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**Winter 2025**

## **A HUMBLE, HARD-WORKING MAN WITH A HEART OF GOLD**

**by Maria M. Baril and Peter Kinson**

Ten years ago, the Autumn of 2014, our newsletter featured a short story about Lucian Daniel Webster\*. Lucian once worked for Elgin Jones, who held him in high esteem. In his will, Mr. Jones bequeathed to him one hundred dollars, his Randolph Surveyor's Compass, pocket compasses, and all his surveying and drafting tools.

We have recently obtained a rich trove of information to add to Lucian's narrative, thanks to Peter Kinson, his father David, and his uncle Phil, who have close and cherished ties to Marlow. Here is some of what we have learned.

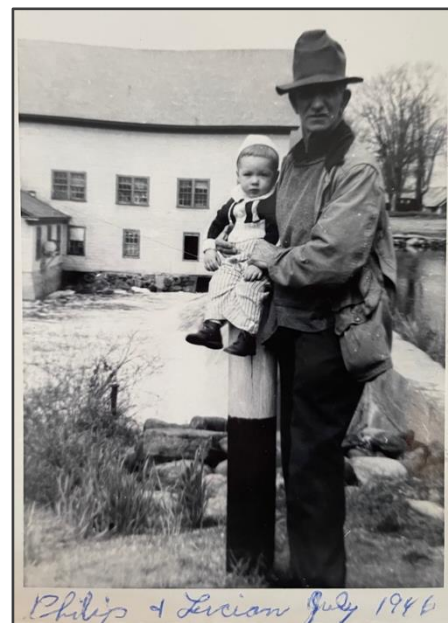
Lucian's father, Frederick R. Webster, was a dam engineer for Faulkner & Colony Manufacturing Company of Keene, which in 1815 purchased all the water rights to the Ashuelot River as far as its source. The job included releasing water as required for the mills in Keene to operate.

In order for him to perform his work, the company provided Frederick Webster with land and materials to build a camp on Sand Pond. The place became known as Silver Sight.\*\* Records show that Frederick sold Silver Sight in 1905, but he still owned land on Sand Pond, including some that he sold to Lucian in 1911.

Lucian eventually took over his father's job. In the fall he would also scale timber for harvesting. He used the surveying skills he acquired as a forester to make extra money on the side. People in Marlow and surrounding towns would hire him to survey their property

By 1940, Lucian was renting a room from Gayla Langdon, Peter Kinson's great-grandmother. We wrote about Gayla in the Spring/Summer 2019 newsletter. Her house stood on Route 10, south of the Christmas Trees Inn (*see the house on the left in the masthead photo above*).

Lucian became part of the Langdon family. The Kinsons joke that people in town thought that Lucian and Gayla were an item, because they acted like an old married couple. Gayla had an adopted daughter, Mildred (Millie) (Pollard) Langdon Kinson, and Lucian became a prominent, protective figure in her life. Peter Kinson writes: "When my grandfather Harold started courting Millie, Lucian was none too impressed by the man. Eventually my grandfather won him over and they became fast friends. Neither man drank, and both loved the outdoors. They spent vast amounts of time together hunting, trapping and fishing throughout the area."



*Philip Kinson and Lucian Webster, July 1946*

He did the same with David and Phil, who grew up calling him "Uncle Lucian". Phil recalls: "He used to play catch with me since dad [Harold]

wasn't able to because he had lost one eye cutting wood. Another thing he did was to teach me the types of trees. I also remember going surveying with him and learning how to survey".

In 1942 Millie and Harold Kinson purchased Silver Sight at auction. Lucian was very pleased. Over the years he sold them all his remaining acreage.

In the early 1960s Gayla was no longer able to care for Lucian. He had been having trouble with his legs for quite some time. David Kinson remembers him wrapping his legs in wet clothes to help soothe the pain. He was moved to Maplewood Nursing Home, where he died in 1967.

He is buried in Woodlawn Cemetery in Nashua, as are his grandparents, parents, brother Paul Sidney Webster, and sister Gladys M. Webster Goggin and her husband Stanley R. Goggin.

