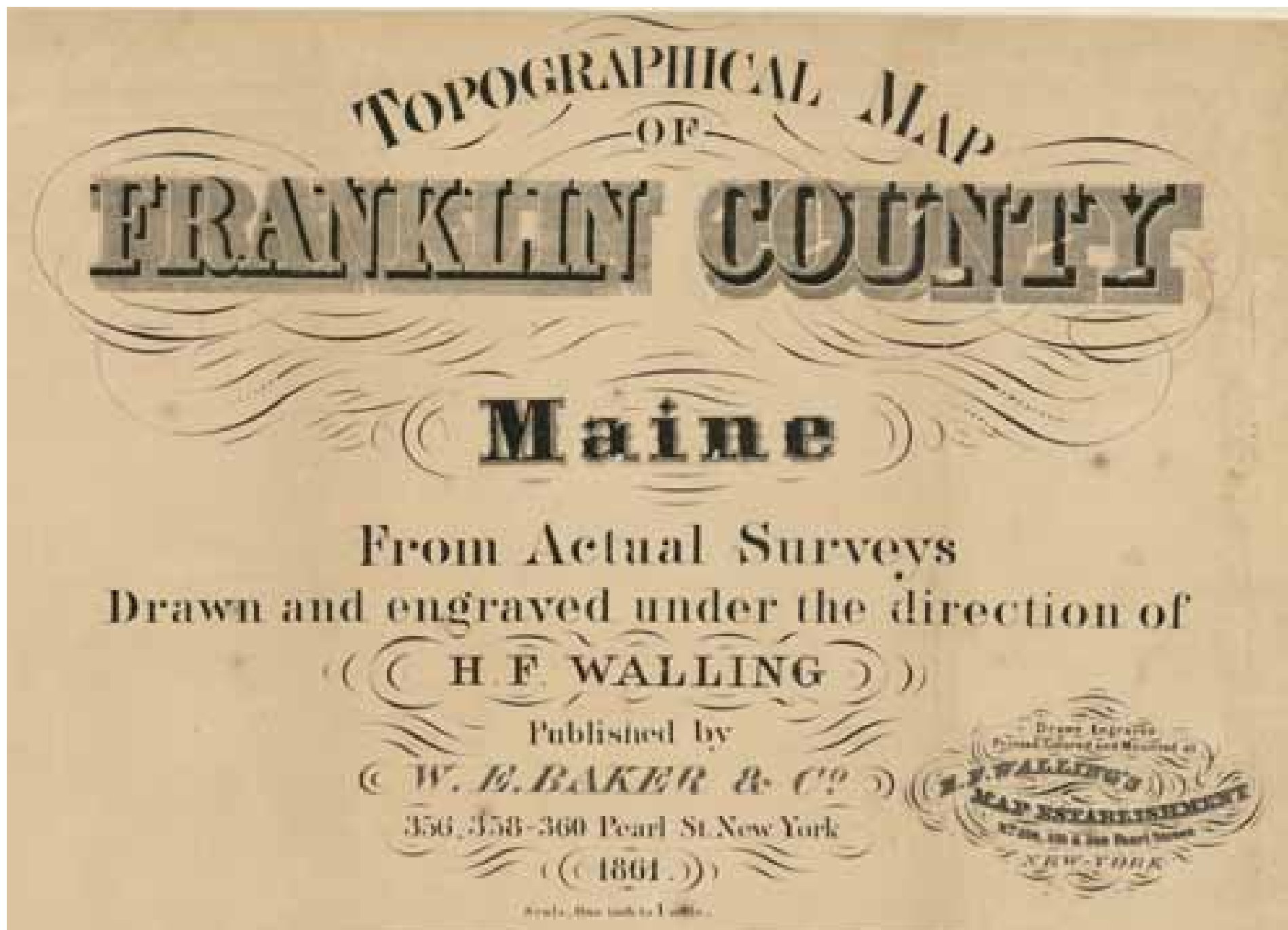


Map of Franklin County, Maine 1861



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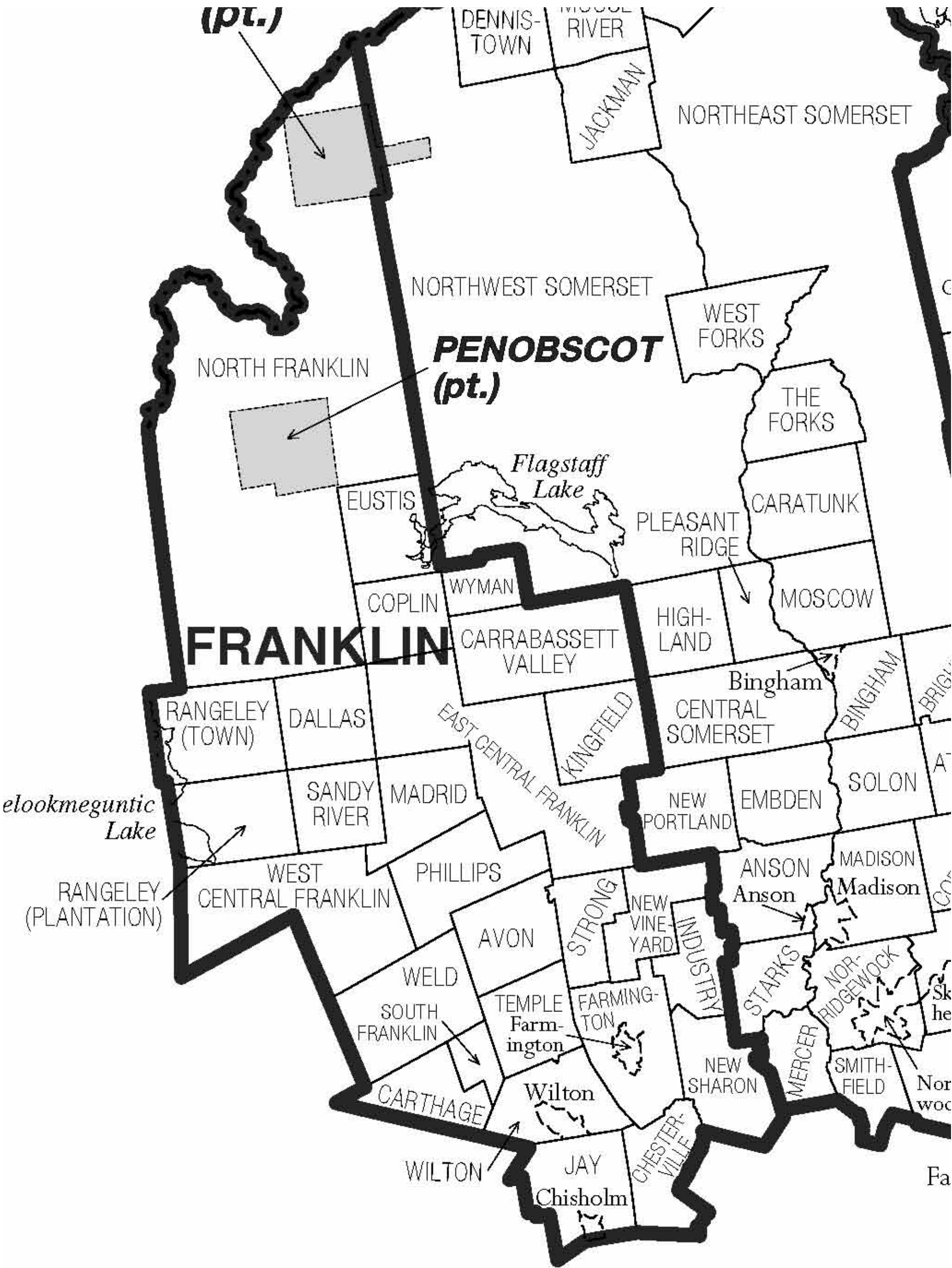
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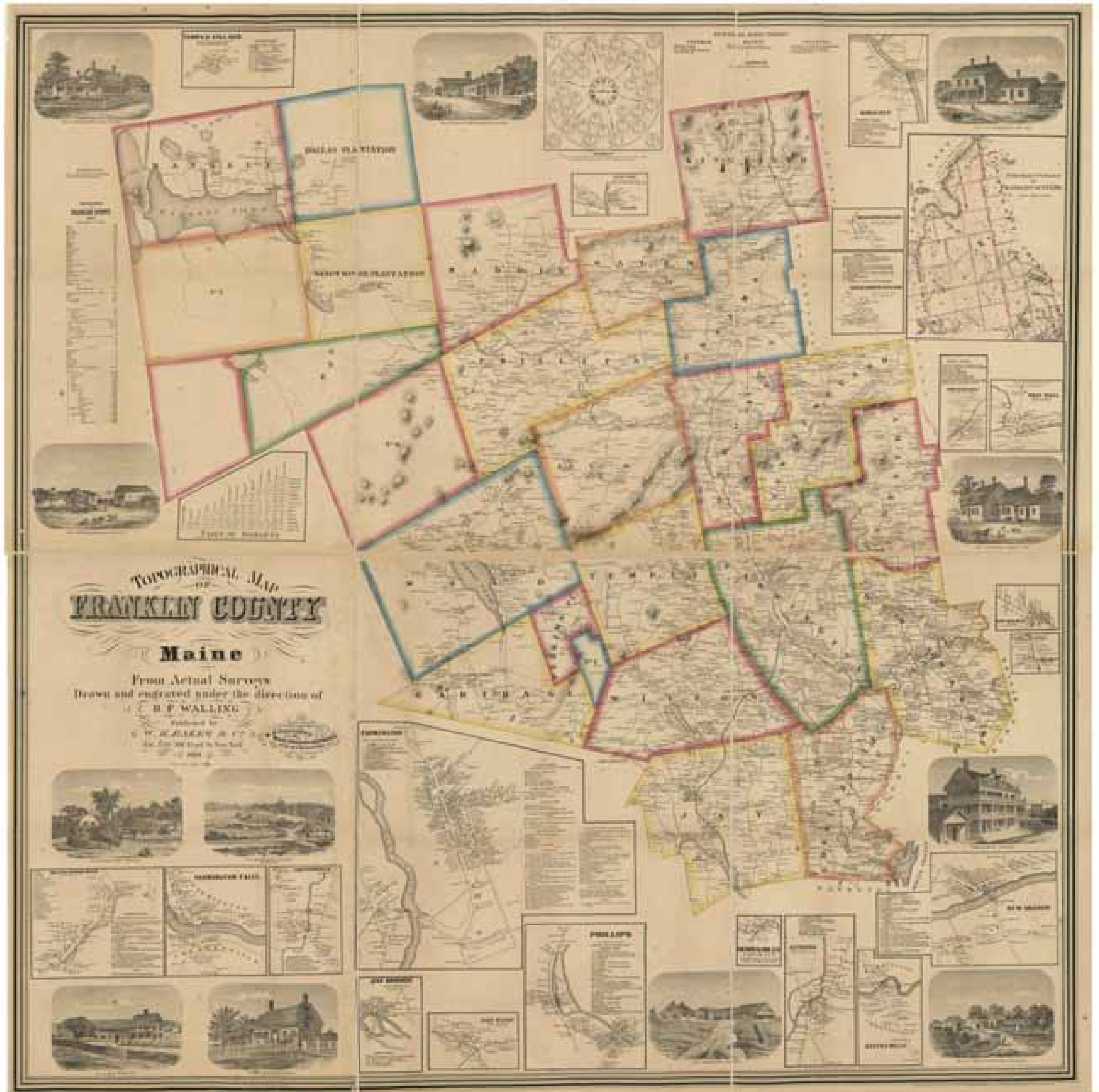
A complete copy of the 1861 county wall map showing the names and locations of 1000s of houses, businesses, churches and schools.

Modern Town Outline Map



SEE SECTION 4

1861 Map of Franklin County



The original map is a large wall map measuring 55" x 55".

The wall map has been "taken apart" for this edition by dividing it into separate images, thus making it easy to use this map for the first time.

An Historical Sketch of The Map

The 1861 Map of Franklin County is an important historical document. The map pinpoints the names and locations of every residence, workplace, church and school in the county. It was the first such map for most of these towns.

This map is one of several Maine county maps created in the mid 1800s - a period of extraordinary map-making in America. The publisher of this map, H.F. Walling, was an accomplished mapmaker who also produced several other Maine county maps.

Few details of this map's origins are known, but we do know the general methods used for these projects. Roads were measured with a wheel odometer, similar to the wheelbarrow-like device pictured here, or one drawn by horse and buggy. The surveyor would ask the names of farmstead owners as he passed by, and would surely add a brief sales pitch for the new map... after all, the map would carry the name of the resident, engraved upon it.

The original road surveys for this privately-produced map were the most comprehensive yet made. This map served as the basis of mapping for decades afterwards.



Publication was announced in local newspapers, and local offices were set up where advance orders for the new map could be taken. A typical mid-1850s price was five dollars per copy. Prominent citizens allowed their names to be used in the map's advertisements, testifying to the merits of the map, and no doubt assuring it of financial success. Pictures of the homes of prominent citizens were added for a fee.

The map was printed on four separate sheets which were assembled and glued together onto a cloth backing. Each copy was then hand-colored in several different hues, varnished, and mounted on wooden rollers.

Note on Map Size

This publication was prepared for use as a computer-based PDF file, formatted as a 14" x 17" booklet. The formatting and sizes of some maps have been adjusted to make the town and village maps easily readable, and on one page if possible. For this reason some maps are presented at different scales.

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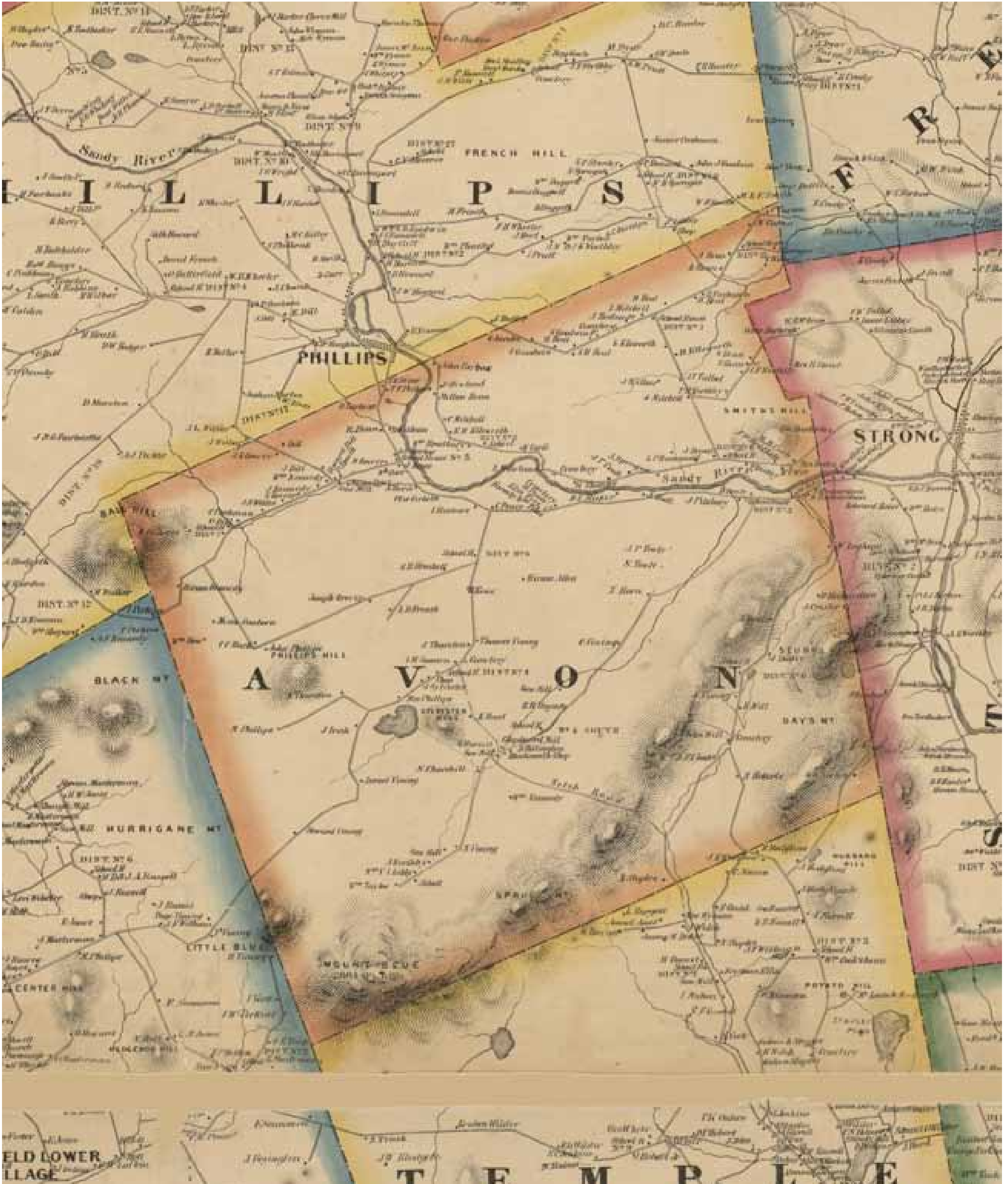
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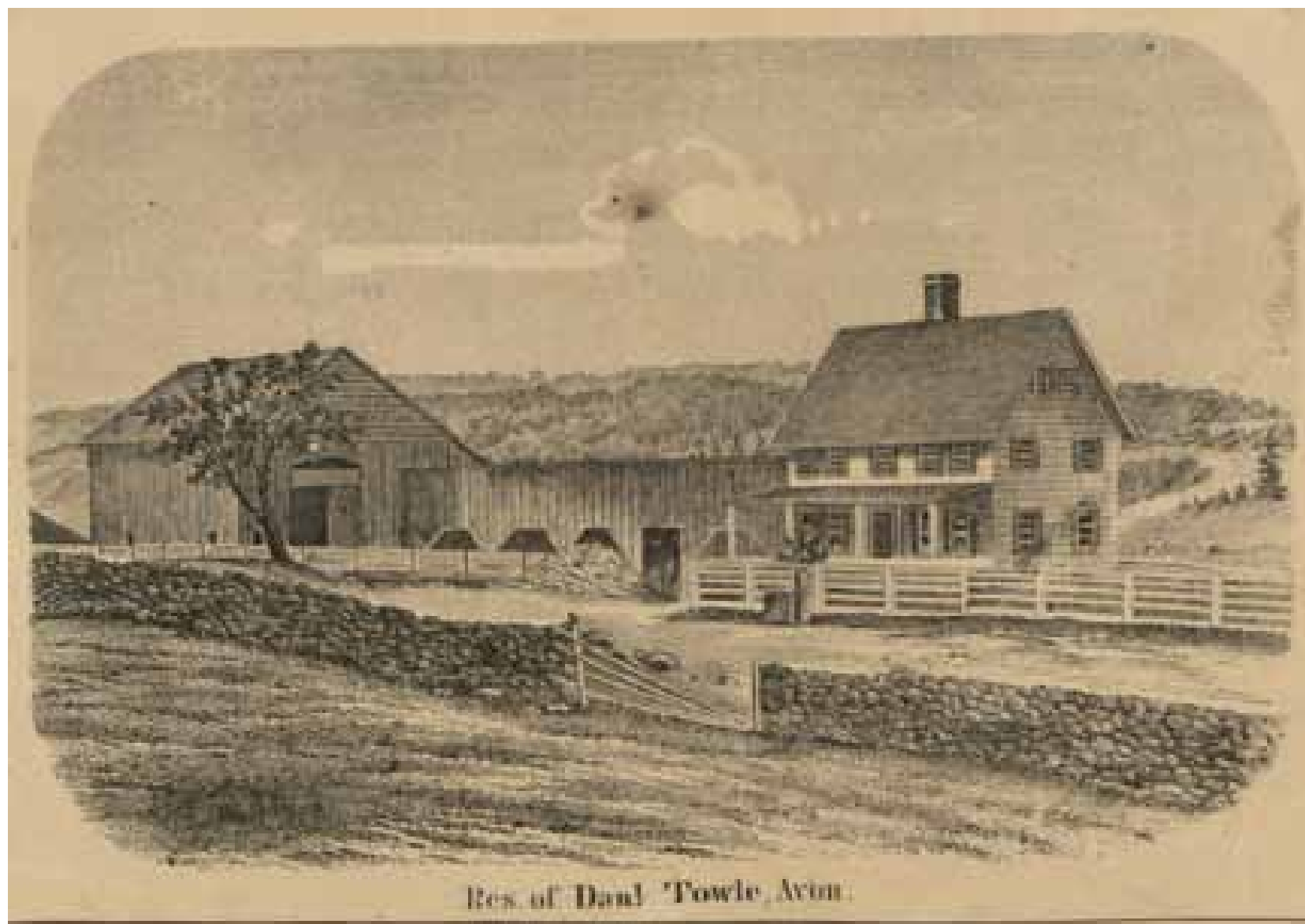
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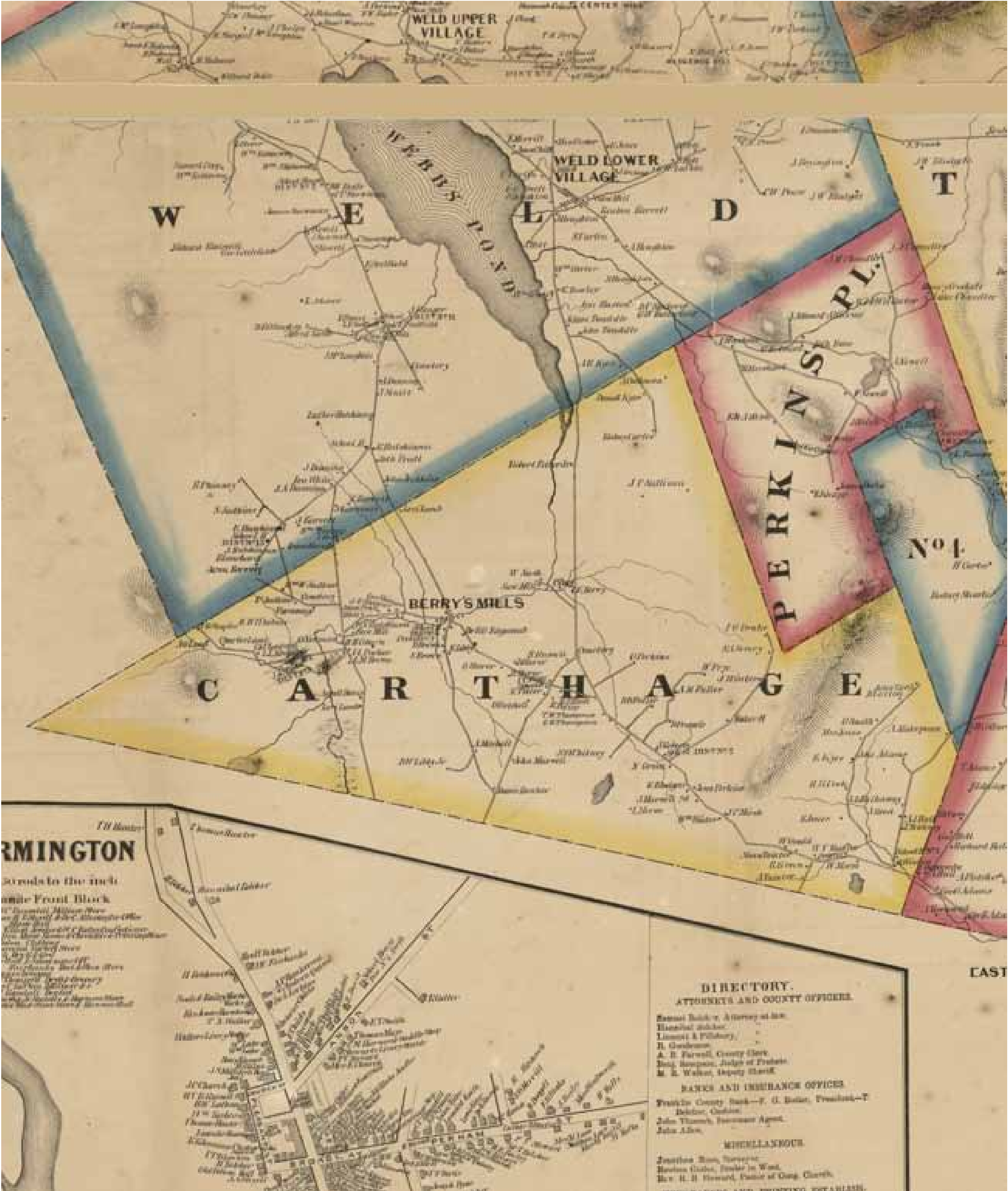
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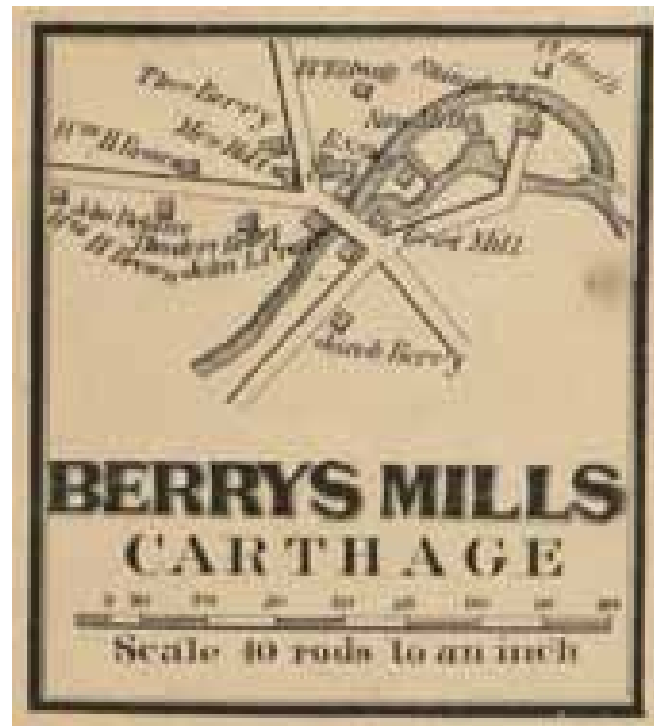
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Berrys Mills



