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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

In my September message, I thanked the outgoing and continuing officers of the society for their service. I carelessly left out my thanks to Pat Wardell, our Newsletter Editor. Without Pat's fine services, we would lose one of our two major sources of communication with our membership and our major tie to our out-of-state members. Thanks Pat!

In addition to the services of our editor, the production of a quality newsletter requires the support of other members, and especially contributors. Most of the items in the newsletter are contributed by a very few members. I want to take this opportunity to remind everyone to support the newsletter with your queries, letters, book reviews, or articles. Please also share notices of upcoming events which might be of general interest.

—Bob Protzmann

GSRC JOTTINGS

❖ **Update of Surname Index Planned**—The Surname Index of the Genealogical Society of Rockland County is a way for members to locate other members who are researching the same family lines. In order for it to be useful, all members should submit all family names for which they are seeking information or for which they have information to share. Help make our surname list more useful than ever by submitting additional names. Please send your updated listings to the GSRC office. If enough additional names are received, a new list will be issued; otherwise only an update will be issued.

❖ **Donation to GSRC by Helen J. Nuessle**—The society has accepted with gratitude a \$25 donation in memory of Dan deNoyelles given by Helen J. Nuessle.

❖ **Notes from the Editor**—Many thanks to Marie Koestler, Bob Protzmann, Joan Brooks, Ruth Fee, and Laura LeBarron for contributing information for this issue of the newsletter.

If you find something that might be of interest to our readers, please send it or a copy (with the name and date of the publication it appeared in, so that we can give proper credit) to: Pat Wardell, GSRC Newsletter Editor, 78 Edgewood Road, Allendale, NJ 07401.

NOTICES

✓ **New York State Vital Records Update**—A recent issue of the Westchester County Genealogical Newsletter reported that a NYS Vital Records Update was given at the most recent meeting of the New York State Council of Genealogical Organizations (Oct 13-14, 1991). Guest speaker Larry Hackman of the NYS Archives announced that agreements to transfer the copies of the microfiche index to the vital records had been signed. The Archives expects to have the indexes within a few weeks where they will be available to researchers on a first come-first served basis for two hours at a time. Mail requests for index searches cannot be handled by the Archives due to staff shortages. You will have to consult the indexes yourself or hire a local researcher (Albany) to do this for you. These indexes contain the name of the person, the date and place of the event (birth, death or marriage) and the certificate number.

If you do get to Albany, you can also use the indexes
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Upcoming Meetings and Events

Regular meetings are held the fourth Tuesday of every month (except July and August) at the Historical Society of Rockland County, 20 Zukor Road, New City, N.Y.

Meeting time is 7:45 p.m.

Dec.....No Meeting

Jan. 28.....Meeting will be at the Suffern Village Museum, 14 Beech St., Suffern N.Y., hosted by Gardner and Josephine Watts.

OFFICERS AND CHAIRPERSONS

President.....	Bob Protzmann
Vice President.....	George and Ruth Fee
Recording Secretary	Joan Brooks
Corresponding Secretary	Sally Dewey
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The Newsletter of the Genealogical Society of Rockland County is published four times a year, in mid-month of September, December, February and May.

The deadline for submitting material for inclusion in the Newsletter is the 25th of the month preceding issue date. Send items and articles to Pat Wardell, GSRC Newsletter Editor, 78 Edgewood Rd., Allendale, NJ 07401.

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at a new public access genealogy workstation established by the Department of Health in the Health Information Access Services (HIAS) storefront located on the Concourse level of the Empire State Plaza. The workstation will accommodate only one researcher at a time. Up to a 2-hr. appointment can be made by calling 518-486-1677.

You should note, however, that the restored access to the indexes (which cover births 1881-1916, marriages 1881-1941, and deaths 1881-1941) does not solve the problem of the backlog of requests for the actual certificates. You're probably still better off trying to get a copy of the certificate from the local registrar where the event occurred, rather than requesting it through the State Dept. of Health in Albany.

One additional note—as of October 17, 1991 the cost of obtaining an uncertified copy of a vital record for genealogy purposes has increased by \$5 which brings the cost of a request in which the exact date of the event is known, to \$11.00. (If a search must be done of more than 3 years, the fees are higher. Extensive genealogy searches will double in price to \$10 per hour.)

An Associated Press newspaper release in October reported that copies of birth and death certificates from local government sources (town and city clerks) now cost \$10.00 (up from \$5.). The increase was approved as part of the state budget, passed in July. Under the law, local town and city clerks can also raise the price of a marriage certificate copy from \$5 to \$10 upon approval of the local town board or city council.

✓ **Rockland/Orange County "People's Project"**—Jack Focht, Director of Trailside Museum, Bear Mountain, announced there was a "People's Project" in progress gathering information, anecdotes, etc., on people who had lived in North Rockland and nearby Orange County, particularly in areas known as Johnstown, Sandyfields, Pine Meadows and Doodletown. When the project is completed, the information will be made available to libraries and interested organizations.

