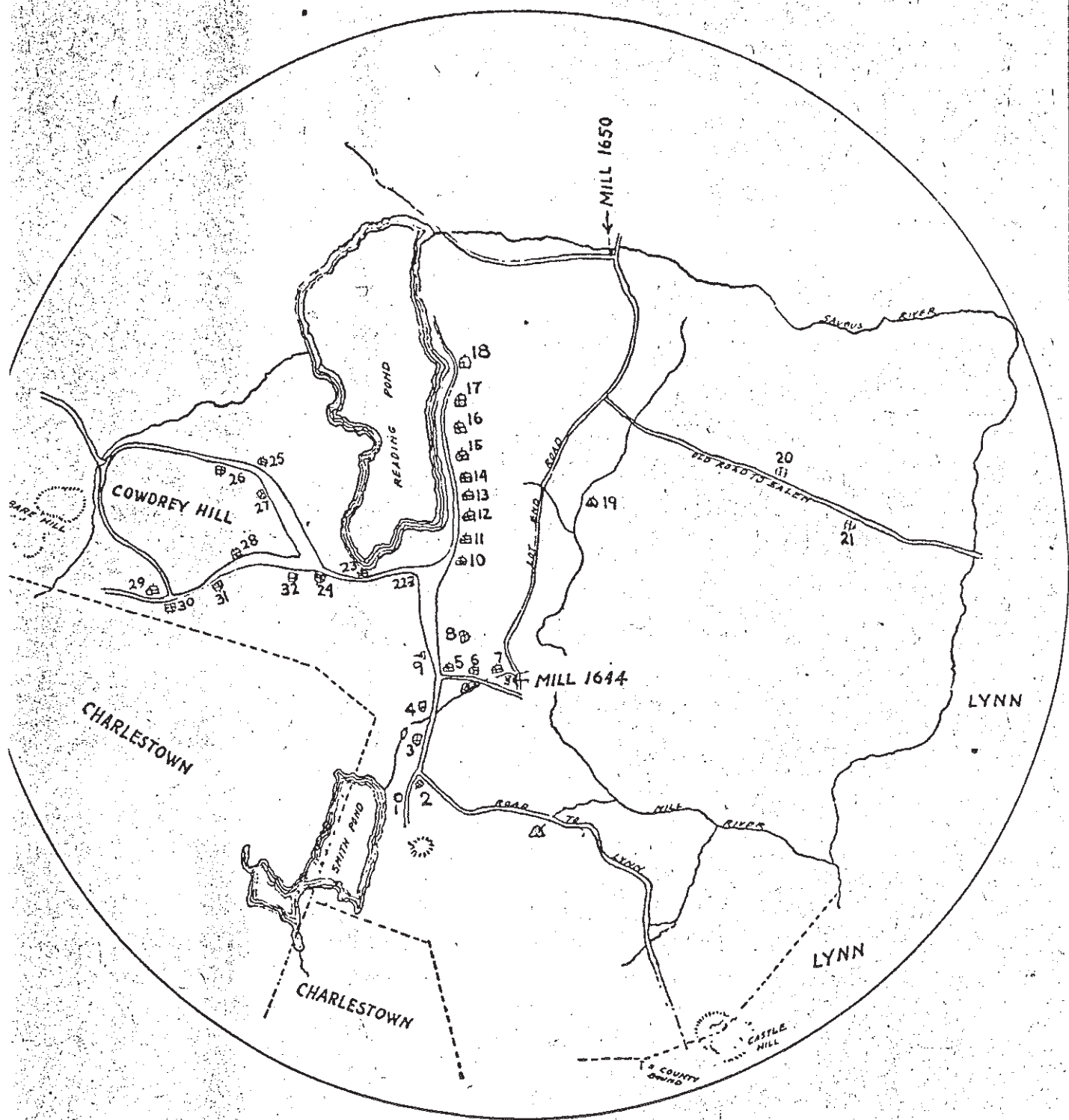


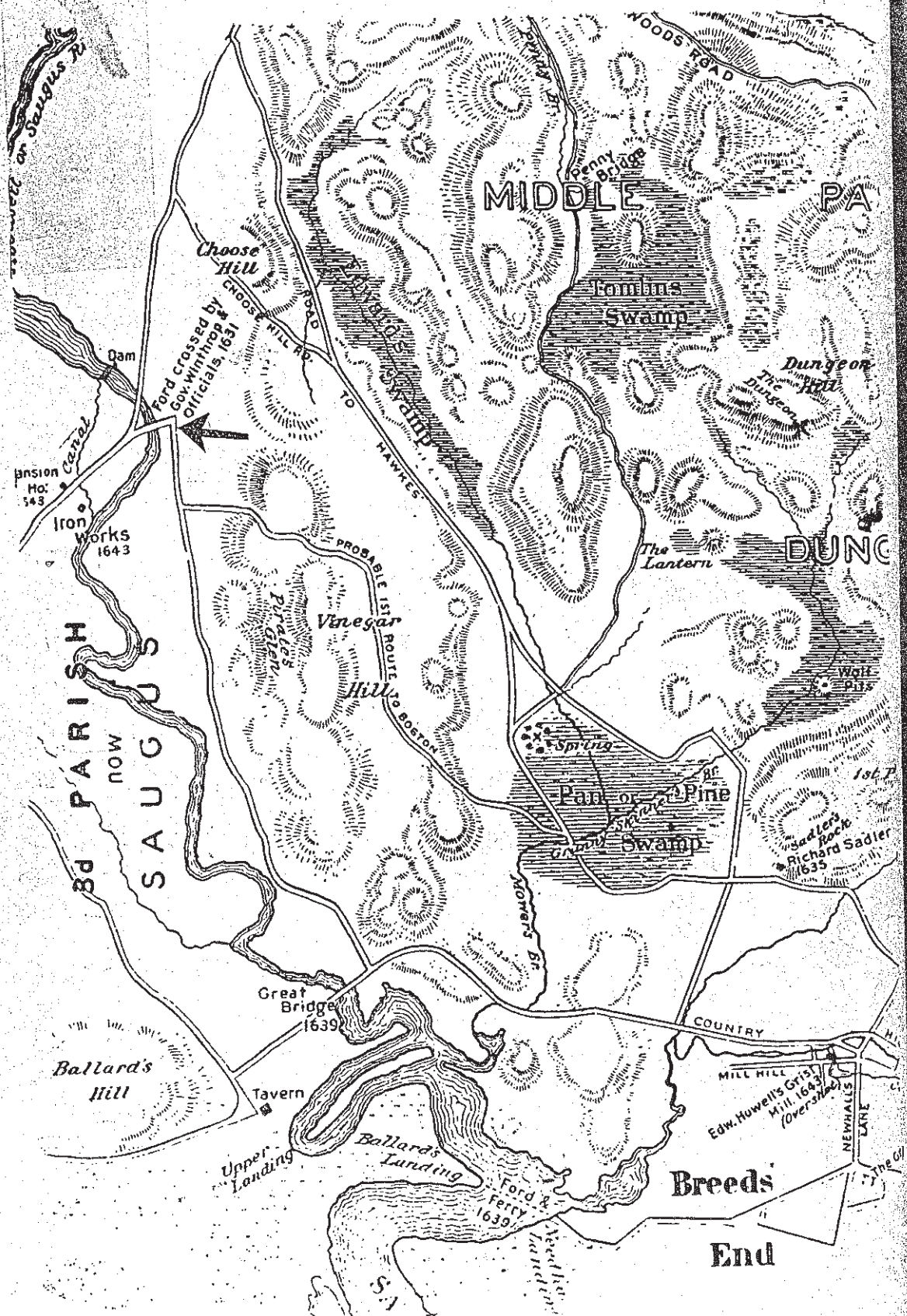
# **Appendix I**

## **Historic Maps of Wakefield**





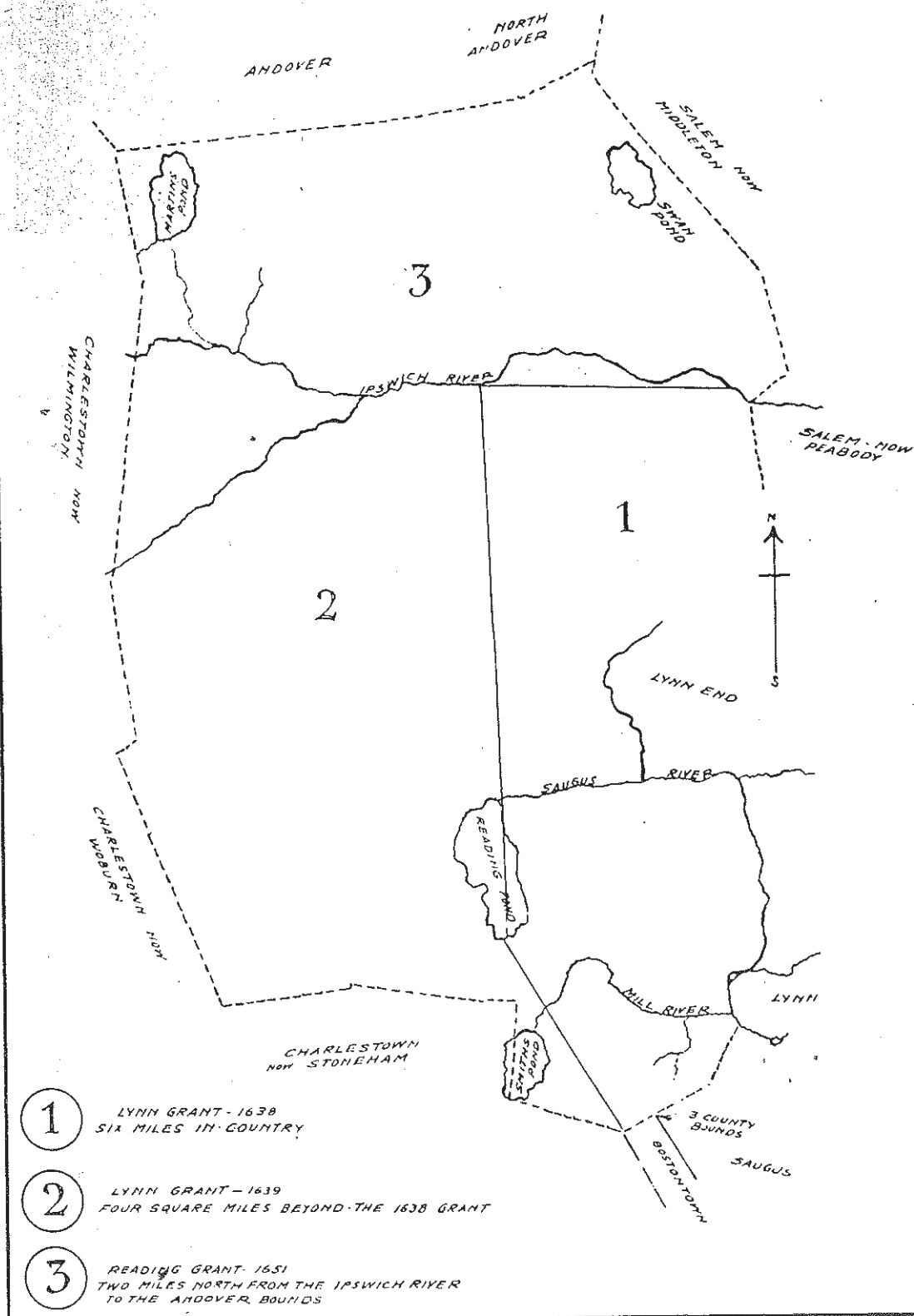




### MAP OF EARLY LYNN

The arrow points to the ford-crossing on the Saugus River, the only place where it was fordable, in 1639. The first Redding settlers from Lynn crossed the river at this point, where, in 1631, Gov. Winthrop and officials made the crossing on their trip from Salem and Lynn to Boston. Below the ford was the famous Saugus Iron Works, established in 1643. The dam above prevented alewives (food for the early settlers) from coming to old Redding Pond, an act protested by the town, but without success.

MAP  
OF  
OLD READING  
MASSACHUSETTS - BAY COLONY  
-1651-



LAND GRANTS

- (1) 1638. That portion first settled in what is now Wakefield.
- (2) 1639. Land extending west to Charlestown, now Stoneham and Woburn.
- (3) 1651. Land north of Ipswich River, now North Reading.

