

Colonial Conflicts

Winter Stay-at-Home

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Step #1

Determine
if he fought

Determining the Military Service of your Ancestor before the Revolution

- Age at enlistment
- Wars during his lifetime
- Documents & Artifacts
- Pensions
- Genealogies and local histories



How old was your Veteran ?

- Drummer Boy
- Student Soldier
- Married with Children
- Seasoned Veteran
- Senior Soldier



What colonial wars occurred during his lifetime?



17th Century Conflicts

King Philip's War: 1675-1676

- First full scale New England war in the 17th c.
- Metacomet (aka) King Philip and the Wampanoag Indians
- Plymouth Colony, Rhode Island, Western Mass., and beyond



The list of Captain Johnsons Company

Roxbury.
 Henry Bowen.
 John Watson.
 Wm Lincoln.
 Nod Lamb.
 John Jett.
 Onofiphimus Stanley.
 Jacob Morris.
 Wm Dausforth.
 Joseph Good.
 Saml Gardiner.
 Nathl Wilton.
 John Hubbard.
 Tho: Baker.
 waiting.
 Thom: Chowny.
 John Corbin.
 John Nowell.

Dorchester.

Henry mason his man.
 Hopskill Humphrey.
 John Spurr.
 Ebenezer Hill.
 Nicholas Weymouth.
 John Plummer.
 Charles Caban.
 Tho: Grant.
 Tho Davenport.
 Robert Stanbur.
 waiting.
 Henry Withington.
 George Minster.
 Frank Russell.

Milton.
 John Hannow.
 Obadiah Wharton.
 Joseph Tucker.
 Boy: Crans.
 Braintry.
 Ebenezer Owen.
 Saml Baff.
 Wm Sables.
 Tho: Holbrook.
 Rich: Thayer.
 Martin Saunders.
 Francis Naff.
 Jacobus Niles.
 Henry Barlot.
 Tho: Copeland.
 James Atkin.
 Jonathan Pitcher.

Weymouth.
 Wm: King.
 Jones Humphrey.
 Joseph Richard.
 Abhin Dugland.
 John Whitmarsh.
 Zeckor Gurnay.
 Edward Ringman.
 John Reed.
 James Reed.
 John Lovel.
 Witt mitch.
 John Wallis.
 John Burrit.

Hingham.
 Boy: Daboy.
 John Jacob.
 John Langley.
 Edward Wilber.
 Tho: Thaxter.
 Ebenezer Land.
 Saml Lincoln.
 Ephraim Land.
 Joshua Lord.
 John Ball.
~~Wm~~
 Wm Huxford.
 Francis Gardiner.
 Nathl Bouley.
 Nathl Nichols.
 Haverphry Johnson.
 waiting Wm Wardscock.

Hill
 George Searcy.
 John Tappan.
 Joseph Dwyer.
 Wm Chamberlin.
 Christoph: Whason.
 Jacob Prince.
 Jacob Cole.
 Henry Chamberlin.
 75 upward
 8 upward not

Massachusetts Archives Collection

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74a	Return of Men impressed from <u>Hoburn</u>	Dec. 2 ³ , 1675
75	Warrant issued against the Constable of <u>Watertown</u> to arrest <u>Joseph Sauter, Sen.</u> & <u>Steven Cook, Junr.</u> who had failed to appear after being impressed	Jan. 7, 1675.
75a+b	Return of men impressed in <u>Boston</u> and <u>Roxbury</u>	Dec. 1, 1675.
76a 77a	Return of Men impressed from <u>Boston</u> , <u>Hingham</u> , <u>Weymouth</u> , <u>Sudbury</u> , <u>Dorham</u> , <u>Salmon</u> , <u>Raym.</u> , <u>Beverly</u> , <u>Bedford</u> , <u>Cambridge</u> , and <u>Reading</u>	Dec. 1/3, 1675.
80	Return made by <u>Capt. Gen^l Remington</u> of the men impressed in <u>Cambridge</u> by order of <u>Daniel Gookin</u>	Dec. 3, 1675.
81	Return of Troopers impressed from the County Troop	Dec. 3, 1675.
81a	Return of Men impressed from <u>Milton</u>	Dec. 3, 1675.
82	Petition of <u>Thomas Kobart</u> of <u>Hingham</u> asking that his son <u>Isaac Kobart</u> , recently impressed, might be discharged from military service on account of ill health	Dec. 3, 1675.
82a+b	Return of Men impressed from <u>Cambridge Village</u>	Dec. 3, 1675.
83a 84a	Return of Men impressed from <u>Braintree</u> ¹⁵ , <u>Boston</u> , and from the <u>Suffolk County Troop</u>	Dec. 3, 1675.
85	Return of Men impressed from <u>Concord</u>	Dec. 3, 1675.
85a	Petition of <u>John Fuller</u> , of <u>Cambridge Village</u> , asking that some of his sons be spared from military service to carry on his farm, with order thereon dated	Dec. 7, 1675.
86a+b	Return of Men impressed from <u>Capt. John Kull's</u> and <u>Capt. Daniel Kenchmen's</u> companies	Dec. 3, 1675.
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To the Honored Governor &
 Council.

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Your poor petitioner being a stranger in the
 country, and having no friends to speak to your
 Honors in his behalfe; by reason of sickness hee
 is compelled to petition your Honors for a
 dismission from this present service, in which hee
 voluntarily undertook, & cherefully underwent for
 the space of ten weeks; but now is so much
 afflicted with paines in his bones, in his
 head; that hee is scarce his own man much
 less able to doe the country service, which
 willeth & dehveth the Countreys good &
 your ~~owne~~ health.