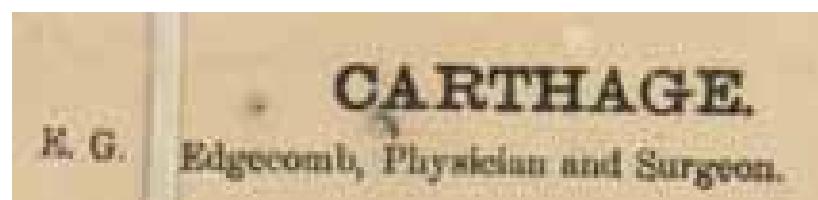
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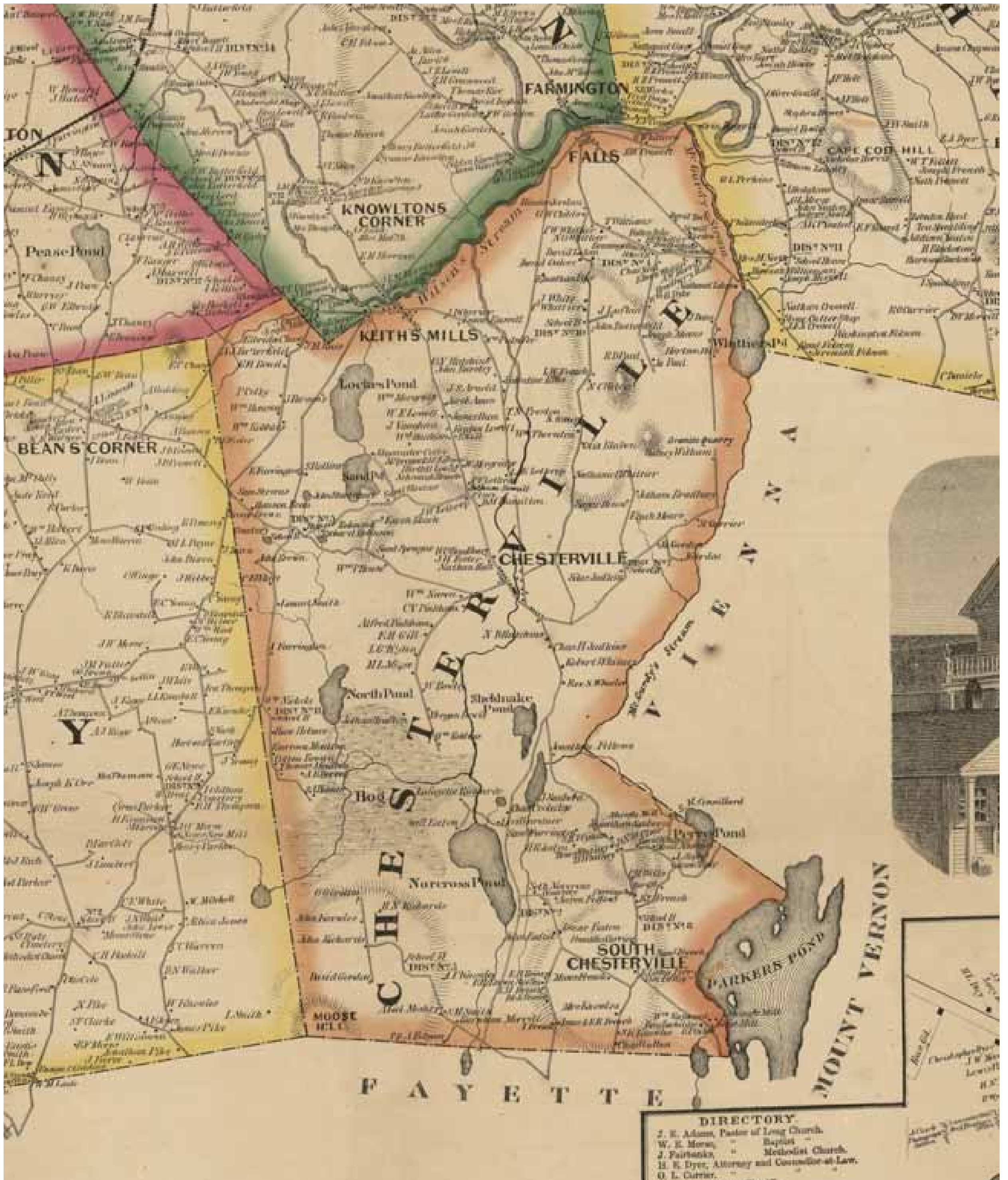
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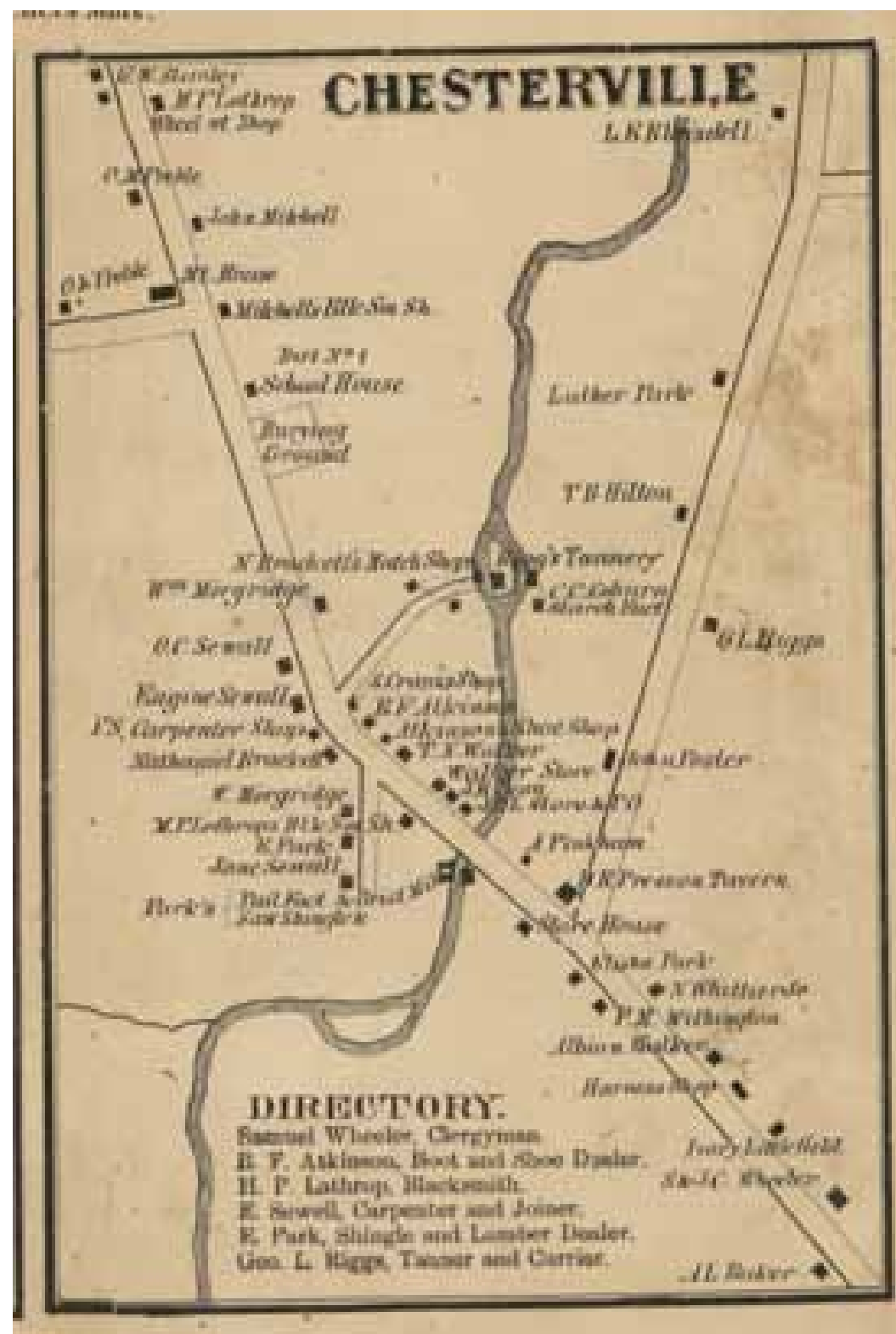
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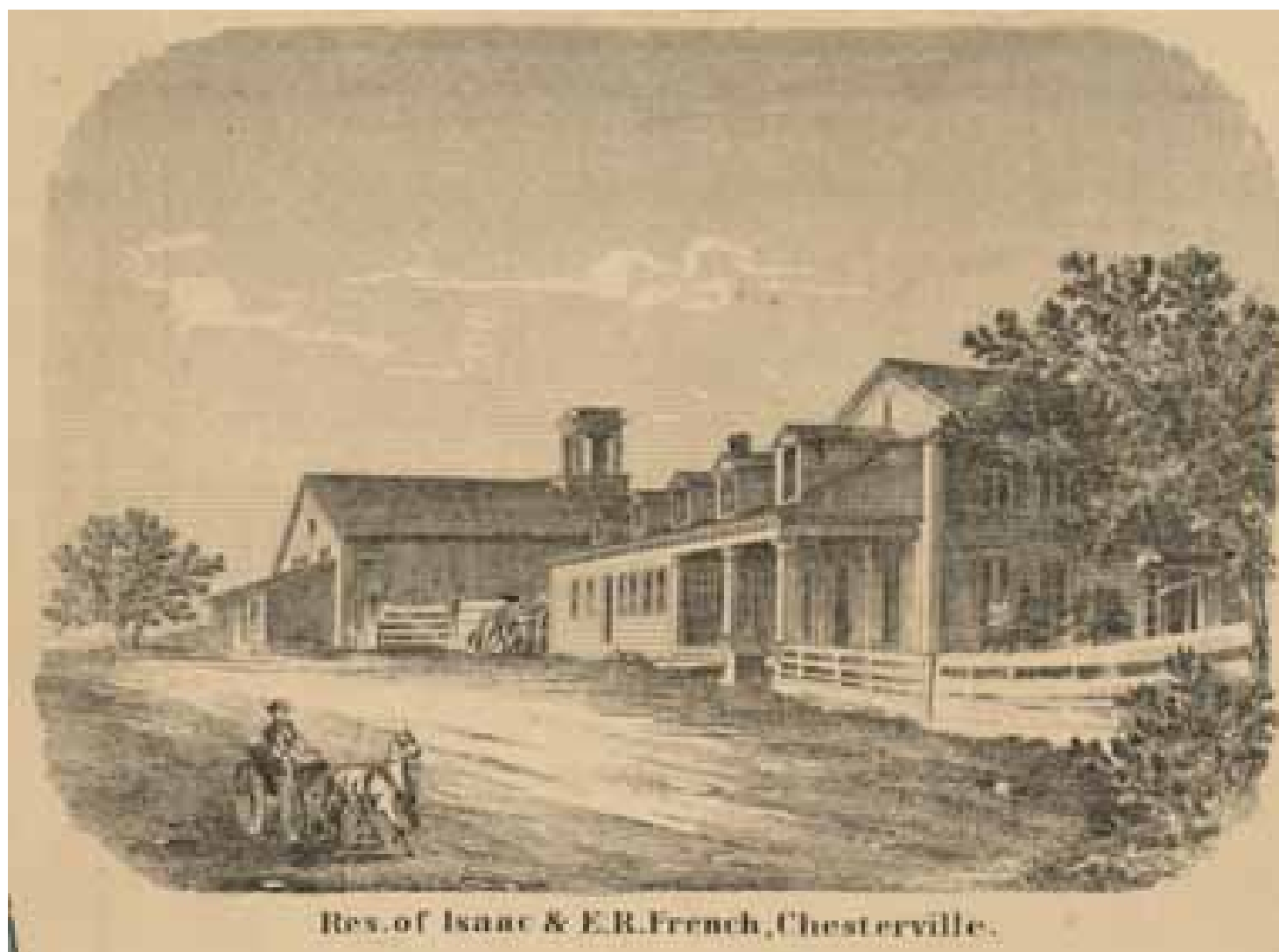
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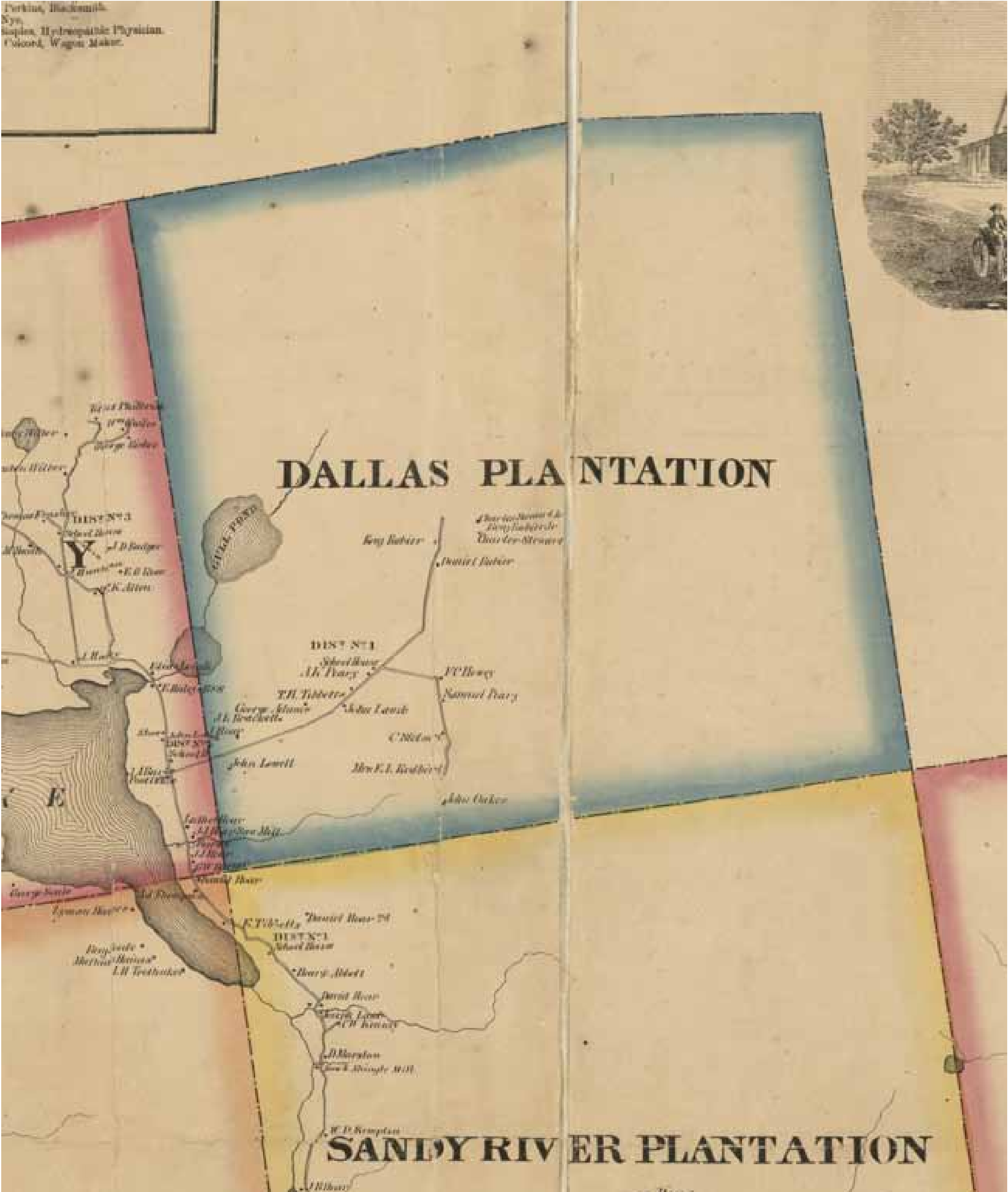
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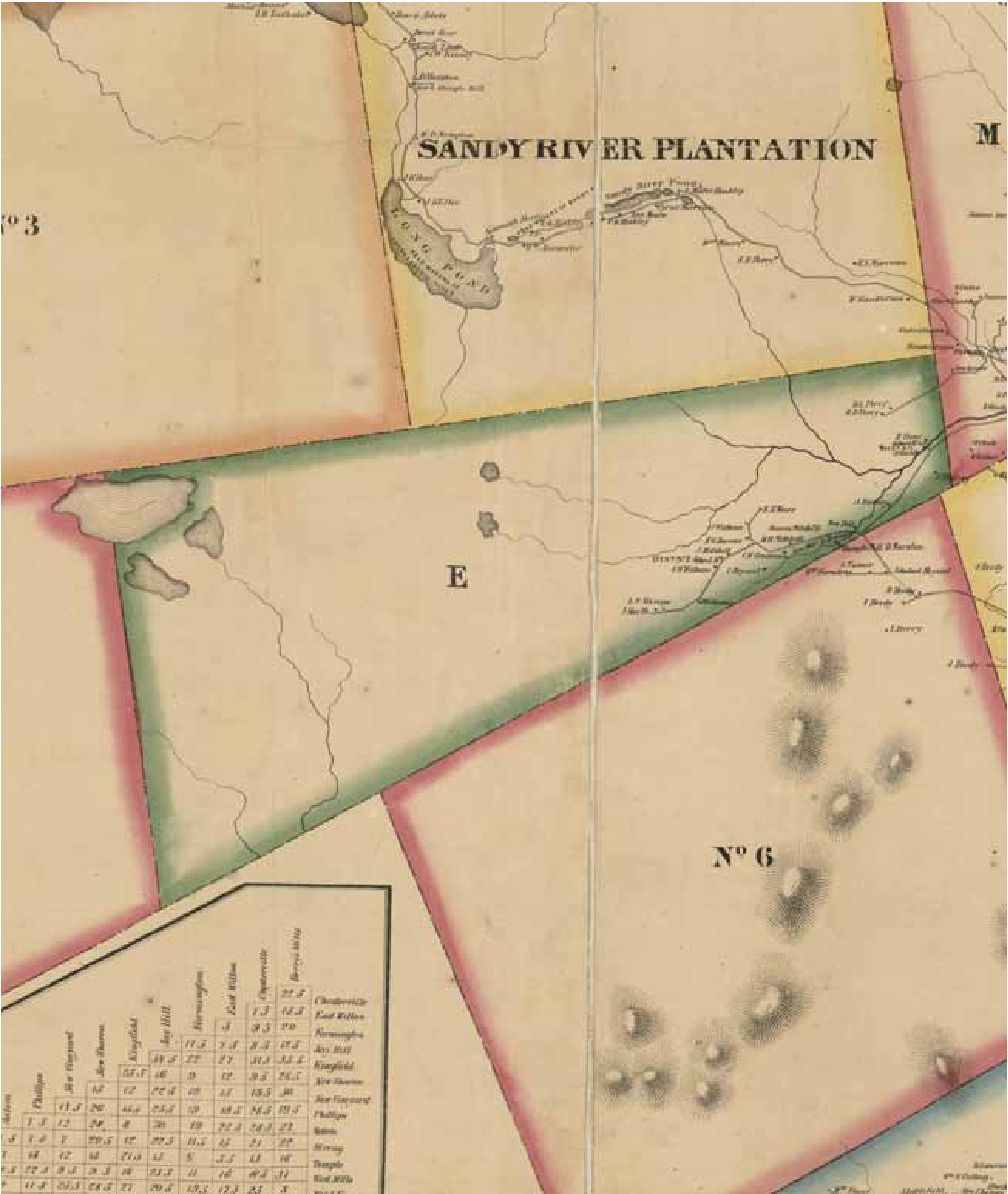
