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Labbe ...

*** Henry F. and Edith L. Labbe have a home at 4 Pine Street.
(1935 - 1937)

*** Henry H. Labbe is a manager at 93 Central Street, E. A. Smith Grocery Store in the Gobielle Block. Henry and Margaret W. Labbe have a home at 4 Mill Street.)1920-31)

Ladabouche ... Albert and Bertha Ladabouche have retired and ar living on Swiftwater Road. (1953 - 1958)

Labs ... Bruce Labs was principal of Woodsville High School from 1988 - .

LaFlamme ... Gaudias LaFlamme is a boot and shoe repairman at 7 North Court Street. Gaudias has a home at 7 North Court Street. (1925)

LaFleur ... Osborne W. LaFleur is a barber employed at 7 Pleasant Street, G. P. Blake, hairdressers. Osamond rooms at 79 Central Street, the home of James W. Jackson. (1925) Osborne removed to Plymouth, NH, prior to 1931.

LaFoe ... Alice LaFoe, widow of Edward LaFoe, is a housekeeper at 8 Forest Street, the home of Harry W. Buswell. (1925) Alice removed to Montpelier, Vermont, prior to 1931.

LaFond ...

*** Alphonse D. and Isabelle M. LaFond have a home at 14 Terrace Street. (1929-31) The LaFonds' removed to Berlin, NH, prior to 1935.

*** Napoleon LaFond is a carpenter working in the bridge department of the B&M Railroad. He has a house on Highland Street. (1915) Napoleon has a house at 15 Connecticut Street. (1919-31) Napoleon passed away prior to 1935.

Lafontaine ... Ralp Lafontaine died on November 1st., 1950.

LaFrance ...

*** Alfred E. LaFrance is a laborer, boarding at 43 Mill Street, the home of Leon E. LaFrance. (1953 - 1958)

*** George A. LaFrance is an employee of the Stone Lumber Co. George and Augusta LaFrance have a house on 13 Terrace Street.

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(1915)(1919) 14 Terrace Street (1925)

George LaFrance is a sectionhand on the railroad and the LaFrances have removed to Lisbon, NH. (1929-31) George retired at 43 Mill Street. (1956 - 1958)

*** Harold J. LaFrance is a machinist at the Stone Lumber Co. on Forest Street. He rooms at G. A. LaFrance's at 13 Terrace Street. (1915) (1919) Harold is a laborer, boarding at 14 Terrace Street, the home of George A. LaFrance. (1925) Harold has removed to Lisbon, NH. (1929-31) Harold retired at 171 Central Street. (1956 - 1958)

*** Leon E. LaFrance has removed to St. Johnsbury, Vermont. (1919) Leon and Pearl H. LaFrance have removed to Lisbon. (1925) Leon and Pearl LaFrance are back in Woodsville. Leon is a locomotive inspector and the LaFrances have a home at 12 King Street. (1929-31) Leon is a locomotive mechanic and living at 43 Mill Street. (1935 - 1958)

*** Nill A. LaFrance is a brakeman on the B&M Railroad and boards at 10 Railroad Street, at Mrs. Mary J. Bishop's. (1919)

*** Russell F. LaFrance is employed at Dwight S. Stone Lumber Company, Russell rooms at George A. LaFrance's, 13 Terrace Street. (1915) (1919) Rooms at 14 Terrace Street, George A. LaFrance's. (1925) Russell has removed to Lisbon, NH. (1929-31)

Lahenrt ... Carl J. Lahenrt is an operator for the railroad, rooming in Woodsville. (1925)

Lakin ...

*** Miss Charlotte Lakin is a student at Plymouth Normal School, boarding at 16 Pine Street, the home of Ira W. Mann. (1929-31)

*** Miss Gertrude F. Lakin is a clerk at 67 Central Street, E. B. Mann, druggist. Gertrude is boarding at 16 Pine Street, the home of Ira W. Mann. (1925) Gertrude is boarding at 1 Central Street, the home of Lewis Wells. (1929-31)

Lamarre ...

*** Alfred A. Lamarre is a teamster at 6 Walnut Street, Nelson J. Miller Ice Company. Alfred and Grace A. Lamarre have a home at 13A King Street. (1929-31) Grace and Alfred removed to Bath, NH, prior to 1935. He was Chief of Police or town cop in Bath. Alfred is working for

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Cummings Construction.

Alfred and Grace Lamarre have a home on Swiftwater Road. (1953 - 1958) Alfred Lamarre is Chief of Police in Woodsville. (1957-1964)

**** E. M. Lamarre, brickyard. This brickyard was started by Ira Whitcher, on the Ai Willoughby farm, on Mill Street, in 1886. The brickyard was leased to Tondreau and Lamarre. In 1900 the lease was up and Lamarre moved the brick works to the corner of the road to Monroe and the back road to Bath, near the covered bridge between Woodsville and Bath. It became E. M. Lamarre brickyard until 1922. It is said you can still dig in the field and hit bricks, to this day, 2009.**

***** Eugene Lamarre, 11-16-1894 to 9-17-1969, is a surveyor for the B&M railroad and rooms at 35 Central Street. (1919) He was in WWII 1917-1919 and was the company scribe. Eugene, a truck driver, and Edith J. Lamarre have a home at 14 Terrace Street. (1925 - 1937) Eugene is a plumber at 27 Court Street, Scrugg's Hardware and the Lamarres are still living at 14 Terrace Street. (1953 - 1958)**

***** George Lamarre is a farmhand, boarding at 33 King Street, the home of Mrs. Julia H. Hill. (1935 - 1937) The Lamarres removed to portland, Maine, where George has sought employment in the police department. 1942.**

***** John Lamarre is a machinists helper and boards in Wells River, Vermont. (1919)**

***** Joseph A. Lamarre is a student at Woodsville High School, boarding at 18 Pleasant Street, the home of Mrs. Dora Larrow. (1935 - 1937)**

***** Mrs. Lena E. Lamarre is living in the Sargent Block, room 6. (1953 - 1958)**

***** Lawrence J. Lamarre is a boilermaker in the railroad shops and rooms at Simon Grenier's on Connecticut Street. (1915)(1919)**

