

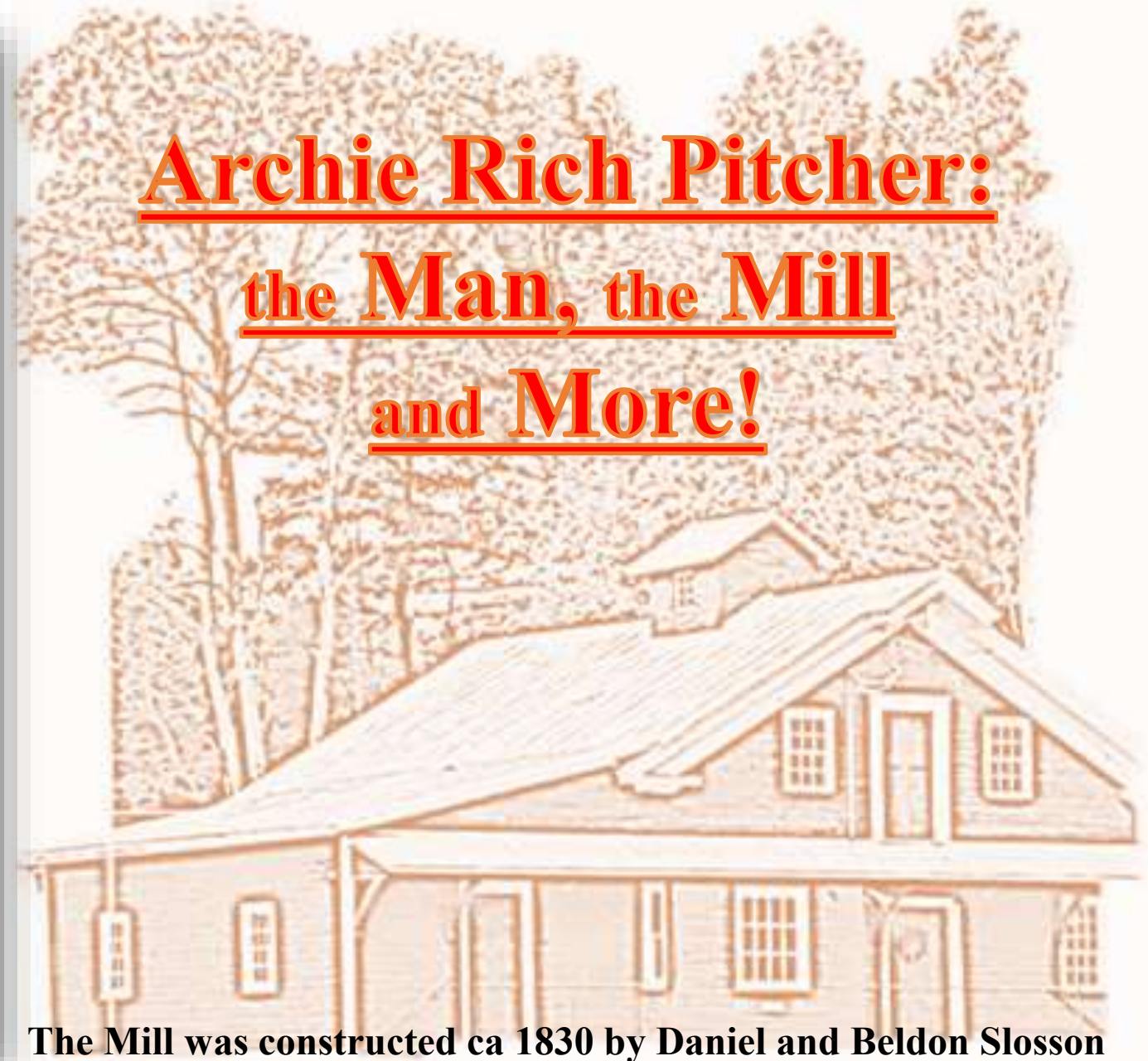
**Archie Pitcher Pre—Quiz Answers will be provided after the talk.**

1. Archie Pitcher built the mill? True or False
2. What did A. Pitcher do besides work at the mill?
3. The Pitcher family arrived early to this country.  
Yes or No
4. The major product of Pitchers Mills was pancake mix.  
Yes or No
5. Mr. Pitcher transferred the mill ownership to NVHS.
6. The stone wheel used in the mill always was powered by water.  
Yes or No
7. Where is Mr. Pitcher buried? \_\_\_\_\_
8. What is the name of Mrs. Pitcher? \_\_\_\_\_
9. Archie Pitcher was the father of the Pitcher twins?  
Yes or No
10. What are the first names of the Pitcher twins?  
\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
11. Mr. Pitcher was a veteran of the Civil War Yes or No
12. What is A. R. Pitcher's middle name? R \_\_\_\_\_





Archie owned the mill from 1925-1941



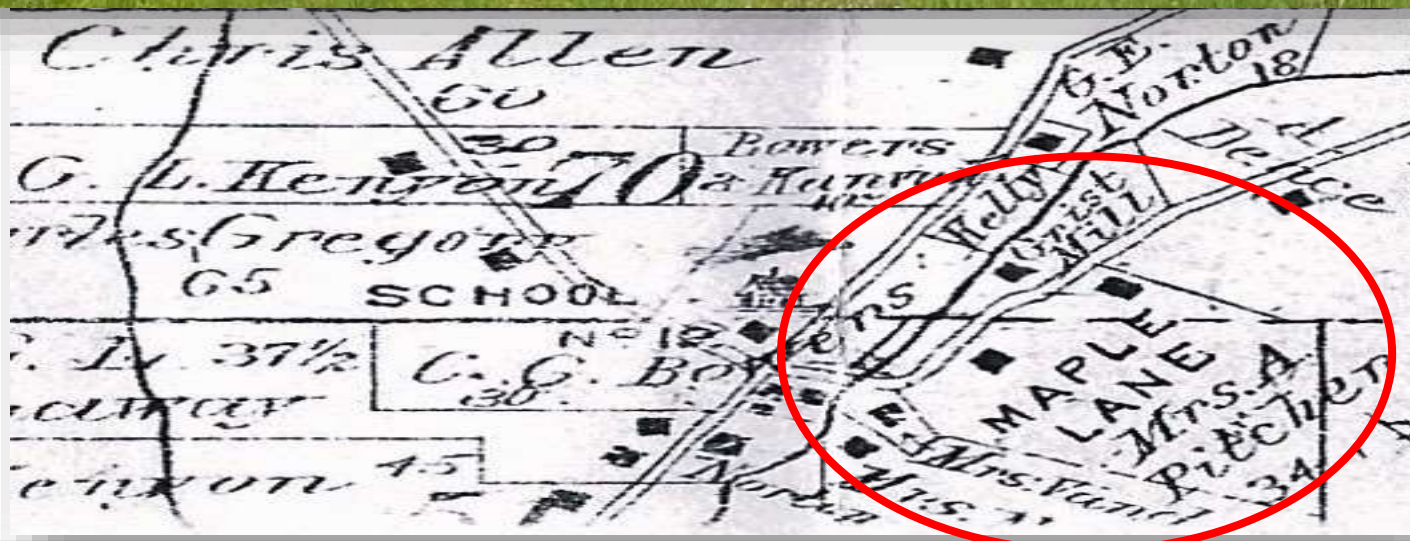
**Archie Rich Pitcher:**  
**the Man, the Mill**  
**and More!**

The Mill was constructed ca 1830 by Daniel and Beldon Slosson



Pitcher Farm

Mill



1866 Plat Map Showing Pitcher Farm and Grist Mill



1900 view of Maine, NY looking East



Photos  
of **Archie  
Pitcher**  
taken by  
Franck  
Bowers  
ca 1909





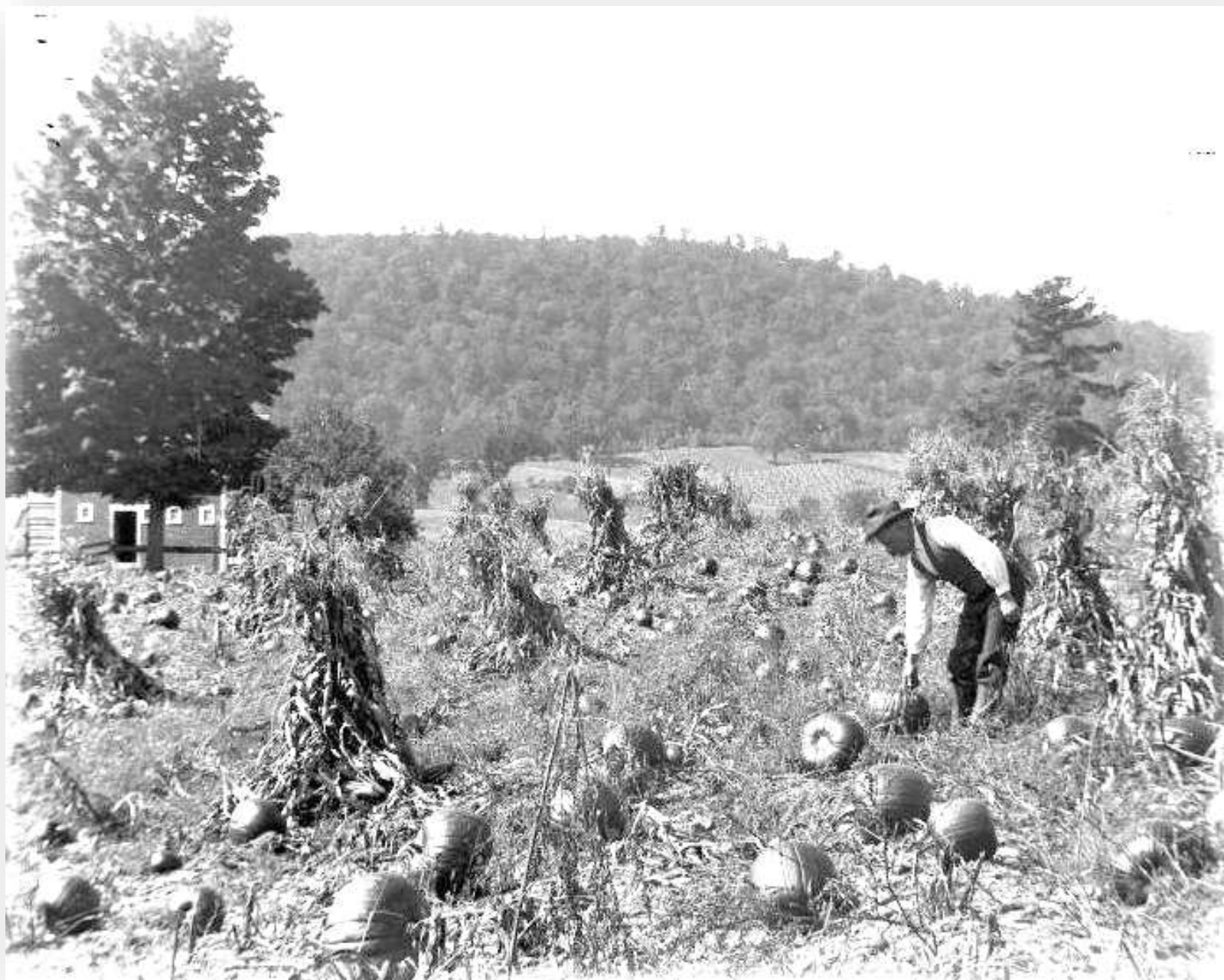
## [Bowers Collection | New York Heritage](https://nyheritage.org/collections/bowers-collection)

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“This extensive glass-plate collection contains the work of Franck Taylor Bowers (1875-1932) a Broome County artist and photographer. The images depict the height of late nineteenth and early twentieth century life at home, on vacation, and with family and friends. Many of the images are local residents used as studies and models for a number of Bowers' paintings, which are located in several important regional and national museums.” The model is **Archie Pitcher**. Franck used his friend and neighbor in many of his photos.

*Man with hat and moustache sitting under a tree.*

*Franck Taylor Bowers ca 1890 - 1920*



**Archie Rich Pitcher  
1880-1945**

Was a farmer and owner  
of Pitcher's Grist Mills  
in Maine, New York.