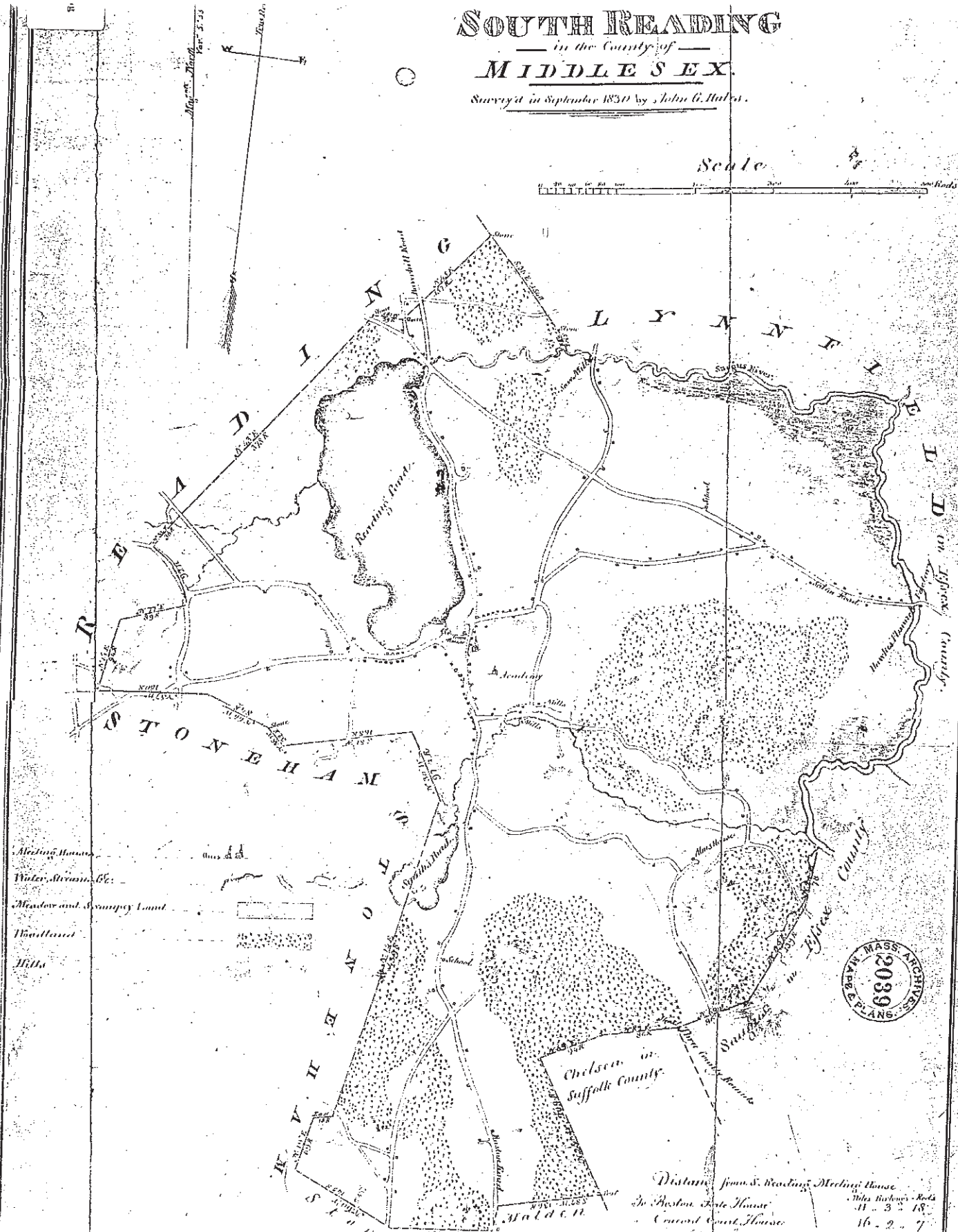


# SOUTH READING

— in the County of —  
**MIDDLESEX.**

Surveyed in September 1830 by John C. Halpin.

Scale



Meeting House

Water, Stream, &c.

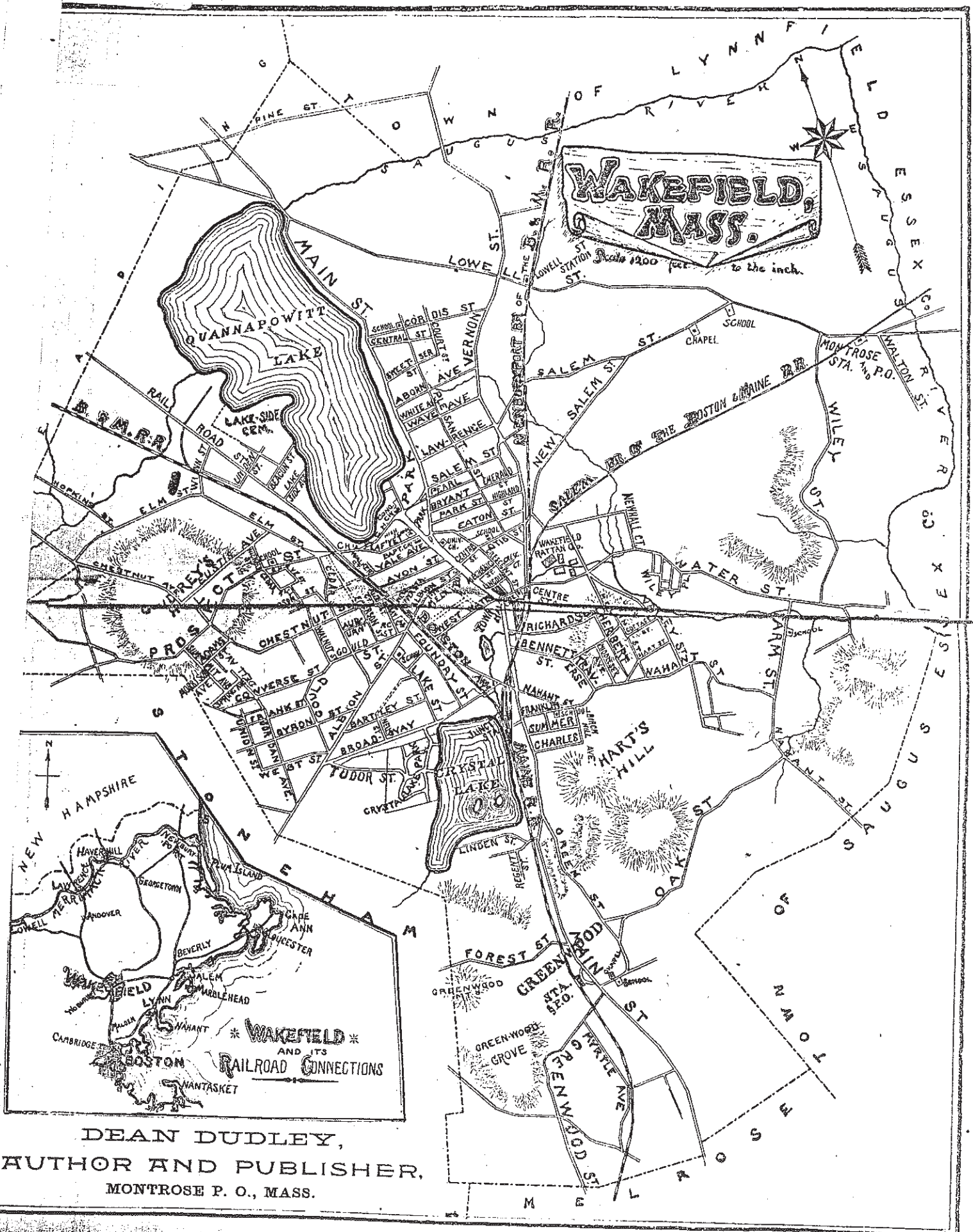
Meadow and Swampy Land

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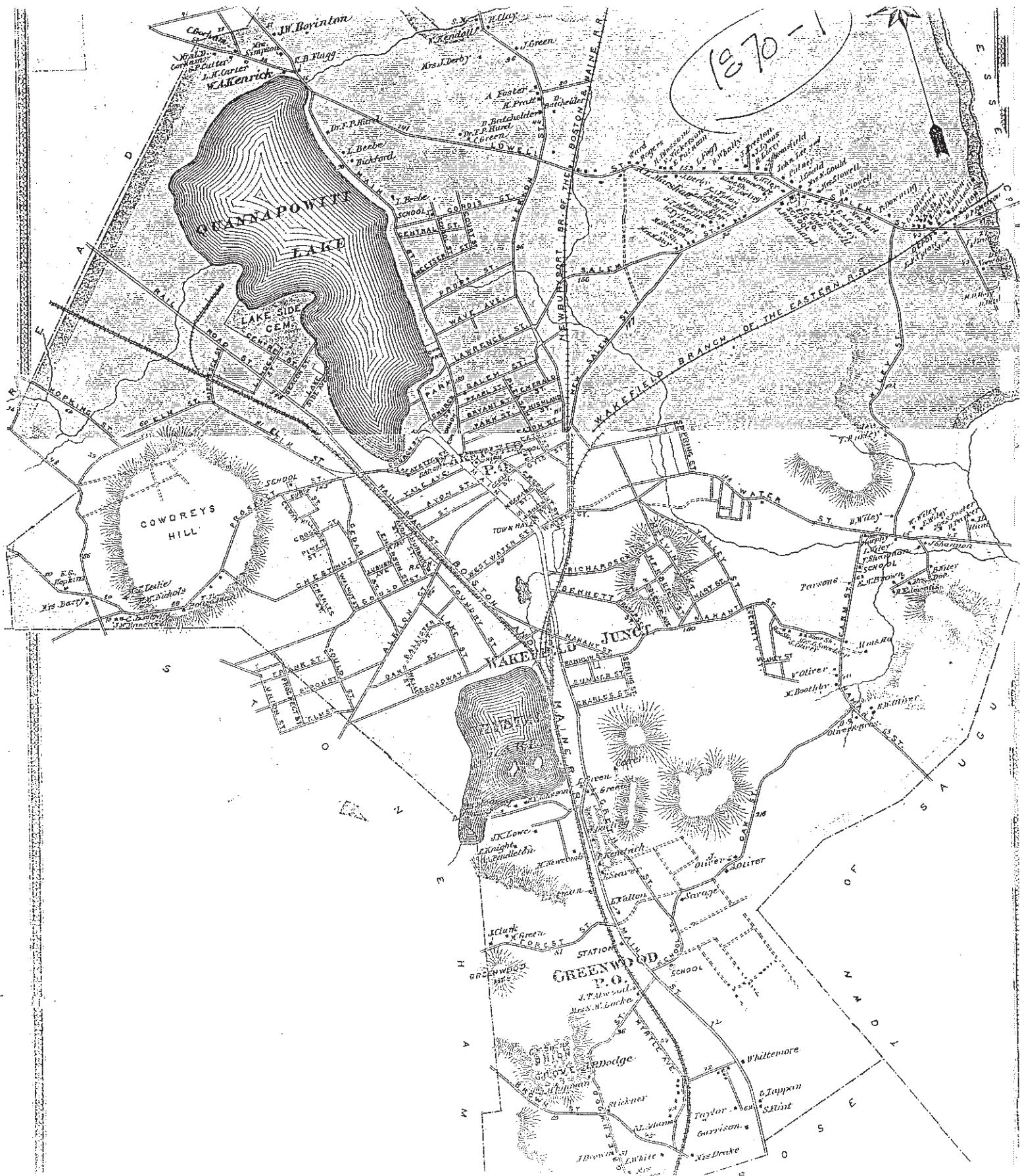


