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THE LEWIS DECATUR SANBORN FAMILY

Charles A Watson

As readers of the Spring issue will remember, I had to break this article into two pieces in order to accommodate the other Sanborn items I felt should be in that issue. Here is the continuation and thanks again to Al Sanborn for giving these Sanborn photos to the SFA and thanks to Bob Mosier of CA for his contributions.

Abigail Ann Sanborn (1856-1929)



Abbie Ann Sanborn March 1873

Abbie married Hannibal A Hackett of Belmont CA about 1875. He was a Civil War veteran who was mustered out as a First Sergeant in a CA regiment. In 1870 Hackett seems to be in charge of the US Barracks in Benicia with over 40 soldiers under his command there. V C Sanborn calls him Major so that may have been his rank in 1870. By 1900 they are living in San Mateo County at "Belmont School" where Hackett was a teacher. They had been married 25 years and had had only one child, Lewis W, born Dec 1884, then living with them. Hackett died in San Mateo County on 7 Sep 1909, age 75. Abbie remarried in 1913 to Edward H Beane, the widower of her sister, Minnie (Piccolomini). Abbie & Edward were living in Alameda city in 1920 with his daughter, Alice E Beane. Abbie

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Membership, January 1 - December 31, includes subscription to the newsletter for the current year. Back issues of the newsletter are \$3.00 each. T-shirts available: 7 X-large; 2 Medium; 2 Large and 3 Youth Large (these 3 do not have the Sanborn shield on the back). We have 1 adjustable size Sanborn cap but can easily order more.

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apparently died in Alameda County in 1929. On at least one of her son's trips, she accompanied him to South America.

Abbie & Hannibal's son, Lewis Wendell Hackett, graduated from Harvard University in 1905, earned the MD degree there in 1912 and the Dr of Public Health in 1913. He had married Hazel S Woods on 1 Jul 1912; she died in Alameda County CA 31 Jul 1950. They had two sons, Robert Norman & David Blair, both born in MA. By 1920 the family was living in Berkeley CA although Lewis was working in Brazil at that time. Various sources such as passport applications, passenger lists, WWII draft registration, & particularly his entry in Who Was Who in America (vol 4, 1961-68, page 391) document the stellar career he had in public health, specializing in malaria. He worked for the Rockefeller Foundation (NYC) in Europe, South America, & Egypt; for the World Health Organization; taught at top schools of public health; wrote books on malaria; and received recognition for his work from several countries. He died in Alameda County 28 April 1962. His son, Robert Norman Hackett, died in Fresno County 22 Apr 1999.

Clara Maria Sanborn (1858-1913)



Clara Maria Sanborn 1 Jan 1870

Clara, the third child of Lewis & Deborah, married her father's first cousin, Hayden Lewis Demeritt, 7 Jun 1882 in Benicia. Hayden's mother, Lavinia Dearborn Sanborn [VCS # 509 ix], was the sister of Lewis's father, Caleb [VCS # 1194]. Hayden Demeritt graduated from Dartmouth in 1874 with a degree in Civil Engineering. He was a civil engineer in Benicia in 1900; a civil engineer & licensed surveyor working for the US government, living in Berkeley in 1910, both with his wife & children; and in 1920 as a government civil engineer, a widower in Pittsburg, Contra Costa County CA. Clara died 27 Aug 1913 and Hayden 6 Sep 1920, both in Alameda County. They had 5 children: Reno, Otto, Alma V, Fenn, & Hayden L Jr, the eldest (Reno) born in NV, the rest in CA.

Reno Everett Demeritt was born in NV 7 May 1883 and died in San Francisco in a construction accident 16 Dec 1934. Reno graduated from the Univ of CA, Berkeley, with a degree in Civil Engineering in 1903 and was a 3-time letterman on the football team. He married Anna Li Fay 3 Sep 1913; she was the daughter of Jeremiah & Mary E (Keshon) Fay. The censuses show his occupation as surveyor in a construction camp in O'Neal, San Joaquin County, in 1910; with Anna in 1920, he was an inspector of bridges, living in Oakland; and a civil engineer in the US Engineer Dept, living in San Francisco in 1930 with Anna. His 1918 draft registration in Oakland also noted he was employed by the US Engineer Dept. A small oddity, Anna's birth year was 1877 in the early censuses (1880 & 1910) but after she married Reno her birth year was 1886 or 1887 (1920 & 1930 censuses). Her death record clearly stated she was born 2 Nov 1877 and died in Los Angeles County on 13 Mar 1950. There apparently were no children of their marriage.

Hubert Otto Demeritt was born in Benicia 22 Jun 1884 and married Ida Susan Moran 12 Jun 1916 in Oakland. She was the daughter of John & Susan Moran. Otto, as he was known, graduated from the Univ of CA, Berkeley, with a degree in Civil Engineering in 1906. Due to the San Francisco earthquake & fire, all the able bodied men went to help in the rescue process and the graduation ceremony at the University was cancelled that year. They had 2 daughters, Claire H, born 25 May 1917 & died 13 March 2006, and Fern D, born 31 May 1919, both in Alameda County. Otto was a civil engineer for the street railway in Oakland in 1918 (draft registration) & in 1920 (census). By 1930 he was in business for himself as a civil engineer. Otto was an avid hiker & climber & was listed with one expedition in Yosemite in 1912. All four family members were Oakland registered voters in 1940. Otto died 15 Oct 1954 in Oakland and Ida died 25 Mar 1978 in Chico, Butte County.

Alma V Demeritt was born in Benicia 6 Dec 1885. She married George Peabody Dimpfel 19 Oct 1910 in San Francisco. He was born 11 Aug 1878 & died in Alameda County 20



May 1957; he worked as an appraiser for the government in 1930. Alma died in Alameda County on 30 June 1959. Alma was the family historian & genealogist, accumulating more than 4 file drawers of family documents which she passed on to her son Emerson. George & Alma had two children, Emerson Hayden (b 6 Jul 1911, d 23 Aug 2004) & Elva (b 1 Feb 1913). Emerson's obituary related his career in the US Navy: served on submarines in WWII, commanded the USS Brown during the Korean war, was the executive officer of the Naval Schools Command, Treasure Island CA, commanded Mine Squadron Nine & the destroyer tender USS Frontier. He taught school in McLean VA after retiring from the Navy. He married Emma Fisk 24 Oct 1941 in Philadelphia PA. She died in August 2002. He was survived by 3 children & 4 grandchildren and he was buried at sea. Elva Dimpfel married Leonard E Tigard in 1938 and they had one child, Holly Anne Tigard (b 1946). Elva died 9 Feb 1993 in Alameda County. Her husband, Leonard E Tigard's, obituary in the San Francisco Chronicle (24 Aug 2006, tho he died 24 Aug 2005) noted that "He opened a photographic portrait studio in San Francisco, played jazz piano throughout the Bay Area, served in the Navy during WWII, worked as a chemical engineer and then as construction inspector for the Port of Oakland" and lived life to the fullest.

Fenn Allen Demeritt was born in Benicia 20 Sep 1887. He was working in Elkhorn CA in 1910 as a general electrician and married Sarah A Moore 28 Feb 1914. In the 1917 draft registration of Berkeley he was a materials clerk for a construction company; a store keeper in 1920 in Berkeley; and worked for the Southern Pacific railway in 1930 (census) & 1942 (WWII draft registration). Their daughter Edna M was born 1 Jan 1919 in Alameda County. Fenn died 5 Dec 1944; Sarah died 18 Jul 1976, both in Alameda County.

Hayden Lewis Demeritt Jr was born 3 Jul 1892 in Benicia. When he registered for the WWI draft he was living in Berkeley and working as a machinist for his father. In the 1920 census of Eden, Alameda County, he was married to Agatha B & was a timekeeper. In the 1920 voter registration for Hayward CA he was a surveyor & Agatha a housewife. He died 1 Feb 1942 in Alameda County.

Piccolomini "Minnie" Sanborn (1871-1910)

Oddly, V C Sanborn has her name, birth date, and marriage date, but no husband's name. I only find her as Minnie in the various records so will refer to her by that name. She is with her parents in 1880 but in the 1900 census, married in 1886, she is with her husband, Edward H Beane (superintendent of a warehouse), and daughters, Ena R (b Apr 1889) & Alice E (b Dec 1893), in Crockett, Contra Costa County CA. They are in the city of Alameda in the 1910 census, Edward as a bookkeeper. Minnie died shortly after the census was taken,



Minnie Sanborn 6 July 1871

on 27 Sep 1910 in Alameda County. Her widowed husband then married her sister, Abbie (Sanborn) Hackett, in Nov 1913. In 1920, Edward, secretary for a warehouse, was living with Abbie, his daughter, Alice E, and a family friend, Ella Wadsworth (widow, age 60). Edward died the next year (19 Jun 1921) in Alameda County.

Minnie's daughter, Ena R, married Donald R Buddington, probably in 1916-17. In the WWI draft of June 1917, he registered himself with the Seattle draft board as married. He gave his occupation as shipping clerk for a laundry machinery company. They had one son, Donald R, born in Alameda County 19 Oct 1919 & died, probably in the state of WA, 23 Jul 2007. They were living in Oakland at the time of the 1920 census and Donald was a mechanic for a battery company. By 1930 they had moved to Fresno and Donald was a salesman of dairy products. Ena died 14 Jun 1963 in Fresno County. Donald then married Ena's sister, Alice E Beane, 15 Oct 1964; he died in April 1970 and Alice in March 1978, both in Alameda County.

