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PERIODICAL SOURCE INDEX

Long recognized as an essential tool in genealogical research, PERiodical Source Index (PERSI) is an indexing project of the Historical Genealogy Department of the Allen County Library (Fort Wayne, Indiana). It is an enormous subject index of articles found in the genealogical and historical periodical collection at the Allen County Library. At the present time 27 volumes have been published indexing periodicals in the library collection from 1847-1996. Indexes to periodicals from 1847 to 1985 are published in sixteen volumes (4 sets each with 4 volumes—2 volumes of families and 2 volumes of place names). Annual supplements have been published since about 1987. Obviously, the collection takes a lot of shelf space. Many large repositories will have a complete set of PERSI, other's will have only part of the series.

The last time I went to the Family History Library (FHL) in Salt Lake City, I took a list of articles that contained references to a Woodward or a Woodard family. The list was prepared from the volumes of PERSI at the Georgia Archives and contained about 48 different articles. Each of these articles had something to do with a Woodward family. The FHL did not have every journal on my list, but I did come home with copies of the majority of them. [Now I need to analyze the articles and follow the clues found therein.]

The CD-ROM version of PERSI made its debut Friday, 5 September 1997, at the FGS Conference in Dallas. The CD is published by Ancestry, Inc. with The Allen County Public Library Foundation. Now it is so very easy to make a quick search of over 1 million citations for 5,000 different periodicals. Articles may be searched by locality (state and county), title, family name, date, or subject. Each "hit" contains the complete citation of the publication. An additional feature is the listing of major repositories, which have the particular periodical in their collection.

Just a very few of the journals indexed in PERSI are: *National Genealogical Society Quarterly*, *New England Historical Genealogical Register*,

Georgia Genealogical Society Quarterly, *California Central Coast Genealogical Society Bulletin*, *Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey*, and *Marshall County Historical Quarterly*.

The CD is an exceptional value! It should be remembered that PERSI is a subject index and not an every name index. Names appearing in titles of articles will appear in the database, but individuals included within the text will not.

We, also, need to remember that periodicals are secondary sources—a bit of caution is advised, particularly when the article (or information) contains no documentation. We always need to get as near to the original sources as possible. The articles, however, may contain great clues and sometimes very good documentation.

But whether you use the textual volumes of PERSI or the CD-ROM, heed the advice of Patricia Law Hatcher, CG, "If you haven't checked PERSI, you haven't done your research—period."

The two articles, which follow, contain information found via PERSI.



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Kept Mother's Body 33 Years

The following is copied, in its entirety, as originally published in the *Bulletin of the California Central Coast Genealogical Society* [6 (February 1973): 30]. The entry appears to be a transcript of an article appearing in the newspaper *Stars and Stripes* [Lincoln, California]:

Stars and Stripes
Saturday, April 21, 1945, page 4

"Kept Mother's Body 33 Years."

Washington (ANS)— Police inspecting the deserted home of Mrs. Mary Eva Woodward, 77, who died Sunday, discovered in a back room and propped on 2 boxes, a sealed, glass-topped coffin containing the body of Mrs. Woodward's mother, who died 33 years ago.

The body of the older woman was clad in a high-necked gray dress with tight sleeves. It was in a remarkable state of preservation, Coroner A. Magruder McDonald said, apparently some unusual embalming method having been used.

Police assumed from the identical names of the two women that they had married men of the same name. But detectives were unable to say where or when the elder Mrs. Woodward had died. Statistical records both in Wilkinsburg, Pa., and in St. Louis showed that a woman named Mary E. Woodward died in 1912.

Mrs. Hattie Hay Quinter, a neighbor of the younger Mrs. Woodward, said she had told her that the mother's body had been sent to Egypt to be preserved permanently by a "mummifier", and that it was returned and buried near Boston about 24 years ago.

The daughter then began worrying about her mother's last wish "that they never be separated," Mrs. Quinter related, so the body was exhumed, shipped here and enshrined in a room beside the rocker that had been the elder woman's favorite chair.

"Every afternoon," Mrs. Quinter said, "the daughter would sit in the rocker and commune with her mother's spirit."

The daughter, a graduate of Wellesley, wrote books on genealogy and ceramics. She was also prominent in the Washington branch of the

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Daughters of the American Revolution.



