

Austins in the Federal Census of 1850



Rhode Island

by Charles Ward Austin

Editor's Notes: The numbers preceding each household are the enumeration date, the page number, the dwelling number and the family number. After the listing of household members are shown occupations, the dollar value of the head of household's real estate (R.E.), etc.

BRISTOL COUNTY, RI

BRISTOL Township.. 10 Aug. 16-182-226
 Austin, James 36 1814 m RI
 " , Lucy 31 1819 f "
 " , Sarah 10 1840 f "
 " , Isaac 8 1842 m "
 " , Lucy 6 1844 f "
 " , Mary 4 1846 f "
 " , Henry 1 1849 m "
 Spencer, Benjamin 18 1832 m "
 Page, Elisabeth 20 1830 f NY

James was a farmer, Spencer a laborer.
 Sarah attended school within the year.

..... 10 Aug. 16-183-227
 Edwards, Charles 29 1821 m ME
 Crowle, John 41 1809 m IRE
 " , Margaret 34 1816 f "
 Austin, Samuel 23 1827 m RI

The three men were laborers.

KENT COUNTY, RI

COVENTRY 1 Aug. 251-66-70
 Austin, Bowen 45 1805 m RI
 " , Irene 42 1808 f "
 " , John W. 20 1830 m "
 " , Lydia M. 19 1831 f "
 " , Daniel H. 17 1833 m "
 " , Jason S. 14 1836 m "

Bowen, John & Daniel were farmers,
 Daniel & Jason attended school.

..... 1 Aug. 251-68-72
 Austin, Asa 40 1810 m RI
 " , Lydia 34 1816 f "
 " , Cynthia L. 7 1843 f "
 " , Emily C. 6 1844 f CT
 " , Frederick W. 3 1847 m RI
 " , Mary 71 1779 f "
 Josman?, Lydia 74 1776 f "

Mary owned \$1000 R.E., Asa was a
 carpenter, the girls attended school.

..... 10 Aug. 257-163-175
 Potter, Benjamin G. 45 1805 m RI
 " , Mary 44 1806 f "
 " , Olney 22 1828 m "
 " , Sterry? 21 1829 m "
 " , John 20 1830 m "

" , Lydia 18 1832 f "
 " , William 15 1835 m "
 " , Abasin? 13 1837 f "
 " , Gilbert 13 1837 m "
 " , Angeline 10 1840 f "
 " , Daniel 8 1842 m "
 " , Clara 7 1843 f "
 " , Henry 3 1847 m "
 " , James B. 4 1846 m "
 Austin, Barbra (sic) 77 1773 f "
 Benjamin owned \$1000 R.E.; he,
 Olney and William were farmers.

..... 12 Aug. 259-195-209
 Austin, Joshua 64 1786 m RI
 " , Dianna 45 1805 f "
 Joshua was a farmer with \$400 R.E.

..... 15 Aug. 260-218-233
 Austin, Brayton 53 1797 m RI
 Johnson, Celda? 34 1816 f "
 Austin, Brayton 10 1840 m "
 " , Nathaniel C. 8 1842 m "
 " , Caleb W. 5 1845 m "
 " , Benoni 3 1847 m "
 " , Reuben 1 1849 m "
 Brayton was a farmer.

..... 15 Aug. 260-224-239
 Johnson, Mary 53 1797 f RI
 Austin, Mercy 12 1838 f "

..... 20 Aug. 271-413-449
 Austin, Charlotte 62 1788 f MA
 " , Hannah 34 1816 f RI
 " , Lydia 28 1822 f "
 " , Willet 19 1831 m "
 " , Angeline 17 1833 f "
 Willet (Willard?) was a carpenter.

..... 21 Aug. 274-455-408
 Austin, Nichols 35 1815 m RI
 " , Elizabeth L. 35 1815 f "
 Nichols was a carpenter. Ishmael
 Nichols resided in dwelling 454,
 Edmund Nichols in dwelling 456.

..... 21 Aug. 275-464-508
 Austin, Robert 59 1791 m RI
 " , Olive 53 1797 f "
 " , Sarah S. 34 1816 f "
 Robert was a laborer.

..... 22 Aug. 279-515-573
 Austin, Reynolds 34 1816 m RI
 " , Catharine 30 1820 f "
 " , Mary E. 10 1840 f "
 " , Henry G. 5 1845 m "
 " , Horatio C. 3 1847 m "
 " , Ann M. 1 1849 f "
 Warner, Catharine 60 1790 f "

Reynolds was a carpenter, Henry
 and Horatio attended school.

EAST GREENWICH..... 14 Aug. 218-13-16
 Arnold, Andrews 22 1828 m RI
 " , Amanda M. 22 1828 f "
 Bennett, Thomas 47 1803 m "
 " , Emily E. 45 1805 f "
 " , John A. 23 1827 m "
 " , Samuel 15 1835 m "
 " , Amanda 13 1837 f "
 " , James E. 6 1844 m "
 Dyer, George W. N. 26 1824 m "
 Austin, John 34 1816 m "
 Lewis, John C. 20 1830 m ME
 Wheeler, Samuel A. 20 1830 m RI

Andrew & Samuel A. were jewelers,
 Thomas was a farmer. John A. was a
 stable keeper. Samuel, George, John
 Austin and John C. were laborers.

..... 22 Aug. 229-180-211
 Austin, James R. 51 1799 m RI
 " , Lucinda 41 1809 f CT
 " , George R. 7 1843 m RI
 Sweet, Patience 81 1769 f "
 " , Eldridge 45 1805 m "
 Chase?, Sally R. 37 1813 f "
 James a merchant \$2000 R.E., Eldridge
 a fisherman, George attended school.