John Broughton

At a meeting of the Commission of the United
 Colonys, by adjournment in Boston. Novemb. 2. 1675. 39

How as much as the Narraganset Indians are deeply necessary in the
 present bloody outrages of the Barbarous Natives, that are in open
 hostility with the English, this appearing by their harbouring the
 actors thereof, poisoning & murdering their women, children
 & wounded men, & detaining them in their custody, not with-
 standing the covenant made by their sachons to deliver them
 to the English, and ^{as} is credibly reported they have killed and
 taken away many cattle from the English their neighbours
 and did for sundry dayes seize & keep under a strong guard Mr
 Smiths house & family, and at the news of the victory that
 the Indians had over the English at or near Hadley did in
 a very reproachfull & blasphemous manner triumph and
 rejoice thereat. The Commission do agree & determine
 that besides the sum of 50000^l formerly agreed upon to be raised

List of the names of Southern Shakers as given for
of some of the country out of Essex.

from
Nehemiah Hutchins
Samuel Jackson
Samuel Pease
M^o Crispy

Henry Rich
Samuel Pease
Clement Ringell
M^o Knollyn
M^o Morgan
M^o Hunt
M^o Shimas

Thos Thorne
Princed Peaslee
M^o Gurd
Samuel Hill

Andrew Townsend
Jonathan Cook
Samuel Root
Isaac Wetman
David Hudson
M^o Farrington
Isaac Hill
Henry Haly
Robert Beecher
Thos Baker

Wm Bate
Tho Washford
Wm Borden
Lot Coppard
Sophia Reed
Wm Foxman
Sophia George
M^o Morgan
John Drake
Wm Allen
M^o Clark

The Hillom
Isaac Collins
Rich Palmers
Rich Pease
George Dimpleton
Peter Survey
Benj. Newman
Wm Hodgkin
Samuel Taylor
Thos Garrison

from Andover
Joseph Albert
M^o Ballard
M^o Pease
Edw Wagoner
Sam Phillips
M^o Courroy
Nathan Brown
Ebenzer Parker
James Feild
M^o Faulkner
M^o Mason
M^o Parbor

from Salem
Jeremiah Keale
Samuel Bradh
Samuel Milwork
Charly Knight
M^o Bowden
Wm Hollis
Wm Perchett
Samuel Hardy
Laura Mary
M^o Colton
Phillip Butler

from Clifton
Andrew Tappin
Joseph Clark
Joseph Loring
Joseph Allen
Jacob Dams
Vincent Dams
Thomas Hunt
Hugh Roe

from Rowley
M^o Hobkison
M^o Peaslee
Joseph Jewell
Thos Palmer
M^o Jackson
Steven Mahie
M^o Lighter
Caleb Jackson
Wm Brown
Samuel Tilly
Joseph Cribbin
Simon Lawton

from Marblehead
Donald Belinder
M^o Peaslee
Peter Larry
Ephraim Jones
David Chaplin
Thomas Wadsworth
Henry Codrill
Edw Severy
James Wall

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Wm Kemble servant to Jno Clarke
 Exchil. Hulman
 make Rowley servant to Hen Smith
 Alexander Boyde
 Jno Casey servant to Tho Hardin of muddy house

1 man wounded
 12000

The names of those who were slain & wounded
 of Capt. Nath: Davenport

Thos. Davenport
 Capt. Thos. Almon
 Georg Howard of Lottord & men slain
 Jno Hagar of Water Down

Sam Swain of Cambridge
 Sam. Read of Cambridge
 Sam. Hooker of Amherst
 Nath: Haly of Water Down
 Jas. Leard of Water Down
 Tho Beoms of Lottord
 Abra. Temple of Lottord
 Jaim Butcher of Redding
 alth Symon of Coburn
 Jno. Galt of Woborn
 Raibury Shaw of Woborn

11 men wounded

To the Hono^{ble} Gov^r and Councell assembl'd in Boston
Jan: 17th 1675 /

The Petition of Joshua Ray of Salem

Humbly sheweth that yo^r Petitioner's brother in law namely Capt
Lathrop and yo^r Petitioner's son in law namely Samuel Stephens were
both slain in the wars by the Indians: and Both their families -
as well as his owne have dependants on yo^r Petitioner for helpe
and supplies: and he hath but onely one son to yeild him assistance
in the managment of the affaires of the said three families -
and now his said son is prest to goe out in this Expedition against
the Indians: But his said son was not prest at Salem: out at Newbery
for yo^r Petitioner had sent his said son together with one Thomas
Haines to look after some business of his daughter Stephens at
Newbery: and they were both prest by the officers at Newbery
now the said Haines hath under his care and managment the concerns
of a Brother of his that now lies wounded at Road Island: and
also of a neighbour and friend that lyeth in Garrison at Hadley
and if he be forced to goe into the wars his friends concerns must
unavoidably suffer: as well as his owne: who being a smallster
hath a great quantity of ^{at this time} under hand which will be
all spoiled and Lost if he be forced to leave it: And more over
the officers of Newbery have provided no Armes for the
persons prest by them as affords: but the major Gen^l as well
as Capt Gorish did advise them to make their applications to yo^r
Honors not doubting but if yo^r Honors would grant them release