Archie was also a  
model for Franck Taylor  
Bowers (1875-1932),  
a local photographer,  
artist and a friend who  
lived in Bowers  
Corner's, which was  
just across Nanticoke  
Creek from the Pitcher  
farm.



**Belden Allen**

13 Jan 1837 -

- 15 Mar 1916 (aged 79)

Artificer, Co. E, 50th NY

Engineers, Civil War

with wife *Eliza*

***J. Green Allen***

21 Aug 1839 –

13 Oct 1907 (aged 68)

Along with **Archie**

**Pitcher.** Belden was

also a farmer whose farm

was located at Dundon

Hill Road and Route 26

in Glen Aubrey.

Photo by Franck Bowers

ca 1900



**Archie Rich Pitcher**

8.10.1880 – 3.11.1945

Allentown Cemetery

**Ellana Gertrude Norton Pitcher**

12.7.1881 – 10.14.1946

died in Springville, Susquehanna County, PA

Allentown Cemetery

**Married:** 10.17.1910

2 Children

**Philip Norton Pitcher**

3.13.1913 – 1.19.1995

**Alice Margaret Pitcher**

12.25.1914 – 9.26.2003

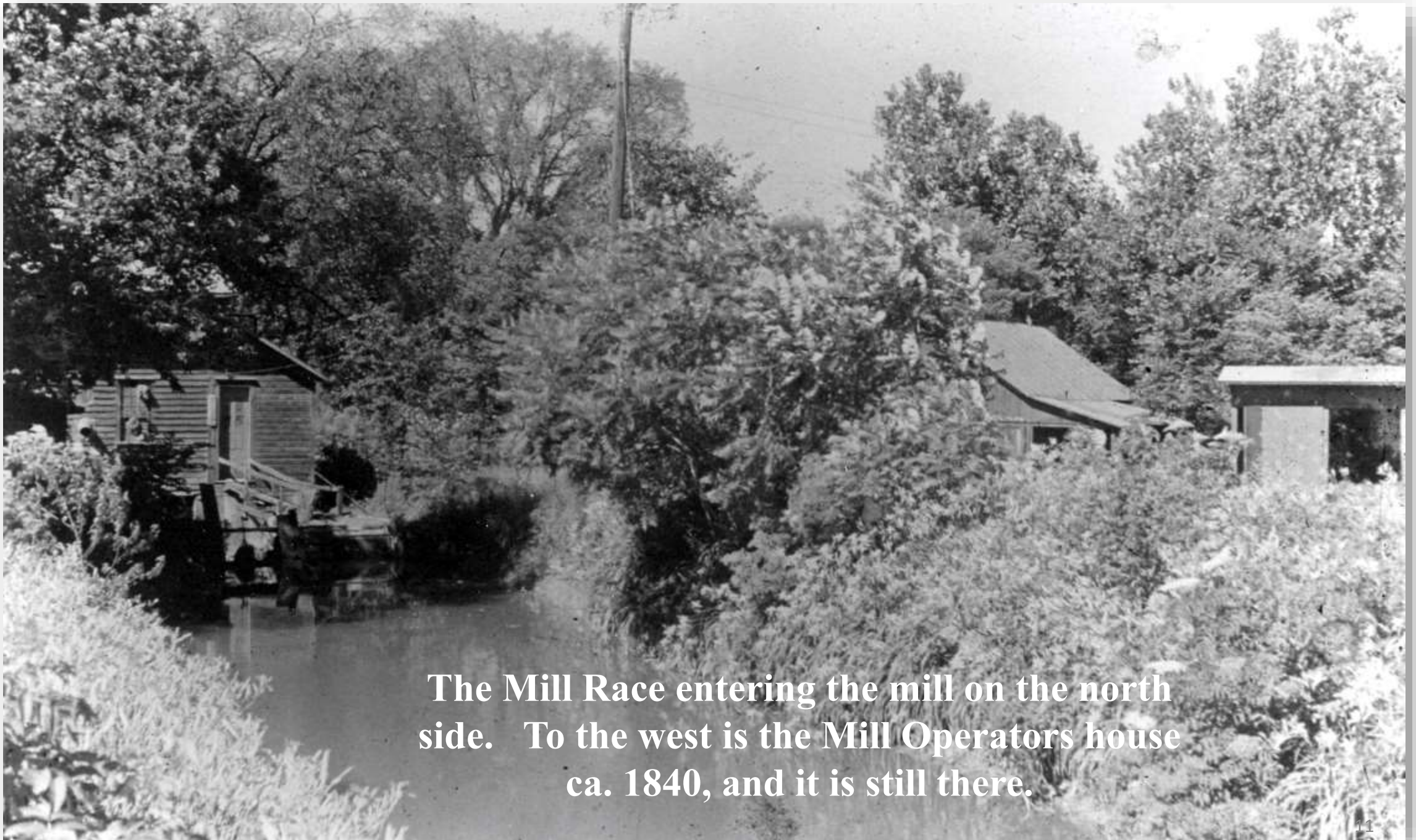


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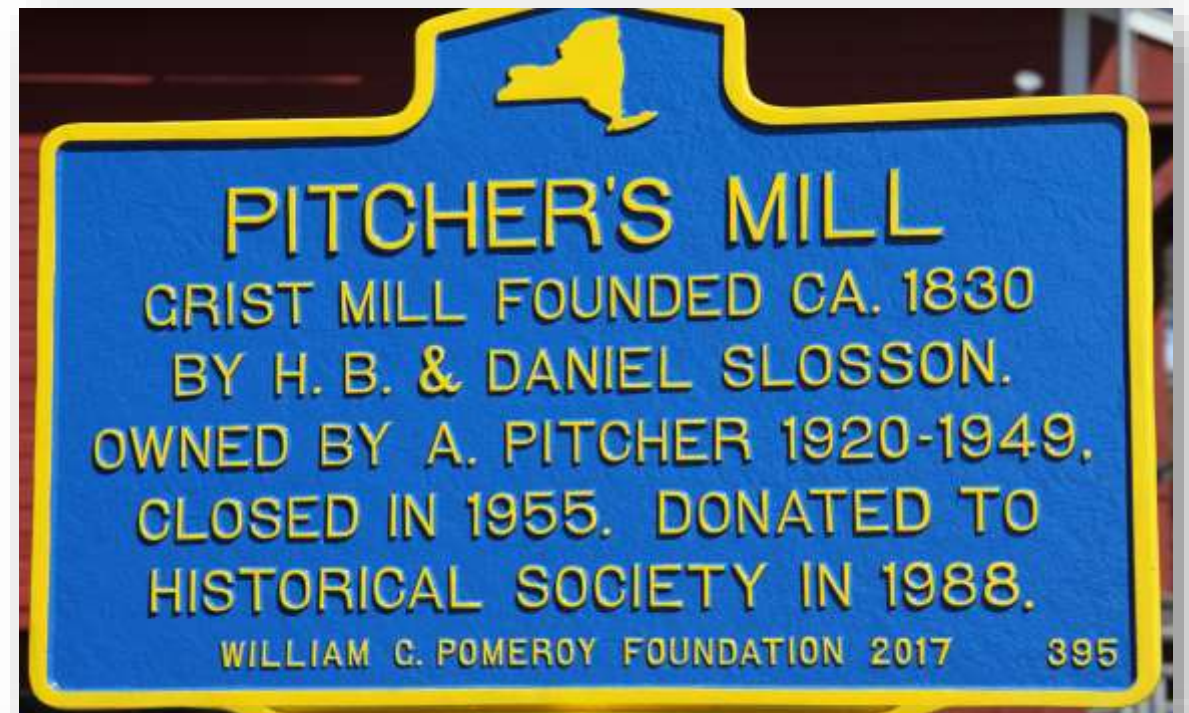
Image of “Pitchers Grist Mills” perhaps featuring Archie (left) and his sisters Inas and Inah. The man right might be Carl Hirsch worker of the mill at that time. The mill changed throughout the years; in this early photo an addition was to the north of the main building. Also, the road to the east of the mill was much lower than it is today.



Left top 1988 Mill, upper right 1900, bottom left 2020



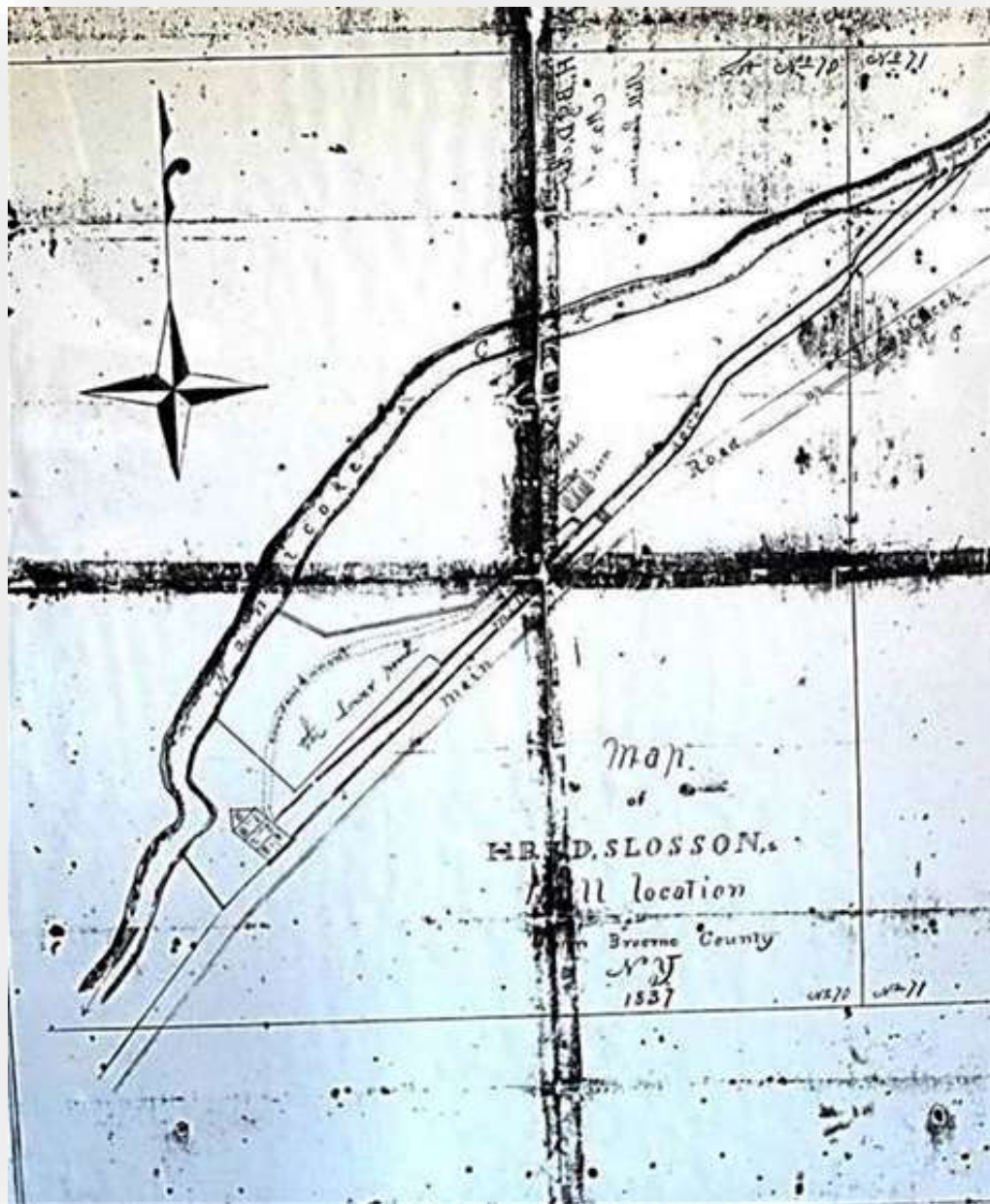
**The Mill Race entering the mill on the north side. To the west is the Mill Operators house ca. 1840, and it is still there.**



4.16.2018 Dedication of Roadway Sign, Tom Kotasek and Lucas Kaczynski; extreme right photo Lucas and Phil Childs<sup>42</sup> with sign



Location, upstream from the mill where a dam was constructed to divert the creek water from Nanticoke Creek towards the mill. See next slide.