Thanks to the generosity of the Kinson family, we now have Lucian Webster's surveyor's chest, and the compasses and surveyor's tripod that he inherited from Elgin Jones. Among the items in the chest are 1912 USDA Instructions for Making



*Gayla Langdon, 1967*

Forest Surveys and Maps, and a 1936 manual for Land Cruising and Prospecting; newspaper clippings, some about the 1941 forest fire, and about Elgin Jones' death; a 1929 Trapper's License, 1934 deer tags, and 1942 War Ration coupons. Two other curious items in the chest: a 1956 brochure published by Siroil Laboratories of Santa Monica California, touting Siroil oil for the treatment of psoriasis, and a slingshot!

There is also a folder assembled by the Sand Pond Historical Committee - Mildred Beard, Carl Allen, Frances Briggs, Mildred Kinson, John Wright, and Jaye Aldrich - and dedicated to Myron C. Hartford. It includes the following essays: "The History of Sand Pond" by Carl Allen; "Sand Pond or Echo Lake" by Mildred "Grammie" Beard, "Recollections of Bygone Years" by Ellis R. Spaulding; "Recollections" by Frances C. Briggs; "Early and Recent Impressions of Sand Pond or Echo Lake" by Mildred L. Kinson;\*\*\* "Remembrances" by Beulah Oliver; and "Special People" by Ted Aldrich.

Perhaps the most significant item in Lucian's chest is his Marquette Diary and Daily Reminder for the year 1941. Each page of the diary reveals the character of this humble, hard-working man with a heart of gold. He seemed to be always cutting, sawing, splitting and skidding wood, doing stone work, fighting fires... no job seemed too hard for him. The entries also show the affection he felt for Gayla and Mildred, showing interest in their comings and goings, helping with the house work, and caring for them when they were sick.

Intriguingly, among all the papers in the chest is a photo of a lovely young lady with long, curly hair. The Kinsons think it might be Bessie Webster, Lucian's sister-in-law. She was married to George Webster, and outlived him by over 20 years. David Kinson took a good look at the photo and cannot be sure, but remembers that Bessie was pretty, with dark curly hair and a round face - similar to the woman on the photo. Gayla and Bessie were friends and they would visit each other frequently. Perhaps Lucian had sentimental feelings for her? Alas, we will never know.

Lucian entrusted the chest to Mildred Langdon Kinson, who passed it on to her children and grandchildren. That they chose to keep it safe all these years shows how fondly they remember Lucian. The chest and its contents now have a permanent home in the Marlow Historical Society Museum in Murray Hall.



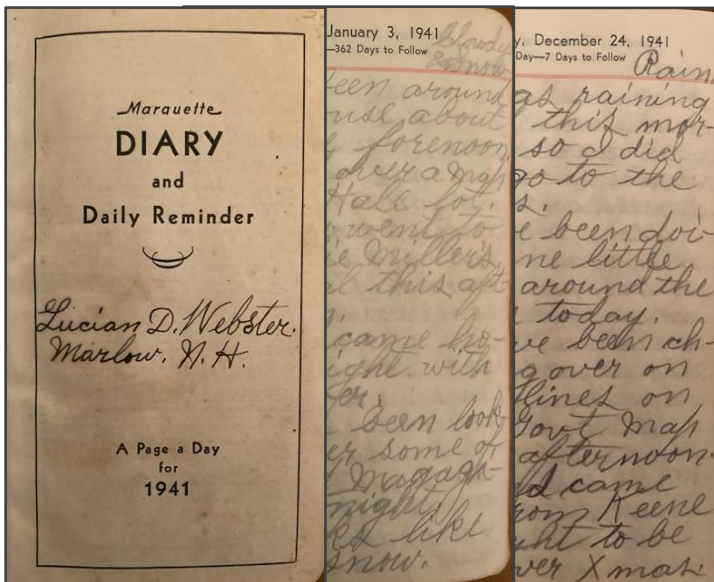
Mildred (Millie) Kinson - Peter Kinson's grandmother after the 1938 hurricane.