Distance from S. Reading Meeting House  
to Boston State House 31 - 3 - 18  
to Concord Court House 16 - 2 - 7

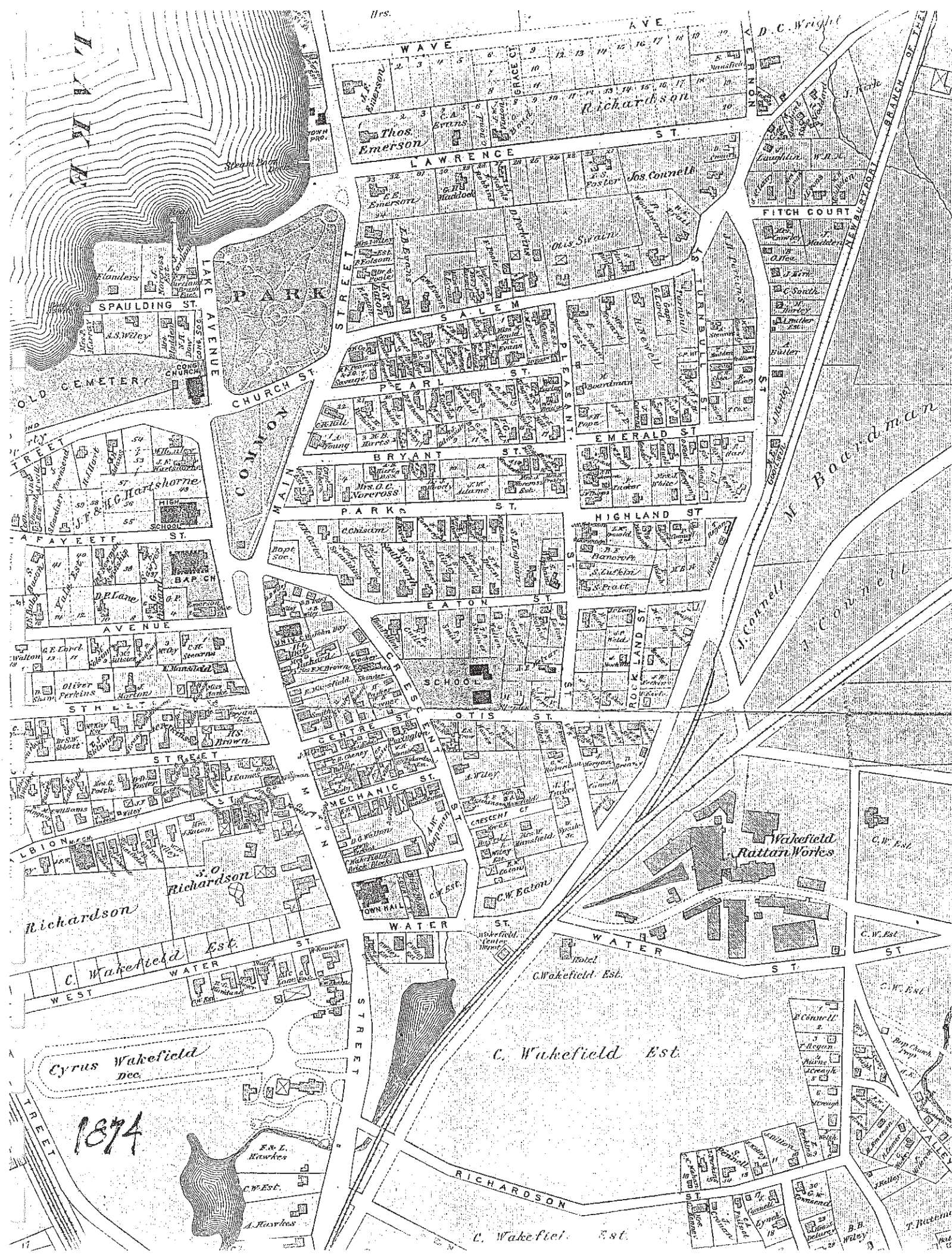


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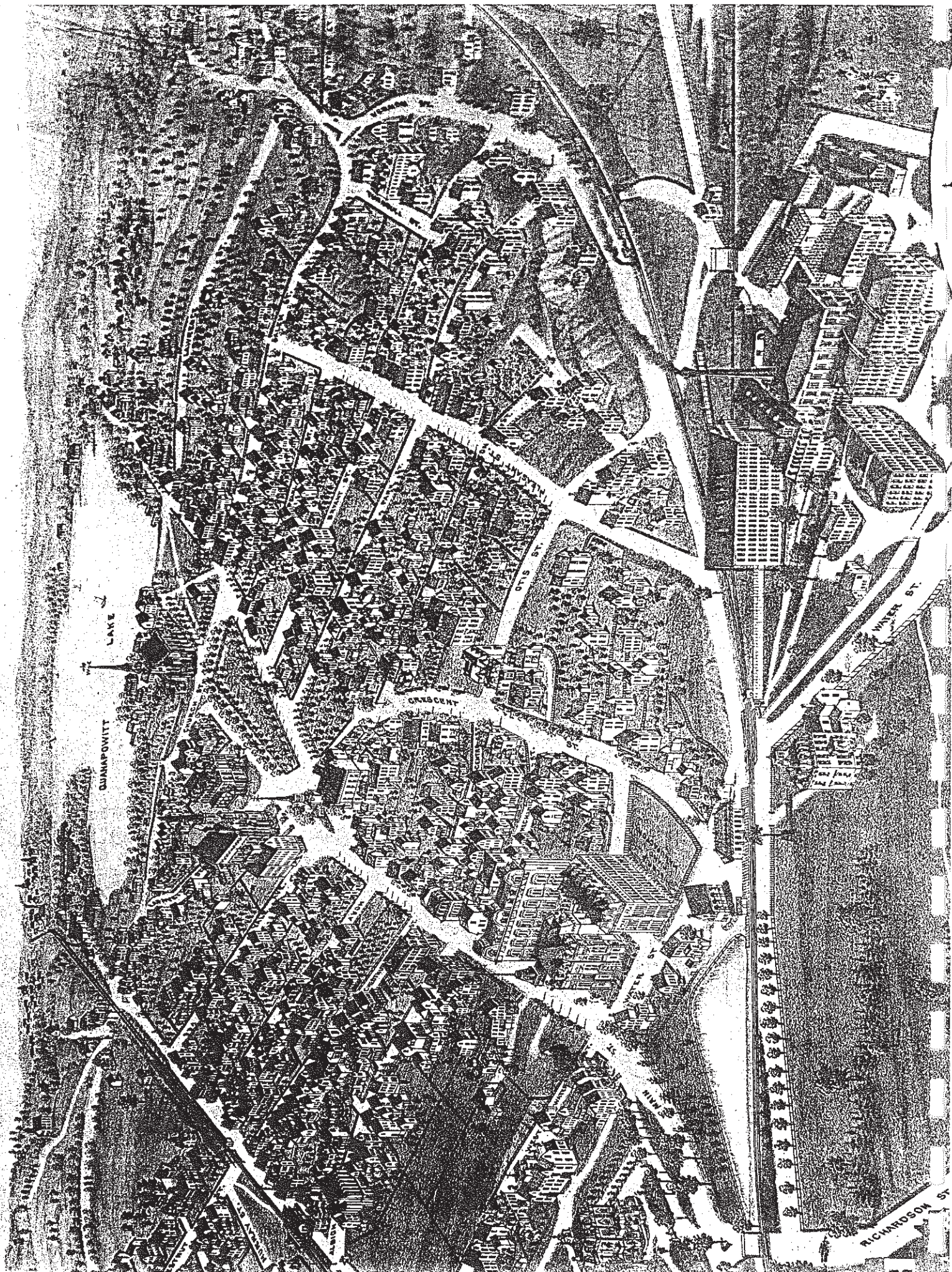