Hand drawn map of the area around the Mill in 1837. A copy of this image hangs in the office of the mill. The Main Road, now NYS Route 26, ended about one half mile south of the mill and crossed the creek via a bridge where it connected to Tiona Road and Nanticoke Road. The lower mill pond was kept full by a “race” that paralleled the road and joined the creek near the barn which has the flag painted on it. The map was hand drawn by Daniel Slosson.





The original mill was enlarged in 1848 and run by Dr. William Butler and William Lincoln. Electricity was installed after 1941. The property was sold to the Lainhart family in 1945, closing in 1955.



The sign to the left lists many of the products that the mill blended.

**Mill History**

Maine posses an historic site that few communities in the United States can display. It's an old water power grist mill, using massive millstones to grind grain into feed or flour. At one time the mill had three sets of millstones and had a grinding capacity of between two and three tons of grist per day. Flour from this mill went west with the 49'ers. Sunrise Pancake Flour made at the mill, from locally grown buckwheat, was exceptionally famous.

Pitcher's mill is one of Broome County's oldest landmarks. It was built in 1830 by brothers, Daniel and Beldon Slosson. Hand hewn red beech timbers 10x14 inches constitute the frame work of the building and were cut from the virgin forest on the hills nearby. The millstones made of Nova Scotia granite are four feet in diameter and weigh almost a ton each. Picking and trimming the furrows (sharpening) of the millstones was a regular task in order to grind fine flour. This was done twice a year by a skilled "stone chipper".

In 1848 the mill was enlarged to its present size by Dr. William Buttler and William Lincoln. The mill was sold to John P. Davis and Nathan Howard who in turn later sold it to Seth Carman and Abram Green. Archie R. Pitcher bought the mill in 1925 and continued to grind flour and feed until 1941. The famous logo "Sunrise Pancake Flour" was developed by Mr. Pitcher in the mid 30s. The logo and the name Pitcher's Mills have been retained since. The last remaining mill hand known to have worked in the mill while powered by water is Ray Lantz, (in the early 40s). Between 1941 and 1945 the mill belonged to Carl and Eva-Bell Taylor. It was during this period of ownership and operation that water power was abandoned in favor of electric power. Howard Taft operated a John Deere tractor and machinery dealership from the flour packing warehouse, across the road. John and Elsie Lainhardt became the owners in 1945 and operated the mill till 1955, when the millstones turned their last. From the mid 20's to mid 50's, the task of dressing the burrs, (sharpening the millstones) was done by Mr. Kibbey, who lived on Solon Pond in North Pitcher. He drove the 40 miles to Maine in his Model-T Ford, spent the rest of the day "chipping", and stayed the night in the millers house. The next day he would complete the job and drive back to Solon Pond. Mr. Kibbey drove only Model-Ts, up to 1961! The "Little Giant" turbine (water motor) was sold in 1947 to New Hope Mills of Moravia, NY, and is still in use. In 1957 John Weld purchased the mill properties. The Welds were the last owners to live in the miller's house, located next to the creek, behind the mill. Then in 1985 the Bowers Foundation purchased the mill for the expressed purpose of being restored as an educational and historic exhibit, open to the public. In 1988 the Bowers Foundation, under the direction of Janet Bowers Bothwell, gave the mill to our local Nanticoke Valley Historical Society.

Since 1957 the large millstones, grinders, mixer, sifters and grain elevators have stood silent. Our mill is silently waiting for the opportunity to "speak" to our future generations, to show a proud part of our past,.... a part of Broome County, a piece of America!

Thomas J. Kotasek

Chairman of Restoration Committee  
Nanticoke Valley Historical Society



The Mill was constructed ca 1830 by Daniel and Beldon Slosson

5 LBS. NET



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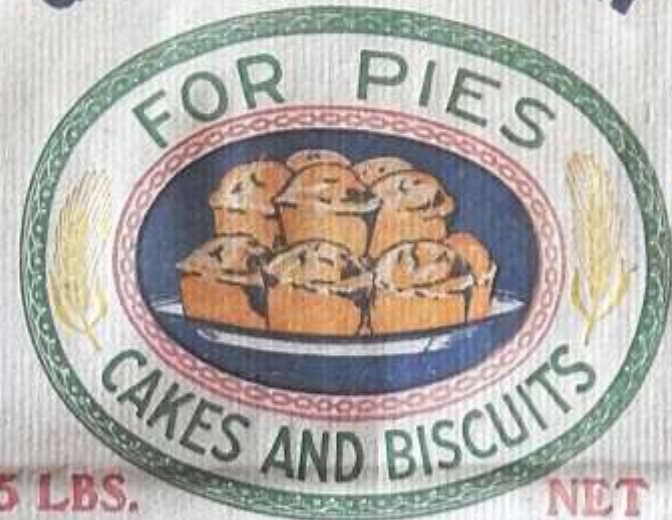
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PACKED BY

**PITCHER'S MILLS,**  
MAINE, N. Y.

Two five pound bags which would have held Pitcher's products.

**GOLDEN GRAIN**



5 LBS.

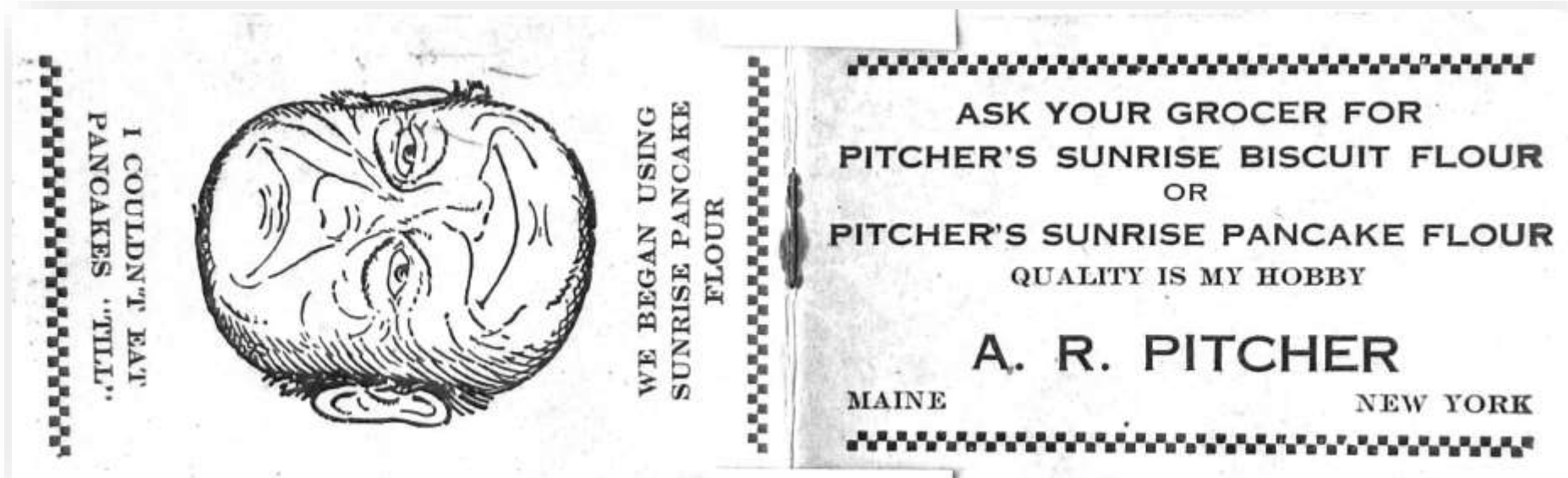
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**FANCY PASTRY  
FLOUR**

BLEACHED  
MILLED EXPRESSLY  
FOR

**A. R. PITCHER**  
MAINE, N. Y.

## Pitcher's Grist Mills – Advertising Give Aways



Above A "topsy-turvy" used as an advertisement for Pitcher's Mills— ca 1940

Below a six inch cardboard ruler handed out by Pitcher's Mills



## Grinds Out Buckwheat Flour

Turn back the years to not so long ago and recall the mornings you'd awaken in the cold of the winter to the smell of frying buckwheat pancakes and boiling coffee.

Your mother would begin the buckwheat pancake season about the same time the ground froze solid, and would continue it well into spring the following year. Her last duty each night before going to bed was usually "setting" the batter for the following morning.

The first batch of batter was permitted to stand a few days before it was used. At no time during the season would all the batter be used. A little was always left in the batter jug for the next day's breakfast. Always slightly sour to taste, a breakfast of buckwheat cakes with head-cheese, honey or maple syrup, washed down with buckets of boiled, not percolated or dripped, coffee, was an excellent brace against the winter weather.

### Grain From Broome

A. R. Pitcher of Maine still makes the flour necessary for buckwheat cakes if you are ever so inclined to try to make them yourself. The grain used, for most part, is grown in Broome County and Mr. Pitcher retains the old-fashioned method of grinding a stone, to produce his product.

Vicinity farmers take their buckwheat to Mr. Pitcher's mill which, in times of high water, is run by water power. When the water is low, however, he resorts to electricity to turn the stone.

The kernels of buckwheat are poured through a hole in the floor of the grist mill into a bin. They are then conveyed by elevator to the top floor and sent through a cleaning machine. Dropped back downstairs, the grain is scoured and conveyed again to the top floor of the building before it is dropped through a chute onto the swiftly revolving stone. When the ground flour comes off the stone it is sent back upstairs by elevator and run through a silk drum which separates it into

four grades. One grade goes back to the stone for further grinding, one is used for flour, the third is used in cowfeed and the shucks are thrown away.

The grinding stone, which is made of Nova Scotia granite, weighs almost a ton and is four feet in diameter. It is sharpened twice a year by a specialized stone mason. The shucks, incidentally, are unceremoniously dumped as no one has yet been able to find a use for buckwheat shucks.

### Mill Is Oldtimer

Mr. Pitcher's mill is one of Broome County's oldest landmarks. It was built in 1830 by Daniel and Beldon Slauson. Hand-hewn red beech timbers, 10 by 14 inches, constitute the framework of the building. In 1848 it was enlarged to its present size by Dr. William Butler and William Lincoln. Seth Carman, a miller, purchased the mill in 1870 from a Mr. Howard who had previously bought it from the partners.

The grist mill, which Mr. Pitcher bought 28 years ago, has been in continuous operation since it was built in 1830. At one time it boasted of three grinding stones but two of them have given way to more modern equipment.

The mill has a grinding capacity of between two and three tons a day. Mr. Pitcher manufactures two products, a straight buckwheat flour and a prepared product for those who want buckwheat pancakes only once in a while and not every morning.