***** Miss Marion. Lamarre is boarding at her parents on 14 Terrace Street. (1953 - 1955)**

***** Oliver W. Lamarre is in the U. S. Army and boarding at 34 South Court Street, the home of Edward G. Hobbs. (1953 - 1958)**

***** Wilfred Lamarre is a plumber, boarding at 18 Pleasant Street, the home of Mrs. Dora Larrow. (1935 - 1937) Wilfred is a plumber at 27 South Court Street, Scrugg's Hardware. Wilfred has a home in Bath,**

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NH. (1953 - 1958)

Lamberton ... Raymond Lamberton is employed in Barre, Vermont. Raymond and Rose W. Lamberton reside on Park Lane. (1956 - 1958)

Lamere ... Edward F. Lamere is employed in Newport, NH. Blanche C. Lamere is employed in Colebrook, NH, and the Lamere's in an apartment at 85 Central Street. (1953 - 1958)

Lamontagne ... Mrs. Julia M. Lamontagne is boarding at 5 Locust Street, the home of Peter M. Moffett. (1929-31)

Lamphere ... Howard H. Lamphere is a yardman at East Ryegate Paper Mill. Howard and Victoria A. Lamphere have a home at 21 Gordon Place. (1935 - 1937)

Lamson ... Mrs. Katherine Lamson is a housekeeper at 25 Pine Street, where she boards. (1935 - 1927)

Land ... Forrest E. Land is a fireman for the B&M railroad. He and Alice S. have a house at 8 Highland Street. (1915) Alice is a cook at Grafton County Farm. (1935 - 1937)

Landing ... Palmer V. Landing is a laborer. Palmer and Alice M. Landing have a home at 1 Connecticut Street. (1935 - 1937)

Lane ...

*** Miss Carrie S. Lane is a student at Plymouth Normal School, boarding at 25 Highland Street, the home of Mrs. Marion H. Lane. (1925)

*** Earl T. Lane is a fireman on the railroad. Earl and Josie A. Lane have a home at 171 Central Street. (1925)

*** Miss Ethelyn B. Lane is a student at Woodsville High School, boarding at 25 Highland Street, the home of Mrs. Marion H. Lane. (1925) Ethelyn is a stenographer at the register of deeds office, in the court house, boarding at 25 Highland Street. (1929-31)

*** G. E. Lane is the first occupant in the store at 25 South Court Street, in the Opera Block. Lane started a clothing store here in 1891. Mr. Lane was only in business here for a few months. He then removed to Lancaster, NH.

*** Lawrence Lane is boarding at 25 Highland Street, the home of Mrs. Marion H. Lane. (1929-31)

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***** Mrs. Marion H. Lane has a home at 25 Highland Street. (1919)
(1925-37)**

***** Roland W. Lane is a farmer and rooms at Mrs. M .H. Lane's on
25 Highland Street. (1915) (1919) Roland is a papermaker in Lincoln,
boarding at 25 Highland Street, the home of Mrs. Marion H. Lane.
(1925) Roland removed to Lincoln, NH, prior to 1931.**

Lang ...

***** Mrs. Cora B. Lang has a home at 133 Central Street. (1929-37)**

***** Fred B. Lang is an attorney in the Opera Block and has a
home on Beech Street (1915).**

***** Miss Florence S. Lang is a teacher, boarding at 10 Highland
Street, the home of Harry H. Jones. (1925) Florence is boarding at 143
Central Street, the home of Mrs. Cora B. Lang. (1929 - 1955) Miss Lang
is assisting in the Straw Store in 1941. Florence is residing at 133
School Street. (1956 - 1958)**

***** Harrison Lang represented the town of Bath, NH, in the
General Court in 1901 and held other town offices.**

**Newton Lang died on June 26th, 1921. Nell (Lang) Lang died in
1958. They had no children.**

***** Kenneth D. Lang is boarding at 133 Central Street, the home
of Mrs. Cora B. Lang. (1929-31) Kenneth removed to Easton, NH, prior
to 1935.**

***** Miss Marguerite Lang is a house keeper at 133 Central Street,
the home of Mrs. Cora B. Lang. (1929 - 1937)**

***** Newton Lang was a wheelwright in Woodsville for about 20
years. Some of his wagons are still in existence. Newton Lang was
born in Bath New Hampshire, on May 8th, 1860. At an early age he
moved with his parents, John H. and Luella W. Lang, to Monroe, New
Hampshire.**

**Newton was sickly during childhood, undergoing surgery at last,
which appeared to have been successful. Later in life, in 1897, he
engaged in the carriage trade, across the Ammonoosuc River, in
Woodsville, NH. He purchased the carriage business from A. E. Davis.
He operated as a wheelwright for about 20 years before selling the
business.**

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Newton then purchased a home in Lisbon, NH, and began dealing in real estate and lumber. On June 28th (?) he married Nell T. Lang, the accomplished daughter of Harrison and Emily Titus Lang.

*** Newton H. Lang is a fireman for the B&M railroad. "Newton is possible a nephew of Newton Lang, the wheelwright." Newton and Ruth Lang have a home at 17 Ammonoosuc Street. (1953 - 1955) The Langs' reside at 10 Oak Hill. (1956 - 1958)

*** Olin A. Lang is a freight conductor for B&M railroad. Olin and Hattie G. Lang have a house at 15 Nelson Street (1915). Listed as living at 15 Nelson Street in 1919?. Listed as 14 Nelson. (1925-31)

*** Winifred C. Lang removed to Lisbon, NH. (1919)

Langford ...

