith Totten - Reminiscences
	Fairbanks family - Sarah Warren (Hunt) Fairbanks - Letter from William Cottam to Archivist Melissa Mannon Genealogy notes, 1995 Ephraim Fairbanks - Genealogy data

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2	Gibson, John Michael- Memorial tributes (not boxed)- <i>missing from collection</i> Congressional record- 7/27/1998 (4 copies) 1999-2
	Gore Family - Newsclippings - Christopher Gore           (2 clippings) Gore Place and the Gore family Gore Genealogy- "Families," Aug. 1991 Greenwood, F. "Funeral Sermon on the death of the Honorable Christopher Gore," 1827 Harrington, Elliot H. "Christopher Gore in his Waltham House...," ND
	Graves Family - Prescott, Worrall. "A Genealogical and Biographical Record concerning Mahitable Reed Lilly and George Lilly and all of their descendants to 1958," 1959. Photographs of Henrietta Louisa Graves
	Greene family - Handwritten notes of Archivist Elizabeth Castner re: Greene family bios
	Hanaford, Phebe Ann Coffin – Barber-Braun, Sarah. "Phebe Hanaford: Chronology of a Life," 1988 Lane, Edwin A. "Phebe Ann Coffin Hanaford, Universalist," 1989 Stanton, Elizabeth Cady. <u>The Woman's Bible</u> , 1974 (var. pages) <b>unboxed</b>
	Hardy family - Hardy, Terry B. Hardy genealogy
	Hartwell, Henry Walker – "Men of Mark", ND Henry Walker Hartwell Buildings in Waltham, ND
	Hill family - Thomas Hill - "Order of Exercise at the Inauguration of Thomas Hill," 1863 Peabody, Andrew P. "Biographical Notice of Thomas Hill," ND (2 c.) <u>Harvard Alumni Bulletin</u> , May 19, 1933 includes "Thomas Hill, President of Harvard, 1862-1868." pp. 832-834 by William G. Land Henry Barker Hill - "Services in memory of Henry Barker Hill", 1903 (2 copies) "Tributes to the Memory of Reverend Thomas Hill," 1892 "Obituary of Henry Barker Hill," 1903 by Loring Jackson
	Homer family - Elizabeth Castner's genealogy notes re. Homer family

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2 cont.	Hunt, Franklin Livingston – Genealogical records- vitals, graduation list, obituaries, burials, censuses, Masons, passenger list
	Hunt, Marjorie Childs - Obituary Reminiscences,” 1975 by Marjorie Childs Hunt
	Hyde, Donald Jr. - Wien, Richard. “The Birdman of Waltham,” 1978 Simonds, Calvin. “The Man who Watches Bluejays,” 1978
	Jones family - Letter from Hope A. to Mack, 1968 “A Capsule Story of the Tavern at the Sign of the Golden Ball,” 1964 (tavern built in 1750-52 by Elisha Jones First Parish in Waltham Unitarian Universalist, ‘A Celebration of the Life of Theodore Jones,” 1991 Jones Family genealogy chart A portion of book on which Ted Jones was working at the time of his death for his memorial, 1985
	King family - Letter from Paul T. Kyte to Archivist Elizabeth Castner re: King family, 1987 Letter from Archivist Elizabeth Castner to Paul T. Kyte re: King family, 1987 King family genealogy by Archivist Betty Castner Notes and references to newspaper articles re: King family
	Kitson - Letter from Marty Carlock to Archivist Betty Castner re: Spanish American War Statue, 1986 Letter from Archivist Elizabeth Castner to Marty Carlock, 1986 Photocopy of picture of Theo Alice Ruggles Kitson Henry Hudson Kitson - (sculptor) “Who was who in America” photocopy from vol. 2, 1943-50 Obituary
	Lawrence, Phineas - (Trapelo Browns) “A Brief History of the Trapelo Browns,” 1914.
	Lazaro, Joe - <u>Raytheon News</u> vol. 23 “Lazaro, Joe Blind Golfer” <u>New England Golf</u> , vol. 1 June 1974 “Joe Lazaro” Newsclipping “Swinging in the Dark,” August 12, 1979