Register of Old Settler's Meeting

The following is copied, in its entirety, as published in the DeWitt County Genealogical Quarterly, Clinton, Illinois [4 (Fall 1978): 90:

From *The Pioneer*, published by the Douglas County Genealogical Society, Lawrence, KS Vol. I, No. 4, June 1978, pp. 127-128:

Register of Old Settler's Meeting, held on 15 & 16 September 1879:

Woodard, J.W., b. DeWitt Co., Ill., July 7, 1848, settled Bloomington, KS, Mar 15, 1855, present residence Osage Co., KS.

Woodard, Lemuel, b. Lee Co., VA, May 23, 1799, settled Bloomington, KS Mar 15, 1855, d. 25 May 1877.

Woodard, J.M., b. Illinois, May 19, 1851, settled Clinton, KS, March 10, 1855.

Woodward, Mary, b. PA 16 July 1815, settled Clinton, KS, 30 Mar 1855, now resident of Lecompton, KS.



British Columbian (Canada) Deaths 1872 to 1976 Concluded

The following information is continued from the July 1997 (Vol. 5, No. 4) issue of WOODWARDS WeSearch. The information was abstracted from an index generated by the British Columbia Vital Statistics Agency, which maintains the official death records for that province. The microfilm can be obtained by loan from various local Family History Centers (Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints) or at the British Columbia Archives in Victoria, BC, Canada. The British Columbia Archives will not respond to requests for copies or information. Written requests for copies should be addressed to British Columbia Vital Statistics Agency (818 Fort Street, Victoria, BC, Canada V8W 1H8) or telephone (250) 952-2681.

Format of data printed herein [separated by commas within the text]:

Given Name
Surname
Date of death [year month day]
Age at death
Gender
Death Place
Registration number
B.C. Archives Microfilm No.
GUS Microfilm No.

Margaret Woodward, 1893 5 19, 16, F, Vancouver, 1893-09-112434, B13092, 1927120
Marion Louise Woodward, 1970 4 13, 77, F, Vancouver, 1970-09-005640, B13303, 2034211
Marjorie Ethel Woodward, 1959 7 29, 52, F, Victoria, 1959-09-008877, B13242, 2033299
Martin William Woodward, 1959 11 20, 75, M, Vancouver, 1959-09-013601, B13244, 2033301
Mary Adeline Woodward, 1963 6 03, 96, F, Vancouver, 1963-09-007068, B13262, 2033586
Mary Ella Woodward, 1957 12 19, 82, F, Vancouver, 1957-09-013910, B13235, 2033176
Mary Jane Woodward, 1956 7 21, 59, F, Port Alberni, 1956-09-008141, B13229, 2033105
Mary Jeanette Woodward, 1949 10 26, 95, F, Vancouver, 1949-09-009572, B13202, 2032572
Mary Millicent Woodward, 1971 4 06, 69, F, Vancouver, 1971-09-005209, B13309, 2034217
Mary Samenthe Woodward, 1956 5 27, 79, F, Alberni, 1956-09-006201, B13228, 2033104
Mary Woodard, 1962 12 25, 55, F, Vancouver, 1962-09-015439, B13259, 2033501
Mary Woodward, 1915 10 05, 3, F, Victoria, 1915-09-030912, B13083, 1927293
Mary Woodward, 1941 4 23, 78, F, Vancouver, 1941-09-588720, B13171, 1953631
Mary Woodward, 1960 9 05, 70, F, Merritt, 1960-