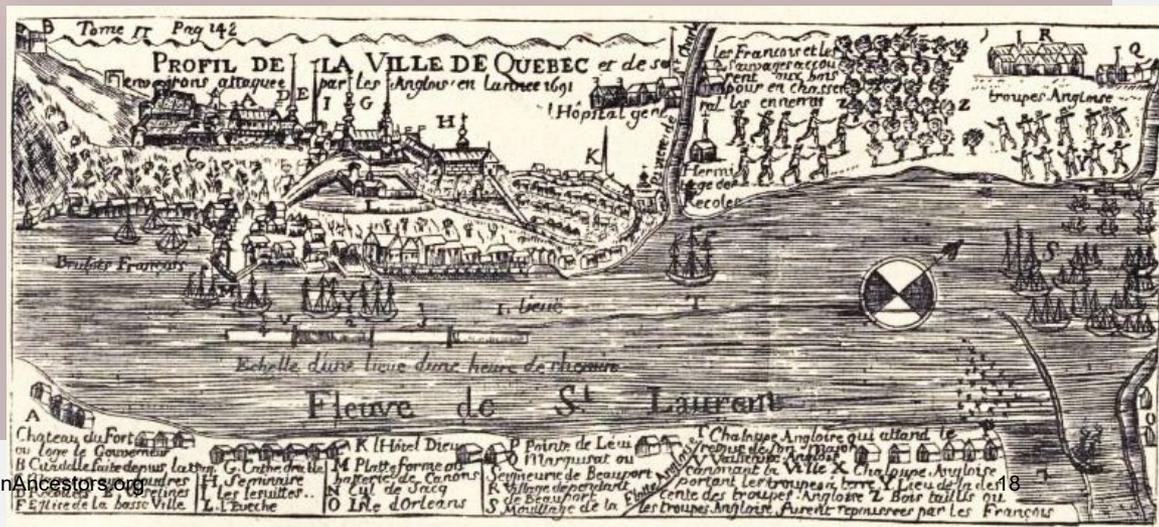
yo^r Petitioner therefore humbly requests the favour
of yo^r Honors to consider the petitiones and to grant
yo^r Petitioner's son namely Samuel Ray and the said
Thomas Haines a dismission from this present Expedition
and so that yo^r Petitioner and the said persons
be ever Engaged to yo^r Honors

The Content of the petition

Joshua Ray: -

King William's War: 1689-1697

- Glorious Revolution of 1688; England declares war on France 1689
- Areas of New York, Maine, and New Hampshire
- Sir William Phips led attack on Port Royal, Acadia
- Failed attempt to capture Quebec



Sir William Phips' Expedition October 1690



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To his excellency S^r William Phips Knight Governour of the Massachusetts-Bay &c in New-England; and Honourable, Counsell, and to the worshipfull R^epresentatives, sitting now in generall Court.

The Humble petition of Edward Willy in behalfe of himselfe, soldiers, and Seamen, concerned with him; in the voyage to Cannada.

Humble sheweth unto yo^r excellency and Honor, that in the said voyage yo^r petitioner in the River of Cannada coming home; did with his compans and Jounes aboard the botch Stratormitti; meet with a French barque; bound to Quibock; which soon attacked and brought a prize, unto the Honourable Sir William Phips, who then was in the river; who ordered Roger Stanor his boat swaine, to command her, in her voyage; with whom my Ensigne and four soldiers being aboard; came to the Isle of Shoals, where she was run ashore, though the lardo (excepting salt) most part, with the rigging saued, but imbrilled by the Command^r; and no pail to the value of Twenty Shillings came to the hands of yo^r petitioner, or those concerned in taking her; either of what was botwixt rocks, or in hold; The Ensigne and soldiers losing their cloaths, and armes, and ever since receiving no satisfaction for them by armes, or what was brought from the Isle of Shoales to Boston; which was Two hundred and Thirty odd barrells of fl Lowe, and powder; with some of the ships armes; and other things, to what value yo^r petitioners know not, was committed to the dispose and care of Major Elisha Hutchinson, for the use of the Countrey and all others concerned. and yet no satisfaction given yo^r petitioner, for one Majesty of what was in her, brought hither, which yo^r petitioners humbly suppose belongs to them.

yo^r petitioners Therefore humbly prayeth, that you will order; that the proportion of what the said goods was sold for, may be delivred unto yo^r petitioners, or some other person, for the use of him, and others concerned with him, and other guns (or fire-locks) may be ordered, the men who left them; in the service of the Countrey on board the said prize.

and yo^r Petitioners, shall as in duty bound, for yo^r Excellency; and the Honourable. Generall Court ever pray.

E. Willy

18th Century Conflicts

Queen Anne's War: 1702-1713

- England at war with France
- Raids by French and allied Indians from Canada into Northern New England communities. Attack on Deerfield, 1704
- St. Augustine attacked 1702 and 1704
- French naval action Charleston in 1706



The Humble Petition of Elizabeth Riley ^{formerly} ~~Wainford~~ Wainford,
to the Hon^{ble} Council & Representatives Assembled at Boston July 30th 1701

Humble sheweth that my Son Nicolas Wainford served his Majesty five Weeks, one week under Lov^t Francis Perkins, & about one month under Cap^t James Frey of Andover, about three yeares past, & have not Received the wages due to me for sd service: I desired Cap^t Frey to take up the money for my use, but hee deferred Demanding of it, untill the Commission^s of War who were at that time Employed: their time was expired, that Cap^t Frey could not get a Discharge for me: these are therefore humbly to crave, that the Commission^s of War may be Commissioned to Grant sd money, when Cap^t Frey doth make it appear what time my Son served his Majesty & yett this Petition shall ever pray.

Elizabeth ^{her} E Riley
mark

Dated in Rowley July 26th 1701

In the House of Representatives,
July 30th 1701 Read.

In the House of Representatives,

Sept. 4th 1701.

Ordered to the Petition above written & resolved
That the sum of thirty shillings be Allowed unto the Petitioner
out of the publick Treasury in consideration of her Lows
service as above.