Anyone willing to share information and write about people living in these areas is asked to contact Mrs. Marjorie Schmeltzer Stevenot, 150 Johnstown Road, Sloatsburg, NY 10974 (914-753-2604).

✓ **Reprint of NYC Dutch Church Baptisms**—The New York Genealogical and Biographical Society has acquired exclusive sales rights to the 1968 reprint of Baptisms in the Dutch Church, New York [City], 1639-1800. The two-volume set was originally published in 1901-1902. The Society offers the two-volume set (clothbound, 1,298 pages, fully indexed) at \$100, postpaid to addresses in the U.S. Order from The New York Genealogical & Biographical Society, 122 East 58th Street, New York, NY 10022-1939.

✓ **NYC LDS Genealogy Seminar Planned**—The New York City Family History Center, at 2 Lincoln Square, 125 Columbus Ave., is planning a genealogy seminar for the weekend of March 13-14, 1992. The seminar will include a lecture by Jayare Roberts, from Salt Lake City, on Friday evening, and workshops on Saturday. For more information, call Henry Rock at 212-873-1690.

✓ **New Netherland Project Publication**—An item in the *Bradt Family News* announced the publication of A Beautiful and Fruitful Place (Nancy Zeller, Editor, The New Netherland Project), a collection of 31 scholarly papers about life in colonial Beverwick (Albany) presented at the Rensselaerswijck Seminars, beginning in 1979. The book is 382 pages, soft cover, and is priced at \$19.50 plus postage. Order from Friends of the New Netherland Project, P.O. Box 2536, Empire State Plaza Station, Albany, NY 12230-0536.

OTHER LOCAL SOCIETIES

✓ **Westchester County Genealogical Society**—Meetings of the Westchester County Genealogical Society are held the second Saturday of each month, September to June, at Saint Andrew's Episcopal Church, North Central Avenue, Hartsdale, NY. Programs begin at 10:00 am and are open to the public (a \$2 donation is requested of non-members). General membership in the Society is \$20 per year and includes a subscription to the monthly newsletter.

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ter, among other benefits. (Westchester County Genealogical Society, P.O. Box 518, White Plains, NY 10603.) Upcoming programs include:

- Dec 14, 1991—Sleuthing in the Stacks: Using Non-Genealogical References to Uncover Genealogical Clues, by Meldon J. Wolfgang III, Trustee, Albany Historical Society.

- Jan 11, 1992—Sharing Our Questions and Answers: Our Problems and Solutions, an In House Meeting of the WCGS.

- Feb 8, 1992—Sacred to the Memory: Old Westchester Graveyards and the Human Stories They Tell, by Gray Williams, Trustee for the Association of Gravestone Studies.

- Mar 14, 1992—The 1920 Census: Preparing for a Grand Opening, by John Celardo, Assistant Director, National Archives Northeast Regional Branch.

- Apr 11, 1992—Genealogical Resources, Westchester County Historical Society Church Records, by Elizabeth Fuller, Research & Genealogical Librarian, Westchester County Historical Society.

- May 9, 1992—Compiling a Genealogy: Collecting, Organizing, Arranging, by Roger D. Joslyn, Past President, Association of Professional Genealogists.

- June 13, 1992—New York and New England, by Henry B. Hoff, Editor, The New York Genealogical & Biographical Society.

For further information, contact WCGS Vice President of Programs, Joseph Durnin, Sr. at 914-738-3356.

✓ **Orange County GS Publications for Sale**—The Orange County Genealogical Society, 101 Main Street, Goshen NY 10924 has for sale a number of publications including books, reprinted books and maps, and back issues of its quarterly. Write for a list and order form.

OCCS meetings are held the first Saturday of the month at 9 a.m. at the 1841 Courthouse, 101 Main St., Goshen. Their research room, at the 1841 Courthouse, is open to non-members and there is no fee to use it. The room is open the 1st Weds. of the month from 8:30 a.m. to 5 pm; the 1st Saturday of the month after the society's meeting (the room is not open during the meeting) from noon to 4:00 p.m.; and every Mon and Fri from 8:30 a.m. to noon.

QUERIES

Queries will be published in the newsletter as space permits. It would be helpful if querists would submit their queries beginning with surnames concerned in the query listed alphabetically. Please keep queries clear, but concise. Send queries to Pat Wardell, GSRC Newsletter Editor, 78 Edgewood Road, Allendale, NJ 07401.

When answering a query, please send a copy of the

answer to the Genealogical Society of Rockland County for our files and for possible inclusion in future newsletters. Many thanks.

Editor's Note: Beginning this issue queries will be numbered for reference purposes.

1. **SECOR, MABIE**— Seek children of Daniel Secor, 1698-1765 NY and Catharine Mabie, b. 1703.

Emily Richey, 17 Smith St., Bloomfield, NJ 07003

2. **SECOR, CONKLIN**— Seek info on Mary Ann Secor, daughttr of Jonas D. Secor and Hannah Conklin. Mary Ann was born c. 1800, married Derick (Richard) Conklin 1816 Kakiat NY?