William Kelley Sanborn (1865-1935)

Willie Sanborn was born 25 Nov 1865 in Benicia; in 1893 he married Emma L in CA. He graduated from the Medical



William K Sanborn 1877

School at the Univ of CA, Berkeley. Willie & Emma had 2 children: Mervyn Dale (b 4 Apr 1894 in Oakland) & Edwin Belmont (11 Aug 1895 - 22 Nov 1899). Available records show that William was a physician & surgeon in Oakland from at least 1900 to 1922. Emma died in Alameda County on 6 Nov 1918. Family records state that William died in 1935.

Mervyn D Sanborn married Beth B Bradley in 1916. She was the daughter of another Oakland physician, Lawrence H Bradley, & his wife, Edith (Burnett) Bradley. Beth was born in CA in 1893 and died 8 March 1963 in San Francisco. Mervyn died a few days earlier, Feb 28, also in San Francisco, according to the state death records. He had been an office clerk for Standard Oil Co in 1917 living and working in Taft CA; in 1942 they lived in Oakland and he worked for the government Army Transport Service. They apparently had no children.

Joseph Lewis Sanborn (1861-1917)

Joseph was born in Benicia on 28 Dec 1867. He married Julia Ann Chisholm in 1891 in Benicia. She was the daughter of Daniel & Margaret (McDonald) Chisholm and born in Nova Scotia. Her parents were married in Pictou County NS in



Joseph Sanborn 1879

1867. Joseph & Julia had only one child, daughter Aileen, born in Nov 1898 in Benicia. Joseph was a furniture merchant in Benicia in 1900 & 1910. He died in Benicia on 25 Oct 1917. Julia Ann died in Los Angeles County on 23 Nov 1951. In the US censuses 1880-1920, Julia was listed as born in Canada/Nova Scotia. On her passport application in 1925 she claimed to have been born in Boston MA and she expected to travel to Austria, Russia, & China. In the 1930 census she listed MA as her birth place but her death record gave Canada as her birthplace. Perhaps it was easier to get a US passport as a native born citizen. She was a citizen already, however, having gained citizenship as a result of marrying a US citizen.

Aileen Sanborn married twice, first to William George Dickinson in 1920. He was born 15 June 1895 in National City CA, son of George W & Myra (Kellam) Dickinson. Aileen & William had 3 children: Dorothy M (b 16 Feb 1922 in Los Angeles County), Joan A (b 2 Oct 1924 in LA County), & George William (b 20 May 1926 in LA County). William Dickinson died in LA County, 15 Feb 1964, and Aileen married Herbert M Stanley 3 May 1969 in LA County. Aileen died 4 Jan 1983 in LA County.

Etta May Sanborn (1871-1952)

Etta May was born 2 Feb 1871 in CA and married Frank Blanchard on 18 Nov 1893. Frank was born in Searsport ME, son of Elbridge S & Alvena (Clifford) Blanchard. Frank & Etta had only one child, son Elbridge Houghton Blanchard, born 1 May 1896 in Benicia. Frank was a manager of a lumber yard in Woodland, Yolo County CA, in 1910 & 1920. By 1930 Frank & Etta were living in Berkeley, with



Etta Sanborn 1879

Frank probably retired. Frank died 30 Jul 1942 in Alameda County. Etta died in Santa Cruz County 25 Feb 1952.

Elbridge registered for the WWI draft in Woodland CA; the draft clerk added the following comment to his registration form: "This man has on file at 201 Pine St. S.F. application for admission to Reserve Officers Camp which application has been approved." Elbridge married Marjorie L Lyons 18 Oct 1919 in Yolo County. She was born in June 1897 in Wright County IA, daughter of Edward H & Grace (Middleton) Lyons. Elbridge & Marjorie had 2 children: Dorothy J (b 19 Jul 1924 in Alameda County) & Robert William (b 8 Jan 1926 in Alameda County). Elbridge worked as a manager of a lumber yard in Cacheville, Yolo County, in 1920; in 1930 he seems to have been a broker in real estate & insurance (the census record is hard to read). Elbridge died 19 Nov 1932, Marjorie on 29 Jun 1968, both in Alameda County. Note: Dorothy J (Blanchard) Ritchie is a SFA member and contributed her Sanborn ancestors' information to the SFA database.

Conclusion

The descendants of Lewis D & Deborah Sanborn's 8 children tended to stay in the state of California with some notable exceptions. That made it a little easier to do the research for this article because many of the CA vital records are accessible online. They produced physicians, lawyers, teachers, and engineers among other occupations.

The descendants of Lewis & Deborah's daughters, of course, did not have the Sanborn surname. Of the 3 Sanborn brothers, Alan, William, & Joseph, the latter had one daughter and William one son for whom I didn't find any children. Only Alan had 2 sons who themselves produced one son each, so there seem to be only two Sanborn families in the third generation after Lewis & Deborah. If anyone would like a scanned copy of the photos, I would be glad to oblige them.

Postscript

There was one photo in the batch that wasn't obviously a 'Sanborn'. It is a photo of young twins named Eben Jordan Hastings & Mary Allen Hastings, Benicia CA, Jan 1, 1865. They were born in 1862/3, the children of Daniel N & Hannah M (Jordan) Hastings according to the various census records - although the daughter's name used in the censuses is 'Alice'. The family was in Boston in 1850 where Daniel's occupation was 'provision' - presumably dealing in fruits/vegetables. In 1870 in Benicia Daniel was a 'capitalist' with real estate worth \$40,000 & personal estate worth \$10,000; in 1880 he was a 'butcher' & Hannah a store keeper. In the San Francisco city directory of 1889-91 (online), Daniel N Hastings, 1001 Pine St, was again a 'capitalist'. I haven't been able to clearly connect the Hastings to the Sanborns, perhaps they were simply friends. There is a (very?) small chance that Hannah M (Jordan) Hastings, born in Maine, was the daughter of James Jordan & Sarah Sanborn (V C Sanborn # 214 i) of Etna ME (in 1850 census). If anyone can identify this family, please let me know.

Bob Mosier sent me a copy of Dr Lewis H Sanborn's obituary (son of Alan P Sanborn) and I would be glad to send the details to interested persons. Editor.

Sources

US Census Records, 1850-1930

Sanborn family data submitted by Sanborn descendants

WWI & WWII Draft Registrations

Passport applications

Ship Passenger Manifests

Obituaries

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MORE ON LEWIS DECATUR SANBORN

Editor's note: while in the process of writing the above article, I made contact with Bob Mosier, a descendant of L D Sanborn. He has supplied me with more details, silently incorporated in the



article, and also the following document which gives another slant on L D Sanborn's life. This document was prepared and signed by Alma Demeritt Dimpfel in Oakland CA, January 1947. Thanks to Bob for allowing us to print it here.

"Lewis Decatur Sanborn, born in New Hampton, N. H., went to Lowell, Massachusetts before he became of age, where he learned the carpenters' trade, which occupation he followed until his death. He was with the army during the Mexican War and was with the forces which made their triumphal entry into Mexican [sic] City.

In 1849 he started for California by way of Cape Horn and arrived in Benicia in 1850. In 1852 he returned east by way of Panama. On the Atlantic side the steamer was nearly foundered in a severe storm and was compelled to put in at Charleston, S. C. Mr. Sanborn completed the journey overland to New Hampshire. On Dec. 26, 1852 he married Miss Abigail P. Sanborn and, in January, 1853, started with his bride and her sister, Deborah W. Sanborn, who was coming to California to teach school. Off the coast of Mexico the ship sprang a leak and put into Acapulco. Here misfortune awaited him, for his wife was taken from him by the dreaded yellow fever, and he was seized with an attack of Asiatic cholera from which his recovery seemed hopeless. However, he recovered and continued on his way to San Francisco, accompanied by his sister-in-law.

When just outside the Golden Gate, his ship, the Pacific mail steamship, 'Tennessee', went ashore at Tagus Beach, in Bolinas Bay, 3 or 4 miles north of the entrance to the Bay of San Francisco. This was on March 6, 1853. Dense fog had misled the captain as to the ship's position and was the cause of the vessel striking the shore. There were 300 passengers on board, 100 of whom were women and children. By happy chance, the ship went up on a sandy beach, on both sides of which were enormous cliffs. The passengers were all safely landed, as well as the mail bags and express matter, and considerable quantity of cargo, stores, etc. The effort to save the vessel was unsuccessful, and it was abandoned and soon afterward went to pieces.

He finally reached Benicia and was one of the first to make his home in that city. In June, 1853 he again married, his second wife being the sister-in-law, Deborah Weymouth Sanborn. He settled down to a quiet home. In early life he was an active member of the odd Fellows and Good Templers and ever upheld the principles of Friendship, Love, Truth, Justice, and Temperance. During his residence in Benicia he held many offices of trust, among them, that of Justice of the Peace, County Assessor, Coroner, and Public Administrator.

Only two of his children were living in 1931."

TRY THE SFA WEBSITE

Even if you don't have your own computer, you can access the web (& therefore the SFA website) at many public libraries. Try it out and put your own query online or simply see what's up with us. We get hundreds of 'hits' every month - so someone is watching us. Sanborn Signatures comes out only twice a year, the web is there every day. There are links to other Sanborn related websites: the Lane Memorial Library, Hampton NH, where Sanborns lived early on, the Rootsweb Sanborn message board & the Genealogy.com Sanborn forum.

For the SFA website type in:
www.SanbornFamilyAssociation.com

SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

The winner of the \$400 SFA college scholarship award for 2008 is Melody Kianka of Liverpool NY. She is the granddaughter of SFA members Charles & Patricia Sanborn of Syracuse NY. Melody is attending SUNY Onondaga Community College this year.

The SFA has a single, \$400, college-level scholarship available to a SFA family member. Please send the name, address, educational institution attending in 2009-10 & its address, and the name of the closest related SFA active member (including self), to SFA Secretary, Helen Davidson, 86 Hazel St, Rutland VT 05701; to be received by her by August 1, 2009.

