

Beginning Genealogical Research at the National Archives: Civilian Records



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What is NARA?

- **NARA** is the nation's record keeper.
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 - ▣ Executive Branch
 - ▣ Legislative Branch
 - ▣ Judicial Branch & Federal Courts
 - ▣ Continental & Confederation Congresses

What We Do Not Have

- Vital statistics (birth, death, marriage, divorce)
- Prepared or published family histories
- Newspapers
- Few colonial (pre-Federal) records
- No single index to all of our holdings!

What We Have

- Census Records 1790-1940
 - ▣ Includes Non-Population Census
- Immigration Records
- Naturalization Records
- Passport Applications

Census Records

- ▣ 1790-1940
- ▣ Every 10 years
- ▣ Closed for 72 years after they are taken
- ▣ Arrangement:
 - Year
 - State
 - County
- ▣ Start with the most recent census and work backwards

Census Records

- ▣ 1790-1840
 - Lists the head of the household
 - Gives statistics on the household members

1840 Census

| SLAVES | | | | | | | | | | NUMBER OF PERSONS IN EACH FAMILY EMPLOYED IN | | | | | PERSONS FOR REVOLUTIONARY OR MILITARY SERVICES INCLUDED IN THE FOREGOING | | DEAF AND DUMB, BLIND, AND MUTE WHITE PERSONS INCLUDED IN THE FOREGOING | | | | SCHOOLS, &c. | | | | | | |
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| MALES | | | | | FEMALES | | | | | TOTAL | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males | Females | Ages | DEAF AND DUMB | | BLIND | | MUTE | | No. of Schools | No. of Scholars | No. of Scholars in Public Schools | |
| Under 10 | 10 to 24 | 25 to 49 | 50 to 99 | 100 and up | Under 10 | 10 to 24 | 25 to 49 | 50 to 99 | 100 and up | | | | | | | | | Under 14 | 15 to 24 | 25 to 49 | 50 and up | Under 14 | 15 to 24 | | | | 25 and up |
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| | | | | | | | | | | 215 | 22 | 22 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |



Samuel Yoder

0 Slaves

7 people in household

--- really 8

2 people work in Agriculture

Census Records

- ▣ 1850-1870
 - List all members of the household
 - Does not give relationship to head of household

- ▣ 1850 & 1860
 - Separate Free and Slave Schedules

| NAMES OF SLAVE OWNERS. | DESCRIPTION. | | | | | | | | Total Males, females, or whole. |
|------------------------|------------------|-----|---|---|-------|----------------------------------|--|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| | Number of Slaves | Sex | | | Color | Profession, Trade, or Occupation | Number of Years since last Enumeration | Males, females, or whole. | |
| | | M | F | B | | | | | |
| Franklin F. Jones | 1 | 30 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 2 | F | B | | | | | |
| Otho Belt | 1 | 42 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 25 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 23 | M | B | | | | | |
| Sarah Johnson | 1 | 8 | F | B | | | | | |
| Caroline B. Moore | 1 | 36 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 28 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 7 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 5 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 3 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 4 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 2 | M | B | | | | | |
| Federick C. Harman | 1 | 13 | F | B | | | | | |
| Septimus Hopkins | 1 | 35 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 32 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 8 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 5 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 4 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 2 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 2 | F | B | | | | | |
| Isaac Anderson | 1 | 17 | M | B | | | | | |
| Jonathan Waters | 1 | 35 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 27 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 26 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 24 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 21 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 14 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 13 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 16 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 9 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 9 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 7 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 6 | M | B | | | | | |
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| | 1 | 4 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 2 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 3 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 2 | F | B | | | | | |
| William Cooke | 1 | 26 | F | B | | | | | |
| William L. Washburn | 1 | 27 | F | B | | | | | |

| NAMES OF SLAVE OWNERS. | DESCRIPTION. | | | | | | | | Total Males, females, or whole. |
|------------------------------|------------------|-----|---|---|-------|----------------------------------|--|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| | Number of Slaves | Sex | | | Color | Profession, Trade, or Occupation | Number of Years since last Enumeration | Males, females, or whole. | |
| | | M | F | B | | | | | |
| Franklin F. Jones | 1 | 30 | M | B | | | | | |
| Richard B. Watkins | 1 | 30 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 18 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 14 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 14 | M | B | | | | | |
| Thos Watkins | 1 | 42 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 28 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 27 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 8 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 8 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 6 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 4 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 2 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 2 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 7 | F | B | | | | | |
| Mary Pierce | 1 | 18 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 15 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 9 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 45 | F | B | | | | | |
| Sam S. Holland | 1 | 40 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 12 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 8 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 6 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 2 | M | B | | | | | |
| Elizabeth Brown | 1 | 53 | F | B | | | | | |
| Sam P. Wall | 1 | 14 | F | B | | | | | |
| William Clark | 1 | 32 | F | B | | | | | |
| Amanda Green | 1 | 58 | M | B | | | | | |
| Greenish Wells | 1 | 32 | M | B | | | | | |
| Mary Benge | 1 | 15 | F | B | | | | | |
| Isabel Appleby | 1 | 20 | F | B | | | | | |
| William B. Sney | 1 | 42 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 38 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 9 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 9 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 15 | F | B | | | | | |
| James Carr | 1 | 12 | F | B | | | | | |
| Rebecca Waters | 1 | 40 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 18 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 11 | F | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 9 | M | B | | | | | |
| | 1 | 7 | F | B | | | | | |

1850 Slave Schedule
Maryland

72 Inquiries numbered 7, 16, and 17 are not to be added in respect to foreign. Inquiries numbered 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, and 29 are to be answered (if at all) merely by an alternative mark, or /.

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 SCHEDULE 1.—Inhabitants in Prescott, in the County of Yavapai, of Arizona, enumerated by me on the 7 day of July, 1870.
 Post Office: Prescott Ariz. A. G. Quinn, Asst. Marshal.

