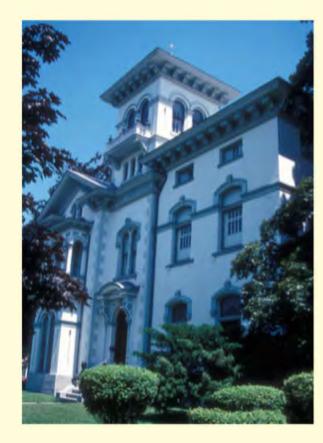
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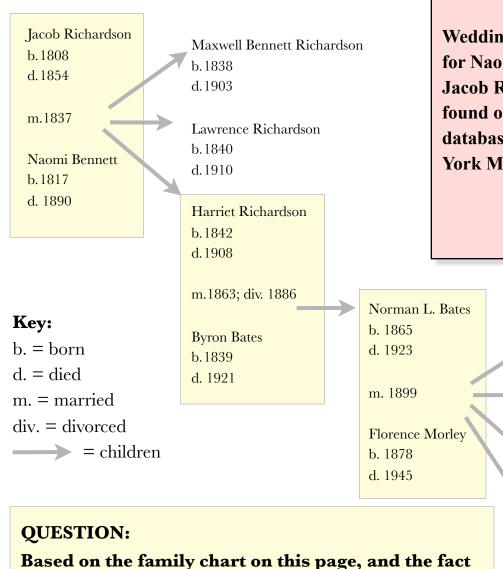


Above: Richardson-Bates Museum, Oswego, NY. Photograph by Jerrye and Roy Klotz, MD.

Right: From Left to Right, Harriet Richardson Bates, Maxwell Richardson, Naomi Richardson, Lawrence Richardson. Photograph taken August 1889 by Norman Bates. ©Oswego County Historical Society The home of the Richardson-Bates family is now a museum in the city of Oswego, NY. It's **Italianate** architecture was popular in the United States during the 1840's to 1890



### Richardson-Bates Genealogy



that the photo of the people sitting on the front steps

of the Richardson Bates house was taken in 1889,

who are the people in the photograph?

Wedding record for Naomi and Jacob Richardson found on a database: New York Marriages.



1837; citing reference; FHL microfilm 534,224.

#### Elizabeth Bates Cowles

b. 1900

d. 1976

Norman Bates

b. 1901

d. 1943

Sally Bates Tomkins

b. 1903

d. 1985

Maxwell Richardson Bates

b. 1907

d. 1959



Naomi Richardson

### Naomi Richardson's Personal Thoughts

### January 1, 1882

I received calls. It was a charming day. We had over 50 callers. Lizzie Bickford was with me. She enjoyed it very much. Mrs. George Grant was to receive me, but Mr. Allen died and was buried that day. Hattie and Normie came home that night. I was very glad to see them. Jan. 1st 1882 (I did not go to church. We had a good dinner. Dr. Coe came. \_?\_ was \_?\_.

### August 20, 1882 Sunday

A very pleasant day. It is Max birthday. Dr. Coe came to play billiards. Sam and Freddie came in the evening.

### August 22, 1882 Tuesday

A pleasant day. I went acalling with Freddie to:

Mrs. Myron Pardees

- "Stebbins
- "Allen's
- "Charles Pardee's
- "Whitney
- "Lyon
- "Mott
- "Herrick
- "Churchil
- "Johnson

### January 10, 1883 Wednesday

A pleasant but cold day. I worked on my silk quilt today. I wrote to Mrs. Eddy. She sent my Toilet set.

### January 12, 1883 Friday

Another cold day. I had the headache all day, but I knit on my stocking.

### October 19, 1883 Friday

A cloudy day. Mary and Mrs. Champion cleaned the Reception room and Drawing room. Mrs. Parker came to see me. Mrs. Van Aukin came. Floy and Joe Grant came. Floy brought the cake. I wrote to Mrs. Cady.

### Saturday, December 27, 1884

A pleasant day. I went to Mrs. Gordons to try on my dress, to the bakers for some bread, to Mr. T. Harts got a peck of red apples. Long & Brothers and I got a peck of Hickery nuts, then came home. We had a Christmas box from "Yeah Wagh" he remembered us all. Bell came and got a pattern, Floy Came in the Evening.