Emily Richey, 17 Smith St., Bloomfield, NJ 07003

3. **KNAPP, SPRINGSTEAD**— Seek info on family of Jemima Knapp, born 7 Nov 1773. She married Jacob Springstead, born 25 Mar 1765 and christened at Clarkstown. The couple were married at the Trinity Episcopal Church in NYC and both are buried in the Mount Repose Cemetery, Haverstraw.

They had 8 children: Hannah m. John Davis; Mary m. James Chadwick; Eliza m. William Lawrence; Catharine m. (1) Harry Wood, and (2) John Jersey; Sarah m. John H. Wigton; John m. Emily Knapp; Charlotte Ann m. Daniel Burns; and Nelson m. Mary Ann Morphet. Some of these children were born in Haverstraw.

Nancy Purdy Saunders, 27 Lefferts Street, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

4. **PERRIE/PERRY, SMITH**— Seek ancestors and info on George I. and Elizabeth (Perrie/Perry) Smith of Clarkstown, NY. He d. ca. 1823, Clarkstown, NY. She d. before husband.

Thomas R. Shaw, P.O. Box 2002, Waterbury, CT 06702

LETTERS

From Eleanor F. Winnett, Bellport, NY, 21 Sep 1991:
Enclosed please find check for \$10.00 to cover the cost of my yearly membership.

I am a member of several different genealogical societies but your Newsletter is by far, the very best. It is not only very informative but extremely interesting. I have been working on my genealogy for approximately 3-1/2 years.

Hearthstone Bookshop, Potomac Square, 8405-H Richmond Hwy., Alexandria, VA 22309 (703) 360-6900. Hearthstone sells books, charts, and supplies for genealogists. They have 2 catalogs (\$1 each): one for Genealogy & Early American Life; one for Local and Regional History. Preservation Emporium, P.O. Box 226309, Dallas, TX 75222 (214) 331-8902. This vendor is a distributor of acid-neutral archival materials for conservation, preservation & restoration of such collectables as documents, photographs, clothing, etc.. \$2.50 for their catalog (refundable on first order of \$40 or more).

GSRC BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I—NAME

The name of the organization shall be The Genealogical Society of Rockland County, New York referred to hereafter as the Society.

ARTICLE II—OBJECTIVES

The objectives of the Society shall be as follows:

1. To encourage and promote accurate and thorough genealogical research of every region through educational programs and workshops.
2. To discover, collect, preserve, record, and catalog Rockland County genealogical and historical data and make these records and papers available for study.
3. To prepare and distribute for and to the membership a quarterly publication to include genealogical inquiries from members nationwide and worldwide, plus genealogical articles and hitherto unpublished records such as family Bible records, parish records, census and collections of newspaper obituaries and the like.

ARTICLE III—MEMBERSHIP

Membership in the Society shall be open to all persons interested in Genealogy. There shall be the following classes of membership:

Class A: Individual Members upon payment of the annual dues payable in June of each year.

Class B: Family Members upon payment of the annual dues payable in June of each year.

Class C: Corresponding Members, who because of location can not attend regular meetings, upon payment of annual dues in June of each year.

Membership dues shall be determined by the VBoard of Directors and approved by an affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members present at a regular scheduled meeting at which a quorum is present.

ARTICLE IV—MEETINGS

A meeting shall be held on a monthly basis with the exception of July and August on the fourth Tuesday of the month, except when the meeting shall conflict with holidays.

A quorum shall consist of ten (10) members in good standing.

An annual meeting shall be held in June for purposes of installation of Officers, Audit Report and Budget presentation.

ARTICLE V—OFFICERS

The following officers shall be elected for a term of one year. An officer may not serve more than two successive terms in the same office.

Any officer missing three consecutive meetings without just cause shall vacate that office.

1. President, whose duties shall be:
 - A. Preside at all regular meetings of the Society and at all Board of Directors meetings.
 - B. To appoint the chairperson of all special com-

mittees.

- C. To appoint the chairperson of all standing committees subject to ratification by the members by an affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members present at a regular scheduled meeting at which a quorum is present.
- D. To be an ex-officio member of all committees except the nominating committee.
2. Vice President, whose duties shall be:
 - A. In the absence of the President, serve in his stead.
 - B. Program Chairperson.
3. Treasurer, whose duties shall be:
 - A. To receive and deposit all monies of the Society.
 - B. To disburse such funds as provided by the budget and/or voted by the membership.
 - C. To keep a record of receipts and expenditures.
 - D. To present a financial report at all regular scheduled meetings of the Society and at every regular meeting of the Board of Directors.
4. Recording Secretary, whose duties shall be:
 - A. To record the minutes of all Society and Board of Directors meetings.
 - B. To record attendance at each meeting and determine if a quorum be present.
5. Corresponding Secretary, whose duties shall be:
 - A. To notify members of all Society and Board of Directors meetings.
 - B. To handle any necessary correspondence of the Society and keep records of the same.
 - C. To assume the duties of the Recording Secretary in absence of same.

