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EARL SANBORN, CALIFORNIA COWBOY

By Ardith James

The personalized license plate on the late-model car in the driveway read "FINLCAR", and I knew that the owners would be treating me to a delightful interview. My husband and I had gone to San Bernardino to meet Belle (SANBORN) Gallavan and her husband, Pat. A week earlier I'd seen a 1905 photograph of Belle's father on the local history page of The San Bernardino Sun newspaper, and my curiosity prompted me to contact the contributor, night editor Rosemary McClure, who put me in touch with her admired friend, Belle.

I was not disappointed. Belle Gallavan, then nearing her 80th birthday, is a keen observer of the human race who loves telling amusing anecdotes and recounting family experiences. She also is skilled at crafts, sewing, and writing poetry, despite her physical limitations. Her husband John Patrick, called "Pat," listens lovingly to his wife of 50 years and chimes in with his own charming tales from time to time.

Belle told me her name was actually Bernice Belle, and she was born 10 January 1917 in Newport, New Hampshire. Her father was

Forest Earl Sanborn, called Earl, born 2 December 1883 in East Hebron, NH to Charles P. (VCS #1475-ix) Sanborn and his wife Sarah Belle Barnard. Earl's mother was the daughter of Hezekiah and Eliza (Bunting) Barnard of Hebron; his father was a "double-Sanborn"—son of John and Philura Wadsworth (Sanborn) Sanborn of Hebron. (Continued on page 2)

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Off to California

In 1905, at the age of 22, Earl Sanborn headed for California. He was then single and carefree and found work at the sprawling Dunlap Ranch in Yucaipa Valley, located at the east end of the broad San Bernardino Valley. There he performed a number of tasks, including driving teams of horses to the city of San Bernardino, as shown in the accompanying photograph dated 1905.

What an exciting time this was to be living in Southern California! The land boom was in full swing, and people swarmed into the area to establish orange groves, farms, businesses, and new communities.

The busy Dunlap Ranch was a 4,000 acre portion of the original Spanish land grant acquired by Diego Sepulveda in 1842. Sepulveda, a nephew of Don Antonio Maria Lugo, built a two-story adobe home which stands today, the oldest house in the county. After a decade of ongoing Indian raids, Sepulveda gave up the ranch. James Waters next occupied the place and in 1869 sold the ranch to Texas cattleman, John Dunlap, who raised grain, cattle, and a dairy herd for 40 years. A settler who came as a bride to Yucaipa Valley in 1904 recalled the visit there of a Spanish don on horseback in full regalia, which included an ornate saddle and bridle adorned with glistening silver.

Earl Sanborn lived several years on the Dunlap Ranch. In 1909 he was listed in the Redlands City Directory as a "horse-clipper" residing at 112 Alta, the home of Mr. J. Woolfolk, who was a rancher at the Dunlap place. Woolfolk and his wife, Flora, were likely the parents of Claude and Elmer T. Woolfolk, the two brothers who married

Earl's sisters, Nina and Ruby Belle Sanborn, after the young women moved west from NH.

On the Road Again

Following the sale of the Dunlap Ranch to land developers, Earl moved on to Montana about 1911, working again as a cowboy. He returned to NH in 1915 to visit his mother, who had separated from his father and was residing in Newport, where she had found employment in a shoe factory.

Living next door to Sarah Belle Sanborn in Newport was a young widow of French-Canadian birth, Alexina Marie (Proulx) Perry. Earl was smitten and soon became serious about his mother's neighbor, converted to Catholicism, and married her. His family now included a stepdaughter, Beatrice Perry. Daughter Belle, who provided much of this history, was born the following year. Two sons came along in the next four years.

In 1922 Earl's mother was eager to see California and visit her two married daughters who lived in Riverside. In August the family left Newport for a move to the Golden State. Inside the new Model-T touring car were Earl, Alexina, Grandmother Sanborn, and the four children: Beatrice, age 11; Belle, age 5; Vaughn, age 3; and Earl F. Jr., age 1. Without the guidance of a road map, Earl simply headed west, towing a trailer loaded with all their belongings.

As the Sanborns neared Utah the baby became very ill with whooping cough and had to be hospitalized in Salt Lake City. When the doctor advised the parents that the baby would not survive an automobile trip across the desert, alternative plans had to be made. From Salt Lake City onward, Grandmother, Alexina, and the three younger children traveled by train. Earl and

Beatrice continued the journey by automobile and suffered considerably from the intense desert heat. At one point the trailer broke apart, scattering their belongings along the road. Earl stuffed the car with all he could and continued the trip in his good-natured way. Eventually he and Beatrice arrived in Riverside and rejoined his family at the home of Nina and Claude Woolfolk.

According to Belle, Earl had a light-hearted manner and a wonderful sense of humor. Whatever life handed him, he accepted without complaint and maintained a positive attitude. The same could be said about his daughter, Belle.

Earl Sanborn had the ability to take on any job that needed to be done, whether on a ranch, in a shoe factory, or a manufacturing plant. The San Bernardino city directories for 1930-1944 list him variously as a laborer, gardener, ironworker, welder, and defense worker. When he first returned to California in 1922, he was employed by Pacific Fruit Exchange in Colton. In 1923 he bought land and built his first house east of downtown San Bernardino. Eventually he purchased several other neighboring properties, and in 1933 he built the home which is occupied today by the Gallavans.

Belle and Pat raised four children, all of whom are college graduates. Sherilyn (Mrs. Steven Owens), born in 1948, has two children, teaches school and lives in Tucson, AZ. Timothy, born in 1952, is an immigration attorney who lives in Mountain View, CA. Rosemary, born in 1954, has a doctorate in statistics and works for the EPA in Sacramento, CA. Kevin, born in 1955, is a research chemist who lives in La Quinta, CA.

Belle's brother, Vaughn Sanborn and his wife, the former Dorothy Dalton Allen, are

retired and live next door to Belle and Pat in a house also built by Earl Sanborn. Vaughn's four sons are Paul, Donald, Jon, and Wayne. Belle's other brother, Earl F. Sanborn, who was rushed to the hospital in Salt Lake City in 1922, grew to be 6' 6" tall, towering over the rest of the family. He died expectedly of a heart defect at age 27. He was survived by his wife, Helen.

Grandmother Sarah Belle Sanborn, who yearned to see California and the west, died 2 November 1923, at age 60 in Riverside. Earl, the adventurous cowboy, died 23 April 1963; his wife, Alexina, died about 2 years earlier on 1 December 1960. They are both buried at Mountain View Cemetery in San Bernardino.

Note: F. Earl Sanborn's first name was most often spelled Forest by the family. However, the city directory and VCS gave the name as Forrest. He should not be confused with Forrest A. Sanborn who lived in San Bernardino in the early 1900's and owned the City Dye Works on 3rd Street.

The writer wishes to thank Belle Gallavan for information about her family; Sue Payne of the San Bernardino Historical Society for her help in searching city records; and her husband, Jim James, for the word processing of this story.

Note: The Editor and SFA wish to thank Ardith James for her wonderfully insightful articles on various Sanborns, and for proofreading our Signatures. She may be reached at 820 Cajon Street, Redlands CA 92373-6712.- Ed.



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Introduction to our new President, Roscoe E. Sanborn

Born in East Boston, Massachusetts in 1915, the second child of Roscoe G. and Blanche (Foster) Sanborn. My father was a sea-faring man from

Machiasport, Maine, who at that time, was shipping out of Boston. My mother died in 1918 of the flu epidemic, leaving my sister and I to be brought up by her sister, Cora (Foster) Flynn who at that time lived with her husband, Howard A. Flynn, in Machias. I went to school in Machias, and in Attleboro, Massachusetts. After high school in Attleboro, I went to sea in the merchant marine; then operated gasoline stations in the Providence, Rhode Island area. There, I married my high school sweetheart in 1937. After Pearl Harbor I enlisted in the navy as a Radar Technician. When the Pacific War was over I worked first as an electrician, then for the Raytheon Company writing and producing instruction manuals for the armed services. We, with God's help, raised to adulthood three healthy children, two girls and a boy.

Interests and hobbies include: Amateur Radio, household craftsman, hospital volunteer, soup kitchen cook, watching sunsets, rowing a skiff, splitting firewood., etc. I was led to Christ through the ministry of Pastor Jack Mitchell in Natick, Massachusetts, for whom I will ever be grateful. - RES.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

Have you ever thought you would like to know a little more about some of your Sanborn cousins? What do we have in common? Uncommon? What is your background? Your new president would like to know a little about those who receive and read the Sanborn Signatures.