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | |
|----|-------------------|----|---------------------------|---|---------------------------------|------|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|----------------|------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|--|
| | | | | | | | Value of Real Estate | Value of Personal Estate | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 50 | Ryan John | 23 | 20 | W | Blacksmith | | | | | England | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Loggins John | 23 | 20 | W | Blacksmith | | | | | England | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Patterson H | 24 | 20 | W | Wholesale | | | | | Canada | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | James Bonard | 28 | 20 | W | Laborer | | | | | Scotland | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | William John | 20 | 20 | W | Black Smith | | | | | Mass | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | James Peter | 49 | 20 | W | Blacksmith | | | | | Ireland | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Christians John | 20 | 20 | W | Walter | | | | | Mexico | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Estevan Andres | 28 | 20 | W | Laborer | | | | | Mexico | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | James H. Howard | 21 | 20 | W | Laborer | | | | | Mexico | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Maranda Howard | 30 | 20 | W | Laborer | | | | | Mexico | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | James Flynn | 27 | 20 | W | | | | | | Sea | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | James Andrew | 11 | 20 | W | | | | | | Sea | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | James Maclellan | 28 | 20 | W | | | | | | Sea | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Charles Lebarrie | 16 | 20 | W | | | | | | Sea | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | William James | 24 | 20 | W | | | | | | Sea | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | James Benjamin | 21 | 20 | W | | | | | | Sea | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Lakaria James | 28 | 20 | W | | | | | | Sea | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | George Robinson | 16 | 20 | W | | | | | | Sea | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Arvanta Thomas | 11 | 20 | W | | | | | | Sea | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | William Lee | 24 | 20 | W | | | | | | Sea | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Richard Thomas | 21 | 20 | W | | | | | | Sea | / | / | | | | | | | | | | |
| 55 | Laughlin John | 25 | 20 | W | Wagoner | 100 | 200 | | | New York | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | W. Coffey Joseph | 12 | 20 | W | Spec. Trade | | | | | New Jersey | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Wright David | 27 | 20 | W | Wagoner | | | | | Ohio | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 56 | Taylor Maggie | 19 | 20 | W | Wagoner | | | | | California | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | W. Thomas | 18 | 20 | W | Sea | | | | | New York | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 57 | Brandon John | 30 | 20 | W | Merchant | 1500 | | | | Ohio | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | James A. B. | 46 | 20 | W | Merchant | | | | | Penn | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Benjamin J. | 27 | 20 | W | Merchant | | | | | Indiana | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 58 | James James | 22 | 20 | W | Farmer | 2000 | 200 | | | North Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | — James | 22 | 20 | W | Sea | | 2000 | | | Illinois | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | — John | 60 | 20 | W | Wagoner | | | | | Kentucky | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | — James | 25 | 20 | W | Farmer | 600 | | | | Sea | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | James Pierce | 22 | 20 | W | Wagoner | 500 | | | | New York | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Benjamin J. | 24 | 20 | W | Wagoner | | | | | Penn | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 59 | Wright J. B. | 40 | 20 | W | Merchant | 2000 | 2000 | | | Alabama | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Thomas W. | 25 | 20 | W | Wagoner | | | | | Indiana | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | George W. | 31 | 20 | W | Wagoner | | | | | Missouri | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Thomas J. | 28 | 20 | W | Sea | | | | | Virginia | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 60 | Taylor Charles | 29 | 20 | W | Wagoner | | | | | North Carolina | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | Total of males 60 | | Total of white females 41 | | Total of males, foreign born 74 | | 5400 | 10800 | Total of females 1 | | 2020 | | | | | | | | | | | |

1870 Census
 Prescott, Arizona

Census Records

- 1880-1940
 - Relationships to the head of household
 - 1900-1940 Citizenship Information
 - Year of immigration
 - Naturalization status (Naturalized – Na; filed first papers – Pa; Alien – Al)
 - 1920 – year of naturalization
 - Arranged by Enumeration Districts
 - Soundexing begins

1880 Census

Andrew Davis

White male, age 70

Occupation: ship carpenter

Born in MA

Father born MA

Mother born MA

Mary, age 41 (daughter) is

a teacher

Lucinda, age 55 (sister)

keeps house

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Superior's Dist. No. 60
Examination Dist. No. 592

Note A.—The Census Year begins June 1, 1870, and ends May 31, 1880.
Note B.—All persons will be included in the Enumeration who were living on the 1st day of June, 1880. No others will. Children BORN SINCE June 1, 1880, will be OMITTED. Members of Families who have DIED SINCE June 1, 1880, will be INCLUDED.
Note C.—Questions Nos. 14, 22 and 23 are not to be asked in respect to persons under 10 years of age.

SCHEDULE I.—Inhabitants in Boslow, in the County of Suffolk, State of Massachusetts
enumerated by me on the 1st day of June, 1880.

Wm. Armstrong

| Class | | Name | | Age | | Sex | | Race | | Color | | Marital | | Religion | | Place of Birth | | Place of Birth of Father | | Place of Birth of Mother | | |
|-------|------|---------------|---------|-------|--------|-----|----|------|----|-------|----|---------|------|----------|-------|----------------|---------------|--------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| No. | Sub. | Given | Surname | Years | Months | M. | F. | W. | C. | O. | O. | Mar. | Unm. | Ep. | Pres. | Other | State | County | Town | State | County | Town |
| 1 | 1 | John | Jr. G. | 70 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Mary E. | | 39 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | John W. S. | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Harriet J. P. | | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Mary | | 27 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Jarah | | 26 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Harriet | | 26 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Charlotte | | 26 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| 7 | 3 | Johnson | Charles | 40 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Katie | | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | John | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Mattie E. | | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| 9 | 3 | Davis | Andrew | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Mary A. | | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Lucinda | | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| 11 | 6 | Piggin | Wm | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | James Wm | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Jedson G. | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Smith G. H. | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Albin | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Neil Jas. B. | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Albin G. | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Smith P. E. | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Albin | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| 13 | 5 | Light | Wm P. | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Bathrine | | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Wmville | | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | George J. | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Marion Edwin | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Nancy | | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Lee Wm | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| 10 | 6 | Quinn | James | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Rachel | | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Melville | | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| 24 | 7 | Mate | Lyette | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Alfred G. | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Mary G. | | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | A B | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Phineas Wm B. | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Wm J. Miller | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| 23 | 8 | Morrill | Wm B. | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Leah P. | | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Marion E. | | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Geo E. | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Wm J. | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Bradford Ledy | | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| 13 | | Houma | Jamuel | 37 | 07 | M | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |
| | | Jarah J. | | 37 | 07 | F | | | | | | | | | | | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester | Massachusetts | Worcester | Worcester |

Note D.—In making entries in columns 9, 10, 11, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, an abbreviation may only be used—such as "Wm" for William, "John" for John, etc.—in the case of divorced persons, column 11, when the letter "D" is to be used.
Note E.—Question No. 22 will only be asked in cases where an affirmative answer has been given either to question 14 or to question 11.
Note F.—Question No. 14 will only be asked in cases where a general occupation has been reported in column 11.
Note G.—In column 7 an abbreviation in the case of the month may be used, as Jan., Apr., Dec.