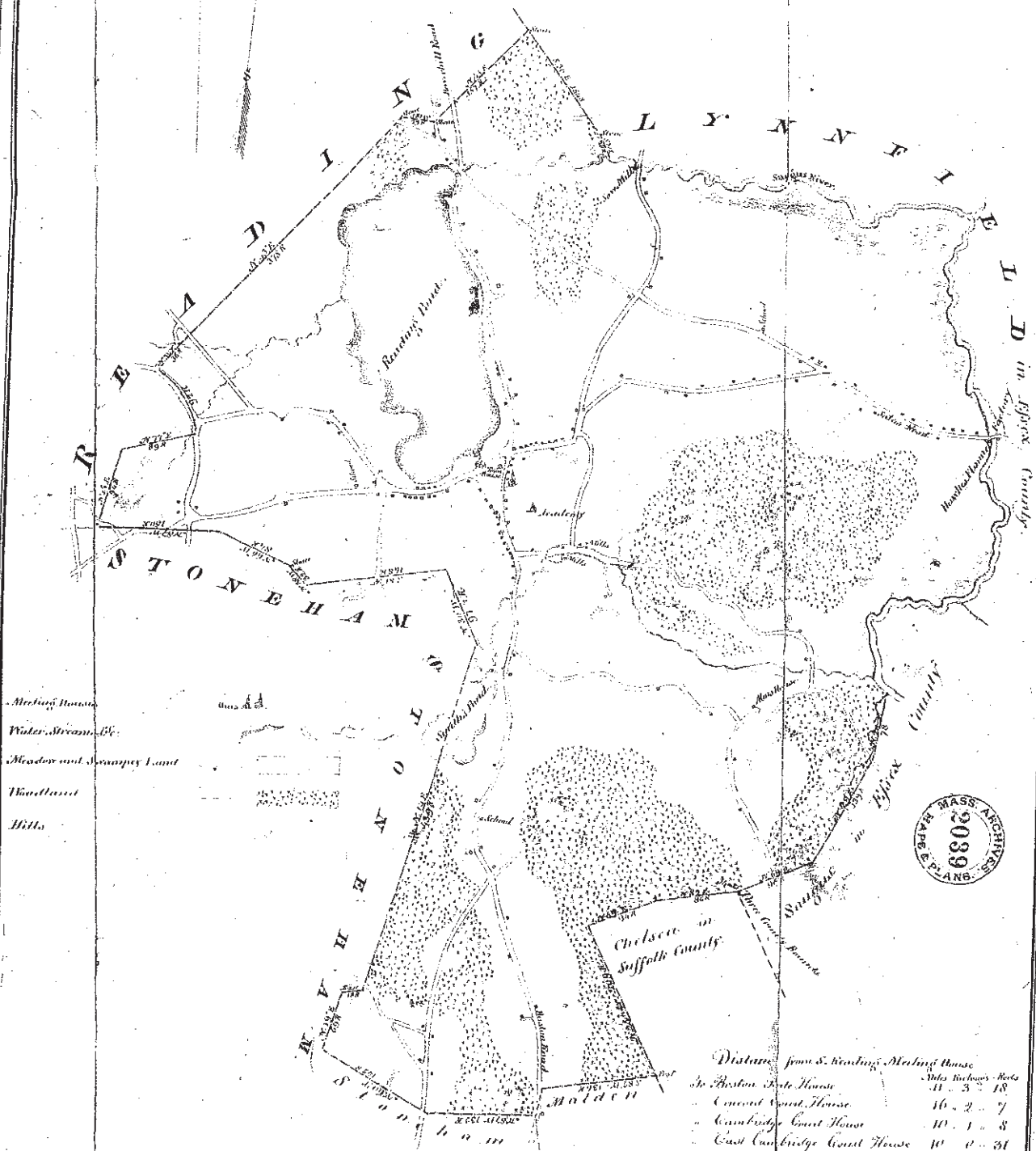
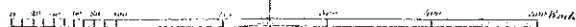