09-011155, B13248, 2033346
Mary Woodward, 1967 3 24, 88, F, Vancouver, 1967-09-004576, B13282, 2033858
Maud Lillian Woodward, 1950 7 28, 78, F, North Vancouver, 1950-09-007469, B13205, 2032633
Maud Sarah Woodward, 1958 6 12, 92, F, New Westminster, 1958-09-007113, B13237, 2033178
Merlin Frederick Woodward, 1962 9 18, 42, M, Near Sechelt, 1962-09-011524, B13258, 2033500
Merlin John Woodward, 1965 1 15, 80, M, Kamloops, 1965-09-002200, B13270, 2033723
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Miriam Woodward, 1970 6 21, 87, F, Victoria, 1970-09-008850, B13304, 2034212
Nathan Woodward, 1896 11 10, 72, M, Lulu Island, 1896-09-079419, B13088, 1927116
Nelly Woodward, 1974 2 25, 92, F, Coquitlam, 1974-09-004234, B13331, 2050286
Norman James Woodward, 1941 1 22, 63, M, Vancouver, 1941-09-584663, B13170, 1953630
Paulina Woodward, 1952 9 15, 71, F, Vancouver, 1952-09-008956, B13213, 2032862
Pearl Amy Woodward, 1971 9 30, 39, F, Hixon, 1971-09-015564, B13313, 2034264
Percy Woodward, 1888 5 30, Unknown, M, New West District, 1888-09-076276, B13087, 1927115
Peter Woodward, 1966 7 27, 64, M, Esquimalt, 1966-09-009963, B13278, 2033854
Phoebe Frances Woodward, 1955 5 2, 55, F, Vancouver, 1955-09-005350, B13223, 2032984
Rachel T Woodward, 1897 3 23, 64, F, Lower Nicola, 1897-09-196069, B13110, 1927138
Raymond Henry Woodward, 1924 11 9, 17, M, Duncan, 1924-09-328689, B13124, 1927301
Reginald Percy Woodward, 1957 7 7, 87, M, West Vancouver, 1957-09-007503, B13233, 2033183
Reginald Woodward, 1964 6 1, 82, M, Coquitlam, 1964-09-008013, B13267, 2033690
Reuben Marcus Woodward, 1935 11 15, 88, M, Lower Nicola, 1935-09-507536, B13155, 1953019
Robert Heartley Woodward, 1971 1 12, 77, M, Vancouver, 1971-09-001444, B13308, 2034216
Robert Joseph K Woodward, 1945 7 1, 9, M, Goose Neck Lake, 1945-09-900261, B13358, 2050439
Robert Woodward, 1883 6 6, 26, M, New Westminster, 1883-09-075063, B13087, 1927115
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Rosalie Woodward, 1939 6 07, 55, F, Victoria, 1939-09-558263, B13165, 1953625
Rosaville Woodward, 1940 7 1, 75, F, Nanaimo, 1940-09-574000, B13168, 1953628
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 Victoria Woodward, 1960 6 14, 97, F, Langford, 1960-09-007612, B13247, 2033304
 Violet Marion Woodward, 1912 12 17, Unknown, F, Vancouver, 1912-09-138095, B13100, 1927128
 Violet Woodward, 1945 5 5, 55, F, Victoria, 1945-09-662551, B13187, 2032324
 Walter James Woodward, 1941 1 31, 66, M, Vancouver, 1941-09-585303, B13170, 1953630
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 Warwick Addison Woodward, 1940 3 12, 44, M, Penticton, 1940-09-570908, B13167, 1953627
 Wells Arlington Woodward, 1968 4 29, 74, M, Vancouver, 1968-09-006480, B13289, 2033942
 Wilfrid Woodward, 1946 4 4, 55, M, Saanich, 1946-09-006170, B13190, 2032422
 William B W Woodward, 1971 12 15, 59, M, Ganges, 1971-09-016793, B13314, 2034297
 William Clarence Woodward, 1967 6 12, 88, M, Kelowna, 1967-09-007949, B13284, 2033928
 William Douglas Woodward, 1935 7 6, 18, M, Vancouver, 1935-09-503697, B13154, 1953018
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 Zoe Margaret Woodward, 1948 7 12, 43, F, New Westminster, 1948-09-006971, B13197, 2032481

Mark Andrew Davis ☛

BOOK REVIEW

Descendants of Richard, Nathaniel, Robert and Henry Woodward of New England, 1589-1996 by Thomas R. Steadman. Published by the author; 12401 N. 22nd St., #H-304, Tampa, FL 33612-4630; 1996. 730 pp. Index. Hardback. \$50 post-paid.

This vast volume is a revision of *Descendants of Richard Woodward - New England 1589-1982* compiled by Norma Slater Woodward and published in 1982 (called the first edition). With permission of Mrs. Woodward, Mr. Steadman revised her publication (called the second edition) and has added a great many more families to Mrs. Woodward's volume.