EDITOR'S COLUMN

Thanks to all of you who send in Sanborn items in the press and special thanks to SFA member Marcia Hunkins for sending in obits, some recent, some older.

Thanks to SFA member Erwin L Fisher of Bath PA for donating a large box of Chase & Sanborn coffee cans and tea cans & a 3-ring binder filled with pamphlets, company letters dated 1891, 1902, & 1925, & Chase & Sanborn advertising items.

I'd like to thank Bob Mosier of CA, a descendant of Lewis Decatur Sanborn, for his help on the topic of the main article. He was quite invaluable and generously shared his family information with me. In fact, on a recent vacation in New England, he stopped by our house in RI for a short visit, as well as visiting other Sanborns in MA.

Lots of people to thank in this issue - which is as it should be: this publication is really geared to the extended Sanborn family and works best when the editor receives Sanborn infor-



mation from all of you, the readers. Please keep sending it in.

Finally, as usual, many thanks to Glen Hawkins for the layout of this issue. He's done great work while I've been the editor - since 1998. I think this is the 21st issue we've put together.

RENEWAL REMINDER

Reminder that the SFA is NO LONGER sending out renewal reminders in the mail in early January. Except Life Members, all of us need to renew for 2009. Check the address label on the last page of this issue. If it has "09" or later, you have already renewed for 2009. If it has an "08" or earlier, then you need to renew for 2009. If it has an "07" or earlier year after your name, then your membership in the SFA will end December 31, 2008, and you will not receive the Spring 2009 issue of *Sanborn Signatures* unless you renew.

Why not renew now?

FIRST NOTICE FOR BIENNIAL REUNION

Plan to visit the Concord NH area next August. The SFA Biennial Reunion will be held on a Saturday in early or mid-August in the Concord area. The exact date of the one day meeting will be determined by availability of a facility. We had a great meeting in Maine in 2007. Let's at least duplicate the numbers we had there. More news later - check the website for updates.

SANBORNS OF THE PRESENT

The *Hutchinson [KS] News* of 7 Jun 2008 reported that **Jeremy Sanborn** had been named the May employee of the month by Reno County Youth Services: "Sanborn, youth care staff, has done a good job picking up extra workload caused by the staff shortage and has been able to stay caught up without neglecting his duties. He also continues to have good relationship with the youths. He has done all these extra duties without complaining about the extra work."

Carleton Sanborn is the owner/instructor of the Cornerstone Driving Institute, Old Town ME. He is a member of the Maine Driver Education Association.

From the *Concord [NH] Monitor*, 25 Jun 2008. Honor Roll: Coe-Brown Northwood Academy, grade 9 honors - **Benjamin Sanborn** of Strafford NH; Gilmanton School, grade 8 high

honors - **Rachel Sanborn**.

Thanks to SFA member, Muriel Parker, for sending a news release dated 23 Jun 2008; about **James Jackson Sanborn**. The ME Info Net Board of Directors announced the appointment of Sanborn as the new Executive Director of Maine Info Net. He was the Associate Head, Digital Library Initiatives Dept at NC State University Libraries in Raleigh NC. He graduated from Bates College & grew up in Saco ME & was expected to start in August

SANBORNS OF THE PAST

Here is an older obit from the *Daily News* of Longview WA, 29 Aug 1932. Arthur Samuel Sanborn, 54, died at Longview General hospital; he was a resident of Rainier OR. He was born in Alpena MI in 1878 & came west in 1919. Survivors are 3 brothers, Alonzo of Rainier; George of Kelso WA, & John of Alpena. He was buried in the IOOF Cemetery. In the 1900 census the 4 brothers are with their father, John (b ME), in Long Rapids, Alpena Co MI. In 1880, Arthur is with 2 sisters with their parents, John & Mary J, in Long Rapids. The latter John is single in Alpena in 1870. He seems to be the John S, age 4, in St Albans, Somerset Co ME with his parents, Samuel Jr & Eliza B in the 1850 census. In the 1860 census he would be the Solomon, age 14, with parents Samuel (40) & Eliza (38). Samuel will be VCS # 378 vii.

QUERIES & NOTICES

(1) The Editor made contact with Anne Scott. She has many photos of the **Allan & Maud (Johnson) Sanborn** family and would like to see the photos remain in a relevant Sanborn family. They were close friends of her grandparents. Allan N Sanborn was born August 1870 in MI; Maud E (Johnson) was born in August 1873 in NE; Maud's mother was Helen M Johnson, a widow, born Michigan in Feb 1852; Allan's 'half-sister', Margaret MacPherson, was born in MI about 1885.

Allan, Maud, & Helen were in Alpena MI in 1900; in Oakland CA in 1910 & 1920. Allan probably died in May of 1929 in CA; Maud is a widow by herself in Oakland in 1930. It looks like Allan & Maud had no children, so perhaps someone will recognize Allan as a brother of a Sanborn ancestor. If you know anything about this family & would like the photos, please contact the editor or Anne Scott at anne_p_scott@hotmail.com.

(2) Victor Good of FL is trying to locate any information on **Grace Sanborn** who was living in Amarillo TX in the 1950s to 1960s - last known address was 3420 Hughes St, Amarillo. She is a half-sister to his father, Leo V Good. The last communication Leo had from her was a graduation card she sent



him in 1951 signed Grace Brock-Sanborn. She was apparently adopted by a step father with the last name Brock. Her mother's name was Margie Pettengill who had married Victor's grandfather, Leo B Good. Grace had a twin sister, Theresa (Victor believes), & they may have been raised in KS. They were born around 1926ish. This is all very new to Victor as he has just discovered this family connection. Any help you can provide in finding Grace or her sister, Theresa, or their children would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Victor Good at 386-445-6837, vgood@marketing.aero, 138 Palm Coast Pkwy NE #266, Palm Coast, FL 32137.

(3) Mike Donnelly has taken photos of **Sanborn** gravestones in the neglected Hoyt Cemetery in Gilford NH and would be pleased to send copies to interested people. They are Israel Sanborn (VCS # 287) (1767-1843) & his wife Patty Morgan. Joseph Sanborn (VCS # 288) (1770-1846) & his wife Sally Thing. Jacob Sanborn (VCS # 737) (1795-1838), nephew of Israel & Joseph, & his wife Ruth Hunt. Miss Mary Sanborn (as "Polly" in VCS # 287 ii) (1791-1846) daughter of Israel & Patty. Contact Mike at 125 Lakeview Lane, Manchester NH 03104, or michaeldonnelly2007@comcast.net .

(4) Thanks to Muriel Parker for noticing that the online newsletter of the NEHGS (# 398, dated 29 Oct 2008) announced that a Certificate in Genealogical Research was being offered by Boston University. It was "designed by author, editor, and genealogist **Melinde Lutz Sanborn**, FASG." Melinde was a member and officer of the **SFA**. Anyone interested?

BIRTH

A son, Corbyn Michael Kio, was born to Army Sgt & Mrs Brodie Kio of Vilseck, Germany, on 23 Oct 2008. Corbyn's mother is the former Krystal Elizabeth Sanborn of Candia NH. Maternal grandparents are David Alan & JoAnn Lucille (Proulx) Sanborn of Candia NH & paternal grandparents are Rose Marie & Wade Scott of Severn NC. Maternal great grandparents are Arthur Henry & Elizabeth Ann (Chase) Sanborn of Candia, & Donald G & Rolande D (Methot) Proulx of Florida & NH.

Sgt Kio has just completed a tour of duty in Iraq with the US Army. Great grandparents Arthur & Elizabeth Sanborn helped with the re-organization of the Sanborn Family Association in 1984, held in Goffstown NH.

OBITUARIES

AYOTT, Ronald. Ronnie Ayott of Marblehead MA, 48, died 8 Nov 1997. He was the son of the late **Joseph Ayott & Carolyn (Sanborn) Russell** of Marblehead. He was born in

Lynn MA 24 Jun 1949 and had worked at the Marblehead Community Store for 12 years. Survivors are mother, Carolyn Russell; brother Joseph (Diane) Ayott of Groveland MA; sister Carl Ann (Robert) Lail of Merrimack NH; uncle Clarence Sanborn; aunts Irene (Leroy) Gamble of Beverly MA, Frances (Fred) Korzeneski of Salem MA. He was buried in Waterside Cemetery. *Marblehead/Swampscott [MA] Reporter*, 13 Nov 1997. Editor's note: Carolyn & her siblings, including Clarence, Irene, & Frances, were with their parents, Vernon A & Lydia F Sanborn in 1930 Marblehead. Vernon A is VCS # 1277v(iii). See the editor's note to the Jane A Sanborn obit below.

HANNA, Clyde L. Dighton KS – Clyde L Hanna, 77, died 29 May 2008. He was born 3 Oct 1930 son of Joseph Walkup & Iris Anzina Brown Hanna. He married Irene Lavonne Kiroff in Oct 1955; she died 9 Apr 1976. He married Nodine Lee Anderson on 8 Jan 1977. Survivors are his wife, Nodine; sons Alan Hanna, **Curt, Bill, & Dan Sanborn**; daughters Nancy Norby, Linda Roberts, Maria Dandurand; brothers, William C Hanna, Joseph F Hanna, Donald E Hanna; sister Marilyn Harmon; 21 grandchildren; 5 great grandchildren. Burial was in Healy Cemetery. *Hutchinson [KS] News*, 30 May 2008.

