



# PISCATAQUA PIONEERS

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[www.piscataquapioneers.org/](http://www.piscataquapioneers.org/)

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## Officers 2018-2019

### President

Edward L. Bachelder

### Vice Presidents

Betsy Cox-Buteau (1<sup>st</sup> VP)

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### Secretary

Raymond D. Gervais

### Treasurer

Carla Mueller

### Registrar

Wendy Blood

### Curator / Donations

Barbara Alex

### Database Manager

Susan Engle

### Chaplain

Deborah Bayles

### Auditor

Vacant

### Immediate Past President

Carla Mueller

### Officers-at-Large

Paula Woodward

## NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2018

### Annual Meeting Elects Ed Bachelder



*President Carla Mueller passes the gavel to Ed Bachelder*

President Carla Mueller called the 114th annual meeting of the Piscataqua Pioneers to order at 10:01 a.m., on Saturday, July 28, 2018 at the Elks Lodge, 500 Jones Avenue, Portsmouth, NH.

Approximately 50 members and guests were in attendance. Twenty-six members were present and a quorum of more than 25 were established as defined in the Bylaws.

### Save The Dates

The 2019 Piscataqua Pioneer Annual Meeting will return to the Elks Lodge, 500 Jones Ave., Portsmouth, NH. The date is set for Saturday, August 17. The meeting will start with a coffee and pastry reception at 9 a.m. The speaker will be David Miller. It is hoped that the change from the traditional July date will be attract more Pioneers to the event.

The upcoming 15th New England Regional Genealogical Conference (NERGC) is April 3<sup>rd</sup> thru 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at the Expo Center adjacent to the Double Tree by Hilton Downtown Hotel in Manchester, NH. Volunteers are needed. Contact Wendy Blood at [twhs@comcast.net](mailto:twhs@comcast.net) for more information.

## PRESIDENT'S LETTER

*Ed Bachelder, President*



*Ed Bachelder*

Thank you for your confidence to elect me as President of the Piscataqua Pioneers. I had served as Treasurer for the last three years and now that responsibility is in Carla's capable hands as we switched roles.

My wife Becky, a former ski instructor, and I are no longer tough enough to embrace the frosty New England winters. We moved to the warm weather of Ft. Meyers Florida last year. But, like another distant relative, are not tough enough to handle the Heat, Humidity and Hurricanes...more about that later. We plan to enjoy the summer times in New Hampshire and Maine and stay involved with the Piscataqua Pioneers.

This past summer, we spent a month in Hampton Falls where I was fortunate to visit the Tuck Museum several afternoons and learn more about my 'ancestor', the Rev. Stephen Bachiller. He was the controversial Oxford educated non-conformist who was disciplined for not supporting King James' changes to the Church of England.

After one out-of-bounds sermon in 1603, he was admonished and not allowed to minister to any beyond his family. Rev. Bachiller wandered around England, but needed to leave if he were ever to have another parish. One account indicated that he visited the Pilgrims in Holland around 1615, but did not join them. He arrived in Boston in June of 1632 at the age of 71. He joined the church council after a six-month waiting period while they ran a

background check on non-conformist ways. But in 1635, he wore out his welcome with the Puritans after he cast the lone vote in support of Roger Williams.

After that debacle, he moved to Lynn, then Ipswich and walked all the way to Yarmouth on Cape Cod and stayed a spell, but found it unsuitable. He returned to Saugus briefly and then up to Newbury in 1637. During that time, he helped procure the Hampton lands from the General Court of Massachusetts as part of a fascinating 'two-fer' for the Bay Colony: Massachusetts got rid of a troublemaker and the Hampton settlement established that the border was placed three miles north and east of the Merrimack River. (That had always puzzled me, so it was surprising to learn that my ancestor had helped establish that curious state border).

Rev. Bachiller and his followers sailed in a shallop from Newbury to settle the plantation at Winnacunnet (later renamed Hampton) in 1638. After many years as Pastor, he hastily returned to England in 1651. Some historians have suggested that he married his third wife Mary, a 25-year-old widow, who was described as his comely housekeeper, in order to avoid having to pay back wages (or a 10 pound fine for not publishing their wedding to avert a scandal).