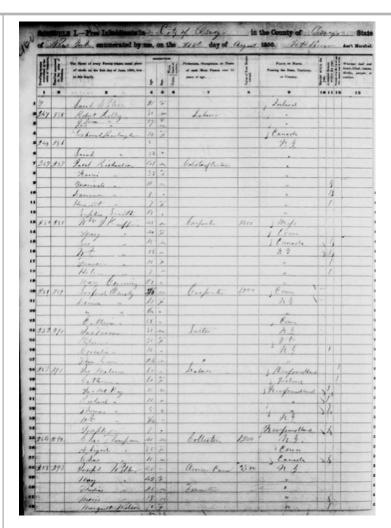
### March 18, 1889

Foggy today, another girl came to hire out - Max, Norman, and I took Quine(sic) last night.

#### **NOTE:**

- \*Calls, calling, acalling = to go visiting
- \*Billiards = similar to pool played on a felt covered table
- \*Quine might mean quinine?
- \*These are excerpts from Naomi Richardson's diary selected by Dr. Judith Wellman.
- \*Tillie Grey, great-great granddaughter of Naomi Richardson, owns the diaries from which these excerpts were taken.
- \*Harriet Richardson married Byron Bates whose sister, Mary Lou Bates, married Dr. Coe.



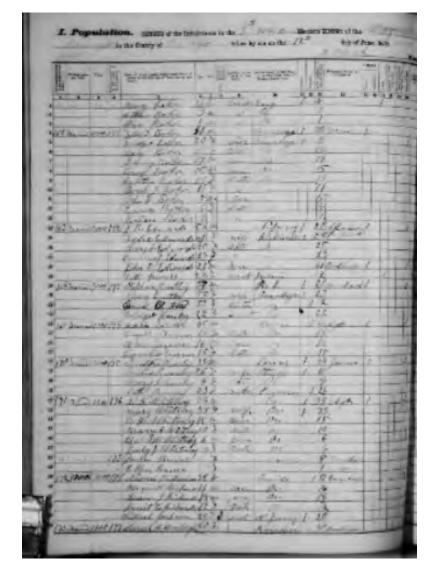


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Household	Role	Sex	Age	Birthplace
Jacob Richardson		М	41	New York
Naomi Richardson		F	33	New York
Manuel Richardson		F	11	New York
Lawrence Richardson		M	9	New York
Harriet Richardson		F	7	New York
Saphia Smith		F	17	New York

"United States Census, 1850," database with images, FamilySearch (<a href="https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MC13-3JG">https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MC13-3JG</a> 9 November 2014), Naomi Richardson in household of Jacob Richardson, Oswego city, Oswego, New York, United States; citing family 287, NARA microfilm publication M432 (Washington, D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.).

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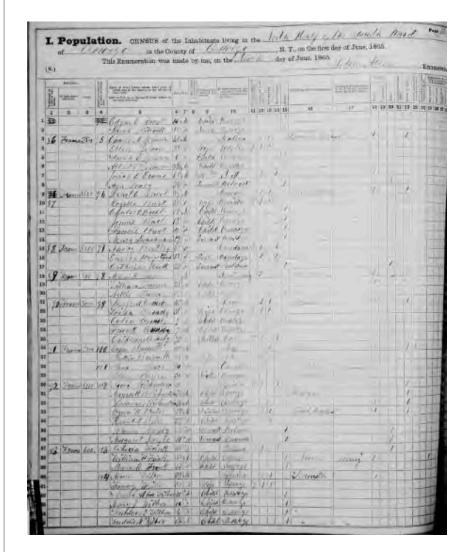


# 1855 Census

New York State Census,	1855								
Name		Naomi Richardson							
Event Type		Census							
Event Date		1855							
Event Place		Ward 4, 0 York, Unite	and the same of the same		wego, New				
Age		38							
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Birth Year (Estimated)		1817							
Household	Role		Sex	Age	Birthplace				
Naomi Richardson	Head		U	38					
Maxwell Richardson	Son		М	16					
Lawrence Richardson	Son		М	14					
Harriet E Richardson	Daughter		F	12					
Keturah Jackson	Servant		U	25					

"New York State Census, 1855," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:K6Q8-YMH: 19 November 2014), Naomi Richardson, Ward 4, Oswego City, Oswego, New York, United States; count clerk offices, New York; FHL microfilm 857,436.