..... 22 Aug. 230-195-232
 Austin, Elizabeth 52 1798 f RI
 " , Nicholas 33 1817 m "
 " , Joseph 24 1826 m "
 " , William 19 1831 m "
 " , Phebe A. 15 1835 f "
 Elizabeth had \$600 R.E., Nicholas and
 Joseph were laborers, William a weaver.

..... 21 Aug. 231-195-233
 Austin, Alfred 37 1813 m RI
 " , Catherine 36 1814 f "
 " , Alfred W. 4/12 1850 m "
 Alfred was a "dressertender."

..... 21 Aug. 231-201-242
 Brayton, William H. 39 1811 m RI
 " , Manurva* 40 1810 f "
 " , George B. 19 1831 m "
 " , Sarah R. 17 1833 f "
 " , Francis M. 13 1837 m "
 " , Isadore** 8 1842 f**
 " , James L. 5 1845 m "
 Remington, Joseph H. 28 1822 m "
 " , Ann 30 1820 f "
 " , Henry H. 8 1842 m "
 " , Mary B. 5 1845 f "
 Austin, Clark L. 35 1815 m "
 " , Mary 29 1821 f "

*Likely Minerva. **Possibly Isadora?
 Brayton was a manufacturer, George a
 machinist, Joseph a laborer, Clark a
 muleskinner. Sarah, Francis, Isadore,
 Henry and Mary B. attended school.

