

Echoes in the Forest

Additions and Corrections:

- 1) Page 13 – Cheselton Allen – second paragraph, last line – change 3L4R to 3L3R.
- 2) Page 40 – Gardner Bills – delete sentence beginning, “Gardner may have been related in some way to Ebenezer Bills (above). . . .” – since it was stated earlier that Gardner was a nephew of Ebenezer.
- 3) Page 46 – Inez Bills died at Townshend, Vermont not Brattleboro, Vermont.
- 4) Page 97 – Orrin Eddy – first paragraph delete last sentence, “*His home was located on the West Jamaica Rd. . . .*”
- 5) Page 138 – Samantha (Allen) Fowler was born on November 14, 1820.

Source: Notes of Elizabeth Baldwin of Arlington, Vermont.

- 6) Page 151 – 152 – Elias Gates’ wife, Persis Negus, was born September 19, 1782 at Dummerston, Vermont. She was a daughter of William and Patience (Hilliard) Negus. Persis first married Daniel Newton on October 7, 1810 at Dummerston. Mary Louisa Newton was his daughter. She was born in Newfane, Vermont.
- 7) Page 173 – The Grout farm was south and east of the Hill farm, not north and east.
- 8) Page 244 – Harriet Janet Hurd, granddaughter of Floyd and Zoe Hurd, was buried in Pikes Falls Cemetery in Jamaica, not Blodgett Cemetery in Stratton.
- 9) Page 283 - 284 – under Levi Knight, delete Levi in sentence, “Levi’s older brother, Levi. . . .” Jane P. Knights was a daughter of Isaac and Opia Knights of Somerset, Vermont (see 1850 census), and not a daughter of Amos and Lovina Knights.
- 10) Page 298 - 300 – *Note Lincoln discrepancies.* William N. Lincoln may be William Henry Lincoln, born in 1841, a son of David and Mary O. (Smith) Lincoln who were married at Hopkinton, Massachusetts on November 3, 1834. This David was the son of Daniel and Nabby (Haynes) Lincoln and he was born at Shrewsbury, Vermont on February 19, 1803. His father, Daniel Lincoln, was a son of Isaac and Experience Lincoln. David may have had close ties with his aunt and uncle, Nevinson and Experience (Lincoln) Grant and Isaac and Kezia (Haynes) Lincoln – both families settled in the Stratton Gore / Somerset area.
- 11) Page 312 – Josiah Lyon had settled into the Nathan Patch house in 5L4R not 4L5R in 1808/9.
- 12) Page 331 – The photo labeled ‘Birdie Monico’ is actually a photo of his brother, Pete Monico.
- 13) Page 370 – Avis (Dickinson) Pickering’s father’s middle name was Stevens, not Stephens. Also Earl Pickering was assigned to Admiral McCain’s staff not Admiral Nimitz’s staff.
- 14) Page 396 – Steven Pratt was probably the same born June 5, 1749 at Oxford, Massachusetts, son of Jonas and Ann Pratt. This Steven married Phebe Merriam daughter of Ebenezer and Elizabeth (Locke)

- Merriam of Oxford on November 26, 1772. Phebe was born there on January 21, 1751. Phebe died in 1812 and Steven died in 1813.
- 15) Page 396 – Asa Pratt was born circa 1777 at Sudbury, Massachusetts. His wife was Elizabeth Balcom (not Bobbins), daughter of Micah and Catherine (Harrington) Balcomb of Somerset, Vermont. Elizabeth “Betsey” was born on March 1, 1781 at Sudbury, Massachusetts.
 - 16) Page 397 – Jabez Pratt married Rebecca Shepardson, daughter of Jonathan and Miriam (Follett) Shepardson, on July 23, 1799 at Royalston, Massachusetts. Rebecca “Becka,” born on May 28, 1769 at Templeton, Massachusetts, was a sister of the John and Miriam Shepardson, who also had settled in Stratton (see Shepardson family on page 443).
 - 17) Page 410 – Benjamin Reid was born on August 4, 1779 and died in October 1845 at Somerset. He married Fanny Granger who was born about 1783. Apparently, the Reids settled on the south half of 6L3R (the Knapp farm) about 1803. They settled in Somerset about 1807 and their farm was located on the west half of the Kimpton Lot, just south of the Stratton border and west of the Hartwell farm. Their children also included with those listed: William, Huldah, Mary, Cyrus, Luciny, Sarah and David (see David Read page 409).
 - 18) Page 413 – John Rice married Sarah Wood not Sarah Cooper – delete marriage date.
 - 19) Page 421 – Charles H. Ryder’s wife, Jane P. Knights was a daughter of Isaac and Opia Knights of Somerset.
 - 20) Page 427 – Hiram Robinson married Priscilla (?Mack?). Their granddaughter, Angeline Baldwin, was the daughter of Henry and Laurette (Robinson) Baldwin. “Henry died in a snowstorm, going for milk for the baby in 1850.” Henry was born about 1822 and died on December 31, 1850. Additional children of Hiram and Priscilla Robinson not listed were: 1) Reuben and 2) Joel Houghton (born 1835; died May 16, 1909; married Lucy A. Mattison in July, 1872). 3) Alonzo (listed) born about 1832, died May 3, 1900; married Alice, daughter of Winslow and Almena (Ingram) Bourn.

Source: Sherrill Bourn

- 21) Page 438 – The Shaw sawmill was on Black Brook not the East Branch of the Deerfield River.
- 22) Page 448 Anthony Sigourney apparently resided on the west half of 3L3R in 1804, instead of 4L3R (see Phillips also).
- 23) Page 466 – The Philip Bronson camp is on *Penny Ave.* not *Pike Hollow Rd.*

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- 1) Page 13, 1st paragraph: The governor's residence of Benning Wentworth was in Portsmouth, NH, not Plymouth, NH.