1890 Veteran's Census

William Finn
 Served in the 1st
 Engineers, Co. J
 Enlisted June 1862
 Discharged Oct. 13,
 1868 (served 6 years, 3
 months)

| PAGE | | Special Schedule.—Surviving Soldiers, Sailors, and Marines, and Widows, etc. | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|------------|--|---------|---|-------|-----------|-----------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|----|--|
| 26 | | S. D.: _____; E. D.: 757; Minor Civil Division: Massachusetts | | | | | | | | | | |
| Form No. | Family No. | NAMES OF SURVIVING SOLDIERS, SAILORS, AND MARINES, AND WIDOWS. | | | Rank. | Company | Name of Regiment or Vessel. | Date of Enlistment. | Date of Discharge. | Length of Service. | | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | |
| 30 | 55 | William Finn | Private | J | 1st | Engineers | June 1862 | Oct 13 1868 | 6 | 3 | 13 | |
| 36 | 66 | Mary M. widow of John Finn | | | | | | | | | | |
| 47 | 86 | Mass R. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 35 | 64 | Richard | Private | | | | | | | | | |
| 35 | 64 | Richard | Private | | | | | | | | | |
| 53 | 101 | James | Private | | | | | | | | | |
| 56 | 105 | John | Private | | | | | | | | | |
| 56 | 105 | Mary M. widow of John Finn | | | | | | | | | | |
| 57 | 107 | Joseph H. | Private | | | | | | | | | |
| 60 | 114 | William | Private | | | | | | | | | |
| 60 | 114 | William | Private | | | | | | | | | |
| 64 | 118 | Robert | Private | | | | | | | | | |
| 72 | 135 | John | Private | | | | | | | | | |
| 76 | 143 | John | Private | | | | | | | | | |
| FORM-OFFICE ADDRESS. | | DISABILITY INCURRED. | | | | | REMARKS. | | | | | |
| 12 D 10 | | 11 | | | | | 12 | | | | | |
| Finn William | | Chronic trouble | | | | | Norfolk Hospital | | | | | |
| Caldwell Moses R. | | discharged disability | | | | | in Mexican war. | | | | | |
| John Fitzgerald | | discharged disability | | | | | New Orleans | | | | | |
| John Murray | | discharged disability | | | | | wounded left arm | | | | | |

1940 Census

- Release date: April 2, 2012
 - Digital (no microfilm)
 - More information:
 - ▣ <http://www.archives.gov/research/census/1940/index.html>
- 1950 Census will be released in 2022.

Census Records – Related Records

- ▣ Descriptions of Enumeration Districts (EDs)
- ▣ Enumeration District Maps
- ▣ 1885 Territorial Censuses
- ▣ 1935 Puerto Rico Census

Census Records – Availability

- Microfilm
 - ▣ National Archives Building & Regional Archives
 - ▣ FamilySearch Centers www.familysearch.org

- Online
 - ▣ www.ancestry.com (\$)
 - ▣ www.fold3.com (partial) (\$)

- Mail Order:
 - ▣ NATF Form 82 (for specific individual)
 - ▣ Fees apply

Immigration Records

- U.S. Customs Service
 - ▣ 1820-1890
 - Philadelphia starts in 1800
- Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS)
 - ▣ 1891–1957

Immigration Records

- Major Ports

- ▣ Philadelphia 1800 – 1952
- ▣ New York 1820 – 1957
- ▣ Baltimore 1820 – 1957
- ▣ Boston 1820 – 1943
- ▣ New Orleans 1820 – 1952
- ▣ San Francisco 1882 – 1957

- Border Crossings

- ▣ St. Albans 1895 – 1954
- ▣ Mexican ca. 1903 – ca. 1955

Immigration Records – What Can I Find?

All Records

- Name of the Vessel
- Name of the Ship's Master
- Ports of Arrival and Embarkation
- Date of Departure
- Date of Arrival

Immigration Records – What Can I Find?

Early Records (early to mid 19th century records)

- Name of individual
- Age
- Occupation
- Country of origin
- Destination

Proof and Manifest of the cargo laden on board the Brig Experiment... New Jersey, wharf John Ashby is master, which cargo was... owned by Wm Hall, merchant at New York, as per register granted at New York the 27th day of June 1809 and bound for Philadelphia.

| Number | Contents | By whom delivered | Place of consignation | Place of destination |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| GEK 5 | One box | C. T. Hutzy | Philadelphia | Philadelphia |
| ES 36 | One do | C. T. Hutzy | " | " |
| PGW 108 | Eight barrels | C. T. Hutzy | " | " |
| FAS 243 | One wood wine | C. T. Hutzy | " | " |
| IGY 105 | Five do do | C. T. Hutzy | " | " |
| NY 309 | Two do Watches | C. T. Hutzy | " | " |
| 5 | One do: Tools | C. T. Hutzy | " | " |
| 25 or 28 30 34 38 41 | One hundred twenty four best linnen | C. A. Buckle | L. Krumpholtz | " |
| 1 | Fourteen best linnen | C. D. Krumpholtz | do do | " |
| 1 | One chest glass | " | do do | " |
| 1 | One box sealing wax | " | do do | " |
| 1 | One sample box linnen | do do | do do | " |
| 1 | One box childrens work on white paper | do do | do do | " |
| 1 | One box Samples | do do | do do | " |
| 1 | One small bale | do do | do do | " |
| 1 | One trunk cloths | do do | do do | " |
| 1 | One small bale Merchandise | do do | do do | " |

- Partial Cargo List:**
- 14 boxes linnen
 - One chest glass
 - One box sealing wax

Cabin Passengers
 J. H. Block, with one trunk beds & bedding
 J. G. Vogt - Two trunks one portmanteau one tin sugar box one tin coffee box one bag paper beds & bedding
 F. S. Schneider, one trunk one small chest bed & bedding
 C. W. Bolton, his wife & three children with one trunk one tin family medicine one chest one liquor one bed & bedding
 Henry Vogt, his wife & three children with one trunk beds & bedding

Henry Vogt and his wife and three children
 1 trunk and bags of bedding

Brig Experiment,
 arriving in
 Philadelphia
 June 27, 1809

Mary Callaghan

- 17 years old
- female
- Irish
- domestic servant
- going to Chicago
- traveled in “female steerage”

6
MORE—PORT OF BALTIMORE.

British Steam-ship *Nova Scotian* do solemnly, sincerely, and truly swear to the Collector of the Customs of the Collection District of New York, is a full and perfect List *Bound for U.S.A.* from which Port sex, and the occupation of each of said passengers, the part of the vessel occupied by each during intended by each to become an inhabitant; and that said List or Manifest truly sets forth the of those who died.

So help me, God.
Robt Hughes

the British Steam-ship *Nova Scotian* whereof
Liverpool burthen — *2081* — tons

| N. | The Country to which they severally belong. | The State or Town to which the Passenger is destined. | Died on the Voyage. | Part of the Vessel occupied by each Passenger during the Voyage. |
|-----|---|---|---------------------|--|
| 212 | <i>Wm Joyce</i> | <i>Chicago Ill</i> | | <i>Female Steerage</i> |
| 213 | <i>Mary Callaghan</i> | <i>Baltimore Md</i> | | <i>Male</i> 1 |
| 214 | <i>Davis McCarthy</i> | <i>Chicago Ill</i> | | <i>Female</i> 1 |
| 215 | <i>Wm Fulley</i> | | | <i>Male</i> 2 |
| 216 | <i>Mary</i> | <i>Minnesota</i> | | <i>Female</i> 1 |
| 217 | <i>Edith</i> | | | |
| 218 | <i>Peter Casey</i> | | | |
| 219 | <i>E. Kehins</i> | | | |
| 220 | <i>Pete Hausen or Poulson</i> | | | |
| 221 | <i>Maria Hausen or Poulson</i> | | | |

9
Ireland

1 Born at Sea 10th August.

Pete and Maria Hausen (or Poulson)

- born at sea August 10, 1886
- Maria died August 17, 1886
- Pete died August 12, 1886
- both died of syncope

S.S. *Nova Scotian* arriving Baltimore Aug

Immigration Records – What Can I Find?