Map Case  
South Reading  
1830 - 2

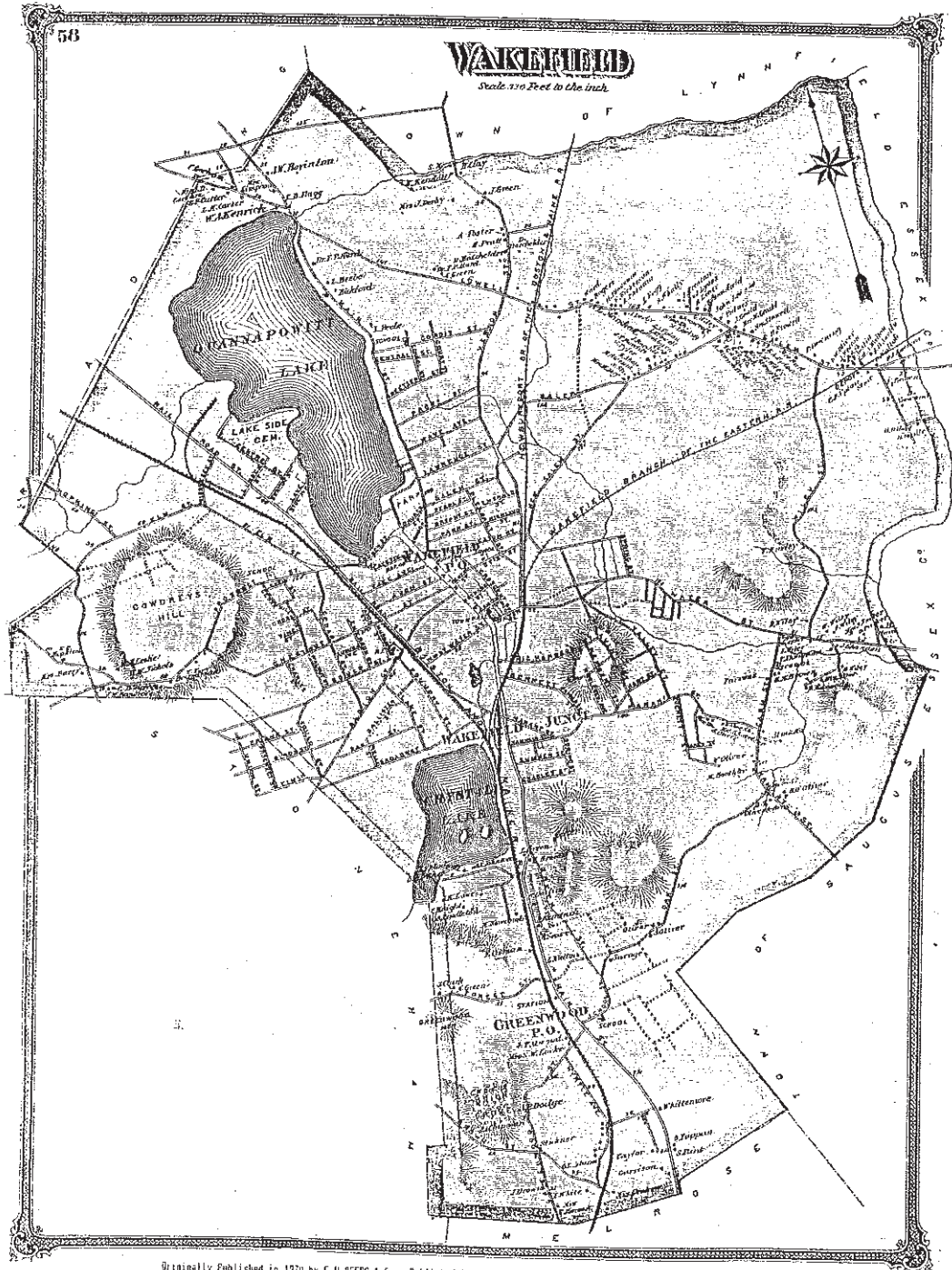
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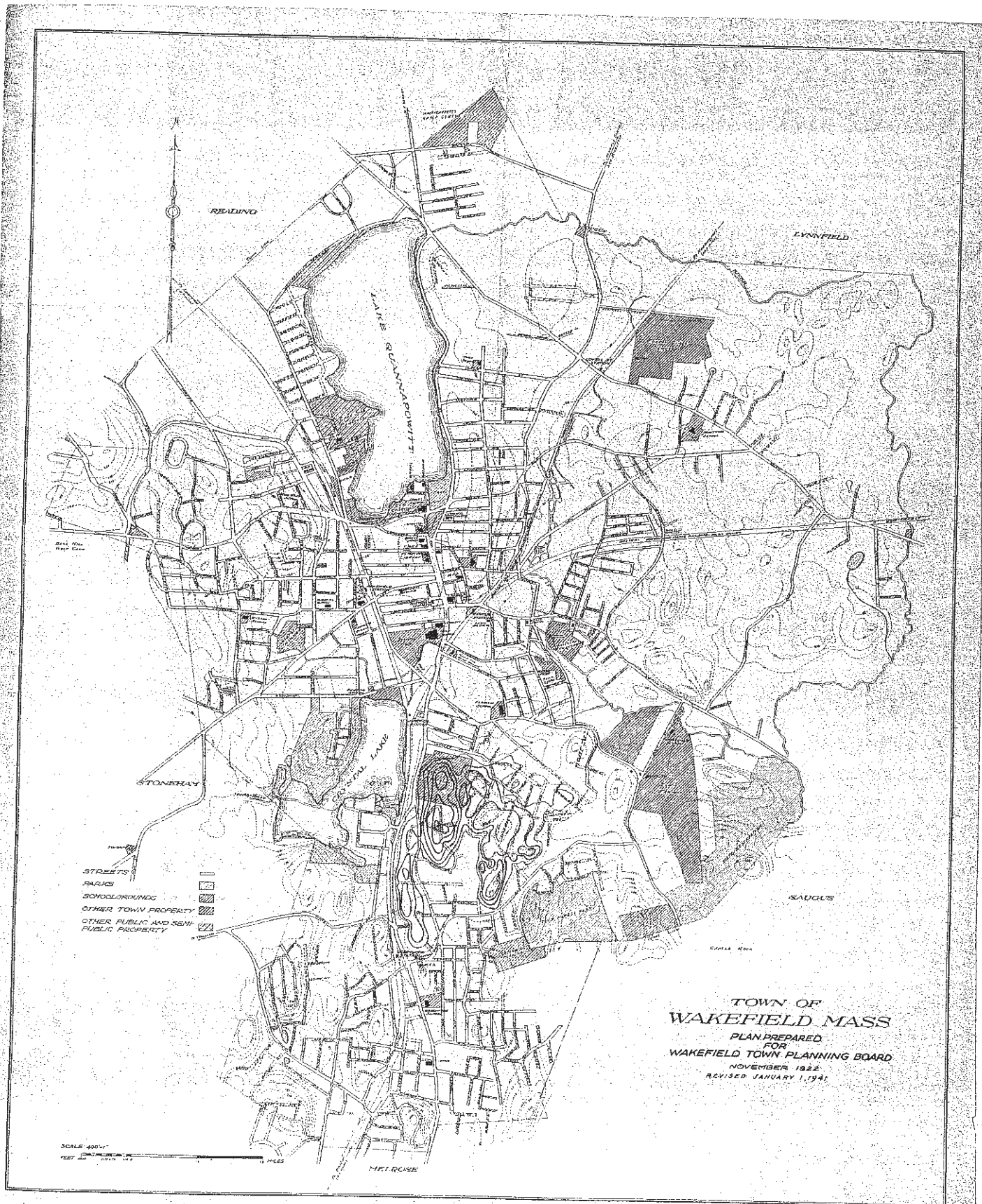
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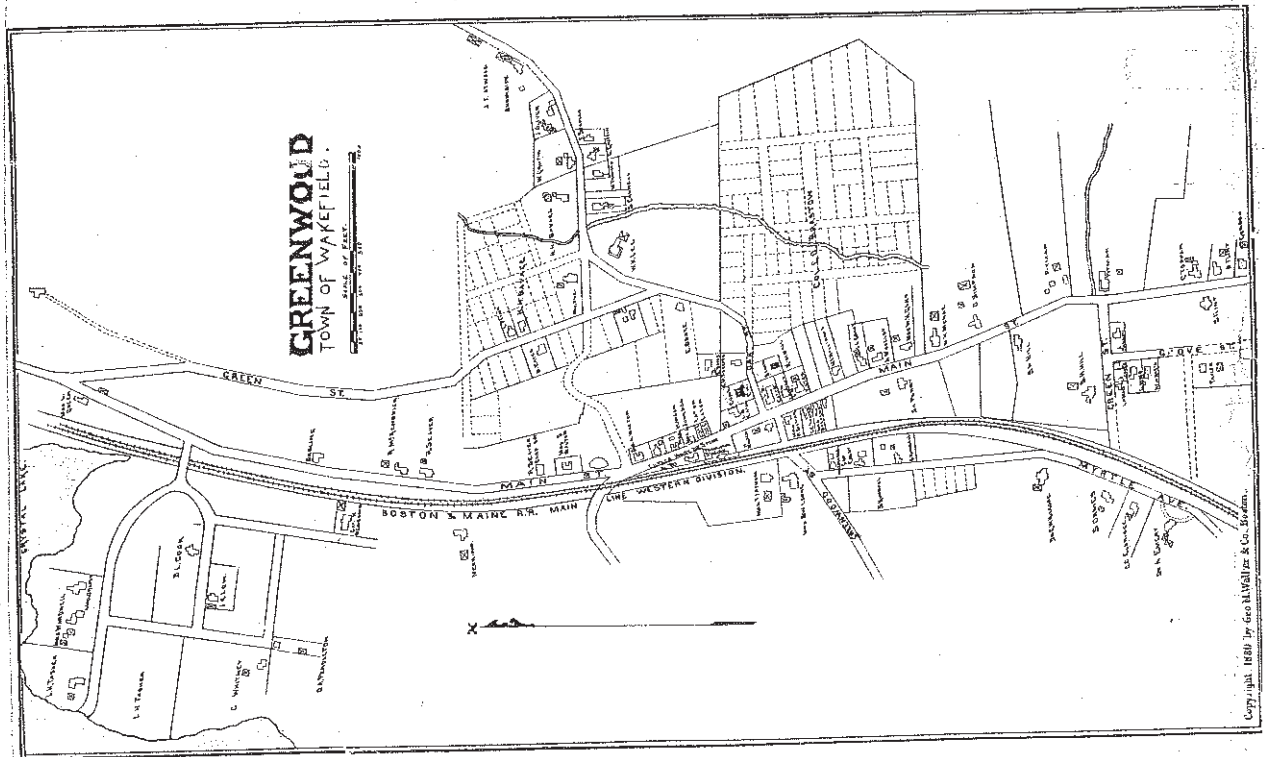