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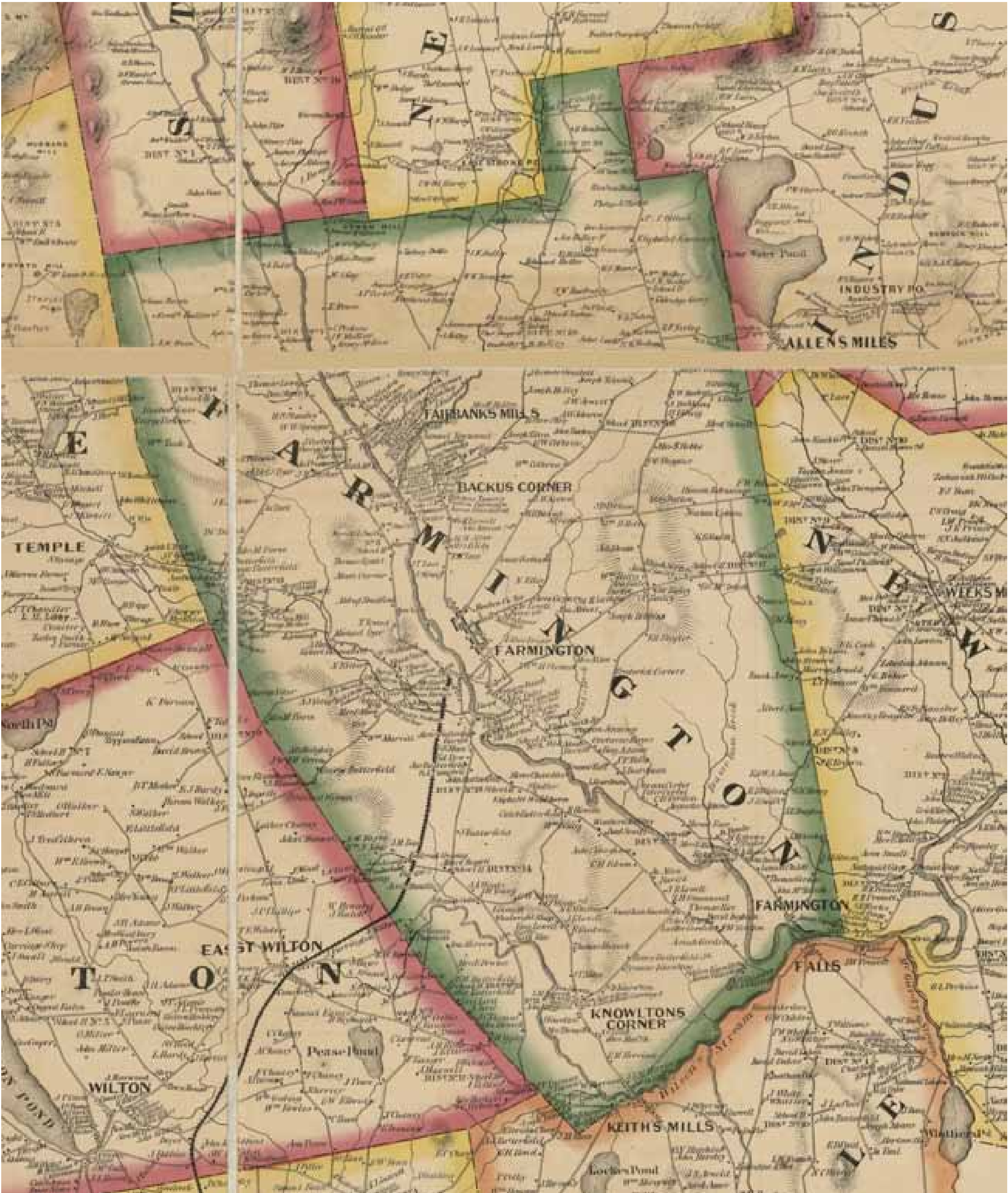
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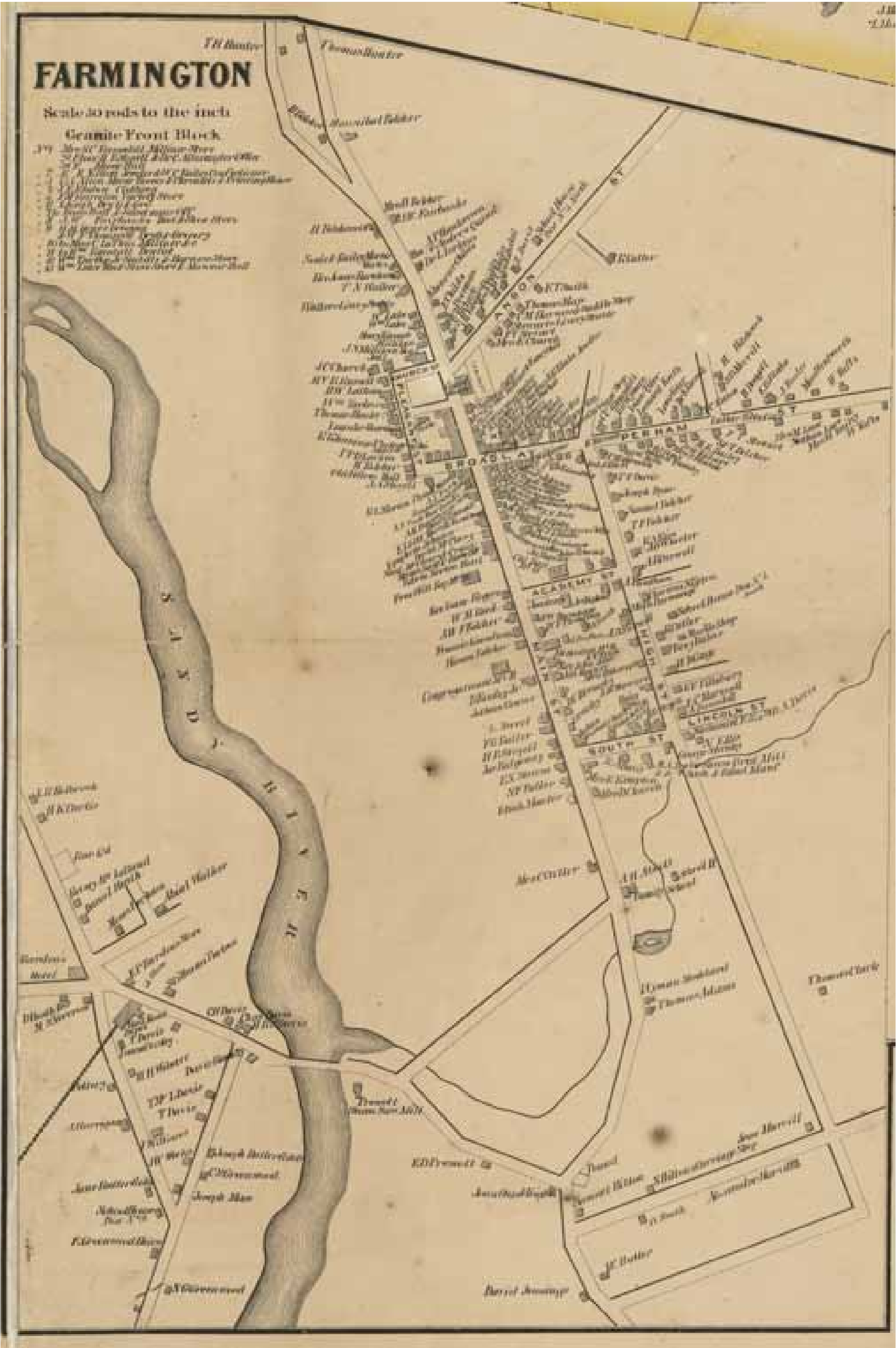
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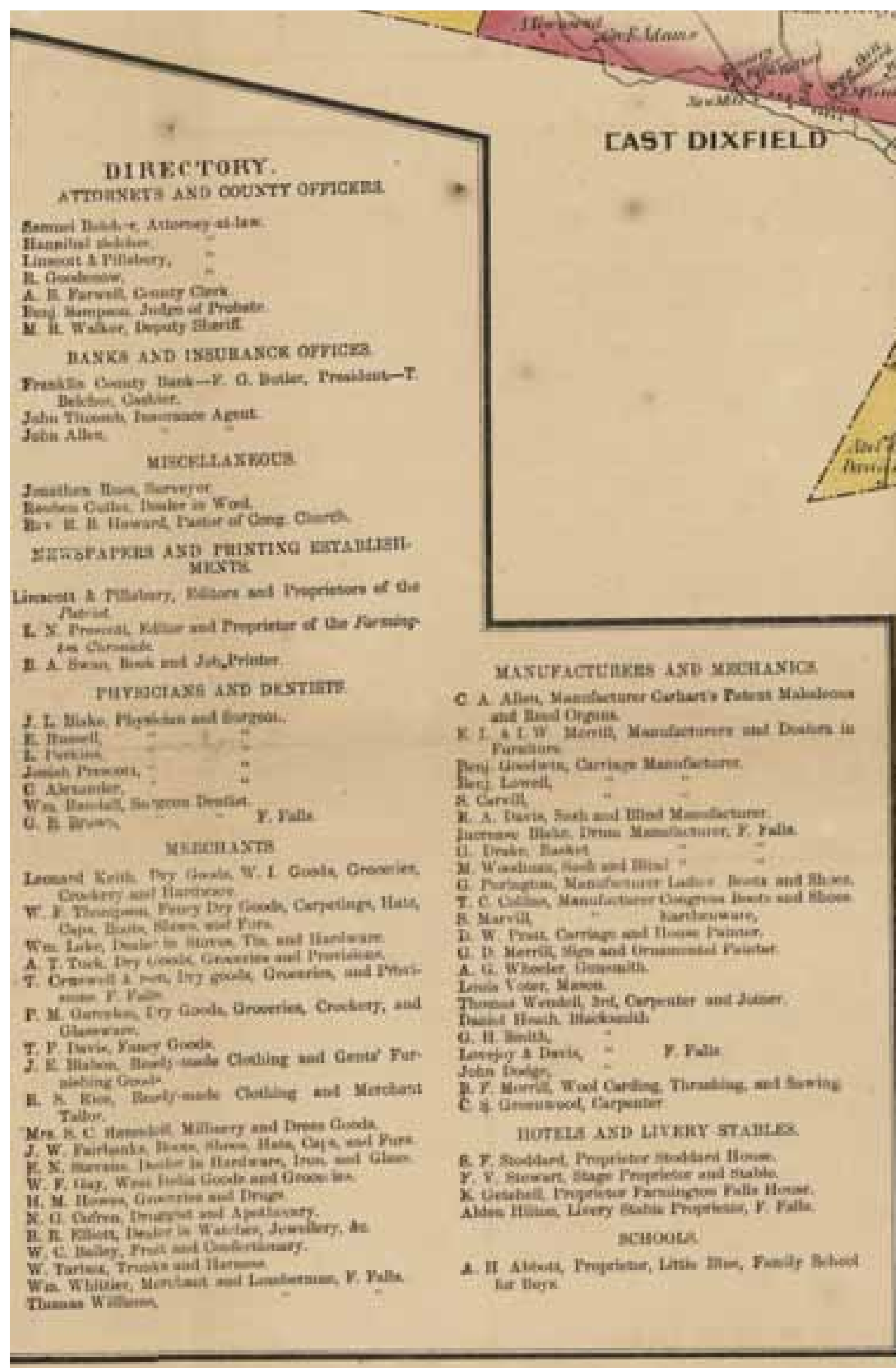
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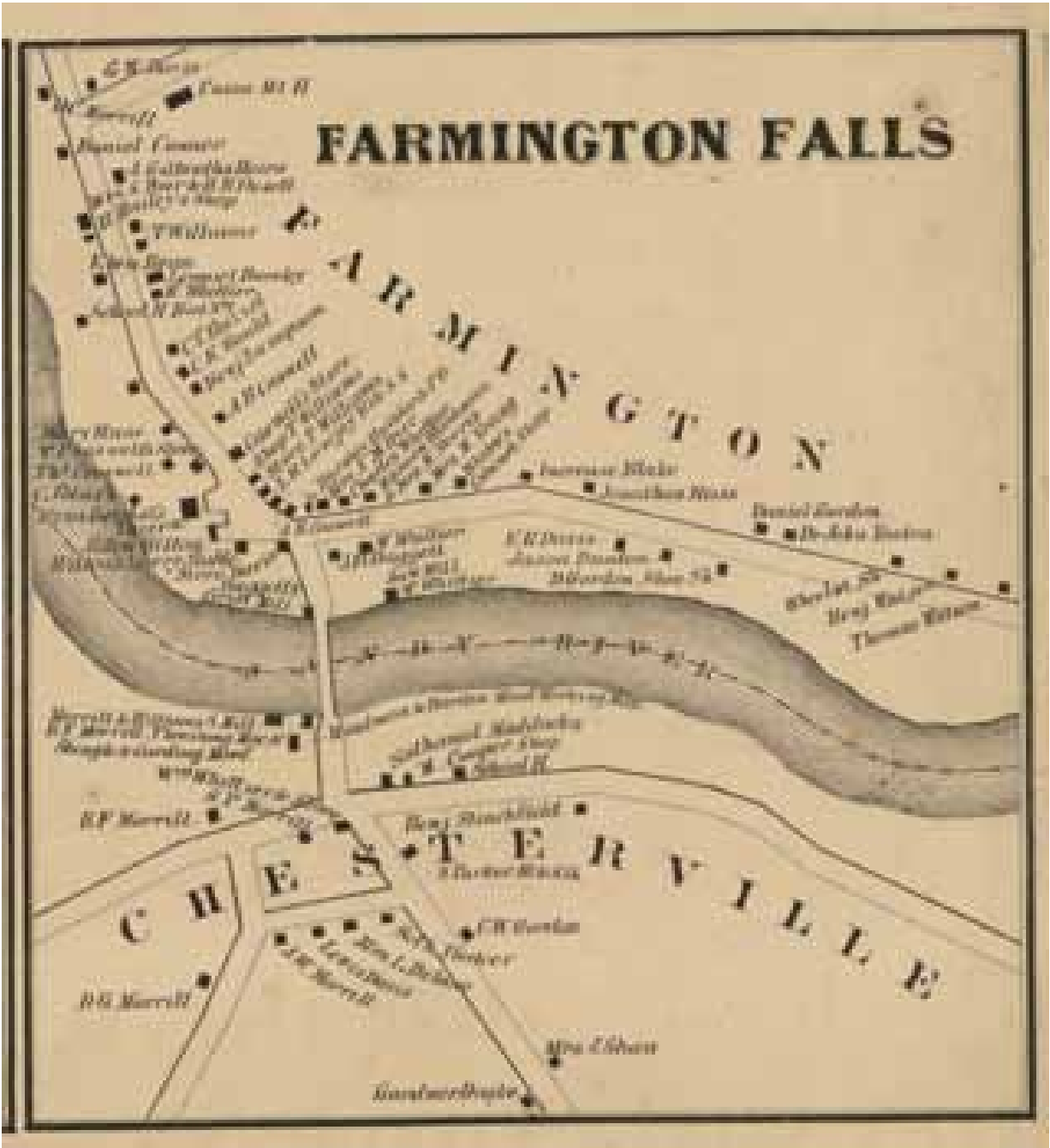
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Farmington Village Business Directory