<p>.....23 Sept. 244-362-428 Allyn, Robert 33 1817 m CT " , Mary B. 27 1823 f MA " , Charles 8 1842 m " " , Emeline L. 6 1844 f CT " , Joseph G. 1 1849 m RI Austin, Benjamin N. 15 1835 m " Robert was a Methodist Minister. The dwelling was likely a boarding school. Benjamin was one of 37 males (ages 10 to 25) listed as students. There were 4 teachers, 4 laborers & 25 females (ages 14 to 33) with no occupations listed.</p> <p>WARWICK.....26 Aug. 122-250-273 Austin, Allen 30 1820 m RI " , Dorcas 30 1820 f " " , Melissa 7 1843 f " " , James N. 4 1846 m " Allen an overseer, Melissa in school.</p> <p>.....27 Aug. 128-310-359 Potter, Christopher 69 1781 m RI " , Jemima 72 1778 f MA Austin, Alba 39 1811 m RI " , Cynthia 42 1808 f " Eldridge, William 20 1830 m " Potter, Louisa 37 1813 f " " , Sarah 32 1818 f " Rice, Maria 25 1825 f " Christopher a laborer, Alba a weaver.</p> <p>.....15 Sept. 165-769-881 Hargraves, Thomas 25 1825 m ENG " , Elizabeth 23 1827 f RI " , James E. 3 1847 m " " , Herbert L. 3/12 1850 m " Austin, Willett 19 1831 m " Thomas and Willett were carpenters.</p> <p>.....20 Sept. 177-952-1067 Austin, Allen 26 1824 m RI " , Betsey 24 1826 f " " , Mary A. 5 1845 f " " , Olive F. 2 1848 f " Arnold, Esther 63 1787 f " Kane, Maria 21 1829 f IRE Mearce, Mary 20 1830 f " Kiffington, Mary S. 16 1834 f " Allen was a laborer, Esther a widow.</p> <p>.....23 Sept. 180-995-1111 Moore, Thomas 25 1825 m RI " , Hannah 25 1825 f " " , Mary E. 1 1849 f " Sweet, John 45 1805 m " " , Christopher B. 21 1829 m " " , Anna 18 1832 f " " , Uliana? 15 1835 f " " , Caleb 17 1843 m " " , Gardiner 18 1832 m " Austin, Jeremiah 64 1786 m " Jeremiah, John & Gardiner laborers, Uliana worked in mill, Thomas a farmer.</p> <p>.....24 Sept. 182-1021-1142 Austin, Isaac 35 1815 m RI " , Sally 30 1820 f " " , John 13 1837 m " " , Harriet 11 1839 f " " , Mary 9 1841 f " " , Sarah 2 1848 f " O'Brien, Ellen 22 1828 f "</p>	<p>Isaac a laborer. John, Harriet and Mary attended school.</p> <p>.....24 Sept. 184-1041-1162 Austin, William 61 1789 m RI " , Ellena 53 1797 f " Pettes, John F. 24 1826 m " Money, Elena 82 1768 f " William in agriculture, John a laborer, Elena was a widow.</p> <p>.....25 Sept. 185-1065-1186 Austin, Horace B. 26 1824 m RI " , Amy C. 24 1826 f " " , Cinderella 1 1849 f " Horace was a laborer.</p> <p>.....25 Sept. 185-1063-1184 Austin, Stephen 55 1795 m RI " , Mercy 51 1799 f " " , Stephen A. 29 1821 m " Stephen in agriculture \$1200 R.E., Stephen A. Austin was a carpenter.</p> <p>.....27 Sept. 196-1242-1376 Austin, Stephen A. 26 1824 m RI " , Joan 28 1822 f " " , Amey 6 1844 f " " , Sarah 3 1847 f " Mosory, Esther 70 1780 f " Stephen was a laborer \$150 R.E., Amy attended school within year.</p> <p>.....27 Sept. 197-1262-1398 Austin, John 53 1797 m RI " , Fanny 42 1808 f " Carr, Caleb 19 1831 m " " , Ellen 12 1838 f " John in agriculture, Caleb a carpenter.</p> <p>.....27 Sept. 197-1253-1388 Austin, Silas 40 1810 m RI " , Sarah 34 1816 f " " , Mary 11 1839 f " " , Albert 8 1842 m " " , Harriet 4 1846 f " Hathaway, Christopher 46 1804 m " Silas was a laborer.</p> <p>WEST GREENWICH....22 July 200-14-17 Sheldon, Thomas S. 54 1796 m RI Austin, Olive 54 1796 f " Thomas' occupation was "none."</p> <p>.....3 Aug. 203-68-76 Austin, Benjamin 31 1819 m RI " , Sarah 32 1818 f " " , Elisha B. 9 1841 m " " , Lamira S. T. 1 1849 f " Benjamin was a farmer.</p> <p>.....16 Sept. 209-188-201 Austin, Robert 65 1785 m RI " , Patia 56 1794 f " " , Robert 17 1833 m " " , Harris 13 1837 m " Robert was a laborer, the younger Robert Austin was an "F. Spinner."</p> <p>.....10 Sept. 210-192-204 Austin, William 40 1810 m RI " , Mercy 36 1814 f " " , James W. 15 1835 m " " , Ira P. 9 1841 m " " , William H. 5 1845 m "</p>	<p>" , Annah I. 1/12 1850 f " William was a farmer, James an "F. Spinner," Ira and William in school.</p> <p>NEWPORT COUNTY, RI</p> <p>LITTLE COMPTON...7 Aug. 303-179-206 Austin, Joshua 71 1779 m RI " , Diana 71 1779 f " " , Elizabeth 35 1815 f " " , James 33 1817 m " " , Sarah 26 1824 f " Joshua a farmer with \$1500 R.E.</p> <p>NEWPORT.....25 July 335-157-208 Costoff, Mary Ann 52 1798 f RI " , Harriet 46 1804 f " Austin, Eliza 48 1802 f " " , John C. F. 23 1827 m " " , Edward A. 21 1829 m " " , William 17 1833 m " Heart, Sarah 80 1770 f " Dougherty, Elizabeth 15 1835 f " John, Edward & William had occupations listed as "none".</p> <p>.....25 July 335-149-197 Tuel, Priscilla 49 1801 f RI " , Cynthia R. 11 1839 f " " , Abby L. 18 1832 f " " , Arthur R. 15 1835 m " Austin, James 18 1832 m " James was a blacksmith, Arthur a grocer. Priscilla had \$400 R.E., Cynthia attended school.</p> <p>.....30 July 341-208-292 Austin, Daniel 30 1820 m MA " , Elizabeth 27 1823 f " " , Corinna 5 1845 f " " , (no name) 9/12 1849 f " " , Ann 58 1792 f " " , George 32 1818 m " " , John 34 1816 m " Daniel a carpenter, George a tailor, John a mariner, Corinna in School.</p> <p>.....10 Aug. 354-306-498 Clarke, Russel J. 50 1800 m CT " , Martha 38 1812 f RI " , Lydia 20 1830 f " " , Sarah 78 1772 f CT Austin, Elizabeth 76 1774 f RI</p> <p>.....28 Aug. 386-688-973 Hazard, William W. 39 1811 m RI " , Sarah M. 38 1812 f " " , Isabella D. 14 1836 f " " , Theophilus? 13 1837 m " " , George A. 17 1833 m " " , Mary E. 7 1843 f " " , Helen B. 5 1845 f " " , Alithea M. 3 1847 f " [four other surnames, all waiters] Austin, James 35 1815 m NY William ran Bellevue House \$30,000 R.E., his oldest 5 children in school. James Austin, a black waiter, was 5th on a list of 85 residents, mostly black.</p> <p>.....6 Sept. 406-937-1302 Austin, Dorcas J. 41 1809 f IRE " , James A. 18 1832 m RI</p>
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“ , John R. 13 1837 m “
 “ , Charles G. 17 1833 m “
 James a blacksmith, Charles a mariner.
17 Sept. 434-1261-1753
 Austin, Charles G. 13 1837 m RI
 Charles was a sailor, 13th on list of
 25 male sailors, no other residents.
PORTSMOUTH 1 Aug. 30-100-121
 Brownell, Oliver 57 1793 m RI
 “ , Sally 51 1799 f “
 “ , Harriet 25 1825 f “
 “ , Charles T. 16 1834 m “
 “ , Amey F. 11 1839 f “
 Austin, Henry 11 1839 m “
 Oliver a farmer \$3000 R.E. Charles a
 laborer: he, Amy & Henry in school.
 17 Aug. 44-300-355
 Austin, Gorton L. 40 1810 m RI
 “ , Abby 40 1810 f “
 “ , Mary E. 13 1837 f “
 “ , Sarah A. 11 1839 f “
 Gorton a farmer, two girls in school.

PROVIDENCE COUNTY, RI

CRANSTON 10 Aug. 184-68-69
 Austin, William H. 31 1819 m RI
 “ , Clarissa D. 28 1822 f “
 “ , Eliza A. 1 1849 f “
 Allen, Julia A. 29 1821 f “
 William was a painter.

CUMBERLAND 16 July 105-60-89
 Austin, Benjamin 53 1797 m RI
 “ , Nancy 52 1798 f “
 “ , Benajah 26 1824 m “
 “ , John H. 20 1830 m “
 “ , Ruth 16 1834 f “
 “ , Susanna S. 13 1837 f “
 Benjamin was a card stripper, Benajah a
 California gold digger, John a laborer.
 [Editor's Note: A card stripper tends equip-
 ment that removes (or “strips”) accumulated
 cotton fibers adhering to wire teeth of carding
 and doffing drums in the textile industry.]
 15 Aug. 147-587-794
 Austin, George 28 1822 m MA
 “ , Sarah C. 26 1824 f “
 “ , Anne E. 4 1846 f “
 George was a merchant.