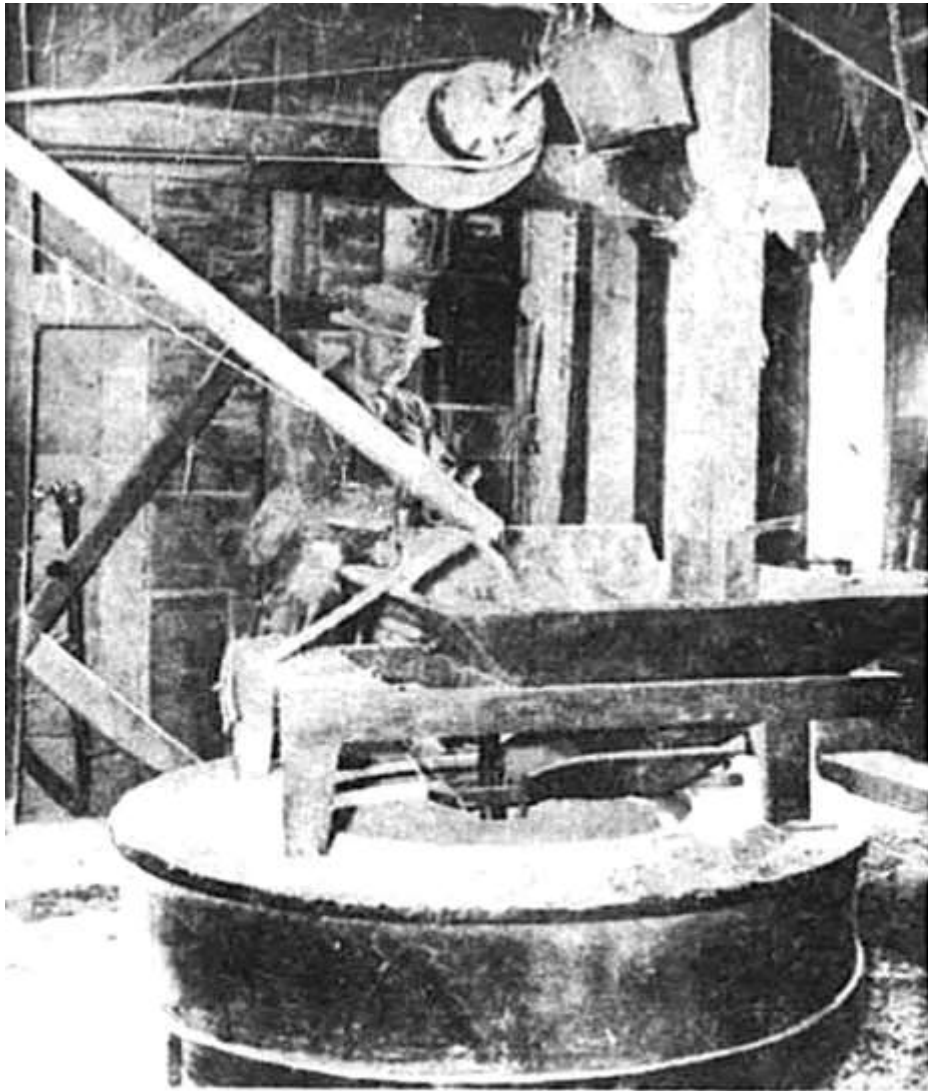


—All Photos by a Binghamton Press Photographer.

**JUST ADD MILK**—Mr. Pitcher and Carl Hirsch can bag eight five-pound bags of flour a minute. One of the buckwheat products Mr. Pitcher manufactures is a prepared buckwheat flour which is ready for use with the addition of milk or water.



Same machine today that was in 1943 article.



**ROUND AND ROUND SHE GOES**—A. R. Pitcher of Maine, whose grist mill has been in operation continuously since 1830, inspects some buckwheat as it enters the old-fashioned grinding stones to be ground into buckwheat flour. Mr. Pitcher has been owner and operator of the mill for the last 28 years.

Archie Pitcher owned the mill from 1925 - 1941 and gave his name to the building. The mill closed in 1955. During the summer months on Sundays you can get a tour of the mill from 1-4. This Press & Sun Bulletin photo is from 1943



**Same millstone as in article to the left.**

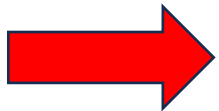


**Roger Luther** · [Follow](#)

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100 Years Ago Today – March 11, 1926

Another snowstorm is headed toward Binghamton. The rain will change to snow, falling tonight and tomorrow, and it is possible that several inches of snow will fall.



Lost – Bag of corn, between Binghamton and Union.  
A.R. Pitcher, Maine, N.Y.

**Preservation  
Association of the  
Southern Tier  
PAST 1999 award to  
Pitcher's Mills**



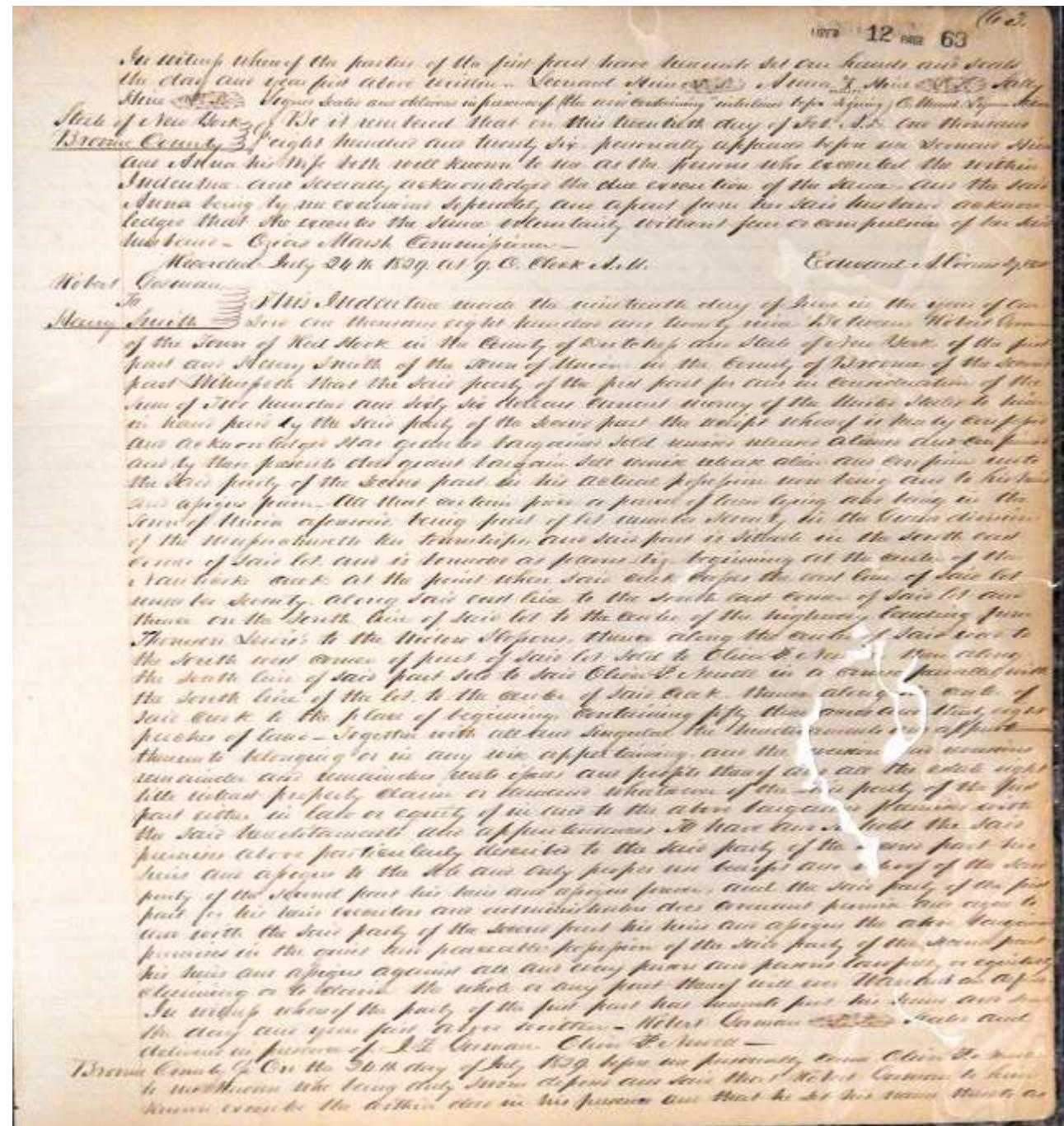


Mill Keepers  
House,  
behind the  
Mill and  
next to  
Nanticoke  
Creek.  
Photo ca  
1938 by  
Clement  
Bowers

“Grist Mill what did it make? “A gristmill (also: grist mill, corn mill or flour mill) grinds grain into flour. The term can refer to both the grinding mechanism and the building that holds it.” One of the main products was animal feed. The flour was of high quality and in 1849 was shipped to California. From 1925 to 1941 it was owned and operated by Archie Pitcher. After 1941 the mill was powered by an electric motor. The Lainhart family owned and operated the mill from 1945 to 1955. The mill no longer operated after that and the electric motor was sold to New Hope Mills in Moravia NY where it still operates.

In 1985 the **Bowers Foundation** purchased the mill with the hope of restoring it. The Bowers Foundation donated the mill to the NVHS in 1988 and the rest as they say is history thanks to Tom Kotasek and many volunteers.”

**Part of the original deed (Indenture) July 29, 1829 transferring the mill site . Book 12 Page 63**



PITCHER'S MILL LAND RECORDS

Researched in Broome County, NY Clerk's Office 1996

GRANTOR	GRANTEE	LIBER/PAGE	DATED/FILED	LOCATION
Robert Gossman	Henry Smith	12/63	June 19, 1829/July 24, 1829	Tn of Union, Broome Co. NY; p/o Lt 70 GDBP 53 A 38Perches
Henry Smith & Wife	John Fisher	12/64	July 24, 1829/July 24, 1829	Same as 12/63
Daniel Locke & Wife	William West & Daniel Slosson	18/400	Sept. 3, 1836/Sept. 3, 1836	
Nathan Howard & Wife	Seth Carman	79/569		
Benjamin F. Lewis & Wife	Seth Carman	79/495		
John T. Davis & Wife	Seth Carman	79/496		
Seth Carman	Abram H. Green	83/527	1870/1870	1/2 Int in Mill, property P/o Lt 70 GDBP 2A117Rods + 2A2roods8Rods
Seth Carman by Extr Abram H. Green by Extr	Harry I VanSice et al Harry I VanSice & Emma	263/350 263/351	Feb 15, 1916/feb 21, 1916 Feb 15, 1916/Feg 21, 1915	See the 3 deeds in Liber 79 1/2 Int see 18/40 & 83/527 & Will of Abram 120/122
Harry I VanSice & Emma Emma F VanSice, Widow	Broome Co. David Coleman	281/54 284/422	July 23,1918/July 24,1918 Feb 13, 1919/Mar 25, 1919	Road Right of Way Life Use
Emma F. VanSice, Wid Harry I VanSice & David Coleman, wid.	(Philip N. Pitcher) Archie R. Pitcher & Ellana M. Pitcher	294/559	Mar 4, 1920/Jun 11, 1920	Parcel 1 is Mill Property; Parcel 2 is in 18/400 of Lt70GDBP
Archie N. Pitcher et al Philip N. Pitcher, et al Ina Pitcher Demond & Alice P. Blatchley	Philip N. Pitcher R. Carl & Pitchers Mills, Inc Eva Belle Taylor	379/179	Sep 9, 1927	E. side of Rt. 26
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John R. & Elsie L.Lainhardt Ann B. Weld Ann B. Weld Bowers Foundation	John S. & Ann B. Weld John S. Weld Bowers Foundation Nanticoke Valley Historical Assoc	1092/651 1239/817 1434/329 1743/34	Jun 16, 1965/Jun 18, 1965 May 27,1976/May 28, 1976 Feb 14, 1985/feb 21, 1985 Dec 29, 1988/Dec 30, 1988	70 ft. frontage on Rt. 26, 0.58 Acre





## Lessons in an Old Mill

A tingling blush of fright  
Seems always, these days,  
To be running through and around.

Can we make it ... What if .. But ...  
I don't know, We just don't know  
Freaking out.

But, there in a dark corner  
Of this old grist mill  
I can sit among these ancient tools.

In their midst I can feel a calming,  
Like a strong arm around me.  
They say that others have  
Made it  
Others have.

Shipway



**Anita Shipway author of this poem about Pitcher's Grist Mills. She was a mill docent for many years.**

# FAMILY REGISTER.



FAMILY NAMES.

BORN, WHEN & WHERE.

MARRIED, WHEN & BY WHOM.

DIED WHEN & WHERE.

PARENTS:

Philip Pitcher  
 Annie James Pitcher

Maine April 27-1838  
 Middleburg Schoharie Co N.Y.