*** Elmer Langford is a student boarding at 26 Connecticut Street, the home of Hiram Davis. (1935 - 1937)

*** Ernest F. Langford is employed at 15 Central Street, the Woodsville Cafe, boarding at 26 Connecticut Street, the home of Hiram Davis. (1935 - 1937)

*** Fred and Rilla Langford room at 26 Connecticut Street, the home of Simon Grenier. (1919) Rilla is listed as boarding at G. E. Davis', at 22 Connecticut Street. (1925)

*** Lester Langford is a student at Woodsville High School, boarding at 26 Connecticut Street, the home of Hiram Davis. (1929-31) Lester is employed by the railroad and boarding at 8 Connecticut Street, the home of William K. Franklin. (1935 - 1937) Phoebe H. Langford, Lester's widow, has a home at 26 Connecticut Street. (1953 - 1955) Lester passed away prior to 1956. Mrs. Phoebe H Langford, his widow, is a cook at Cottage Hospital. residing at 26 Connecticut Street. (1956 - 1958)

Lange ... O. E. Lange was the brakeman; Bert Pebbles was the fireman and Patrick Lennon was the engineer in a terrible train wreck. Lange, Pebbles, Lennon and two others were killed in this freight train wreck. This happened on July 6th, 1897 when a cloudburst caused the train wreck four miles north of the depot in Woodsville.

Langley ... Dawn Langley is the librarian 1994-(2009) current

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Langway ...

*** Cecil B. Langway is an employee at 30 Railroad Street, Holbrook Grocery Company. Cecil and Mary E. Langway have a home at 62 South Court Street. (1929 - 1937) Cecil and Mary Langway removed to Bath, NH, prior to 1953.

*** Miss Jeanette M. Langway is a student at Woodsville High School and boarding with Cecil and Mary E. Langway at 62 South Court Street. (1929 - 1937)

*** Miss Lillian Langway is a nurse at Cottage Hospital, River Road, where she boards. (1929 - 1937)

*** Myron E. Langway is retired and boarding at the home of Cecil B. Langway, 62 South Court Street. (1929-31)

*** Philip C. Langway is a student at Woodsville High School and boarding with Cecil and Mary E. Langway at 62 South Court Street. (1929 - 1937) Philip is in the U. S. Army, still boarding with his parents. (1953 - 1955)

Lanie ... J. Richard Lanie is a night watchman at the Grafton County Farm where he rooms (1915).

Lanpher ...

*** Eva Lanpher, widow of George L. Lanpher has a home off Central Street. (1919)

*** George L. Lanpher's store carries a while display of boots, shoes and groceries in the Tilton Block. George and Eva Lanpher have a house off Central Street (1915). George is listed as deceased in 1919.

*** Oscar B. Lanpher is a freight handler for the B&M railroad and he rooms at G. M. Hyland's on Central Street (1915). Oscar Lanpher has removed to West Danville. (1919)

Large ...

*** Edward John Large was born on December 24th, 1861. He is a freight conductor on the B&M Railroad.(1915) Edward and Elizabeth H. Large have a home at 26 Pine Street. (1919) (1925) The Large's are retired and residing at 5a Elm Street. (1929-31) Both Edward and Elizabeth Large are deceased prior to 1935.

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*** Miss Martha E. Large is a dressmaker on Smith Street and she rooms with Mrs. H. L. Cass on Smith Street. (1915) (1919) Miss Large is a dressmaker at 12 Pine Street, boarding with Mrs. H. L. Cass at 12 Pine Street. (1925) Boards at 141 Central Street. (1929-31)

*** Robert Hasklee Large spent in the 1917 and 1919 serving his country in World War I. The son of Edward Large was born on December 1st, 1895. He was in the Naval Reserve Force as a radio operator. After the war he became the time clerk for the White Mountain Division of the B&M Railroad. (1915) Robert H. Large is boarding at 26 Pine Street, the home of Edward J. Large.(1919) (1925)Robert is boarding at 5a Elm Street. (1929-31)

*** W. H. Hasklee Large erected the hose house at the junction of Rt. 302 (now) and Forest Street, across from Shaw's parking lot. It later became Staplefeld's stove shop, an aquarium store. Page's Computer store and is now empty and for sale. (2008)

LaRocque ...

*** Albert G. LaRoque is a carpenter with a home at 41 Highland Street. (1935 - 1937)

*** Raymond A. LaRoque is employed in North Thetford, Vermont. Raymond and Louise A. Larocque have a home at 6 Holly Street. (1953 - 1955)

*** Harold LaRoque is a farmhand, boarding with Albert G. LaRoque, at 41 Highland Street. (1935 - 1937)

Larrow ...

*** Charles D. Larrow is a painter for the railroad, boarding at 7 Gibson Place, the home of Clifton W. McCrillis. (1925) Charles died prior to 1935.

*** Dora Larrow, widow of Charles Larrow, is a waitress at the Wentworth Hotel, with a home at 18 Pleasant Street. (1935 - 1937)

Lartey ... William Lartey is a B&M railroad clerk and boards at 19 School Street, the home of William E. Gibson. (1919)

Larty ... Wilfred J. Larty is the time clerk for the railroad. Wilfred and Frances D. Larty have a home at 5a Elm Street. (1925) Wilfred is time clerk for the CRD Company in East Barnet and the Larty's are residing at 30 Ammonoosuc Street. (1929-31) Wilfred is a

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chauffeur for H & R Oil Sales Company. Wilfred and Frances have a home at 8 Cherry Street. (1935 - 1937) Wilfred is a salesman. Wilfred and Frances D. Larty have a home at 12 Beech Street. (1953 - 1958)

W. J. Larty held the office of Chief of Police from 1937 to 1944. Larty was a six term town representative and was in the state senate. Chief Larty has been appointed head of Haverhills Wartime Transportation problems. Chief Larty is a WW I veteran. (1942)

Wilfred started Larty Oil Co. in 1944. In 1961 the business was advertised as "W. J. Larty and H. E. Pudvah". He later sold the business to Mr. Herman Pudvah. Wilfred J. Larty September 9th, 1895 - June 1st, 1967 Frances Deming Larty November 2nd, 1892 - March 14th, 1988. Also distributed "Bottled Homgas" in 1957. tele. 7-2072 and 7-2337. 747 prefix was added in 1963.