HANSEN, Neal Eugene. Norway ME – Neal Hansen, 67, died 21 Feb 2008 at Central Maine Medical Center, Lewiston ME. He was born in Portland ME to Hans M Jr & Gyda (Uldall) Hansen and grew up in Gray ME. He served in the Marines during the Viet Nam war and attended Capital University & the Univ of Southern ME. He married **KimbaLee Sanborn Booth** in 1966. He worked as a teamster for many years and after retiring from SuperValu in 2004 he became a driver for Community Concepts Inc out of South Paris ME until his death. He and his wife are members of the **SFA**. He was predeceased by son Daniel Sr, brother Hans M (Skip). He is survived by his wife Kim; son Erich (Catherine); daughter-in-law Tara; sister Priscilla (John) Pedersen; grandsons Christopher, Daniel Jr, & Jordan. *Portland [ME] Press Herald*, 25 Feb 2008. Editor's note: the SSDI gives his birth date as 9 Feb 1941.

HUTCHINSON, Patricia A. Patricia A (Sanborn) Hutchinson, 77, died 23 Aug 2008 at home in Marblehead MA. She was born in Marblehead 30 May 1931, daughter of **Edgar L & Jane A (Goodwin) Sanborn**. [see her mother's obit below] She worked at Winslow's Potato Chip Factory and enjoyed writing Marblehead stories some of which were published in the local paper. She was predeceased by her husband of 43 years, Clinton I Hutchinson Jr. She is survived by her children - Debra J (Davie) Fay, Dana W (Cyndy) Hutchinson, David C (Terri) Hutchinson, all of Salem MA, & Diane S (Keith) Bedrossian of Swampscott MA, & Douglas Hutchinson of Alexandria NH; 7 grandchildren; cousin Ruth Ruddock of Huntington NY. Burial was in Waterside Cemetery, Marblehead. *Swampscott & Marblehead [MA] Reporter*, 28 Aug 2008.



KOPFF, Shirley Jean. Shirley J (Sanborn) Kopff died 3 Aug 2008. Survived by children Cassie (Rodger) Yeary, Brooke (Elizabeth Witchel) Kopff; Kim (Sherrill Wayland) Kopff; sister Gerry (Bernie) Martin. Predeceased by husband Harvey Kopff. *Arizona Republic, Phoenix AZ, 6 Aug 2008.*

LISTER, Lois S. Lois Lister died at Odyssey Health Care in Mesa AZ 13 Sep 2008. She was born 22 Sep 1923 in Mesa, daughter of **A C (Jake) & Gertrude Sanborn**. She lived in Mesa her entire life; she worked at Cost + 10 Markets & Wrights Markets, retiring 3 Nov 1989. She married Tom Lister who predeceased her. Survivors are her children, Bill Lister, Pat Taylor, Kathy Collins, & Tom Lister; 11 grandchildren; 13 great grandchildren; 4 great great grandchildren. She was also predeceased by her sister, Inez Bruno. She was buried in Mesa Cemetery. *Arizona Republic, Phoenix AZ, 17 Sep 2008.* Editor's note: she is with her parents, Arthur C & Gertrude A Sanborn, in Mesa in 1930. In 1920, Arthur Sanborn (33, b ME) is in Mesa; on the same census page is Forrest A Sanborn (52, b ME). In 1910 in San Bernardino CA, Arthur is with his parents, Forest & Minnie; the next family is Clarence Sanborn (25, b ME). In 1900 the 'Laforest' & Minnie Sanborn family, with sons Arthur C & Bert C, are in Benton, Kennebec Co ME. The WWI Draft Registration record for Arthur Chandler Sanborn has him b 23 Apr 1887 in Brooks ME. In the 1880 Brooks, Waldo Co ME, census Forest A is with his father, Thomas E (48), & siblings. In 1870 'Leforest' is with his parents, Thomas & Ellen, in Knox, Waldo Co ME. In 1860 Thomas & Ellen are in Knox; in 1850, Thomas is with his parents, Peter & Phebe, in Knox. Peter is VCS # 754. The SFA database confirms that this is the correct Peter Sanborn.

McINTYRE, Marguerite Ardella. Cushing ME – Marguerite A McIntyre, 84, of Cushing, died 4 July 2008 at the Country Manor Nursing Home in Coopers Mills ME. She was born 28 March 1924 in Rockland ME, daughter of **Willard D & Alice E (Wilson) Sanborn**. She lived in Thomaston ME & Cushing for most of her life. She married Kenneth H McIntyre 8 Aug 1942. He died 12 Jul 1995. She was also predeceased by her daughter, Judith McIntyre; brothers Floyd Sanborn, Maynard Sanborn, & Donald Sanborn, and sister Caroline Carter Dyer. Survivors are sons James (Mary) McIntyre of Waldoboro ME, Kenneth W (Lena) McIntyre of Rockland, Robert A McIntyre & Richard S McIntyre, both of Cushing; daughters Alice Feltis of Waldoboro, Deloris (Ernest) Moore of Swanville ME, Patricia Fogg of Warren, & Pamela (Guy) Fogg of Cushing; brothers William (Alice) Sanborn of Waldoboro, Herbert (Marion) Sanborn of Thomaston; sister Doris Bredeau of Waldoboro; grandchildren; great grandchildren. She was buried in Brookland Cemetery, Waldoboro. *Lincoln County News, Damariscotta ME, 10 Jul 2008.* Editor's note: I found Marguerite with her parents in Rockland ME (1930 census); her parents in Rockland in 1920 census. Her father, Willard D, in

Belfast ME in 1900 with his (step?) grandfather Edmund Stevens. Willard D is very likely the son of another Willard D in Jackson ME in 1900 - the latter's wife seems to be Flora E, daughter of Edmund Stevens (see the 1880 Belfast ME census for the Stevens family), but Flora may not be the mother of Willard D junior. The elder Willard D is the son of Daniel & Laura Sanborn of Jackson ME in 1880 & 1870. In 1860 this Daniel is "Daniel Jr" in Monroe ME and simply Daniel in 1850 in Washington ME. I could not identify this Daniel in V C Sanborn.

POND, Madeline B (Fish). Mrs Pond died 20 June 2005. She was the wife of the late Harlow S Pond; and the mother of Thomas T (Julie L) Pond, Richard H S Pond, & Franklin S Pond. *Boston [MA] Globe, 22/23 Jun 2005.* Editor's note: the SSDI gives her birth date as 24 May 1917. The SFA database names her husband as Harlow Sanborn Pond (1914-1992), son of Harvey Tolman Pond (1881-1958) and **Helen Amanda Sanborn** (1882-1961). Helen is # 1483 iii (i) in VCS.

SANBORN, Averill H. West Baldwin ME – Averill H Sanborn, 91, died 8 Aug 2008 in Portland ME. *Portland [ME] Press Herald, 11 Aug 2008.* Editor's note: the SSDI gives the birth date as 23 Feb 1917.

SANBORN, Bettie. Coward SC – Bettie Joe Langston Sanborn, 70, wife of Stephen W Sanborn, died 22 Apr 2008. *Morning News, Florence SC, 25 Apr 2008.* Editor's note: SSDI has her birth date as 11 Oct 1937.

SANBORN, Charles E. Exeter NH – Charles E Sanborn, 83, of Exeter died 13 May 2008 at home. He was born 26 May 1924 in Seabrook NH, son of Guy M & Mabel L (Knowles) Sanborn. He served in the US Army in WWII and later worked for area shoe factories. Survivors are wife of 57 years, Mary A (Ellery) Sanborn of Exeter; daughters Cheryl D McDevitt & Karen L Rowell, both of Exeter, & Betsy L Messina of Berwick ME; 12 grandchildren. 7 great grandchildren. He was predeceased by daughter Patricia M Jones, brother James W Sanborn, & sister Elizabeth Yell. *Foster's Daily Democrat, Dover NH, 14 May 2008.* Editor's note: Charles E is with his parents in Seabrook in 1930. Guy M is there in 1920 with wife Mabel; in 1910 & 1900 in Seabrook, Guy M is with his parents, Charles O & Emma L. Guy M is VCS # 1715i(v). See Charles E's sister, Elizabeth L Yell's, obit below.

SANBORN, Charles Everett Jr. Farmington ME – Charles E Sanborn Jr, 70, of Livermore Falls ME died 3 Jun 2008. He was born 5 Dec 1937 in Farmington, son of Charles E & Dorothy (Gordon) Sanborn Sr. He married Ronnalean Dorey on 4 Jul 1959. He worked for International Paper Co in Otis ME & Androscoggin Mills in Jay ME for 22 years and later at Bath Iron Works. Survivors are wife Ronnie; children Kenneth Sanborn & Laurie Sanborn, both of East Livermore ME, & Michael (Diane) Sanborn of West Gardiner ME; grandchildren



Abbey & Kate Sanborn of Portland, & Dana Gower of Livermore Falls; stepmother Dorothy Sanborn Blakeslee of Lincoln CA; half brothers Randolph (Joyce) Sanborn of Rocklin CA, Richard (Lauri) Sanborn of Tacoma WA, & Elton "Mickey" Powers of Skowhegan ME; foster brothers, Barry Hanson of Canton ME, Garry Hanson of Augusta ME, & Larry Hanson of Turner ME; daughter-in-law Audrey Rowell Sanborn of New Sharon ME. *Sun Journal, Lewiston ME, 4 Jun 2008*. Editor's note: the ME marriage index has the 22 Aug 1936 marriage of Charles E Sanborn [senior] of Canton ME & Dorothy Gordon of Farmington ME. In the 1930 Canton ME census, Charles E Sanborn is with his father George L Sanborn (52, widower). In 1920, they are in Livermore ME, with George L listed as Lester G, widower. Lester G (b Oct 1876) is with his parents, Granville & Hannah A Sanborne [sic] in Readfield ME in 1900. Granville is VCS # 1775iv.