FOSTER 22 Aug. 10-152-171
 Austin, John 62 1788 m RI
 “ , Therza 55 1795 f CT
 “ , Anne M. 16 1834 f RI
 “ , John F. 9 1841 m “
 John was a farmer with \$1800 R.E.,
 John attended school within the year.
 29 Aug. 14-218-247
 Austin, Joseph R. 42 1808 m RI
 “ , Abigail? 42 1808 f “
 “ , John H. 17 1833 m “
 “ , Albert T. H. 12 1838 m “
 Joseph was a farmer with \$1000 R.E.,
 wife's name was probably Abigail,
 John and Albert attended school.

..... 30 Aug. 15-230-259
 Hopkins, Nathan 48 1802 m RI
 “ , Eliza Ann 33 1817 f “
 “ , James M. 11 1839 m NY
 Austin, Daniel H. 1 1849 m RI
 Nathan a farmer with \$600 R.E.
 James attended school.
 16 Aug. 211-397-403
 Austin, Palmer 41 1809 m RI
 “ , Mary 37 1813 f “
 “ , Albert 14 1836 m “
 “ , John 10 1840 m “
 “ , Albert 7 1843 m “
 “ , Elizabeth 4 1846 f “
 “ , Ellen 1/12 1850 f “
 Palmer was a laborer.
JOHNSTON 16 Aug. 211-406-412
 Steere, Silas 63 1787 m RI
 “ , Huldah 11 1839 f “
 Waterman, Elizabeth 31 1819 f “
 Austin, Mary 16 1834 f “
 Waterman, Emery W. 11 1839 m “
 Joy, Peter 49 1801 m “
 Peter was a laborer, Silas a farmer.
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NORTH PROVIDENCE . 10 Aug. 297-232-362
 Austin, Henry 28 1822 m ENG
 “ , Isabella 22 1828 f “
 “ , Wm. B. 1 1849 m RI
 Bishop, William 19 1831 m ENG
 Henry was a black printer, William a
 machinist, both married within the year.
 22 Aug. 314-431-614
 Austin, Stephen 25 1825 m RI
 “ , Phebe 25 1825 f “
 “ , Charles H. 4 1846 m “
 “ , Abby F. 3 1847 f “
 “ , Ezekiel W. 9/12 1849 m “
 Stephen a carder, Charles in school.
 22 Aug. 315-433-617
 Perry, George G. 27 1823 m CAN
 “ , Esther 27 1823 f “
 “ , ? 5 1845 m RI
 “ , Josephine 2 1848 f “
 Potter, Mary 23 1827 f “
 Wheeler, Rachel 24 1826 f “
 Austin, John 23 1827 m “
 Cale, William H. 21 1829 m “
 West, Henry I. 1 1849 m “
 George & William were storekeepers,
 John Austin was a dressertender.
PROVIDENCE Ward 2 ...24 Sep. 135-506-626
 Austin, Samuel 32 1818 m MA
 “ , Elizabeth H. 29 1821 f RI
 “ , Catherine 6 1844 f “
 “ , Mary L. 3 1847 f “
 “ , John O. 7/12 1850 m “
 Clark, Grace 15 1835 f IRE
 Samuel a teacher, Catherine in school.
PROVIDENCE Ward 5 ...23 July 310-180-312
 Renckes, Esther 16 1834 f RI
 “ , Henry 26 1824 m “
 Renolds, Benja. T. 30 1820 m “
 “ , Esther 3 1847 f “
 Moore, Mary 28 1822 f IRE
 Bowen, Benja. M. 37 1813 m MA

“ , George W. 25 1825 m RI
 Austin, Alfred 25 1825 m “
 Luther, Joseph 22 1828 m MA
 Eddy, Pembroke 19 1831 m RI
 Fuller, Mr. 26 1824 m MA
 Drace, Frederick 23 1827 m PA
 Treadwell, Mr. 16 1834 m NH
 Renolds, Henry J. 11/12 1849 m RI
 Henry, Alfred and Mr. Treadwell were
 carpenters; Benjamin Reynolds and Mr.
 Fuller were painters. Benjamin Bowen
 was a grocer, George a clerk, Joseph
 a brass founder, Pembroke a jeweler,
 and Frederick Drace a machinist.
PROVIDENCE Ward 6 ... 20 July 388-152-283
 Austin, Leonard H. 28 1822 m CT
 “ , Lucinda T. 19 1831 f NY
 Leonard was a carpenter.
 30 July 420-536-764
 Austin, Wanton 60 1790 m RI
 “ , Betsey 54 1796 f “
 “ , Arnold 30 1820 m “
 “ , William 4 1846 m “
 (in the same dwelling)
 Austin, Solomon K. 33 1817 m RI
 “ , Eliza? 36 1814 f “
 “ , Wanton 14 1836 m “
 “ , Amanda 12 1838 f “
 “ , Eunice 9 1841 f “
 “ , Edward 2 1848 m “
 Turrel, Bridgid 18 1832 f IRE
 Elder Wanton and Solomon were
 bleachers, Arnold was a laborer.
 12 Aug. 470-1091-1616
 Austin, Olney 31 1819 m RI
 “ , Mariella 25 1825 f “
 Olney was a mason.
 13 Aug. 474-1141-1687
 Austin, Elisha A. 39 1811 m RI
 “ , Caroline 29 1821 f CT
 “ , Hannah 6 1844 f RI
 “ , James A. 3 1847 m “
 “ , Caroline 10/12 1849 f “
 Elisha was a carpenter.
 17 Aug. 491-1341-1972
 Manchester, Thadeus 51 1799 m RI
 “ , Ruby 50 1800 f MA
 Hunting, Edmund 24 1826 m “
 “ , Almine 20 1830 f RI
 Smith, William T. 24 1826 m “
 “ , Abby 17 1833 f “
 Austin, Cynthia 25 1825 f “
 “ , Francis J. 3 1847 m “
 “ , Frederic 8/12 1850 m “
 Manchester, Deborah 13 1837 f “
 Thaddeus was a laborer, Edmund manu-
 factured pain killer, William was a clerk.
 Cynthia was misspelled as “Cinthia”.
 17 Aug. 493-1368-2012
 Austin, William 43 1807 m VT
 “ , Susan 39 1811 f RI
 “ , Mary H. 22 1828 f “
 “ , Susan 19 1831 f “
 “ , William 17 1833 m “
 “ , Benjamin 14 1836 m “
 “ , Caroline 12 1838 f “