Later Records (late 19th century to 20th century records)

- ▣ Name of individual
- ▣ Names of traveling companions (if any)
- ▣ Age and personal description
- ▣ Occupation
- ▣ Last residence
- ▣ Name and address of relatives they are going to join
- ▣ Whether they can read or write
- ▣ Whether they are a polygamist or an anarchist
- ▣ Amount of money they are carrying

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

Record on this blank United States citizens and citizens of insular possessions of the United States arriving at a port of continental United States from a foreign port or a port of the insular possessions of the United States, and such citizens arriving at a port of said insular possessions from a foreign port, a port of continental United States, or a port of another insular possession.

LIST OF UNITED STATES CITIZENS
(FOR THE IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES)

Number **52**

8. S. "MARTINIC" sailing from **SOUTHAMPTON** 21st MARCH, 1923, Arriving at port of **NEW YORK** MARCH 27, 1923.

| No. on List | NAME IN FULL. | | AGE. | Sex. | MARRIED | IF NATIVE OF UNITED STATES INSULAR POSSESSION OR IF NATIVE OF UNITED STATES, GIVE DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH (CITY OR TOWN AND STATE). | IF NATURALIZED, GIVE NAME AND LOCATION OF COURT WHICH ISSUED NATURALIZATION PAPERS, AND DATE OF PAPERS. | ADDRESS IN UNITED STATES. |
|-------------|---------------|-------------|------|------|---------|---|---|--|
| | FAMILY NAME. | Given Name. | | | | | | |
| 1 | MENCK | George. | 56 | M | M | 2420 54 7 | Court of Common Pleas Essex County N.Y. 1902 Naturalized. | 45, Park Place, N.Y.C. |
| 2 | DORRIAN | Rose. | 28 | F | S | 8 Oct. 1894. Minneapolis, Minn. | 244710 7 | 489, Sheridan Road, Chicago, Ill. |
| 3 | LADEN | Samuel. | 35 | M | M | Hamlet, New Jersey. | Common Pleas Court Essex County N.Y. June 1st 1921 | 77, Beak Av. Newark, N.J. |
| 4 | KILPATRICK | Dorothea. | 42 | F | M | 10 Oct. 1880. New York. | 1106 End Rowdon | Camden Hotel, New York. |
| | | | 48 | M | M | Feb. 7. 1875. Cincinnati, O. | 240235 7 | 80, Boylston St. Boston, Mass. |
| | | | 48 | F | M | Nov. 1. 1874. do. | 240236 7 | do. |
| | | | 27 | M | M | Chicago Heights, Ill. May 28. 1895. | 223220 7 | 18 B. 41st Street, N.Y.C. |
| | | | 45 | F | M | Oct. 15th. 1877. Morrisania, N.Y. | 236399 7 | Oliver Cove, New York. |
| | | | 56 | M | M | Corning, N.Y. July 8. 1866. | } 243066 7 | Elmira, N.Y. |
| | | | 43 | F | M | Watertown, N.Y. Sept. 7. 1879. | | do. |
| | | | 27 | F | S | Lima, Ohio. Aug. 25. 1895. | | 14 East 44 St. N.Y.C. |
| | | | 56 | M | M | Richmond, Va. Aug. 25. 1867. | 1786 Spine 7 | 681, Fifth Ave. New York. |
| | | | 32 | F | M | By marriage. | 232841 7 | 1968 Hudson Boulevard, Jersey City, N.J. |
| | | | 37 | F | M | New York City. Jan. 28. 1886. | 52229 7 | 520, Park Ave. N.Y. |
| | | | 11 | F | S | April 9 1911. New York. | | do. |
| | | | 25 | M | S | Born of American parents Germany Apr. 6. 1897. | 216018 7 | 65, Nassau St. New York. |
| | | | 55 | M | M | Newark, N.J. June 27. 1867. | 229350 7 | Newark, N. J. |
| | | | 45 | F | M | Foughkeepsie, N.Y. July 13. 1877. | (2) | do. |
| | | | 60 | M | M | Centon, Ohio. 2/18/62. | | Centon, Ohio. |
| | | | 41 | M | S | Pittsburg. Pa. Aug. 15. 1881. | 233722 7 | Cheyenne, Wyoming. |
| | | | 47 | M | M | Dec. 1. 1876. New York City. | | c/o Messrs. T. Cook & Son, New York. |
| | | | 60 | M | M | N.Y. City. 8/1/1862. | 224727 7 | c/o T.C. & Son, New York. |
| | | | 32 | M | M | 7/1/1891. Astoria N.Y. | 238962 7 | do. |
| | | | 21 | M | M | 7/1/1901. NYC | 241469 7 | do. |
| | | | 32 | M | M | New York City. 6/6/1891. | 235831 7 | do. |
| | | | 50 | M | M | 7/1/1873. New York | 103934 7 | do. |
| | | | 38 | F | M | By Fathers Papers | 251286 7 | 904 N 64 St Phila. Pa. |
| | | | 35 | S | M | July 4th 1887 Cambridge Mass | 22041 7 | 100 Gold St New York City |
| | | | 56 | F | M | Brooklyn Court Oct 19 88. | 231760 7 | |
| | | | 56 | M | S | County Court Chicago 1893 | 4423 Special 7 | 233 Marshall Ave Pittsburgh. |

19. Boyd William. Did not embark Dup. 10/5.

21. Bryant F.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE.—1. Great care should be taken not to place on this list the name of any passenger who was not born in the United States or who has not taken out final naturalization papers.
2. Where one or more members of a family are aliens, the names of all such members should be recorded upon the alien manifest. Suitable notation may be made upon such manifest opposite the names of those members who claim citizenship.
3. Failure to observe the terms of this notice may result in delay to passengers at the port of arrival.
4. List on this form only United States citizens or citizens of an insular possession of the United States.