Mary Bachiller infamously had an affair with a neighbor and became pregnant. In uncharacteristic compassion, the Puritans held off flogging Mary with 40 lashes until after the baby was six weeks old. The story served as the inspiration for Hester Prynne in Nathaniel Hawthorne's best seller - *The Scarlet Letter*.

As the youngest sibling in my family, I missed the Hawthorne connection unlike my cousins and past President Fred Boyle who waved his finger at me once saying I better be able to come up with a family story for one of our meetings. All I had to do was to visit the Tuck Library and read the cover of scandalous books like Phillip Mason Marston's book *Rev. Stephen Bachiller - Saint or Sinner*.

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As if that was not enough to digest, the Tuck Museum Library also had another shocker. I read about another relative who moved to Florida centuries before we did and stayed there as a Spanish government official until the Seminoles promptly ran him off.

Gen. George S. Batcheller of Washington writes:

*“It is tradition that our branch of the Batchellers came from Spain! That the ancestor was a secretary or Lt. Governor of Florida, then Spanish possession, was driven out by Indians, and of, the embarking his colony in a war vessel. He and a few associates remained on shore, and where they went in search of their ship as it had “Passed out of sight in the fog, and they drifted in a small boat to sea, and finally landed in New England. Batcheller (or Bacheleroo) remained in America having married a pretty Puritan. And his comrades returned to Spain. His descendants grew up as Puritans and Protestants, it is all tradition.”*

I hope at the annual meeting we can share interesting stories, although this one stretches plausibility. In any event, we have moved to Florida and are reclaiming a small part of the swamp for the Batcheleroos.

After 350 years, it is hard to know what is true and what is just a tall tale. My hope for next summer’s annual meeting is that we can all share interesting stories about our ancestors.

Pioneers from Hampton to Oregon City were hardy and hewed homesteads in the wilderness. Next summer’s speaker will share his knowledge of the Native American settlements in the Piscataqua area. Save the date for August 17<sup>th</sup>.

I believe we can be sensitive, but still proud of our heritage and early settlers. Yes, acknowledge the rough edges that were common in days of the early settlers, but not apologetic for what they did in their days.

My father Horace was the Minister at the First Parish Church of Plymouth MA, founded by the Pilgrims. As celebrating Thanksgiving became a point of protest, he worked with the elders of Wampanoag tribe on Cape Cod to include them in the Pilgrims Progress and Thanksgiving Day services.



*Wee Ed with his parents in rugged Oregon Trail Pioneer attire and a big hat (1959)*

My father Horace was born into a long line of Congregational ministers – he and his two brothers all were non-conformists. As proof of genetic tendencies, all three preached in different denominations.

#### **ANNUAL MEETING—JULY 28, 2018**

*Raymond D. Gervais, Secretary*

President Carla Mueller called the 114<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Piscataqua Pioneers to order at 10:01 a.m., on Saturday, July 28, 2018 at the Elks Lodge, 500 Jones Avenue, Portsmouth, NH.

Approximately 50 members and guests were in attendance. Twenty-six members were present and a quorum of more than 25 were established as defined in the Bylaws.

All stood while the invocation was given by Chaplain Tylen Jousse. Ed Bachelder led the Pledge of Allegiance.

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Our mission statement was read by 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President Betsey Cox-Buteau followed by the reading of the objectives of the society by Wendy Blood.

## **SOCIETY MISSION STATEMENT**

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This is an educational, genealogical, historical and patriotic society, whose membership consists of descendants of the original settlers on each side of the Piscataqua River and its tributaries, prior to the Declaration of Independence.

## **OBJECTS OF THE SOCIETY**

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The objects for which this Society is established are primarily for securing and preserving the records of the pioneers of the Piscataqua area in Maine and New Hampshire and of their descendants in the following particulars:

- To be an historical society as well as a genealogical and biographical association.
- To propose, as an organization, regular visits to historical points of interest.
- To promote the acquaintance and good fellowship of its members generally in these matters.
- To learn the names of the earliest European settlers on both sides of the Piscataqua River within the limits of the Piscataqua Plan or Piscataqua Settlements and contiguous territory from the earliest times to July 1776.
- To learn the contributions of these settlers to the advancement of civilization including its industry, literature and arts.
- To trace the settlers and their descendants.
- To provide for the assembling and publication of such information as may be secured to the end that those generations who come after us shall not be ignorant of those who first dealt with the wilderness and who established homes in the New World.
- To cooperate with other organizations with similar interests so that we may be mutually helpful in these matters.