LaSalle ... Winnie LaSalle is an employee of the B&M railroad He and Adella S. LaSalle have a house at the Four Corners, in Stoneville. (1915) (1919)

LaVoice ...

*** Bruce LaVoice is in the U. S. Army. Bruce and Alice LaVoice reside at 6 Maple Street. (1956 - 1958)

*** Fred LaVoice is a wiper at the B&M roundhouse. Fred and Marguerite have a house on Highland Street (1915). Fred is listed as rooming at the Railroad Club at 65 Central Street in 1919.

LaVoyce ... Dale A. LaVoyce is employed by the B&M railroad. Dale and Kathryn LaVoyce have a home at 68 Park Street. (1953 - 1955)

Lawlor ... John H. Lawlor is an engineer on the B&M railroad. He and Elizabeth B. Lawlor have a house at 8 Highland Street. (1915) (1919)(1925) Elizabeth, John's widow, is residing at 8 Highland Street. (1929-31)

Lawrence ...

*** Mrs. Jeanette Lawrence is a housekeeper at 7 Holly Street, the home of John H. Battis, where she resides. (1956 - 1958)

*** John T. Lawrence is a compositor for the Woodsville News Paper. John and Mary E. Lawrence have a home at 30 Mill Street. (1929-31)

Laztte ... Jooseph Lazotte is a laborer, boarding at 1

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Connecticut Street. (1929-31)

Leach ...

*** Levi M. Leach is a section hand for the railroad. Levi and P. Arlena Leach have a home at 33 Highland Street. (1925)

*** Mrs. Nila L. Leach has a home at 29 Highland Street. (1929-37) Nila is doing general house cleaning and boarding at 2 Wilson Avenue, the home of Raymond E. Welch. (1953 - 1955) Nila resides at 8 Wilson Avenue. (1956 - 1958)

Learned ...

*** B. F. Learned was a carpenter here in 1872.

*** Fred P. Learned is a train dispatcher for the B&M railroad and has a home in Wells River, Vt. (1915). Fred is the chief dispatcher in 1925. Fred removed to Concord, NH, prior to 1931.

Leary ...

*** Edmund C. Leary is a pharmacist for E. B. Mann, druggist, at 67 Central Street. Edmund and Helen Leary have a home at 7 Pine Street. (1953 - 1958)

*** Michael Leary is a freight conductor for the B&M railroad. Michael rooms at the Railroad Club at 65 Central Street. (1919)

LeBaron... Lula M. LeBaron, widow of Fred M. LeBaron, died on November, 14th 1951.

Ledger ...

*** Miss Laura D. Ledger is a housekeeper at 12 Locust Street, the home of William A. Pearson, where she boards. (1935 - 1937)

*** Raymond L. Ledger is employed at the CCC Camp, boarding at 21 Gordon Place. (1935 - 1937)

Lee ...

*** Arthur Lee is employed at Brown Concrete Products. Arthur and Ellen A. Lee reside at 11 Locust Street. (1956 - 1958)

*** Ethel E. Lee, widow of Frederick A. E. Lee, is a cook at Cottage Hospital, on River Road, where she boards. (1953 - 1958)

*** Franklin E. Lee is a teller at the Woodsville National Bank in the Opera Block (1915).

*** Frederick A. E. Lee, died on September 27th, 1950.

*** Kate D. Lee, widow of Henry H. Lee, is matron at the Cottage

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Hospital on River Road where she boards. (1919)

*** Lawrence A. Lee removed to Lisbon, NH, prior to 1953.

*** Miss Marjorie A. Lee removed to Center Sandwich, NH, prior to 1953.

*** Mrs. Phoebe E. Lee has a home at 22 Connecticut Street. (1953 - 1955)

*** Walter E. and Bertha M. Lee are retired and living at 41 Ammonoosuc Street. (1953 - 1955)

Leete ... Stewart R. Leete is manager at 7 Forest Street. Possible Eastern States Farmers Exchange. Stewart and Nancy G. Leete have a home in South Ryegate, Vermont. (1953 - 1955)

Leibowitz Brothers ... Leibowitz Brothers, from Wilmington, Delaware, purchased the department store owned by Mr. Stahl, known as New York Store, in 1920. Herbert R. Connor was brought in as the store manager. The store was taken over by Levi Kugelman in 1921. Kugelman moved his business from the Henderson Block.

Lefevre ... Carmie N. Lefevre is a brakeman on the railroad. Carmie and Phyllis M. Lefevre reside at 20 Pleasant Street. (1956 - 1958)

Legro ...

*** Mrs. Adeline W. Legro boards at 21 Connecticut Street, the home of Edward W. Legro. (1919 - 1925)

*** Edward W. Legro is painter. Edward and Lillian Legro have a house on Connecticut Street (1915). Edward is listed as working for the Woodsville Aquaduct Company in 1919. He and Lillian E. Legro are living at 21 Connecticut Street. (1919) (1925)

Legro & Sons ... Mr. Legro operated a carriage shop near the corner of Beech and Smith Streets, in the early 1890's. He built a new shop on North Court Street in 1894.

Leighton ...

*** Albert Henry Leighton was born in 1817. In 1875 he joined with his brother-in-law Q. A. Scott, as A. H. Leighton & Co., in the Weeks Block. An early advertising card is printed as follows: "PEOPLES CLOTHING HOUSE", A. H. Leighton & Co., Woodsville, NH,

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dealers in READY MADE CLOTHING! Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Rubbers, Trunks, Valises, Traveling Bags and Umbrellas. Store opposite the passenger depot.

Leighton sold out to his brother-in-law, Quincy A. Scott in 1889 and the business became the Q. A. Scott store. Scott sold to Isaac Stern in 1899 and the store became the New York Store.

Mr. Leighton became the proprietor of the Wentworth Hotel and was so for many years.

*** Albert Leighton is a cabman. Ellen, Albert Leighton's widow, is boarding at 9 Maple Street. (1929-34) Ellen passed away on January 9th, 1935.

