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Dear Mr. Whitlock

I was very pleased to receive your nice letter and was elated with the marriage information of Charles Whitlock and Cynthia Benedict. But I stuck a pin in my balloon when I checked my computerized listings of the 1840 US census on the Whitlock name, and found a Charles Whitlock still in Fairfield, Conn. According to the special 1894 census Elizabeth B. Whitlock had moved to Michigan in 1835, at the age of 7. She born New York in 1828 (the year Charles and Cynthia were married). Wonder if she was a mistake. Her mother Cynthia was 40 years old when Elizabeth was born. I will go to the Newbury research library in Chicago one of these days soon and check some of the 1850 census records. If I find anything I will let you know. Maybe it will work out.

I do have two land deeds of Elizabeth's from Hillsdale County, Mich. The first one dated 30 Nov. 1888 was when her husband Josiah Coleman sold her his property for the sum of \$1.00 and love and affection. (Probably to eliminate the need for a will) The second deed dated 18 June 1895 when she sold some of the property 3 years after her husbands death.

If you have any other information on Elizabeth or Cynthia I will gladly pay you anything for any of your research time.

An aunt of mine told me that Elizabeth was Irish. True?

Sincerely,

Mrs. A. W. Hasselmann

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SASE

Marriage record enclosed.

This is an afterthought. I had a professional genealogist do some research for me in Jonesville, Mich. where Elizabeth B. Whitlock had been married and lived for many years. She had given me some information on a Seth Whitlock but I can find no connection with Elizabeth but thought you might be interested in the info.

Two photos enclosed are of Seth & his wife's grave markers, in the cemetery at Jonesville. ^{Wife 2}

Cemetery Inscriptions read:

^{Wife 2} Seth C. Whitlock died 15 Feb. 1898 age 89 years, 7 months
Lydia P. Whitlock, wife of Seth, died 12 Feb. 1818, age 39 ^{1848?}

1850 census, Fayette Twp--Hillsdale County, Mich

^{Wife 2} Whitlock, Seth C age 41 farmer real est val 1,500 born NY
Jane 21 " NY
Horace 11 Mich
Claude M 1 Mich

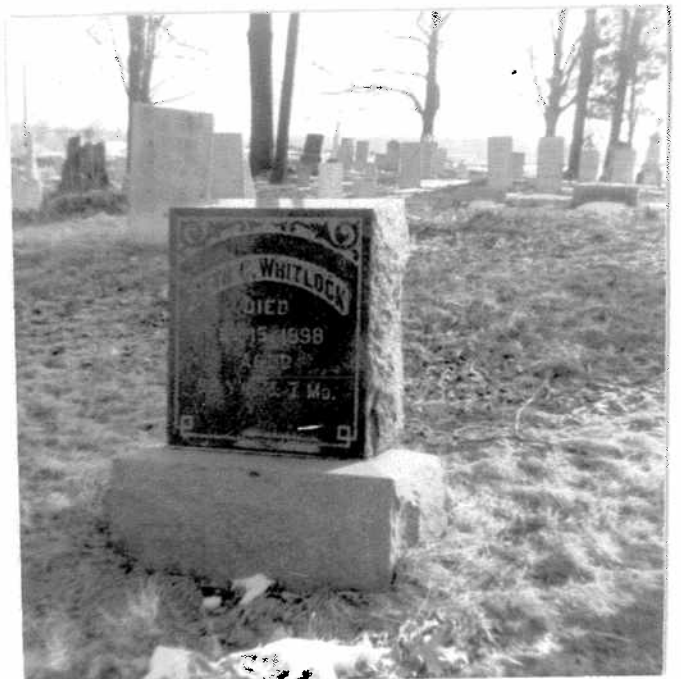
There is a land record in the Hillsdale Co. Court House Book E Page 62 a record for a Seth C. Whitlock from Kalamazoo Co. ^{Wife 2}

Also a Death record for Almira Whittlock, died Apr 7 1895, age 67 yrs , 8 mo's 17 days d in Camden Twp, she b Ohio
Death William Whittlock d May 21, 1873, age 64 yrs, 2 mo 17 days in Camden, b NY parents were Samuel and Clarina. ^{SEE LIST-1?}

Quote from genealogist "I found mention of an Eli Whittlock from Conn. as a recent member of village of Jonesville, nothing else on him."

There were no wills listed in Hillsdale for any Whitlock name.

Marriage record copied from Hillsdale Whig Standard, newspaper (weekly) Sept 12, 1848---- Married in Homer, Mich--Sept^M 5-- S.C. Whitlock to Jane Scott of Jonesville. (This could be Seth again) ^{Wife 2}



Josiah Coleman

(and)

Elizabeth B. Whitlock

This is to certify that Josiah Coleman
aged 40 years & Elizabeth B. Whitlock aged 22
years both of the Town of Fayette & State of Michi-
gan were united in Marriage by me W. L. Stanley
Minister of the Gospel of the Presbyterian Church at
Jonesville Mich on the third day of July
1857. and in the presence of Dr. William Delavan
and James D. Van Noorberg

Received for record
April 3^o-1852

W. L. Stanley