Farmington Falls



Keith's Mills (Farmington & Chesterville)



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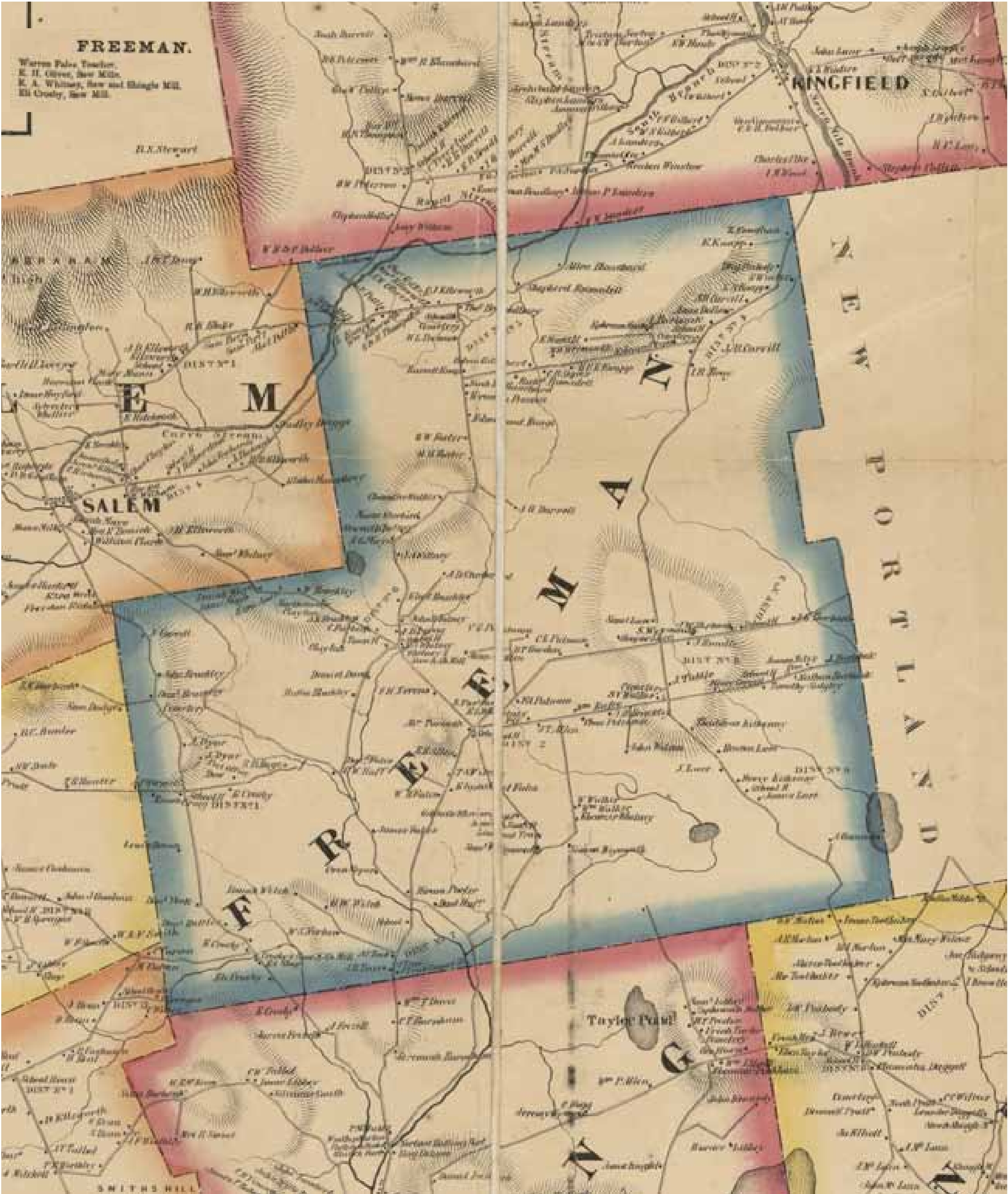
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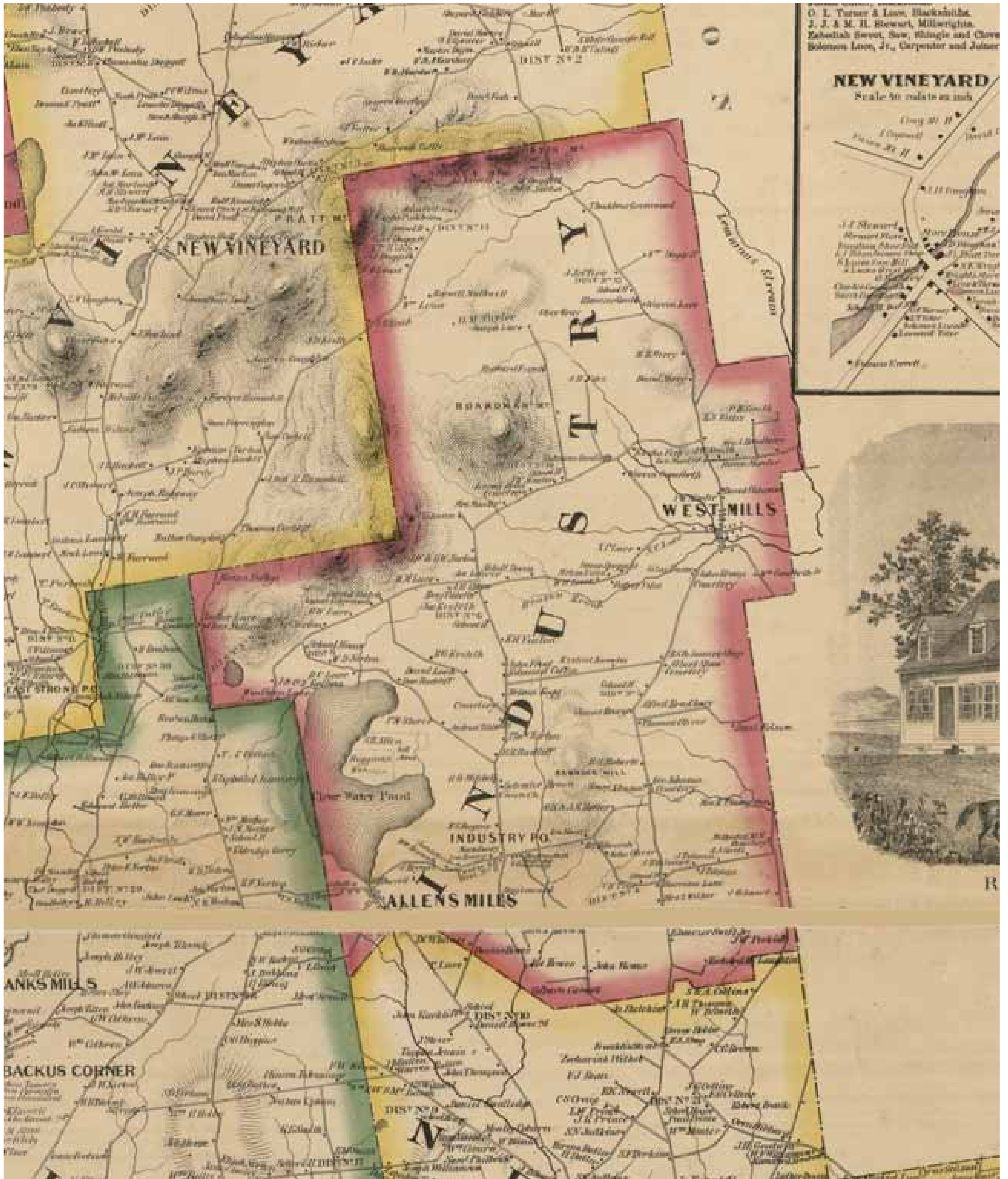
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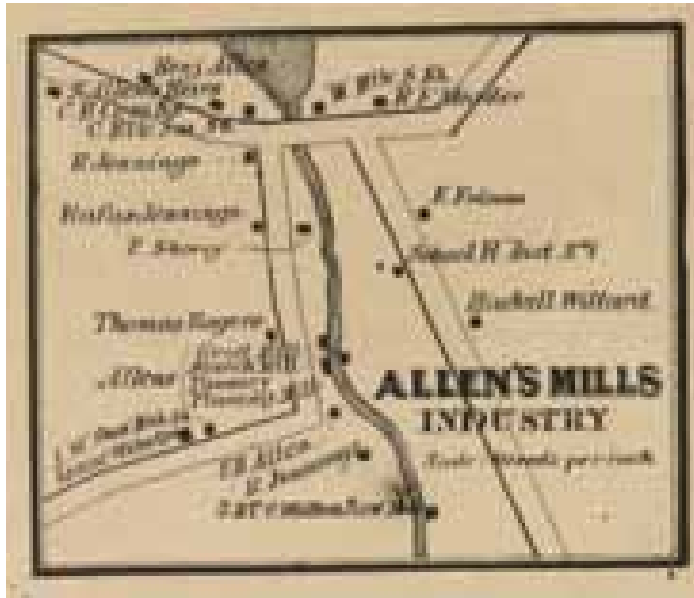
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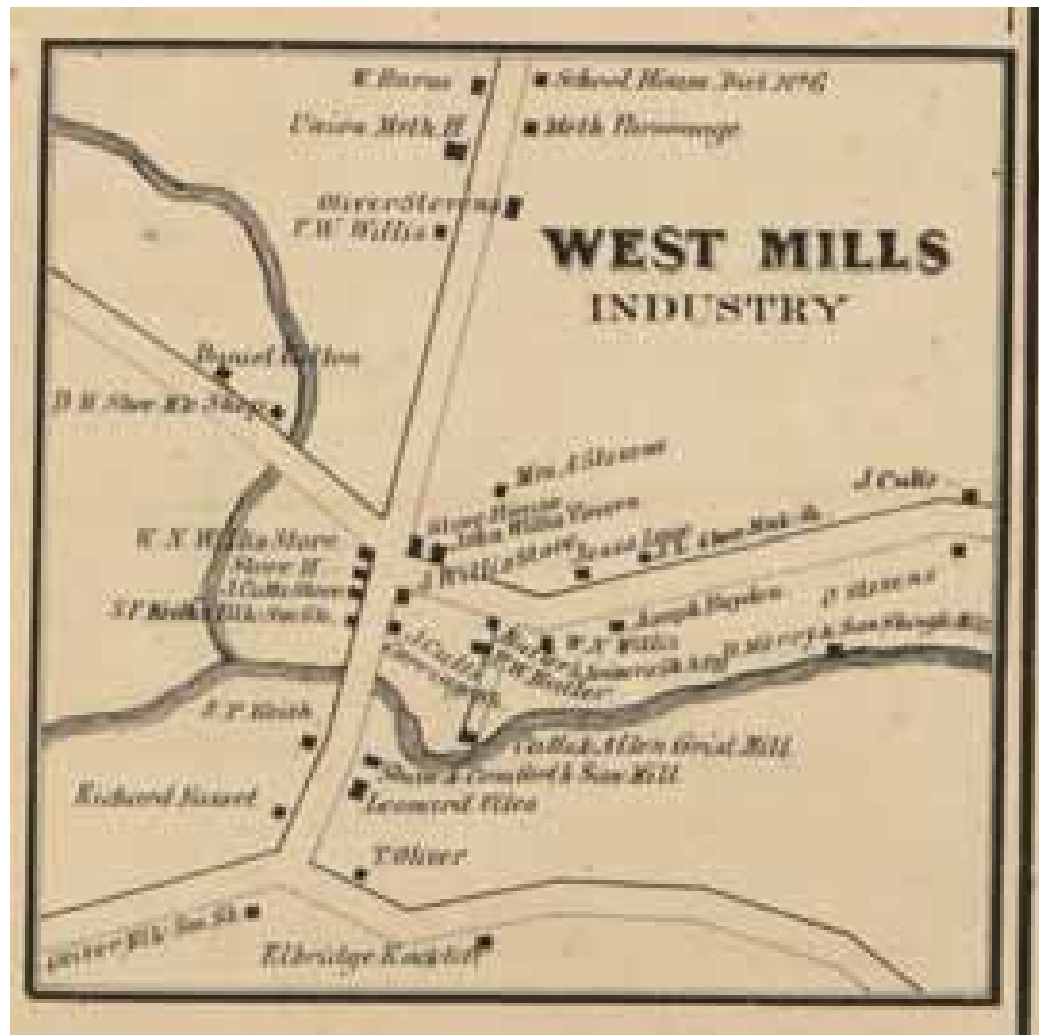
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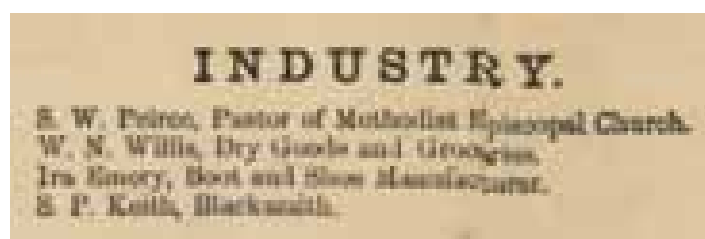
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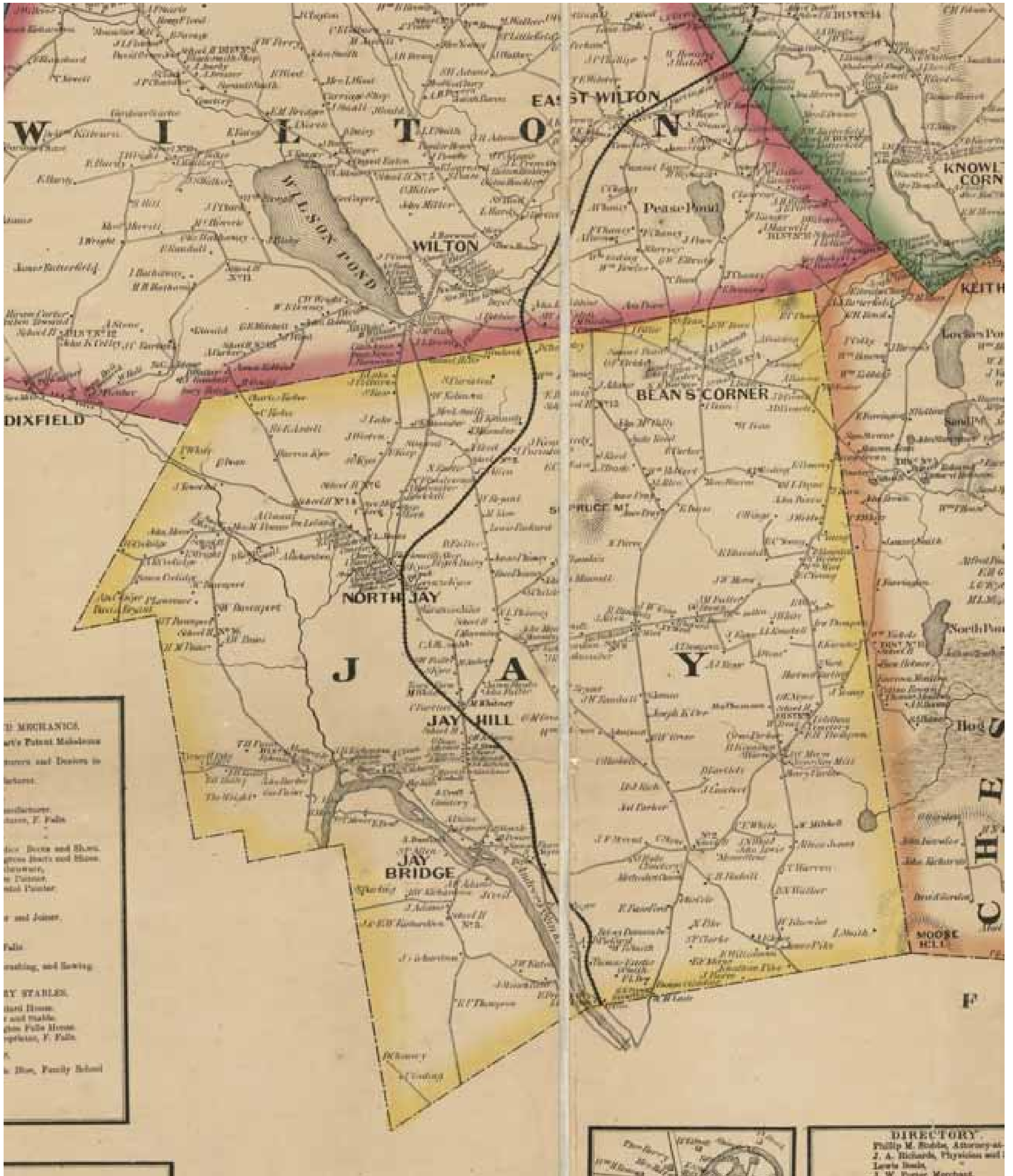
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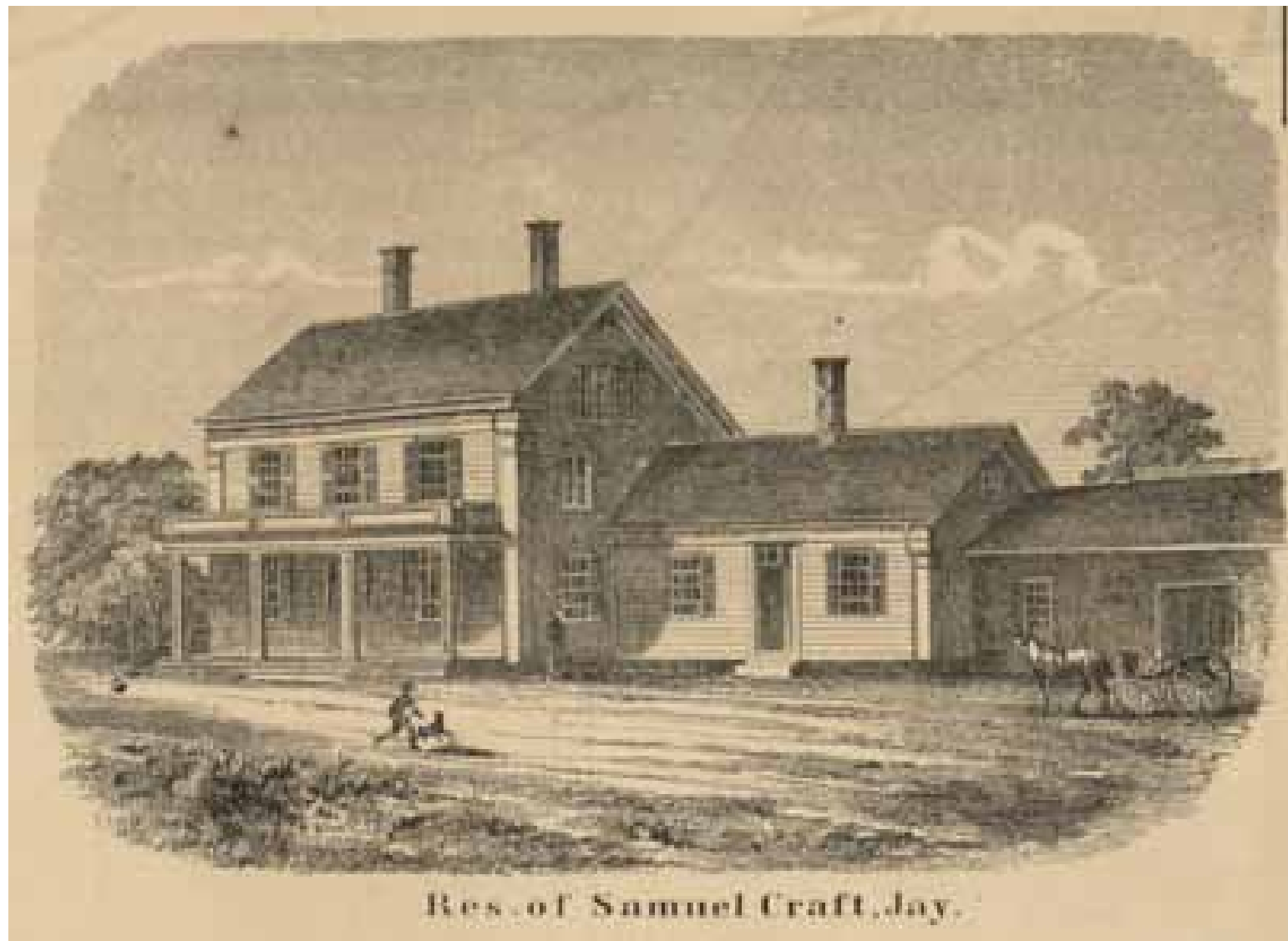
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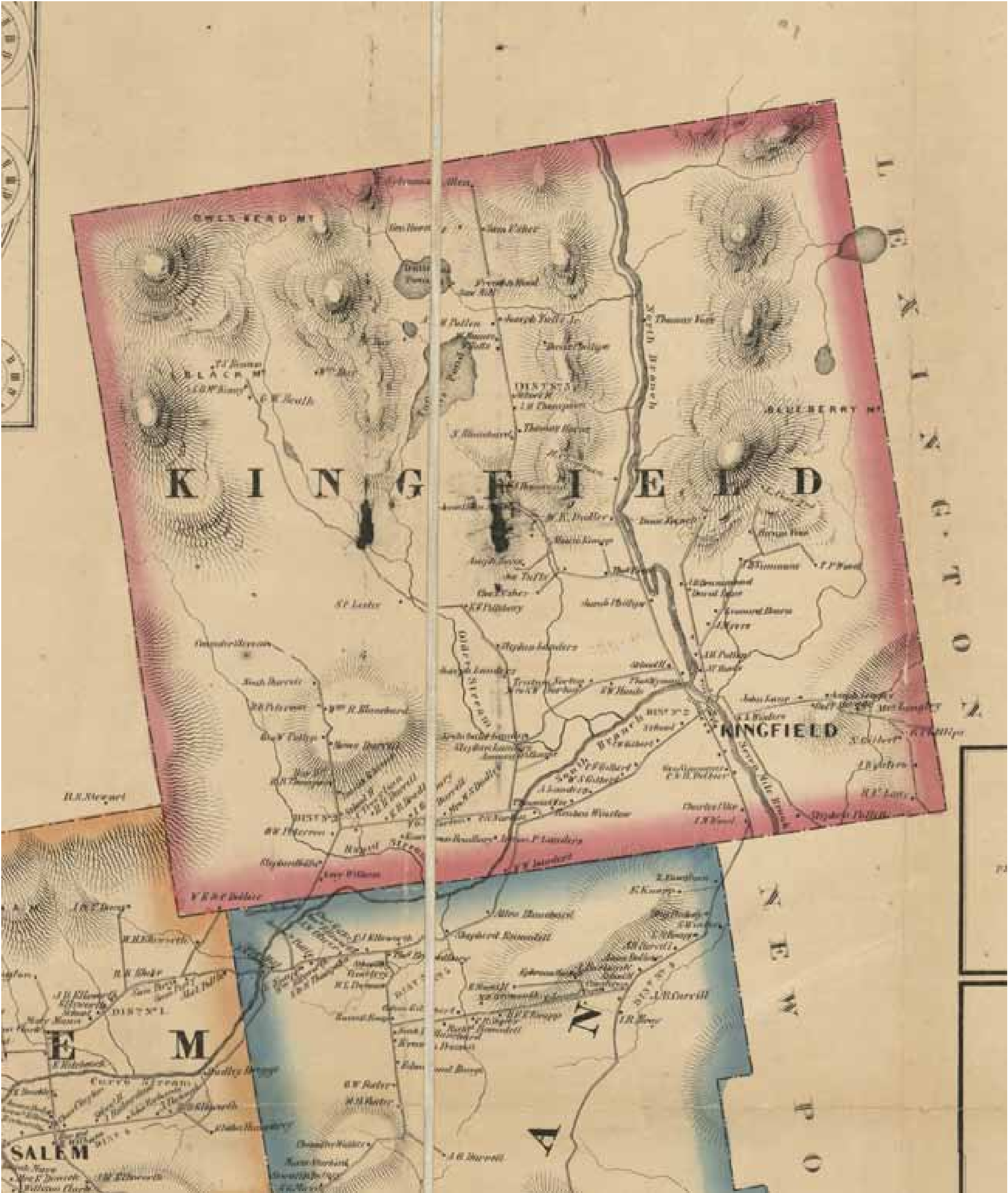
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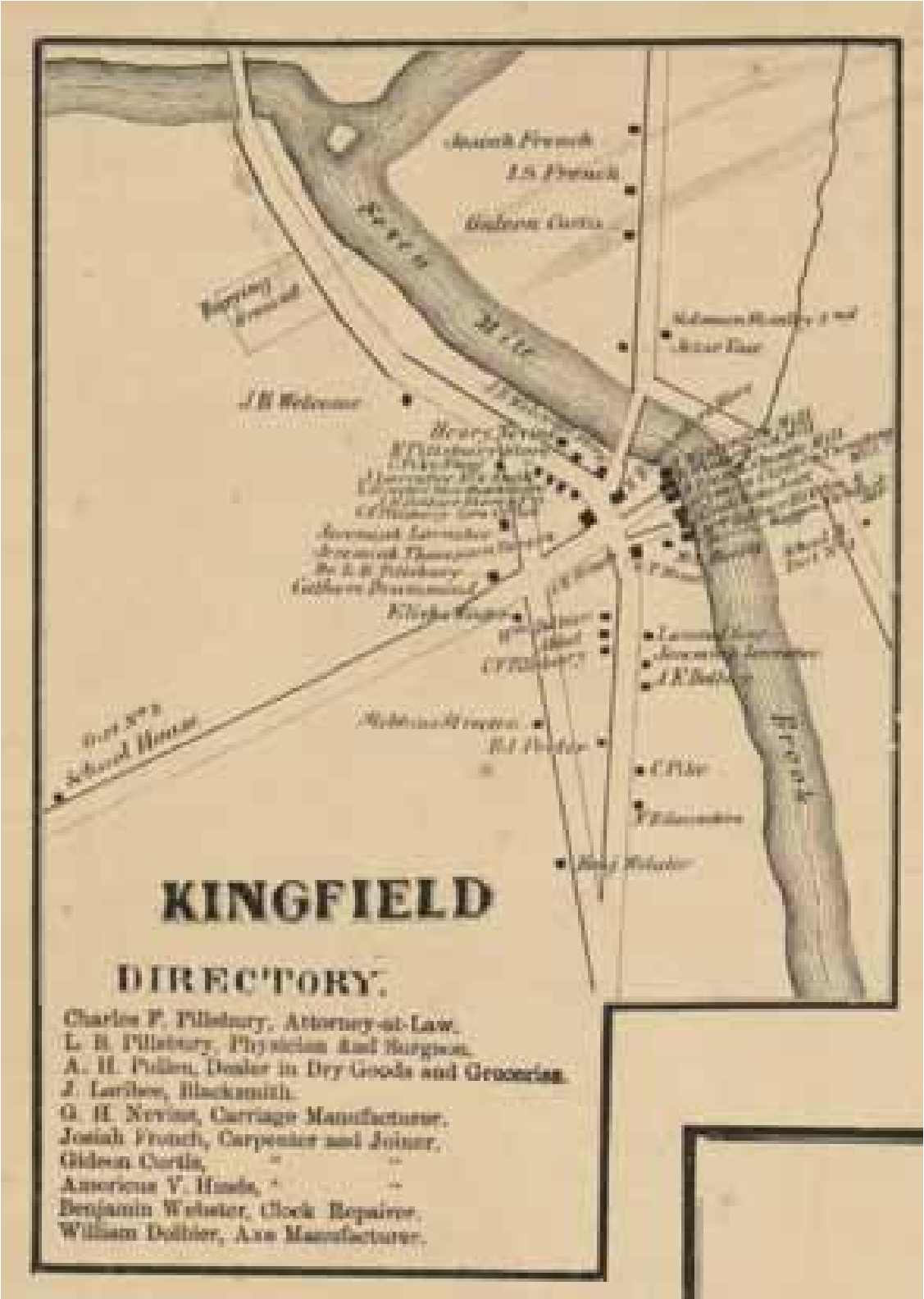
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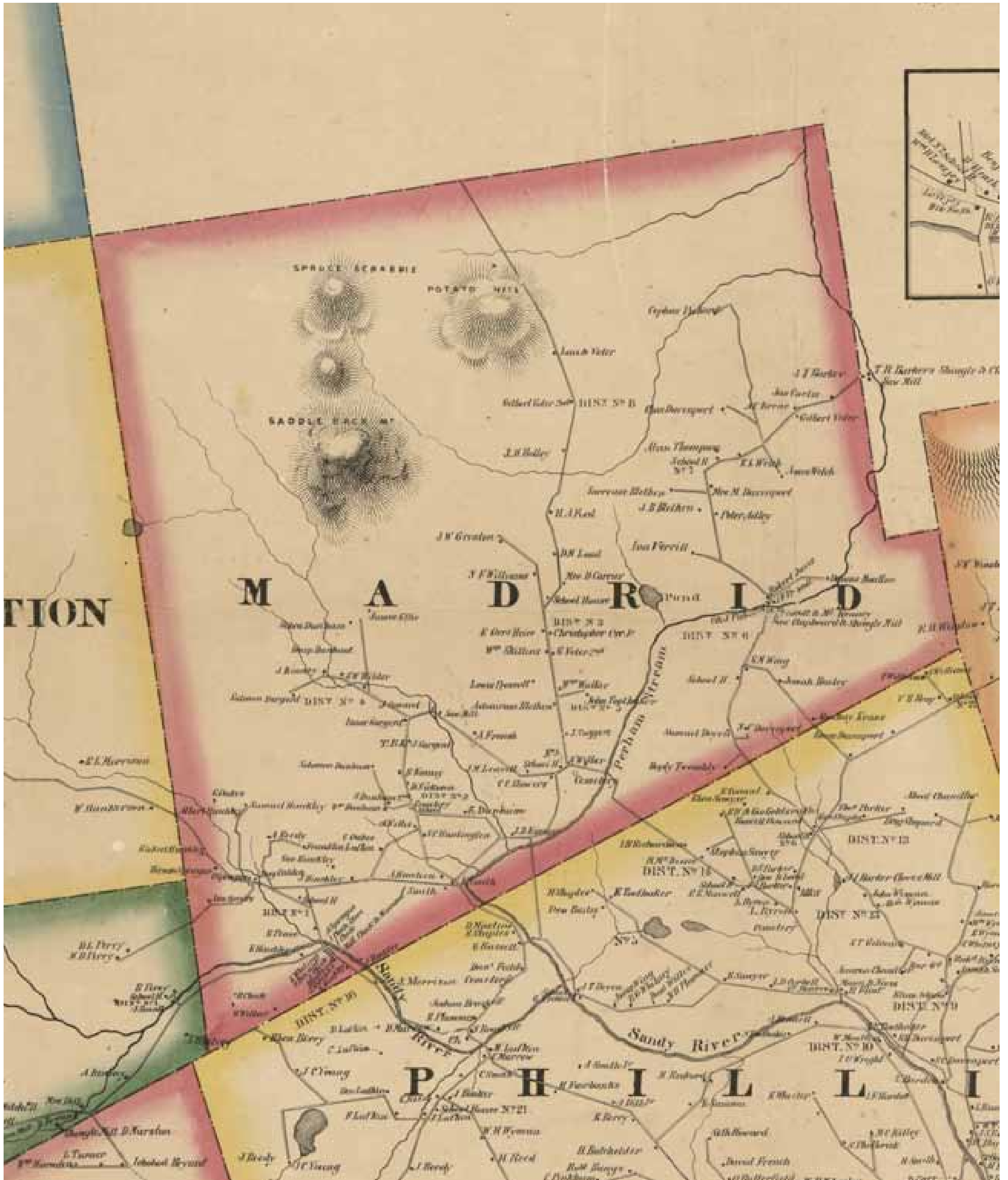
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Kingfield Village