In this issue you will find a profile of myself. It is included in this issue so that you may be better acquainted with me and to encourage others to provide their profile so that we may be better acquainted with you.

So, let us have a copy of your profile; we will include a few in each issue as space permits. This will add interest in 'live' people in our newsletter, help to make new friends and nurture and strengthen old friendships. Please keep the profiles to about 300 words, tell us who you are, what you do, what you like, things you'd like us to know about you! Please type them, if you can, and mail them to me, Roscoe. Thank You!!

1997 REUNION REPORT

The 14th Annual Sanborn Family Reunion was held August 16, and 17, 1997 at Governor Dummer Academy, Byfield MA, hosted by Everett and Marion Sanborn of Andover NH, and Joyce and Cliff Mello of Newburyport MA, and others. It was highlighted by a lovely trip on Saturday, down the Merrimack River, from a Haverhill dock to the mouth of the River and back, with some storytelling and singing along the way by our host, Captain Red Slavitt. About 80 people attended.

On Sunday, at Governor Dummer Academy, Mary Jane Lewis handed out family group sheets and gave us a very helpful lesson on how to research our lineage. After a delicious buffet luncheon put on by the Academy, we watched a delightful genealogy and musical skit by Holly Sanborn Ward, and her N.E.T. Works Actors, all children of Homer Sanborn. Holly used very few props, a few pieces of clothing, and with her brothers and sisters narrated a skit and an especially funny skit using only hands and faces through a backdrop. One was about the Samborne brothers upon their arrival in America in 1632, with some stories of their difficulties and perseverance. Another depicted a story showing the strength of their own family with two children who overcame polio and a grandchild who won over Leukemia. Homer's wife joined them with a song.

A short business meeting was opened by our President, Allison Q. Sanborn, with a moment of silence for members who have passed on. A special "thank you" was given to Everett and Marion Sanborn for all the work and effort they put into the reunion. Ruth McPerson led the roll call of states, 12 different states answered. Next was the call for descendents of Stephen, William and John Samborne, none from Stephen, the majority from John. Ruth Sanborn of Deerfield NH was the eldest person at the reunion, and received a handsome walking stick carved by Everett Sanborn of Andover NH. The youngest person attending was Joelle Donnelly of Andover NH who received a savings bond.

The people travelling the farthest for the weekend were Ray and Sally Woolrich of Texas who received a clamming basket made by Everett.

Priscilla Watts read the Secretary's report for the 1996 meeting, and Ruth Norcross read the Treasurer's report; both were accepted as read. Al Sanborn read the Auditor's report. Archivist Betty Sanborn reported she has received two articles on old cemeteries this year.

Everett Sanborn reported on the Saturday boat trip and recognized Joyce Mello and Ruth MacPherson with baskets for all the work and help they gave, and special thanks to Al Sanborn for being such a devoted President these past years, giving him one of his carved walking sticks, so apropos for Al who not only maintains a mountain trail near his home and does so much camping and canoeing, but serves as a volunteer for FEMA.

Unfortunately, there were no English Research, Genealogical Publication, nor Scholarship reports, due to Chairmen not being present.

Mary Jane Lewis thanked everyone who had sent in articles for the Sanborn Signatures and asked for a volunteer to replace her as Editor so that she could go take on another project, the *Bachelor & Batchelder Newsletter*, which was discontinued in July 1996 after being in existence nearly 20 years written by two other editors. She will be glad to assist anyone willing to take on the position.

Meg Barnard, Genealogical Records collector, explained the legal-sized lineage sheets and has a major job putting them in order.

Joyce Mello, Membership Development, has been generating new members with responses slow so far.

Volunteers and suggestions were requested for next year's reunion.

The Nominating Report was read by Homer Sanborn: President - Roscoe Sanborn, Vice President - Everett Sanborn, Secretary - Priscilla Watts, Treasurer - Ruth Norcross, was approved, there were no nominations from the floor, so the secretary cast one ballot for the slate of officers.

The door prize, a *Genealogy of the Sanborn Family*, by V. C. Sanborn, was won by Robert Baxter of New Orleans LA. The Scotch Auction was led by Meg Barnard, and the meeting was adjourned after the singing of the *Sanborn Farewell Song*.

Updated News:

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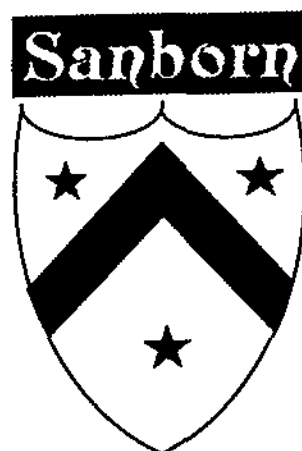
There are still some T-shirts in sizes children's large, adult large and X-large; base-ball type hats, and lapel pins available. Shirts and hats are light beige, with a Sanborn Coat of Arms as shown. Pins are silver with black and red enamel. Postage included.

Shirts - \$10

Hats - \$8

Pins - \$5

Make checks payable to SFA, include sizes, mail to: Janet Swanson, 16 Meetinghouse Hill Road, Deerfield NH 03037.



Family Association

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SANBORN, Bob, (*Class of 1942*), and Doris Churchill Sanborn currently logged over 20,000 miles around New England, Canada and the Midwest visiting children, friends, etc. They built a 24-unit purple martin house that was featured in the Philadelphia Flower Show. They then went on a 15-day tour of Scotland.

SANBORN, Chan, (*Class of 1955*), has retired a second time, as a regular substitute in Rochester NH. He started with a freshman class and saw it through graduation. A great experience. He and Ann also retired from the "football chain gang" doing the downs.

HOYT, Peggy Sanborn, (*Class of 1947*), our computer magician, gave a progress report on typing all the bios. She had just returned from a great Elderhostel at Mystic Seaport and will be off on another trip in April, this time to Egypt. - *Alumni Companion, University of New Hampshire, Spring 1997*.

SANBORN, Diana Christian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter C. Sanborn of Ashland MA, is engaged to wed Matthew Michael Beaudet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel W. Beaudet of Manchester NH. Diana is a graduate of the University of New Hampshire and is employed as a managing editor with Lippincott-Raven Publishers and Dartmouth College in Hanover. Mr. Beaudet also graduated from the University of New Hampshire and is a doctoral candidate at the University of Vermont College of Medicine in Burlington. A 1998 summer wedding is planned. - *New Hampshire Sunday News, Manchester NH; Sunday, 16 Mar 1997, p 10F*.

SANBORN, Joseph Paul, of Goffstown NH and Amy Lea Martin of Londonderry were married in July at the Manchester Christian Church. Amy, who graduated from Cortland State College, Cortland NY and is employed as a mathematics teacher in the Londonderry High School, is the daughter of Laurence and Marguerite Martin. Joseph is the son of Donald and Elizabeth Sanborn of Pepperell MA, and is a graduate of Fitchburg State College, Fitchburg MA and is a science teacher at Londonderry High School. They will live in Goffstown. - *NH Sunday News, Manchester NH; 31 Aug 1997, p 8F*.

SANBORN, Melissa May of Newport NH was awarded a bachelor of arts degree at Notre Dame College 12 May 1997. - *Newport (NH) Argus Champion, Wed., 4 Jun 1997*.

SANBORN, Paul W., 54, nephew of Belle (Sanborn)Gallavan (see lead article) and son of Vaughn Sanborn, Belle's brother, has decided to join the Mayoral Race in San Bernardino CA. He likes to hype his aggressiveness, a quality he has honed as the owner of a plumbing and fire sprinkler company during the past 30 years. "The next mayor can't be wishy-washy, but stubborn and ornery like me. When I say something will go, it will go." Sanborn believes that honesty is an important leadership quality, especially in a city where developers have bought off elected officials in the past, and has stated he won't take any campaign contributions so he can start off with a clean sheet when entering City Hall. - *The Sun, Inland Empire; 28 Sep 1997*.

SANBORN, Robert B., 83, of Deerfield NH, has just been re-elected to a three year term on the Board of Selectmen. He received a plaque from the town last year at Town Meeting in recognition of 50 years service to the town. Congratulations, Mr. Sanborn! - *Note sent to Ruth Ann Norcross, 25 Mar 1997*.

OBITUARIES

SANBORN, Beulah A. (Russell), 92, of Laconia NH, died 2 Aug 1997 in Crestview FL. She was the widow of Leroy F. "Tappy" Sanborn who died in 1969. She was born in 1904 in New Ross, Nova Scotia, daughter of Winston and Nora (Reed) Russell, and left her son, Floyd R. of De Funiak Springs FL, a granddaughter and two great-grandchildren. Burial in Union Cemetery, Laconia. - *The Citizen, Laconia NH; Monday, 4 Aug 1997, p 10*.