ARTICLE VI—BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors shall consist of the five elected officers and chairpersons of each standing committee.

The quorum for a Board of Directors meeting shall be five.

The Board of Directors shall:

1. Meet quarterly and at any other time deemed necessary.
2. Recommend policies and plans to the membership.
3. Prepare a budget for the annual period June to June which shall be presented to the membership at the annual business meeting.
4. Fill vacancy of office on an interim basis until the next election subject to ratification by the members by an affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members present at a regular scheduled meeting at which a quorum is present.

ARTICLE VII—NOMINATING COMMITTEE

A Nominating Committee composed of three members in good standing shall be appointed by the President in April, with the approval of the Board of Directors. This committee shall prepare a slate of five officers and present the slate to the membership

at the May meeting of the Society. The Corresponding Secretary shall notify the membership of the slate, prior to the meeting. The election of officers shall take place at the May meeting and they shall assume their duties at the annual business meeting in June.

ARTICLE VIII—STANDING COMMITTEES

It is the intent of the Society to have several standing committees to carry out a variety of tasks. The following Standing Committees are recommended:

1. Archivist
2. Audit
3. Membership
4. Research
5. Correspondence
6. Publicity

ARTICLE IX—PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY

Robert's Rules of Order shall be the Parliamentary authority for procedure in all cases in which they are applicable and not inconsistent with the by-laws.

ARTICLE X—AMENDMENT PROCEDURES

The by-laws may be amended at any regular meeting of the Society, at which a quorum is present, by an affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members present, provided that the notice of the proposed amendment shall be given in the call to the meeting at which action is to be taken on the proposed amendment.

ARTICLE XI—DISSOLUTION

In the event of dissolution of the Genealogical Society of Rockland County, any monies remaining in the treasury, after payment of all debts, and all properties shall be donated to the Historical Society of Rockland County.

Resumes of Past Programs at Meetings of the Genealogical Society of Rockland County

Grasping at Straws

Program presented at the June 25, 1991 meeting of the Genealogical Society of Rockland County

Notes by Joan Brooks, Recording Secretary

Pat is the Archivist for our Society. She was going through some old papers at her grandmother's house, trying to locate some information on the Van Wart family.

She found a 1963 obituary for her grandmother's aunt. It noted that the aunt was survived by Gerow de la Ree, Bergen County sportswriter for the *Bergen Record*. Pat checked the phone book, found his name, and wrote him a letter. Gerow answered right away—he was 65 years old and was interested in the family. Pat sent him charts to fill out. In his attic, he had several pictures that were his mother's. Gerow gave her 50 identified photographs, saying that he had no direct relatives who would be interested in the

material.

One photo was of Isaac Van Wart, her gr (3) grandfather, who died in 1863, age 43. Pat had some of the old photographs blown up to 5 x 7 size, black and white (cost \$5). If you want the negative, the cost is \$15. There was a photo of Gerow's family, one still being alive—Aunt Nellie, age 98.

Isaac's daughter, Jane, died age 40 plus—this obituary Pat found on microfilm. There was also a diary, kept by Gerry's mother and grandmother, in which she found a death date.

Gerry also gave her several autograph books, one dated 1884-85 from Nyack College. These contained many drawings and autographs from people from all over the world. Another was from the Nyack Baptist Sunday School—about 1881-83. In addition to the Van Wart information, Gerry gave her the Storms lineage.

Pat has had several of the photos preserved and noted that she uses Michael's (photographer).

Pat concluded her presentation by stating that it just goes to show you that no clue, no matter how insignificant, should be overlooked.

Dictionary of Rockland County Place Names

We hope that members will add to (and correct, if necessary) the information given in this alphabetized series. References are cited. If you find place names in deeds, records, and other documents, we would like to know so that we can add time frames to these usages. —Pat Wardell

Ackerman's Corners

A locality in Rockland County, N.Y. Also called Cassady's Corners.

- "Ackerman's Corners"—Green, Frank B., *The History of Rockland County*. New York: A. S. Barnes & Co., 1886, p. 404.

Airmont

A locality in Rockland County, N.Y., near the Mahwah, N.J. border. Also called Masonicus.

- "Airmont"—Howard I. Durie, *The Durie Family*, 1985, p. 168, "...Airmont (formerly Masonicus) area of Suffern, Town of Ramapo in Rockland County, N.Y."

Bardonia

A locality in Rockland County, N.Y.

- 1977, "Bardonia"—in 1977 Hagstrom's Atlas BC & RC.

Bardon's Station

A locality in Rockland County, N.Y. near Nanuet. Named after John Bardon, who settled there about 1850.

- "Bardon's Station"—Cole, History of RC, p. 126.

Bear Mountain

A locality in Rockland County, N.Y.

- 1977, "Bear Mountain"—in 1977 Hagstrom's Atlas BC & RC.

Beaver Pond

A locality in Rockland County, N.Y.

- 1977, "Beaver Pond"—in 1977 Hagstrom's Atlas BC & RC.