Nehemiah Jewett: speaker,

A List of Soldiers Names Detach^d by me 614
Under named, according to his Ex^{ty} the Govern^r
order, and posted at her Maj^{ty} the fort in the
Town of Lunstable, who Entred into pay the
25th December 1702

- William Tynq Liev. Lt
- John Bowers Serg. Lt
- Jos: Butterfield Drummer
- John Spalden
- John Canning
- Jos: Hapel
- Gener^l Spalden
- Daniel Galuie
- Paul Fletcher

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Thomas Tunn

Jonathan Tynq Lt

Also Acco^t of what it may Cost, to finish all
y^e Works on Castle Island, excepting y^e Long Room
& Demi-Bastion toward y^e South point of y^e Island;

- Imp^d. to finish all y^e remaining platforms, & Carriages, every where both in y^e upper & lower Fortification 100. " —
 - 2. to finish y^e South Curtain, make y^e Bulwarks on each side of y^e Armoury for y^e Com^{md}ant & y^e Armourer, y^e Kitchen, & to put a new pump in y^e Well &c 183. " —
 - 3. to make y^e Vanits in two more of y^e Bastions y^e one for a prison, & y^e other for stores, abt. 70. " —
 - 4. to make y^e Guardhouse at y^e S E flanker, abt. 50. " —
 - 5. to do y^e Remaining Earth & Sod work with palisadoes may Cost about 80. " —
 - 6. to cover y^e 4 Centry boxes wth lead, at least 20. " —
 - 7. for provision, & incident charges abt. 50. " —
- £553. " —

Boston July 21st 1703
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Wolfgang Römery

An account of funeral Charges &c of John Brabrook a
 Soldier under ye Command of Cap^t Will^m Tyng who Deceased
 March 31st 1764

Expenses

To Dressing his lower leg &c	£	8	8
To Nursing & Charges when sick	"	12	"
To funeral Charges viz grave Cloths & Drink	"	6	"
To ye Coffin & Grave	"	18	"

Ephraim Wilder 2 6 "

Joseph Wilder

Commission Officers of the Land Forces on the Intended Expedition to Nova Scotia and Acadie, divided into two Regiments, with the number of Soldiers in each Company, at their first Parade in Nantes, Oct. All the Commissions bearing Date the 23rd of April 1707. Except Major Walton's Lieut. and Ensign, those two, the sixth of May.

John March Esq. Command in Chief.
Field Officers.

1 st Regim ^t	Colonel. J. A. Maimwright.	2 nd	Col. Reinhold Hilten
	Lt. Col. Samuel Appeltan.		Lt. Col. John Walton
	Major Wm. Walton.		Major Robert Spur.
			Walton. Dep. Maj. to comd.
	Col. Comp.		Col. Comp.
36	Matthew Perkins. Lt.		Samuel Chesley. Lt.
	Abraham Tilton. Ens.	60	Thomas Tibbet. Lt.
	Lt. Col. Comp.		Joseph Hilten. Ens.
46	Jacob Appletan. Lt.		Lt. Col. Comp.
	Edward Wade. Ens.	100	Nicholas Eason. Lt.
	Maj. Comp.		Jon. Cudworth. Lt.
	James March jun. Lt.		Major Comp.
	Hugh Dix. Ens.	48	Barachia Dewis. Lt.
N. A. Grand	Nathan Holmes. Cap.		Geac. Sewell. Co.
19	Thomas Powell. Lt.	N. A. Grand	Stephen Otis. Cap.
	Arthur Mason. Lt.	66	Samuel Sprague. Lt.
	Richard Gridley. Cap.		Thomas Oakes. Lt.
44	Richard Flood. Lt.	7	Thomas Nichols. Cap.
	Jacob Waliston. Ens.	41	Thomas Howlett. Lt.
			Samuel Barnard. Ens.
5	Joseph Boynton. Cap.	5	Samuel Frothingham. Cap.
50	Thomas Gage. Lt.		Jaac. Williams. Lt.
	Joseph Gerbett. Ens.	41	Milice Frost. Ens.
		4	Thomas Heston. Cap.
	John Poole. Lt.	32	John Osieroft. Lt.
45	Nathan Hutchinson. Ens.		Calco. Symon. Ens.

New England Province of the Massachusetts

An Account of Cap^t Thomas Larimores Company Mustered for her Mat^y Service the 1st day of December Anno Dom 1702 & put On board her Mat^y Ship the *Cyclops* for Jamaica & Spiced Wind & Disbanded the Seaventh of November 1703 In the second year of her Mat^y Reign over England &c