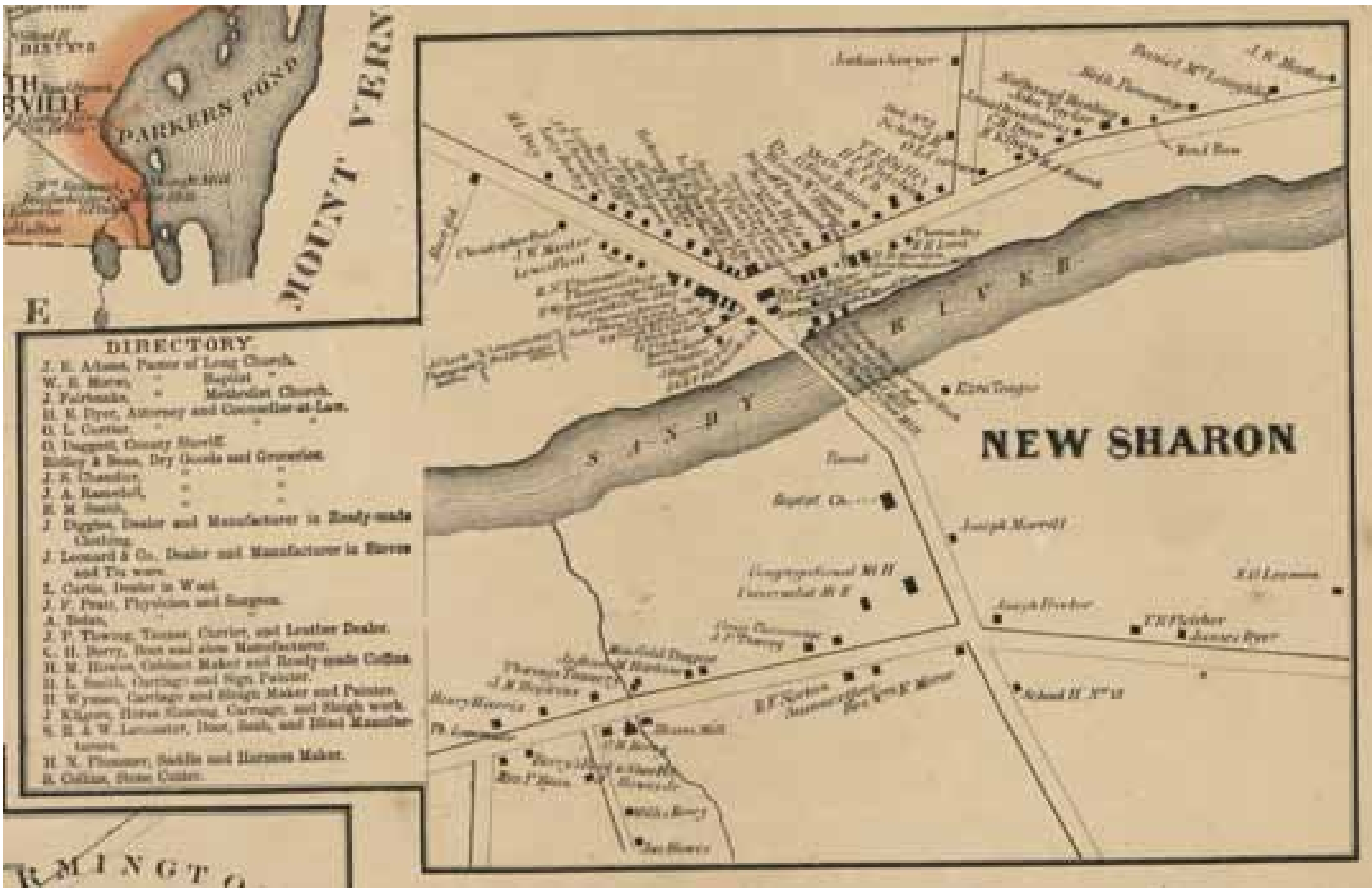


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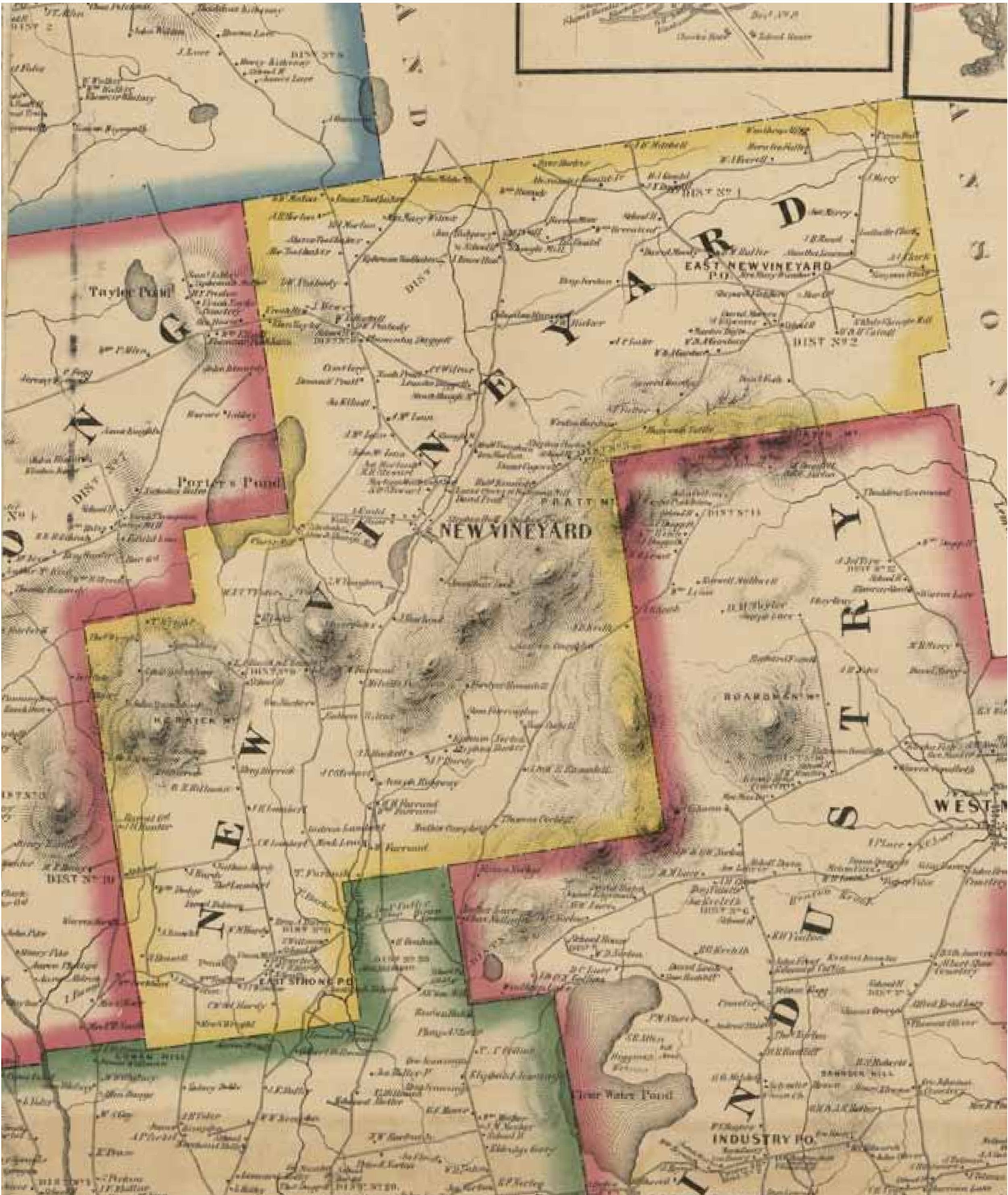


This is a detailed historical map of the New Sharon area in Wilton, Vermont. The map shows the town of New Sharon, which is the central focus, surrounded by other towns including Farmington, Wilton, and East New Sharon. The map is color-coded, with yellow for the main land area, green for water bodies, and red for roads. Numerous individual land parcels are shown, each labeled with the name of the owner. The map also includes a small inset map of 'EAST DIXFIELD WILTON' in the bottom right corner, which shows a more detailed view of the area around New Sharon. The map is framed by a decorative border featuring a horse and rider in the top right corner.