The council and current officers-at-large were introduced by our president who also acknowledged all the past presidents who were in attendance.



*A table of 2018 Annual Meeting attendees.*

### **Officers' Reports:**

The following reports were submitted:

Secretary: The Secretary's report submitted by Secretary Ray Gervais was moved, seconded and voted to accept as previously published in our June 2018 newsletter. A motion was made to accept the minutes. The motion was then seconded and unanimously approved.

Treasurer: The Treasurer's report was submitted by Treasurer Ed Bachelder for the period ending June 30, 2018. Ed stated that the society is in good financial shape and that we have no liabilities. A motion was made to accept the Treasurer's Report. The motion was seconded and unanimously approved by the membership.

Ed added that because of his move to Florida that he will be stepping down from his role as treasurer. He feels that it would be difficult for him to perform any banking functions from his remote location.

Ed also mentioned that our books for sale have not been inventoried yet.

Auditor: The Auditor's report was read by Robert Dennett. A motion was made to accept the Auditor's report which was seconded and then accepted by the membership.

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Registrar: There was no Registrar's report submitted at this time. However, our registrar, Wendy Blood mentioned that the Piscataqua Pioneer Facebook account is up and running for anyone to view and submit their pictures, ideas and other input. [facebook.com/piscataquapioneers/](https://facebook.com/piscataquapioneers/)

Database Manager: There was no report submitted at this time.

Curator: The curator's report was read by our curator, Barbara Alex. A motion was made to accept the report. The motion was seconded and accepted by the membership.

Barbara noted that "none of the Piscataqua Pioneer applications (the previous microfilmed rolls and the recent digitized ones) have been loaded onto the familysearch.org website. The target time at the moment is by the end of 2020 for the current backlog. As of now, only 10% of the selected ones have been loaded onto the site. The selected ones will be the microfilm rolls that have been used the most. For the past ten years, they have put forms into the microfilm reader booths. The patrons have been told to write down the numbers of the microfilm as they use them. These forms were collected each night and the numbers were entered into a computer. The results indicated the highest usage on down make up their selected list in that order."

Chaplain: Tylene Jousse offered a prayer and memorialized our deceased members by reading off their names.

### **Committee Reports:**

#### New England Research Genealogical Conference (NERGC):

Curator, Barbara Alex reported on the upcoming 15<sup>th</sup> New England Regional Genealogical Conference which is to be held April 3<sup>rd</sup> thru 6<sup>th</sup> at the Expo Center adjacent to the Double Tree by Hilton Downtown Hotel in Manchester, NH. The applicable forms and \$175 registration fee have been sent in.



*Ray Gervais and Barbara J. Alex at the Piscataqua Pioneer booth at the April 2017 conference.*

Set-up for the booth is on Wednesday from 3 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Thursday from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m.

Exhibit hours will be 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Thursday and Friday and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday. Dismantling will be on Saturday 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

**Past Presidents Project:** Because of the continuous change in council leadership, there seems to be some confusion regarding the status of the Past President Project. At this point, some research has to be done in order to determine what information has already been gathered. Past President Virginia Spiller, who had been on the committee, said she has completed the write-ups on the presidents for which she was assigned. Virginia will check her files to see who was on the project and report back to Wendy Blood. We will check our storage to see if we can find any other research. A suggestion was made going forward to have outgoing presidents submit their own write-ups when leaving office. This will be discussed at the next council meeting.

A motion was made to allow the council to decide how to continue with the Past Presidents Project. The motion was seconded and accepted by the membership.