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	Leonard - Genealogy charts
	Lovequist - Rininger, Don C. III "An Interview with Edwin H. Lovequist Jr.," 1990
	Lowell - Lowell genealogy Everett, Edward. <u>A memoir of Mr. John Lowell, Jun. Delivered as the Introduction to the Lectures on his Foundation...20 January, 1840</u>
	Lyman – Williams, Monier. <u>Sakoontala: or The Lost Ring</u> , 1855 (has inscription: Ella Lyman from A.T.L., December 25 <sup>th</sup> , 1858 (Acc.# 2002-05) (not boxed)
	MacLean- MacLean genealogy (Acc# 2000-5)
	Moody - Moody, Charles C. "Biographical Sketches of the Moody Family," 1847
<u>Box</u>	<u>Folder</u>
3	Moors (Woodman) - Woodman, Avis Jones. "The Moors of Andover, Groton, Massachusetts and Otisfield, Maine and other ancestors appearing in Moors genealogy," 1979.
	Morris, George E. – 2 articles in "The High School Index" published by Wellesley High School, June 1894 (pp. 13, 26) (author of "List of Fungi" in <i>Development/ Resources: (Box 1 Geology)</i> )
	Newland, William D. - Sheehan, John, "William D. Newland, Medal of Honor, 1864" (unpublished paper) (Accession #1997-8)



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3	Paine - <u>Advocate of Peace</u> vol. 72 September, 1910 "Robert Treat Paine" Mann, Alexander. "In Memory of Robert Treat Paine" Newsclippings - Robert Treat Paine funeral, 1975 "Robert Treat Paine", 1901 "Robert Paine," 1893 Paine, R.T. Personal Writing, vol. 2, 1896 Photograph of Robert Treat Paine, 1855 Photograph- Robert Treat Paine? (# 3145) ( <i>in Flat Box</i> ) "The Family of Paine," 1899 Books- <u>Early History of Massachusetts</u> , 1869 Addresses - "Phillips Brooks House," Harvard University, 1900 "Phillips Brooks House. An Account of Its Origin, Dedication, and Purpose as an Endowed Home..." December 31, 1900 (includes remarks of R.T. Paine) Ink drawing of sketches dedicated to R.T. Paine, 1912 (?) (# 1633) ( <i>in Flat Box</i> )  Parker - A family list  Peck – ( <i>Acc.# 2001-01</i> ) Letter- John M. Peck to Robert G. Peck (1866-1872) Photo of John M. Peck (photocopy) ND Correspondence from donor giving biographical information (photocopy) Obituaries of John M. Peck, <i>Free Press Tribune</i> , Feb. 12, 1902 & Feb. 10, 1902  Plympton – Print of George W. Plympton (# 995)  Ryan - Newsclippings- Ida M. Ryan, 1905, etc. ( <i>see also Ryan Collection, Box 2, Ida Annah                Ryan</i> ) Photo of Mabel F. Ryan, ca. 1901 (# 5951) <span style="float:right"><b>ACC# 2014-02</b></span>  Ryder - Ryder, Madeline Farmer. "Some Reminiscences of Piety Corner," May 1973

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3	Sanderson - Sanderson, Edmund L. "The Sanderson Homes At Piety Corner," 1899 (3 copies) Dickson, L. E. "A Tribute to Mildred Lenora Sanderson," 1915 "Reminiscences Recorded In Edmund L. Sanderson's diary" <i>NEHGS Register</i> - Annie Lyman Sears, 1932 Mary P. Sears, 1929 Newsclippings - Annie Lyman Sears, 1932 Francis Philip Sears Mary Pratt Sears, 1928 (2 clippings) Sears, Francis Philip. Personal History list. 1869-1966 Pope, Reverend Charles Henry. "Philip Howes Sears," 1900  Smith - Windson, John H. "A Discourse: Daniel Smith Jr.," 1867. Newsclippings - Lewis Smith, 1880 Alfred C. Smith 85th birthday, ND Correspondence - John Harns to Elizabeth Castner re: Smith Franers Wenatt to Elizabeth Castner re: David Smith John Harns to Elizabeth Castner re: David Smith, Charles Smith and Benton Smith Smith, Susie and Elizabeth. "The Smith Homestead," 1861 "Reminiscences of Edward P. Smith," <i>Piety Cornerite</i>  Stearns - Stearns family genealogy Stearns, Alfred. "Changes in A Lifetime," 1964 Stearns family genealogy chart Daly, Marie E. "Account Book of Thomas Stearns, 1803-1806, Waltham, Massachusetts," March 2001 (photocopy of book description) ( <i>Acc.# 2001-03</i> )  Stedman- Genealogy notes