New Sharon Village



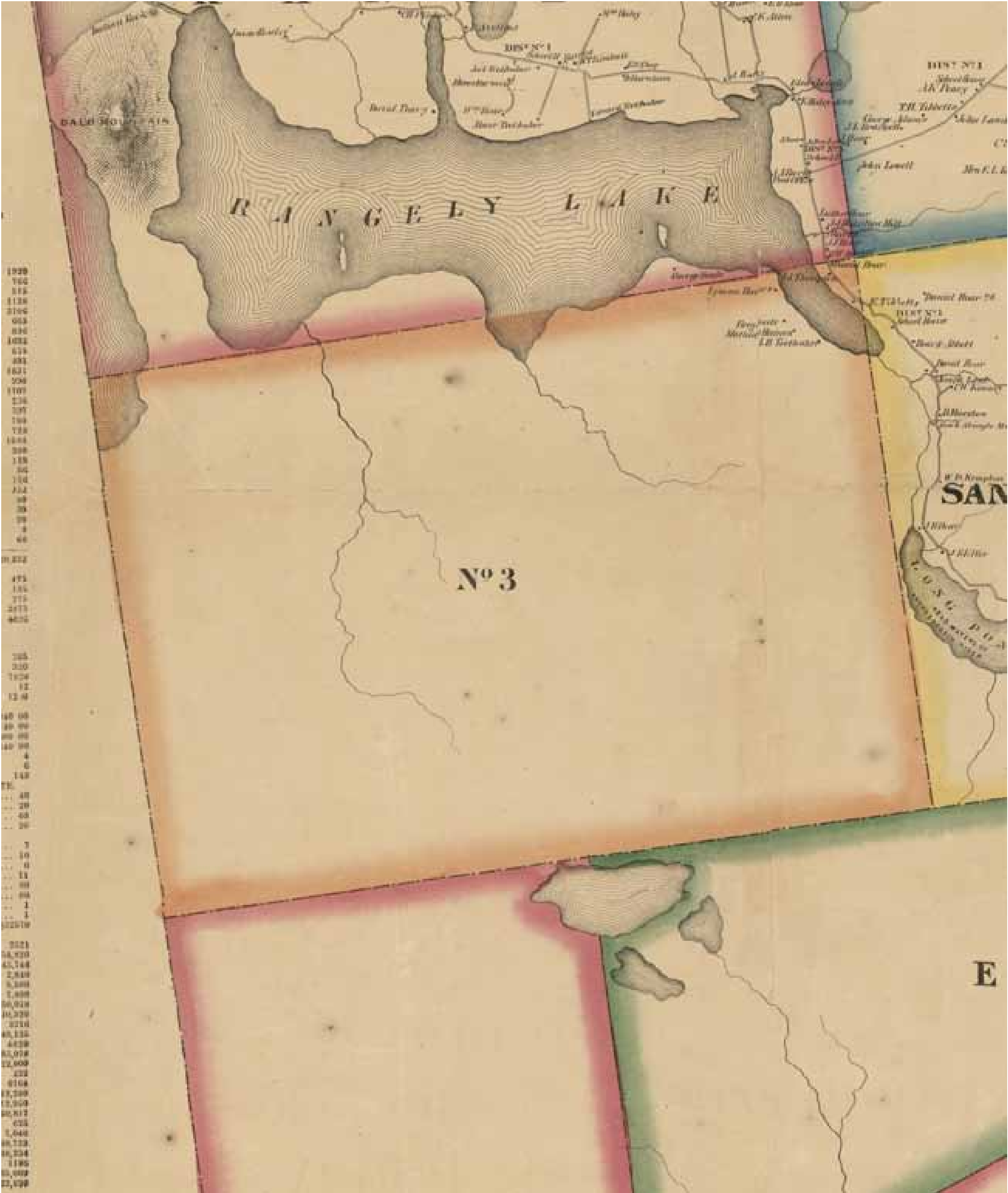
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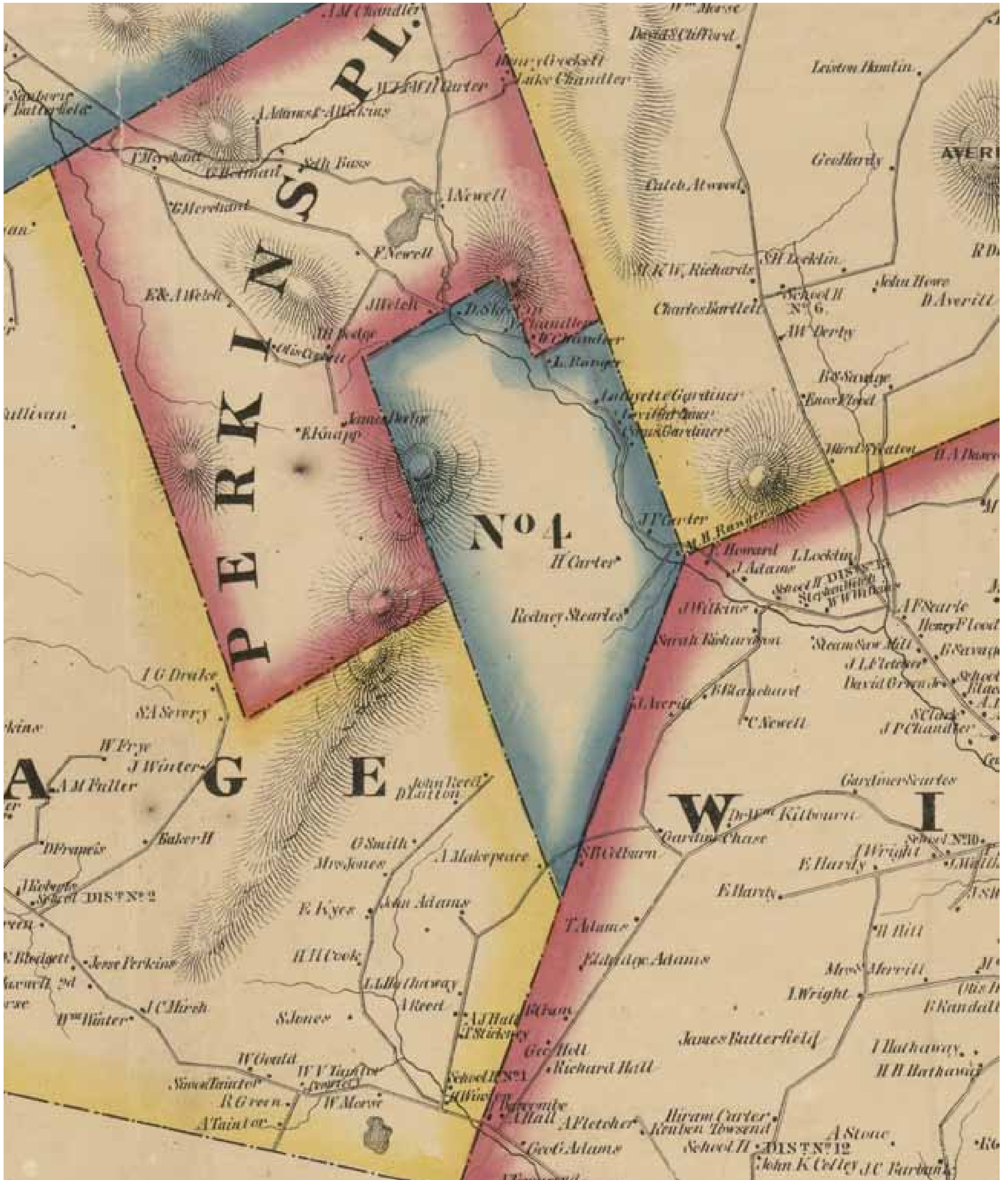
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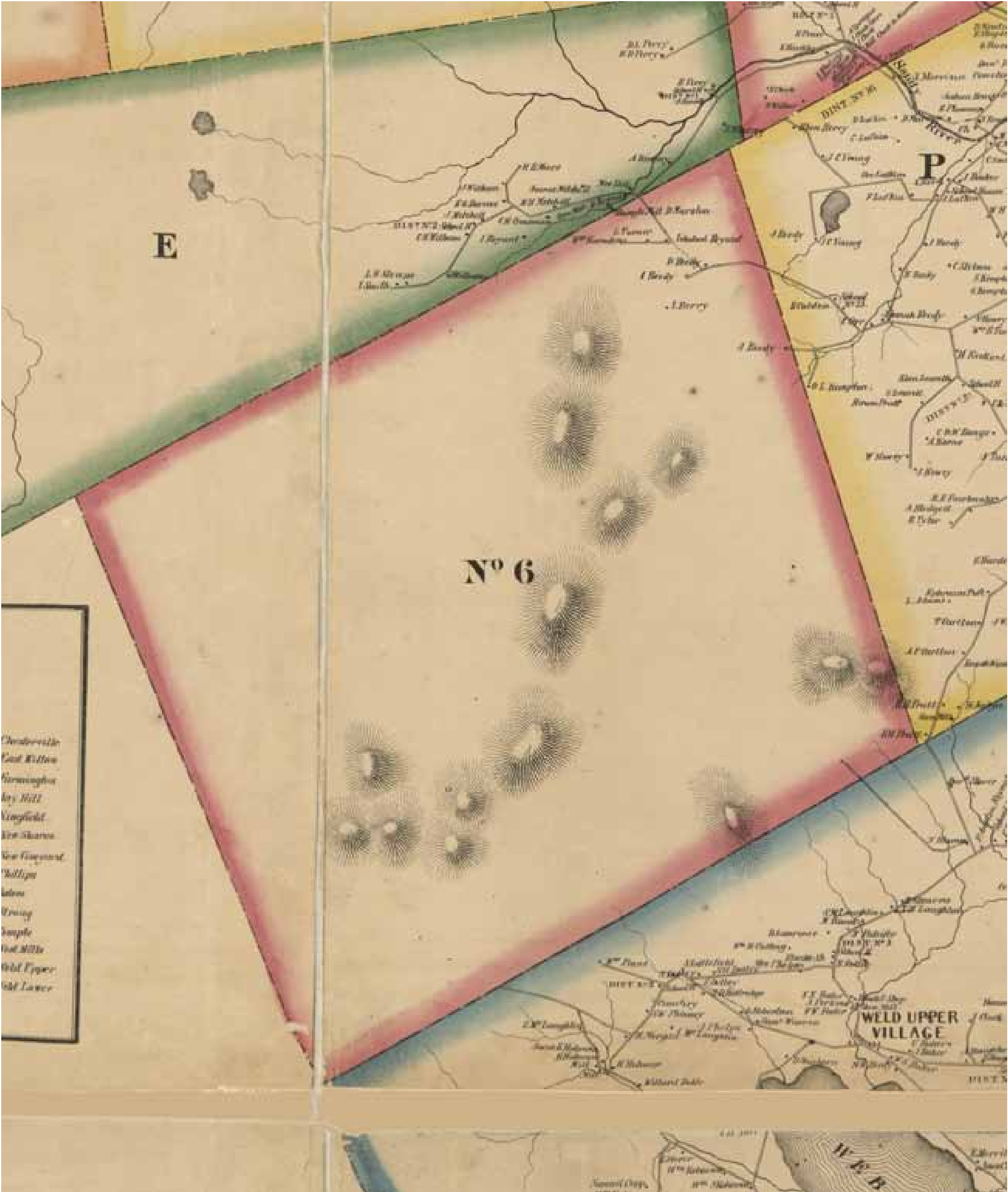
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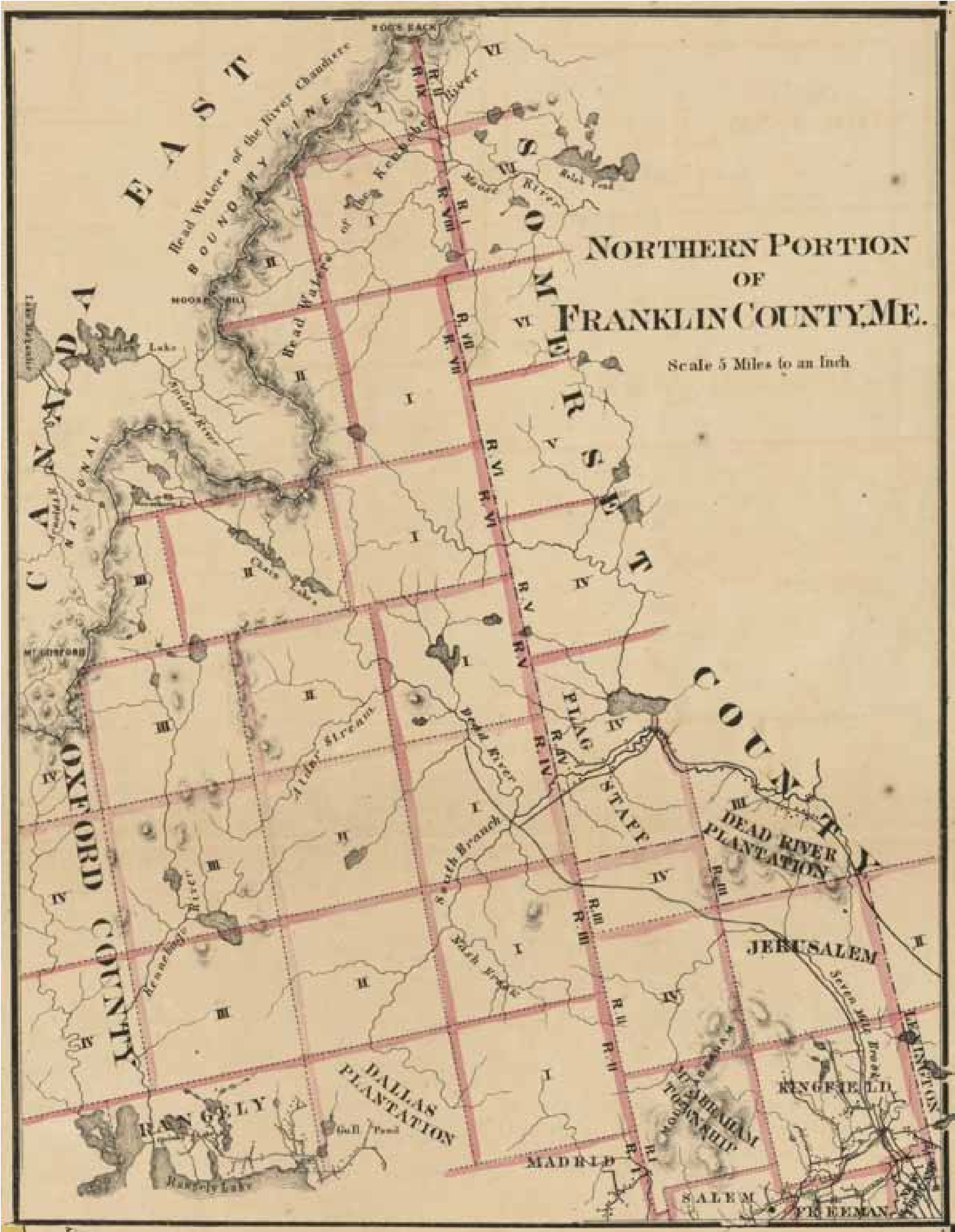
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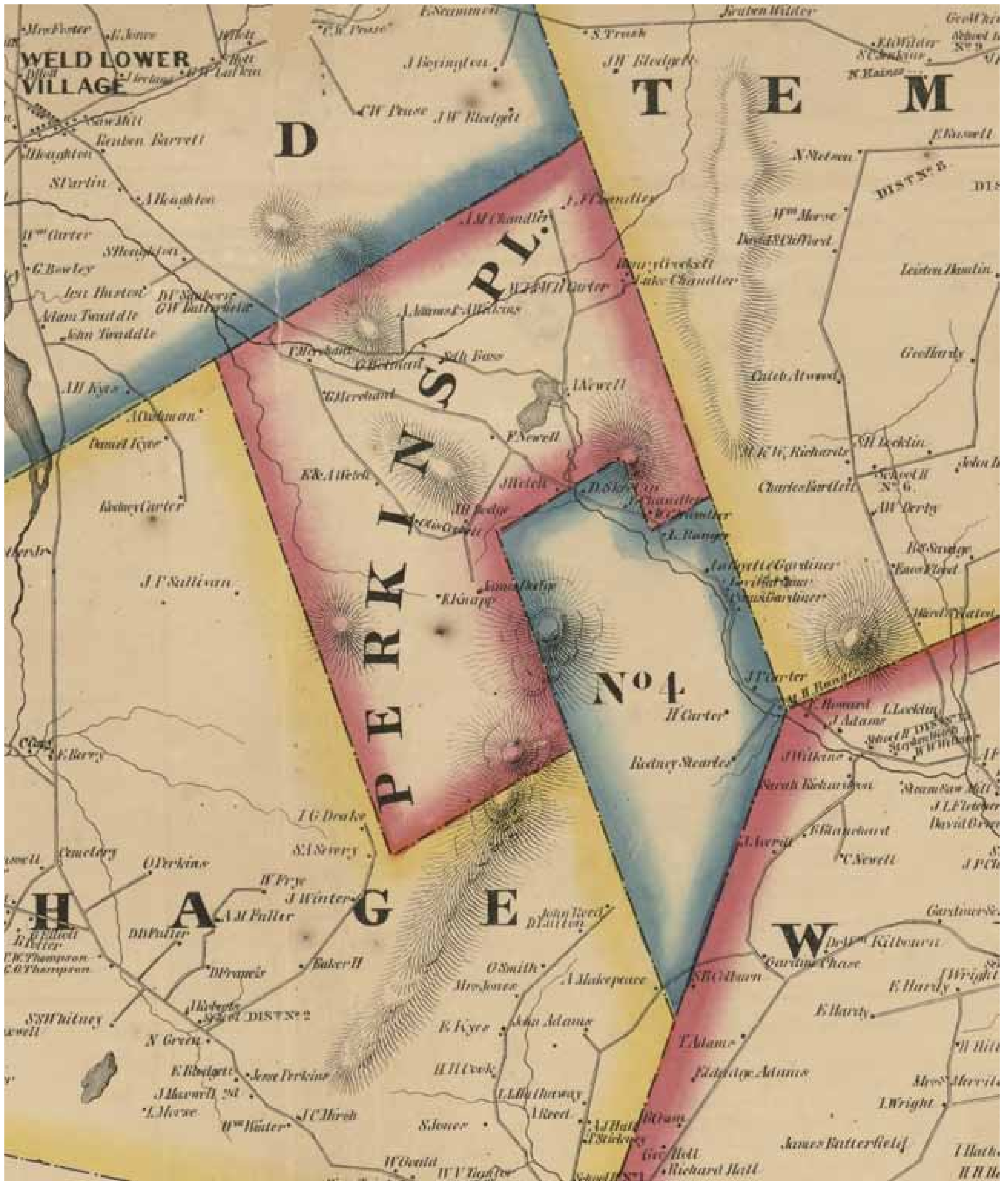
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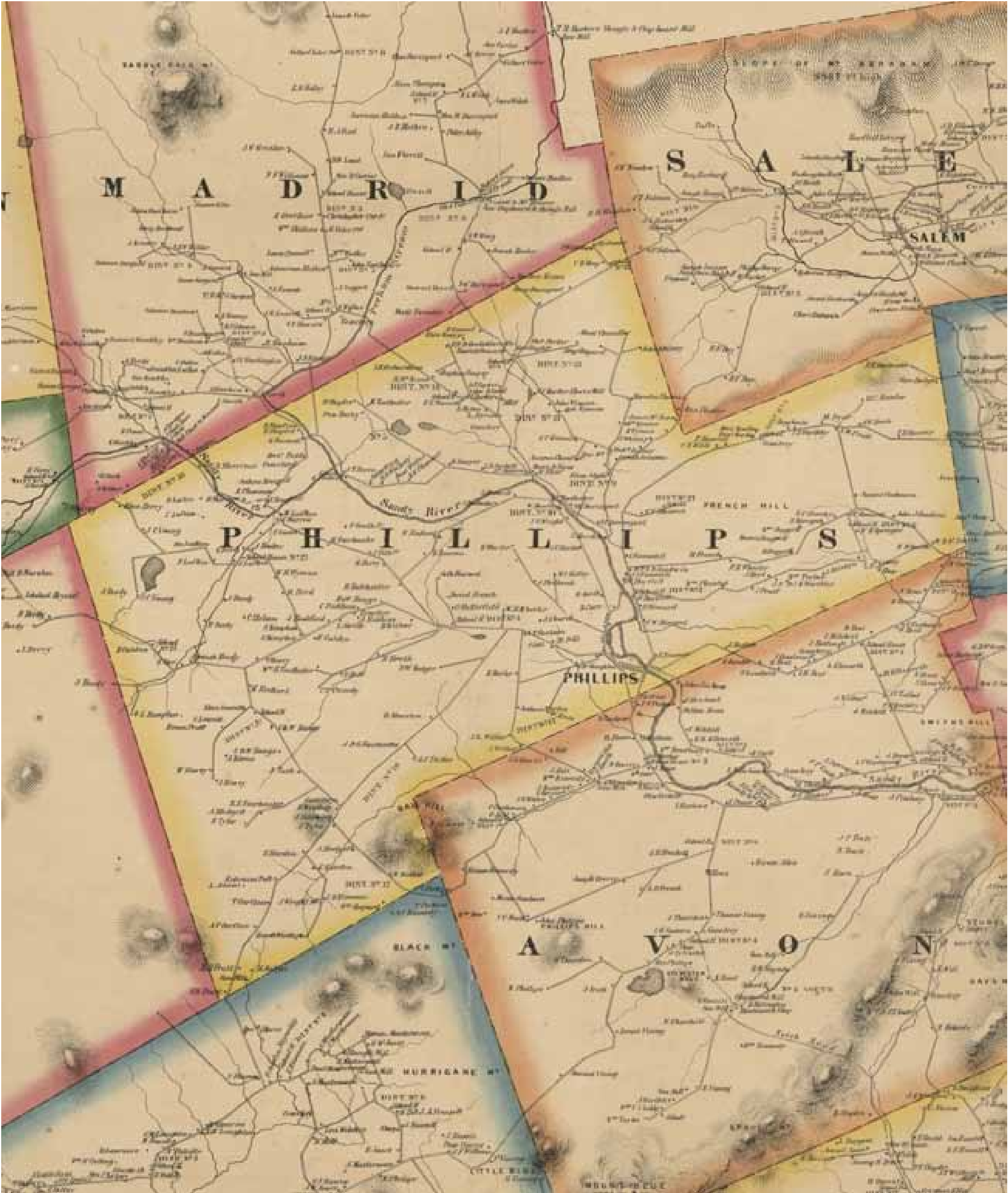
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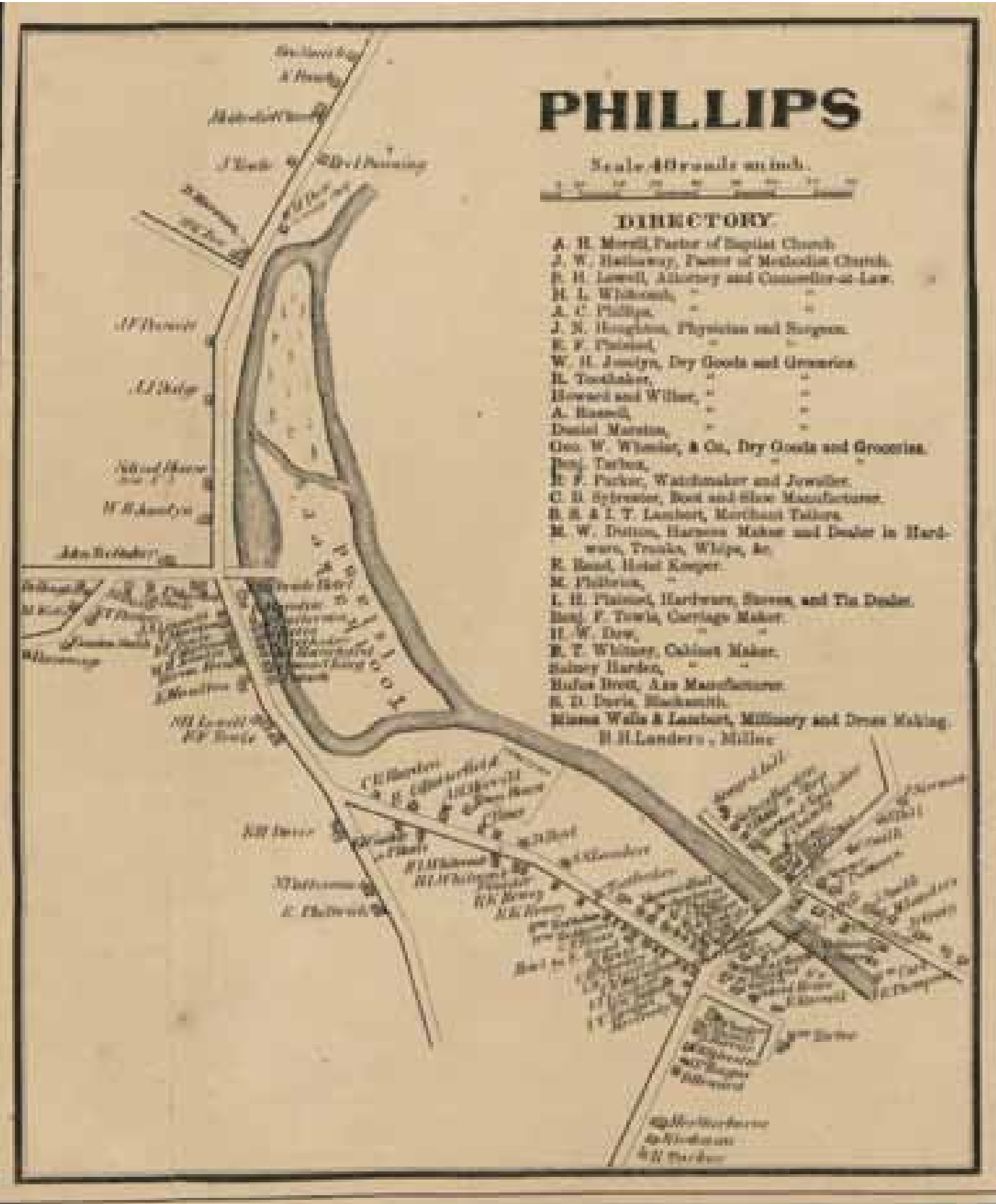
PERKINS PLANTATION



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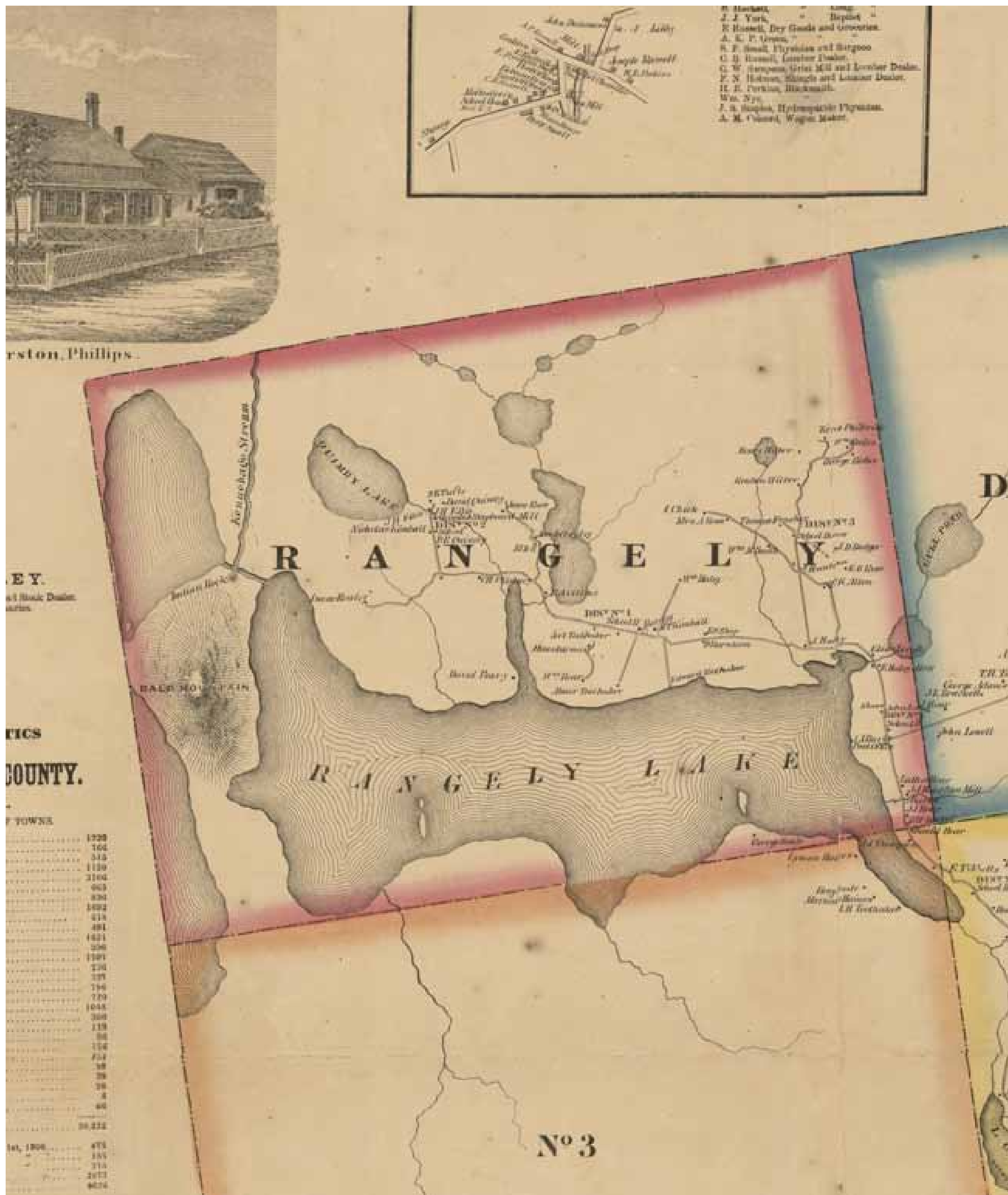
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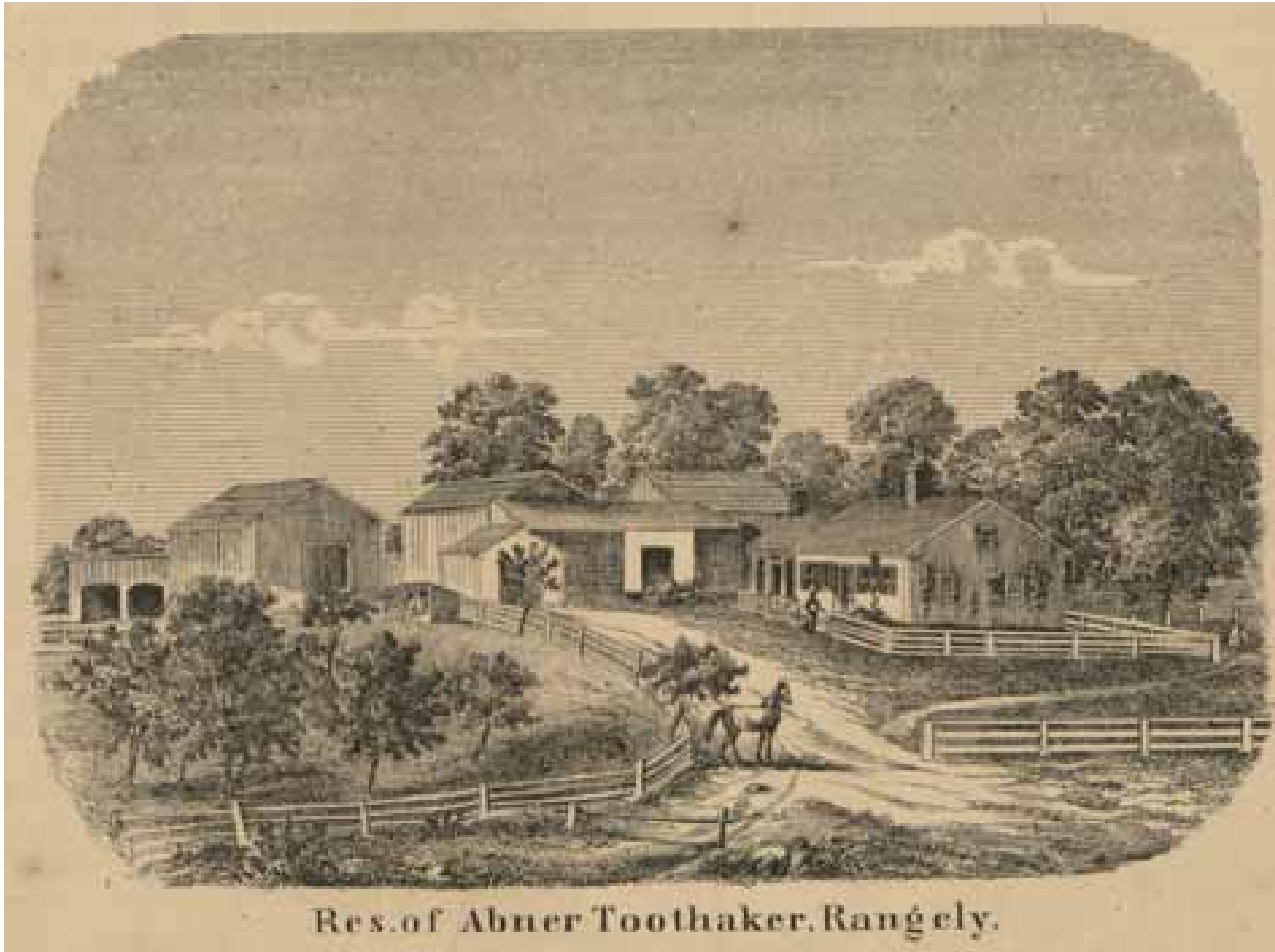
Residence of Daniel Marston