(left) Lucian Webster's chest in Murray Hall with Elgin Jones' surveyor's tripod on top.

(right) Small, unlabeled photo found in the chest. Is she Bessie Webster?

(below) Pages from Lucian's 1941 journal



Wednesday, January 22, 1941  
Cold, Fair

Mr. Fewer came town this morning to get me to go to the woods, but Gayla's cold was so bad that I did not think it best to go today, so I stayed home and did the house work. Went to Post Office for mail and paper. Got in wood for night.

Saturday, February 8, 1941  
Mild, Fair

Shoveled the driveway this afternoon. Sears Roebucks' truck brought up a Charlton Glide Away Sofa today that Mildred bought. It is quite a lot colder tonight.

Wednesday, May 7, 1941  
Warm, Fair

I went up to the Baker Place this morning to help him pick stone and move big stone on a stone boat. The black files have got around pretty good and are biting quite a bit.

Thursday, December 25, 1941  
Mild, Fair

We did not go to the woods today. I got a little Xmas tree for Gayla last Sunday and we set it up in the setting room. Mildred trimmed the tree last night. Mildred went back to Keene tonight with Harold. I got four things for Xmas.

\* His name has been alternately spelled Lucien or Lucian, depending on the source. His Marquette Diary and Daily Reminder for the year 1941, however, is clearly signed **Lucian D. Webster**.

**\*\* The location of Silver Sight is now 85 West Shore Road on Sand Pond. There was once a Webster Road in that area as well.**

**\*\*\* Below is a neat excerpt about Silver Sight, from Mildred Kinson's essay:**

*"Mother Langdon used to drive up to Sand Pond occasionally during the summer to swim. One trip up was particularly memorable. Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Tinker owned Silver Sight cottage which was at the base of Huntley Mt. and had been built by Lucien D. Webster and his father. At that time the only way to get to Silver Sight was by boat or in over the Duckie Brown Road and turn on the wagon road close to the foot of Huntley Mt. on the east side. There was a swamp which had to be crossed so no car could make it through. However, old "Dobbin" with the buggy made it. The swamp road ended right at the back door of the cottage. The tremendously tall and large pine trees were so numerous and giant sized that one could only glimpse the lake between the trees. It was indeed a spectacular sight. Those trees stood until the hurricane of September 21, 1938 toppled most of them. The fallen trees had to stay where they fell for a few years."*

## REVISITING OLD SCHOOLHOUSES

Part of the mission of our Historical Society is to awaken among local schoolchildren awareness and curiosity about the history of their town. This in turn fosters a sense of identity and continuity, as students realize that they are part of the ongoing Marlow narrative.

To that effect, our board members worked to reconnect with Perkins Academy students, by focusing on the theme of Marlow's old schoolhouses. We gathered information from Elgin Jones' *History of Marlow, New Hampshire* and from an article in our Fall 2015 newsletter that outlined Marlow school history, including the fact that there were once eight school districts, each with its own schoolhouse! The first four were built in 1796. Through the years, the districts consolidated and then closed, even into the 1900s, including: School #1 near Gustin Pond in 1902; School #3 on Sand Pond Road in 1920; School #7 by Stone Pond in 1913; and School #4, the Village School, now the Town Office, in 1973. The John D. Perkins, Sr. Elementary School, now the John D. Perkins Academy, opened in September 1973.



*Pam Little, Pat Strickland, Angela Amato and Gail Rowe at Perkins Academy*

On September 20, Pam Little and Gail Rowe visited with Perkins Academy 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> graders to explain the Historical Society's goal to preserve history, and to share photos of some of the old schoolhouses. Some students were excited to learn that there had been one near their home.

They discussed differences between then and now: no school buses, for example; and especially the fact that there was no running water or central heating, so kids had to go out and pump water, and bring in firewood for the wood stove. Gail also gave a historical overview of what a teacher's day was like in the one room classroom: cleaning the floors, getting the fire going, teaching students of a variety of ages; and of the rules they had to follow, such as not being able to date, which both teachers and student found amusing.