*** A. N. Leighton is a seller of cigars and tobacco. (1882)

*** Fred M. Leighton has a home at 13 School Street. (1919)
Fred and Emma F. Leighton have a home at 13 School Street.
(1925 - 1937)

*** Maria J. Leighton, widow of Charles H. Leighton, is boarding at F. J. Foss's in North Haverhill. (1919)

*** Martha Louise Leighton was born on (2-23-1879). She later married Fred Sargent. Martha was clerk in the office of Register of Deeds starting in 1902 and was there for many years.

*** O. F. Leighton is a wiper in the B&M roundhouse. He has a home in Wells River (1915).

*** Richard A. Leighton is a student at Woodsville High School, rooming at 5a Elm Street, the home of Wilfred J. Larty. (1925)

Leland ...

*** Miss Katherine V. Leland is boarding at 8 Connecticut Street, home of Mrs. Mary A. Leland. (1919) Katherine is a stenographer, boarding at 31 Highland Street, the home of Mrs. Mary A. Leland. (1925)

*** Mrs. Mary A. Leland has a home at 31 Highland Street. (1925-31) Mary is boarding with Stanley F. Champou, rfd #2. (1935 - 1937)

Lemar ... Arthur J. and Janice M. Lemar removed to Florida, prior to 1953.

Lemay ... Miss Georgianna Lemay is a tailoress at Mrs. A .L. Merciers in the Tilton Block, Miss Lemay rooms at the same address. (1915) (1919)

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Lemieux ... Alva F. Lemieux is a railway postal clerk. Alva and Avis Lemieux have a home at 117 Central Street. (1935 - 1937) Avis Lemieux is teaching in Bath, NH, with a home at 11 Locust Street. (1953 - 1955)

Lennon ... Patrick Lennon was the engineer; Bert Pebbles was the fireman and O. E. Lange was the brakeman on the freight train accident on July 6th, 1897. Lange, Pebbles, Lennon and two others were killed when a cloudburst caused the train wreck four miles north of the depot in Woodsville.

Leonard ...

*** Clayton Leonard is a laborer for the railroad, boarding at 25 Connecticut Street, the home of Francis J. Palmer. (1925) Clayton is a mechanic on the railroad, boarding at 4 Mill Street, the home of Clayton Leonard. (1953 0 1955)

*** Francis Leonard is a call boy for the railroad, boarding at 25 Connecticut Street, the home of Francis J. Palmer. (1925) Clayton is employed by the railroad. Clayton and Gladys Leonard have a home at 56 Smith Street. (1929-31)

*** Frank E. Leonard is a laborer. Frank and Flossie D. Leonard have a home at 23 Connecticut Street. (1929-31) The Leonards' have a home at 45a Park Street. (1935 - 1937)

*** Frank E. Leonard is employed by White Brothers, in North Haverhill. Frank and Norma A. Leonard have a home at 4 Holly Street. (1953 - 1958)

*** Henry Leonard removed to Boston. Mass. (1925)

*** James Frederick Leonard was in the employ of the railroad in the West from 1880 to 1887. He was born on October 31st, 1857 and came to Woodsville in 1887. He was the yard master of freight yards until 1914 when he was appointed Postmaster of the Woodsville Post Office. James and Ada W. have a house at 8 Walnut Street. He was a Democrat and member of the Episcopal Church. (1915) (1919) James Removed to Benton, NH. (1925)

*** James M. Leonard is a Lieutenant in the Coast Guard Reserves in Newport, RI. James boards with James F. Leonard at 8 Walnut Street. (1919) James removed to New York. (1925)

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*** Jerry Leonard... Briggs and Currier were the first to run a grocery store at #6 Terrace Street, in 1922. Mr. Gould then Ina Bisbee in 1926, F. H. Garneau in 1927, Leslie Hodgkins in the late 30's, Jerry Leonard in 1945, Henry Pelletier in 1946, Mrs. Thera Marshall and then Archie Strickland lastly in 1953. Terrace Street is off Rt. 302 above Grafton Motors and just below Montebello Street.

*** John Francis Leonard is a fireman in East Barnet. John and Harriett E. Leonard have a home at 87 Central Street. (1929-31) The Leonards' are living at 4 Mill Street. (1953 - 1955)

*** John Francis Leonard Jr., is a lineman for the Woodsville Water and Light Department, with a home at 2 Mill Street. (1953 - 1955)

*** John N. Leonard died on December 20th, 1951.

*** John F. Leonard is a cook at 42 Central Street, the Dandy Diner, between the Railroad depot and the express building. John and Harriet E. Leonard have a home at 2 Mill Street. (1935 - 1937)

*** Mary B. Leonard boards with James F. Leonard at 8 Walnut Street. (1919)

*** Max H. Leonard is a hostler in the B&M roundhouse. He and Mary Alice Leonard board at 18 Connecticut Street. (1915) (1919) They are boarding at 25 Connecticut Street, the home of Francis J. Palmer. (1925) Max is a night foreman in the B&M roundhouse and the Leonard's are boarding at 25 Connecticut Street. (1929-31)

*** Ray E. Leonard is an engine dispatcher for the railroad roundhouse, boarding at 25 Connecticut Street, the home of Francis J. Palmer. (1925) Ray and Lillian M. Leonard have a home at 17 North Court Street. (1929-31) The Leonards' removed to West Lebanon, NH, prior to 1935.

*** Richard Leonard is employed at 30 Railroad Street, Holbrook Grocery Company. Richard is boarding at 2 Mill Street, the home of John F. Leonard. (1953 - 1955) Richard and Priscilla Leonard reside at 68 Smith Street. (1956 - 1958)

*** Vevah Leonard is the librarian 1967-1977.

LePan ... Gordon Lapan is a truck driver in Barre, Vermont. Gordon and Marilyn Lapan reside on Brier Hill Road. (1956 - 1958)

Leskowitz ... Vladimir Leskowitz, instructor in Woodsville

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Graded Achool, has resigned and removed to North Woodstock, NH. (1942)

Lester ... Maurice E. Lester is a railroad telephone operator on the railroad. Maurice and Nellie Lester room at 35 Central Street, the Sargent Block, room 10. (1929 - 1937)

Letts ... Miss Lois Leets is a teacher at Woodsville High School. Lois is boarding at 14 Elm Street, the home of James Sweeney. (1953 - 1955)

Leveridge ... Miss E. Lillian Leveridge is a secretary for Dr. E. M. Miller on School Street and she rooms there. (1915) (1919)

Lewis ...