SANBORN, Christopher Scott. Christopher S Sanborn, 23, of Lakeville MN, died 22 May 2008 in St Cloud MN. He was born 17 May 1985 in St Cloud. He attended Riverland Community College, Austin MN, & St Cloud State University. He enjoyed basketball as a player, camp counselor, & coach. Survivors are his parents, Bernie & Liz Sanborn; sister Jennifer; brother Nicholas; grandparents Ernie & Helen Sanborn & Malcolm & June Tweten; aunts & uncles Steve (Eileen) Sanborn, Theresa (Greg) Hanenburg; Ernie (Jill) Sanborn; 26 first cousins. He was predeceased by uncles David & Tommy Sanborn. *Star Tribune, Minneapolis MN, 25 May 2008*.

SANBORN, David T. David T Sanborn, 43, of Princeton MN, died at home 7 Mar 2008. He is survived by his parents, Ernest & Helen; his life partner, Vivian Sether of Princeton; brothers Steve (Eileen) Sanborn of Blaine MN, Bernie (Liz) Sanborn of Lakeville MN, Ernie (Jill) Sanborn Jr of Crown Point IN; sister Theresa (Greg) Hanenburg of Zimmerman MN; aunt Arlene Sanborn. Burial was in St Edward's Catholic Cemetery, Princeton MN. *Star Tribune, Minneapolis MN, 11 Mar 2008*. Editor's note: the SSDI has the birth date of David Thomas Sanborn as 21 Feb 1965.

SANBORN, Derek M A. St Louis MO – Derek Michael Allan Sanborn, 23, of St Louis, died in St Louis 11 Jun 2008. *State Journal-Register, Springfield IL, 25 Jun 2008*. Editor's note: the SSDI has his birth date as 15 Mar 1985.

SANBORN, Donald Edward. Donald E Sanborn of Columbus OH died 8 Jul 2008 at his residence in German Village. He attended the ARC South Workshop in Groveport OH. He is survived by mother LaDonna Sanborn of Canal Winchester OH; sister Susan (Kent) Turner of Bradenton FL; brother Monte (Janet) Sanborn of Carroll OH. He was predeceased by father George Sanborn. He was buried in Athens Memory Gardens, Athens OH. *Columbus [OH] Dispatch, 10 Jul 2008*.

SANBORN, Dorothy (Chapell). Dorothy C Sanborn, 88, died 4 Jun 2008 at Sutter Auburn Faith Hospital, Auburn CA.

She was born 26 Apr 1920 in Nashville TN and had moved to TX in the early 1930s. She earned her bachelor's degree from what is now the Univ of TX at El Paso. After her husband, Richard Sanborn, had been drafted, Dorothy joined the WAVES during WWII and served at Barin Field Naval Air Training Base, Pensacola FL. After the war she earned a master's degree in librarianship at Vanderbilt Univ and worked in several libraries in TX, HI, & CA. She was the longest serving Placer County Librarian, serving 1966-89. After retiring at 69, she joined the Peace Corps and taught English in Thailand for 2 years. Her husband died in 1986; he had been an instructor in Folsom State Prison. She was also predeceased by brother, William Chappell, and son, William Sanborn. Survivors are son, Richard Sanborn Jr; sister Sally Thonson. *Auburn [CA] Journal, 25 Jun 2008*.

SANBORN, Dorothy M (Ray). Norfolk MA – Dorothy M Sanborn, 74, of Norfolk, died 28 Sep 2008. She was the widow of Harry L Sanborn Jr. Survivors are her children, H David Sanborn & Theresa Lynn Sanborn, both of Norfolk; siblings, Charles E Ray & Lillian E Ray, both of Norfolk. Predeceased by daughter Mary Sanborn. She was buried in Norfolk Cemetery. *Boston [MA] Globe, 30 Sep 2008*. Editor's note: her husband's father was probably the Harry L Sanborn in Arlington MA in 1930, born in MA in 1896 (MA vital records), son of Byron F Sanborn, who is VCS # 1400 ii. The obit of Harry L Sanborn Jr was in *Sanborn Signatures* Spring 2005 issue.

SANBORN, Dorothy Virginia. Dorothy V Sanborn, 83, a lifelong resident of MI, died 3 Nov 2008. She had lived with her daughter in MS for the past 3 years. Predeceased by husband Leslie "Jack" Sanborn. Survivors are: daughters Kay (Jesse) Harvey of Union MS & Kari (Brian) Dylhoff of Kalamazoo MI; sons Brian (Sue) Sanborn of Midland MI & Bruce (Laura) Sanborn of Rock Lake NC; sisters Betty Ranger of Barton City MI & Mary Varner of Swartz Creek MI; grandchildren, John, Valyrie, Jahred, & Sean; great grandchildren. *Flint [MI] Journal, 6 Nov 2008*. Editor's note: her husband's obit is in *Sanborn Signatures* Fall 2005 issue with his ancestry.

SANBORN, Edith K W. Portland ME – Edith (Klewiada) Waldron Sanborn, 88, died 9 Apr 2008 at Cedars Rehabilitation Center. She was born in Ipswich MA 20 Apr 1919. She served on the board of managers at Seventy-five State Street & the board of directors of the Eunice Frye Home. She was predeceased by her parents, Joseph & Kazmiera Klewiada; sister Mary Krylowitz; brothers John & Edward Klewiada; first husband, George H Waldron Jr. Survivors are her husband, Oakley R Sanborn; daughters Nancy Waldron Elting & Susan Waldron Shelton; stepdaughter, Beth Sanborn Burrage; grandchildren Amy & Lori Shelton, David & Stephen Elting, & Deborah Elting Schott; 5 great grandchildren. Burial was in Brooklawn Memorial Park, Portland. *Portland [ME] Press Herald, 11-12 Apr 2008*. Editor's note: her husband, Oakley R Sanborn, may be the Robert O Sanborn in the Portland 1930 & 1920 census



with his parents, Howard & Florence. This Howard is the Howard Atherton Sanborn (WWI Draft Registration) who is VCS # 1063 iii.

SANBORN, Edna. Edna Sanborn died 12 July 1961 in Kansas city MO. She & her family had lived in Tonawanda NY for many years and she had taught in Tonawanda & Buffalo schools. Edna & her late sister, Marjorie, had moved to Kansas City after Marjorie had married Charles Koeim. *Tonawanda [NY] News, 14 Jul 1961*. Editor's note: Edna C Sanborn was living in North Tonawanda in 1930, teaching in public schools. She is with her mother & siblings in No Tonawanda in 1910; & in 1900 with her parents, Jeremiah S (b OH 1842, lumberman) & Mary J (b NY 1851), in No Tonawanda. "J.S. Sanborn" (b OH, lumber dealer) & wife Mary are in Oswego NY in 1880. In 1870 Jeremiah (27, lumber measurer, b OH) is also in Oswego. In 1860 in Minden NY, as 'Sanburn', he is with his mother, 'Mrs', (her name, Maria, is given in the 1870 Minden census). In the 1880 census she is Maria Peeler (her maiden name), with her daughter Ann (Sanborn) Van Etta, in Minden. The USGENWEB for Montgomery Co NY gives the marriage of Maria Peeler & Reuben W Sanborn in 1838. Reuben is VCS # 632 i.

SANBORN, Edwin. Englewood CO – Edwin Sanborn died 10 May 2008; he was born 11 Nov 1917. *Denver [CO] Post [online], 13 May 2008*. Editor's note: he is probably the Edwin A Sanborn with his parents, Edwin Arthur & Mattie C Sanborn, in Jefferson CO in the 1930 & 1920 censuses. The elder Edwin A Sanborn is with his parents, William R & Ellen C, in Jefferson in 1910 & 1900. William R is with his father, George L [as G.L.], in Denver in 1880; and George is with wife, Marian, in Arapahoe Co CO in 1870. George is # 1013 in VCS.

SANBORN, Gary W. Marshfield MA – Gary W Sanborn died 20 May when he was hit by a car while riding his bicycle. He was 60, the son of Helen Sanborn of Marshfield & the late Raymond Sanborn. He was born in Scituate MA and was a Vietnam vet & worked as a painter and carpenter. Survivors include his mother, Helen; sister Marilyn Sanborn of Cape Cod; 4 other siblings; 4 children; several grandchildren. *Patriot Ledger, Quincy MA, 28 Apr 2008, & an article on 24 Apr 2008*.

SANBORN, George B Jr. George B Sanborn Jr, 73, of Big Spring TX died 20 May 2008 in a local nursing home. Survivors are wife Lyda May Sanborn; daughters Alma Walker & Wanda King; son Jack Birdwell, all of Big Spring. Burial was in Trinity Memorial Park. *Midland [TX] Reporter-Telegram, 21? May 2008*. Editor's note: SSDI has his birth date as 7 Aug 1934.

SANBORN, George M. George M Sanborn, 77, of North Reading MA, formerly of Boston, died 15 Mar 2008. He was a US Navy veteran, Librarian for the MA State Transportation Library, & worked for the MBTA for 37 years. Son of Frank M & Margaret M (Nisbet) Sanborn; adopted son of Ethel B Sanborn. Survivors are co-guardians Jeffrey (Carol) Sisson of

West Roxbury MA & Marie (Lester) Stephenson of North Reading. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery, North Reading. *Boston [MA] Globe, 18-19 Mar 2008*. Editor's note: see *Sanborn Signatures* of Fall 2005, p 10, for a brief note about an accident & stroke he'd had earlier in 2005. George's parents, Frank M Sanborn & Margaret M Nisbet, were married in ME 9 Jun 1928 (ME marriages), & were living in Kennebunk ME in 1930. In 1920 & 1910 Frank was with his parents, Walter K & Addie Sanborn, in Kennebunk. Walter K is VCS # 1655iv. The SSDI has his birth date as 20 Feb 1931.