<p>“ , Joseph 10 1840 m “ “ , Thomas 8 1842 m “ “ , John 5 1845 m “ “ , Henry 3 1847 m “ “ , [baby] 9/12 1849 f “ The elder William was a mariner; Caroline, Joseph, Thomas & John attended school within the year.</p> <p>SCITUATE..... 3 Aug. 33-126-142 Austin, Arnold 49 1801 m RI “ , Amey 51 1799 f “ “ , Stephen O. 22 1828 m “ “ , Andrew M. 21 1829 m “ “ , Caroline F. 19 1831 f “ “ , Phebe G. 16 1834 f “ “ , David C. 11 1839 m “ “ , Patia A. 8 1842 f “ Arnold and Stephen were masons, Andrew was a carpenter.</p> <p>..... 27 Aug. 57-476-513 Austin, Allen 34 1816 m RI “ , Laura 29 1821 f “ Allen was a carpenter.</p> <p>..... 29 Aug. 58-490-528 Austin, Joseph O. 26 1824 m RI “ , Ann E. 22 1828 f “ Joseph was a carpenter.</p> <p>..... 29 Aug. 58-491-529 Austin, Samuel W. 29 1821 m RI “ , Abby I. 22 1828 f “ Samuel was a mason.</p> <p>..... 29 Aug. 58-496-534 Austin, Samuel 73 1777 m RI “ , Rebecca 67 1783 f “ “ , Sophia 44 1806 f “ Reed, Susan 33 1817 f “ Austin, Andrew 21 1829 m “ Samuel a mason, Andrew a carpenter.</p> <p>..... 10 Sept. 66-626-662 Austin, Stephen 46 1804 m RI “ , Caroline 38 1812 f “ “ , Stephen H. 14 1836 m “ “ , Edward L. 12 1838 m “ “ , James 9 1841 m “ “ , Henry M. 7 1843 m “ “ , William 5 1845 m “ “ , Sarah J. 3 1847 f “ “ , Ruby A. 10/12 1849 f “ Stephen was a farmer.</p> <p>SMITHFIELD..... 25 July 90-96-146 Austin, Horace 36 1814 m RI “ , Elizabeth K. 19 1831 f “ Fales, Hannah 81 1769 f MA Horace was a physician.</p> <p>..... 26 July 94-149-226 Austin, Anna 57 1793 f RI “ , James 29 1821 m “ “ , Catharine 29 1821 f “ “ , William H. 26 1824 m “ “ , Russell 16 1834 m MA James was a spinner, William a mule skinner, Russell a farmer.</p> <p>..... 26 July 95-158-243 Austin, Palmer 58 1792 m MA</p>	<p>“ , Elizabeth 49 1801 f “ “ , Sally 31 1819 f “ “ , Sarah A. 7 1843 f RI Winslow, Elmira 36 1814 f “ Woodmansy, Hannah 36 1814 f “ Cook, Mary P. 19 1831 f “ Carr, Joseph 17 1833 m MA Pendegrass, Samuel L. 30 1820 m “ “ , Rhoda 26 1824 f “ “ , Channing L. 2 1848 m “ Stetson, Henry M. 23 1827 m “ Palmer a farmer; Joseph, Samuel and Henry were bootmakers.</p> <p>..... 8 Aug. 122-371-636 Austin, James 32 1818 m ENG “ , Matha* 34 1816 f “ “ , Dinah 11 1839 f “ “ , Volney 8 1842 m “ “ , Shelley 5 1845 m “ “ , Matha* 3 1847 f “ “ , William G. 11/12 1849 m RI Welch, William 21 1829 m IRE Austin, John 27 1823 m ENG *Matha” was likely Martha Austin. James, William & John were weavers, Dinah, Volney & Shelley in school, William could not read or write.</p> <p>..... 9 Aug. 125-378-673 Austin, Henry 31 1819 m RI “ , Amey A. 30 1820 f “ “ , Mary D. 5 1845 f “ “ , George H. 4 1846 m “ “ , Amey A. 2/12 1850 f “ “ , Anstres? 22 1828 f “ “ , Mary A. 4 1846 f “ Henry was a spinner.</p> <p>..... 13 Aug. 132-483-781 Austin, John 66 1784 m RI “ , Sidney 63 1787 f “ Dexter, Sidney 19 1831 f “ Cox, Thomas 16 1834 m IRE John was a farmer.</p> <p>..... 22 July 380-157-179 Austin, John 34 1816 m RI “ , Susan 33 1817 f “ “ , Emily M. 14 1836 f “ “ , Susan J. 12 1838 f “ “ , Elizabeth F. 10 1840 f “ “ , Laura B. 3 1847 f “ John’s occupation was “none.” All four girls attended school..</p> <p>..... 22 July 380-160-183 Fuller, Thomas P. 28 1822 m MA “ , Roby? 26 1824 f RI Austin, Mary A. 28 1822 f “ “ , Rosanna 12 1838 f “ “ , Dorcas 64 1786 f “ Thomas a mule skinner, Ruby and Mary could not read or write, Rosanna in school.</p> <p>WASHINGTON COUNTY, RI CHARLESTOWN..... 21 Aug. 380-27-32 Austin, Thomas II 52 1798 m RI “ , Elizabeth 51 1799 f “ “ , Thomas C. 30 1820 m “ “ , Joseph D. 24 1826 m “</p>	<p>“ , Stephen J. 21 1829 m “ “ , William 15 1835 m “ “ , Susan 12 1838 f “ “ , Job 10 1840 m “ Thomas II was a farmer \$375 R.E.; Thomas C., Joseph & Stephen were stone masons; William a laborer, he, Susan & Job attended school.