Pam, Gail, and Pat Strickland met with students again on October 7 for a "Paint Day", led by artist Angela Amato. Angela inspired and encouraged them as they worked from old photographs of Schools #4 and #7.

The artwork was showcased at the Murray Hall Museum on the evening of October 8, and kept on display for the final museum open house of the season on Sunday, October 20. We were thrilled to welcome so many people into Murray Hall, to see both the paintings and the historical items on display. The Society looks forward to reconnecting with students in the spring to share more of Marlow's fascinating history.



*(left)  
Student painting exhibit in Murray Hall on October 8  
Student paintings of former Schools #4 and #7*



## RECOLLECTIONS OF A FORMER PERKINS SCHOOL TEACHER by Stephanie Tickner

As many Marlow residents will tell you, elementary school teachers played a fundamental role in their academic and social development, and are part of their fondest memories. We were therefore delighted to hear from one of the first teachers at the John D. Perkins Sr. Elementary School\*, when it opened in September 1973 - over fifty years ago! Retired teacher, Margery Ladd, of Bellows Falls, VT messaged us on Facebook:

*The first year the new school was opened I started my teaching career. I loved the first six years of teaching in Marlow! I had Champneys, Parkers, Stricklands, and many other wonderful families. Members of the community were involved and very proud of their school. I went by Miss Nostrand my first 5 years. My 6th year I was Mrs. Ladd.*

We began corresponding about her memories, and remembered teacher Margaret “Peg” Gorges Wyman, who taught at the Marlow Village School (now Marlow Town Office) before moving to Perkins School. I shared:

*Both of my children were students in her grade 1/2 classroom in the mid 2000s. My son was in her class the last year she taught. After she retired, she would come back to the school in June each year for 6th grade graduation until all of her students graduated. I thought that was so nice! The school library was named for her.*

Margery recalled:

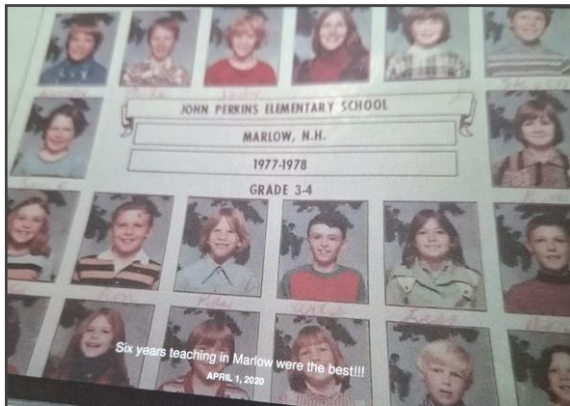
*Peggy taught 1st and 2nd grade. I taught 3rd and 4th grade. We would ride to School Board meetings in the evenings together. It was our job to negotiate our salaries.\*\* We had to do attendance in a special book that had to be checked before we got our last check. We also had to teach PE, Art and Music until (after 3 years) new teachers were hired for the jobs. PE and Art were ok for me but Music was more challenging.*

*Our school lunches were prepared by community moms. The best, nutritious, delicious meals were served - good manners, smiles and many returns for more food were encouraged. I loved and learned so much from this amazing community.*

After getting married, Margery moved to Bellows Falls and then taught 4<sup>th</sup> grade at the Westminster Elementary School for 32 more years. Her husband Dennis taught Middle School in Bellows Falls for 38 years, as well as filling in one year at Vilas Middle School. She now volunteers in the local elementary school and is Secretary of the Bellows Falls Historical Society.

*\*Now John D. Perkins Sr. Academy*

*\*\*Nowadays, negotiating salaries is done between the school board and a teachers union representative.*



Miss Nostrand's Grade 3-4 class photo from 1977-78



Margaret Gorges Wyman Library at Perkins Elementary School in 2012

## COMING TOGETHER TO SOLVE A MYSTERY by Stephanie Tickner

Finding the final resting place of an ancestor can be a formidable job. Sometimes there is no monument or gravestone. The family may not have placed one, or through the years it broke, disintegrated, or became unsafe, and had to be removed. There are many such monuments stored at the Marlow Village Cemetery that the town hopes to restore someday.