Persons Names.	Time of entry.	Time of discharge.	Number of Days	Pay	Wages	Expenses
Cap ^t Tho ^s Larimore & 2 Ser ^{ts}	19 th aber 1702	7 th Nov ^r 1703.	304	- 7' 6"	144	-
John Ayres Lieut ^t & 1 Ser ^{tt}	1 st Dec ^r ditto	Go.	342	- 3' 4"	57	-
Jos ^s Wells En ^s . & 1 Ser ^{tt}	Go.	Go.	342	- 2' 6"	42	15
Nath ^l Frost	Go.	Go.	342	- 1	17	2
John Drator Ser ^{gt}	Go.	Go.	342	- 1	17	2
Cha ^s Finlock	Go.	Go.	342	- 1	17	2
Sam ^l Thallo	Go.	Go.	342	- 0	0	11
John ^h Milborn } Corp ^t	Go.	Go.	342	- 6	0	11
Edw ^d Ward }	Go.	Go.	342	- 6	0	11
Sam ^l Green Drummer	Go.	Go.	342	- 4	5	14
Jon ^s Pickering	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
Alex ^s Osburn	Go.	disch ^d 24 th Jan ^r	55	- 2	-	9
John Woodwell	Go.	7 th Nov ^r 1703	342	- 2	2	17
John Inyell	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
William Collins	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
Ma ^t ri Maybey	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
Francis Fowler	Go.	disch ^d 30 th Aug st	273	- 2	2	5
Josh ^s Gustine	Go.	7 th Nov ^r 1703	342	- 2	2	17
Sam ^l Johns.	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
Sam ^l Willies	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
Jos ^s Wright	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
William Carter	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
John Martine	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
Sam ^l Brown	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
William Beach	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
Nathan Bisdell	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
James Mearster	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
William Wisc.	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
Sam ^l Ralph	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
Adam Manries	Go.	disch ^d 9 th Sept 1703	205	- 2	2	17
John Gladloch	Go.	7 th Nov ^r 1703.	342	- 2	2	17
Josh ^s Davies	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
Thomas Kempton	Go.	Go.	342	- 2	2	17
Sam ^l Hobbs.	Go.	disch ^d 16 th march	105	- 2	-	17
Jos ^s Parker	Go.	disch ^d 22 nd april	143	- 2	-	13
Francis Clarke	Go.	disch ^d 11 th Dec ^r	205	- 2	-	17
Edw ^d Page	Go.	disch ^d 20 June	200	- 2	-	14
John Wallis	Go.	7 th Nov ^r 1703.	342	- 2	-	17

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War of Jenkins' Ear: 1739-1742

- Capt. Robert Jenkin's displayed severed ear by the Spanish led to war being declared.
- St. Augustine was attacked by Georgia in 1740.
- Spanish attack St. Simon's Island.



King George's War: 1740-1748

- Key battle: Fortress Louisburg on Cape Breton in modern day Nova Scotia, 1745
- 1748, return of fortress to French control



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French and Indian War

- “Seven years war” over boundary disputes between English colonists and French
- Recapture of Fortress Louisbourg in 1759
- Many British soldiers would later fight against the crown in Revolution



A **MUSTER-ROLL** of the Company in His MAJ under the Command of *Thomas Sanders*

Men's Names	Quality	Of what Town	Names of Fathers & Masters of Sons under Age and Servants	Time of Entrance in the Service		Until what Time in the Service		Whole Time of Service		Province Arms	The whole of Wages due to each Man		
				Months	Days	Months	Days	Weeks	Days		Weeks	£	s
<i>Thos Sanders</i>	<i>Capt</i>	<i>at L5</i>	<i>4 months</i>	<i>June</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>January</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>29</i>			<i>36</i>	<i>5</i>	
<i>Jam Lattinjon</i>	<i>Mate</i>	<i>at 4.7.6</i>	<i>48</i>		<i>23</i>		<i>11</i>	<i>29</i>			<i>31</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>5</i>
<i>Robt Reutherford</i>	<i>Sailor</i>	<i>at 50</i>	<i>48</i>		<i>23</i>		<i>11</i>	<i>29</i>			<i>18</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>
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A MUSTER-ROLL of the *Field & Staff Officers* in His MAJESTY's Service under the Command of *Richard Gridley Colonel*, Viz.

Men's Names	Quality	At what per Month	Of what Town	Days Travel	Names of Fathers and Masters of Sons under Age, and Servants	Time of Entrance in the Service		Until what Time in the Service			Whole Time of Service	Arms	The half Pay due to each Man	The whole Pay due to each Man	Whole & half Wages due to each Man	What each Man received of the Commissary, &c	What each Man receiv'd of the Captain	Balance due		
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<i>Samuel Gridley</i>	Comdr	15:8	Boston	18		d°	18	Decemb	23	44	2	d°	59	15	9			59	15	9
<i>Jedon Husley</i>	Chaplain	16:8	"	18		June	23	October	30	18	4	found his own	20	14	3			20	14	3
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Boston February 17 1757
Errors Excepted

Richard Gridley
I, *Richard Gridley* make what is here set forth to be true and correct as the same is contained in the original before me committed to me.

Jacob V. ...
Richard Gridley
Drawn by the
Commissary *W. D. ...*

A MUSTER-ROLL of the COMPANY in His MAJESTY'S Service
Under the Command of *John North* Captain, 1757.

Men's Names,	Quality	Of what Town	Names of Fathers and Masters, of Sons under Age, and Servants	Time of Entrance in the Service		Until what Time in the Service		Whole Time of Service	Provinc Arms	The whole of Wages due to each Man	What each Man receiv'd of the Comandary &c	Balance due to each Man
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<i>John North</i>	<i>Cap^t</i>	<i>L.S.</i>		<i>1756</i>	<i>Sep^r 28</i>	<i>1757</i>	<i>June 6</i>	<i>36</i>		<i>27</i>		
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<i>Thomas Howells</i>					<i>28</i>		<i>6</i>	<i>36</i>		<i>10</i>	<i>16</i>	
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<i>John W. Stanton</i>					<i>28</i>		<i>6</i>	<i>36</i>		<i>10</i>	<i>16</i>	
<i>David Brown</i>					<i>28</i>		<i>6</i>	<i>36</i>		<i>10</i>	<i>16</i>	
<i>Jacob Shaver</i>					<i>28</i>		<i>6</i>	<i>36</i>		<i>10</i>	<i>16</i>	
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<i>Daniel M'Curry</i>					<i>25</i>		<i>6</i>	<i>36</i>		<i>10</i>	<i>16</i>	
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Suppl'd by Boston June 27 1757
James Rodner

