

Longmeadow Historical Society

The Longmeadow Historical Society preserves and perpetuates the history of Longmeadow, Massachusetts.

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FINDING AID

Below is a Google tool that provides search capability to a digital summary of the Longmeadow related archives available at Storrs House Museum and elsewhere in Western MA.

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"Samuel Colton"



This Google tool searches only for information stored on the UMass "catablog." This collection of our archive information is divided into 10 large categories. When searching for information, the search results (see next slide) will not necessarily show the location of related information. You will need to use the <CTRL> + F windows tool to find the specific reference.

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Colton, Samuel, Samuel Colton Estate inventory, 1785, 3 ... 27, Thomas Bliss, Samuel Colton, 08-11-1727, A certain tract of wet meadow lying in Springfield, ...

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1060 Longmeadow Street (Marchant Samuel Colton House), 5, 15-17. 1077 Longmeadow Street (Bliss-Colton House), 5, 18. 1124 Longmeadow Street, 5, 19 .

 Search for "**Samuel Colton**" on Google

WELCOME!

Collection area: Family history

ACCOUNT BOOK COLLECTION

Account book collection, 1699-1910

52 volumes (8 linear feet)

Scope and Content Note

The Longmeadow account book collection contains business records for several local residents including David Trowbridge Smith, Jacob Colton and Gilson Holister, and Daniel Erskine Burbank.

At the core of the collection are 24 volumes belonging to local merchant or "marchant" Samuel Colton (1727-1784). Colton's accounts begin with some of his earliest business ventures and continue through to 1794, 10 years after his death. Volumes record sales of white and checkered holland cloth, cambrick, soap, rum, brandy, salt, tobacco, sugar, and molasses. Several volumes document other aspects of his business, such as entries related to the building of "Friendship," one of two ships owned by Colton and used for trading goods. Many purchases were paid for not in cash but with farm produce, items made in the home, or labor. Other entries include payment to Susan Chandler for "Spining 11 Run of Cotten" (BV 16, p. 208) a payment to Ceasar (sic) for bottoming chairs.(BV16, p. 211), payments to Gordon Perceval for "doctoring my wife," and charges to neighbors for services rendered by Colton's slaves.

The collection also includes records for other local businesses and individuals. Daniel Erskine Burbank's ledgers include entries related to his work as a butcher and as a farmer, though some entries appear to be for legal work performed by Burbank. Jacob Colton and Gilson D. Hollister's

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