Seth Van Slaars

- 21 years old
- male
- married
- U.S. Passport #241469
- address in U.S.: c/o T.C. and Son, New York

S.S. Nieuw Amsterdam arriving New York June 11, 1953

Form I-414
 TREASURY DEPARTMENT
 UNITED STATES CUSTOMS SERVICE
 UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
 IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE
 (Rev. 1-5-48)

Form approved.
 Budget Bureau No. 1-200
 Approval expires 9-30-54

Prepared by: Purser A. Bruis
 Agents: H.A.L. New York, NY

LIST No. 1

LIST OF IN-BOUND PASSENGERS
 (United States Citizens and Nationals)

Class FIRST from ROTTERDAM (A. No. of destination) June 3, 1953

ON S.S. "NIEUW AMSTERDAM" (Name of vessel) arriving at port of NEW YORK, NY June 11, 1953

| LINE No. | FAMILY NAME-GIVEN NAME DESTINATION IN UNITED STATES | AGE (Years) | SEX (F-M) | MAR- RIED OR SINGLE | U. S. PASSPORT No. PLACE OF BIRTH | NUMBER AND DESCRIPTION OF PIECES OF BAGGAGE | THIS COLUMN FOR USE OF MASTER, SURGEON, AND U. S. OFFICERS |
|----------|--|----------------|--------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| 1 | ALEXANDER John | | | | 63029 Van Etenville NY | 5 SC 1 T | 1 |
| 2 | ALEXANDER Augusta | | | | 63029 Germany | 1 BX 2 PKG | |
| | ARMSTRONG Robert | | | | 34523 | | |

John Alexander

born Van Etenville, NY

U.S. passport # 63029

5 SC

1 T

Augusta Alexander

born Germany

U.S. passport # 63029

1 BX

2 PKG

Border Crossings – St. Albans

SALOON, CABIN, AND STEERAGE ALIENS MUST BE COMPLETELY MANIFESTED.

LIST OR MANIFEST OF ALIEN PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES

Required by the regulations of the Secretary of Commerce and Labor of the United States, under Act of Congress approved February 20, 1907, to be delivered to the United States Immigration Officer at Port of Arrival.

S. S. *Canada* sailing from *Liverpool* *May 27th* 1909

| No. on List | NAME IN FULL | Age | Sex | Color of Hair | Color of Eyes | Complexion | Height | Weight | Build | Markings | Place of Birth |
|-------------|-------------------|-----|-----|---------------|---------------|------------|--------|--------|---------|----------|----------------|
| 1 | Burgess, Percival | 27 | M | Light | Blue | Fair | 5 11 | 140 | Slender | None | England |
| 2 | Burgess, Emily | 27 | F | Light | Blue | Fair | 4 11 | 110 | Slender | None | England |
| 3 | Burgess, William | 4 | M | Light | Blue | Fair | 4 10 | 100 | Slender | None | England |
| 4 | Burgess, Reginald | 20 | M | Light | Blue | Fair | 5 4 | 100 | Slender | None | England |
| 5 | Burgess, Vera | 23 | F | Light | Blue | Fair | 5 4 | 100 | Slender | None | England |

NOT USED
NOT USED
NOT USED
NOT USED

THIS SHEET IS FOR STEERAGE PASSENGERS.

STATES IMMIGRATION OFFICER AT PORT OF ARRIVAL.

to the United States Immigration Officer by the Commanding Officer of any vessel having such passengers on board upon arrival at a port in the United States.

Arriving at Port of *Montreal* *June 5th* 1909

| No. on List | NAME IN FULL | Age | Sex | Color of Hair | Color of Eyes | Complexion | Height | Weight | Build | Markings | Place of Birth |
|-------------|-------------------|-----|-----|---------------|---------------|------------|--------|--------|---------|----------|----------------|
| 1 | Burgess, Percival | 27 | M | Light | Blue | Fair | 5 11 | 140 | Slender | None | England |
| 2 | Burgess, Emily | 27 | F | Light | Blue | Fair | 4 11 | 110 | Slender | None | England |
| 3 | Burgess, William | 4 | M | Light | Blue | Fair | 4 10 | 100 | Slender | None | England |
| 4 | Burgess, Reginald | 20 | M | Light | Blue | Fair | 5 4 | 100 | Slender | None | England |
| 5 | Burgess, Vera | 23 | F | Light | Blue | Fair | 5 4 | 100 | Slender | None | England |

Charles Haldor Insp. 7613
6/5/09

Percival Burgess

- age 27
- wife Emily, age 27
- son William, age 4
- occupation: bricklayer
- last residence: Sheffield, England
- final destination: Detroit, MI
- paid for passage himself and is carrying \$26.00
- has never been in the U.S. before
- not a polygamist or an anarchist

S.S. Canada arriving Montreal June 5, 1909

Border Crossings – Mexican

Form No. 103
Serial 103
Record Sheet (a) 4
Line 4

MANIFEST
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
IMMIGRATION SERVICE
MEXICAN BORDER SERVICE

Subd. No. 2845

Port of EAGLE PASS, TEXAS.
10/31-1919

ARRIVED VIA TOLL BRIDGE Head tax assessed against (c) Ex H. T. Receipt No. Ex Exempt Fee Ex

Whether (coming for temp. stay) Part of cargo Ex Form 514 No. Ex

CHARACTER OF HEAD TAX ASSIGNMENT (a)

Special deposit (1) * Term * U. S. Reg. * Ch. * Ord. 16 * Retard ordered (f) _____

Name (g) Bratton, Daniel by no one Sheet No. _____

Age (h) 24 Marital condition Single Occupation (i) Electrician Residence (j) San Antonio, Tex.

Language or dialect used Span 8491-6 Means for temporary assignment _____

Nationality Mex. Race Mixed Last residence (k) Eagle Pass, Tex.

Final destination (l) Eagle Pass, Tex.

Ticket No Passage paid by self Money for \$5.00 Ever in U. S. Yes

Period Sept. 1914 - 1919 to San Antonio, Tex.

Going to join (m) no one Name _____ Address _____

Program in country ret to U.S. No. Whether intended to go to another country within 60 days _____

Whether intended to go to another country within 60 days _____

Whether previously excluded or deported within one year (n) _____ and registration for admission has been authorized _____

Give nationality _____ Health (o) Good

| SEX | HAIR | COMPLEXION | HEIGHT | WEIGHT | MARKS OF IDENTIFICATION (p) | PLACE OF BIRTH |
|----------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| <u>M</u> | <u>Blk</u> | <u>Dark</u> | <u>5'9"</u> | <u>140</u> | <u>None</u> | <u>Alameda, Mexico</u> |

Signature of applicant (r) Daniel Bratton Signature of inspector (s) Clay O. O'Brien

Action by Board of Special Inquiry (t) U. S. I. Serial No. _____ Decision (v) _____ (ADM. OR ADM.) _____

Apprent taken by _____ Date _____

Criminal Prosecution _____ Witness (See 18) _____

Checked (u) _____ Final action _____

* Check appropriate location. 1 Insert date. 2 Insert nationality of parents (if different from applicant's). 3 Adult, married, previously convicted, etc.