</p> <p>..... 26 Aug. 383-59-69 Austin, Mary 30 1820 f RI “ , Matthew S. 33 1817 m “ “ , George P. 11 1839 m “ “ , Elizabeth 10 1840 f “ “ , William 8 1842 m “ “ , Phebe 6 1844 f “ Matthew a fisherman & mason with \$375 R.E. Four children in school.</p> <p>..... 26 Aug. 384-77-89 Austin, Pardon 62 1788 m RI “ , Nancy 58 1792 f “ “ , James 20 1830 m “ “ , Maiah 18 1832 f “ Pardon and James were laborers.</p> <p>..... 29 Aug. 389-154-173 Austin, Thomas 60 1790 m RI “ , Sarah 60 1790 f “ “ , Susan 30 1820 f “ “ , Eliza 21 1829 f “ Thomas was a farmer.</p> <p>EXETER..... 4 Aug. 227-123-117 Austin, Esequiel 49 1801 m RI “ , Rebeca 49 1801 f “ “ , Alfred 13 1837 m “ “ , Rebeca 7 1843 f “ Ezekiel Austin a farmer \$1000 R.E., Alfred & Rebeca attended school.</p> <p>..... 7 Aug. 229-155-149 Phillips, Samuel 40 1810 m RI “ , Tryphina 38 1812 f “ “ , Edwin H. 6 1844 m “ Austin, Abby F. 11 1839 f “ Samuel was a farmer with \$9000 R.E., Tryphina had \$300 R.E.; Abby & Edwin attended school.</p> <p>..... 7 Aug. 229-167-158 Franklin, Thomas J. 38 1812 m RI “ , Betty A. 27 1823 f “ “ , Angeline 10 1840 f NY Austin, Harriet 18 1832 f RI Perkins, Henry 14 1836 m “ Thomas was a farmer with \$800 R.E. Angeline & Henry attended school..</p> <p>HOPKINTON..... 11 Aug. 276-189-211 Austin, Stephen 42 1808 m RI “ , Sarah 34 1816 f “ “ , Mary 12 1838 f “ “ , Ezekiel 17 1833 m “ “ , Cordelia 10 1840 f “ “ , Benjamin R. 8 1842 m “ “ , Loanza C. 5 1845 f “ “ , Mary E. 3 1847 f “ “ , John S. 1 1849 m “ Fell, Hugh 30 1820 m IRE Stephen a farmer, Hugh a laborer; Mary to Benjamin attended school.</p>
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..... 11 Aug. 279-211-240	“ , Ann Eliza 30 1820 f “	Preswood was a stonemason, Preswood Jr. a farmer, George F. a carder, Kenyon a spinner, George a manufacturer. It was likely a boarding house. There were also seven other unrelated adults ages 16-40.
Austin, Charles W. 27 1823 m CT	“ , Mary A. 26 1824 f “	
“ , Emma A. 24 1826 f “	“ , James 22 1828 m “	
“ , Emma G. 2 1848 f “	“ , Elizabeth 15 1835 f “	
Charles was a dyer.	“ , Jacob 4 1846 m “	
..... 16 Aug. 286-324-362	Whipple, Penelope 40 1810 f “	
Austin, Stanton A. 37 1813 m RI	Simmons, John B. 8 1842 m “	
“ , Esther C. 27 1823 f “	“ , Loyed 7 1843 m “	
“ , Frederick S. 11 1839 m “	George was a mariner, Warren a weaving overseer, James a laborer. John in school.	
“ , Ann M. 1 1849 f “ 25 Sept. 330-501-571	
Stanton a stonecutter, Frederick in school.	Wilcox, Abby 64 1786 f RI	
NORTH KINGSTON..... 30 July 299-67-78	“ , Gardiner 34 1816 m “	
Austin, Jonathan 65 1785 m RI	“ , Sylvester L. 32 1818 m NY	
“ , Sarah 54 1796 f “	Austin, Alfred 36 1814 m RI	
Jonathan was a U.S. Boatman.	“ , Abby 34 1816 f “	
..... 5 Aug. 303-117-138	“ , (unnamed) 2/12 1850 f “	
Austin, Fones 38 1812 m RI	Gardiner, Sylvester & Alfred were laborers.	
“ , Betsey B. 35 1815 f “ 25 Sept. 331-505-575	
“ , George Russell 4 1846 m “	Hunt, George 83 1767 m RI	
“ , Henry Warren 3 1847 m “	Wightman, William 79 1771 m “	
“ , Emma Madird? 1 1849 f “	Short, James N. 70 1780 m “	
Fones was an overseer on R. Read. George attended school within year.	Reynolds, William B. 68 1782 m “	
..... 23 Aug. 314-260-307	Northup, John 57 1793 m “	
Spink, Thomas D. A. 46 1804 m RI	Cole, Thomas 55 1795 m “	
“ , Susan 45 1805 f “	Havens, Samuel 15 1835 m “	
“ , Mary F? 17 1833 f “	Whitford, Ellen 83 1767 f “	
“ , Jonathan A. 15 1835 m “	Hitt, Abby 82 1768 f “	
“ , John Thomas 12 1838 m “	Vaughan, Martha 71 1779 f “	
“ , George T. 7 1843 m “	Mitchell, Jane 26 1824 f “	