SANBORN, Billie-Jo, 22, and her unborn child, were killed in a single-car accident in Freedom NH 28 June 1997, that left three other people hurt, including Robert Sanborn, 5, Richard Taylor, 22, and his son, Richard, 1. They were from West Baldwin ME. Robert was later taken to the Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center in Lebanon where he was listed in serious condition. - *The Union Leader, Manchester NH, Monday, 30 Jun 1997, pp A1+, and 1 Jul 1997, p A8*.

SANBORN, Carolyn Joy, 16, of Baltimore MD, formerly of Sanbornton NH, died suddenly of a brain aneurysm at her home 8 Jun 1997. She was born in Sanbornton and moved to Baltimore in 1995 where she was a sophomore at Baltimore City College, a high school. She leaves her parents, Andrew Sanborn of

Sanbornton and Laurel Tyson Sanborn of Baltimore, sister Lauren Rose Sanborn of Baltimore; grandparents, George and Caryolyn Tyson of Baltimore, and Mildred Sanborn Shaw of Sanbornton; great-grandmother, Eva E. Blaisdell of Lockmere NH, cousins, aunts and uncles. (She was the grand-niece of our past President, Al Sanborn.) - *The Citizen, Laconia NH, Saturday, 14 Jun 1997, p 8.*

SANBORN, Clarence W., 83, of Intervale, died 18 Dec 1996 in North Conway NH. Born in Bartlett NH, son of Hiram and Annie (French). Clarence was a lifelong resident of Bartlett, worked for William G. Duprey & Son in North Conway as a house painter for more than 30 years. He leaves his wife, Luella (Day) of Intervale. Burial at Glen Cemetery. - *a Bartlett newspaper, undated.*

SANBORN, Donald S., of Billerica MA, died 22 Feb 1997, Army veteran of the Korean War, husband of Judith A. (Connors), father of Denise M. Burke and Shelly McGowan of Billerica, brother of Norman Sanborn of CA and Jo-Ann and Joseph Varney of Jamaica Plain, and five grandchildren. Internment at Fox Hill Cemetery, Billerica. - *The Boston Sunday Globe, 23 Feb 1997.*

SANBORN, Laura, 57, of Framingham MA, died 6 Sep 1997 in Framingham. She was born in Natick, daughter of the late Albert A. and Alice L. (Reagan) Sanborn. She leaves a brother, Richard A., of Holderness NH; sister-in-law, Althea Sanborn, of Hebron NH, wife of the late David M. Sanborn who died in 1993. Burial at Pine Hill Cemetery in Westfield. - *Middlesex News; Tuesday, 9 Sep 1997, p 4B.*

SANBORN, Raymond W., 71, of Newport NH, died 5 Apr 1997 at the V.A. Hospital in White River Jct., VT. Born in Newport in 1926, son of Ray and Beatrice (Gonyo) Sanborn, he lived in the Sunapee-Newport area all his life. He leaves his wife, Cedelle (Goulding), sons Ray and William; stepson, Bruce Talon; daughters, Sharon Ayotte, Beverly Sanborn, Gail Boston, Sandra Ingalls and Susan Macie; brother Donald of Sunapee, grandchildren and great grandchildren. Burial at Pine Grove Cemetery in Newport. - *Newport Argus Champion, 9 Apr 1997.*

SANBORN, Richard Dyer, 82, of Leesburg FL, formerly of Sanbornville NH, restaurant owner, died at Leesburg Regional Hospital. Born in Sanbornville, he

was a lifelong resident of the town named after his father. He moved to Florida 10 years ago. He owned and operated Sara's Spa in Sanbornville until he retired, then became a conductor for the Wolfeboro NH railroad. He also helped run the family entertainment business which included movie theaters in Ossipee, Wolfeboro and Sanbornville. He leaves his wife, Florence E. Carpenter, daughters Faye Nachbaur and Sally Morten, three stepdaughters, Donna Nellist, Emmy B. Mitchell and Judith Keen, nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Burial at Lovell Lake Cemetery, Sanbornville.

SANBORN, W. Henry, 82, of Milton NH, died 8 Jun 1997. Born 1915 in Farmington, son of Roland and Alice (Gray) Sanborn, he resided in Milton more than 60 years, and worked at Spaulding Fibre Co. He leaves his wife, Doris (Bean) Sanborn; sons Richard W., and James H.; daughter, Joyce Pinkham; 10 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; 1 great-great-grandson; brother Paul of Exeter, and sister, Betty Varney of Center Strafford. Burial at Lake View Cemetery in Wolfeboro. - *The Union Leader, Manchester NH; Tuesday, 10 Jun 1997, p C2.*

BAILEY, Janet R. (Dutton), 49, a resident of Temple NH, died 18 Sep 1997 in Nashua NH. Born in 1947 in Concord MA, daughter of the late George W. and Eva (Sanborn) Dutton. She graduated from Gordon College in Wenham MA and Ashland University in Ashland OH where she received her master's degree in reading. She lived in Canton OH for 14 years and had been working for the Hudson School District for the past nine years. She leaves her husband, John S. Bailey, of Temple; daughter, Christy A. of Akron OH; sisters, Barbara of Yarmouthport MA and Marilyn E. Taylor of Londonderry NH. Burial at Green Cemetery, Carlisle MA. - *The Union Leader, Manchester NH; 20 Sep 1997, p A8.*

BATCHELDER, Doris E. (Sanborn), 91, of Durham NH, died 19 Dec 1996 in Dover. She was born in Auburn, daughter of Henry and Lida (Davis) Sanborn, and graduated from Pinkerton Academy. She was employed as a secretary at the University of NH for 17 years, and was the widow of Raymond M. Batchelder who died in 1953. She leaves a brother, Henry H. Sanborn of Greenland., and was the aunt of Arthur H. Sanborn and Ruth (Sanborn) Fowler of Candia, and Alfred N. Sanborn, Jr. of Manchester. Burial at Pine Hill Cemetery, Dover. - *Durham NH newspaper.*

COOPER, Francis Calvin, Sr., father of Judith A. Cooper, SFA Member, died 28 Sep 1996. - *Note from Judy Cooper, Mar 1997.*

EAMES, Irene G. (Sanborn), 79, of Thompson (CT?) Died 6 May 1997. She was born in 1918 in Rochdale MA, daughter of Joseph R. and Rose L. (Pechie) Sanborn, and was the wife of the late Myron T. Eames. She came to Thompson in 1956 and was employed for many years at the former Heald Machinery Company of Worcester. She also spent a lot of time on Lake Winnepesaukee NH. She leaves daughters, Elsa Milus, Marcia and Brenda Eames; brother Raymond R. Sanborn of Inglewood FL; sister Loretta Hyatt of Sanford FL; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Burial was at Moorland Cemetery in Paxton. - *note from Winifred S. Wayman, 52 Hartley St., Webster MA 01570.*

HOGAN, William F., 71, of Lincoln NH, former proprietor of the *Red Doors Motel*, d 4 Mar 1997 in Littleton. He was born in Lynn MA and served with the Army's 10th Mountain Division ski troops during WWII and received a Purple Heart after he was wounded in combat in the Po Valley near Mount Belvidere, Italy. He leaves wife, Jeanne (Little), daughters, Bonnie Hogan Sanborn of Wilnot Flat NH and Jamie Hogan Braun of Peaks Islands ME, a brother, Roland B. Jr. of Ossipee NH and three grandchildren. Burial at Riverside Cemetery, Lincoln. - *The Boston Globe, Thur., 6 Mar 1997.*

SPOONER, Vincent D., 81, of Woodstock VT, died 13 May 1997 in Lebanon NH. He was born 1916 in Grantham NH, son of Leon and Ina (Sanborn) Spooner. He owned the Sunset Farm, The Spooner Complex, in Woodstock VT for 50 years, and moved to Taftsville in 1979. He leaves his wife, Willena Mae (Hastings); sons, Garry G., of Beddington ME, Dale B. of South Pomfret VT, and Randy G. of Colchester VT. Burial at Taftsville Cemetery, Taftsville VT. - *The Union Leader, Manchester NH, Thursday, 15 May 1997, p A21.*

WILKINS, Virginia B., 74, of Milton Mills NH died 13 Apr 1997. Born in 1922 in Salem MA, daughter of Harry W. and Mildred (Sanborn) Wade, she was raised in Marblehead MA and was a graduate of Essex County Agricultural School in Hawthorne MA. She and her husband owned and operated LegHorn Acres in Milton Mills. She leaves her husband, Ralph W. Wilkins; daughters, Gail Ann Harris of Plantation FL, Paula L.