SANBORN, Gordon D. Bountiful UT – Gordon Dixon Sanborn, 79, died 6 Aug 2008 in Bountiful. He was born in Laconia NH 29 Nov 1928, son of Hobart D Sanborn & Erma A Austin. He was a programmer & systems analyst with computer systems, including the Project Mercury Space Program. He was in the US Navy during the Korean War. He married Dorothy Louise "Dotty" Spielman 28 Nov 1953. She survives as well as daughter Karen; sons Kevin & Roderick; brothers Malcolm, Russell, & Laurence; 13 grandchildren; 2 great granddaughters. He was predeceased by sons Richard & Christopher. He was buried in Bountiful City Cemetery. *Hagerstown [MD] Herald-Mail, 10 Aug 2008*. Editor's note: Gordon is with his parents, Hobart & Erma in Laconia in 1930. Hobart is with his parents, Archie B & Stella L, in Laconia in 1920, in 1910, & in 1900. Archie B is with his parents, John Y & Laura A, in Sanbornton in 1880. John & Laura are in Laconia in 1870. John Y is with his parents, Wm C & Mary in New Hampton in 1860 & 1850. John Y is VCS # 869 iii.

SANBORN, Grace B. Titusville FL – Grace B Sanborn died at home 29 Aug 2008. She was born in Westford MA and moved to Brevard County FL in 1955. She had been Clerk of the Circuit Court in Titusville. Predeceased by husband, David O Sanborn. Survived by children, Gail Johnson, David O Sanborn Jr, Dale Hasert, Carol Atchison, & Kim Haynes; 9 grandchildren; 1 great grandson. *Florida Today, Melbourne FL, 3 Sep 2008*. Editor's note: The SSDI gives her birth date as 8 Dec 1930. Grace's husband was David O Sanborn whose dates are 9 Jun 1929 - 18 Oct 2000. In 1930 he is with his parents, Frank & Elinor Sanborn, in Cheektowago NY. In 1920 Frank K is with his parents, Charles F & M Blandina Sanborn, in Watertown MA. In 1900 Charles F (b Apr 1876) is in Somerville MA with 2 siblings and his widowed father, Charles A Sanborn (b ME Nov 1843). In 1880 in Cambridge MA, Charles A is with his wife, Lucy M, and 3 sons, including Charles F. The online MA marriage record of Charles A Jr & Lucy M give his birthplace as Limerick ME & his parents' names as Charles A & Phebe. Charles A Jr in 1870 is single, age 27, in Cambridge. In 1860 Cambridge, he is with 2 siblings and his father, also Charles (38, a butcher, b ME), and step mother. In 1850 Charles Jr is with his parents, Charles Sr & Phebe, in Limerick ME. Charles A Sr is VCS # 1140 iii; Charles A Jr is 1140 iii (i).



SANBORN, Harold Mudgett. South Portland ME – Harold M Sanborn, 89, died 22 Feb 2008 at the Veterans Nursing Home in Scarborough ME. He was born in Portland ME, son of Oliver T & Mildred Sanborn. Oliver T Sanborn was the longest presiding Fire Dept Chief that Portland ME has had. He married Lillian Shapland Uhas in 1970. Harold served in the US Army in WWII and became involved with the Veteran's Administration as a Veteran's Counselor for more than ten years. In the 1960s & 70s he was the bookkeeper of the Hews Body Company in South Portland. Survivors are his wife; stepsons Michael (Gretchen) Uhas of Lyndeborough NH, John (Kim) Uhas of Atlanta GA, & Andrew (Mary Jane) Uhas of Baldwin ME. He was predeceased by daughter Elaine True Burton-Gray of Cape Elizabeth ME in 2006; siblings Herbert of NYC, Oliver T Jr in WWII, Harrison of LaVerne CA, Eleanor Sanborn. He was buried in ME Veteran's Cemetery. *Portland [ME] Press Herald, 26 Feb 2008.* Editor's note: the SSDI has his birth date as 3 July 1918. He is with his parents in the 1930 & 1920 Portland censuses. According to the ME death index Oliver T died 17 Mar 1988 in Portland, aged 99. His WWI draft registration gives his birth date as 28 Jul 1888 in Portland. Oliver T is with his mother, Elizabeth S Sanborn (widow, born Jan 1860), in the household of Elizabeth's mother & stepfather, Sarah & Samuel Pierce in 1900 Portland. I have not found Elizabeth's Sanborn husband, but she was apparently born Lizzie S Pennell, daughter of George W & Sarah D Pennell - see 1860 Portland census; she was with the Samuel & Sarah Pierce family in 1870 & 1880 in Portland.

SANBORN, Harry. Dover NH – Harry Sanborn, 65, died 18 May 2008; he was born in Laconia NH 9 Sep 1943. He served in the US Navy and worked as a master electrician in Las Vegas and recently in the NH seacoast area. He was predeceased by his parents, Irene Dutton & Harry Sanborn, and stepmother Ruth Sanborn & stepsister Nancy Young. Survivors are sons Kevin (Louanne) of Granbury TX & Ronald also of Granbury; sister Susan (Del) Record of Rye NH; grandchildren Brittany, Brent, & Brooke. *Seacoastonline.com, 21 May 2008.*

SANBORN, Helen Louise. Helen Louise (Stanley) Sanborn, 90, died 27 Jul 2008. She was born in Pontiac MI 21 Apr 1918 and had resided in Barnes Lake in Columbiaville MI since 1945. She was buried in Kingston Cemetery. *Flint [MI] Journal 29 Jul 2008.*

SANBORN, Helen M. Marshfield MA – Helen M Sanborn, 84, of Marshfield, died 3 Nov 2008. Predeceased by husband George, son Gary W Sanborn, sisters Gwendolyn MacDonald & Sylvia E Fenton. Survivors: children Raymond D Sanborn Sr of Pembroke MA, Ronald Jerry Sanborn of Scituate MA, Rev Marilyn J Sanborn of Marshfield, Darlene L Kelley of New Bedford MA, & John D Kelley II of Revere; 17 grandchildren; 17 great grandchildren. Burial was in St Marys Cemetery, Scituate. *Patriot Ledger, Quincy MA, 10 Nov 2008.*

SANBORN, James Lewis. West Bath ME – Jimmy Sanborn, 68, died 3 Oct 2008. He was born in Bath ME 26 Nov 1941, son of John Lewis & Doris Reed (McKay) Sanborn. He served in the US Navy for several years in the early 1960s; was the 1st licensed EMT in ME; an 18 year member of the Bath Fire Dept; and worked in plumbing & heating for 40 years, including owning Jimmy's Plumbing & Heating. Survivors are wife Ellen (Low) Sanborn; brothers Robert B (Lucinda) Sanborn of Boothbay Harbor ME, Pastor J Michael (Lois) Sanborn of Charlestown NH, & Dr Donald (Joan) Stackhouse of Jackson NH; sister Ellen M (Jeffrey) Parker of Bath; stepchildren John (Tammy) Doran & Peter (Benita) Doran, both of West Bath. *Times Record, Brunswick ME, 6 Oct 2008.* Editor's note: his father's obit is in the Fall 1992 *Sanborn Signatures* and his 2 marriages found online at ME Marriages - to Doris R McKay on 26 Jan 1935 and to Marion E Farley on 8 Feb 1930. This John L Sanborn is in Waterville ME in 1930; in 1920 in Belfast ME with his aunt, altho his father, Lewis, & grandmother, Ella, are next door. This Lewis, born 1879, is with his mother in Guilford ME in 1900. Lewis is VCS # 570 vi (iii). A submitter to Elmer Sanborn's book noted that James Lewis Sanborn (b 1941) had 3 children by his 1st wife, Marion: daughter Christine Ann, her twin brother who died at birth, & John Lewis Sanborn.

SANBORN, Jane A. Jane A (Goodwin) Sanborn, 92, of Marblehead MA, died 23 Mar 1994. She was born in Marblehead, daughter of Elbridge & Clare P (Thorner) Goodwin. Predeceased by her husband, Edgar L Sanborn. She is survived by daughter, Patricia A (Clinton) Hutchinson of Marblehead; niece Ruth Ruddock of Huntington NY; 5 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren. *Marblehead/Swampscott [MA] Reporter, 31 Mar 1994.* Editor's note: Edgar L Sanborn & Jane are with her parents in 1930 Marblehead; he's with his parents Burt W & Grace A in Marblehead in 1920 & in 1910. Burt's marriage in 1900 Marblehead gave his parents as James O & Emma E. Bert W is VCS # 1277 v (i). That makes Edgar a 1st cousin of Carolyn (Sanborn) Russell; see the Ayott obit above. Jane Sanborn's daughter, Patricia Hutchinson's, obit is above.

SANBORN, John E. John E Sanborn, 93, of Manchester NH died 7 Oct 2008 at the Veteran Affairs Medical Center. He was born in Exeter NH 13 Nov 1914, son of Arthur & Anne (Dow) Sanborn. He lived in Amesbury MA most of his life, moving to Manchester in 2000. He served in the US Army in WWII. After the war he worked 32 years as a sheet metal mechanic at Portsmouth [NH] Naval Ship Yard. He was married to Frances (Wilcox) Sanborn who died 14 Feb 1995. Survivors are daughter Judy Ferrer of Manchester; son John Sanborn; 1 granddaughter; 2 great grandchildren; sister Mabel Brown of Raymond NH. He was buried in the NH State Veterans Cemetery, Boscawen NH. *Legacy.com online obits.* Editor's note: this was a difficult research project but



the following seems to fit. John E is with his parents, Arthur W & Julia A, in Amesbury in 1930 & 1920. In 1910 Arthur W & Julia A are in Kensington NH & her mother, Almira B Dow, is with them. The MA vital records for Arthur's birth, 23 Apr 1874 in Haverhill MA, name his parents as John S Sanborn & Julia Whittier. Birth records of Arthur's siblings note John was born in Parsonsfield ME & Julia in Cornville ME. John & Julia's marriage record (1872 in Lawrence or Haverhill MA) gives his parents as Luther & Sophronia. John, Julia, Arthur, & siblings were in Bradford MA in 1880. The John that fits in the 1860 census is in Newfield ME - but the Post Office is given as Parsonsfield - son of Luther & 'Safrona'. In the 1850 census of Parsonsfield, Luther, Saphrona & John are one family; in the same house is Comfort Sanborn (49) &, presumably, her daughters, Mary (18), Sarah (15), Jesse (14), & Abigail (11). An Ancestry.com pedigree names Luther's parents as a Stephen Sanborn & Comfort Nelson. Stephen would be VCS # 327 v. Another pedigree gives more details about John. In addition, MA vital records show a second marriage for John. After John's wife, Julia, died in 1900, John married a Martha Sanborn in Lynn MA in 1906. Martha is VCS # 658 v.