The primary families treated in this work are the descendants of Richard Woodward, born about 1587 in Childwell Parish, Lancashire, England, and died 16 February 1664/1665. Three other Massachusetts Woodward progenitors are treated in this work, i.e., Nathaniel Woodward who was in Boston by about 1630; Robert Woodward who was reportedly in Boston about 1657 and died at Scituate in the Plymouth Colony in 1744; and Henry Woodward, baptized 4 September 1644 in Childwell Parish, Lancashire, England, and died 7 April 1685 in Northampton, Massachusetts Bay Colony. Chapter fifteen provides information on allied Woodward families.

Mr. Steadman also received permission from the New England Historic Genealogical Society to incorporate the work they published in 1984, Harold Edward Woodward's *Some Descendants of Nathaniel Woodward Who Came from England to Boston about 1630*. Chapter 12, of Mr.

Steadman's volume expands upon the descendants of the immigrant Nathaniel Woodward.

All with interest in New England Woodward families will find this volume a valuable addition to their collection of Woodward material.



New Manuscript Announcement

Fredrick J. Woodard has announced completion of his manuscript called *The Woodard Relatives: The Family of Archibald Wilson Woodard*. Anyone interested in more details should send a SASE to Mr. Woodard at PO Box 163, Friant, CA 93626-0163.



TRAGIC ACCIDENT, 1897

A family outing turned into tragedy. It happened near Chattanooga, Tennessee, on 24 February 1897. On 25 February 1897, the front page of the *Chattanooga Daily Times* shouted the headlines "NINE MEMBERS OF ONE FAMILY HURLED INTO ETERNITY!" and carried a gruesome sketch of the accident scene. The remainder of the page carried graphic text and sketches of that dreadful event the preceding day, which took the lives of nine Woodward family members.

The family of W.J. and Laura (Worley) Woodward, their nine children, and one grandchild were on their way from their home in Jersey to Chattanooga to sit for a family portrait. Their daughter, Lizzie, had married Ira Montgomery, the preceding year, and had presented W.J. and Laura with a grandson just two months previously. Lizzie's husband, Ira, was planning to move his family to Florence, Alabama, where he had found work on a government dredge boat. Lizzie's departing had prompted the decision to have a family portrait made. Josie L. Woodward, daughter of J.W. and Laura worked at the residence of W.W. Silver. On route to Chattanooga, the family stopped at the Silver home to pick up Josie. At dining at the Silver home Mr. Woodward and his eldest son, Albert, decided to walk on ahead of the others, leaving the remaining ten family members to start out later in the wagon. George T. Woodward, was left in charge of the two horse

team and wagon (because the family was large, a number of chairs had been placed in the bed of the farm wagon).