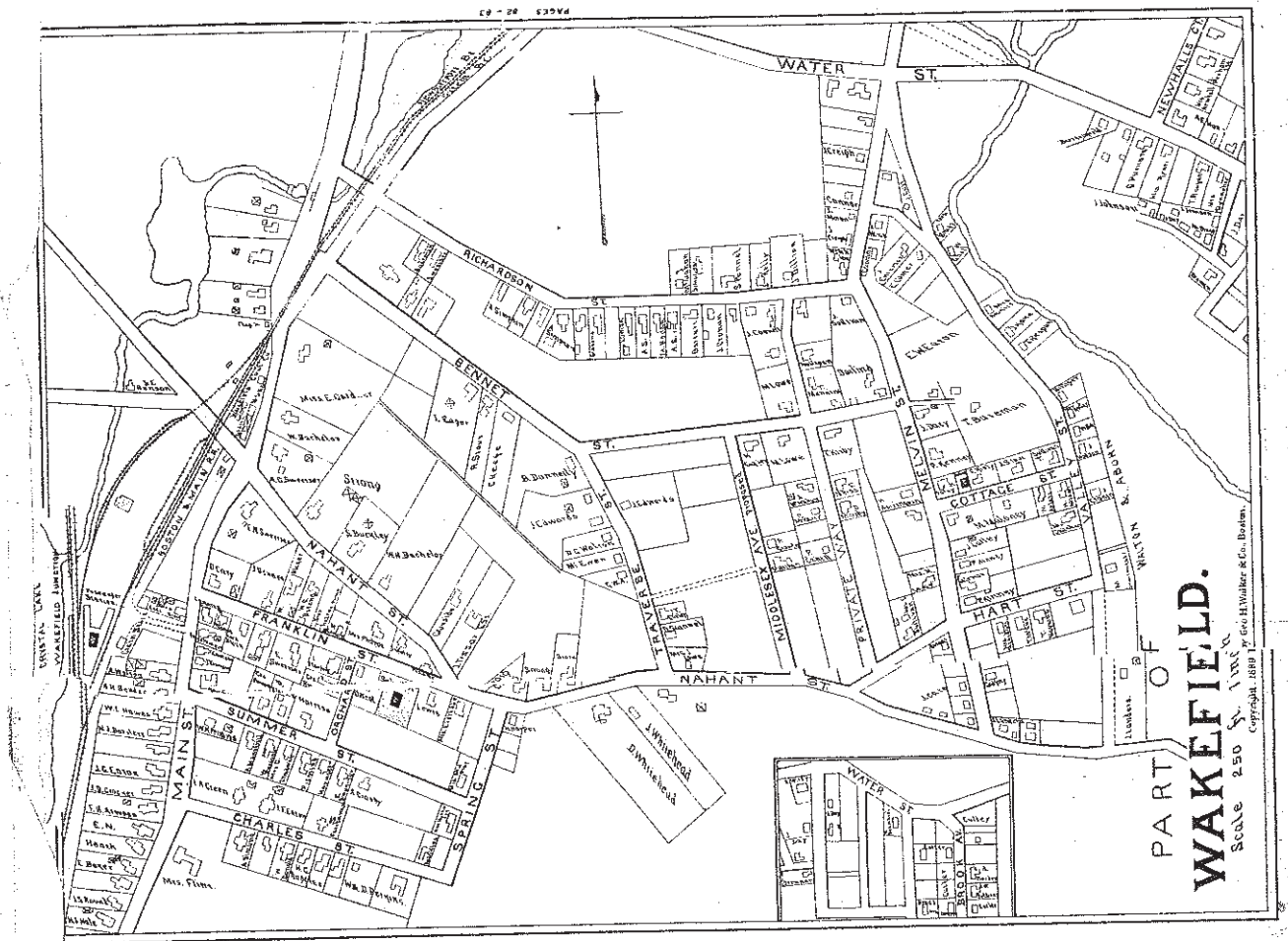
Distance from S. Reading Meeting House	Other Distances
To Boston State House	11 - 3 - 18
Concord Court House	16 - 2 - 7
Cambridge Court House	10 - 1 - 8
East Cambridge Court House	10 - 0 - 31