November 27 1873

Maine Dec 31-1892  
 Oct 26-1926

CHILDREN:

Birdello Pitcher  
 Archie Rich Pitcher  
 Inas Pitcher  
 " " Moulton  
 Inah Pitcher

Maine N.Y. Oct 30-1874  
 Maine N.Y. Aug 13 1889  
 Maine N.Y. May 12 1885  
 " " " " "  
 Maine N.Y. May 12-1885

Oct 19-1910  
 Jan 4-1910 Daniel Stocker  
 Nov 24-1931 Lynn Brown  
 March 17-1909 E E Pearce

Dec 14<sup>th</sup> 1875

Grand Children

Philip Norton Pitcher  
 Alice Margaret Pitcher  
 Great Grand Children  
 Geo Norton Pitcher  
 David Boyd Blatchley  
 John Mark Pitcher

Maine N.Y. Mar 13-1903  
 Maine N.Y. Dec 25 1914  
 Springville Pa Mar. 22 1942  
 Bundett N.Y. June 4<sup>th</sup> 1942  
 Springville Pa Mar. 10<sup>th</sup> 1945

From the Pitcher Family Bible

# Genealogy of Pitcher Family 1620 - 2003

**Daniel (abt. 1620 - bef. 1666)**

**Peter Betzer (1640 - 1677)**

**Hermann Betzer (abt. 1669 - 1716)**

**Peter Betzer (abt. 1697 - abt. 1768)**

**William Betzer (1725 - 1800)**

**Peter "Pieter" Pitcher aka Betzer (1750 - 1829)**

**Wilhelmus Pitcher 1777-1849**

**Jeremiah Pitcher 1799-1872**

**Philip Pitcher April 27, 1838 - December 31 1892**

**Archie Rich Pitcher 1880-1945**

**Reverend Philip Norton Pitcher 3.13.1913- 1.19.1995**

**Alice Margaret Pitcher 12.25.1914 -9.26.2003**



Germany

**Starting with Daniel Betzer (abt. 1620 - bef. 1666)**

Born about 1620 [uncertain] in Nister, Westerwaldkreis, Rhineland-Pfalz, Germany

Died before 1666 about age 46 [location unknown]. Mother is unknown

# Genealogy of Pitcher Family 1620 - 2003

## Peter Betzer (1640 - 1677)

Born 1640 in Nassau, Bavaria, Germany

Died 1677 at about age 37 in Hachenburg, Rhineland-Palatinate, Germany

\*\*When Peter Betzer was born in 1640 in Nassau, Bavaria, Germany, his father, **Daniel**, was 20. He married Ann Els Zimmermann in 1666 in Ge, Nimba, Liberia. and they had two children together. He died in 1677 in Hachenburg, Rhineland-Palatinate, Germany, at the age of 37.

## Ann Elisabeth (Zimmermann) Betzer (abt. 1645)

Born about 1645 [uncertain] in Nister, Rhineland-Palatinate, Germany

Died [date unknown] married 12 Jan 1666 [location unknown] at age 21

Wife of Peter Jung — married 1677 [location unknown] at age 32

Mother of: 3 children: Anna Eva (Betzer) Schuch , Unknown Betzer and Hermann Betzer

[Ann Elisabeth \(Zimmermann\) Betzer \(abt.1645-\) | WikiTree FREE Family Tree](#)

- Source S289
- Title: The Palatine Families of New York 1710
- Abbreviation: Jones, Palatine Families of NY
- Author: Henry Z. Jones Jr.
- Publication: Henry Z. Jones, Jr., Universal City, CA, 1985
- <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/6281648/person/24066176043/story>

**Hermann Betzer** (abt. 1669 - 1716)

Born about 1669 [uncertain] in Hachenburg, Westerwaldkreis, Rheinland-Pfalz, Germany

Died 1716 at about age 47 in **New York Colony** [uncertain]. **First family** member in this lineage to live here.

**Wife: Elsa Maria Frantz** (abt. 1666 - 1716)

Born about 1666 [uncertain] in Heiliges Römisches Reich

Died 1716 at about age 50 in New York

Children 4: including **Peter Betzer**

**Peter Betzer** (abt. 1697 - abt. 1768)

Born about 1697 [uncertain] in Hachenburg, Rhineland-Palatinate [uncertain]

Died about 1768 [uncertain] at about age 71 in **Rhinebeck, Dutchess, New York**

**Anna Catharina Philips** (abt. 1694 - 1756)

Born about 1694 [uncertain] in Oberweiler, Alb-Donau-Kreis, Baden-Württemberg, Germany [uncertain]

Died 6 Jan 1756 at about age 62 in Columbia, New York [uncertain] married 1719 in East Camp Columbia NY age 22

One child: William (Wilhem)

**William Betzer** Willem Betzer, (1725 - 1800)

Born 1725 in Altstadt, Bad Kissingen, Bayern, Heiliges Römisches Reich

Died 14 Apr 1800 at about age 75 in **Rhinebeck, Dutchess, New York**

and **Magdalena (Dunsbach) Betzer** married in Germantown, Columbia NY at age 20

two children:

**Peter** and Henrich (Henry) Pitcher 1762 - 1838

**Peter "Pieter" *Petrus* Pitcher aka **Betzer** (1750 - 1829) \*\*\* see next page for more detail**

Born 8 May 1750 in Rhinebeck, Dutchess, New York Colony

Died 29 Dec 1829 at age 79 in Knox, Albany, New York, USA

**Wife: Elisabeth Mohr** (1756)

Born 1756 in Germantown, Columbia, New York Colony — married before 1777 [location unknown] at age 26

Died 7 March 1827, in her hometown

**Children:** Wilhelmas Pitcher and **Peter Pitcher**

### **Brief Life History of Petrus**

When **Petrus Betzer** was born on **8 May 1750**, in Rhinebeck, Dutchess, New York Colony, British Colonial America, his father, Willem Betzer, was 25 and his mother, Magdalena Dunsbach, was 22. He married Elizabeth Mohr about 1776, in New York, United States. They were the parents of at least **9 sons and 2 daughters**. He lived in Red Hook, Red Hook, Dutchess, New York, United States in 1840. He died on 29 December 1829, in **Knox, Albany, New York**, United States, at the age of 79.

### **Brief Life History of Elizabeth**

When **Elizabeth Mohr** was born in **1756**, in Germantown, Columbia, New York, United States, her father, Johannes Georg Mohr, was 41 and her mother, Eliesabetha Conradt, was 30. She married Petrus Betzer about 1776, in New York, United States. They were the **parents of at least 9 sons and 2 daughters**. She died on 7 March 1827, in her hometown, at the age of 71.

### **Brief Life History of Wilhelmas**

When **Wilhelmas Pitcher** was born on **11 September 1777**, in Albany, Albany, New York, United States, his father, Petrus Betzer, was 27 and his mother, Elizabeth Mohr, was 21. He married **Eve Zimmer** about 1798, in Albany, New York, United States. They were the parents of at least **4 sons and 1 daughter**. He lived in Knox, Albany, New York, United States for about 10 years and Tioga, **Tioga, New York**, United States in 1850. He died on 11 December 1849, in Candor, Candor, Tioga, New York, United States, at the age of 72, and was buried in **Zimmer Cemetery, Newark Valley**, Tioga, New York, United States. See next page for more on Wilhelmas.

**Wilhelmus Pitcher 1777-1849 Zimmer Cemetery Newark Valley \*\*\* check previous page for more**  
**Eve Zimmer Pitcher 1782-1851 Zimmer Cemetery On Lewis St half way to Newark Valley**

**Three Children:**

**Jeremiah Pitcher 1799-1872 Hollenbeck Cemetery (8 Children)**

Peter W. Pitcher 1806-1882 Maine Cemetery (9 Children)

William W. Pitcher 1814-1902 Berne Albany County 6 Children)



**Jeremiah Pitcher** January 17, 1799 – August 17, 1872 born and died Knox Albany, NY  
Buried in **Hollenbeck Cemetery Newark Valley Tioga County NY. On Lewis St**  
Just before Miller Road

**Married (2)**

**Eunice Hollenbeck Pitcher 9.7.1806 - 9.3.1840 (43 y.o.) Hollenbeck Cemetery**

**Margaret Kress Pier Pitcher 3.16.1801 – 3.29.1880 (79 y.o.) Maine Cemetery**

**Eight children:**

Eva Ann Pitcher Zimmerman 1825-1897

Caroline Pitcher Bunzey 1832-1909

Amanda Pitcher 1835-1851

Mary Pitcher Dingman 1836-1872

**Philip Pitcher 1838-1892**

Harrison Pitcher 1841-1919

Elias Pitcher 1844-1924

Susannah Pitcher 1849-1850



**Jeremiah Pitcher Grave 1799 – 1872**



Inah, Archie, Inas

Annie Zimmer Pitcher

**Philip Pitcher** April 27, 1838 - December 31, 1892 Allentown Cemetery  
Married November 27 1873

**Annie Zimmer Pitcher** March 5, 1852 October 26 1926 Allentown  
Cemetery

### Four Children:

#### Children (4)

**Birdella H. Pitcher** 1874-1875

**Archie Rich Pitcher** 1880-1945 (m) October 19, 1910

Annie Zimmer Pitcher 1852-1926

**Inah P. Smith** 1885-1955 (m) March 17, 1909

Herman D. Smith

**Inas Pitcher Ferris** 1885-1967

(m) January 4, 1910 Ray Lexius Moulton 1886-1962

(m) 1931 Herman Fenton Demond Jr. 1880-1944

(m) 1947 Dean M. Ferris 1880-1954

#### Grand Children

Philip Norton Pitcher 3.13.1913

Alice Margaret Pitcher 12.25.1914

#### Great Grand Children

George Norton Pitcher 3.22.1942

David Boyd Blatchley 6.4.1942

John Mark Pitcher 3.10.1945

NANTICOKE SPRINGS PETROLEUM AND MINING COMPANY.

Capital Stock, \$50,000 00. Shares, \$25 00 Each.

TRUSTEES.

JAMES B. BALCH,  
AMOS K. MATTESON,

WILLIAM LINCOLN,  
N. W. WRIGHT,  
WILLIAM BUTLER.

A. P. KEELER,  
S. B. FOSTER,

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RECEIVED, *Nov 30*  
*twelve*

1865, of *Philip Pitcher*  
Dollars, in *and fifty Cents*

payment for

Shares of the Stock of the *Nanticoke Springs Petroleum and Mining*

*Company*, which is to entitle him to a Certificate of the Stock of said Company, for said number of Shares on

and surrendering this Receipt.

*W. Lincoln* AGENT.

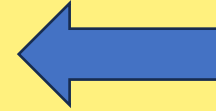
Shares  
purchased  
by **Philip  
Pitcher**  
November  
30<sup>th</sup> 1865.  
What's the  
Story?



Inas and Inah - twins



**Birdella H. Pitcher** **BIRTH** 1 Nov 1874  
**DEATH** 14 Dec 1875 (aged 1)  
**BURIAL** Hollenbeck Cemetery  
Newark Valley, Tioga County, New York,



**Philip Pitcher**  
**BIRTH** 27 Apr 1838  
Maine, New York  
**DEATH** 31 Dec 1892 (aged 54)  
Maine, New York  
**BURIAL** Allentown Cemetery  
Four Children



Mrs. J. Bunzey at Maine helping to care for her brother, Philip Pitcher who is ill. (Oak Hill News of 9 Dec. 1892)

Philip Pitcher of Bower's Corners died suddenly Sat. evening Was in failing health, had spinal problems. Leaves widow and 3 children. (Maine News of 3 Jan. 1893)

### Parents of Ellana:

**George Elizur Norton** 1845-1931

Pvt, Co, E, 50th NY Engineers, Civil War

**Alice Ring Norton** 1848 – 1933

both Maine, Cemetery

### Archie Rich Pitcher

8.10.1880 – 3.11.1945 Allentown Cemetery

### Wife: Ellana Gertrude Norton Pitcher

12.7.1881 – 10.14.1946 died in Springville, Susquehanna County, PA

Allentown Cemetery

**Married:** 10.17.1910



NORTON  
PITCHER  
STARIE  
Ellana Gertrude Norton married Wed. 19 Oct., at home of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. George Norton to Archie Rich Pitcher, only son of Mrs. Annie Pitcher, by Rev. John W. Starie of Savannah, NY, and former pastor of the bride. Miss Grace Norton was maid of Honor. The couple left for Albany honeymoon and New York City.  
(not dated - ca 1900-05)

### Children (2)

**Philip Norton Pitcher** \*Valedictorian UEHS 1931

1913-1995

**Alice Pitcher Blatchley** \* see slide 49

1914-2003 Cortland Rural Cemetery

“When Ellana G. Norton was born on 7 December 1881, in Maine, Broome, New York, United States, her father, George E. Norton, was 36 and her mother, Alice Ring, was 33. They ran the Norton Wagon Works in Bowers Corners. She married Archie Rich Pitcher on 17 October 1910, in Broome, New York, United States. They were the parents of 1 son and 1 daughter.”