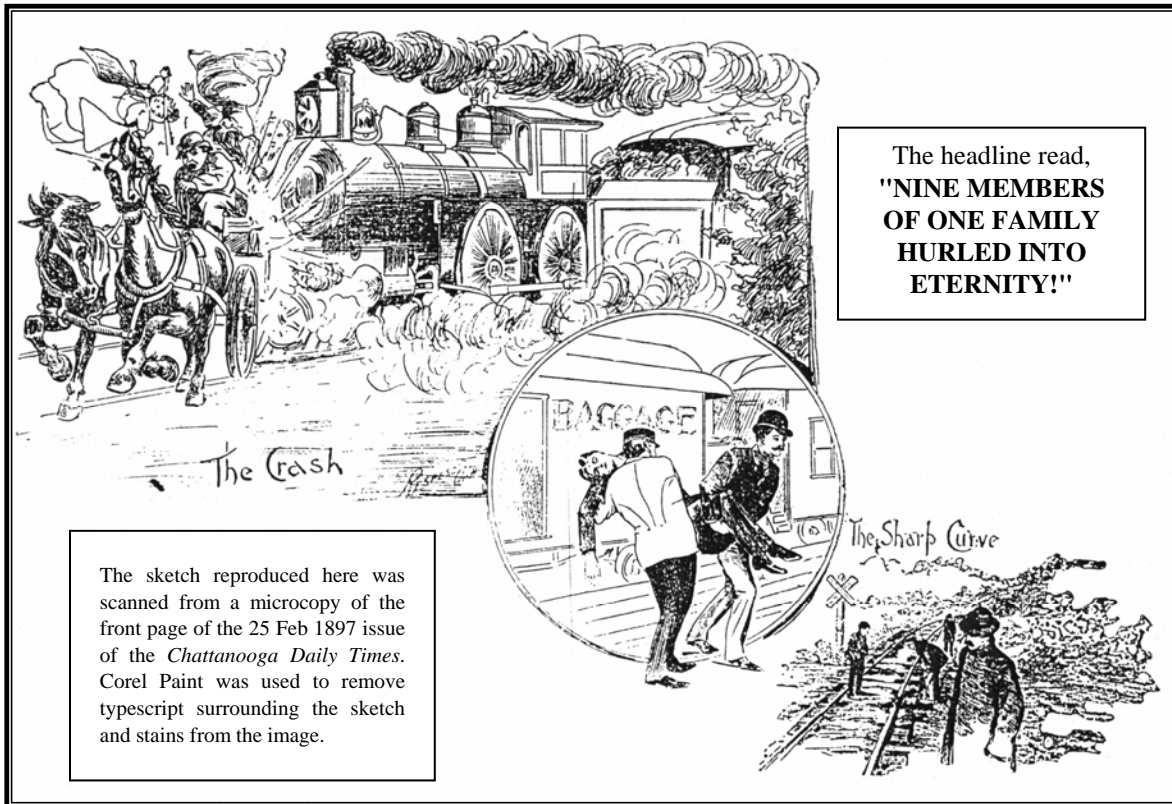
The Harrison crossing of the Southern railway was a short distance from the Silver home, and was a notoriously dangerous intersection. As the railroad track approached Harrison Pike it passed through a deep cut and was on a heavy grade coming from the Missionary Ridge tunnel. Anyone on the pike could not see the train until it came out of the cut and was nearly upon Harrison Pike. The train came out of the cut just as the wagon carrying the Woodward family was just about crossing the tracks, and although the engineer blew his danger whistle, it was too late for George to stop the team of horses. At 12:46 p.m. the engine of a passenger train on the Georgia division of the Southern Railroad, bound for Chattanooga, struck the family's horse drawn wagon. The wagon was hit broad side, killing seven instantly. Two more were to die a short time later. Only young Virginia (called Vergie) survived the ordeal.

W.J. Woodward was born in Georgia. He married in Georgia, Laura Worley. Laura was born in Georgia 27 August 1853 and killed in the accident 24 Feb 1897.

W.J. Woodward and his family had removed from Murray County, Georgia, to Jersey (Hamilton County), Tennessee about 1888. In an interview on the fateful day of the tragic accident, W.J. Woodward stated that his son, George was a very careful and responsible young man. W.J. continued to say, "We had just built a new home and were so happy. We were trying to get the place paid for and after all of our hard work to get it improved, everything has been destroyed by this inscrutable-blow of Providence."

Albert, the eldest son, left his home Tuesday afternoon, accompanied by his wife and child, for his father's residence, but were turned back by the high water. The husband, not to disappoint his father and other members of the family, made a second start by himself, telling his wife he would return Wednesday. He reached his father's home and about 9 o'clock yesterday as preparations for the start to Chattanooga were in progress.

The funeral for all nine victims was held at the King's Point Baptist Church on Friday, 26 Feb 1897 where the family members regularly worshipped. All nine victims were buried in the



The sketch reproduced here was scanned from a microcopy of the front page of the 25 Feb 1897 issue of the *Chattanooga Daily Times*. Corel Paint was used to remove typescript surrounding the sketch and stains from the image.

King's Point Cemetery.

Children of W.J. Woodward and Laura (Worley) Woodward:

- i. Albert Woodward, b. abt. 1871. He was married with one child in Feb 1897.
- ii. Lizzie Woodward, b. about 1868; mar Ira H. Montgomery; killed in accident 24 Feb 1897. Ira and Lizzie had one son, Roy Montgomery, killed in accident 24 Feb 1897, at the age of 2 mo.
- iii. George T. Woodward, b. 20 Jan 1873; killed in accident 24 Feb 1897. George had recently purchased a small ten-acre farm.
- iv. Josie L. Woodward, b. 29 Aug 1884; killed in accident 24 Feb 1897. Josie had worked in the home of W.W. Silver on the Harrison Pike.
- v. Della Woodward, b. 22 April 1881; killed in accident 24 Feb 1897.
- vi. Mary Woodward, b. 29 Aug 1884; killed in accident 24 Feb 1897.
- vii. Daisy Woodward, b. 22 Jan 1886; killed in accident 24 Feb 1897.
- viii. Ada Woodward, b. 22 May 1889; killed in accident 24 Feb 1897.
- ix. Virginia (Vergie) Woodward, b. abt 1894.