Austin, Amelia 7 1843 f “	Austin, Melinda 18 1832 f “	
Thomas was a farmer, children 15 and under attended school.	“ , Theodore 1 1849 m “	
..... 31 Aug. 321-377-431	Himes, Elizabeth 50 1800 f “	
Austin, George 69 1781 m RI	Dwelling described as a “Poor House.”	
“ , Fones 13 1837 m “	George & William were laborers, James & William B. shoemakers. John was a sailor, Thomas a goldsmith. All were paupers, Wm. Wightman & Elizabeth were insane.	
Arnold, Betsey 54 1796 f “	RICHMOND..... 29 Aug. 252-186-198	
George was a farmer, Fones in school.	Straite, William 35 1815 m RI	
..... 7 Sept. 325-441-494	“ , Sarah 35 1815 f “	
Young, Eliphalet 57 1793 m CT	“ , Edwin 12 1838 m “	
“ , Ruth F. 50 1800 f RI	“ , Mary 10 1840 f “	
“ , Alfred H. 15 1835 m “	“ , Ann 8 1842 f “	
Austin, Catherine 8 1842 f “	“ , Phebe 6 1844 f “	
Eliphalet a merchant, both ch. in school.	“ , Sarah S. 4 1846 f “	
..... 16 Sept. 328-472-535	“ , John 2 1848 m “	
Gardner, Celia 54 1796 f RI	Austin, Harriet 15 1835 f “	
“ , Dorcas 24 1826 f “	William was a farmer. Anne, Phebe & Sarah S. attended school. Harriet’s name was misspelled as “Hariet”.	
“ , Elisha 28 1822 m “ 5 Sept. 260-311-324	
“ , Wanton 20 1830 m “	Davie, Preswood 78 1772 m MA	
“ , Robert 18 1832 m “	“ , Henrieta 50 1800 f RI	
“ , Eliza 18 1832 f “	Greene, Harriet 26 1824 f “	
Austin, Abby 40 1810 f “	Davie, Preswood Jr. 23 1827 m “	
“ , Experience 44 1806 f “	“ , Sarah 19 1831 f “	
“ , John 46 1804 m “	“ , George F. 15 1835 m “	
“ , Ray 42 1808 m “	Johnson, Kenyon 25 1825 m “	
Northrup, Samuel 12 1838 m “	Green, Margaret A. 3 1847 f “	
Rodman, Sarah 4 1846 f “	Austin, Clarisa 30 1820 f “	
Wanton, John & Ray were laborers. Elisha was a whaleman. Celia & the four Austins could not read or write. Samuel attended school within the year.	Peckham, Mary A. 16 1834 f “	
..... 23 Sept. 330-494-564	“ , Susan 18 1832 f “	
Austin, Catherine 63 1787 f RI	Logan, Amy 26 1824 f “	
“ , George W. 42 1808 m “	James, Elisa 14 1836 f “	
“ , Warren 32 1818 m “	Holliston, Susan 20 1830 f “	
	“ , George 45 1805 m “	
	 30 July 340-76-108
		Hazard, Carter 40 1810 m RI
		“ , Eliza 36 1814 f “
		“ , Charles W. 15 1835 m “
		“ , Eliza 12 1838 f “
		“ , Julia W. 5 1845 f “
		Austin, William N. 26 1824 m “
		Meccum, Ellen 25 1825 f IRE
		Carter was a merchant with \$9000 R.E. William was a merchant. Charles, Eliza & Julia attended school within the year.
	 3 Aug. 347-189-218
		Curtis, Samuel 68 1782 m RI
		“ , Sarah 56 1794 f “
		“ , Benjamin N. 20 1830 m “
		“ , Eliza A. 15 1835 f “
		Austin, Charles 35 1815 m “
		Stillman, William 20 1830 m “
		Roach?, Thomas 25 1825 m IRE
		McLoclin, James 20 1830 m “
		Samuel a farmer, Charles a spinner, Thomas a carder, Benjamin & James apprentices.
	 8 Aug. 353-278-321
		Tucker, Samuel S. 38 1812 m RI
		“ , Martha C. 41 1809 f “
		“ , Abby F. 11 1839 f “
		“ , Martha G. 5 1845 f “
		Austin, Caroline 18 1832 f “
		Samuel was a farmer with \$2000 R.E. Abby, Martha & Caroline attended school.
	 30 Aug. 359-363-414
		Tucker, Lyman C. 53 1797 m RI
		“ , Elizabeth 54 1796 f “
		Austin, Clarisa 31 1819 f “
		“ , Lyman C. 6 1844 m “
		Clark, Mary M. 71 1779 f “
		Headman, Mary Ann 10 1840 f “
		Lyman was a farmer with \$500 R.E. Lyman & Mary Ann attended school.
	 17 Aug. 361-407-458
		Austen, John D. 45 1805 m RI
		“ , Sarah 48 1802 f “
		“ , Benjamin R. 22 1828 m “
		“ , Abby* 24 1826 f “
		“ , Cornealia E. 17 1833 f “
		“ , Mareanna 15 1835 f “
		“ , Sarah 13 1837 f “
		“ , Gusta 9 1841 f “
		“ , Julia 6 1844 f “
		John had \$2000 R.E., Benjamin was a farmer. Five children attended school. *Abby’s middle initial was illegible.
	 20 Aug. 366-478-530
		Austin, George 66 1784 m RI