*** George Lewis is a student at Woodsville High School, boarding at 3 Elm Street, the home of his parents Wilson M. Lewis'. (1953 - 1955)

*** Jim Lewis is running the filling station just before the "dry bridge", at 46 Smith Street. (1962-1964) The Fullerton brothers had the station from 1956 to 1961.

*** Miss Muriel G. Lewis is a student at Vermont Junior College and boarding at 3 Elm Street, the home of her parents. (1953 - 1958)

*** Wilson M. and Marion G. Lewis operate the Red and White Store, at 147 Central Street, across from the Highland Street crossing. The Lewis' purchased the store from Mr. Ralph Pillsbury in 1951. The store was operated as Lewis's Red & White Store until 1961. The Lewis' live at 3 Elm Street. (1951 - 1961) Lewis Red & White Store advertised free delivery and the phone number in 1957 was 7-2447.. Lewis Red and White store was sold in 1961 and became Riach's Red & White Store.

Libbey ...

*** Miss Florence Libbey is a maid at W. S. Keyser's on Central Street and she rooms there (1915).

*** Howard D. Libbey is a freight brakeman for the B&M RR. He and Ida M. Libbey have a house on Mill Street (1915).

*** John A. Libbey is a clerk, boarding at 10 Pleasant Street, the home of John E. Libbey. (1925) John Libby removed to St. Johnsbury, Vermont, prior to 1931.

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*** John E. Libbey is a clerk at A. D. Farwell's in the Mulliken Block. John and Lois A. Libbey have a house at 22 Beech Street (1915). John is a clerk at Batchelder and Libbey and still living at 22 Beech Street. (1919) John and Lois have a home at 10 Pleasant Street. (1925) John E. Libby is deceased prior to 1931. His widow, Lois E. Libby removed to Littleton, NH, prior to 1931.

*** Walter H. Libbey is a salesman at R.M. Stahl's on the corner of Central and Pleasant Streets. Walter and Bertha Libbey have a house at 12 Smith Street. (1915-31)

Libby ...

*** Amanda J. Libby, widow of George W. Libby, is boarding at 14 Maple Street, the home for the Aged. (1925-31)

*** Cora B. Libby, widow of Tobias Libby, died prior to 1953.

*** George Libby is a laborer, boarding at Mrs. V. E. Cushman's at 29 Highland Street. (1929 - 1937)

*** Howard D. Libby is a carpenter. Howard and Ida M. Libby have a home at 15 terrace Street. (1919) Howard is working at the Central Garage, 97 Central Street. The Libby's have a home at 10 Forest Street. (1925) Howard is the owner of the Central Garage, Corner of Smith and Forest Streets, telephone #18. (1929 - 1937) In 1941 Howard Libbey opened a defense school for boys 17 to 21 years of age. Howard taught the use of general tools, the principles of machining and he taught the boys how to use an acetylene welder.

*** Ida M. Libby, widow of Howard D. Libby, died on September 17, 1949.

*** Walter H. Libby is a salesman in Stahl's Store on the corner of Central and Pleasant Streets. (Laconia Savings bank 2008) Walter and Bertha have a house at 12 Smith Street. (1919)

*** William H. Libby is a clerk at M. W. Fields grocery store in the Stahl Block. William boards at 14 Smith Street. (1919)

Library ... Ira Witcher had the Woodsville Public Library constructed in 1894. He donated the land, building and a quantity of books.

Books from the Ladies Charitable Association and a library St. Luke's had started, were also contributed.

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List of librarians:

1895-1901 Charles B. Griswold
1901-1905 Mrs. F. A. Gray
1905-1941 Mrs. S. M. Chamberlin
1941-1964 Nina Mitchell
1964-1965 Leona Waterman
1965-1967 Mary Cochran
1967-1977 Vevah Leonard
1977-1982 Jackie Rodimon
1982-1988 Ethel Bartzis
1988-1994 Linda Stoddard
1994 to present (2009) Dawn Langley

Lindsay ...

*** Herbert I. Lindsay is a brakeman on the railroad, boarding at 75 Central Street, the home of Arthur E. Davis. (1925)

*** Murray W. Lindsay is an engineer on the B&M railroad. He rooms at 8 Pine Street. (1915) (1919)

*** Ned Lindsay is employed by H. O. Taylor in Wells River, Vermont. Ned and Abbie Lindsay have a home at 55 Highland Street. (1953 - 1955) The Lindsats' reside at 25 Ammonoosuc Street. (1956 - 1958)

*** Norton Lindsay is a freight conductor for the B&M RR. He has a house at 7 Smith Street (1915). Listed as having a house at 11 Smith Street. (1919) 12 Smith Street in 1925.

Little ...

*** Charles T. Little is a freight handler. He and Ethel C. Little have a house on Highland Street. (1915) Charles and Ethel have a house at 2 Mill Street in 1919. Charles is teamster for the Grafton County Farm. (1929 - 1937) Edith C. Little, widow of Charles Little, who died prior to 1953, is a cook at Grafton County Farm, where she boards. (1953 - 1958)

*** Ervil G. Little is in the U. S. Army and boarding at 14a Park Street, the home of Frank H. Little. (1929-31)

*** Mrs. Ethel B. Little is a laundress at Grafton County Farm. (1929 - 1937)

*** Frank H. Little is a yardman for the B&M RR. He has a house

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on King Street (1915). Frank H. and Julia Little have a house at 13 King Street in 1919. Frank is yard brakeman and the Little's are living at 14a Park Street. (1925-31) The Littles' removed to Lakeport, NH, prior to 1935.