Sources

1. The Chattanooga Daily Times, Chattanooga, Tenn. (25 Feb 1897).
2. Charles W. Lusk, "King's Point Cemetery," *Hamilton County, Tennessee Cemeteries* (typescript, no publication place or date), 4. ♣

ALL readers of this newsletter are encouraged to contribute articles such as: transcripts, extracts, or abstracts from family Bibles, diaries, or local court houses; information about various research repositories; biographical essays on an individual; book reviews; obituaries; etc.

Vital Records of Concord, Mass.

Source: Concord, Massachusetts, births, Marriages and Deaths (Boston: The Town of Concord, n.d.).

Ebenezer Woodward & Persis Davis, both of Concord were married by Rev. Ezra Ripley, Jan. 19th, 1817.

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QUERIES

Policy:

Subscribers of *WOODWARDS WeSearch* may submit queries free of charge. When submitting a query, please provide information on known names, places and dates to refine the query. The editor retains the right to edit the query.

When permission to print the address of the submitter had not been obtained in writing, then an "*" will appear after their name. In such a case responses should be sent to *WOODWARDS WeSearch*, and that mail will be forwarded to the interested party.

Query Deadlines: December 10th, March 10th, June 10th, September 10th.

(136) Need info on **Flavel Woodward**, b. 1804 in Chenango Co., NY; d. 1891. He mar. **Polly Reynolds**, dau. of **Joel J. Reynolds** and **Abbie Cross**. Polly d. 25 Apr 1854 and is bur. in Tuckertown Cemetery in Poland, Chautaugua Co., NY. Flavel owned cemetery plot in Tuckertown Cemetery, but it is unknown if he was interred there. Known ch. of Flavel & Polly Woodward: Abigail Woodward (mar. D. D. Fuller); Mary Woodward (mar. Harl Culver); Carrie Woodward (mar. Richard Gifford); Sarah Woodward (mar. George Morris); William Woodward, b. 12 Dec 1848 and d. 27 May 1915 in Lindsay, Tulare Co., Cal. (mar. Martha "Myrtie" Peery 16 Mar 1887 in Albany, Gentry Co., Mo.); George Woodward (mar. Mary Miller); and John Woodward who died at age 20 – *Nancy Pratt Melton, 6809 Thunderhead Cir., Orangevale, Ca. 95662-3115 (mmelton@mail2.quiknet.com)*

(137) Seek info. on **Hannah Woodward** and **Emmor Moore** parents of **William Moore**. William Moore was b. 7 Dec 1787 in Pa. and d. 25 Jan 1865 in Westfield, Oh. William mar. Sarah Strow 29 Jan 1811 in Trumbull Co., Oh. – *Charles W. Lanham Jr. **

(138) Desire info. about **Peter Woodward**, b. 10 Dec 1608 (son of **Robert Woodward**); in Brocking, England and died 9 May 1685 in Hadley, Mass. Peter married a woman named Ann (-?-) in Dedham, England. – *Marisu Edmonds Terry, 27944 Boomer Bend, Gold Beach, OR 97444.*

(139) Seek information on any **Daniel Woodard** born around 1800 in N.H., Vt., Me., and Canada. Also seek vital statistics (birth, marriage, death) for all Daniel Woodards (Woodwards) to add to compilation of data on Daniel Woodards. – *Fred*

Woodard, PO Box 163, Friant, CA 93626-0163.

(140) Seeking parents of **Richard Woodward**, born 1636 at Thornburg, Chester Co., Penn. And died 7 December 1706 at Middleton, Dauphin Co., Penn. Richard probably mar. a woman name **Jane** (surname may have been **Nye**) and had a son **Richard Woodward**, born 1 March 1670 at Thornburg, Chester Co., Penn. The younger Richard married, 1st, **Esther Davis**, and second, **Deborah Stanfield** (my ancestor). - *Mrs. Helen L. Hoffa **.