Even more challenging are the cases of undocumented burials. A recent example involved finding the grave of Blondin Milan Towne (1859-1945).

We were made aware of the problem by Stephen and Amanda Towne, who traveled to Marlow from their home in Rhode Island in June 2024. Amanda then emailed: *My husband's father's family is buried in the Village Cemetery. We were able to find quite a few of them, happily. However, after an initial records search, I have not been able to find a record of Blondin Towne's grave, even though his death certificate clearly says that is where he is buried*".

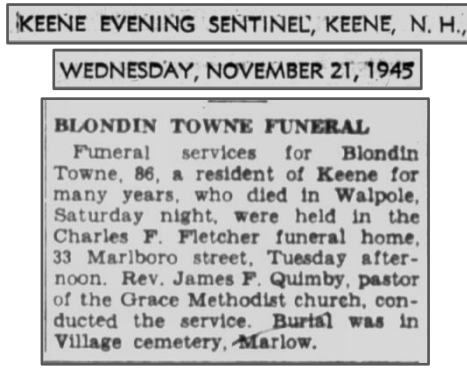
Indeed, both the obituary in *The Keene Sentinel* and the death certificate indicated that Blondin Towne had been buried in the Village Cemetery. However, according to Dan Reed, Chair of the Cemetery Trustees, there was no record of his burial, or of a lot having been acquired in his name, even in the handwritten burial records at the Town Office. We also contacted the funeral home in Keene, but they no longer have records from 1945. Dan Reed then suggested that he might be buried with either his parents, Harvey Towne and Sarah Osgood Seward Towne, or his brother, George Harvey Towne, who had plots in the 1854 section of the cemetery.

Dan asked sexton Tony Davis\* to probe for evidence of an additional vault in these plots. Incredibly, he found one where it was not expected, next to Blondin's brother's family plot. Presuming that to be Blondin's burial place, Dan explained that a marker could be placed if there were no objections from the descendants of George Towne. Amanda was able to reach the oldest living descendant, Sidney Oscar Davis, Jr., in Florida, who gave his consent.

Amanda wrote, "My father-in-law, Donald Towne, is just amazed by all of this information. He really didn't know his dad at all - absolutely no contact with that side of his family - so this is fantastic."

She also shared what she recently learned about Blondin's family. "My husband is descended from Blondin's second wife, Yvonne Coutu Brooks. They married in August 1929 when she was twenty-five and he was seventy! It was the second marriage for both. My father-in-law was born six years later, and his sister Shirley Towne Croteau, three years after that, when Blondin was seventy-nine! Shirley was actually born at home in Keene on September 21, 1938, the day of the Great Hurricane! Don says that shortly after his sister was born Yvonne left Blondin and they moved to Rhode Island where her family lived." Blondin seems to have remained in Keene, and from notes in *The Keene Sentinel* it appears he visited family and friends in Marlow throughout his life.

On October 19, 2024, members of the Towne and Croteau families drove from Rhode Island, Keene, and Walpole to see Blondin Milan Towne's new gravestone. Dan Reed and I welcomed them on a spectacular fall day, marveling at being able to solve the mystery, and listening to eighty-nine-year-old Donald Towne's stories. At one point, Shirley Towne Croteau's son Dennis exclaimed, "When I tell people my grandfather was born before the Civil War, they can't believe it!"



\*From Amanda Towne: "Fun fact, to the best of my knowledge, the sexton, Tony Davis, is Don's 1st cousin, three times removed. He's a descendent of Emma Towne Davis - unless there are two Tony Davises in Marlow." (Since there are not two Tony Davises in Marlow, and after looking at the Towne and Davis family tree, it is clear that Tony is indeed a distant cousin of Donald and Blondin Towne! ST).