RANGELY



Residence of Abner Toothaker



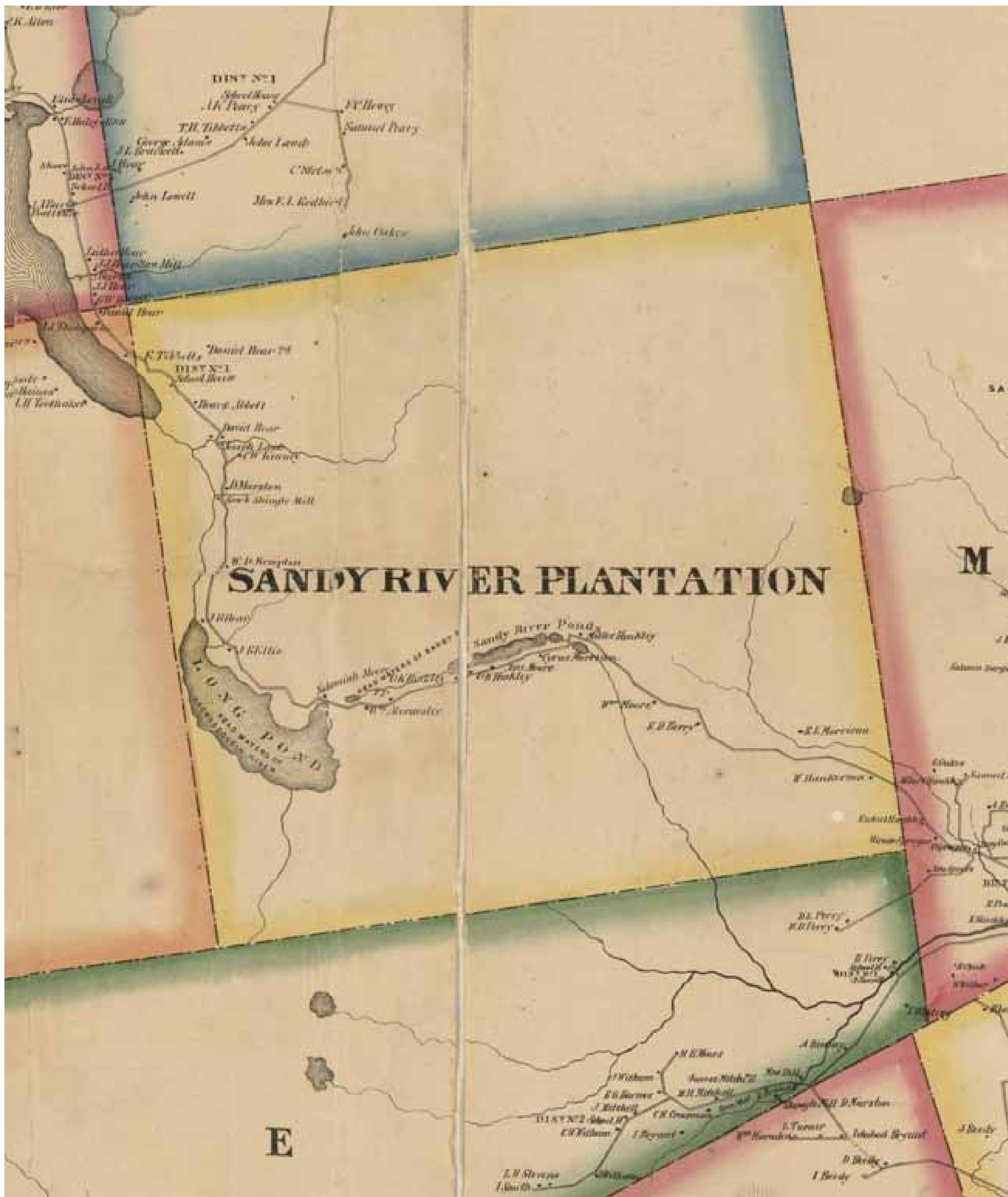
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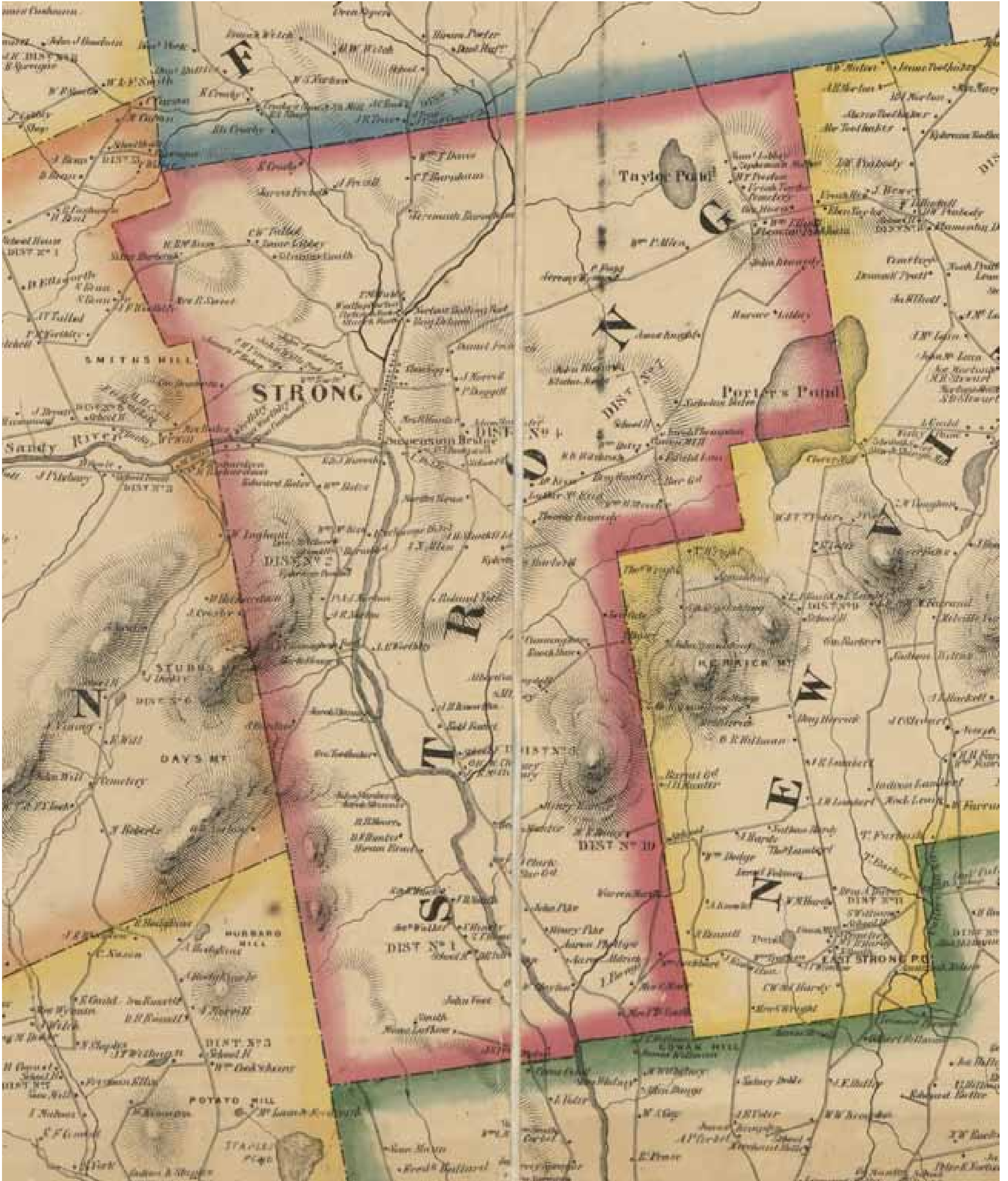
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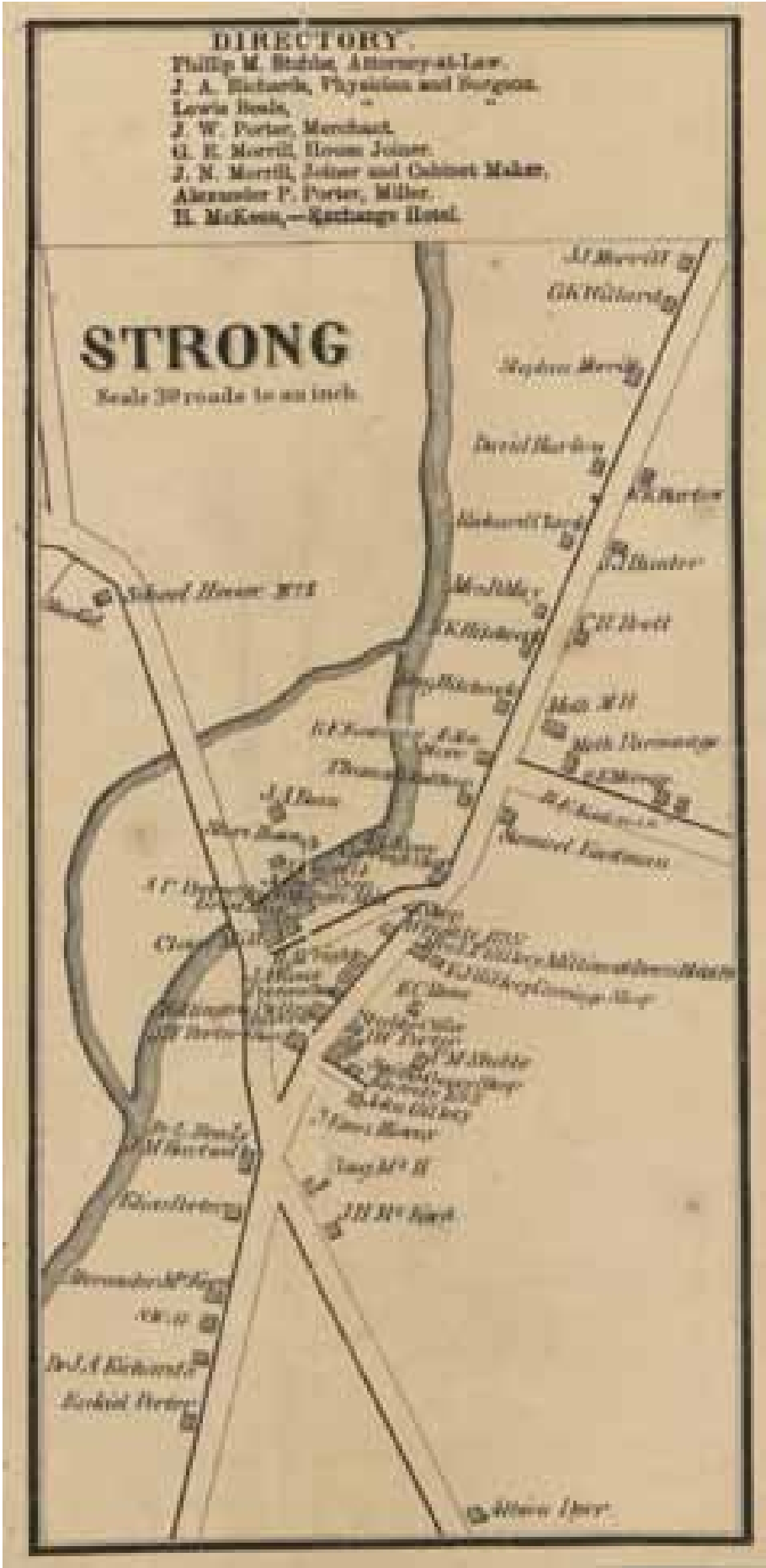
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STRONG

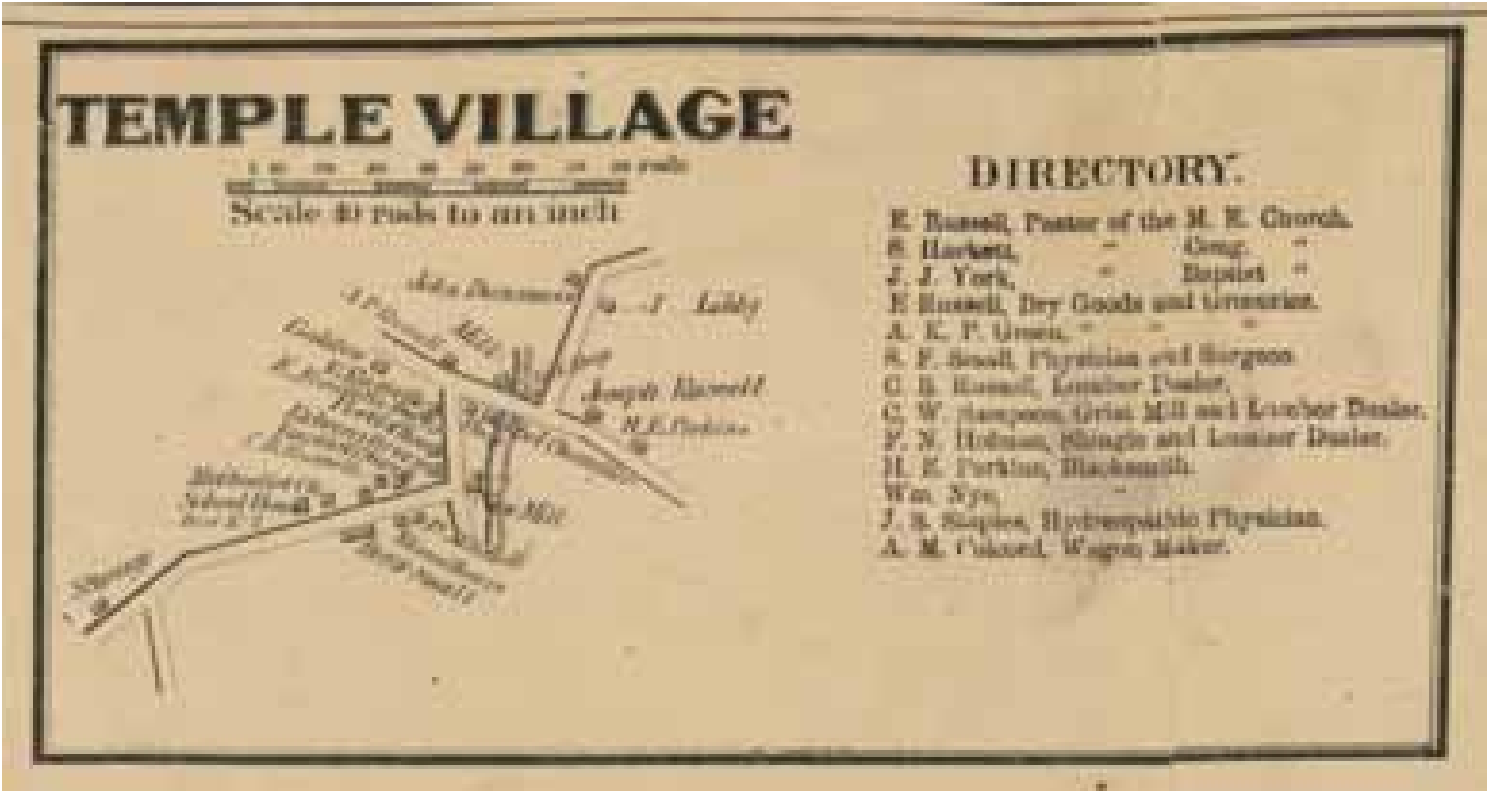


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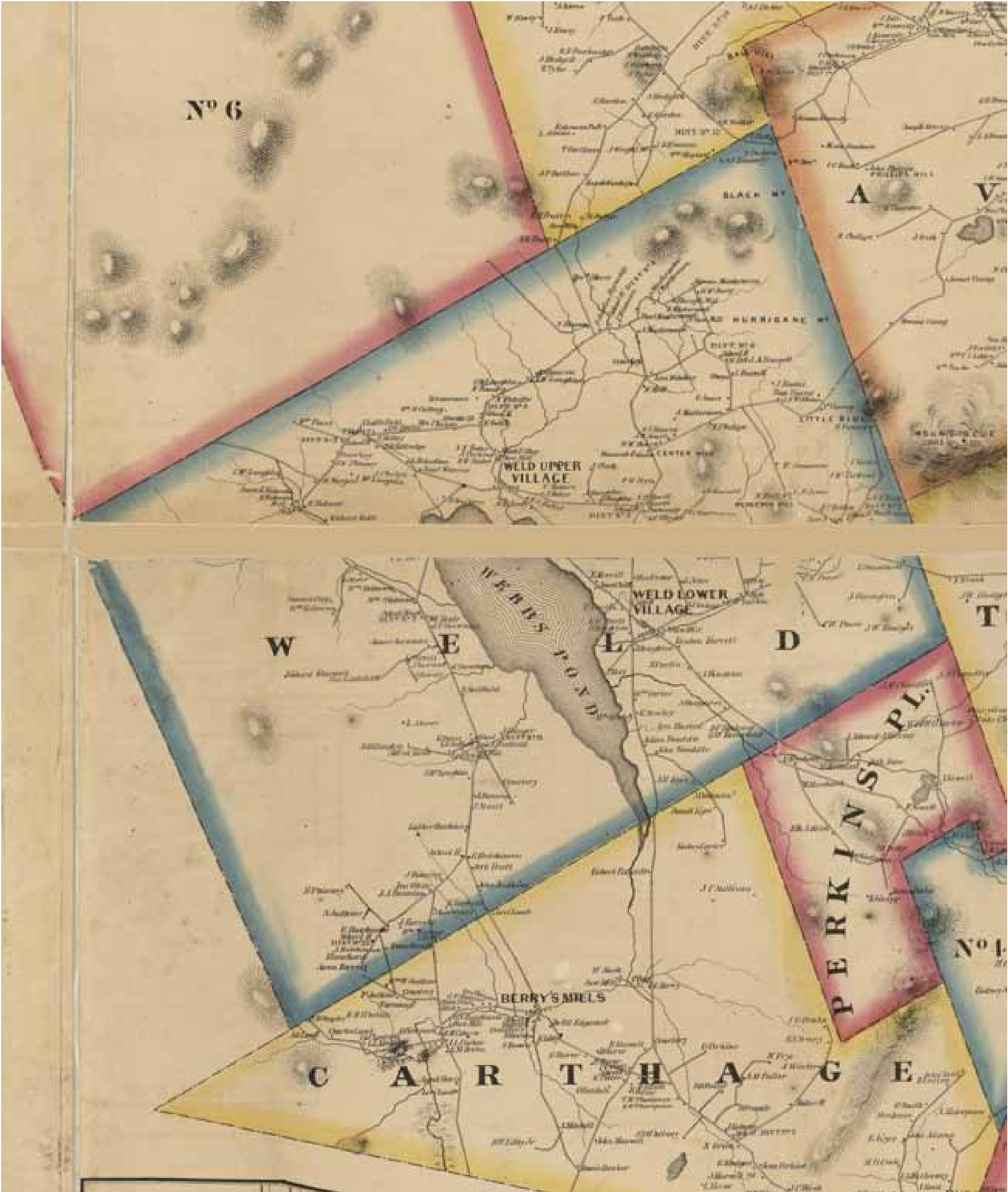


The image displays two historical maps of Temple, Texas, arranged vertically. The top map is a detailed land ownership map from the late 19th century, showing various land parcels, owners' names (e.g., J. H. Rector, J. H. Rector, J. H. Rector), and geographical features like Mount Blue and Mount Temple. The bottom map is a more recent historical map, also showing land ownership and geographical features, with the word "TEMPLE" prominently displayed in the center. Both maps use color-coding to distinguish different land parcels and show a network of roads and railroads.