Galuska of Newmarket, Nancy M. Wilkins of Exeter, and Cheryl L. Wilkins of Hellam PA; sons, Roger W. of Rochester, Alan R. and Dana R. of Middleton MA; 18 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren, and two sisters. Burial at Oakdale Cemetery in Middleton MA. - *The Union Leader, Manchester NH; Tuesday, 15 Apr 1997, p B8.*

ADDRESSES AND ITEMS OF INTEREST

The Bachiler/Batchelder family newsletter, **Bachiler & Batchelder Buttons**, a quarterly, is available at \$8.00 from **BBBUTTONS, Box 676, Balboa CA 92661-0676**. Articles and updates of information on B. families of all spellings are included, additions and corrections welcomed.

NEW FINDINGS

**SANBORNS IN THE GENEALOGY FILE;
SANTA CLARA, CALIFORNIA LIBRARY**

- A. died 8 Sep 1884, rec 1-7
- A. H., d 1891, Wave 7:10
- Mrs. A.H. (Ethel), called the "*Daffodill Lady*", a Chico CA flower grower whose grandfather, Joseph Sellick, crossed the plains to CA in 1855 and became a gardener for Gen. John Bidwell, later a Chico Flower Grower. - *Sacramento Bee 26 Nov 1949 p 28, C.2; 7 Mar 1953, p F-20.C.1.*
- Albion Irving, 57, stairbuilder, b ME, residence at 1021 21st St., recorded in the *San Francisco Great Register 1892*, also mentioned in *Bay of San Francisco, 1892, vol 2, p572.*
- Alice, suicide 3 Jun 1886; *rec. 1-7.*
- Arthur B., b Jackson CA 1856, newspaperman, mentioned in Amador Co. - *Great Register 1886, 23; reg: 4 Feb 1879; also History of Amador Co., illus., sk. p319, portrait p 144.*
- B. F. attempts suicide, Alta CA 2 Jun 1867; *rec 2-1.*
- Mrs. Blanche, chairman of committee of the "Ancient Order of United Workmen" 27 Oct 1902. - *San Francisco Chronicle.*
- Blanche Leonora Heiss, M.D., listed in Who's Who in CA 1928-1929, p 123; *California and Californians, vol 4, p 211; History of San Francisco Bay Register, 1924, vol 2, p 281.*
- Bruce W., Jr., s/o Bruce W. of St. Paul, m Miss Beverly Nutting 26 Aug 1947, at Piedmont, CA.
- Carleton H., ment. in *History of Pomona Valley*

(CA), 1920, p 634.

Christopher Allen, physician, b Newport NH 1855, at Redlands CA.

Clarence, 21, b OH - *Sacramento Co. Great Register*; date of register 27 Aug 1875.

Daniel Moody, obit 24 May 1909, mentioned in the *Grizzly Bear*.

Eben - mentioned in *History of San Joaquin Valley CA, 1905*, p 625.

Edgar Madison, mentioned in *History of Alameda County CA 1928*, p 388-91.

Edward Payson, 42, b ME, farmer of Santa Paula CA, UC Davis Survey, Ventura County *Great Register, 1890*.

Edwin D., author of "Some Characteristics of our Language".

F. C., at 100 Front Street, lumber dealer, *Sacramento CA Directory 1851*, p 34.

Mrs. F. G., "Women of Red Cross call on Government to save soldiers from contract ships"; *San Francisco Chronicle, 9 Dec 1902*, 1-2 port.

Francis A., M. D., Los Angeles prior to 1910. **Fred G.**, San Francisco Directory, V.P. of Bancroft Whitney Co. 1902; m Helen V. Peck 14 Sep 1882, at the residence of bride's parents, 208 San Jose Avenue.

George D., *History of Sonoma Co. CA, 1911*, p781.

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George W., 1869 - , engineer, listed *Alhambra Community Book, 1944*, p 151.

Gerald K. (Kingsbury), surveyor, *Riverside Community Book, p 286, 1954, City Council of Palm Springs*.

Mrs. H. F., 96 year old native of Sacramento. - *Sacramento Bee 24 Aug 1950*, p 37, C4.

Hal C., *History of Santa Monica Bay Register, 1934*, pt 2., p 157.

Harry John, *History of San Luis Obispo County and environs, 1917*, p 956.

Henry A., *History of the State of CA and Biographical records of Sacramento Valley, 1906*, p 1163.

Henry Alphonso, obit, *Daggett's Scrap Book, vol 3*, p 133.

Herbert Charles, Dr., visit to CA mentioned in *Pasadena Star News 5 Jul 1937*.

Israel, "Hog Jack", died 29 Jan 1892.- *Call 2-6*.

John Albert, Attorney, San Francisco - *Member of CA, 1901*, p 137.

John Leavitt, mentioned in *Daughters of the American*

Revolution papers.

Joseph L., m Julia A. Chisholm 25 Dec 1891, both of Benecia CA, Congregational Church.

Joseph Thayer, in *DAR Pioneer Records; and Romantic 49'ers, 1950*, p 140.

Katherine Abbott, arrival in San Francisco 20 Jun 1893 - *Call 4-1*.

Kingsbury, engineer Los Angeles, mentioned in *Who's Who in the Pacific Northwest, 1913*, p 325; *History of Riverside County, 1912*, p 548.

Laura, d/o late John, engineer, m Carlton Hobbs Wall, s/o Joseph G., at San Francisco 18 Feb 1903.

Lucian's only son L. W., born and educated in San Francisco, with his father in the firm of Ford and Sanborn, *General Merchants of Salinas. (prior to 1903)*

Lucius m Lottie Blanc 11 Jun 1890 at residence of bride's aunt, 834 California Street, by pastor of the Calvary Church.

Lucius, died 11 Sep 1899.

Maury H., *WWI Soldier's Card File*.

Miles Edward, mentioned in *History of the Bench and Bar, 1912*, p 490.

Porter, divorced from Martha, 18 Dec 1891. - *Call 2-2*

Rufus H., Sr., 59, banker of Santa Ana, born 17 Dec 1850 Washington VT, arrived CA Feb 1892, address 1901 at Los Angeles - *Orange County Great Register, 1910*.

Sylvanus, mentioned in *History of the State of CA and biographical register of Sacramento Valley, 1906*, p 599.

W. D., presented with a resolution and a gold watch. *Call 19 Jul 1892, 2-3*.

W. J., in "Memoirs of a Santa Paula Shepherd" 1873-5. "Col." - *Ventura County Historical Society, Nov 1959*, p 2-16; "From the Letters of Col. W. J. Sanborn", w/portrait.

William Augustus - *History of State of CA and Biography, of Santa Cruz, San Benito, Montgomery and San Luis Obispo Counties, 1903*, p 340-1.

1850 CALIFORNIA CENSUS FINDINGS

SAMBORN, Manuel, 32, AG 161 (born in Argentina, age 32) living in Tuolumne County.

SANBORNE, Henry, 40, born Ohio, 201, Yuba County.

The schooner *LEVINIA F. WARREN* was built in Machiasport ME by J. W. Stuart in 1871, one of its owners was **Cyrus P. SANBORN**.

Bertha Sanborn's Blueberry Cake Recipe

Cream 1 cup sugar and 1/4 cup butter.
Add 1 beaten egg and 1/2 tsp. Vanilla.
Sift 1 3/4 c. flour, 2 1/2 tsp baking powder, and a pinch of salt. Mix with sugar and egg mixture.
Add 3/4 c. heavy cream. Fold in 1 1/2 cups floured blueberries - gently - or they will fall!
Bake 40 minutes in 350 degree oven in a 9x6" ungreased pan.

It took 4 generations to bake this cake. Bertha's cake was baked by Meg Hussey Barnard, who got the blueberries from Gordon Weldon, and the recipe from Mildred (Greene) Wilbur. Gordon transplanted the blueberry bushes from the farm of J. Fred Greene. Mildred got the recipe from "Aunt Bertha" (Elbertha L. Call) who married Edwin Sanborn, son of Ira) who swore Meg to secrecy and not to give outside the family. Guess what? You're family!!

SANBORN, Ira, b 4 Mar 1822, had two children, Hannah who married John Fred Greene, and Edwin born 1868 who married Elbertha L. Call.

Hannah and John Fred GREENE had three daughters, Helen C. who married Percy B. Hussey, grandfather of Meg; Mildred S. who married Frank M. Wilbur; and Ruth E. who married Russell Weldon, father of Gordon.