Stephen Towne, Donald Towne, Claire Towne, and Amanda Towne of Rhode Island at the gravesite of Blondin Towne in the Marlow Village Cemetery October 2024



## MINDING OUR BUSINESSES by Maria M. Baril

In 1990 the Marlow Historical Society published a Business Directory, with a two-fold purpose: to promote Marlow businesses, and to raise funds to help restore the United Methodist Chapel, where the Historical Society was then headquartered.

Looking back 34 years, the booklet brings back memories of old town residents, some now gone. Horace Howland was president of the Society; Marge Davis was the town's Tax Collector; Frannie Strickland was Treasurer; Philip O'Brien was Police Chief; Joe Feuer, Ron Karvosky, and Gail Pratt were Selectmen; Don Landroche was Building Inspector; Chet Dimlich was Town Moderator... and so many others.

The directory features many businesses then in operation; such as Mark's Repair, 4 ever 4, Ronayne Rings, Sunset Tools, Evans Graphic Technologies, Town & Country Gardens, Tree House Crafts, and Peace Barn Antiques; and of course PC Connection and Audio Accessories.

If that was Marlow in 1990, try to imagine what it was like a century or so earlier. Picture Marlow in 1880!

It was, like now, a small New Hampshire hill town with a population of less than 700 people. What was radically different was the business and industrial landscape.

In an article he contributed for the Business Directory, Alan Rumrill of the Historical Society of Cheshire County wrote:

*"Agriculture was of major importance to the town's livelihood. One hundred nine active farms turned out more than \$43,500 worth of produce in 1880. However, the income from industrial and retail establishments greatly exceeded agricultural income. The nine industrial establishments which called Marlow home in 1880 manufactured \$131,000 worth of products. They included three sawmills, two tanneries, a grist mill, blacksmith shop, copper and tinware business, and a window sash and door manufacturer. These firms employed forty-seven men (no women) who earned a total of \$20,408 in wages during the year. The average annual income was \$434 for each of those factory workers.*


*Although the sawmills turned out 750,000 feet of lumber and 250,000 shingles, and the grist mill ground 84 tons of cornmeal, Marlow economy was dominated by James Burnap's tannery. The company tanned more than 54,000 hides and accounted for more than 75% of the town's industrial income in 1880. Within five years Burnap's tannery had become one of the largest in the state, employing more than 40 men and tanning more than 75,000 hides annually.*

*The small town was more self-sufficient then, with three dressmakers, two shoe makers, a house painter, cattle dealer, jeweler, two butchers, three general stores and one casket dealer... The nearby forests provided raw material for the manufacture of scythe snaths, chopping trays, window sashes, doors and rakes, in addition to lumber and shingles. There were two doctors, two dentists, and one drug and medicine dealer... The successful Forest House offered a haven for travelers. A wheelwright, stage driver and two blacksmiths kept those travelers, and the local residents on the road."*

Besides James Burnap, there were other distinguished businessmen: Perley Fox, who manufactured the Granite State evaporator and Pearl metallic sap spouts; and the Farley family, manufacturers of inks and flavoring extracts. Mr. Rumrill adds:

*"Perhaps the most unusual occupation was that held by Edgar D. Shepardson. He manufactured 'Boston Chips', presumably a predecessor to today's potato chips."*

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Board members voted in at the October meeting were Peter Kinson, President; Pam Little, Vice President; Patty Little, Secretary; Pat Strickland, Treasurer; and Sharon Davis, Gail Rowe, and Stephanie Tickner, Directors.

Historians and descendants of Marlow families continue to reach out to the Historical Society through email and Facebook, providing opportunities for research and making new connections. Sometimes, after months of virtual communication, we are fortunate to meet some of our correspondents when they travel to Marlow. In August and November, Stephanie Tickner hosted tours with members of the Mack family, descendants of Silas Mack, one of the first Marlow settlers in the late 1700s. In October Stephanie and Dan Reed, Chair of the Marlow Cemetery Trustees, gathered with descendants of Blondin Towne to mark the placement of his memorial stone in the Village Cemetery after his 1945 burial location was confirmed. A descendant of the Knight, Miller, and Bill families also contacted us and is planning to travel from South Dakota next fall! Please keep the emails and messages coming.