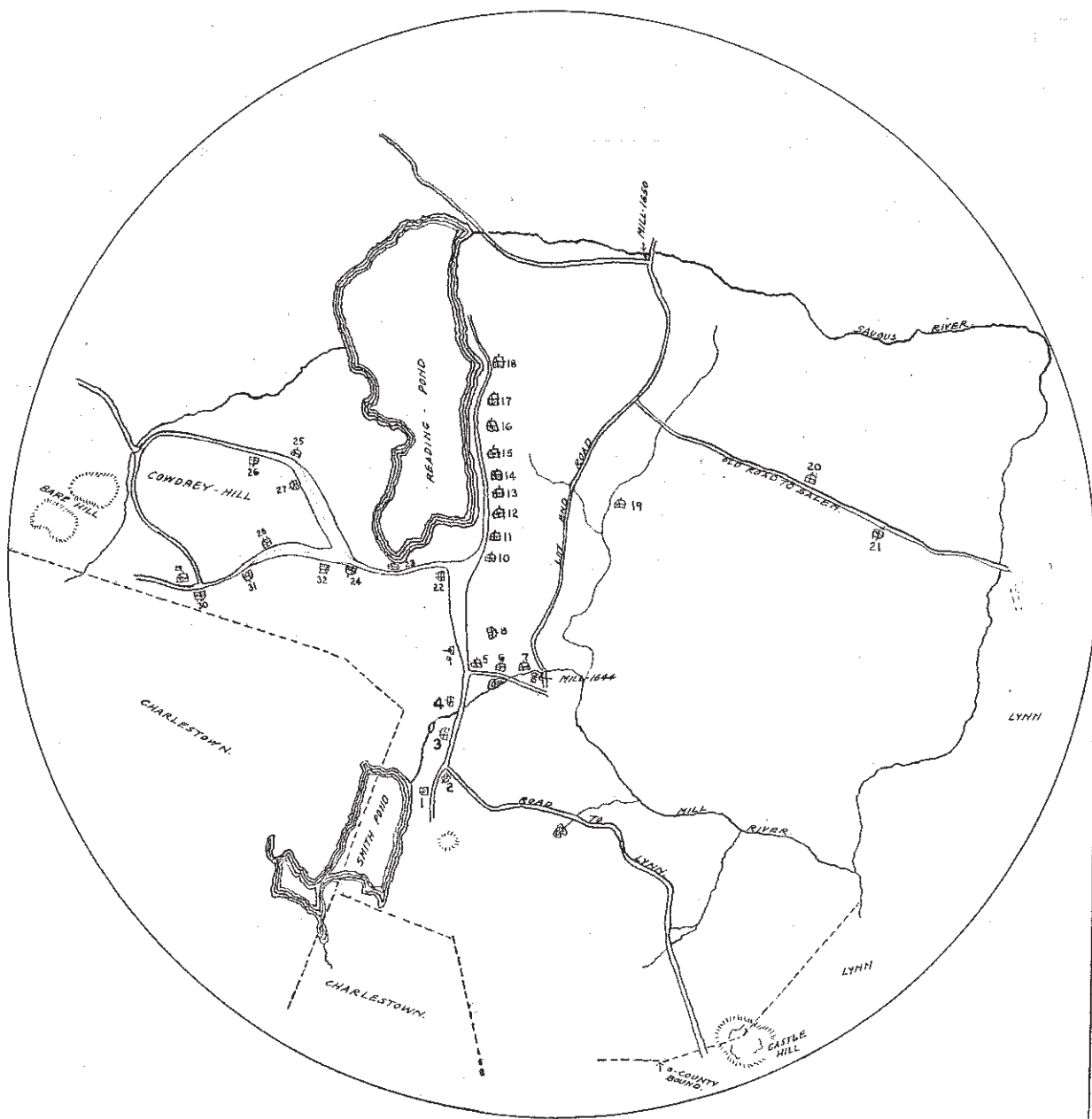


TOWN OF  
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MAP OF  
 OLD READING  
 MASSACHUSETTS BAY COLONY.  
 -1647-

SHOWING THE LOCATION OF THE HOMESTALLS OF THE FIRST SETTLERS.  
 ALL BEING WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE PRESENT TOWN OF WAKEFIELD.



Map Case  
Wakefield  
1899 - 2

### A NATIVE'S TRIBUTE

Wake of our blood channels is deep  
The grateful hillsides rise  
And on the right, across the water, the  
The splendor of the lake

Wake of the peaceful waters, the  
Lifted, forever, from the sea  
And the water, the water, the water  
The water, the water, the water

Wake of the waters, the waters, the waters  
The waters, the waters, the waters  
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## AROUND WAKEFIELD'S LAKE.

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QUANNAPOWITT LAKE

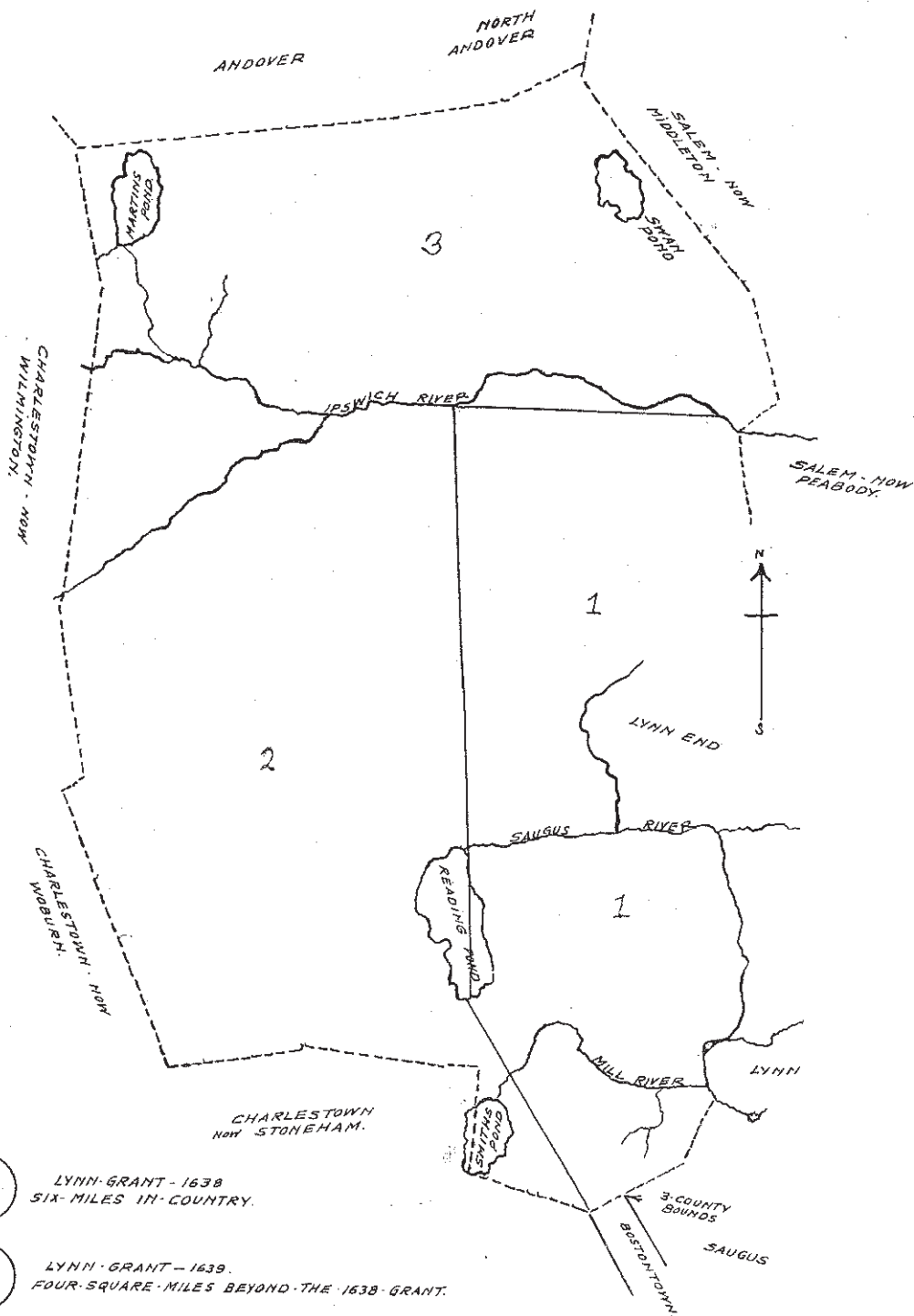








MAP  
OF  
OLD READING  
MASSACHUSETTS - BAY COLONY.  
-1651-



- 1 LYNN GRANT - 1638  
SIX MILES IN COUNTRY.
- 2 LYNN GRANT - 1639.  
FOUR SQUARE MILES BEYOND THE 1638 GRANT.
- 3 READING GRANT - 1651  
TWO MILES NORTH FROM THE IPSWICH RIVER  
TO THE ANDOVER BOUNDS.

William E. Esbry  
-1935-





The Grant of  
Col. Nichols's Plan  
of  
The First Parish  
of  
**READING**

The present towns of Wakefield and Reading  
Plotted in 1765

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1877

Note: This map was made to show at  
what an inconvenient distance  
from the Old Meeting House  
many of the parishioners lived, and  
to prove the need of a new one.