SANBORN, _____, m Sally BENJAMIN, d/o John of Watertown ME and Rebecca (Benson), b 19 Jan 1821 at Etna ME, had 6 children. She m 2ndly William WILEY, and had son Charles. - *Benjamin Family in America, G. W. Bicha & H. B. Brown; 1977, p 283.*

SANBORN, Adoniram J. (Judson), resident of Northfield NH, married Olive A. RAND of Northfield on 15 Nov 1865 by C. Holman, Clergy at Northfield. - *Archives at Concord NH.*

SANBORN, Deacon Benjamin, (VCS #1119) b 16 Oct 1798 Wheelock VT - 28 Aug 1876 "after a brief illness, "like a shock of corn fully ripe", age 78, Lyndonville, s/o Elisha and Agnes (Moore), was the 5th of a family of 12 children, all but one of whom lived to adulthood. At the age of 20 he purchased of his father the remaining year of his minority and struck out for himself. On 26 Oct 1830 he

m Abigail B. STANTON, d/o Isaac W. of North Danville. Having accumulated \$1000 at age 32, he bought a farm in Lyndon, in 1866 sold 150 acres of this farm to the CT & Passumpsic Rivers Railway Co. on which to locate its general offices and railroad shops, reserving about 40 acres which later became the home place of his son Isaac W. A daughter, Martha, m Dr. J. W. Copeland of Lyndonville. - *Child's Gazetteer of Caledonia & Essex Counties, town of Lyndon.*

SANBORN, Calvin, of Epsom NH m Charlotte HOIT of Barnstead, 18 Oct 1840 at Barnstead NH. - *NHGR v14 p35.*

SANBORN, Caroline m Fayette MACE in Jackson CA 5 Jan 1868. - *Daily Evening Bulletin, San Francisco, 14 Jan.*

SANBORN, Earl L., and Bernice G., were living at 2229 E. Vine Ave., in Knoxville TN 1926. He was a salesman with McTeer Co. - *City Directory*

SANBORN, Everett Wolcott, (VCS #2055V), 22, resident of Tilton NH, farmer, b Lawrence MA, s/o John C., 63, lawyer, b Sanbornton NH and Mary Susan (Kingsbury), 60, of Lawrence MA, 60, housewife, b Coventry CT; married 28 September 1898 at Belmont by J. E. Everingham of Laconia, Clergy, to Nella Florence GERALD, 22, resident of Belmont NH, teacher, b Hyde Park MA, d/o Frances Leverett., of Belmont, physician, b Warren NH and Lucy A., 50 of Belmont, housewife, born Hudson NH. - *Archives at Concord NH.*

SANBORN, Everett W. (Same as above), 44, farmer, of Tilton NH, b Lawrence MA, 2nd marriage, widower, married 18 Oct 1919 by Rev. Howard H. White of Laconia, Minister of the Gospel, at Laconia to Ethel G. DALTON, 31 of Northfield, lady, 2nd marriage, divorced, d/o Frank DALTON, b Northfield, 67+, and Mary (HILL), 56, b Sanbornton. - *Archives at Concord NH.*

SANBORN, George W., of E. Kingston NH, physician, m int. 21 Oct 1848 Sarah W. NORTON of Buxton ME at Lawrence, Essex MA; had dau. Emma Elizabeth born 24 Jul 1849 Lawrence. - *Lawrence Vital Records.*

SANBORN, George W., orphan, admitted 15 Mar 1884, ae 7 years, born San Jose, still here Jun 1889. Father died Alvarad, was married in Sacramento. - *Orphans, CA.*

SANBORN, Henry C., m **Coloneete D. HOLCOMB** b 1844/45 of Washington Co. NY, d/o Horace A. and Celestia (Benjamin). - *Benjamin Family in America, G. W. Bicha & H. B. Brown, 1977; p 435.*

SANBORN, John B., 28, farmer, b Sanbornton NH, married Arceneath **QUIMBY**, 27, lady, b Hill, 4 April 1877 at Sanbornton by M. T. Runnels, Clergy. - *Archives at Concord NH.*

SANBORN, John Chase (VCS #482i), (1773-1856), s/o Benjamin and Lucy (French), was named after his father's younger brother. He married Susanna Murray (1805-1890) and had Nahum Quint, Lucy F., and Esther H. Nahum Quint (1832-1906) married Maria Kezia Frederick(s) (1838-1906) and had Charles Murray, Freeman S., Frederick C., John G./A., George M., William A., and Harrison E. Charles Murray (1860-1940) married Abigail S. White and had Grace Agnes, Effie May; then married Arabella Emma Mitchell and had Dana Charles, Theodora Belle, and Helen. Theodora Belle (1891-1965) married Pearl/Perle Leroy Benner (1890-1973), and had Perle/Perl Sanborn Benner, current member of SFA. - *Write Perl at 10 Haverhill St., Hudson NH 03051-4013.*

SANBORN, John E., 24, resident of Laconia NH, b Laconia, s/o Frank B. (VCS #1170iii) and Sophronia D. of Gilmanton and Laconia; married Ellen F. **GERALD**, 20, resident of Warren NH, b Warren, d/o Addison and Mary (Merrill) both of Warren, 24 Dec 1875 at Lake Village. - *Archives at Concord NH.* (Anyone having more information on John and Ellen, please write me, Mary Jane Lewis, Editor, thanks!)

SANBORN, Joseph married **Ida Josephine HARDY** as her third husband, and was living at Plymouth NH in 1896. She was born about 1860, d/o **Abraham** and **Nancy E. (Bailey)**, of Warren, West Rumney and Dorchester NH. Her 1st husband was **Will JESSEMAN**, and 2nd marriage on 12 Aug 1879 to **Dudley Davis PUTNEY** of Wentworth NH born 1846. - *Descendants of John Page (1614-*

1687); 1972, Theda Page Brigham, p 135

SANBORN, Joseph W., resident of Benicia, died at Bridgewater, CA, ae 67 years 5 months. - *Daily Evening Bulletin, San Francisco, 3 Sep.*

SANBORN, M. H., (prob. VCS #363i - *Moses Hoyt, s/o Moses & Deborah (Hoyt) who m Louisa HOYT*) laborer, wife Louise M., had son born 13 Feb 1848 Lawrence, Essex MA. - *Lawrence Vital Records.*

SANBORN, M. K. and wife had a daughter born 11 Mar 1868 in Sacramento CA. - *Daily Evening Bulletin, San Francisco, 13 Mar.*

SANBORN, Mercy, d/o Henry, of Kensington NH m 17 Jul 1794 **Benjamin EDGERLY**, at Exeter by Rev. J. Brown, b 14 May 1769, s/o Caleb and Abiel (Cilley), of New Durham NH. - *NHGR v14, p25.*

SANBORN, Moses, laborer, and wife **Mary E.**, had dau. **Ellen J.** b 11 Nov 1848 Lawrence, Essex MA. - *Lawrence V.R.*

SANBORN, William, whose family came from Sanbornton NH, was born 1800 in Wheelock VT, s/o **Elisha** and **Agnes (Moore)**, d 22 Feb 1877. He served as selectman 1838, and town representative in 1836 and 1838. On 23 Nov 1825 he m **Mary PAGE**, had 10 ch: **Emily**, **Edwin**, **George**, **Caroline**, **Alden**, **Roswell**, **Judith Ann**, **George 2d**, **William** and **Mary**. - *First 27 Town Representatives, Wheelock VT.* Note: He moved to Jefferson WI (per VCS, p 414).

THE LAST WILL & TESTAMENT OF JEREMIAH SANBORN

JEREMIAH SANBORN was born in 1739 and lived his life in Sanbornton NH, (see VCS #289), where he was killed by being run over by a loaded sleigh, 13 Feb 1823. He was a great-great-great grandfather of **Al Sanborn**, SFA President, who sent us a copy of his will which was given to The Sanbornton Historical Society in July 1988.

Written on outside cover page are several notes:
This Will is now in the care of Lucretia Carter Sanborn, Great Granddaughter of Jeremiah Sanborn.

The Will is now in the care of Ann Maria Sanborn Taylor, great, great granddaughter of Jeremiah Sanborn.

The Will is now in the care of Agnes Dudley Taylor, great, great, granddaughter of Jeremiah Sanborn.

The Will is now in the care of Alice Evelyn Sanborn, great, great, granddaughter of Jeremiah Sanborn.

In the name of God, Amen, I, Jeremiah Sandborn of Sandbornton in the County of Strafford and state of Newhampshire, Husbandman, being in good health of body and of a sain and disposing mind and memory considering the uncertainty of this life, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs while I have strength and capacity so to do; do make and publish this my last will and testament; and therein and thereby do dispose of all my worldly estate in manner following to wit.

