

PHILLIPS GENEALOGY RECORDS

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NELSON AND BETSEY PHILLIPS

Nelson Phillips

b. Aug 1813, NY
d. Aug 7, 1903, Syracuse, NY
bur. First Ward Cem.,
Syracuse, NY

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Betsey ?

b. 1815, NY
d. Before 1900

Elizabeth Phillips

b. Aug 1833, NY
d. Before 1929

= John W. Kellogg

b. 1823, NY
d. Before 1900

Two Children, one died between 1900 and
1910

Mary Phillips

b. 1839, NY
d. Abt. Dec 1882

Never married

Olive Phillips

b. 1847, NY

Sybil M. Phillips

b. Jun 1851, NY
d. Apr 15, 1929, Syracuse, NY
bur. Woodlawn Cem., Syracuse, NY

= John C. Cooney

b.
d. Before 1880

Daughters (1929):

Mrs. Walter L. Mather (Helen)

Miss Jessie Cooney

Miss Bessie A. Cooney

Emily M. Phillips

b. 1859, NY
d. May 30, 1929, Syracuse, NY
bur. Warners, NY

= Frank Knowlton

b. Abt 1865
d. Oct 4, 1934, Syracuse, NY
(Suicide via gun after extended illness)
bur. Warners, NY

Daughters (1929):

Miss Myrtle Knowlton (d. Jan 10, 1944)

Mrs. Gertrude (Fred) Porter,

Both of Syracuse

| Name | 1850 | 1855 | 1860 | 1865 | 1870 | 1875 | 1880 | 1892 | 1900 |
|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Location | Syr WD1 | Syr WD1 | | Salina | Salina | Salina | Salina | Salina | Syr WD1 |
| Nelson Phillips | 36 | 41 | | 50 | 47 | 63 | 66 | 79 | 86 |
| Betsey Phillips | 36 | 41 | | 50 | 47 | 62 | 66 | 79 | |
| Children | | | | | | | | | |
| Elizabeth Phillips (b. 1833) | 16 | | | | | | | | |
| Mary Phillips (b. 1839) | 11 | 16 | | | | | | | |
| Olive Phillips (b. 1847) | 3 | 8 | | | | | | | |
| Sybil M. Phillips (Cooney) | | 3 | | 13 | | | 29 | | 48 |
| Emily Phillips (b. 1859) | | | | 6 | 12 | 17 | 21 | | |
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| Sybil's Children | | | | | | | | | |
| Nellia (Hellen) Cooney | | | | | | | 10 | 23 | |
| Agga (Agnes) Cooney | | | | | | | 7 | 19 | |
| Jessie Cooney | | | | | | | 3 | 15 | 23 |
| Bessie Cooney | | | | | | | 1 | 13 | 21 |
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Note: The ages found in the 1870 census for Nelson and Betsey Nelson were three years younger than their ages five years earlier in the 1865 census. After checking and rechecking the numbers those were really "47." There was no overly ornate penmanship and no illegible or fading writing. The others listed close to the Phillips, in the 1870 census, were the neighbors that were expected to be found nearby – this was the correct Nelson and Betsey. Their daughter Emily's age is the continuity between the 1865 census and the 1875 census. She aged as expected. The only logical conclusion was that the census taker messed up.

1850 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD01 M432-569-IMG54

Res 355, Fam 353

Nelson Phillips, 36, Blacksmith, Real Est. \$2,000, NY

Betsey Phillips, 36, NY

Elizabeth Phillips, 16, NY

Mary Phillips, 11, NY

Olive Phillips, 3, NY

1855 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD01 IMG 30

Res. 171, Framed, \$2,200, Fam 210

Nelson Philip, 41, Onondaga, M, 22 years, Blacksmithy, Native, Owns land

Betsey, Philip, 41, Wife, Madison, M, 22 years

Mary Philip, 16, Child, Onondaga, 16 years

Olive Philip, 8, Child, Onondaga, 8 years

Sybile Philip, 3, Child, Onondaga, 3 years

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| 1860 BOGUS INFO |
| 1865 NY Onondaga Salina ED02 IMG 1-25 Res 4, Frame \$1200, Fam 4 Nelson Phillips , 50, Onondaga, Married once, Married now, Farmer, Native, Owns land Betsey Phillips, 50, Wife, Madison, 5 Children, Married once, Married now Sybil M. Phillips, 13, Dau, Onondaga, S Emily Phillips, 6, Dau, Onondaga, S |
| 1870 NY Onondaga Salina M593-1061-639A Res 388, Fam 388 Phillips, Nelson , 47, Farmer, Real Est \$3000, Personal Est \$1500, NY Phillips, Betsey, 47, Kepping House, NY Phillips, Emily, 12, At school, NY Loner, Elizabeth, 20, Teacher, NY |
| 1875 NY Onondaga Salina IMG-217 Res 118, Framed, \$700, Fam 118 Nelson Philps , 63, Onondaga, Now married, Native, Owns land Betsey Philps, 62, Wife, Madison Emmala Philps, 17, Dau, Onondaga |
| 1880 NY Onondaga Salina T9-906-247B Res 128, Fam 130 Phillips, Nelson , 66, Farmer, NY, NY, NY Phillips, Betsy, 66, Keeping House, NY, NY, NY Phillips, Emily M., 21, Dau. , Teaching school, NY, NY, NY Cooney, Sybil M., 29, Dau., Boarder, NY, NY, NY Cooney, Nellia S., 10, g-daughter, Home, NY, NY, NY Cooney, Agga, M., 7, g-daughter, NY, NY, NY Cooney, Jessi, 3, g-daughter, NY, NY, NY Cooney, Bessie, A., 1, g-daughter, NY, NY, NY |
| 1892 NY Onondaga, Salina ED03 IMG-174 Nelson Phillips , 79, US, Farmer Betsey Phillips, 79, US, Wife Hellen S. Cooney, 23, US, Teacher Agnes M. Cooney, 19, US, School Jessie C. Cooney, 15, US, School Bessie A. Cooney, 13, US, School |
| 1900 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD01 T623-1136-4A 1013 Carbon St., Res. 63, Fam. 72 Phillips, Nelson , Aug 1813, 86, Wd, NY, NY, NY, Rents house Cooney, Sybil, Dau, June 1851, 48, Wd, NY, NY, NY Cooney, Jessie C., G-Dau, Oct 1876, 23, S, NY, NY, NY, School teacher Cooney, Bessie A., G Dau, Feb 1879, 21, S, NY, NY, NY, At school Fam 73 Dunn, Mary A., Head, Mar 1830, 70, Wd, 5-2, Ireland, Ireland, Ireland, 1836, 64, Rents house |

