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Dear Dad,

I went to the New England Historic Society library today, got a membership for \$25 and spent the whole day there. I found the genealogies of Simon and Gregory Stone by J. Gardner Bartlett - each of them is a massive 500 page book. I found there:

Martha Dudley Stone, b. 1839 Dec 26; m. at Sudbury Mass 1859 June 23
Wyman S. Tasker of Marlborough, Mass., b. in Cabot Vt about 1833
son of John and Frances (----) Tasker. He was a carpenter and later they settled in Somerville, Mass.

I also found a Waldo W. Stone, who should be the same one I wrote to. He is your third cousin once removed.

The Stone genealogy goes back to Walter Atte Stone in England, 24 generations removed from me, who was alive in 1314 (about). One of the Stones died on the Lusitania. Gregory Stone and his son had a 35 acre lot in Cambridge, very near to Harvard University, in the 1600's. It's possible that the "Stone elm" is still alive, and I know exactly where to look for it. John Stone, 1757-1844 served in the Revolutionary War, and was a minuteman: "marched to Concord and Cambridge on the Lexington alarm, April 19, 1775: service 4 days." I can get you precise info if anyone wants to join the DAR.

I searched Tennessee histories partially, and found some Grayson's. It probably duplicates what you have already, but I'm sending it anyway so you can determine that.

East Tennessee Historical Society:

Grayson Benjamin 1806 tax list Knox Co. Capt. Hardin's Company : 1 free poll
John " " " " " " " " : 1 free poll, 200 acres
Joseph 1802 " " Anderson " " Chile's " : 1 free poll, 300 acres
located at Wolf V,
1801 - one of the commissioners appointed to determine
location of Anderson County courthouse.
Grason Jesse 1806 taxlist Knox - Capt Chiles' - 1 free poll

Marriages (TENN 50 73)

Grayson Ben to Nancy Regney 1815 May 29
Sarah to John Edmondson 1816 Aug 13
Grayson Anne to Daniel Young, m. in Jonesboro Tenn. (Robertson & Davidson Co's.)
She was daughter of William Grayson.

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Joseph Grayson m. Fattie Braizealle 1798 Dec 10 Knox Co.

Original Marriage Bonds

Nancy Grayson m. Richard Ballard 1812-9-16 John Simmons security Grainger Co
Elizabeth Grayson & George Bull 1802-2-4 John Bull security Grainger co

William Grayson & Susannah Tennen 1802-9-8 Montgomery Co.

Bledsoe Co Abstracts from Minute Docket at Pikeville 1841-1846

p. 45 regarding death of Henry Grasen Mar 1842
p. 275 deed John McIver to Benjamin Greyson Orr of Montgomery Co. Md 5000 acres
on Crow Creek Oct 10 1809

Benjamin Grayson witnesses a will in Knox Co 1792-11-21 (Tenn Records v. 6)
Thomas Grayson 1793-8-20 Davidson Co. power of attorney to David Young " (p. 226)

Query : A.A.D. Indianapolis Ind Need help finding the marriage license of Francis Edmondson and Jane Grayson, who lived 12 miles from Knoxville near the Clinch River in 1808

Daniel R. Grayson 2/4/74