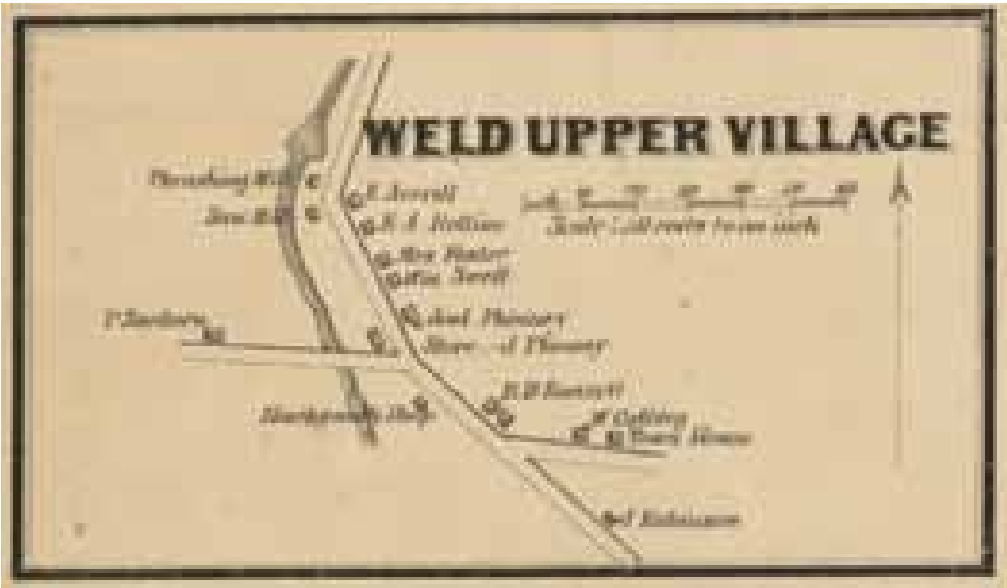
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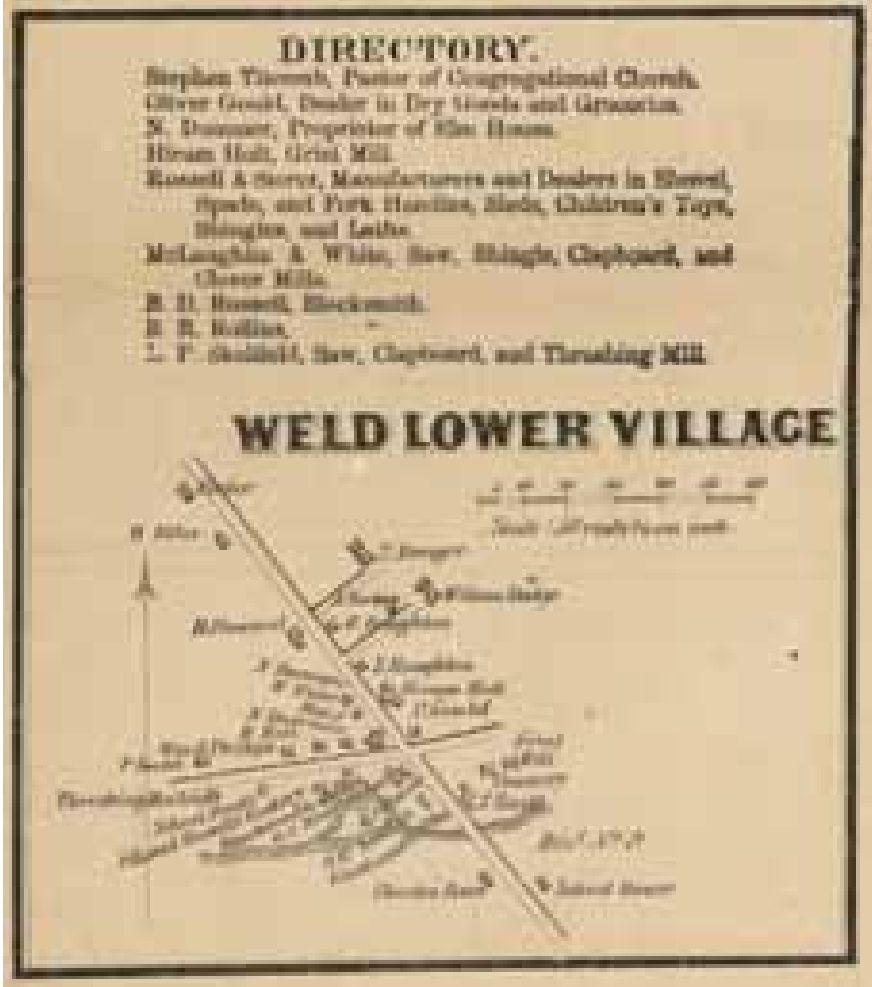
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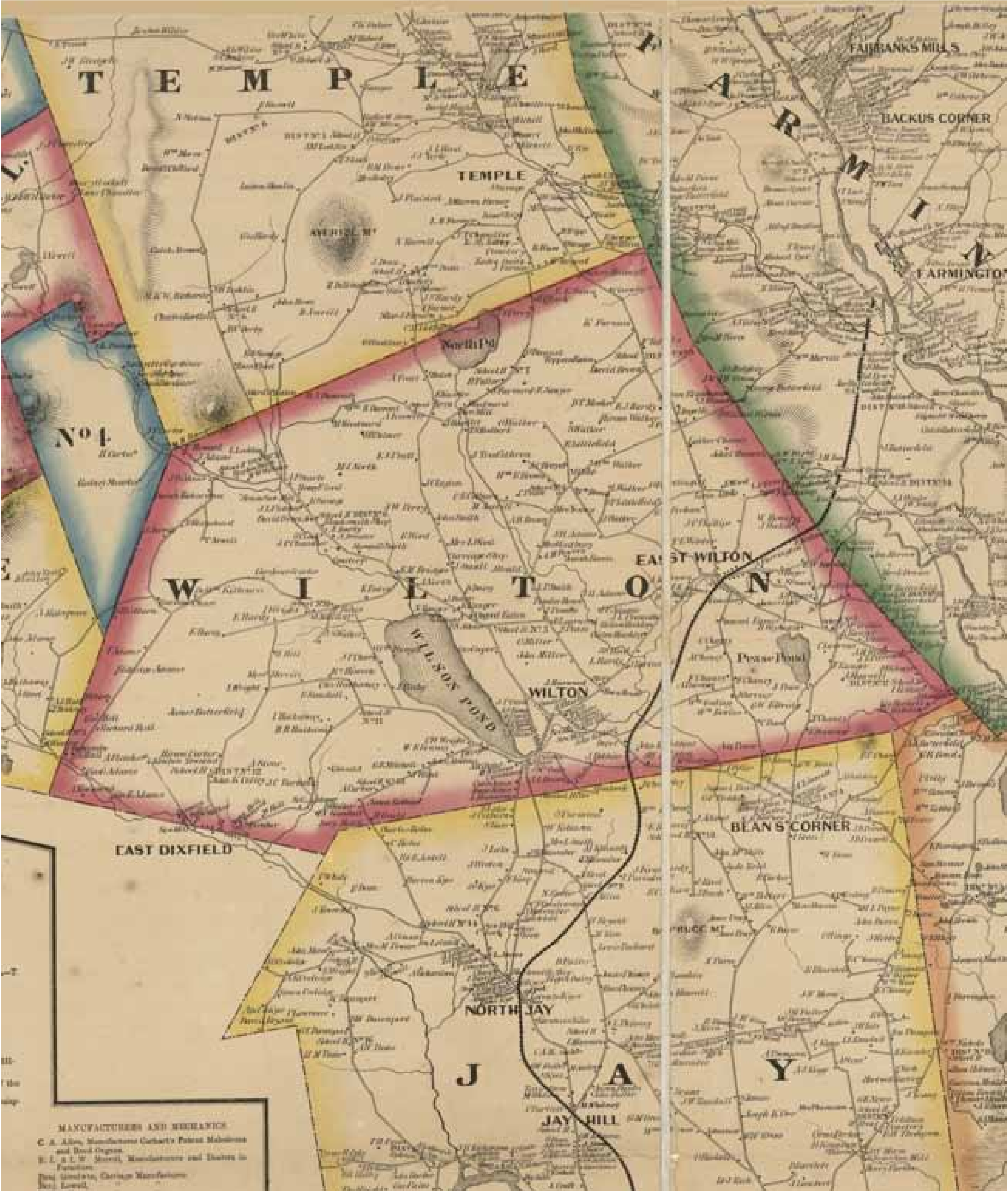
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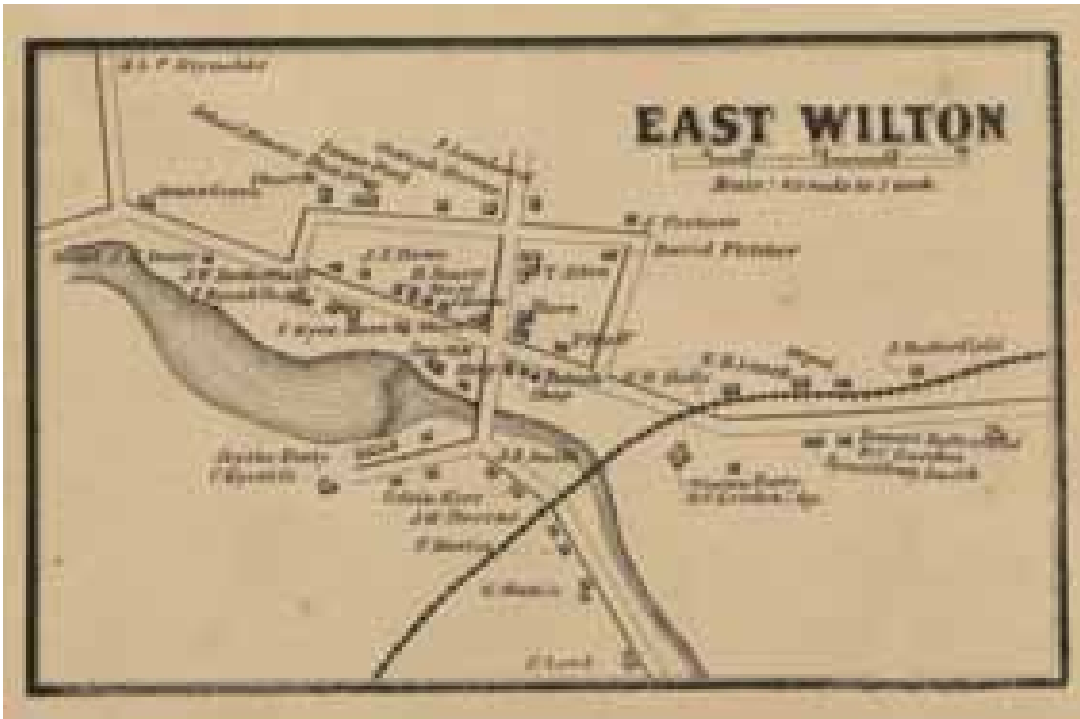
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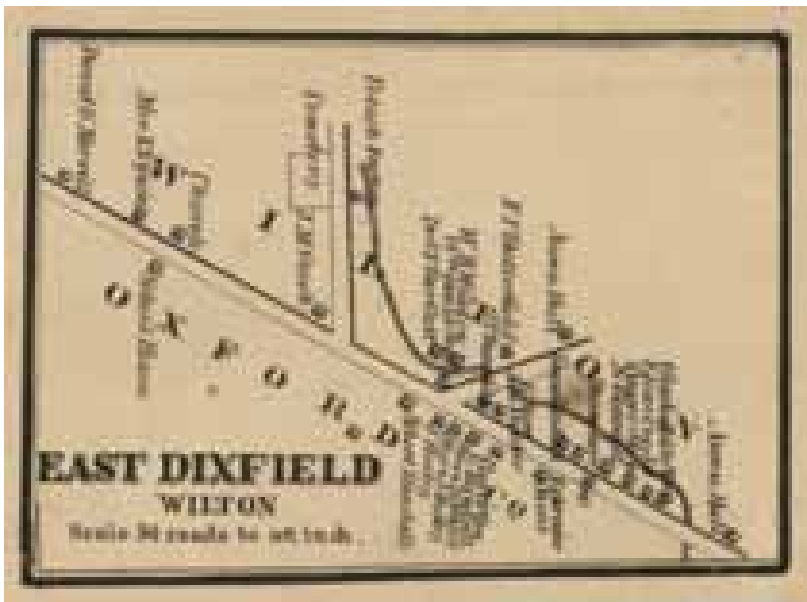
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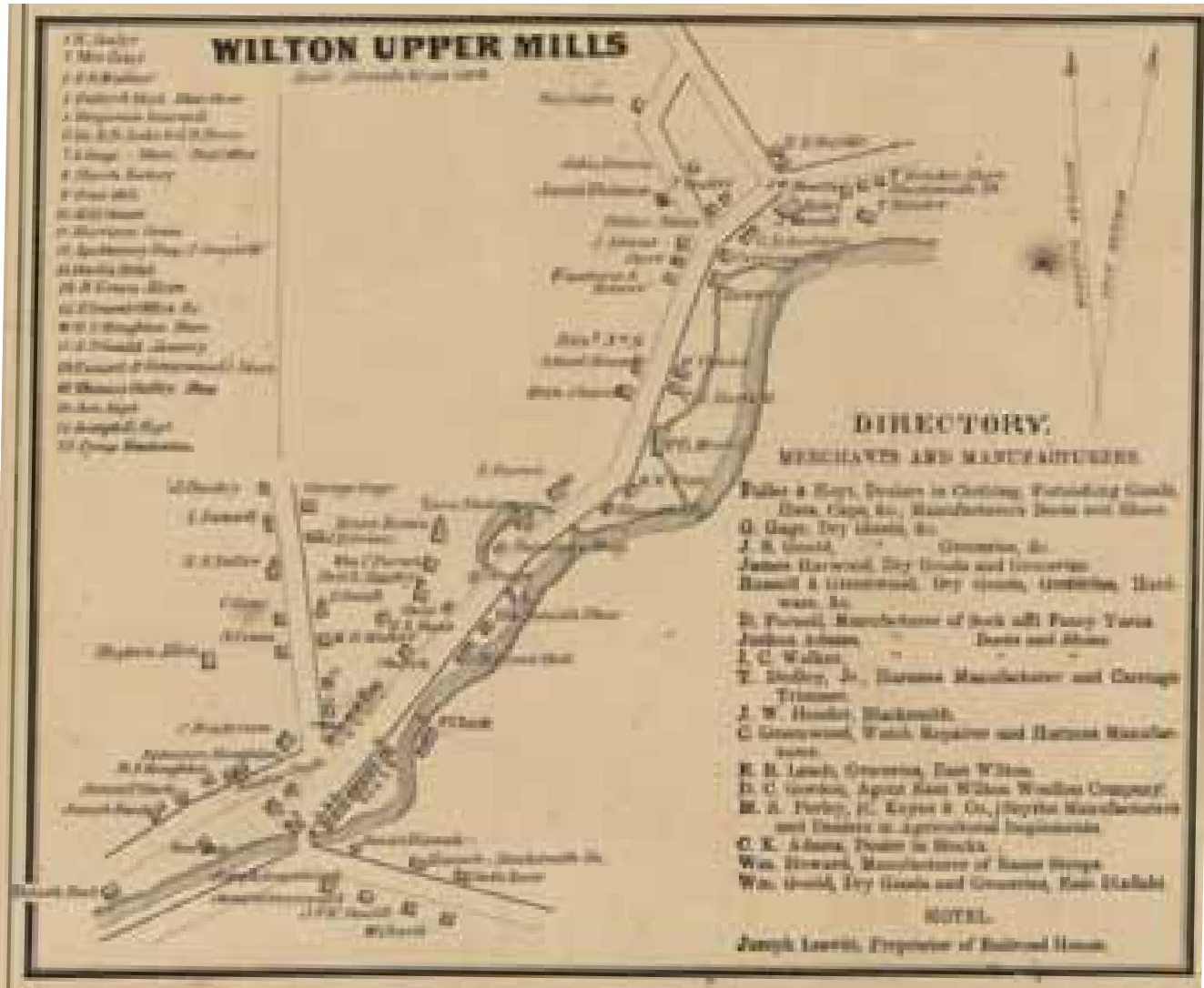
East Wilton



East Dixfield



Wilton Upper Mills



Statistics

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Wilton	1029
Ayer	766
Carthage	519
Cheneyville	1129
Farmington	2196
Freeman	653
Industry	834
Jay	1892
Keegan	615
Madison	481
New Sharon	1831
New Village	556
Phillips	1197
Rangely	216
Ransom	297
Rising	758
Trempe	729
Wells	1498
Easton Plantation	550
Perkins	118
No. 1	38
Sandy River Plantation	174
Unsettled	712
No. 1, Range 3d	30
No. 2	30
South half No. 1, Range 3d	30
No. 4	8
Plantation No. 4	86
Whole population	26,312
Data during year ending Jan. 1st, 1860.	
Married	473
Dead	181
No. Dwellings	2715
" Families	2077
EDUCATION.	
No. Public Schools	263
" Teachers	320
" Pupils	7829
" Public Libraries	12
" Voluntary	12.47
ANNUAL INCOME PUBLIC SCHOOLS.	
From Employment	\$246 00
Tax	\$149 00
Public Funds	1400 00
Other Sources	240 00
{ Normal Academies	4
" Teachers	6
" Pupils	149
ADULTS WHO CANNOT READ & WRITE.	
Male	49
Female	29
Native	40
Foreign	29
CHURCHES.	
Dissemination	7
Methodist	19
Baptist	8
Union	11
Episcopal	100
R. Catholic	89
Universalist	1
Unitarian	1
VALUE CHURCH PROPERTY	\$17579
AGRICULTURE.	
No. Farms	2121
" Improved acres	154,800
" Unimproved	142,744
" Farms	2,466
" Grass	8,409
" Cows	7,828
" Sheep	50,918
" Other Cattle	10,320
" Swine	3216
" Buckwheat	48,125
" " Bar	4020
" " Corn	81,012
" " Oats	122,000
" " Buckwheat	122
" " Barley	6764
" " Peas and Beans	12,360
" " Potatoes	712,550
" " Hay	20,811
" " Clover Seed	625
" " Grass	7,646
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" " Honey & Wax	27,899

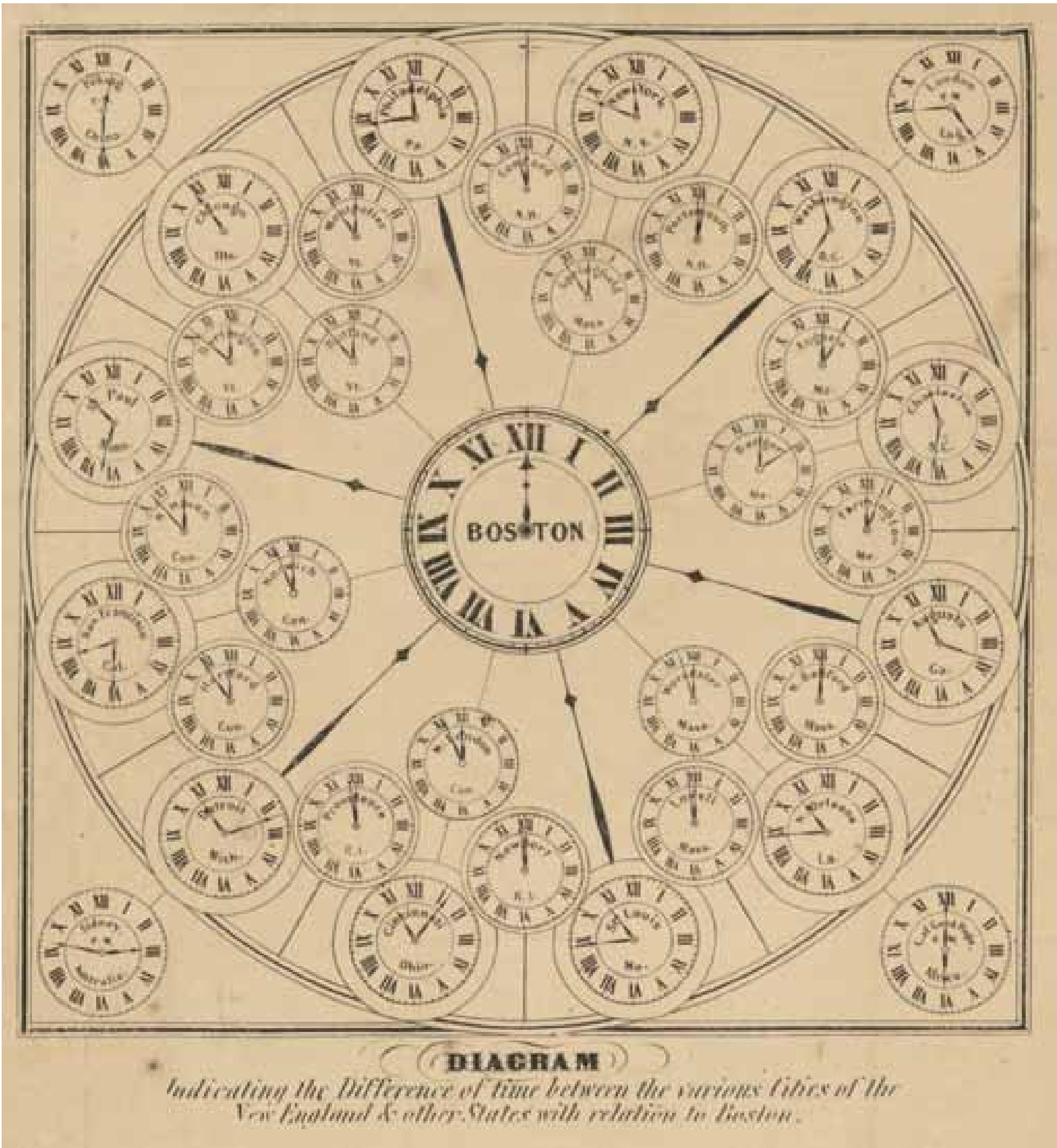
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2.5	28	11	12.5	20	12.5	23.5	28	27.5	18	11	15	20.5	8	East Willton
														Farmington
														Jay Hill
														Kingfield
														New Sharon
														New England
														Phillips
														Salem
														Strong
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														West Mills
														Wild Upper
														Wild Lower

TABLE OF DISTANCES

Distances Measured on the nearest roads in miles & tenths of miles.

Time Difference Diagram



Map of Franklin County