(141) Seeking parents of **John Woodard**, born in New York (according to the 1850 US Census, York, Steuben Co., Ind. about 15 May 1785 and died 10 Dec 1858 at the age of 73y 6m 25d (tombstone inscription) and is bur. in the Dygert Cemetery in York township. John moved his family westward in NYS before 1808 when his eldest daughter Persis was born in Cayuga Co., NY. Then the family lived through two federal census years in what became Monroe Co. in 1820. They were in the Town of Gates. Their last NYS move was to Niagara County where John's wife, **Lucy (Davis) Woodard**, d. 11 April 1941 and is bur. on Church St. in Wilson, Niagara Co. His two sons were Methodist circuit riders in Ind., Ohio, and Mich. Two of his daughters married **Webster** brothers in Monroe Co. - *Persis R. Shook. **

(142) Seeking parents of **William Woodard**, b. possibly in Surrey Co., N.C., abt 1774; after 29 Sep 1842 in Burnsville, Yancey Co., N.C. He mar. in Buncombe Co., N.C., **Mary Elizabeth Broughton**. William, apparently, owned 200 acres on Forks of Ivy. Ch. of William and Mary Elizaabeth were: **Catherine Woodard**, b. 1800 and mar. **Abner Caleb Holcombe**; **Mary Woodard**, b 13 May 1802, mar. **Jobe Ramsey**, and d. 27 Jan 1863 in Madison Co., NC; **John Woodard**, b. 1808 and mar. **Elizabeth Blackwell**; **Isham David Woodard**, b. 1811, mar. 1828, **Rebecca Webb**, and d. in Snowball, Searcy Co., Ark. in 1890; and **Winifred Woodard**, b. 1814 and mar. **Unk Robertson**. Is it possible that **Peter Woodward, Jr.** and **Mary Turner** were the parents of William Woodard? Peter was a taxpayer in Rutherford Co., NC in 1782. - *Grady Woodward, Jr., 11301 Bowles Ave., Garden Grove, CA 92841-1605.*

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NEW SUBSCRIBERS

Forrest Warren Woodward, 146 – 27 59th Ave., Flushing, NY 11355: Searching **Christopher Woodward** who was in Va. 1620 to 1650. Other locations in which Mr. Woodward has an interest are Mo., Kans., and PA.

Patti Leot Genack, 8840 Pine Drive, Beulah, CO 81023 (E-mail: Petersky@aol.com).

Marisu Edmonds Terry, 27944 Boomer Bend, Gold Beach, OR 97444; Conducting research on **Robert Woodward** who was probably in Essex England, about 1570-1580 whose son **Peter Woodward** (b. 10 Dec 1608 in Brocking, Essex, England) migrated to the Massachusetts Bay Colony. Peter died in Dedham, Mass., 4 June 1666. Mrs. Terry is also interested in **Margaret Woodworde**, b. abt 1434 at Nedging, England, dau. of **Henry Woodworde**.

Lois E. Hoyer, 1437 Pinto Court, Geneva, IL 60134; Earliest known Woodward being searched is **Adam Woodward**, 1800-1856, who was in England and Wis.



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Ebenezer Woodward, husband of Persis his wife, died 11Dec 1820. [Aged 58 y. 5 m. grave stone.]

Delia Woodward, age 19 yrs [died] 20 Aug 1823 [Sleepy Hollow Cemetery].

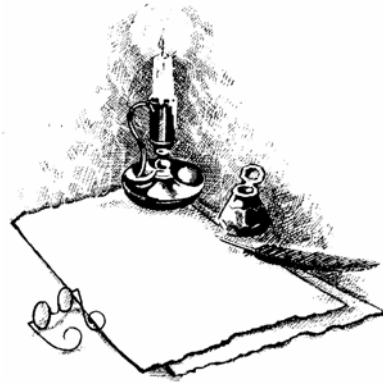
Frederick Hudson of New York & **Eliza Woodward** of Concord [mar. intentions] 13 Jan 1844.



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