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1855 NEW YORK STATE CENSUS, ROCKLAND COUNTY

Transcribed by Pat Wardell

Please see December 1990 issue (p. 6) for general information about this census and about this transcription.

Editor's Note: Due to some sort of a computer glitch (or—could it be?—gasp—a HUMAN error?), my entire transcribed file for these records disappeared from my hard disk (the moral of this story is ALWAYS MAKE A BACKUP!!!). So because I returned the Xeroxed copies of this census months ago, I am back to struggling with reading just the microfilmed version for this transcription. The microfilm makes the enumerator's handwriting just that much more difficult to read (it's hard enough to decipher to begin with). I mention this only as a caveat: from this point on, these transcribed records are almost certain to contain interpretive errors and alas, many bracketed (meaning questionable), question-marked entries, which means they are sometimes just an interpretive guess. Sorry!

TOWN OF HAVERSTRAW, 2ND ELECTION DISTRICT (Continued from September 1991 issue)

Dwell.	Fam.	Name of every person...1 June 1855	Age	Sex	Col.	Relation to head of family	Where born	M/W	Yrs Res	Profession, Trade, Occupation	land owner
81	99	[?? Arthur??] [Louis]	54	M			Germany	M	2	None	
		Makdaelen [Louis]	50	F		Wife	Germany	M	2	None	
		Phillip [Louis]	20	M		Son	Germany		1	Mason	
		Makdaelen [Louis]	15	F		Daughter	Germany		1	None	
		[Josephine?] [Louis]	13	F		D ^o	Germany		1	None	
82	100	Nicholas [Staulter]	35	M			Rockland	M	35	Brick Burner	
		Hannah L. [Staulter]	29	F		Wife	Rockland	M	29	None	
		Eliza Ann [Staulter]	12	F		Daughter	Rockland		12		
		Theodore [Staulter]	10	M		Son	Rockland		10		
		Jane [Staulter]	8	F		Daughter	Rockland		8		
		S. Brewster [Staulter]	6	M		Son	Rockland		6		
		Richard [Staulter]	4	M		Son	Rockland		4		
		Amelia [Staulter]	2	F		Daughter	Rockland		2		
		Margaretta Brewster	48	F		Mother in Law	Rockland	W	48	None	
83	101	Richard Brewster	23	M			Rockland	M	23	None	
		Rachel Brewster	26	F		Wife	Rockland	M	26	None	
		Matilda Brewster	2	F		Daughter	Rockland		2		
		Samuel Brewster	6/12	M		Son	Rockland		6/12		
	102	James Call	23	M			Rockland	M	23	Boatman	
		[J?] Ann Call	28	F		Wife	Rockland	M	28	Dress Maker	
		[D-?-] Call	2	M		Son	Rockland		2		
84	103	David [Slagle? Stagle?]	45	M			Westchester	M	6	Shoe Maker	
		Abby [Slagle? Stagle?]	44	F		Wife	Rockland	M	44	None	
		Samuel Call	16	M		Son	Rockland		16	None	
		Sarah [Slagle? Stagle?]	15	F		Daughter	Westchester		5	None	
		[L?] Ann Call	13	F		D ^o	Rockland		13		
		Abby [M.?] Call	11	F		D ^o	Rockland		11		
(15)						(21 June 1855)					
		William [Slagle? Stagle?]	10	M		Son	Westchester		5		
		David E. [Slagle? Stagle?]	1	M		Son	Rockland		1		
85	104	Alexander Waldron	52	M			Rockland		52	Farmer	
		Mary [D?] Waldron	84	F		Mother	Rockland	W	84	None	
		Maria Waldron	63	F		Sister	Rockland		63	None	
		Harriett Weiant	34	F		Niece	Rockland	M	34	None	
		Mary Redfern	39?	F		Servant	Ireland	W	6	None	
		Patrick Clark	22	M		Laborer	Ireland		1	None	
86	105	John [Ashon?]	22?	M			Germany	M	1	Mason	
		Caroline [Ashon?]	22	F		Wife	Germany	M	1	None	
	106	Adam Schouster	31	M			Germany	M	3	None	
		Martha Schouster	18	F		Wife	Orange	M	6/12	None	
87	107	David Truax	24	M			Otsego	M	4	Machinist	
		Betsey C. Truax	22	F		Wife	Rockland	M	22	None	
88	108	Abram Weiant	37	M			Rockland	M	[?]	Farmer	