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Event Type		Census						
Event Year		1865						
Event Place			Oswego, ted States		o, New			
Birth Year (Estimated)		1817						
Page		14						
Household	Role		Sex	Age	Birthplace			
Naomi Richardson			F	48				
Maxwell B Richardson	Son		М	26				
Lawrence Richardson	Son		М	24				
Byron N Bates	Son-in-law		М	25				
Harriet E Bates	Daughter		F	22				
Johanna Murphy	Servant		F	22				
Margaret Doyle	Servant		F	20				

"New York State Census, 1865," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QVNJ-6WQW: accessed 12 July 2017), Naomi Richardson, Ward 04, Oswego, Oswego, New York, United States; citing source p. 14, line 30, household ID 102, county clerk, board of supervisors and surrogate court offices from various counties. Utica and East Hampton Public Libraries, New York; FHL microfilm 857,439.

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## 1870 Census

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Name	Naomi Richardson
Event Type	Census
Event Year	1870
Event Place	New York, United States
Gender	Female
Age	53
Race	White
Race (Original)	W
Birth Year (Estimated)	1816-1817
Birthplace	New York
Page Number	21

Household	Role	Sex	Age	Birthplace
Naomi Richardson		F	53	New York
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Lawrence Richardson		М	29	New York
Harriet Bates		F	27	New York
Norman L Bates		М	5	New York
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# 1880 Census

Name		Naomi Richardson						
Event Type		Census						
Event Date		1880						
Event Place		Oswego, Oswego, New York, United States						
Gender		Female						
Age		63						
Marital Status		Widowed						
Race		White						
Race (Original)		W						
Occupation		Keeping Ho	use					
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Household	Role		Sex	Age	Birthplace			
Naomi Richardson	Self		F	63	New York United States			
Max B Richardson	Son		М	35	New York United States			
Harritt Bates	Daughter		F	31	New York United States			
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bt Cayoga and Bridge

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Naomi Richardson

Schuyler

Roach John, laborer, K Third bt Schuyler and Van Buren

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Restfields Peter, tailor, 78 E Fifth

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Reynolds Alexander, joiner, 74 E Eighth

Reynolds Ann, 55 E Seneca cor Sixth

Reynolds Eliza, bds 113 E Seventh

Reynolds James, laborer, bds cor Cochrane and McWhorter

Reynolds John, cor Cochrane and McWhorter

Reynolds Kate, compositor Times office, bds cor Cochrane and Mo-

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Reynolds Lawrence, physician and surgeon, bds 65 Ontario

Reynolds Patrick M., boiler maker, Vulcan Iron Works, h 55 E Seneca

Reynolds Bose A., compositor Times office, bds cor Cochrane and McWhorter

Reynolds Silas J., book-keeper, E Second oor Mohawk

Rhenbottam Edwin, deliveryman, 141 W First, bds W Eighth bet

Seneca and Cayuga

Rhodes Alex., watchmaker, 98 W Seneca

Rhodes Charles, (Rhodes & Richardson) 40 W Fifth

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Rhodes Henry, cooper, cor E Tenth and Lawrence

Rhodes John, grocer, oor E Tenth and Lawrence

### Ladies' and Children's HOSE, at Robert Cordon's.

Rhodes Mary, dressmaker, bds cor E Tenth and Lawrence

Rhodes Nicholas, 124 W Seneca

Rhodes & Richardson, (Chas. Rhodes, Chas. T. Richardson,) lawyers, office Lake Shore Block

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Rice William, commission merchant, 162 E Third

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Richards Carrie, bds 31 E Fifth

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Richardson Charles, (Rhodes & Richardson) 61 W Cayuga

Richardson Mary, wid Capt. Robert, 90 W Sixth

Richardson Max B., real estate, 113 E First, h 135 E Third

#### FINE PIAZZAS AT DOOLITTLE HOUSE.

OSWEGO CITY DINECTORY.

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Richardson Naomi, wid Jacob, 185 E Fourth

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### Questions for further research and discussion:

- 1. Where, and with whom, did Naomi live with in Oswego?
- 2. How many servants lived with the Richardson family? Where were the servants born? Why do you think the servants changed over the years.
- 3. What were the roles of women at that time? (Use city directories to help you.)
- 4. What was life like for people who had money?
- 5. What descriptors used in each census have changed over the years?