Firstly I will my soul to God who gave it, through a firm reliance on the atoning blood, of an all sufficient Saviour; and my body to the dust from whence it came, with a decent, and respectable interment.

Secondly I give, bequeath and devise unto my eldest son John Dearborn Sandborn thirty acres of land in Sandbornton and is a parte of my homestead lott bounded south on the orchard, land, herein after divided, to my daughter Mary, west on his own land north on land I haved devised to Tristram Sandborn, and easterly on the highway leading to Sandbornton Meetinghouse, the limits of which will be made fully to appear by a deed I have already executed to him and deposited for safekeeping in the hands (Lt.?) Jeremiah Sandborn, and my will and desire is that at my decease it be delivered to him.

Also I give and bequeath unto him my said eldest son John Dearborn Sandborn, one other small moiety of land and is also a parte of my homestead lott in Sandborn, and is bounded north by the land herein after devised to my daughter Mary, west by his own land, south by theRiver east by the mill privilege already decided, which extends to a large rockmaple tree standing on the margin of the river. Also lott number two in the seven landing lotts so called in Sandbornton, planned and exhibited to me by Edward Blodget, Esquire being four poles wide on the north and extending the same width to the river.

Likewise I give and bequeath to him as aforesaid my

eight day clock to be delivered to him by my executors hereafter named, immediately after my decease.

Item 3rd, I give bequeath and devise unto my second son, Jeremiah Sandborn, Lott numbered one in the seven landing lotts so called in Sandbornton agreeably to the plan exhibited to me by Edward Blodget, Esquire and is four poles wide in the north and extends the same wedth to the river - Likewise my trunk in which I keep my writings.

Item 4th, I give bequeath and devise unto my eldest daughter, Mary Sandborn, the orchard land west of my dwelling house, and is bounded as follows to wit beginning on the road leading to Sandbornton meeting house on the west side thereof on the line of land I have deeded and devised to John Dearborn Sandborn and on the south side thereof thence westerly following his line to land owned by him, thence southerly following his line, to a large stone nine poles from the river thence easterly to Jonithan Sandborn's south west corner, thence northerly on his line two poles north of his northwest corner thence easterly to a large oylnut tree about two poles north of his dwelling house, thence the same course to the highway, thence northerly to the first named bound. - Likewise (for her own personal use, and occupancy, for and during her continuing unmarried) the building adjoining on the northwest corner of my dwelling house together with necessary and convenient accomodations both in front and back of the same, for wood, and utensils, likewise, one of my featherbeds one large silver spoon, my large brass kettle, together with all my Iron ware exceptinge large kettle, to be delivered to her, by my executors hereafter named immediately after my decease and likewise one good cow, and two ewe sheep to be procured for and dilivered to her, by my said executors hereafter to be named in one year after my decease.

Item 5th - I give bequeath and devise unto my third son, Josiah Sandborn, one half of the lott of land on which he now lives, and which I have already executed of, to him, likewise my pew in the congregationalist meeting house in Sandbornton, which is the northwest corner pew in the gallery.

Item 6th - I give, bequeath and devise unto my fourth son, Joseph Sandborn, thirty acres of land on which he now lives, bounded on the north by the range line west on his own land, south on land I have deeded to Tristram Sandborn, and east on the road leading to Sandbornton Meeting house and land of James Sandborns, and which is fully described by a deed duly executed to him and lodged for safe keeping in the hands of Lt. Jeremiah Sandborn, and my will and desire is, likewise lott

numbered three in the seven landing lots, so called in Sandbornton, as planned and exhibited to me by Edward Blodget, Esqr. and is four poles wide on the north, and extends the same width to the River. Likewise, my large andirons or fire dogs to be delivered by my executors hereafter named at my decease. Likewise, twenty dollars and one half dozen of kitchen chairs, to be paid and delivered to him by my executors hereafter named, in two years after my decease.

Item 7th - I give bequeath and devise unto my fifth son, Amariah Sandborn, one Dollar, to be paid by my executors hereafter named, in two years after my decease.

Item 8th - I give, bequeath and devise unto my sixth son, Levi Sandborn, Thirty Dollars to be paid by my executors hereafter named in two years after my decease.

Item 9th - I give bequeath and devise unto my seventh son, David Sandborn, one Dollar, to be paid by my executors hereafter named in two years after my decease. Likewise, five Dollars more to be paid as aforesaid.

Item 10th - I give, bequeath and devise, unto my eighth son, Dearborn Sandborn, all the land I own on the south of the road leading from my dwelling house to Sandbornton bridge together with all the privileges and appertinances thereto belonging. Secondly, twenty two acres and one half of land (including one half acre and a road thereto of two poles wide) lying north of the said road.

Item 11th - I give bequeath and devise unto my ninth son Jonithan Sandborn, a small moiety of land the better to convene him about his house and is as follows, beginning at his northwest corner and running north two poles to premices herein divided to Mary Sandborn, thence easterly to a large oylnut tree about two poles north of his dwelling house, thence the same course to the road, thence south to his own land, and also lott numbered seven in the seven landing lots so called in Sandbornton as planned and exhibited to me by Edward Blodget Esqr. and is four poles wide at the north and extends the same width to the rivers.

Item 12th - I give bequeath and devise unto my tenth son, Tristram Sandborn, lott numbered five in the seven landing lots so called in Sandbornton as planned and exhibited to me by Edward Blodget, Esqr. and is four poles wide at the north and extends the same width to the river leading to Sandbornton bridge, west of land belonging to James Clark, Esqr.,

south of land I deeded to Tristram Sandborn, and east of the road leading to Sandbornton Meetinghouse, which half acre so included & appropriate, and give for a public buryal place is to be bounded south by land I have deeded to him. Thirdly, I give, bequeath and devise, also to the said Dearborn Sandborn, all that parte of my land lying in Sandbornton which is circumscribed within the following limits, to with, on the east and south by the Winnepisiokie River north and west by land owned by John D. Sandborn and the bottom or foot of the high ridge following the foot of the ridge south, until it comes to the road leading to Republican bridge, saving and reserving all the landing lots except number six in the plan exhibited to me by Edward Blodget, Esqr. likewise my silver watch and my share in the Library in Sandbornton to be delivered to him, by my executors hereafter named after my decease.

Item 13th - I give, bequeath and devise, unto my second daughter, Lydia Sandborn, lott numbered four in the seven landing lots so-called in Sandbornton, as planned and exhibited to me by Edward Blodget, Esquire and is four poles wide at the north and extends the same width to the river, likewise one feather bed, one large silver spoon, my large iron kettle, and warming pan, to be delivered by my executors hereafter named, after my decease as soon as may be.

Item 14th, I leave in the hands of my executors hereafter named, all and singular my other estate, both real and personal, not herein bequeathed and divided to be my them disposed of to the best advantage, and out of the avails thereof, to pay, first my funeral charges, secondly all my just and lawfull debts, thirdly, the expenses attendant on the final closing of their executorship, and the payment of the several legacies and fourthly and lastly the surplus, if any, to be disposed of by my said executors as they may think fit.

Item 15th and lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint, and constitute my sons, John Dearborn Sandborn and Dearborn Sandborn, to be executors of this my last will and testament hereby revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made. In testimony whereof I the said Jeremiah Sandborn, have, to this my last will and testament set my hand and seal this twenty fifth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

Jeremiah Sandborn.

Signed, sealed published and declared, by the above named Jeremiah Sandborn, as and for his last will and testament in presents of us, who at his request, in his presents, and in the presents of each other, have

subscribed our names as witnesses thereto: James Clark, Samuel Clark, Edwd Blodget.

QUESTIONS: *Was this Will replaced during the years 1813 - 1823? And, back in 1983 I received a phone call from the current owner of the grandfather clock mentioned in the will, seeking a direct descendant of Jeremiah who might be interested in acquiring it. Who has it now? If you know, please let us know. Ed.*

ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS

Addition to quotation in Signatures,
vol XIII, issue 2, Spring 1997, p 2:

In 1780 John Adams wrote to wife, Abigail: *"I must study politics and war that my sons may have liberty to study mathematics and philosophy. My sons ought to study mathematics and philosophy, geography, natural history and naval architecture, navigation, commerce and agriculture, in order to give their children a right to study painting, poetry, music, architecture, statuary, tapestry and porcelain."*
John Adams

Correction to Sanborn Signatures, Spring 1997, p 13: SANBORN, John Wentworth, Rev., did not marry a fifth wife. Apparently there were three by the same name born within five years of each other. John Wentworth SANBORN, born 1845, (VCS #1146Aiv-i) married Maria Perkins Jan 1872 in Great Falls, Strafford NH. - *Thanks to William P. Foster, 21 Sep 1997.*

Names Changed in Massachusetts 1780 - 1892

SANBORN:

Alice Doty, formerly Constance Emily ARRINGTON (adoption), 25 Mar 1885, Salem, at Norfolk Co., p 267.