Dwel.	Fam.	Name of every person...1 June 1855	Age	Sex	Col	Relation to head of family	Where born	M/W	Yrs Res.	Profession, Trade, Occupation	land owner
		[Charrey?] Weiant	36	F		Wife	Orange	M	15	None	
		John C. Spencer Weiant	14	M		Son	Rockland		14		
		[Gerom?] Weiant	12	M		Son	Rockland		12		
		Woolsey Weiant	10	M		Son	Rockland		10		
		Mary E. Weiant	7	F		Daughter	Rockland		7		
		Hannah Weiant	6	F		D ^o	Rockland		6		
		Hannah [Knapp?]	17	F		Servant	Otsego		1/12	None	
89	109	Sally Goetschius	31	F			Orange	W	10	None	
		Livina Goetschius	4	F		Daughter	Rockland		4		
		Samuel H. Goetschius	2	M		Son	Rockland		2		
		Jonathan Owen	69	M		Father	Orange	W	8	None	
		James H. Owen	25	M		Brother	Orange		9	None	
90	110	John Johnson	63	M			Conct	M	38	Farmer	
		Mary Johnson	65	F		Wife	Rockland	M	65	None	
		Catharine Johnson	28	F		Daughter	Rockland		28	None	
		Edward Johnson	24	M		Son	Rockland		24	None	
91	111	David Jones	24	M			Rockland		24	Farmer	
		Elisabeth Jones	55	F		Mother	Rockland	W	55	None	
		Richard Jones	33	M		Brother	Rockland		33	Farmer	
		Mary E. Jones	19	F		Sister	Rockland		19	None	
		Phebe Thompson	29	F		Sister	Rockland	W	29	Tailoress	
92	112	Hiram Fowler	36	M			Westchester	M	3	None	
		Mary Fowler	27	F		Wife	Rockland	M	27	None	
		[Farley??] Fowler	3	M		Son	Rockland		3		
		[Amelia?] Fowler	1	F		Daughter	Rockland		1		
93	113	Roswell Goetschius	25	M			Rockland	M	25	None	
		Ann Goetschius	29	F		Wife	Orange	M	6	Tailoress	
94	114	Martin Rose	68	M			Rockland	M	68	Farmer	
		Mary Rose	61	F		Wife	New Jersey	M	43	None	
(16)						(22 June 1855)					
		Warren H. Rose	19	M		Son	Rockland		19	Carpenter	
		Francis M. Rose	16	F		Daughter	Rockland		16	None	
95	115	[Abram?] Burris	35	M			Rockland	M	35	None	
		Sarah Ann Burris	35	F		Wife	Rockland	M	36	None	
		Ann Burris	12	F		Daughter	Rockland		12		
		[James] Burris	10	M		Son	Rockland		10		
		Thomas Burris	4	M		Son	Rockland		4		
		Sarah Ann Burris	2/12	F		Daughter	Rockland		2/12		
97	116	George B. Weiant	32	M			Rockland	M	32	None	
		Elisabeth Weiant	34	F		Wife	Orange	M	15	None	
		Edward Weiant	12	M		Son	New York		10		
		W ^m Thorn	17	M		Servant	Rockland		17	None	
98	117	Cornelia Goetschius	60	F			Rockland	W	60	None	
99	118	James [Thurston? Knowlton?]	46	M			Orange	M	4	Wheelwright	
		Sophia [Thurston?]	34	F		Wife	Rockland	M	4	None	
		Emma [Thurston?]	15	F		Daughter	Rockland		15	None	
		Maria [Thurston?]	10	F		D ^o	Virginia		4		
		Willimina [Thurston?]	5	F		D ^o	Virginia		4		
		Alexander [Thurston?]	1	M		Son	Rockland		1		
100	119	Robert Thorn	56	M			New Jersey	M	50	Farmer	
		Adelia Thorn	46	F		Wife	Orange	M	20	None	
		William [Sales?]	20	M		Son	Rockland		20	Boatman	
		[Ira?? John??] Thorn	9	M		Son	Rockland		9		
		Ann A. Thorn	7	F		Daughter	Rockland		7		

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Deaths for the Year Ending June 1, 1870

(From 1870 Mortality Schedule of Rockland County; LDS Film #1415135, stamped pp. 609-620)
Submitted by Laura J. LeBarron; continued from the September 1991 issue.

Abbreviations Used:

*St = Status (Married, Widowed)
*F = Father Foreign Born (X = Yes)
*M = Mother Foreign Born (X = Yes)

C = Clarkstown
H = Haverstraw
O = Orangetown
R = Ramapo
R*995 = Rockland County Alms House
in Ramapo

S = Stony Point
W = Warren Village

Numbers indicate the number of

the family as given in the 2nd column
of the regular population Schedule of
the 1870 Census.

Kp Bdg School = Kept Boarding School
Imp = Importer
R = Retired

Bre = Bremen
Ger = Germany
Ire = Ireland
Pol = Poland
Pot = Potsdam
Pru = Prussia

Swi = Switzerland

Ch = Chronic
Cngtn = Congestion of
Genl = General
Inflm = Inflammation of
Quincy Sore T = Quincy Sore Throat
Rem Fever = Remittant Fever
Stmch = Stomach

An explanation of the diseases will
follow in the issue containing the conclusion
of this mortality listing.