**Archive Committee:** It has been determined that the Archive Committee project has been completed.

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**Old Business:** Betsey Cox-Buteau purchased new T-shirts, mugs and windshield decals with the Piscataqua Pioneer logo for the sale table. Also for sale at the meeting were note cards, books and pins. A motion was made to reimburse Betsey for her out of pocket expenses. The motion was seconded and accepted by the membership.

**Genealogy Sharing:** Barbara Carmone gave a very interesting talk about her ancestors, the Nathan Lord family.

**Election of Officers:** The slate of nominees was read by Carla Mueller. The nominated officers were as follows:



2019 Officers group photo.

- President, Edward Bachelder
- 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President, Dr. Betsey Cox-Buteau
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President, Robert Dennett
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President, Patricia Twombly-Karakashian
- 4<sup>th</sup> Vice President, (male - vacant)
- 5<sup>th</sup> Vice President, Victoria Thomas
- 6<sup>th</sup> Vice President, (male - vacant)
- 7<sup>th</sup> Vice President, Amy Poisson
- 8<sup>th</sup> Vice President, (male - vacant)
- 9<sup>th</sup> Vice President, Barbara Carmone
- 10<sup>th</sup> Vice President, (male - vacant)
- Chaplin, Deborah Bayles
- Secretary, Raymond Gervais
- Treasurer, Carla Mueller
- Registrar, Wendy Blood
- Curator, Barbara Alex
- Database Manager, Susan Engle
- Auditor, (vacant)
- Officers at-Large: Paula Woodward

There were no other individual nominees or candidates. One vote was cast by Secretary Raymond Gervais to accept the slate for the membership.

**Lunch:** Members broke for lunch at noon and the sale table was open for business. Chaplain Tylene Jousse led us in Grace. Ed Bachelder won the drawing for a *Piscataqua Pioneer* book.

**Speaker:** Patricia Q. Wall, author of *Lives of Consequences*, spoke about her book that looks at the lives of over four hundred Black individuals who lived in the Kittery and Berwick, Maine area during the seventeenth century.



Author and luncheon speaker, Patricia Wahl.

**Closing:** All stood while our chaplain, Tylene Jousse, gave the Benediction. Incoming president Ed Bachelder had a few words to say about this coming year and thanked everyone for attending. A motion was made to close the meeting, seconded and accepted by the membership.

#### **COUNCIL MEETING — SEPTEMBER 22, 2018**

*Raymond D. Gervais, Secretary*

President Edward Bachelder called the September 22, 2018 Council meeting of the Piscataqua Pioneers to order at 12:05 p.m. at the Portsmouth Public Library on 175 Parrot Avenue, Portsmouth, NH. Eight council members attended and a quorum was established.

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Ed Bachelder gave the invocation and 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President Betsey Cox-Buteau led the council in the Pledge of Allegiance. Immediately following, Treasurer Carla Mueller read the Mission Statement of the Piscataqua Pioneers and Registrar Wendy Blood read the Objectives of the Society.

### **Officers' Reports:**

#### Chaplain's Report

No Chaplain's Report was submitted at this time.

#### Secretary's Report

Copies of the minutes of the minutes from the Piscataqua Pioneer annual meeting on July 28, 2018 were earlier e-mailed to all Council members. A motion was made to accept the minutes as e-mailed. The motion was seconded and accepted.

#### Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer's report was submitted by Treasurer, Carla Mueller. Each council member received a copy via e-mail. Carla noted that there was little activity since the last report. At this point, there was a discussion regarding the past president medals. There was some concern covering the cost of purchasing the dies and ribbons may be excessive. It was mentioned that perhaps a past president bar be add an insignia ribbon. It would cost \$10.24 for a die which would produce a seal for the past president medals. This amount is different from the \$975 reported at the May 20, 2018 council meeting. The ribbon material would cost \$1,200 (\$6 /yd/width, for a minimum of 100 yards or \$90 (.45/yd/width, 100 yards minimum) as per Charles Tarbell's email dated Friday, September 21, 2018.

It was suggested that possibly the membership would be allowed to purchase medals to help recover the cost. It was determined that more information needs to be gathered before a decision can be made.

A motion was made to designate Carla Mueller, Wendy Blood, and Betsey Cox-Buteau to finalize the decision to purchase the material. The motion was seconded and accepted.