In September Pam Little and Gail Rowe met with 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade students at Perkins Academy to talk about the history of old Marlow schoolhouses. This was followed by a "paint day" with local artist Angela Amato. The students' paintings were displayed in Murray Hall for a special weeknight event and the final open house of the season. We eagerly anticipate meeting with students in the spring to continue discovering Marlow's past while creating our future history together.

Pam and Stephanie also had a great day representing the Historical Society in Jones Hall during Marlow's annual Christmas on the Pond holiday fair on November 23, chatting with shoppers and listening to stories of Marlow's past. We greatly appreciate the incredible support shown for the Society that day through donations and purchases of apparel and books.

We have fun putting together our newsletters and are always looking for new material. Please reach out to us if you have Marlow recollections to share.

The open house at Murray Hall on the third Sunday of month from May to October continues to be a wonderful opportunity to connect with local and out-of-town visitors. Guests reminisce about Marlow, and enjoy viewing the displays, reading historical resources, and scanning through photo albums. We look forward to inviting the public back to the museum when the warm weather returns, either during the third Sunday open hours, or by appointment. In the meantime, follow our posts on the Marlow NH Historical Society Facebook page, or send us an email at [admin@marlownhhistoricalsociety.org](mailto:admin@marlownhhistoricalsociety.org).

We welcome residents and anyone with a love of Marlow and its history to join us as members and supporters.

*Thank you for your continuing support,  
and best wishes for the coming year.*



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**DID YOU KNOW?**



J.A. French photo, Keene, NH

Mill Street in Marlow once had an unfortunate nickname. It is noted in the addenda of the Elgin Jones *History of Marlow, NH* that because of "the pollution caused by the tanning process: downstream from a tannery was not a pleasant place to be. The waters below a tannery were a soup of tannin, excrement, vegetable-based dye, oil, grease, and bits of animal tissue and hair, creating a stench of hydrogen sulfide. No wonder that Mill Street was at times called "Stink Street."

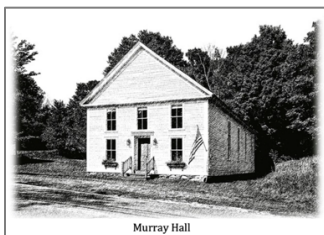
Luman Huntley began the first tannery in the village in 1835. It was purchased by Upton, James and Josiah Burnap in 1838 and became known as The Burnap Tannery. In 1856 James Burnap became the sole owner of the tannery which he owned and operated almost until his death in 1894.

By 1859 the tannery used steam for power, had 75-100 employees, "and used 2-3,000 cords of hemlock bark each year in the tanning process". When James Howard became the plant manager and a partner with Burnap in 1862, "Howard's skill at the trade and the purity of the Ashuelot River water combined

to produce an excellent quality of calfskin. The entire production of the tannery was purchased by a Boston firm named Westcott, and the Burnap calfskin was known as "Westcott Calfskin."

The tannery burned down and was rebuilt in 1864 and 1877, and, according to Burnap's profile in the *Personal War Sketches* book, "as then constructed, was scarcely equaled by any in the state. The tannery continued to do an extensive business until 1891 when the parties for whom Mr. Burnap tanned retired from business which, together with his advanced age, necessitated the closing of the tannery". While the closing may have been hard for Marlow's economy in the 1890s, it must have been so much more pleasant for the people who lived near the mills not to endure the stench of rotten eggs! (*Photo: Burnap's Tannery, Marlow, NH - 1881 - J.A. French*)





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| <input type="checkbox"/> Student (full time) or Senior Citizen - \$7.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> Sustaining - \$100.00  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual - \$15.00                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Lifetime - \$250.00    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Couple/Family - \$25.00                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Benefactor - \$1000.00 |

**Membership Dues \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tax-deductible Donation \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**First Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Last Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**City/State/Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email** \_\_\_\_\_

**We greatly appreciate your support. Thank you!**