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	Tainter - Tainter, Dean W. "A History and Genealogy of the Descendants of Joseph Taynter Who Sailed from England April, AD 1638 and Settled in Watertown Massachusetts" 1859
	Townsend - Townsend, Harvey. "Townsend Family" Treat -How General Lafayette aided a Waltham family (Helena M. Treat and Captain Samuel Treat)
	Tufts - Newsclipping - Bernice (Tufts) Williamson , 1981 Nathan Tufts, 1952 Kate Tufts, 1926 Mildred G. (Tufts) Jacobs, 1958 Correspondence - Walker Arnded to Herbert Adams re: Mildred and Matthew Tufts Elizabeth Castner to Tufts Kinsman Project re: obituary of Florence Tufts Herbert Adams to Elizabeth Castner
	Vahen/Vaughan - Photocopies from various genealogical dictionaries and directories re: Vahen family
	Viles - Notes on the Jonas Viles House on Lincoln Street taken from a letter (1964) from Elizabeth Viles McBride, daughter of Charles Viles Notes from a letter written by Lyle Hammond
4	Warren - Warren family genealogy Newsclippings - Cornelia Warren, 1921/ Nathan Warren, 1922 Cornelia Warren and the Story of Cedar Hill, <i>News Tribune</i> , Dec. 9-10, 1958 <i>Acc. # 2000-40</i> Brooks, Mary. "Genealogies of the Stearns, Lane, Holbrook and Warren Families" Ross, Patricia M. <u>Cedar Hill Memories</u> , 1996 Typed copy from Statehouse record re: Jonathan Warren, 1913 Butman, Huttie Warren. "Record of the Hastings Family" (mother from Rufus Warren Family), 1913

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		Eliphalet Warren - History about him and his children	
		1854 map listing property of J. Warren	
		Taxable Book list, 1872-1890 (Acc.# 1997-9)	
		Letter to archivist Melissa Mannon from Mary A. Bachman re: house at 55 Weston Street	
		Nehemiah Warren family tree	
		Deeds ( <i>See Flat Box</i> )	
		Warren autographs (Acc. #2010-04)	
		Arnold, Matthew. <u>Essays in Criticism</u>	(Margaret Warren)
		Campbell, L.J. <u>Handbook of English Synonyms</u>	(C.B. Warren)
			(Richard Warren)
		Eliot, George <u>Romola</u>	(Charlotte E. Warren)
		Emerson, Ralph Waldo <u>Works: Vols. 1, 2, 4</u>	(Nathan Warren)
		Fiske, John <u>The Beginnings of New England</u>	(Nathan Warren)
		Hudson, Rev. H.N. <u>Shakespeare: Vol. 1, 2</u>	(N. Warren)
		Hughson, Shirley (Ed.) <u>The Best Letters of Percy Bysshe Shelley</u>	(Margaret Warren)
		Lodge, Henry Cabot <u>Daniel Webster</u>	(Nathan Warren)
		Longfellow, Henry W. <u>The Poetical Works of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow</u>	(Nathan Warren)
		"" <u>Christus</u>	(Nathan Warren)
		Lowell, James <u>The Poetical Works of John Keats</u>	(N. Warren)
		Lubbock, Sir John <u>The Pleasures of Life</u>	(Charlotte)
		Milton, John <u>Paradise Lost</u>	(Nathan Warren)
		" <u>The Poetical Works of John Milton</u>	(Nathan Warren)
		Moore, N. <u>Pilgrims and Puritans</u>	(Margaret Warren)
		Morris, R. (Ed.) <u>Complete Works of Edmund Spencer</u>	(Nathan Warren)
		Morse, John <u>Benjamin Franklin</u>	(Nathan Warren)
		Newton, Thomas (Ed.) <u>The Poetical Works of John Milton</u>	(N. Warren)
		Palgrave, Francis T. <u>The Golden Treasury</u>	(Margaret Warren)
		Shelley, Mrs. (Ed.) <u>The Poetical Works of Percy Bysshe Shelley</u>	(Nathan Warren)
		Sterne, Laurence <u>The Works of Laurence Sterne</u>	(Nathan Warren)
		Ward, A. (Ed.) <u>The Poetical Works of Alexander Pope</u>	(Nathan Warren)
		Willmott, Rev. Robert <u>The Poetical Works of Robert Burns</u>	(N. Warren)

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	Willard - Newscipping - George H. Willard's death, 1910 Willard, G. Bartlett. "The Willard Family"
	Whidden, George W. - Catalog of the private library of George W. Whidden, Waltham, Massachusetts. C.F. Libbie Auctioneers and Appraisers, 1909
	Worcester - Worcester, Dr. Alfred. "My Paternal Ancestry" Hoffman, Benjamin, "Dr. Alfred Worcester" The History of The Worcester Family Newscipping - Thomas Worcester obituary, 1985 Ruth Hunt Worcester obituary, 1985 Document in French from the Belgian King to Alfred Worcester who was Deputy Commissioner of the Red Cross: Dr. Worcester admitted as an officer to the Order of Leopold II
	Photos – Unidentified (print # 999)

Flat Box

Photos –  
# 1627, 1619-1625, 1629, 1633, 3145  
Deeds for various parcels of Cornelia Warren's property  
(photocopies)  
Memorium of Michael J. Connolly (d. 1934)