#### Auditor's Report

No Auditor's Report submitted at this time.

#### Registrar's Report

Registrar Wendy Blood distributed and reviewed the Registrar's Report with the Council members. There was a brief discussion concerning a possible change to the by-laws regarding the new membership process. No action was taken. A motion was made to accept the entire Registrar's Report. The motion was seconded and accepted.

#### Curator's Report

No Curator's Report was submitted at this time.

#### Database Manager's Report

Database Manager Susan Engle reported that there are currently 1,816 member records which include 402 active members. Of the 402, there are 346 life members, 53 annual members and 3 supplemental members. Susan was asked for a database printout of active members so that Carla, Wendy, and Ray can correct and update their membership card files. She will be forwarding a PDF copy shortly. From this request, questions were raised regarding what qualifies as an inactive member. Betsey Cox-Buteau found that according to the by-laws, a member is inactive if they have not paid their annual dues for three years. Betsey has been designated to draft a new by-law and propose it at the next council meeting.

Susan reported that as a result of our newsletter returns, 8 members are unable to be located. Ed volunteered to send out postcards to determine as if a member has moved, no longer wishes to be a member, or is deceased.

It was suggested that we invite non-members to our next annual meeting so that they may learn about our application process.

After these discussions, a motion was made to accept the Database Manager's report. The motion was seconded and accepted.

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## COMMITTEE REPORTS

### Past Presidents Project Committee

There has not been any activity regarding the Past Presidents Project nor does a committee now exist. The project does not appear to be a priority at this point. A status check has to be done to determine the amount of work that has to be done and who holds the information that has been done. It appears that the members who were on the committee are not involved anymore. The project is on hold.

## NEW BUSINESS

With council members not always able to attend every meeting because of illness or conflicting schedules, we are proposing an addition to our by-laws to allow “electronic remote participation.” Betsey Cox-Buteau will draft a by-law proposal to be reviewed at the spring council meeting. The proposal will be subsequently voted upon at our next annual meeting in August.

Our next Piscataqua Pioneer council meeting will take place on Saturday, May 4, 2019 at the Portsmouth Public Library, 175 Parrot Avenue, Portsmouth, NH at 12 noon.

Ed Bachelder announced that our 2019 Piscataqua Pioneer annual meeting will again take place at the Elks Lodge, 500 Jones Ave., Portsmouth, NH. The date is set for Saturday, August 17, 2019 at 9 a.m. The speaker will be David Miller. Ed would like to see everyone attending to move around and do a little networking and share information about our ancestors.

A discussion raised the question of increasing life and annual membership dues. Presently, according to the by-laws, the life fee is \$100.00 and the annual fee is \$10.00. Compared to other organizations, this is a bargain. Betsey Cox-Buteau mentioned that before raising dues, other organizations that she has been connected with first present an annual budget. The subject will be brought up again at the next council meeting.

The New England Research Genealogical Conference will be held April 3<sup>rd</sup> thru 6<sup>th</sup> at the Expo Center adjacent to the Double Tree by Hilton

Hotel in Manchester, NH. We are looking for volunteers to man our booth. Wendy Blood is coordinating the effort to set up the booth and to get volunteers. An effort will also be made to enhance the booth to make it more appealing. It was suggested that at the conference, we could invite non-members who are interested in our society to attend our annual meeting in August.

Ed Bachelder thanked everyone for attending. A motion was made to close the meeting. The motion was seconded and accepted. The meeting was gavelled and closed at 2:19 p.m.

## **DATABASE MANAGER’S REPORT— SEPTEMBER 20, 2018**

*Sue Engle, Database Manager*

There are currently 1816-member records in our database. These 1816 records include 402 active members, of which 346 are Life members, 53 are Annual members, and 3 are Supplemental members. There are 10 members with dual addresses and 14 members have selected to receive their newsletter via email. There are also 18 pending records on file for potential members in the process of proving their lineage to an original Piscataqua Pioneer. The remaining records consist of deceased, resigned, or inactive members. As a result of the June newsletter returns, 8 members are unable to be located. If anyone knows how to find any of these members, please contact the database manager.