*** Frank L. Little is a mechanic. Frank and Bernice C. Little removed to Lisbon, NH, prior to 1953.

*** Frank W. Little is boarding at the Grafton County Farm. (1935 - 1937)

*** Major Little is a wood dealer Connecticut Street. He and Mary Little have a house at the same address. (1915) (1919) Major is a laborer and the Little's have a home at 8 Connecticut Street. (1925) Major's widow, (Hattie?) is deceased, prior to 1931.

*** Miss Margaret Little is employed at 13 Pleasant Street and rooms at 17 Beech Street, the home of Fred H. Strobridge. (1929-31)

*** Moses Little Jr. -- 1795 was the year Moses Little Jr. sold 37 1/2 acres of the 500 his father had purchased of the Gov. Wentworth grant. It was the north-west corner of the town of Haverhill, later to be named Woodsville. This parcel of land lies where the Connecticut and Ammonoosuc Rivers meet.

Mr. Little sold it to Isaac Smith and Moses Campbell. Smith and Campbell might have sold it to a Mr. Cotton as he was there in the early 1800's. Mills Olcott purchased the mill on April 9, 1809 for the sum of \$400.00.

Olcott was first to build a dam and mill on the site. Olcott deeded the mill to William Styfield on 9-14-1827. Styfield, in return, leased it to John L. Woods and Samuel Hutchins in 1830. Woods, at some time, obtained total ownership of the mill and sold it to Charles Smith in 1864 (Smith and Johnson).

Smith put in the equipment and machinery to produce shovel handles. Smith's mill and dam washed out in 1878 and he died before he could rebuild.

*** Miss Pearl V. Little removed to Lakeport, NH, prior to 1935.

*** Rose A. Little, widow of Frank W. Little, is boarding at 2 Mill Street. (1919) Rose removed to Monroe between 1919 and 1925.

Littlefield ... Raymond J. Littlefield is a train dispatcher for the B&M railroad. He rooms in Wells River, Vt. (1915). Listed as having

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a house in Wells River in 1919.

Litz ... Miss Lois E. Litz is teaching Biology and coaches girl's basketball at Woodsville High School. Lois is boarding at Fred J. Gardiners at 14 Elm Street.

(1953 - 1959) Miss Litz is living in Maine (2009).

Locke ...

*** Gilman E. Locke is in the U. S. Marines. Gilman and Margaret L. Locke are boarding with Harold S. Locke, rfd #2.

(1953 - 1958)

*** Harold S. Locke is farmer. Harold and Edith E. Locke live on Swiftwater Road. (1953 - 1958)

*** Harvey E. Locke is farmer. Harvey and Shirley E. Locke live on Swiftwater Road. (1953 - 1955)

*** Hiram Locke is a watchman at AP Company. Hiram has a home at 13b Terrace Street. (1953 - 1958)

Locklin ... Robert K. Locklin is a carpenter. Robert and Rita B. Locklin removed to South Ryegate, Vermont, prior to 1953. is

Longley ... Celestian Longley is a barber at 43a Central Street, rooming at 34 South Court Street. (1929-31)

Longstaff ...

*** Granville A. Longstaff is a mechanic. Granville removed to Groveton, NH, prior to 1935.

*** Jack H. Longstaff is a salesman for Armour Wholesale Meat Company. at 38 Railroad Street. Jack and Adine have a home at 12 Highland Street. (1929-31)

*** Jack H. Longstaff is a salesman. Jack and Adine removed to Maine, prior to 1935.

*** John A. Longstaff is a conductor on the B&M RR. He and Jennie B. Longstaff have a house at 40 Ammonoosuc Street (1915). (1919) (1925) John and jennis removed to Maine, prior to 1935.

*** John H. Longstaff is a student at Woodsville High School and is boarding with his parents at 40 Ammonoosuc Street. (1919) John is a clerk at Armour & Company, at 38 Railroad Street. John and Jennie B. Longstaff are boarding at 40 Ammonoosuc Street, the home of

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John A. Longstaff. (1925)

Loose Wiles Biscuit Company Agency... located at 30 Railroad Street and the general office is at 226 Causeway, Boston, Mass. (1935 - 1937)

Lord ...

*** Miss Esther B. Lord is a teacher at Woodsville High School and rooms at 17 Beech Street, the home of Fred H. Strobridge, and at Melvin Village, NH. (1929-31)

*** Miss Louise A. Lord is boarding at 48 Ammonoosuc Street. (1919) (1925)

*** Walter H. Lord is a registered pharmacist, employed at 67 Central Street, E. B. Mann, drug store, in the Opera Block. Walter and Marjorie B. Lord have a home at 15 Highland Street. (1929 - 1958)

*** Walter H. Lord, Jr. is a student at Woodsville High School, boarding at 15 Highland Street, the home of Walter Lord. (1935 - 1937)

*** William Lord is the janitor at the Woodsville Graded School. he has a house on Ammonoosuc Street (1915). (1919) William Lord died between 1919 and 1925.

Lorenzo ...

*** Alfonso Lorenzo is a boot & shoe cobbler at 97 Central Street. He rooms at Leonard Dodge's off Railroad Street (1915). Alfonso and Giuseppina are living at 87a Central Street in 1919. Alfonso and Giuseppina have removed to Avellino, Italy. (1925)

*** Francisco Lorenzo is employed at 23 Central Street, Michele Castello's, boot and shoe repair. Francisco is boarding at 37 North Court Street, the Castello home. (1925-31)

Lother ...

*** Edward H. Lother was born on May 20th, 1852. His first employment was with the railroad. Later, in 1892, he owned Lother's hardware in the Tilton Block, at 17-31 Central Street, from 1897 to 1926. The store was taken over by Taylor and Mann, (Harold O. Taylor and Henry C. Mann) in 1926. It later became Hartley's Hardware.

Edward and Nell Lother have a house at 29 Ammonoosuc Street. Edward was a Democrat and belonged to the Universalist Church on Elm Street. In 1919 the Lothers are listed as living at 31 Ammonoosuc

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Street. The Lothers are retired at 31 Ammonoosuc Street in 1931.