John North
Errors Accepted
John North

Cherokee Uprising 1760-1761



- Friction of settlers of Virginia and the Carolinas led to an attack in 1760 by 1,500 Carolinians.
- In 1761 a militia force of 2,600 led an expedition

War of the Regulators: 1771



Tip

Family Heirlooms for Clues

Family Heirlooms for Clues

- What might be in the attic?
- Ask relatives
- Museums and archives
- Ebay or Auction catalogs



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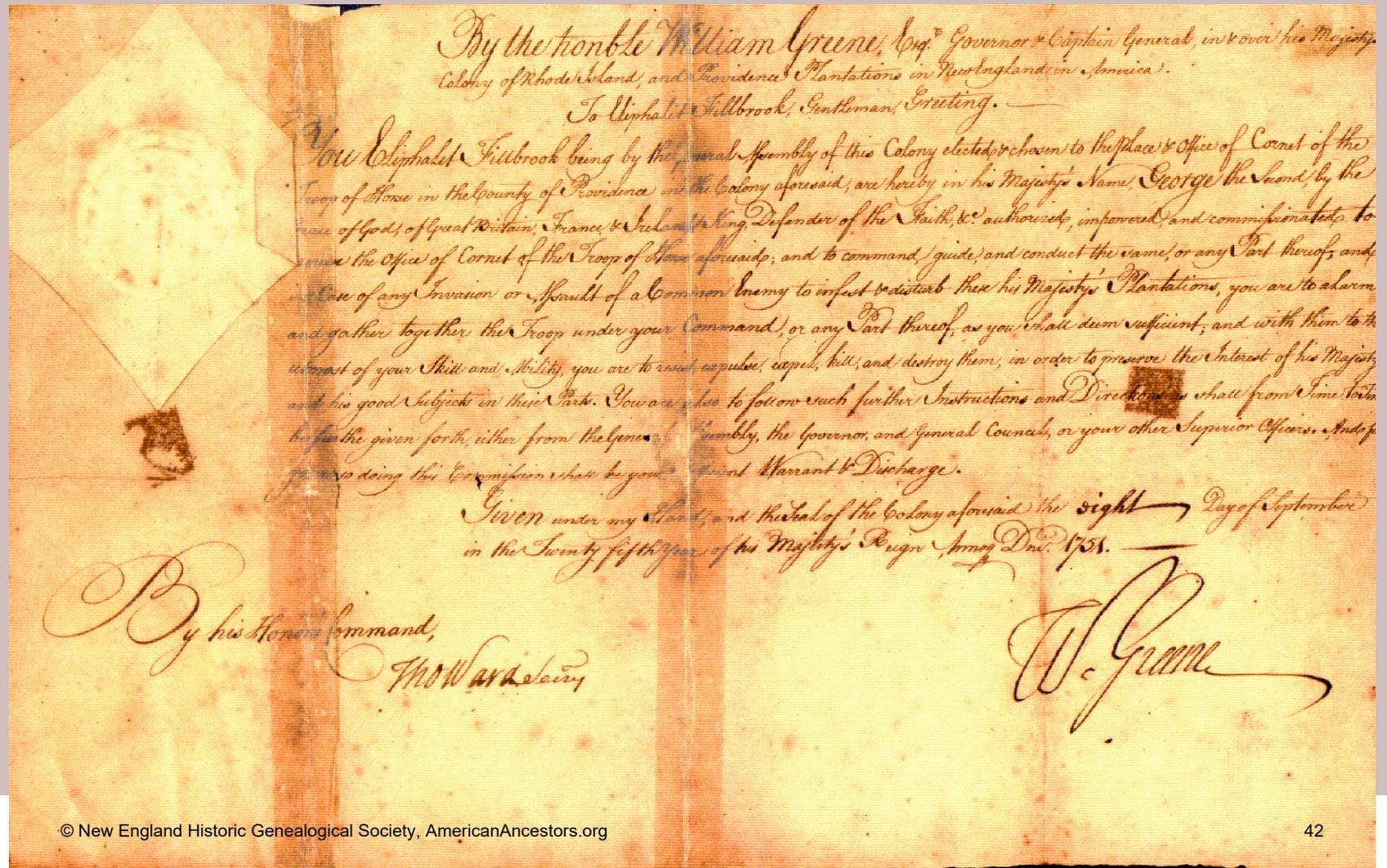
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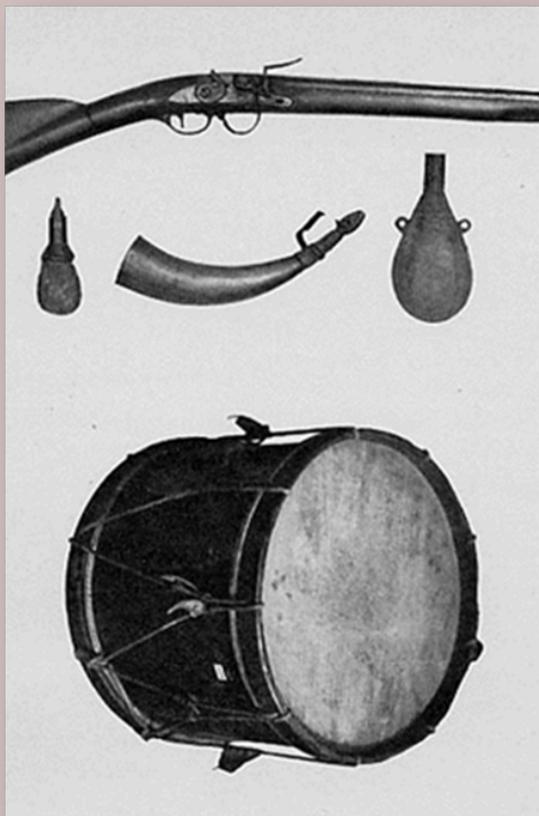
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Tip

Examine Probate Inventories

Inventories & Family heirlooms?