- ◇ Theresa Cobb, 7428 Lakeshore Drive, Ellenton, FL 34222
- ◇ Ruth Grandin, 15000 Shell Point Blvd, Fort Myers, FL 33908-1637
- ◇ Leslie Meyer, 25 Drazen Drive South, North Haven, CT 06473-2822
- ◇ Karen Miller, 5436 Pawnee Lane, Fairway, KS 66205-2737
- ◇ Edith Miller, 1052 N. Jamestown Rd., Apt F, Decatur, GA 30033-3635

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- ◇ Linda Quinn, 20376 Calder Ave, Port Charlotte, FL 33954
- ◇ Nancy Rouse, POB 17598, Covington, KY 41017-0598 (recommend convert to INACTIVE since newsletters have been returned since 12/2016)
- ◇ Doris Keller, 5150 State Highway 162, Willows, CA 95988-9510

There were 16 changes made to the database since last May's meeting. These include 7 changes in address, 1 new member, and 8 converted from active members to deceased.

The 1 new member is:

- ◇ HARDISON, Roy #1873, Annual member, Ancestor Stephen Hardison, Jr.

The 8 deceased members include:

- ◇ GILMAN, Gertrude #922, deceased 07/09/2018
- ◇ NEDERLK, Ruth, #862, deceased 11/02/2016
- ◇ BOCKSTRUCK, Lloyd # 1110, deceased 05/27/2018
- ◇ FROST, William P #936, deceased 08/07/2018
- ◇ MADDOX, Albert #1328, deceased 05/08/2013
- ◇ MARA, Marshall #895, deceased 03/10/2015
- ◇ TRICKEY, Earle #1598, deceased 02/19/2018
- ◇ DURKEE, Lilyan #1669, deceased 06/28/2018

I will continue to work to update the database with telephone numbers and email addresses as they become available. If you have moved recently or a move is in your future, we would appreciate your sending any changes of address to our database manager at [database@piscataquapioneers.org](mailto:database@piscataquapioneers.org).

**REGISTRAR'S REPORT—MAY 20, 2018**

*Wendy Blood, Registrar*

New members were admitted since May 20, 2017. In the interest of space, I have only listed their name and ancestor as their address has already been entered on a previous report.

<u>Natl. #</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Ancestor</u>
1874	Mulcahy, Sharon Donnell	~ Henry Donnell
1875	Kenneson, Gordon W.	~ John Libby
1876	Holman Sr., Peter Palmer	~ William Palmer
1877	Lillis, Dean Shirley	~ Patrick Lillis - new ancestor
1878	Lt. Col (Ret) USAF Twombly	~ James E. Thomas Hanson
1816.1	Clarke, Janet Morrison	~ Roger Kelly – new ancestor

This officer moves that the following applicants be accepted into membership upon verification of their application papers. All applicants have submitted a preliminary application and paid the initial \$30.00 application fee, unless noted.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Ancestor</u>
Mutrie, Beverly	~ James Prescott 4 Brown Road, PO Box 256, Hampton Falls, NH 03844
Davies, Joyce Collins Tebbetts	~ Charles Allen 8 Great Pond Road, Kingston, NH 03848-3747
Sellers, Mortimer	~ Edward Hilton, Winthrop Hilton, Etc. PO Box 16352, Baltimore, MD 21210

Outstanding worksheets:

26 worksheets outstanding: 6 from 2018, 13 and 1 supplemental from 2017, 9 from 2016. 6 Final applications approved.