*** Henry E. Lothar is a storekeeper for the B&M RR. He rooms at E. H. Lothar's on Ammonoosuc Street (1915). In 1919 Henry and Eva have a house at 31 Ammonoosuc Street.(1919) (1925) In 1929-31, a Henry E. and Mildred E. Lothar have (Nash Woodsville Company) on River Road, and (Independent Auto Livery) at 47a Central Street, with a home at 31 Ammonoosuc Street. (1929 - 1937)

Lovejoy ...Wellington H. Lovejoy came to Woodsville in 1896 to open a meat market in the Odd Fellows Music Hall on Pleasant Street. He moved the business after building the Lovejoy Building at 107-111 Central Street. (Tuck's Press) Prior to coming to Woodsville he was employed in Boston at Quincy Market.

He then enlisted in the Second Calvary and mustered out as Sergeant, in April of 1868. 1868. He was the wood contractor for the Grand Trunk Railway until 1881 when he entered the meat business in Stratford, Vermont.

Wellington was a Democrat, Methodist-Episcopalian and trustee of the Woodsville Guaranty Savings bank . (1915) (1919) Wellington and Harriet B. Lovejoy are listed as living at 111 Central Street in 1925.

Harriet B. Loveloy, widow of Wellington Lovejoy, has a home at 111 Central Street, in the Lovejoy Block. (1929-31)

Lowe ...

*** Carroll H. Lowe is a manual training teacher at Woodsville High School. Carroll is rooming at 10 Smith Street. (1925)

*** Miss Eleese V. Lowe is a student at Woodsville High School, boarding at 11 Ammonoosuc Street, the home of Mrs. Persis A. Bennett. (1925)

*** George Lowe is a carpenter. He and Lena Lowe have removed to Brooklyn, NY. (1925)

*** James E. Lowe is a building mover, contractor and builder at 5 Oak Hill. He also resides there. (1915) (1919) (1925)

*** James R. Lowe died on June 18th, 1928.

Lowrey... Andrew Lowrey bought a piece of land around #16 Ammonoosuc Street, in 1889. He purchased the parcel from Edgar Miller who lived on Court Street. Lowrey erected a building to house a carriage manufacture and repair facility. He operated the business for

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a couple of years before renting the building to L. C. George in 1891. George ran a blacksmith shop there until 1896. Clem Bailey, who later built his own blacksmith shop on the corner of Railroad Street and Oak Hill, worked for Mr. George. Mr. Lowret, in 1896, remodeled the building into apartments.

Lowell ... Lloyd L. Lowell is an employee of the railroad, with a home at 16 King Street. (1935 - 1937) Lloyd and Verna H. Lowell reside at 16 King Street. (1956 - 1958)

Lucas ... Herman J. Lucas is a mechanic in Wells River, Vermont. Herman and Mildred E. Lucas have a home at 31 Highland Street. (1953 - 1958)

Lunch Carts, Cafes and Diners ... Johnson's Lunch Cart was located between the Express Building and Bailey's Buick Garage, opposite the Tilton Block annex. The lunch cart blew up from an exploded gasoline stove. The cart was then moved across the street to what is now the location of McAllister Jewelers, and was named the "Coffee Pot." The Coffee Pot burned around 1902 and was rebuilt as Woodsville Lunch.

In 1903 Tom Mitchell operated a lunch cart where Johnson's originally stood.

In 1903 Fred Beebe operated the White House lunch cart across the street from the Tilton Block.

In 1915, T. G. Cummings operated a lunch cart in front of Bailey's Buick, until around 1916 when he erected the Woodsville Lunch.

The Dandy Diner was located between the Express Building and the Railroad Depot. In 1933 it was operated by Jasper Rutledge and Merton Homans. It had a 20 stool counter and no tables. The diner was open from 6 a.m. until midnight. Mr. Rutledge also owned the South End Diner at the end of Central Street.

In 1899 Ernest Bell operated a lunch cart. He later opened Bell's Lunch in the Tilton Block annex. This later became bagonzi's Restauant.

J. C. Pennock had a fish cart from around 1900 until 1913. He delivered from door to door.

There was an ice cart in Woodsville in 1884 and water wagons operated from 1899. Bakery wagons were common from about 1885.

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Lunchette ... Charles A Woods' lunch room at 51 Central Street, in the Thompson Block, formerly Charles Christopher's Store. (1953 - 1958)

Lupien ... Napoleon B. Lupien is a carpenter and is boarding at 2 Ammonoosuc Street. (1919) Napoleon died in 1922.

Lurvey ... Robert Lurvey is a railroad employee. he has a home at 1 Connecticut Street. (1919)

Luscombe ... Reverend Earle B. Luscombe is pastor of the Methodist Church, on Maple Street. Earle and Florence L. Luscombe reside at 9 Maple Street. (1953 - 1958)

Lynch ... Miss Kate Lynch is a graduate nurse. She is employed by Clark's Drug Store at 83 Central Street. Miss Lynch rooms at 17 Pine Street (1915). Miss Lynch is rooming at 29 Court Street in 1919. Kate is a registered nurse and rooming at 18 Pine Street, the home of George E. Mann. (1925) Miss Lynch is a nurse at 67 Central Street, E. B. Mann, drug store, rooming at 29 South Court Street, the home of Dr. E. S. Miller, Dentist. (1929 - 1937)

Lyons ...

*** George L. Lyons, 1848-1916, is an engineer on the B&M railroad. George and Inez have a house off Central Street, between the Bittinger building and the cafe. Inez Lyons was born in 1851 and died in 1928.

*** George C. Lyons is a farmer off Pond Road. He and Jennie M. Lyons have a house there. (1915)

*** George C. Lyons is an engineer on the railroad. George and Nellie Lyons have a home at 19a Central Street, the driveway is between the Bittinger Building and the Woodsville Cafe, the former home of George L. Lyons. (1935 - 1955) George died prior to 1956. Nellie resides at 19a Central Street. (1956 - 1958)

*** Robert P. Lyons is boarding with George and Nellie Lyons at 19a Central Street. (1935 - 1937)

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