Daniel Bratton

- Age 24
- Electrician
- Carrying \$15.00
- Lived in San Antonio, TX 1914 – 1919
- Returning to U.S. residence
- Final destination: Eagle Pass, TX
- Employed at the state theatre
- Personal Description:
 - 5' 9"
 - Dark complexion
 - Brown eyes

Eagle Pass, Texas

Immigration Records - Availability

- Microfilm
 - ▣ National Archives Building & select Regional Archives
 - ▣ FamilySearch Centers www.familysearch.org

- Online
 - ▣ www.ancestry.com (database & digital images) (\$)
 - ▣ www.ellisland.org (database & digital images)
 - ▣ www.castlegarden.org (database)

- Mail Order:
 - ▣ NATF Form 81 (for specific individual)
 - ▣ Fees apply

Immigration Records – Related Records

- ▣ Naturalization records
- ▣ Passport Applications
- ▣ Seamen's Protection Certificates
- ▣ Visa Applications, 1914–1940

Naturalization Records

- First naturalization act was passed in 1790
- Occur in Any Court of Record
 - ▣ Most Occurred in a County Court

- After 1906
 - ▣ Report to INS
 - ▣ For more information, see the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services' Genealogy Program website www.uscis.gov/genealogy

2-Step Process

- Declaration of Intention
 - “First Papers”
 - Renounce Former Allegiance
 - Proof of Residence usually 2 years

- Naturalization Petitions
 - Formal Application for U.S. Citizenship
 - Generally filed 3 years after the First Papers
 - Certificate of Citizenship was issued to Alien

Declaration of Intent

Pre-1906

- Name
- Country of Birth or Allegiance
- Date of the Application
- Signature

Post-1906

- Name
- Age
- Occupation
- Personal Description
- Date and Place of Birth
- Citizenship
- Present Address
- Last Foreign Address
- Vessel and Port of Embarkation
- Port and Date of Arrival
- After 1930 – May Include a Photograph of Applicant

Naturalization Petitions

Pre- September 26, 1906

- Name
- Former Sovereign
- Residence
- Occupation
- Date and Country of Birth
- Port and Date of Arrival

Post- September 26, 1906

- Citizenship
- Personal Description
- Date of Emigration
- Ports of Embarkation and Arrival
- Marital Status
- Information about Spouse
- Information about Children
- Name Changes
- Signature

Exceptions to the Rule

- Derivative Citizenship
 - Wives and Minor Children of Naturalized Men
 - Immigrant Wives of U.S. Citizens
 - 1790-1922
 - Children Under Age 21
 - 1790-1940

- Minor Aliens
 - If Living in the U.S. for 5 years prior to their 23rd Birthday
 - File Declarations & Petitions together
 - 1824-1906

Exceptions to the Rule

□ Veterans

■ 1862 Law

- Honorably Discharged Army Veterans
- 1 Year of Residence
- Not Required to File Declaration of Intent

■ 1894 Law

- Extended to Honorably Discharged Navy or Marine Corp Veterans
- Required 5 Years of Service

Location of Records

- County Court Records
 - ▣ County Court
 - ▣ County or State Archives
 - ▣ NARA Regional Facilities
 - If donated

- Federal Court Records
 - ▣ NARA Regional Facilities

- Post 1906
 - ▣ Select records at NARA Regional Archives
 - ▣ U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

Family Name

Given Name or Names

MORISON

JOHN G.

Title and Location of Court

U. S. DISTRICT COURT, BROOKLYN, N.Y.

Date of Naturalization

Volume or Indefinite

Page No.

Copy of Record No.

NOV. 10-1882

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Address of Naturalized Person

CITY OF BROOKLYN

Occupation

Birth Date or Age

Former Nationality

ENGLISH

Port of Arrival in the United States

Date of Arrival

Names, Addresses and Occupations of Witnesses To Naturalization

1 WILLIAM L. COOK BROOKLYN

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ADDITIONAL FACTS OF RECORD

Note hereunder details of anything which appears in the court record to indicate that:

- 1. Naturalized person has died
- 2. Naturalized person has expatriated himself or herself
- 3. Naturalization has been cancelled by order of the court
- 4. Other important data

HONORABLE DISCHARGE NAVY UNITED STATES

11533

TRIPPLICATE
[To be given to the person making
the Declaration]

No. 21013

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

488-36353

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 4 517

CERTIFICATE OF ARRIVAL

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Immigration records of the Department of Labor show that the alien named below arrived at the port, on the date, and in the manner shown, and was lawfully admitted to the United States of America for permanent residence.

Port of entry: **Baltimore, Maryland.**

Name: **Ellen Bresnan.**

Date: **September 3, 1879.**

Manner of arrival: **SS "Nova Scotian" from Liverpool, Eng.**

I FURTHER CERTIFY that this certificate of arrival is issued under authority of, and in conformity with, the provisions of the Act of June 29, 1906, as amended, solely for the use of the alien herein named and only for naturalization purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Certificate of Arrival is issued

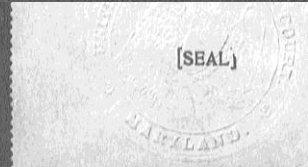
September 20, 1929.

(Date)

Leon R. Touch
Leon R. Touch,

District Director of Naturalization,
Washington, D. C.

Acting Commissioner



Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of
said Court this 27th day of June, anno Domini 1927

Arthur L. Spamer

Clerk of the said District Court.

ORIGINAL

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

PETITION FOR CITIZENSHIP

No. 11533

To the Honorable the District Court of the United States, Baltimore Md.

The petition of Ellen Brosman, hereby filed, respectfully shows:

(1) My place of residence is c/o W. F. Cochran, Wovans, P.O. Woodbrook Md.

(2) My occupation is Maid (3) I was born in Co. Kerry Ireland

on Dec 23, 1860 My race is Irish (4) I declared my intention to become a

citizen of the United States on June 27th, 1927, in the District Court

The United States Baltimore Maryland.

(5) I am Not married. The name of my last foreign residence was Baltimore Ireland

at Baltimore Ireland

I have No children, and the name, date and place of

My last foreign residence was Baltimore Ireland

I emigrated to the United States of America from Queenstown Ireland

My lawful entry for permanent residence in the United States was at Baltimore Maryland under the name of Ellen Bresnan

on Sept 3, 1879, on the vessel "Nova Scotian"

as shown by the certificate of my arrival attached hereto.

(7) I am not a disbeliever in or opposed to organized government or a member of or affiliated with any organization or body of persons teaching disbelief in or opposed to organized government.

I am attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States.

It is my intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce absolutely and forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to George V, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas

King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, and of whom (which) at this time I am a subject (or citizen), and it is my intention to reside permanently in the United States.

(8) I am able to speak the English language. (9) I have resided continuously in the United States of America for the term of five years at least immediately preceding the date of this petition, to wit, since September 3, 1879, and in the County of Baltimore

this State, continuously next preceding the date of this petition, since September 3, 1879, being a residence within said county of at least six months next preceding the date of this petition.

(10) I have Not heretofore made petition for citizenship: Not once

Attached hereto and made a part of this, my petition for citizenship are my declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States, certificate from the Department of Labor of my said arrival, and the affidavits of the two verifying witnesses required by law.

Wherefore, I, your petitioner, pray that I may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and that you may

I, your aforesaid petitioner, being duly sworn, depose and say that I have read this petition and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge except as to matters herein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe it to be true; and that this petition is signed by me with my full, true name.