NELSON PHILLIPS CHRONOLOGY

1901 – Emily M. Knowlton bought Nelson Phillips homestead for \$1000. Nelson has use of the homestead for life. Buyer takes possession 1st day of the month succeeding Nelson's death.

Friday, August 7, 1903 – Nelson Phillips died, Residence 425 Center St. Buried in the First Ward Cemetery. Nelson was 90 years of age and was “one of the oldest North Side citizens.” He was survived by three daughters: Mrs. Elizabeth Kellogg; Mrs. Sybil Cooney and Mrs. Emily (Frank) Knowlton – all of Syracuse.

1908- “Nelson & Phillips” homestead for rent. 30 acres of land and buildings. Inquire 605 Third North St.

605 Third North Street

Question: Why is the 605 Third North St address connected to the Phillips homestead? In the 1900 census there were two Harrouns living at the address and they were listed as separate families. This was Residence 190 and Sarah Harroun (Family 205) and Isaac Harroun (Family 206) were both living there. Sarah was Isaac's spinster sister. To help confuse things a bit more Isaac's wife was also named Sarah – two Sarah Harrouns in the same house.

Answer: This was a two-family house. The Knowltons must have moved in sometime after July 1904 when Isaac's sister Sarah died. They were still living at 605 3rd North St. when they placed the ad in 1908. Mystery solved.

1900 – Isaac Harroun was living at this address with his sister and his family (2nd wife). His 7 year old son was a second William Harroun (William B. Harroun).

1904 - Sarah Harroun, sister of Isaac Harroun, died

1907 - William Harroun at 605 North Third St. The 14 year old attended Salina School and won a kite flying contest held on Mount Olympus, south of Syracuse University.

1908 - Nelson Phillips homestead for rent.

1914 - William B. Harroun of 605 Third North St, marriage license to Emma L. Braun of 135 Delong.

1909-04-01 Syracuse Herald

There was an ad offering for sale a farm on the west side of Otisco Lake – 130 acres – adjoining the “Forest Home.” The contact was Mrs. Elizabeth Kellogg, 838 Cortland Ave.

William Harroun – A Civil War Vet – Not related to Isaac above.

1904 William Harroun of 213 Center St died. Survived by a son William F. Harroun, and three daughters: Mrs. John F. Goff and Miss Nellie A. Harroun of Syracuse and Mrs. E. Smith CA., two brothers Hiram Harroun of Syracuse and David Harroun of NY and a sister Mrs. J. Hardy of Kirkville.

The Nelson Phillips Family

John W. Kellogg – Elizabeth P. Phillips

1860 NY Onondaga Syracuse WD01 M653-830-46

Res. 365, Fam. 366

John N. Kellogg, 37, Cooper, Real Est. \$3,000, Personal Est. \$500, NY

Elizabeth Kellogg, 27, NY

Nelson Kellogg, 5, NY

1870 – Res. 337, Fam. 418 Syr WD01 M593-1062-28A

Kellogg, John, 47, Salt Maker, Real Est. \$14,000, Personal Est. \$1600, NY

Kellogg, Elizabeth, 36, Keeping house, NY

Kellogg, Nelson, 14, Attending school, NY

Kellogg, George, 18, Attending school, NY

1880 – 72 Center St., Res 386, Fam. 425

Kellogg, John W., 58, Gardener

Kellogg, Elizabeth P., 46, Wife, Keeping house

Kellogg, George K., 18, son, Laborer

1900 – 600 Center St.

Elizabeth Kellogg, 66, Wd, 2/2, Nurse was living at 600 Center St. Born Aug 1833

1910 – 600 Center St.

Elizabeth Kellogg was still at 600 Center St. Children 2/1. “own income”

Frank Knowlton – Emily M. Phillips

1910 – At 218 Burdick Ave – Rents home

Frank Knowlton, 45, M1, 21, Millwright

Emily Knowlton, 52, M1, 4/2, no occupation

Gertrude Knowlton, 20

Murtle Knowlton, 11

John Cooney - Sybil M. Phillips

1900 – NY Onondaga Syracuse WD01 T623-1136-4A

1013 Carbon Street – Rents his home

Phillips, Nelson, Head, Aug 1813, 86, Wd, Occ - blank

Cooney Sybil, Dau, June 1851, 49, Wd, Occ - blank

Cooney, Jessie C., g-daughter, Oct 1876, 23, S, Occ – School teacher

Cooney, Bessie A., g-daughter, Feb 1879, 21, S, Occ – At school

1910 – Missing