Anna V.B., formerly Anna V. BARNARD (adoption), 24 Jan 1860, Lowell, Middlesex Co. - p 154.

Arthur H., (adopted) changed name to Ernest Thompson STONE, 15 Nov 1887, Westborough, at Worcester Co. - p 278.

Edith Brookings White, formerly Edith WHITE,

19 Nov 1878, Somerville, Middlesex County MA. - p 227.

Ellen Augusta, formerly Ellen Augusta HASKINS (adoption), 16 Feb 1869, Rockport, Essex County. - p 185.

Emily Josephine, changed name to Sarah Emily SANBORN, 2 Aug 1869, Lynn, Essex. - p 185.

Eugene, to Asa Howard EMERY, 6 May 1878, Boston, Suffolk County (adoption). - p 225.

Ida Helen, formerly Ada Ellen BEASLEY (adoption), 8 Mar 1871, Quincy, Norfolk Co. p 195.

Lucy Jane, formerly Lucy GARDNER (adoption), 14 Oct 1872, Boston, Suffolk. - p 197.

Mary Jane, of Lowell, may take the name of Mary Jane ROLLINS, 16 Apr '826. - p 79.

Mercy Knight, formerly Mercy K. PICKERING, 25 Oct 1887, Somerville, Middlesex. - p 277.

Nathaniel Benjamin, formerly Carl SHERMAN (adoption), 16 May 1888, Boston, at Norfolk Co. - p 285.

SANBORN-ORVIS CEMETERY SPRING GROVE, IL

Located north of Spring Grove, McHenry County, this cemetery is 150 years old, contains 30 graves of members of the marriage-related Sanborn and Orvis Sanborn, including Winthrop SANBORN (VCS #359), a New Hampshire man who fought in an eastern militia during the Revolutionary War and died in McHenry County in 1842 at age 82. Buried a few feet away is his son, John (VCS #929), who died in 1866. John was among a group of U. S. Soldiers who tried to capture Sauk tribal leader Chief Blackhawk in northern Illinois in 1836.

- *Chicago Tribune, Thursday, December 26, 1996, Section 2, Page 8.*

Note: Apparently this Cemetery was co-named for the family of Samuel L. Orvis of English Prairie, who married Lavinia Sanborn (b 1841), daughter of John. - Ed.

QUERIES

SANBORN, daughter- Ed., white, 9th ward, d/o William (a carpenter) and Julia. - Knox Co. TN Vital Records, 1881-1894. Who was she??? - Ed.

SANBORN, Arthur Prescott, s/o John Wentworth Sanborn, divorced wife Madeline Niemi about 1922 and

married again, who were his children? - *Bill Foster, 116 Fendley Lane, Fair Play SC 29643-2314.*

SANBORN, David (VCS#90), and son **David (VCS #244)** had wives, Sarah Waddell and Sarah Fuller, need information on both, and information to granddaughter, **Hannah (VCS #244viii)** who m W. H. Graves. - *R. A. Baxter, 1219 Short, New Orleans LA 70118.*

SANBORN, Josiah (VCS #291), b 1771 m 1794 Olive Fogg, possibly of Exeter and they moved to Sanbornton NH and Belfast ME. Need family of Olive, and spouses of the children of their son, David. Some buried in Shorey Cemetery, Waldo ME. Also, **Hannah SANBORN b 1768 (VCS #290iii)** m Peter Smith, had daughter, Lydia b 1787 who m John Hawkins, Jr., need children of Lydia. - **B. E. Shorey, 4900 Chancellor St., NE, S. Petersburg FL 33703**

SANBORN, Margaret, married 31 Oct 1819 **John HILTON**, s/o Lt. John & Rachel (Gray) Hilton, born 1783, died 1862 possibly in Cincinnati OH. Who were her parents, children? - *HILTON Researcher, 2226 Commonwealth Ave., Newton MA 02166-1804.*

SANBORN, Moses Herman, a plastic sheet containing several photos of, in Fremont NH, as well as several photos of a small cemetery in Chester NH were donated to SFA at the August Reunion. Please drop a note and let me know who you are and give more information about the items. - *Betty Sanborn, 312 Chester Road, Candia NH 03034.*

SANBORN, Winfield Scott, b 2 Aug 1853 Naples ME, was one of the ten children of Marshall Sanborn (VCS #876ii) born 1825, died 17 Mar 1901 Naples ME and Hester Ann BARTON. He married 1. Susie Emery of Portland ME and had Percy, William and Carrie; then after her death moved to Lynn MA. He m 2. in 1893 at Lynn MA to Annie L. Banks, born Nova Scotia, d/o Joseph and Hannah. Did he move to Boston to be near his widowed father who died there in 1901?, Did he and Annie have any children? Where did Winfield die? - *Beatrice Fortin, Steep Falls ME 04085.*

(A note from Edgar R. Barton in 1984, *now deceased*, gave other children of Marshall; **Lagrove M.** 9 Nov 1855 m Julia GERRY and had

Curtis, Inez and Eva; **George E.**, 9 Jun 1857 m 1. Ella WHITE and 2. Alice HIGGINS, had George, Perley, Edward, Marjorie, Maria and Captola; **Leslie Wilson**, 28 Dec 1858-11 Mar 1933, m 1. Emma CHAPLIN, 28 Dec 1858 Naples ME - 11 Mar 1933 Bridgton ME, d/o Washington Chaplin, Jr., and Eliza (Cannell), had children, Arthur Wilson and Frederick Robie; 2. **Georgianna CANNELL**, 26 Oct 1861 -, d/o Eben H. and Mary Frances (Chaplin), 3. **Abbie FULLERTON**; **Nellie** 15 Sep 1860 m William H. SMETT; **Rose F.** 3 Jan 1862-27 Dec 1901 m 1. Edward McGREGOR and 2. Edward LEGG, had Eddie Jr. and Maude H. McGregor, and **Hattie E.** - *Ed.*)

Note: **Arthur Wilson SANBORN**, s/o Leslie W., 10 Sep 1881 - 11 Feb 1945 m Ella Jennings from Morton's Harbor, Newfoundland. **Frederick Robie SANBORN**, s/o Leslie W., 8 Mar 1883 -, m 30 Nov 1905 in South Bridgeton, Ruth Andrews Barnard, d/o Robert Andrews and Annette (Farnham. They had children: 1. Robert Leslie, 10 Nov 1906 who m 1946 Elsbeth Adams Smith, d/o Augustus H. and Josephine (Adams); 2. Mary Frances, 14 Apr 1910 m Charles Folsom Trumbull, had ch: Charles Allan and Frederick William; 3. Philip Marshall, 25 Apr 1914 m 1933 Dorothy Merrifield, d/o Percy and Edith (Burnell), had ch: William Lee, Janice Cary, Philip Marshall, Jr., and Judith Anne; 4. Helen Virginia, 31 Dec 1920 m 1942 Lawrence Elwyn Walker, s/o George D. and Nellie (Lord), had child Richard Lawrence. - *The Chaplin Genealogy, Leonla Chaplin Ellis of Cornish ME, 1949, p 38 and 67.* - *Ed.*)

SANDBORNE, William, of Prince George County VA in 1704. Who was he??? - *Ed.*

Lane Tavern MOLASSES COOKIES
(150 year old recipe from Sanbornton NH)

1/3 cup butter or margarine
2/3 cup water
1 cup Black Strap/or Grandma's molasses
2 1/4 cup unbleached flour
1 1/4 tsp. Baking soda
1 tsp. Ginger
1 tsp. Cinnamon
1/4 tsp. Cloves

Bring water and margarine to boil, then remove from heat and add molasses. Mix together dry ingredients and add liquid (wire whisk works best). Drop by small teaspoonfuls onto greased baking sheet. Bake at 350 for about 7 minutes (check sooner). Makes about 45 cookies. - *Tavern Talks, Box 2, Sanbornton NH 03269.*