Form 2904-T-A. U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR NATURALIZATION SERVICE

Ellen Brosman (Complete and true signature of petitioner)

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF Ellen Brosman TO BE ADMITTED A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

AFFIDAVITS OF WITNESSES

Luke Kearney, occupation Horseshoer

residing at 326 E. 20th St., Baltimore Maryland.

Mrs. Anna A. Whiting, occupation Housewife

residing at 514 E. 23rd St., Baltimore Maryland.

each being severally, duly, and respectively sworn, deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America; that he

has personally known and has been acquainted in the United States with Ellen Brosman

the petitioner above mentioned since October 1st, 1924, and that to his personal knowledge the petitioner has

resided in the United States continuously preceding the date of filing this petition of which this affidavit is a part, to wit, since

the date last mentioned, and at Baltimore City

this State, in which the above-entitled petition is made, continuously since October 1st, 1924, and that he

has personal knowledge that the petitioner is and during all such periods has been a person of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the United States, and that in his opinion the petitioner is in every way qualified to be admitted a citizen of the United States.

Anna A. Whiting, Luke Kearney (Signatures of witnesses)

[SEAL] Subscribed and sworn to before me by the above-named petitioner and witnesses in the office of the Clerk of said Court at Baltimore Md this 15th day of October, anno Domini 1929. I hereby certify that certificate of arrival No. 4-517 from the Department of Labor, showing the lawful entry for permanent residence of the petitioner above named, together with declaration of intention No. 21013 of such petitioner, has been by me filed with, attached to, and made a part of this petition on this date.

ARTHUR L. SPAMER, Clerk. Charles Earl Warner, Deputy Clerk.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I hereby declare, on oath, that I absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Great Britain and Ireland

of whom (which) I have heretofore been a subject (or citizen); that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States of America against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: So help me God. In acknowledgment whereof I have heretofore affixed my signature

Ellen Brosman (Signature of petitioner)

Sworn to in open court, this 15th day of October, A. D. 1929

Arthur L. Spamer, Clerk. Charles Earl Warner, Deputy Clerk.

NOTE--In renunciation of title of nobility, and the following to the oath of allegiance before it is signed: "I further renounce the title of (give title or titles) an order of nobility, which I have heretofore held."

Petition granted: Line No. 9 of List No. 81 and Certificate No. 3379453 issued.

Petition denied: List No. Reason

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

ORIGINAL
TO BE GIVEN TO
THE PERSON NATURALIZED

No. 4916491



DECLARATION OF

NATURALIZATION

Petition No. 12252

Personal description of holder as of date of naturalization: Age 46 years, sex Male, color White, complexion Dark, color of eyes Brown, color of hair Black, height 5 feet 7 inches, weight 138 pounds, visible distinctive marks Cast in right eye, Marital status Married, former nationality British

I certify that the description above given is true, and that the photograph affixed hereto is a likeness of me.

sign here

Robert Crawford

(Complete and true signature of holder)



Robert Crawford



United States of America } ss:
District of Columbia }

Be it known that ROBERT CRAWFORD then residing at 412 E St. S.E., Washington, D.C. having petitioned to be admitted a citizen of the United States of America, and at a term of the District Court of the United States for the District of Columbia held pursuant to law at Washington on October 1, 1940

the court having found that the petitioner intends to reside permanently in the United States, had in all respects complied with the Naturalization Laws of the United States in such case applicable, and was entitled to be so admitted, the court thereupon ordered that the petitioner be admitted as a citizen of the United States of America.

In testimony whereof the seal of the court is hereunto affixed this 1st day of October in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and Forty and of our Independence the one hundred and Sixty-fifth.

CHARLES E. STEWART

Clerk of the U.S. District Court.

By *Arthur M. [Signature]* Asst. Deputy Clerk.

Passport Records

- 1795 – March 31, 1925
 - physical description of applicant
 - photograph (12/21/1914 and later)
 - date and place of birth of applicant
 - residence of applicant
 - citizenship and/naturalization information
 - immigration information of applicant
 - occupation of applicant
 - purpose & duration of travel as well as destination
 - copies of birth or baptismal records
 - notation of military service
 - names of family members
 - affidavits and/or letters from family members, friends, and/or business associates

My dear Sir

New York Sept. 16th 1830

As the collector of this Port, now has, or can I find a passport -
Follow your advice, & take the freedom of troubling you, to
procure mine from the Secretary of State's Office - for it is
the intention of myself & Family, to visit the Continent
of Europe during our absence, & should not like to go without
them - I have resided in New York abt. 39 years - & have
been a citizen 30 or 35 years - I am 62 years old - I take
with me my three Daughters - the eldest Sarah - aged 21 -
Grace W. aged 16 - & Charlotte E. aged 12 - all short of our
age save the youngest who is thin & rather tall for 12, but still
growing - Excuse my thus troubling you, & believe me
your obliged & sincere friend -
Jon. Ogden

Hon. J. Cambreleng
Washington

P.S. Our time of departure is the 14th Oct. but I care not how soon
I receive the passport - as it will set my mind at rest on the subject

Jon. Ogden passport
application issued 09/16/1830
(M1372, roll 1)

Mr. S.

1673.

Washington -
27th June '61

Sir,

Please send me a
passport for Robert Morris
of Boston, a citizen of
the United States.

Fruithepps
Charles Sumner

The Secretary of State -

Robert Morris
application #1673
issued 06/28/1861
(M1372, roll 97)

333410

The original and each copy of an application for a passport must have attached to it a copy of the applicant's photograph. A loose signed photograph of the applicant must accompany the application. The photograph must be on this paper, should have a light background, and be not over three inches in size.

[Form of 1923.]

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
 PASSPORT SERVICE
 AUG 17 1923
 ISSUED
 WASHINGTON

FORM FOR NATIVE CITIZEN.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. *10th 19 1907*



* A person born in the United States should submit a birth or baptismal certificate with his application, or if the birth was not recorded, affidavits from the attending physician, parents, or other person having sufficient knowledge to be able to testify to the place and date of the applicant's birth.
 † If the applicant's father was born in this country, lines should be drawn through the blanks in brackets.
 [over.]

Elisabeth Kinsman Ware
 passport application #333410
 issued 08/17/1923
 (M1490, roll 2352)

333411

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[Form of 1923.]

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
 PASSPORT SERVICE
 AUG 17 1923
 ISSUED
 WASHINGTON

FORM FOR NATIVE CITIZEN.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
 STATE OF *Massachusetts*

170535



Clerk of the *U.S. District Court at Boston Mass*

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 † If the applicant's father was born in this country, lines should be drawn through the blanks in brackets.
 [over.]

