IVORY B. HILL - FAMILY ACCOUNTS & DIARIES


The collection includes 4 volumes of accounts of the firm of Hill & Wardell, lumber dealers in Tamworth, N.H., and 21 small diaries and accounts, in 2 boxes, of Ivory B. Hill and his family. There are also approximately 150 small items, bills, receipts, notes, etc., of Isaac G. Russ, and an account book of a general store near Epsom.

Ivory B. Hill (1833-1906) was born in Northwood, N.H. He was a shoemaker for 20 years, then went into the lumber business. He operated in various parts of the state, finally returning to Northwood. In 1854 he married Eliza Fogg of Northwood. They had four children: Roscoe (b. 1856) graduated from Bellevue Hospital Medical College, N.Y.C. in 1882, spent two years in Norfolk, Conn., went to Lynn, Mass., and in 1887, located permanently at Epsom, N.H. Eugene P. (b. 1858) became a shoe manufacturer in Pittsfield. Clarence I. (b. 1860) lived in Northwood. Alice (b. 1861) married the Rev. W.F. Inneson of Suncook. (See Biographical Review, Rockingham Co., p. 72, Genealogical History of N.H., p. 1987.)

The brief diaries give a good picture of the life of the family during the 1880's when they were living in Sandwich near Tamworth. Ivory B. was continually travelling. Eugene kept a general store in Tamworth for a few years. Clarence helped his father and worked in a shop in Haverhill for a time. Roscoe's notes of his medical practice are especially interesting.

Isaac Gage Russ (b. 1836) was the son of John O. Russ of Boscawen. He bought the store of Cramm Bros. at Short Falls in Epsom and moved it to Allenstown. Later he was a lumber dealer, with various partners, in Deerfield, Allenstown and Pembroke. (See Hist. Boscawen & Webster, p. 611; L.M. Bunker, Hist. Sketch of Epsom, p. 28).
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**Box V**

Hill, Accounts & Diaries

### A. Ivory B. Hill

5. Lumber business accounts, 1876-1880. 1 vol.

### B. Eugene P. Hill, dealer in flour, grain, groceries.

7. Diary, Jan. 1, 1886 - Jan. 24, 1887. Living at home; driving father around; camping trip in White Mts.

**Box VI**

Hill, Accounts & Diaries

### A. Clarence I. Hill

1. Diary, 1884. "At home and "down to store".

### B. Eliza Hill (wife of Ivory B.)

1. Diary, 1886. Family affairs.

### C. Roscoe Hill, physician.

1-2. Bellevue Hospital Medical College, notes, 1881-2.
3. Diary & Accounts, 1883. At Norfolk, Conn.
5. Diary, 1888. Doctor's visits, other activities, Epsom, N.H.
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Box VI

Russ, Isaac G.

   Chiefly of John O. Russ.


Cards

Diaries, Hill, Ivory B.

Occupations:
   lumber dealers, Hill, Ivory B.
   physicians, Hill Roscoe.
   shoemakers, Hill, Ivory B.

Democratic Party – Keystone Club of Northwood

Towns
   Allenstown, Russ, Isaac G.
   Epsom - Hill, Roscoe
   Northwood - Hill, Ivory B.; Keystone Club
   Tamworth - Hill, Ivory B.

Names:
   Hill, Clarence I., Eugene P., Ivory B., Roscoe
   Russ, Isaac G.
   Wardell, Phineas