Trip to  
New York City  
7.10.1907  
The touring  
vehicle is electric.  
Not sure who is  
shown on the  
vehicle.

*New York 7/10/07*



**Mr. and Mrs. Herman D. Smith      Sister of Archie**

**Inah P. Smith –**  
BIRTH 12 May 1885  
MARRIED 1909  
DEATH 4 Jun 1955 (aged 70)

**Herman D. Smith**  
BIRTH 1876  
DEATH 1961 (aged 84–85)  
BURIAL Riverside Cemetery  
Whitney Point NY

**MRS. INAH SMITH, 70,** of Whitney Point died Saturday afternoon at her home. She is survived by her husband, Herman D. Smith; a twin sister, Mrs. Inas Ferris of Maine; N. Y.; a niece, Mrs. Robert Blatchley of Cortland; a nephew, the Rev. Philip N. Pitcher of Milford, and several great-nieces and great-nephews. The body was moved to the Nichols Funeral Home, Whitney Point, where friends may call this evening.

“The name **Birdella** is of American origin and is a modern coinage that blends the word "bird" with the diminutive suffix “ella.” It is primarily used as a girl's name and is associated with imagery of small birds or avian grace. The name evokes a sense of freedom, song, and delicacy, reflecting the natural beauty of nature. Birdella is not widely used, but it carries a unique charm and is appreciated for its uncommonness and positive connotations.”

**Archie** or **Archy** is a given name, almost exclusively masculine, and a diminutive of Archibald, which is derived from the Germanic *ercan*, meaning “genuine”, and *bald*, meaning “bold.” It has been in use as an independent given name in the Anglosphere since the 19th century. It has increased in use in English-speaking countries in the 21st century.<sup>[1]</sup> The name has traditionally been well-used in the United Kingdom and has also been well-used in Australia and New Zealand. It was among the top 1,000 names for boys in the United States between 1880 and 1988,

The name "**Inah**" is of Hebrew origin and is typically used as a feminine given name. It is derived from the Hebrew name "Hannah," which means "grace" or "favor." People with the name Inah are often seen as kind, compassionate, and gentle individuals who bring a sense of grace and favor to those around them.

“The name **Inas** originates from Arabic and is primarily used for girls. It is derived from the root 'anisa (أنس), which means "to be friendly" or "to show kindness". The name conveys qualities such as sociability, warmth, compassion, and empathy, reflecting a person who values relationships and brings harmony to those around them. It is often associated with grace, elegance, and gentleness, making it a culturally significant choice in Arabic-speaking and Muslim communities. Pronunciation Inas is typically pronounced EE-nas, with emphasis on the first syllable.”





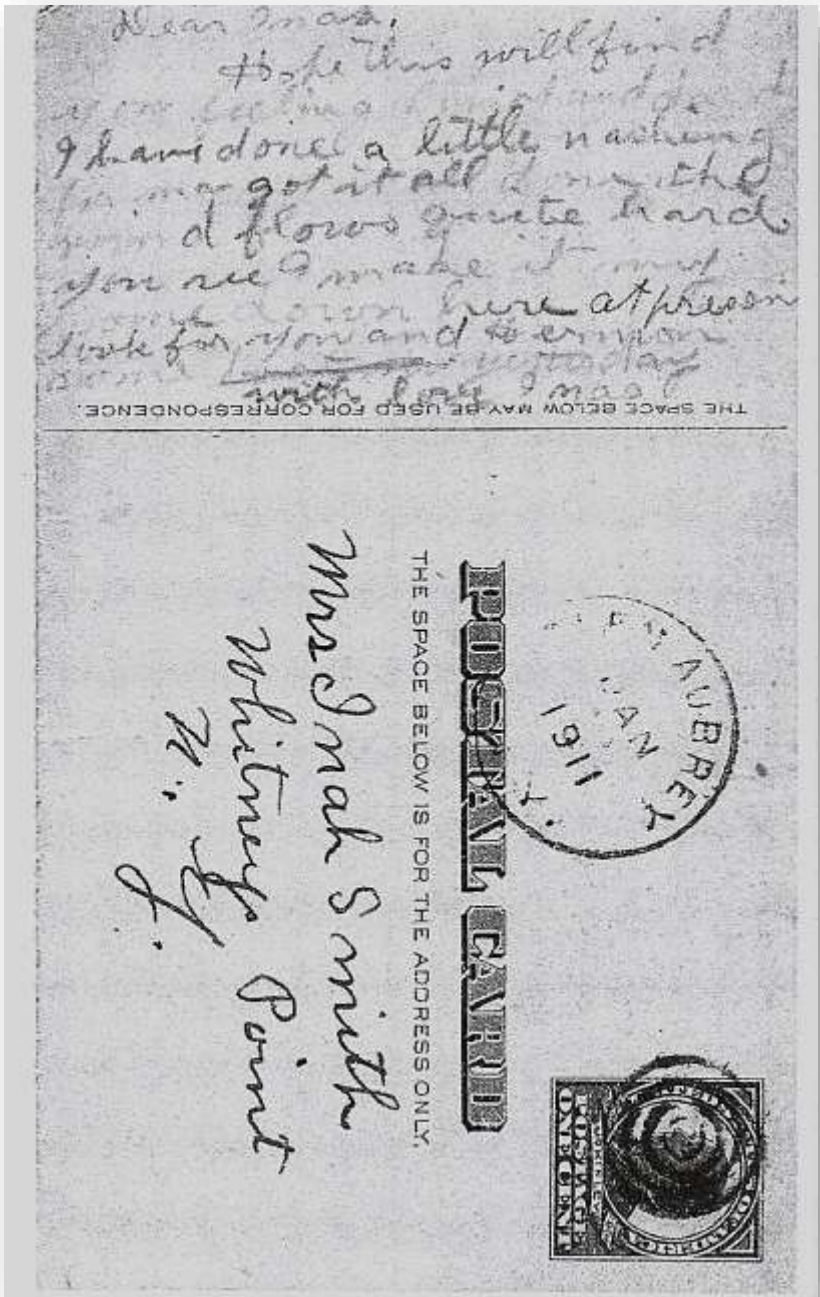
This Victrola was owned by Inas Pitcher. It was donated to the NVHS along with many records by Cheryl Abbot Pettyjohn, who lived next door to Inas. It is operated by a crank and you could adjust the volume by opening the front cabinet draws. You can find it today in the Bowers museum, 13 Nanticoke Road.

Jan 30 1911

Dear Inah & Herman how  
are you how I wish I  
could hear from you  
every day they all looked  
for you but I did not  
yesterday Inas is here  
with me yet Ray came  
yesterday and he told  
her to stay with me  
he said she would not  
rest if she was home  
so she had better stay  
so you need not worry  
for I have good care I  
thought this morning I  
was better but I don't  
know how you are feeling  
better when are you going  
to bring can't you come  
that way some Archie  
will meet you to union  
don't try to come on the  
stage for the road is awful  
rough they say good-bye with  
love  
Annie Pitcher

Jan 30 1911

Dear Inah and Herman. How are you.  
How I wish I Could hear from you  
every day, they all looked for you but I  
did not yesterday. Inas is here with me  
yet. Ray came yesterday and he told  
her to stay with me he said she would  
not rest if she was home. So, she had  
better stay so you need not worry for I  
have good care. I thought this morning  
I was better but I don't know how you  
are feeling better.  
When are you going to bring can't you  
come that way Archie will meet you to  
union. Don't try to come on the stage  
for the road is awful rough they say  
goodbye. With love. **Annie Pitcher**  
Dear Inah, Hope this will find  
you feeling in a .....I have done a  
little washing for me and got it all done  
.....  
With Love **Inas**



“Philip Norton Pitcher, born on March 13, 1913, and passing away on January 19, 1995, was a notable figure in family history. He was a Valedictorian of the University of Evansville and UEHS in 1931 Philip's family history includes a lineage that spans several generations, with records available through various genealogy resources. His contributions to education and his family legacy are commemorated in the historical records and memorials dedicated to him.” MyHeritage+2

Philip N Pitcher of Johnson City, Broome County, NY was born on March 13, 1913, and died at age 81 years old on January 19, 1995. Married: Ruth Marion Davis who was born in Massachusetts. They had 4 children.

### **Newspaper Endicott Bulletin**

Publication Aug 8 1927 - Endicott, Broome, New York, United States

Summary 12-year-old Phillip Pitcher broke his leg after falling from a horse.

Philip was a Methodist Minister until his passing in 1995.

Rev Phillip Norton  
Pitcher-Valedictorian  
of UE class of 1931-  
Passed on 1/19/1995-  
Age 81-RIP



## Historic Waits Methodist Episcopal Church and Cemetery

“The cornerstone? What was it? Where was it? Was there a cornerstone?

A cornerstone typically contains inscriptions with the building's name, date, architect, and key figures, often acting as a ceremonial marker for significant structures, but it can also be a hollowed-out stone holding a time capsule with documents, photos, newspapers, currency, and other items reflecting the era for future discovery, symbolizing the building's foundation and history. We have in our records, a copy of a letter written to the church stating when the church was resolved, the contents of the cornerstone were to be picked up by Philip and deposited for safe keeping at the conference. This letter was written on Wyoming Conference Binghamton District letterhead. Dated June 19th, 1973, and signed by **Philip Pitcher**. So it does appear that the contents were in the possession of the leaders of the church and cemetery association, because the letter states they needed to arrange to pick

them up. So, Where are they? Was there actually a cornerstone built into the foundation with important papers and other items pertaining to the starting of the church? A time capsule for future generations? We have contacted the Susquehanna United Methodist Archives in Upper NY, Mechanicsburg PA, and Tunkhannock PA. So far, we haven't found anything. We are still waiting for NY to reply. This should have been quite an event if the church in 1973 removed the cornerstone and revealed what was inside. Does anyone remember? Had a cornerstone been removed in 1973? “ Facebook



**PITCHER, PHILIP NORTON (son of Archie)**

Born: 3-13-1913 Maine NY married: Ruth Marion Davis

Died: 1-19-1995

obit: Wyoming Conference 1995, 320

1931 license

1935 admitted on trial

1937 ordained deacon

1938 ordained elder

Interment:

Obit: Wyoming Conference 1995, 321

1935-39 student

1939-41 Preston

1941-48 Springville – Dimock

1948-66 Milford

1966-70 Tunkhannock

1970-72 Norwich

1972-77 superintendent, Binghamton District

1977-80 Newark Valley

1980 retired

1980-83 Plymouth

Note: **Philip N. Pitcher is the father of Robert A. Pitcher.(next slide)**

[umarch.lycoming.edu/pastors\\_wyo.htm#p](http://umarch.lycoming.edu/pastors_wyo.htm#p)

## PITCHER, ROBERT ARCHIE

Note: Robert A. Pitcher is the son of Philip N. Pitcher. As of 2020 he was living in Hedgesville WV.