An Inventory of the Goods
of the Estate of Samuel Ward Esq^r
late of Westbury deceased taken
by us the subscribers this 3^d Day of May 1776
and put into the West Keeping Room

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To 1 smaller Ditto and Bay Case	0.5.0	
To 1 Mahogany Tidy Table	1.0.0	
To 1 Mahogany & Cherry lined Japan Stand		
To 2 Slides	0.8.0	
To 1 Mahogany Tea Chest	0.0.0	

Confirm Published Sources

- Don't re-invent the wheel
- What has been published
- State by State Lists
- Local Histories
- Internet resources when available

NEHGS Databases



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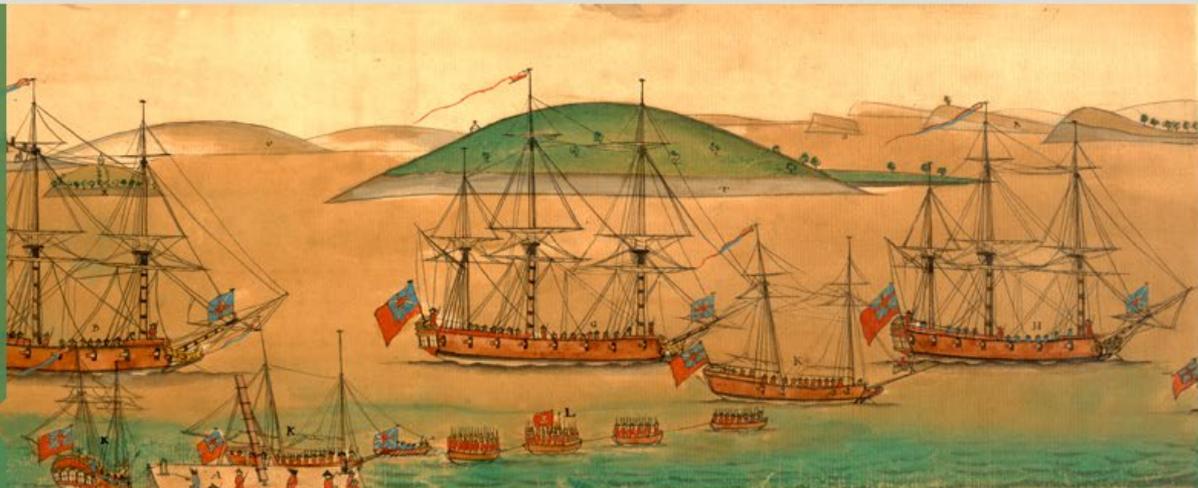
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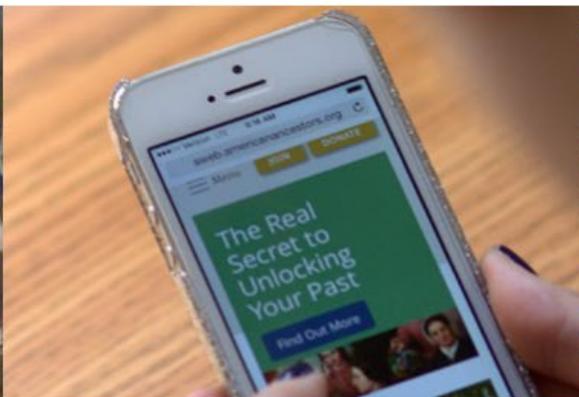
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- Great Migration Study Project
- Immigration Records
- Journals and Periodicals
- Military Records**
- Societies and Organizations
- Town Records
- Vital Records (incl. Bible, Cemetery, Church and SSDI)

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- Index of Revolutionary War Pensioners
- List of Pensioners in the State of Massachusetts
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- Massachusetts Revolutionary War Pensioners' Receipts, 1799-1807
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Searchable by first name, last name, residence, and year of service.

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Family Members (Father/Mother/Spouse)

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First and Middle Names

Last Name

+ Add family members +

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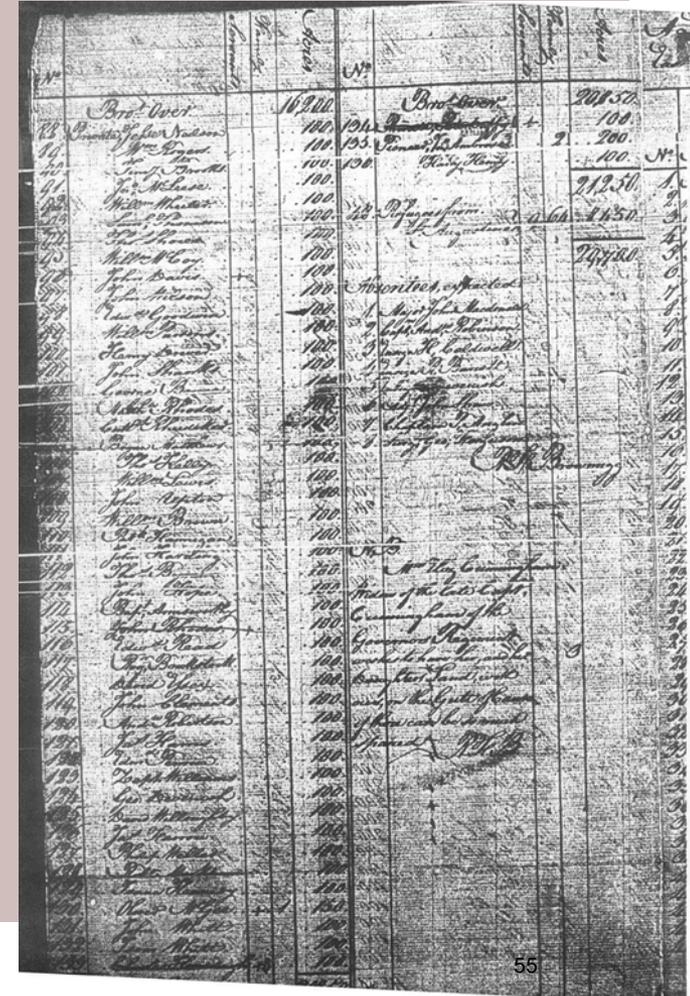
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Tip