Storer Preble Ware
 passport application #333411
 issued 08/17/1923
 (M1490, roll 2352)

Passenger Manifest for the S.S. Bergensfjord arrival NYC 10/02/1922 (T715, roll 3191)

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

189 Number **46**

LIST OF UNITED STATES CITIZENS
(FOR THE IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES)

S.S. Bergensfjord sailing from Kristiania, Sept. 22nd, 1922, Arriving at Port of New York OCT 2 1922

| No. on List | NAME IN FULL | | AGE | | Sex | Married or Single | IF NATIVE OF UNITED STATES, GIVE DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH (CITY OR TOWN AND STATE). | IF NATURALIZED, GIVE NAME AND LOCATION OF COURT WHICH ISSUED NATURALIZATION PAPERS, AND DATE OF PAPERS | ADDRESS IN UNITED STATES. |
|-------------|--------------|---------------|------|-----|-----|-------------------|--|--|---|
| | FAMILY NAME | GIVEN NAME | Yrs. | Mo. | | | | | |
| 1 | Moe | Leopold Louis | 39 | | M | M | | U.S. Passport no. 92581 issued by Department of State, Oct. 22nd 1921. | Seattle, Wash. 6119 Latona Str. |
| 2 | do. | Inga | 27 | | F | M | | do. do. | do. do. |
| 3 | do. | Normann | 9 | | M | S | June 14th 1913. Seattle, Wash. | do. do. | do. do. |
| 4 | do. | Ruth | 5 | | F | S | Oct. 28th 1916. Ophelm, Mont. | do. do. | do. do. |
| 5 | Halls | Dora | 40 | | F | M | 177441 H | U. S. Passport no. 177441 issued by Department of State, May 24th 1922. | do. 2324 W. 59th Str. |
| 6 | do. | Jalmer | 12 | | M | S | March 9th 1909. Seattle, Wash. | do. do. | do. do. |
| 7 | do. | Jean | 8 | | M | S | Dec. 28th 1913. do. | do. do. | do. do. |
| 8 | Haugberg | Margaret | 52 | | F | S | | U.S. Passport no. 125002 issued by Department of State, Mar. March 9th 1922 | School for the Deaf, Little Rock, Arkansas. |
| 9 | Jacobson | John D. | 41 | | M | M | | U.S. Passport no. 164371 issued by Department of State June 3rd 1922. | Tacoma, Wash. 1918 So. Washington St |
| 10 | Normann | Emil N. | 30 | | M | S | | U.S. Passport no. 162109 issued by Department of State May 5th 1922. | Chicago, Ill. 2932 W. North Ave. |
| 11 | Olsvik | John | 32 | | M | S | | U.S. Passport no. 144694 issued by Department of State, April 12th 1922. | Two Harbors, Minn. Box 246. |
| 12 | Ustad | Mikal | 50 | | M | M | | U.S. Passport no. 1269 issued by Department of State June 29th 1922. | Beresford, S. Dak. Route 3. |
| 13 | Loyvold | Hans | 36 | | M | M | | U.S. Passport no. 94226 issued by Department of State Oct. 29th 1921. | Astoria, Oreg. 278-39th Str. |
| 14 | do. | Anna | 31 | | F | M | | do. do. | do. do. |
| 15 | Liden | Simon Ture | 29 | | M | M | | U.S. Passport #138340 issued by Dept of State, Wash. D.C. April 4th 1922 | 5351 N. Kimball ave. Chicago, Ill. |
| 16 | do. | Elien | 28 | | F | M | | do. | do. |
| 17 | Ruppert | Hilma | 33 | | F | M | 160775 H | U.S. Passport # 164275 issued by Dept. of State Wash. D.C. May 8th 1922. | Long Island N.Y. Lamertine ave. 1st str. Bay Side |
| 18 | do. | Robert | 8 | | M | S | Born Dec. 25th 1913 at Long Island N.Y. | do. | do. |
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Margaret Hauberg's passport applications
#125002 03/09/1922 (M1490, roll 1849)
#123578 10/01/1919 (M1490, roll 939)

125002

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88—This blank must be completely filled up. The limit of one dollar, in currency or postal money order, and the applicant's certificate of naturalization must accompany the application. The rules should be carefully read before mailing the application to the Department of State, Division of Passport Control, Washington, D. C.

[EXPIRES ON JANUARY, 1919.]
FORM FOR NATURALIZED CITIZEN.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
 PASS PORT
 ISSUED
 MAR 9 1922
 WASHINGTON.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
 STATE OF _____ ss:
 COUNTY OF _____

I, Margaret Hauberg, a NATURALIZED AND LOYAL CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, hereby apply to the Department of State, at Washington, for a passport.

I solemnly swear that I was born at Sanderöin sea Inderöim Norway on the fourth of April, 1849; that my father, Shannes Andersen Hauberg, was born in Norway and is now residing at Little Rock, Ark. that I emigrated to the United States, sailing from Little Rock, Ark. about March, 1894; that I resided 27 years, uninterruptedly, in the United States from 1894 to 1922 at Washington D. C., Minn. and Louisiana naturalized as a citizen of the United States before the United States District Court of the District of Columbia on 1st of June, 1914, as shown by the Certificate of Naturalization presented herewith; that I am the IDENTICAL PERSON described in said Certificate; that I have resided outside the United States since my naturalization at the following places for the following periods:
Sanderöin, Norway, from 1910 to 1911
Sanderöin, Norway, from October 1919 to March 1920
 and that I am domiciled in the United States, my permanent residence being at Little Rock in the State of Arkansas, where I follow the occupation of teacher.
 My last passport was obtained from the State Department on the 1st of Oct. 1919 and was no. 123578 still in my possession and canceled I am about to go abroad temporarily, and intend to return to the United States within 7 months with the purpose of residing and performing the duties of citizenship therein; and I desire a passport for use in visiting the countries hereinafter named for the following purpose:
Norway + ret. to U.S. To visit Mother
Sweden
Denmark
 I intend to leave the United States from the port of New York sailing on board the Starangerfjord on the 19th of May, 1922.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE.

Further, I do solemnly swear that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: So help me God.

Margaret Hauberg
(Signature of applicant.)

Sworn to before me this 4th day of March, 1922.

MAR 7 1922

(SEAL OF COURT.) SEAL B. REDDING,
 Clerk of the U. S. Dist. Court of Little Rock, Ark.
 By Wladyslaw Starnowski D. C.

DOCUMENT TRANSFER SHEET.

FOR PASSPORT APPLICATION NO. 360352

DATED Dec. 24, 1923

SEE

130 Bohmer, Grace E.

DATE OF TRANSFER May 17, 1926

**Grace E. Bohmer
application #360352
issued 12/24/1923
(M1490, roll 2406)**

Photographs



Chancy Frees

Passport Applications - Availability

- Microfilm
 - ▣ National Archives Building & select Regional Archives
 - ▣ FamilySearch Centers www.familysearch.org

- Online
 - ▣ www.ancestry.com (1795-1925) (\$)
 - ▣ www.fold3.com (1795-1905) (\$)

- Mail Order:
 - ▣ Email: inquire@nara.gov
 - ▣ Fees apply