“ , Patience 65 1785 f “
 “ , George 25 1825 m “
 “ , Wanton G. 14 1836 m “
 George a blacksmith \$500 R.E. Young
 George was a farmer. Wanton in school.

WESTERLY..... 19 Aug. 408-196-226
 Clark, Stanton 29 1821 m RI
 “ , Antoinett M. 24 1826 f “
 Sweet, Mariann 46 1804 f “
 Clark, Charles W. 22 1828 m “
 Austin, Stephen 21 1829 m “

The three men were stonecutters.

..... 21 Aug. 410-225-264
 Crumb, Nancy 54 1796 f CT
 “ , Cornelia 24 1826 f “
 “ , Charles E. 21 1829 m “
 “ , Henry C. 18 1832 m “
 Card, Henry C. 25 1825 m RI
 Thompson, Henry 23 1827 m CT
 Hedgson, Isaac 21 1829 m ENG
 Henwood, David 27 1823 m “
 Holburton, John 20 1830 m RI
 Briggs, Billings 20 1830 m “
 Austin, George 22 1828 m “
 “ , Mary A. 24 1826 f “

Charles was a laborer, Henry Crumb an
 operative, Henry Card & George carders.
 Henry Thompson, Isaac, David, John &
 Billings were spinners, Mary a weaver.
 There were also 9 other weavers, mostly
 unrelated females 17-34, plus Irish maid.

..... 22 Aug. 412-242-283
 Kenyon, Redman 35 1815 m RI
 “ , Louisa 30 1820 f “
 “ , Charles 8 1842 m “
 “ , Edward 6 1844 m “
 Maxson, George 25 1825 m “
 “ , Lucy 24 1826 f “
 Beckwith, John 28 1822 m ENG
 “ , Mary 22 1828 f “
 Lines, John 27 1823 m “
 Rowley, Thomas 24 1826 m IRE
 Coleman, John 26 1824 m “
 Babcock, Mary E. 16 1834 f RI
 Austin, Angeline 15 1835 f “
 Harvey, Jane 18 1832 f “
 Vars?, Frances 19 1831 f “

Redman a watchman, George a spinner,
 John Beckwith a wool sorter, John Lines
 a weaver. Thomas & John Coleman were
 laborers. Charles & Edward in school.



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QUERIES

752-1. **Joseph Austin** m. Elizabeth Penel Logers circa 1780, they had three children born in England: Thomas Austin born in 1782, Ann Austin born in 1785 and Mary Austin born in 1789. Thomas Austin married to Ellen Bleadon at Bolton-le-moor, Lancashire, England on 23 September 1803, they were said to have had 13 or more children. I think I have found these children’s marriages, but cannot be certain until I am sure I am looking at the right family: Joseph Austin married Martha Wolliscroft Farnsworth in Bolton, Lancashire England on 24 July 1837. They had five children: John? Austin, Sarah Ellen Austin born in 1838, Thomas Wolliscroft Austin born in 1840, Edward Wolliscroft Austin born in 1842, and Elizabeth Ann Austin born in 1844. Edward Austin went to Australia. Elizabeth Austin married a Thomas Tomkies and went to New Zealand. Seeking contact with anyone familiar with these Austin families.

752-2. **Daniel L. Austin** was born 25 October 1844 in White County, Illinois. He married first to Sarah Brown, they had five children who were all married in Wayne County, Missouri: Mary Ann Austin who m. Thomas Davis on 12 December 1892; George W. Austin who married Ida E. Dean on 17 October 1893; William Olland D. Austin who married Alice H. White on 26 February 1899; Ellen Austin who married Daniel M. Francis on 4 May 1899, Emma Austin who married –Callahan she died 10 June 1976. Daniel married second to Frances Faries. Daniel L. Austin died on 27 November 1926 in Greenville, Missouri, and was buried in the Pleasant Valley Cemetery. Seeking parents of Daniel L. Austin.

752-3. **Pardon J. Austin** was born on 5 January 1841 in Steuben County, New York. He and his siblings went to LaSalle County, Illinois, with their mother Sarah (→)(DeWitt) Austin shortly before the 1850 census. In that census were Sarah and her children Catherine Austin, P. J. Austin age 9, and an older child John DeWitt (perhaps a half-brother by an earlier marriage of Sarah). They all moved to Wisconsin before the 1860 Census. Catherine and John married in Wisconsin. Pardon served in the Civil War, then on 7 November 1865 he married Emily Crisler in LaSalle County. Pardon and Emily are my great-grandparents. They are buried in a cemetery only a mile from the home where I spent my youth, and I own the property where they lived. I sold the house since I could no longer use it, but own other good corn and soybean land of the Crisler and Hotchkiss families. My grandmother Jane Austin was Emily’s daughter, perhaps born before Emily and Pardon were married. According to a LaSalle County death certificate, Pardon’s father was John Austin. Would appreciate learning any information on this John Austin.

752-4. **Thomas Austin** was married to –Froup in the late 1800’s. He and several brothers went to America. They worried that Thomas being the weakest might not survive the journey, but he did and went on to do great things. He worked in a steel works. When steel was hammered flat they needed a way of getting the hammer to rise for it to fall again. Thomas devised a way for this to happen. He was elected President of the “Knights of Labor,” then later became Senator of Cleveland, Ohio. It is believed there is a place named after him. This all comes from a story which my father told me. Assuming that all this is true, I would appreciate hearing from anyone who can shed light on these matters, and I would especially like to learn the name of Thomas Austin’s wife.