SANBORN, John E Jr. Milwaukee WI – John E Sanborn Jr died 15 Mar 2008, age 77. Survivors are daughters Bethany (Mark Whitney) Sanborn, Stephany Sanborn, Katrinka (Douglas) Haynes, & Melany (Robert) Satnan; grandchildren Zachary & Alaina Haynes, Hannah & Charles Satnan. Burial was in Southern Wisconsin Veterans Memorial Cemetery, Union Grove WI. *Milwaukee [WI] Journal Sentinel*, 16 Mar 2008. Editor's note: the SSDI gives his birth date as 9 Mar 1931. Since it made sense that his father was John E Sr, the 1930 Milwaukee census does have a John E & wife Ruby, ages 29 & 25. The WI death index has him dying 9 Aug 1994, last residence Milwaukee; the SSDI gives his birth date as 8 May 1901; & the WI birth index has his birth in Columbia Co on 8 May 1901. The WI 1905 state census for Pardeeville, Columbia Co, has John E [Sr] with parents John (38, b WI, parents b NH) & Emma (37, b WI, & parents b Canada & Ireland) & other siblings. In 1900 his parents are in Packwaukee, Marquette Co, with his mother-in-law, Jane Smith (b 1828, widow, b Ireland). In the 1880 census for Wyocena, Columbia Co, John, b 1866, is with his parents, Quintus C & Abby Sanborn. Quintus is V C Sanborn # 907.

SANBORN, John H. Jack Sanborn of Tucson died 29 Aug 2008. He was born 17 May 1917 in Newark NJ. He served in the US Navy and then moved to Tucson where he worked as an accountant with the Veteran's Hospital. Nephews Todd H (Frances) Langley of Phoenix & Robert N Traficanti of Tucson survive him. Niece Susan Traficanti predeceased him. *Arizona Daily Star & the Tucson Citizen*, Tucson AZ, 9 Sep 2008. Editor's note: Jack is with his parents in the 1920 census in

South Orange NJ - Fred M Sanborn (40, b NJ, supt of a celluloid factory) & Ethel M. Fred is VCS # 1571 iv.

SANBORN, Kevin K. Decatur IL – Kevin K Sanborn, 48, died at home in Decatur 29 Oct 2008. He was born in Rockford IL 24 Aug 1960, son of Rodney L Spring & Donna Sanborn. Predeceased by his father and grandparents, Kenneth & Fern D Sanborn. Survivors include his companion of 24 years, Larry Christensen of Decatur; his mother, Donna (& husband William P) Anderson of Rockford; siblings, Troy T (Margaret) Heinzeroth of Chicago IL & Adam A (Kelly) Heinzeroth of Davis IL. Burial was in Oak Ridge Cemetery. *Decatur [IL] Herald & Review* & also *State Journal Register, Springfield IL*, 31 Oct 2008. Editor's note: his grandmother, Fern Sanborn's obit, in the Rockford [IL] Register Star of 10 Oct 2004, noted she married Kenneth K Sanborn in Lincoln NE 9 July 1939 & that she had been born in Hallam NE in 1910. A quite probable Kenneth is the son, age 11, of Clifford W & Etta in Bethany NE in 1920; & in Lincoln NE in 1930. Clifford (b Mar 1872) & Etta are in Richland NE in 1910 & 1900. In 1880 Clifford W is with his parents, E E (47, b NH) & Carrie B (40, b NH), in Richland. The latter, as E E (38, tinner) & C (31), are in Council Bluffs IA in 1870 (indexed as 'Landburn'). E E turns out to be Ezra Edmunds Sanborn, VCS # 366 v.

SANBORN, Kirk Michael. Huntsville AR – Kirk M "Cajun" Sanborn, 50, died 22 Feb 2008 at Washington Regional Medical Center, Fayetteville AR. He was born 11 Dec 1957 in San Fernando CA, son of Charles Edward Sanborn & Shirley Mae Dufresne. He attended Nicholls State University & was vice president of Ozark Sanitation. Survivors are wife, Carrie Lee Riker Sanborn, son Christopher Lee Sanborn, daughter Jessica Lynn Sanborn, all of Huntsville; parents, Charles & Shirley Sanborn of La Rosa LA; brother, Keith E Sanborn of Houston TX; sister Stefanie Barrios of Lockport LA. *Morning News, Fayetteville AR*, 26 Feb 2008.

SANBORN, Louise Joanne. Springfield MA – Louise J Sanborn, 67, of Springfield, died at home 23 Jun 2008. She was born in 1940, daughter of Gino & Greta Vescovi, of Southampton MA. Survivors are husband of 40 years, Paul Dean Sanborn; children Richard (Denise) Morris, Carey Morris, & Jeffrey (Lisa) Morris; 7 grandchildren; 1 great grandson; sister Josephine Swartz; brother Thomas Vescovi. *The Republican, Springfield MA*, 26 Jun 2008. Editor's note: the SSDI gives her birth date as 19 Aug 1940.

SANBORN, Mark R. Streamwood IL – Survivors are wife, Kathy (Boyd) Sanborn; children Nicole (Anthony) Mikos, Christopher (Valerie Baker) & Kathryn (Heather Wood) Boyd; granddaughter Gracie; parents Phillip & Rose (Hehn) Sanborn; sisters Diana (Nick) Awad & Lisa (John) LoGiudice. *Chicago [IL] Tribune*, 11 Feb 2008.



SANBORN, Mildred I. Aurora CO – Mildred Imogene Sanborn, 96, formerly of Hutchinson KS & Salina KS, died 3 Jul 2008. She was born 5 Feb 1912 in Makanda IL, daughter of Wm & Chiola Rowan Parmley. She married Wm R Sanborn in Minot ND on 14 Apr 1928. She was predeceased by her husband; sons David W Sanborn & Wm R Sanborn II; brothers Leon, Leslie, & Glen Parmley; sisters Faith Reichenberger & Zola Huff. Survivors are son L L (Barbara J) Sanborn of Hutchinson; daughters Joyce (John) Ditto of Port Isabel TX, Linda K (Michael Morphy) Vance, of Ipswich, England, & Carol S Sanborn of Aurora CO; daughter in law Barbara L Sanborn of Salina; 10 grandchildren; 13 great grandchildren. *Hutchinson [KS] News*, 10 Jul 2008. Editor's note: Mildred & her husband are in Salina KS in 1930. Wm, & several siblings or cousins, is with his grandmother, Anna Sanborn, in Greeley KS in 1920; Wm is with his parents, David E & Martha E, in Greeley in 1910. David E is with his mother, Anna, in Greeley in 1900; with his parents John & Anna in Greeley 1880 & in Elm Creek KS in 1870; nearby in 1870 is John's father, Lorenzo Sanborn. The SFA database has Lorenzo's father as Levi H (1783-1855) and Levi's father as Paul A Sanborn, VCS # 321.

SANBORN, Myron L. Jay ME – Mike Sanborn, 80, formerly of Fryeburg & Bridgton ME, died 16 Apr 2008. He was born 13 Jun 1927, 10th child of Frank & Nellie (Brown) Sanborn. He worked as a test processor for 31 years at Southworth Machine, Portland ME. Survivors are his wife of 59 years, Elaine (Hartford) Sanborn of Jay; daughter Linda Sargent of Oxford ME; sons Gerald (Cisco) Sanborn of Harrison ME, Steven Sanborn of Jay, & David Sanborn of Bridgton; sister, Bertha Richardson of Bridgton; 10 grandchildren; 12 great grandchildren. Predeceased by brothers, Earl, Ernest, Elwyn, Raymond, Lawrence, Bernard; sisters Alice Straton & Frances Richardson. Burial was in Pleasant Ridge Cemetery, Hiram ME. *Portland [ME] Press Herald*, 19 Apr 2008. Editor's note: Myron is in Baldwin ME in 1930 with his parents & siblings. In 1920 Frank & Nellie are in Sebago ME. In 1910, Nellie is with her eldest son with her parents in Sebago ME. In 1900 Frank (b Feb 1885) is with his parents Fred H & Elsie in Sebago. In 1880 Fred H is in Bridgton ME and in 1870 he is with his parents, Amos M & Dorcas Sanborn in Denmark ME. Amos is VCS # 878ii.

SANBORN, Paul Joseph. Paul J Sanborn was born 9 Nov 2003 in Jerome ID, son of Laura & Aaron Mitchell. He died of cancer 15 Jun 2008. Survivors are his parents, of Twin Falls ID; brother James Mitchell; sister Virginia St Jean; maternal grandparents, Jeffrey & Nannette Sanborn of Twin Falls; paternal grandparents, George & Linda Mitchell of Nampa ID & Mary Holcomb of TN; great grandmother Jacquie Rosenberg of UT. Predeceased by great grandparents Lahlia Shirley & Paul Joseph Sanborn. *Times-News, Twin Falls ID*, 20 Jun 2008. Editor's note: he was a grand nephew of SFA member Paulette Nordahl

and a descendant of Matthew P Sanborn, VCS # 185i. The latter's descendants were described in *Sanborn Signatures* articles in the Fall 2006 & Spring 2007 issues.