Name	Age	Sex	*St	Bpl	*F	*M	Died	Occupation	Cause of Death	Town
CODY, Edward	44	M	M	Ire	X	X	June	Brick Yard	Consumption	H34
COE, Jesse	30	M	M	NY	-	-	May	Harness Maker	Consumption	R72
COKLEY, Hannora	01	F	-	NY	X	X	Sept	-	Teething	H40
CONELLY, James	50	M	M	Ire	X	X	Aug	Inmate	Consumption	R*995
CONKLIN, Abram	82	M	M	NY	-	-	July	-	Genl Debility	H224
CONKLIN, Alfred	01	M	-	NY	-	-	Jan	-	Scarlet Fever	S74
CONKLIN, Hannah	46	F	M	NY	-	-	Aug	-	Cholera Morbus	S74
CONNER, Sarah	10	F	-	IA?	-	-	Mar	-	Scarlet Fever	S28
COOPER, Benjamin M.	03	M	-	NY	-	-	Mar	-	Scarlet Fever	W579
CORFIELD, Thamar ?	69	F	M	Eng	X	X	May	Keeping House	Rem Fever	O415
CRAVIN, Betsey	25	F	M	NY	X	X	May	Keeping House	Child Birth	H236
CRONE, Sarah	36	F	M	Ire	X	X	Sept	Keeping House	Genl Debility	R886
CROWLEY, Charles	53	M	M	Ire	X	X	Dec	Laborer	Inflm Bowels	O880
CURREN, Morris	3m	M	-	NY	X	X	Mar	-	Inflm Lungs	H184
CUSICK, Mary A.	01	F	-	NY	X	X	Aug	-	Cholera Infantum	H344
DALEY, Francis	02	M	-	NY	X	X	Dec	-	Scarlet Fever	S222
DALEY, James	04	M	-	NY	X	X	Dec	-	Scarlet Fever	S222
DEBAUN, Isaac	90	M	M	NY	-	-	May	-	Old Age	C445
De GROAT, Margaret	78	F	W	NY	-	-	May	Keeping House	Heart Disease	R67
DELANEY, Peter	56	M	M	Ire	X	X	Nov	Laborer	Stroke	S303
DEMAREST, Abram	02	M	-	NY	-	-	June	-	Scarlet Fever	C447
DEMAREST, James D.	89	M	M	NJ	-	-	Oct	R Clergyman	Genl Debility	R105
DEMAREST, Willie	16	M	-	NY	-	-	Sept	-	Nose Bleed	H228
DEMAREST, Willis	05	M	-	NY	-	-	June	School	Scarlet Fever	C447
DERBYSHIRE, Emma	01	F	-	NY	-	-	Aug	-	Scarlet Fever	W678
DESENGER, Frederick	10	M	-	NY	X	X	Aug	Factory Hand	Scalded	H310
DITEMAN ?, George	01	M	-	NY	X	X	Dec	-	Water on Brain	H80
DRAIN, Ida	03	F	-	NY	-	-	Jan	-	Croup	R768
DRAKE, Samuel	1m	M	-	NY	-	-	Aug	-	Unknown	S581
DUNNIGAN, Mary	22	F	-	NY	X	X	Jan	-	Abortion	W411
EGNEW, James	03	M	-	NY	X	X	Mar	-	Burned	S92
FAHEY, Bridget	02	F	-	Ire	X	X	Nov	-	Croup	H40
FAHEY, John	03	M	-	NY	X	X	Dec	-	Scarlet Fever	H64
FAHEY, John	8m	M	-	NY	X	X	Sept	-	Teething	H63
FALES, Ella	01	F	-	NY	-	-	Mar	-	Scarlet Fever	W396
FALES, Frederick	03	M	-	NY	-	-	Sept	-	Scarlet Fever	S295
FARLIN, Mary A.	05	F	-	NY	X	X	Nov	-	Scarlet Fever	H144
FARLIN, Patrick	11m	M	-	NY	X	X	Oct	-	Scarlet Fever	H144
FELTER, Alzina	04	F	-	NY	-	-	June	-	Scarlet Fever	W206