Born: 6-12-1947 Springville

married: Jane McDonell

Died:

obit:

1970 admitted on trial

1970 ordained deacon

Interment:

Obit:

1970-77 student

1977 discontinued

“Robert A. Pitcher ....was born on June 12, 1947. He has lived in Hedgesville, WV, and has also resided in Finksburg, MD, and Sykesville, MD. Robert is married and has family members, including Jane Pritcher and Kristopher Pitcher. His current address is reported as 3319 Rosalie Blvd, Lake Wales, FL. Robert's relationship status is married. Lila Clifton,

## Alice Margaret Pitcher Blatchley - Daughter of Archie

25 Dec 1914 - 26 Sep 2003 (aged 88)

HISTORIAN RETIRES Town Board Members: *Written By Valerie Schmidt.* Alice Margaret Pitcher “Blatchley was born on Christmas Day 1914, to Archie P. and Ellana G. Norton Pitcher. Her only sibling Philip was a Methodist Minister until his passing in 1995. The family lived in Maine N. Y. Her father delivered fruit & vegetables around, later he became the Binghamton area. owner of a mill that ground flour and had a water powered wheel. This mill is now a historical landmark in Maine N. Y. During her childhood Alice attended a one room schoolhouse N. Y. on Pollard Hill, Maine It had two doors one for boys and one for girls, double seated benches and no running water. This schoolhouse still exists in Maine N. Y. Alice went on to receive a Master’s Degree in Education from Cornell University in 1939. While teaching Home Economics in Poland N. Y., she met and married fellow teacher Robert Blatchley in 1941. He also graduated from Cornell University, receiving a Master’s degree in Agriculture. The Blatchley’ s relocated to Cortland in Cortland 1942 after Robert accepted a position as County 4- H Director. During his 30 years as director, he founded the 4- H Camp Owahta in Solon. Robert also served as the Town of Cortlandville’ s Supervisor from 1974 1977, past president and 30-year member of the Kiwanis Club and one of the founders and first president of the Cortland Antique Auto Club. The Blatchley’ s have four children..... Prior to Alice’ s 1978 appointment as Town Historian for Cortlandville, a position she held for 22 years, she taught within the Homer School District as a Home Economics Teacher for several years. As Town Historian Mrs. Blatchley speeches made public appearances, and kept all historical records of the town. In 1979, Alice served as Sesquicentennial Committee and contributed articles to the Sesquicentennial Commemorative Publication. In 1986 she helped write and publish " Cortlandville Churches". After many accomplishments and years of dedication Alice will be greatly missed as Cortlandville’ s Town Historian.

[www.cortlandville.gov/sites/g/files/vyhlf431/f/uploads/town\\_newsletter\\_-\\_2001-2\\_spring.pdf](http://www.cortlandville.gov/sites/g/files/vyhlf431/f/uploads/town_newsletter_-_2001-2_spring.pdf)

**Four Children:** David Blatchley June 4,1942-December 14, 2015 Cortland Rural Cemetery wife of: Sharon L. Blatchley February 14, 1943 –, Margaret an American Airline flight attendant, resides New Hampshire. in Diana who works with disadvantaged children in Colorado and Susan who works for the Library of Congress in Maryland.

**David Blatchley, 73**, of Cortland, **passed away December 14th, 2015** with family by his side. He was born June 4th, 1942 in Montour Falls, NY, the son of the late **Robert P. Blatchley and Alice Pitcher Blatchley**.

David is survived by his wife of 49 years, **Sharon Hines Blatchley**, daughter **Caitlin (Chad) Dehoff**, son **Rob (Heather) Blatchley**, grandsons, Carson, Calvin, Collin and Aven, sisters Margaret (Thomas) Davis, Diana Pitcher, Susan (Irving) Epstein and nieces and nephews.

David was Director of Communications at the Syracuse Developmental Center, as well as a Wedding and Freelance Photographer at Blatchley Enterprises. He was president of the Cortland Chapter of the Jaycee's and a J.C.I. Senator. David was also a board member and photographer for both the Cortland Repertory Theatre and Cultural Council of Cortland Co., and was instrumental in developing the Cortland Arts and Wine Festival.



**PITCHER GRAVES IN THE AREA**



Wilhelmus Pitcher 1777  
- 1849  
Buried in *Zimmer Cemetery*  
Newark Valley NY  
Total 70 Interments  
Six Pitcher Family  
Members buried here.



Jeremiah Picher (sp) 1799  
- 1872  
Buried in *Hollenbeck Cemetery* Newark Valley  
NY

Total 33 Interments  
Seven Pitcher Family  
Members buried here.

Seventeen Pitcher Family  
Members buried in  
*Allentown Cemetery*  
425 Interments



Peter Pitcher 1806-1882  
Buried in *Maine Cemetery*  
Total 2265 Interments  
Twenty-five Pitcher  
Family Members  
buried here.

**Allentown Cemetery**

**Maine Cemetery**

**Zimmer Cemetery**  
4006 Maine/Newark  
Valley Road – 4 miles  
west on Lewis Street

**Hollenbeck Cemetery**  
Newark Valley/Maine  
Road

About 2 miles west from  
rte 26 just before Miller  
Road

**Birdella H.**  
Born on Nov 1, 1874 -  
1875



Inas and Inah  
in the early  
1910's They  
are at their  
farm and  
their mother  
(Ellana) is  
standing  
behind the  
carriage.



**2796 State Route 26- Pitcher Farm**



The view above shows Pitcher's Grist Mill which dates from ca 1830. on the west side of State Route 26. It is less than a mile from the town of Maine and in the photo above the first house across the road and south from the Mill is the Pitcher family house and farm. The 1866 Plat map of map attributes the ownership of the property to Mrs. A. Pitcher and it is labeled as *Maple Lane*. The 1876 Plat map lists the owner as P. Pitcher. To the north was the John Steele Fisher farm then the Clover Leaf Farm owned by E.L. Vincent in 1866 was next to today's East Maine road. To the left is the abandoned "Pitcher house" today.



Photo used on the cover of: *Images of America Maine and the Nanticoke Valley* by Susan H. Lisk. The twins, Inah and Inas Pitcher are delivering milk to the H. A. Niles Creamery in Maine Village.” ca 1902



**Annie Zimmer Pitcher**

1852- 1926

**Archie Rich Pitcher**

1880-1945

**Inah P. Smith**

1885 -1955

**Inas P. Ferris**

1885 - 1967



## Brief Life History of Ellana G

When Ellana G Norton was born on 7 December 1881, in Maine, Broome, New York, United States, her father, George E Norton, was 36 and her mother, Alice Ring, was 33. **She married Archie Rich Pitcher on 17 October 1910**, in Broome, New York, United States. They were the parents of at least 1 son and 1 daughter. She lived in Binghamton, Broome, New York, United States in 1900 and Broome, New York, United States in 1920. She died on 14 October 1946, in Springville Township, Susquehanna, Pennsylvania, United States, at the age of 64, and was buried in Allentown Cemetery, Maine, Broome, New York, United States. [ancestors.familysearch.org/en/LWSJ-M4N/ellana-g-norton-1881-1946](https://ancestors.familysearch.org/en/LWSJ-M4N/ellana-g-norton-1881-1946)

STATE OF NEW YORK  
Affidavit for License to Marry

STATE OF NEW YORK  
County of Broome  
Town of Maine

Archie R. Pitcher and Ellana G. Norton applicants for a license for marriage, being severally sworn, depose and say, that to the best of their knowledge and belief the following statement respectively signed by us is true, and that no legal impediment exists as to the right of the applicants to enter into the marriage state.

FROM THE GROOM:	FROM THE BRIDE:
Full name <u>Archie R. Pitcher</u>	Full name <u>Ellana G. Norton</u>
Color <u>White</u>	Color <u>White</u>
Place of residence <u>Maine N.Y.</u>	Place of residence <u>Maine N.Y.</u>
Age <u>30 yrs.</u>	Age <u>28 yrs.</u>
Occupation <u>Farmer</u>	Occupation <u>Teacher</u>
Place of birth <u>Maine N.Y.</u>	Place of birth <u>Maine N.Y.</u>
Name of father <u>Philip Pitcher</u>	Name of father <u>Geo. E. Norton</u>
Country of birth <u>America</u>	Country of birth <u>America</u>
Maiden name of mother <u>Anna J. J. J.</u>	Maiden name of mother <u>Alice Ring</u>
Country of birth <u>America</u>	Country of birth <u>America</u>
Number of marriage <u>1st</u>	Number of marriage <u>1st</u>
Former wife or wives living or dead _____	Former husband or husbands living or dead _____
Is applicant a divorced person. _____	Is applicant a divorced person. _____
If so, when and where divorce or divorces were granted _____	If so, when and where divorce or divorces were granted _____

Archie R. Pitcher GROOM  
Ellana G. Norton BRIDE

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
17th day of Oct. 1910

J. Rennie Allen  
Clerk

Year	Name	Relationship	Sex	Age	Marital Status	Color	Place of Birth	Country of Birth	Occupation
6 71	Arnold	Son	M	14	S	White	New York	USA	
	Josephine	Head	F	44	M	White	East Galicia	East Galicia	
	Henry	Wife H	F	48	M	White	East Galicia	East Galicia	
	John	Son	M	23	S	White	New York	USA	
7 72	Hyak Steve	Head	M	24	M	White	New York	USA	
	Ellana	Wife H	F	24	M	White	Pennsylvania	Pennsylvania	
8 73	Pitcher Archie R.	Head	M	49	M	White	New York	USA	
	Ellana G.	Wife H	F	28	M	White	New York	USA	
	Philip M.	Son	M	17	S	White	New York	USA	

U.S. Census 1930

Oct 17 1910  
Archie and Ellana marriage license. Ellana occupation is listed as teacher, his as farmer.

# Archie Pitcher Registration for Military Service 9.12.1918

## REGISTRATION CARD

SERIAL NUMBER 2150 ORDER NUMBER 2895

1 Archie Rich Pitcher

2 PERMANENT HOME ADDRESS Maine Broome N.Y.

Age in Years 38 Date of Birth Aug 13 1880

RACE  
 White  Negro  Oriental  Indian  Hawaiian

U. S. CITIZEN  NATURALIZED  ALIEN  DEPORTED  NON-DEPORTED

15 What a citizen of the U. S., of what nation are you a citizen or subject?  
 PRESENT OCCUPATION Farmer EMPLOYER'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

16 PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS Maine Broome N.Y.

NEAREST RELATIVE Name Anna Pitcher Address Maine

I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE  
 F. M. G. G. Archie Rich Pitcher  
 Form No. 1 (Reg.)

## REGISTRAR'S REPORT 31-3-3-C

### DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT

HEIGHT			BUILD			COLOR OF EYES	COLOR OF HAIR
Tall	Medium	Short	Slender	Medium	Stout		
21 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	22	23	24	25 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	26	27 <u>blue</u>	28 <u>Brown</u>

29 Has person lost arm, leg, hand, eye, or is he obviously physically disqualified? (Specify.)  
no

30 I certify that my answers are true; that the person registered has read or has had read to him his own answers; that I have witnessed his signature or mark, and that all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:

Herbert M. Dwyer  
(Signature of Registrar)

Date of Registration Sept 12 18

Local Board for the County of Broome  
 605-606 Press Bldg., Binghamton, N. Y.  
 (STAMP OF LOCAL BOARD)