Locate the Primary source
of the Muster Rolls

Seeking the Primary Source

- Locate source book or online
- Consult in person or digital copy
- Inquire the size of the document



Tip

Adopt your ancestor's
regiment

Massachusetts State Archives Collection

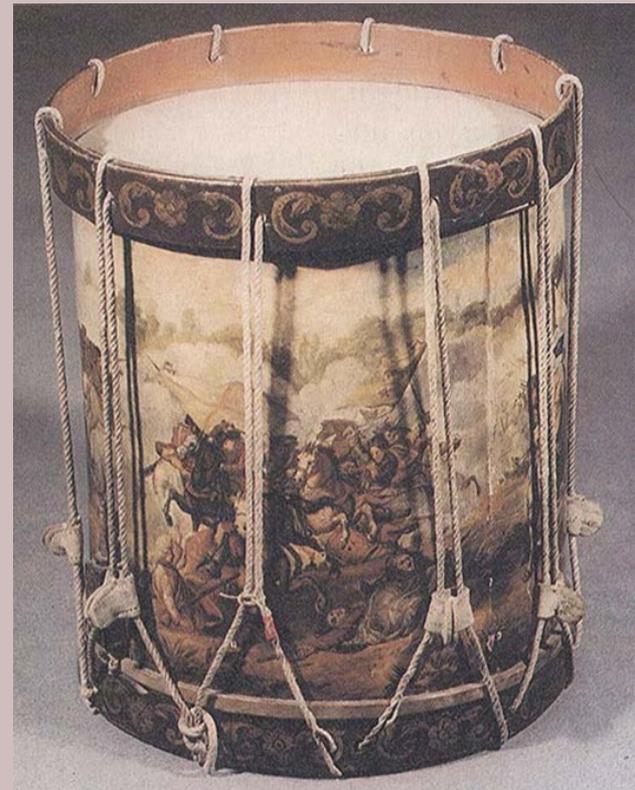
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- **List of Men Who served in British Military Organizations, 1710-1774.** Name, enlistment date, time in service, and amount of pay due; available on Massachusetts Archives Reels 91-99. They are arranged chronologically.
- **Government Responses to petitions and claims for Payment of individual military service, or for losses as a result of hostile actions against or by Indians (17th century).** Reels 67-80.
- **www.state.ma.us/sec/arc/arcidx.htm**

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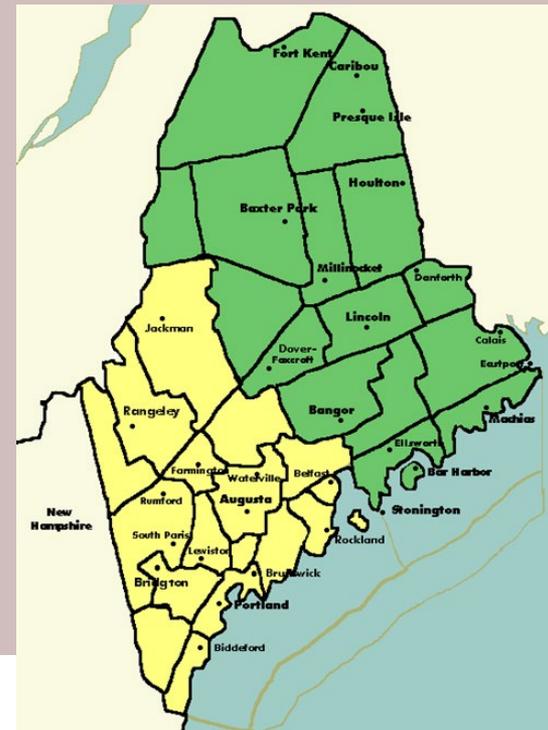
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- Zebulon Harmon 18th Century Military MSS
- MSS on King Williams and King George's War including Muster Rolls



Published Sources

Published Resources: Musters Rolls and military histories

- Compilations of Colonial soldiers
- Published histories of battles and wars
- Hereditary Society publications



Soldiers in King Philip's War

George Madison Bodge
with a foreword by David Allen Lambert



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Hereditary Societies

Step # 3

Seek out or apply to
Hereditary Societies

1638 : Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company

1927 : National Society Women Descendants of A. & H. A. C.

1893 : General Society of Colonial Wars

1932 : National Society Daughters of Colonial Wars

1896 : National Soc. of Colonial Daughters of the 17th Century

1896 : Order of Founders and Patriots of America

1898 : National Society Daughters and Patriots of America

1987 : Continental Society Sons of Indian Wars

1988 : Continental Society Daughters of Indian Wars

Homework ?

Homework if you choose!

- Choose a colonial war ancestor and reexamine the records you have.
- Determine the captain and higher officer for his regiment.

Remember them all



THANK YOU!

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