Name	Age	Sex	*St	Bpl	*F	*M	Died	Occupation	Cause of Death	Town
FERDON, Elizabeth	76	F	M	NY	-	-	July	Keeping House	Paralysis	O913
FOLEY, Catharine	02	F	-	NY	X	X	May	-	Consumption	W57
FOLEY, James	2m	M	-	NY	X	X	Apr	-	Inflm Lungs	W57
FOLEY, Thomas	54	M	M	Ire	X	X	Aug	Brick Yard	Apoplexy	W41
FORD, Mary	01	F	-	NY	X	X	July	-	Cholera Infantum	H32
FORSHEY, Filena	62	F	M	NY	-	-	Aug	Keeping House	Paralysis	R64
FRANK, Anna	3m	F	-	NY	X	X	July	-	Measles	S348
FREEMAN, Jacob (Bl)	50	M	W	NY	-	-	Dec	Inmate	Consumption	R*995
FUNDY, Theodore J.	45	M	M	NY	-	-	Oct	Lawyer	Consumption	S121
GALLIGER, John	22	M	-	NY	X	X	May	Brick Yard	Disease of Heart	H148
GILBRANTSEN, Elizabeth	19	F	-	MA	X	-	Oct	-	Consumption	O665
GILBRANTSEN, Olo ? P.	02	M	-	NY	X	-	Aug	-	Burning	O665
GILLEN, Charles	06	M	-	NY	X	X	Aug	-	Drowned	W2
GOETSCHUIS, George	35	M	M	NY	-	-	Feb	Farmer	Consumption	R412
GOLRICH, John	49	M	M	Ire	X	X	Mar	Laborer	Bronchitis	S315
GOODRICH, Wm Edgar	03	M	-	NY	-	-	Aug	-	Inflm Lungs	O1204
GOODRICH, Charles D.	02	M	-	NY	-	-	Aug	-	Bronchitis	O1204
GORDIN, Daniel	01	M	-	NY	-	-	Sept	Inmate	Scarlet Fever	R*995
GOTCHES, Abram	18	M	-	NY	-	-	Apr	-	Killed by upsetting wagon	S165
GRUENTHAL, Theodore	65	M	-	Pot	X	X	July	R Hosiery Imp	Brights Disease	C8
GUNN, Cohn ? G.	52	M	M	Scot	X	X	Sept	R Paint Dealer	Brights Disease	C56
GURNEE, Elwood G.	5m	M	-	NY	-	-	Sept	-	Cholera Infantum	O34
HADDOCK, Matilda	41	F	-	IRE	X	X	JAN	Milliner	Consumption	O914
HAIGHT, Stephen	59	M	M	NY	-	-	Apr	Farmer	Consumption	O249
HEDGES, Edmond	51	M	M	NY	-	-	July	Farmer	Typhoid Fever	S139
HEFFERN, Catharine	35	F	M	Ire	X	X	Feb	Keeping House	Child Birth	W51
HERRING, Frank	01	M	-	NY	-	-	July	-	Dropsey Brain	H387
HIGGENS, John	?	M	-	NY	X	X	Dec	-	Scarlet Fever	W563
HISLEY, Albert	96	M	W	Swi	X	X	Dec	Inmate	Genl Debility	R*995
HOFFMAN, Harmen	68	M	M	NY	-	-	Apr	Carpenter	Heart Disease	O1291
HOFFMAN, Richard	12	M	-	Pru	X	X	Feb	-	Lock Jaw	R549
HOYT, Alpheus	04	M	-	NY	-	-	May	-	Scarlet Fever	R672
HOYT, Irving	02	M	-	NY	-	-	May	-	Scarlet Fever	R672
HUYLER, Barney	63	M	M	NJ	-	-	Mar	Farmer	Inflm Bowels	O1333
JACKSON, Rebecca (Bl)	57	F	W	NJ	-	-	May	Keeping House	Breast Cancer	O1303
JOHNSON, Abigail	58	F	-	NY	-	-	Dec	-	Heart Inflm	R110
JONES, Daniel	37	M	-	NY	-	-	Sept	Farmer	Consumption	W648
JUNE, Alonzo	3m	M	-	NY	-	-	May	-	Unknown Disease	S547
KAIN, Mary	41	F	M	Ire	X	X	July	Keeping House	Consumption	O142
KANAHAN, John	03	M	-	Ire	X	X	Aug	-	Drowned	H142
KELLY, Mary	01	F	-	NY	X	X	Nov	-	Scarlet Fever	S82
LANAHAN, Patrick	70	M	W	Ire	X	X	Apr	-	Dropsey Stmch	S225
LANDRIGAN, Patrick	55	M	M	Ire	X	X	Jan	Laborer	Consumption	O882
LANDRIGAN, Patrick Jr.	30	M	M	Ire	X	X	May	RR Brakeman	Inflm Lungs	O877
LENT, Minnie	01	F	-	NY	-	-	Aug	-	Dysentery	S424
LIVERMORE, Marcia A.	47	F	M	MA	-	-	Mar	Keeping House	Heart Disease	C17
LONGSTREET, Louis	13	M	-	NJ	-	-	Apr	-	Drowning	O860
LYNCH, Francis	04	M	-	NY	X	X	Dec	-	Scarlet Fever	W31
LYNCH, No Name	01	F	-	NY	X	X	May	-	Unknown	W66
LYONS, Mary	23	F	M	Ire	X	X	Jan	Inmate	Child Birth	R*995
MACKER, Sarah	01	F	-	NY	X	X	Nov	-	Dysentery	W32
MACKAY, William	1m	M	-	NY	-	-	Feb	-	Disease of Heart	W569
MADDRAH, William R.	38	M	M	VT	X	X	Oct	Shoeshop	Bloody Piles	O244
MARTLING, Abia	72	F	W	NY	-	-	Nov	-	Genl Debility	W245
MATTHEWS, Maria	75	F	W	NY	-	-	Feb	Keeping House	Dropsey Heart	O97
McCABE, Mary	01	F	-	NY	X	X	Aug	-	Water on Brain	H19
McCUE, Thomas	7m	M	-	NY	X	X	Aug	-	Dysentery	W406
McELROY, Edward	04	M	-	NY	-	X	Jan	-	Inflm Brain	W661

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