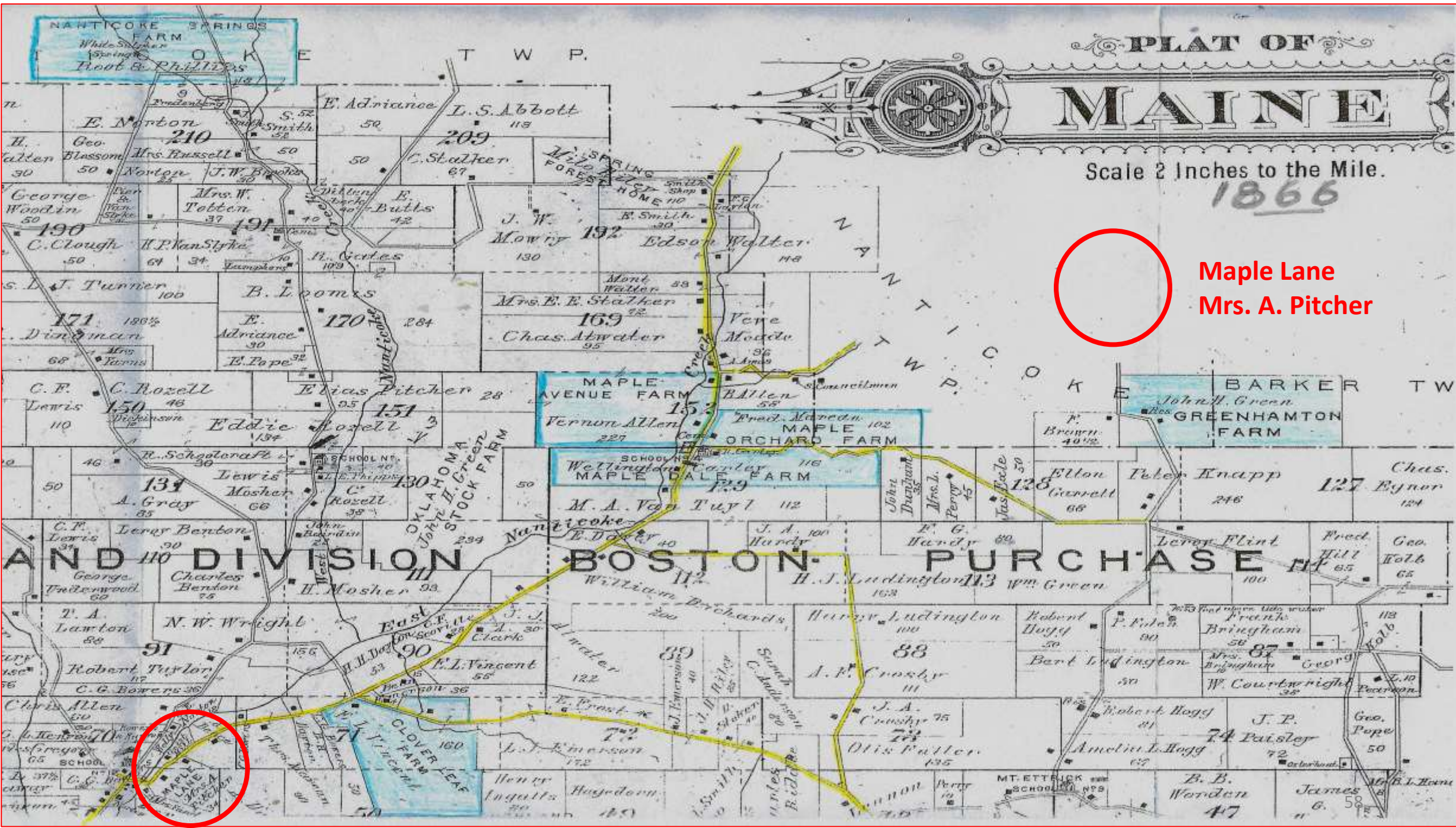
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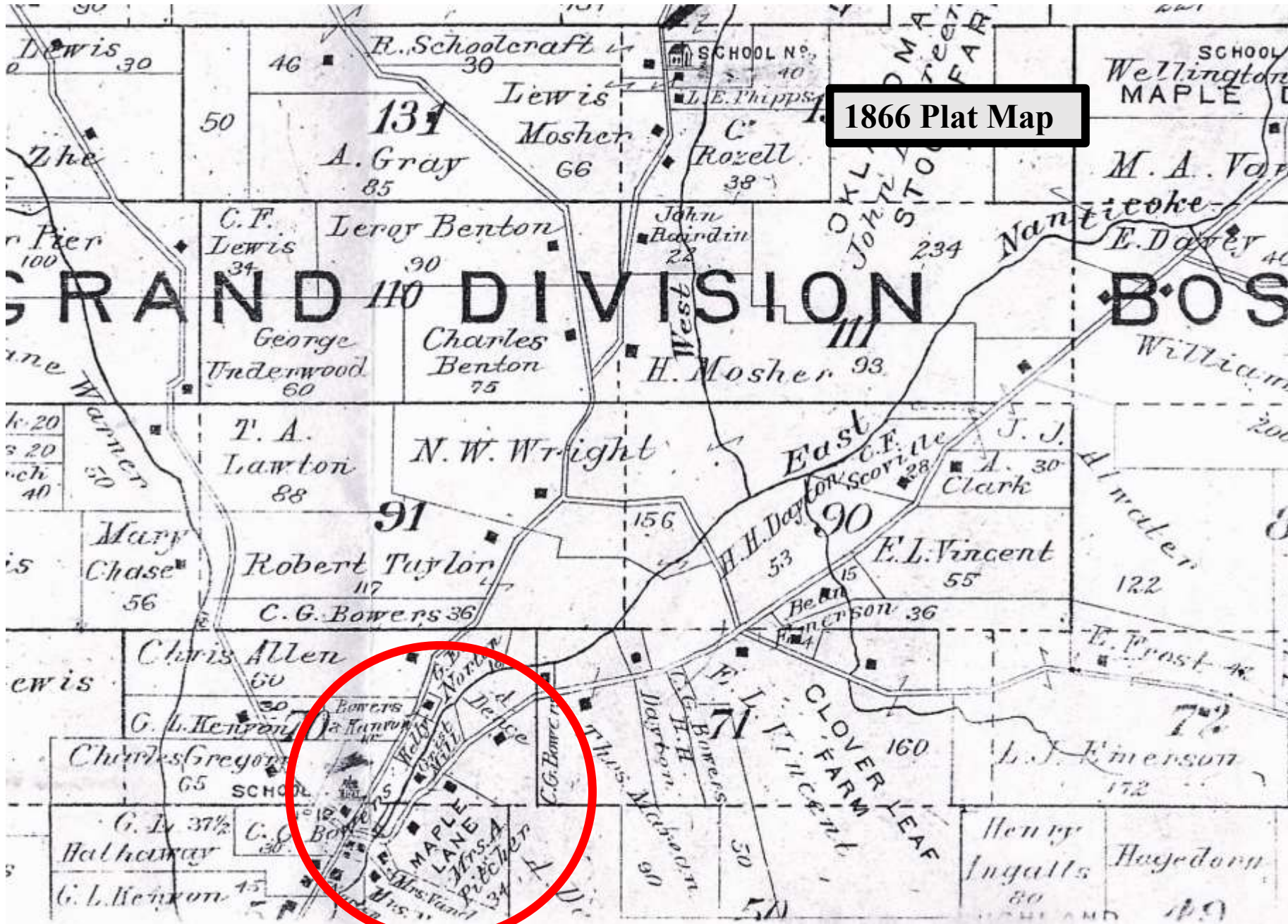
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# PLAT OF MAINE

Scale 2 Inches to the Mile.  
1866

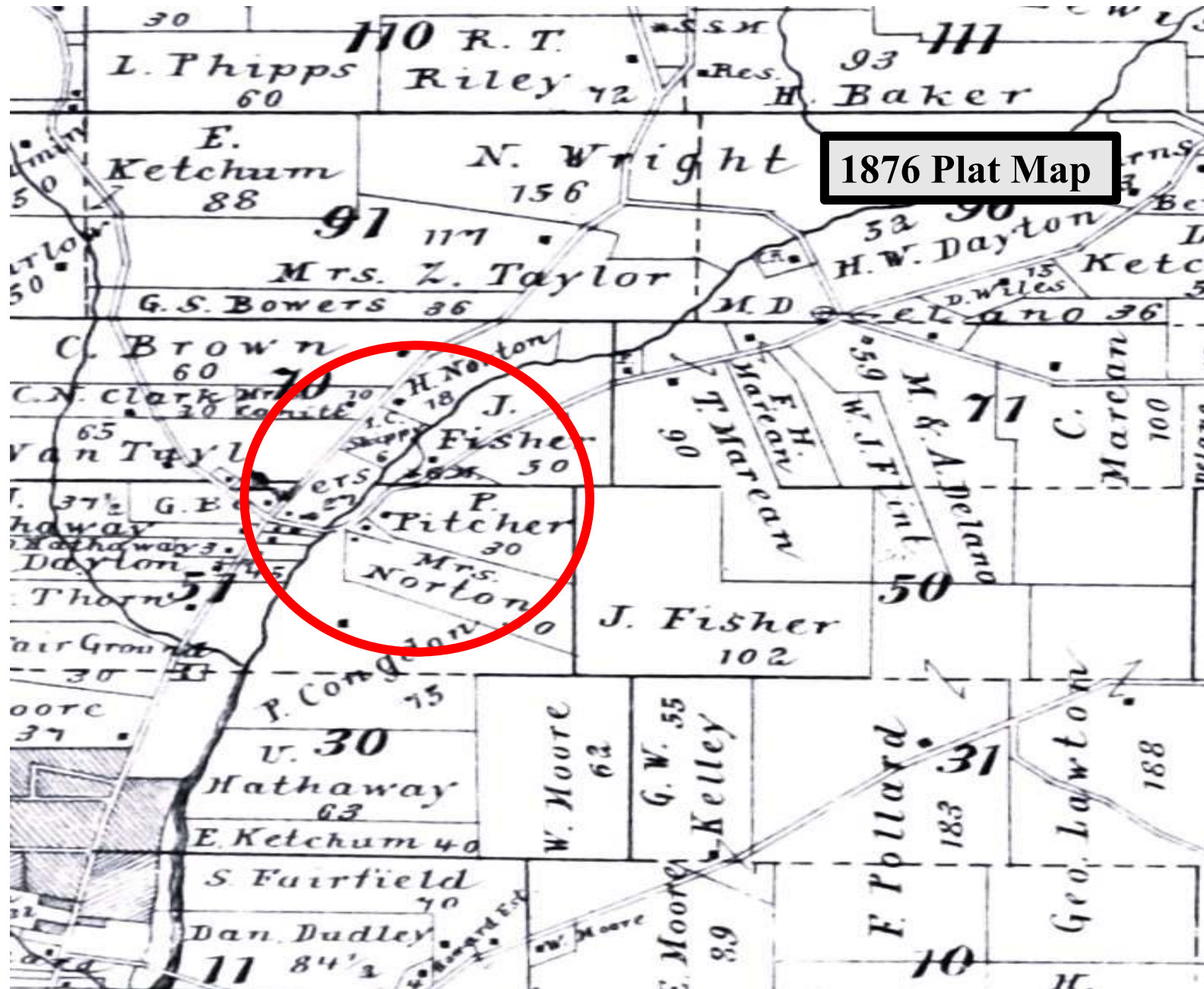
Maple Lane  
Mrs. A. Pitcher





1866 Plat Map

Maple Lane  
Mrs. Annie Zimmer Pitcher  
March 5 1852  
October 26 1926  
Allentown Cemetery



**Philip Pitcher**

April 27 1838

December 31, 1892

Allentown Cemetery

**Annie Zimmer Pitcher**

March 5 1852

October 26 1926

Allentown Cemetery

**Children**

**Birdella H. Pitcher**

1874-1875

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1880-1945

**Inah P. Smith**

1885-1955

**Inas Pitcher Ferris**

1885-1967



1988  
Do you  
remember  
the peace  
sign?



1988









Doris Wilbur  
1330 Melody Lake  
Road  
Willet NY 13863  
wilburd@citlink.net  
607 863-4572



Michelle Tulumello  
Honorable Mention.  
Pen and ink,  
followed by water colors.



Joy McMicken  
1985 Franklin St.  
Binghamton, NY  
13903 607 821 9381  
[Joymcmicken.com](http://Joymcmicken.com)



Harrington  
NVHS  
Calendar



Harrington



Marion Simpson  
Vestal, NY

Betty and Leo Welch  
wooden cut out.







9.17.2018  
Flooding  
Looking  
North  
Route 26









**Archie Pitcher Pre—Quiz Answers will be provided after the talk.**

1. Archie Pitcher built the mill? True or **False**
2. What did A. Pitcher do besides work at the mill? Farmer, Model
3. The Pitcher family arrived early to this country.  
**Yes** or No
4. The major product of Pitchers Mills was pancake mix.  
Yes or **No Animal feed, flour , and Buckwheat Pancake Mix**
5. Mr. Pitcher transferred the mill ownership to NVHS. **Janet Bowers**
6. The stone wheel used in the mill always was powered by water.  
Yes or **No In 1941 they started to use electric power**
7. Where is Mr. Pitcher buried?  
**Allentown Cemetery -**
8. What is the name of Mrs. Pitcher?  
**Ellana Gertrude Norton Pitcher**
9. Archie Pitcher was the father of the Pitcher twins?  
Yes or **No their brother**
10. What are the first names of the Pitcher twins?  
**Inah and Inas.**
11. Mr. Pitcher was a veteran of the Civil War Yes or **No**
12. What is A. R. Pitcher's middle name? **Rich**