SANBORN, Richard Dale. Richard D Sanborn, 76, died 5 Aug 2008. He was a US Army veteran of the Korean War. Survivors are wife Ann; children David (Carmela), Peter, JoAnn, Nancy (Charles); sister Rosemary; grandchildren Diana & Brian. Predeceased by son Robert (Michelle). Burial was in the Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery. *Chicago [IL] Tribune*, 7 Aug 2008

SANBORN, Richard Frederick. Havana FL – Richard F Sanborn, 77, of Havana, formerly of San Diego CA, died 25 Jun 2008. Survivors are sons Richard Sanborn of Havana & Kenneth R Herndon of Turlock CA; daughter Sherly L Hallmark of Kingsland TX; 5 grandchildren. *Tallahassee [FL] Democrat*, 27 Jun 2008. Editor's note: the SSDI gives his birth date as 6 Sep 1930.

SANBORN, Ruth C. Celebration FL – Ruth Cummings Sanborn, 91, died at home 14 Sep 2008. Born in Bradford NH, daughter of Lloyd & Dorothy (Smith) Cummings, for 68 years she was the wife of the Rev Arthayer R Sanborn Jr - whose obituary was in the Spring 2008 issue of *Sanborn Signatures*. She devoted her life to education as teacher & mentor; she contributed to many professional & religious publications. After retirement she opened a craft store in Indialantaic FL and played the organ for various church services. Survivors include children Peter R Sanborn of Melbourne FL, Stephen B Sanborn of White Deer TX, Phillip L Sanborn of Reading MA, & Ann E Bach of West Melbourne FL; 9 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren. *Florida Today, Melbourne FL*, 21 Sep 2008.

SANBORN, Suzanne G. Suzanne G Sanborn died 18 Mar 2008, daughter of the late Louis & Eleanor (Holmgren) Yannone. Survivors are daughter Dawn Sorden & grandchildren, Caleb & Elyse. *Journal Inquirer, Vernon CT*, 26-31 Mar 2008. Editor's note: the SSDI gives her birth date as 26 Jul 1949.

SANBORN, Teckla A. Teckla A Sanborn, 89, of Eden Prairie. *Star Tribune, Minneapolis MN*, 10 Jul 2008. Editor's note: the SSDI states Teckla Anastasia Sanborn was born 11 Mar 1919 & died 8 Jul 2008. The MN Divorce index: Teckla A Sanborn (b about 1919) & Clifford L Sanborn (b about 1916) divorced 3 Jul 1974 in Wilken Co MN. He may be the Clifford Sanborn, age 14, in the Wahpeton ND 1930 census with parents Thomas (45, b MN) & Marie (38, b MI); in 1920 they are in Breckenridge, Wilken Co MN. Thomas is in the WWI draft registration as born 4 May 1882 with full name Thomas Harvey Sanborn, wife Marie, living in Breckenridge. In 1910 he is a roomer in Breckenridge; in 1900 he is a servant in Dayton MN.

SANBORN, Warren C. Faribault MN – Warren C Sanborn,



85, of Faribault, died 7 Sep 2008 at home. He was born in Cannon City MN 10 Aug 1923, son of Oscar E & Agnes (Strunk) Sanborn. He served in the US Army and married Virginia L Iverson 20 Aug 1950 in Faribault and worked for the MN Highway Dept construction division for 41 years. Survivors are wife Virginia of Faribault; children Lynn Sanborn, Bruce (Doreen) Sanborn, Joann, all of Faribault, Carol Sanborn of Northfield MN, & Marlene (Joel) Rindal of Greensboro NC; grandchildren Jason, Stacy & Bryan Sanborn, Madelyn, Matthew, Jack, Sam Rindal; great grandchildren Lexi & Logan Sanborn. He was predeceased by parents & brothers Harry, Walter, Morris & Freeman Sanborn. *Star Tribune, Minneapolis MN, 9 Sep 2008*. Editor's note: Oscar & Agnes Sanborn are in Cannon & Faribault in 1910-30. Oscar is with his parents in Cannon in 1900 & 1880, Everett & Lizette Sanborn. Everett is VCS # 1458 ii.

SANBORN, Wilson T. Wilson T Sanborn, 71, died at home in Londonderry NH on 22 Jan 1987; he had previously lived in Lynn MA. He was born in Lynn, son of Belle (Taylor) Sanborn of Nahant. He had lived in Londonderry for 41 years and was a graduate of Oberlin College. He had worked many years for the Lowell Gas Co and recently worked as a real estate agent. He was predeceased by wife, Marie (Allen) Sanborn. Survived by his mother & his sister, Geraldine Barr, of Swampscott. *Marblehead/Swampscott [MA] Reporter, 5 Jan 1987*. Editor's note: Wilson T is with his parents, George W & Belle T in the Lynn 1930 & 1920 censuses. George W is with his parents, Amos R & Mamie in Lynn in the 1910 & 1900 censuses. VCS has Amos R as # 1508 iii and George as # 1508 iii (i), tho as George "M". The MA online Births Index has George Wilson Sanborn born in Lynn in 1891, vol 412, p 410, although the image is not currently available online.

SANBORN-STOWELL, Holly L. South Paris ME – Holly L Sanborn-Stowell, 58, of South Paris, died 21 Jun 2008 at the ME Veterans Home in South Paris. She was born 6 Jan 1950 at Rumford Community Hospital, daughter of B Sandra (Zukas) & Arthur Sanborn. She married David P Stowell in Bridgton ME on 28 Jun 1975. They resided in Norway ME 1978-86 & moved to South Paris in 1986. She is survived by husband David and was predeceased by her parents & brother Tim. Burial was in Lakeside Cemetery, Bryant Pond ME. *The Advertiser Democrat, Norway ME, 26 Jun 2008*. Editor's note: ME marriage index has marriage of Bertha S Zukas & Charles A Sanborn on 1 Mar 1940. The WWII enlistment index has Charles A Sanborn born 1915. The 1920 Newport ME census has Charles A the son of John F (30) & E Pearle (26), age 5; household includes John F's father, George A (58, widower). George can be traced back in the 1910 Newport census, the 1900 & 1880 Etna ME censuses; in 1870 George A is with his father, Joel A, & Joel's parents, Bradbury & Rhoda. George A is # 1271i in VCS.

SANBURN, Wesley E. Hutchinson KS – Wes Sanburn, 40, died 2 May 2008 at Hutchinson Hospital, Hutchinson, and was buried in Penwell-Gabel Cemetery. He was born 3 Nov 1967 in Wellington KS, son of Gerald & Merna (Goodrick) Sanburn. He worked at The Board Foot, Hutchinson. He married Jennifer Adams 30 Jun 1990. Survivors were son Andrew; mother Merna; companion Kimberly Stubby; brother Joel. *Wichita [KS] Eagle, May 2008 & hutchnews.com 3 May 2008 of Hutchinson KS*.

WALSETH, Erling Sanborn. Erling S Walseth, 95, died 25 Apr 2008 in Wynnewood PA. He was born 21 Feb 1913 in Clear Lake SD. He was the second of 4 sons of Einer Einerson & Grace Helen (Sanborn) Walseth. He earned an engineering degree at SD State Univ in Brookings SD and a master's degree in civil engineering at Cal Tech in Pasadena CA. He worked at Lockheed & then spent more than 30 years at Mobil Oil. During WWII he was in the Army Corps of Engineers, stationed in the South Pacific. During his career he worked in CA, WY, OK, & KS finally retiring as District Superintendent based in Casper WY. He was predeceased by his wife, Ruth Irene (Woolworth) Walseth, & his brother, Tracy Sanborn Walseth [see the Spring issue of Sanborn Signatures]; great grandson Liam Purcell. Survivors include his children, William David Walseth of Laramie WY & Joan Walseth Purcell of Bala Cynwyd PA; grandchildren Erin Purcell Hughes, Francis Jerome Purcell, III, & Andrew Walseth Purcell; great grandchildren Vivienne Hughes, Ruby Hughes, Dermot Purcell, & Wren Purcell; brothers Harvey Sanborn Walseth of San Diego CA & Curtis Sanborn Walseth of Vancouver WA. *Clear Lake [SD] Courier, 30 Apr 2008*. Editor's note: his mother, Grace, is V C Sanborn # 2041.

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Albert W, b 10 Mar 1923, d 20 Feb 2008, res Altadena CA
 Arthur F, b 30 Oct 1930, d 7 May 2008, res Palm Bay FL
 Audrey C, b 12 Mar 1927, d 9 Jun 2008, res Newport VT
 Emma L, b 12 Oct 1932, d 4 Jun 2008, res Bethel OH
 Erminie D, b 11 Sep 1920, d 27 Feb 2008, res Linwood NJ
 Jon A, b 25 Aug 1937, d 25 June 2008, res Hilliard OH
 Larry K, b 27 Nov 1950, d 22 Feb 2008, res Orlando FL
 Lee R, b 1 Sep 1925, d 7 May 2008, res Cambridge MA
 Mary T, b 20 Oct 1924, d 29 Mar 2008, res Gasquet CA
 Mildred R, b 3 Aug 1920, d 26 May 2008, res Orlando FL
 Nancy L, b 20 Oct 1948, d 21 Mar 2008, res Denver CO
 Robert B, b 21 Dec 1934, d 4 May 2008, res Harbor City CA
 Ruby R, b 19 Apr 1918, d 22 Apr 2008, res Sparta WI
 Scott Anthony, b 10 Feb 1965, d 4 Apr 2008, res West Ossipee NH
 Sidney Stephen, b 25 Jul 1948, d 7 May 2008, res Jacksonville FL