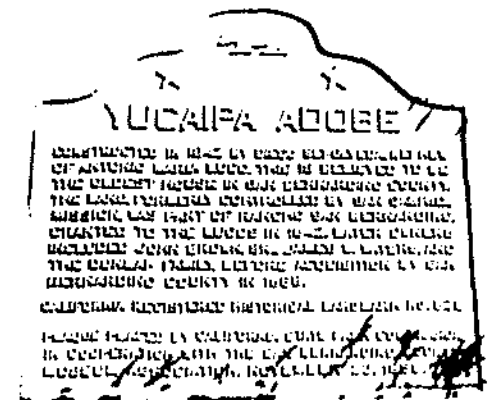
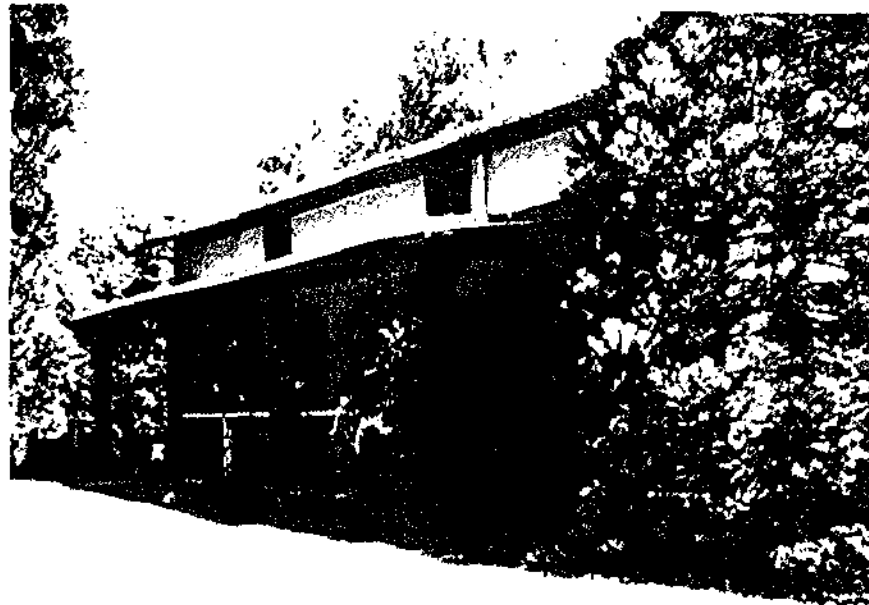
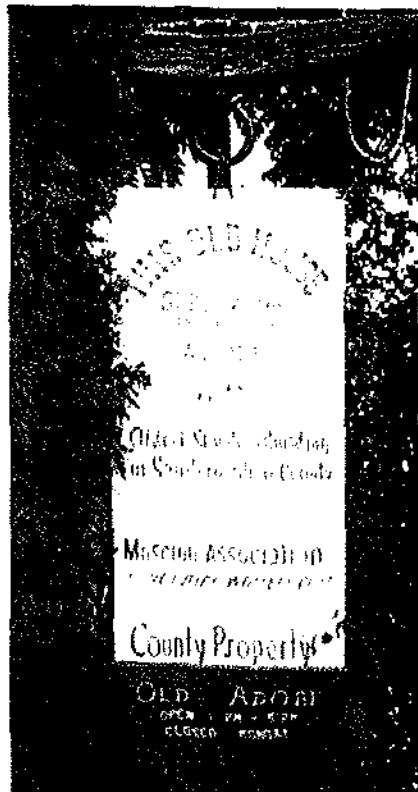
EARL SANBORN standing with horses near the corner of Third and D Streets in San Bernardino, California in 1905. *"Sanborn, a cowboy, lived in Yucaipa. Driving a team of horses between the two towns was an all-day job" back then.*



Yucaipa California, circa 1912. Yucaipa Hardware Store on right.

Sepulveda Adobe

Kentucky and California Streets—
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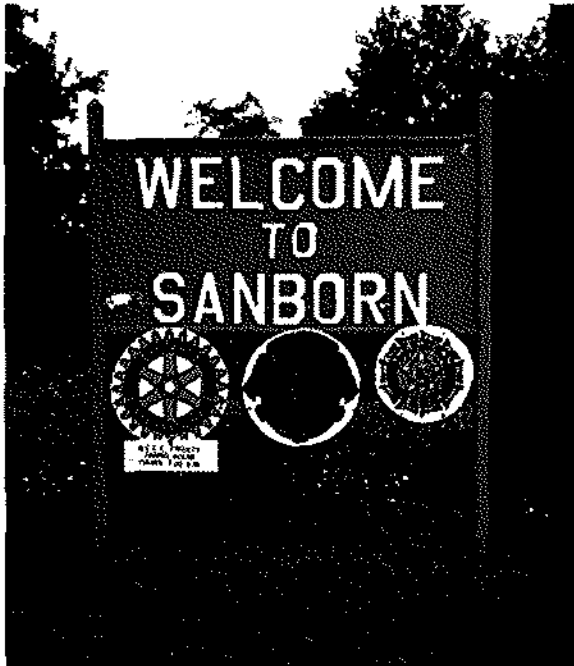


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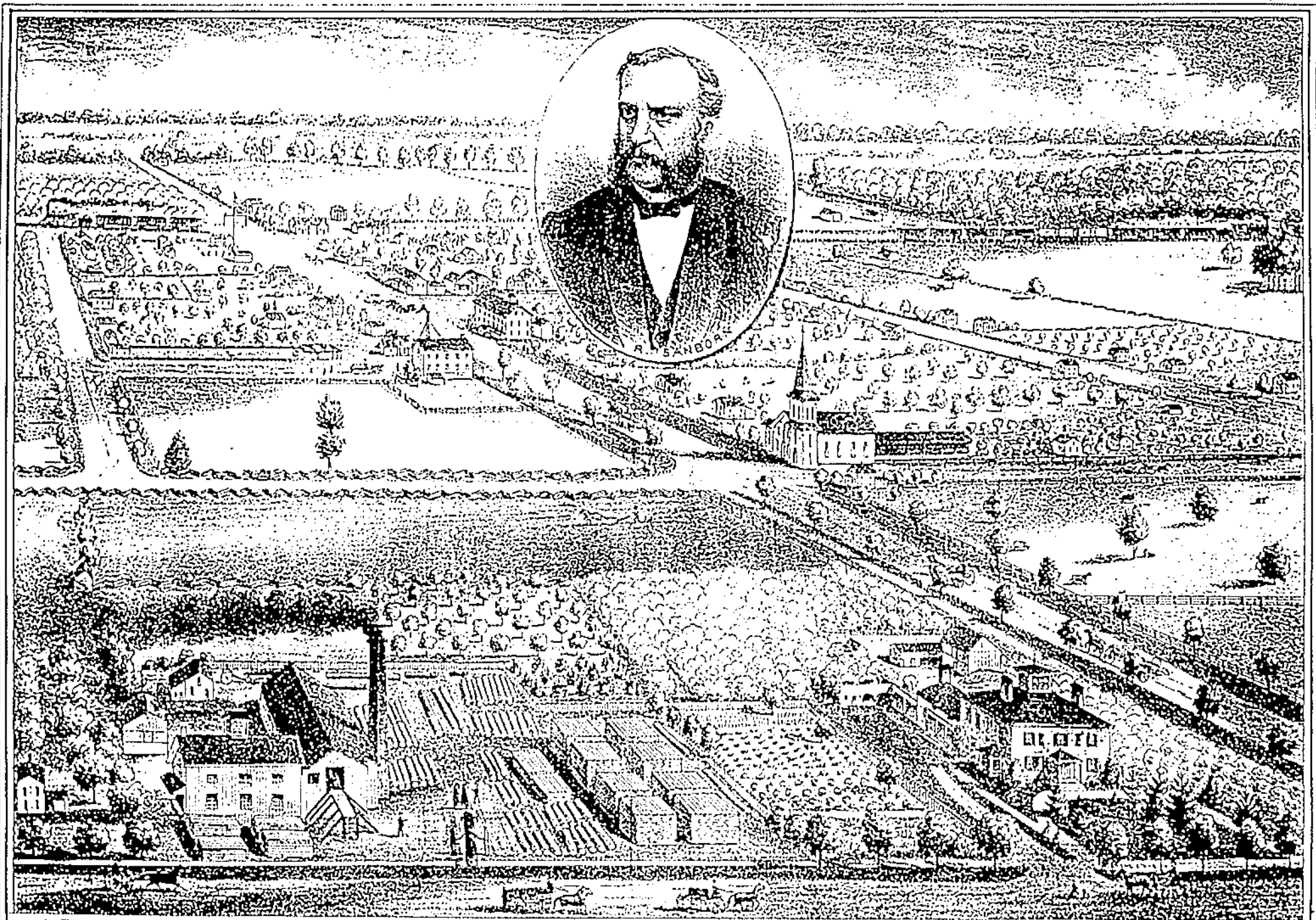
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