In this last year we have added found 4 new ancestors: Stephen Hardison, Sr., Patrick Lillis, Roger Kelly, and John Geare, cited by the NEHG Register

**Dues / Publications Order Form**

Member Annual Dues \$10.00      Lifetime Member Dues \$100.00

Total Dues Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

***Piscataqua Pioneers Selected Biographies of Early Settlers in Northern New England*** (563 pages)

\_\_\_\_\_ @Members price. \_\_\_\_\_\$25.00

\_\_\_\_\_ @Non-members price \_\_\_\_\_\$40.00

S&H for each book @\$6.00 per book \_\_\_\_\_

***New 2015 Edition of Piscataqua Pioneers 1623-1775 Register of Members and Ancestors***

\_\_\_\_\_@Members price \_\_\_\_\_\$ 12.00 \_\_\_\_\_@ Non-members price \_\_\_\_\_\$ 15.00

\_\_\_\_\_Pioneer Lapel Pins \_\_\_\_\_30.00

\_\_\_\_\_Pioneer Note Cards (10 pk) \_\_\_\_\_\$4.15

Total Publications Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail this form with your check payable to Piscataqua Pioneers to:  
Piscataqua Pioneers, %Carla Mueller, 46 Canterbury Road, Wells, ME 04090-6910

**Special Curator's Report 12/2018 by Barbara J. Alex**

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Joyce Elaine Wiggin-Robbins, author of *Shadow Echo Me - The Life and Times of Captain Thomas Wiggin, 1601-1666, The Making of American Values* graciously donated a copy of her book to be included in our holdings at the Dimond Library at the University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH. Captain Thomas Wiggin was one of the earliest Piscataqua pioneers and a short biography is included in our big *Piscataqua Pioneers - Selected Biographies of Early Settlers in Northern New England*. Joyce Wiggin-Robbins' book is an in-depth study of Captain Thomas Wiggin, his ancestry, the politics in England and in America at that time, and mentions other alliances and people crucial to his story, including other Piscataqua pioneers. It is extremely well researched and is very difficult to put down once you start reading it. This is definitely an important addition to our collection. Order from [Orders@Xlibris.com](mailto:Orders@Xlibris.com).

## Treasurer's Report —Jun 30, 2018

*Edward Bachelder, Treasurer*

CHECKING ACCOUNT-CITIZENS BANK-JULY 1, 2017

**\$ 5,581.16**

### RECEIPTS

Dues	\$ 610.00
Life Membership	\$ 500.00
Initial Fees	\$ 465.00
Sale of Pins, Note Cards, Certificates	\$ 155.00
PP Book II Sales	\$ 991.57
Mugs	\$ 5.00
Registers	
Sale of CD's	
Annual Luncheon	\$ 1,420.00
Donations/Net Postage	\$ 10.00
Bank Interest	\$ -

### TOTAL RECEIPTS

**\$ 4,156.57**

### TRANSFER FROM BANK CD

TOTAL RECEIPTS, BEGINNING BALANCE AND  
TRANSFER

**\$ 9,737.73**

### EXPENSE

Postage and Supplies	\$ 402.71
Annual Luncheon	\$ 1,425.00
Book Storage Expense	\$ 240.00
Registrar's Fees	\$ 405.00
NERGC17	\$ -
Meeting Place Donation	\$ 300.00
Newsletter Expense	\$ 767.96
Website	\$ 230.45
South Berwick Hist. Society	\$ 1,000.00
Map Placemats	\$ 131.40
Bank Service Charges	\$ 121.00
New Hampshire Registration and Filing	<u>\$ 75.00</u>

### TOTAL EXPENSE

**5,098.52**

CHECKING ACCOUNT - June 30, 2018

**\$ 4,639.21**

*Less: Outstanding Check Payments*

**\$ 2,093.07**

Current Balance

**\$ 2,546.14**

### ASSETS

CITIZENS BANK – CHECKING ACCOUNT

**\$ 2,546.14**

CITIZENS BANK-CD (interest income)

\$ 89.35

CITIZENS BANK-CD (7/21/18)

\$ 20,735.59

TOTAL ASSETS (*Checking + CD*)

**\$23,281.7**

*Change in Cash Position*

**\$ (3,035.02)**

**Piscataqua Pioneers Annual Meeting Luncheon Reservations**

Saturday, August 17, 2019 at 9:00 a.m.

**By August 5, 2019**, please send this form and check made out to Piscataqua Pioneers to:  
Piscataqua Pioneers, % Carla Mueller, 46 Canterbury Road, Wells, ME 04090-6910

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ places at \$30. Total enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Entrée choice and number: \_\_\_\_\_ Roast Beef \_\_\_\_\_ Chicken Marsala

Name/s \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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