

## First Generation

1. **Freedom D. BEEDE** was born about 1826 in Vermont.<sup>1</sup> He appeared in the census in 1860 in Lancaster, Coos, New Hampshire. Age 34, driver, born Vermont. His household included 4 year old Ada F. Beede who was probably his daughter. His wife had probably died. He was living next door to 24 year old Walter Buck and his 18 year old wife Sarah A. Walter was possibly a brother-in-law to Freedom and Sarah his sister. Walter's household included a 66 year old Matilda Beede and a 1 year old William B. Beede. Matilda was possibly Walter's mother-in-law [Freedom's mother?] and William was possibly Freedom's son. Name on census: **Freedom D. Beede**.

Freedom D. BEEDE and Vidalia BUCK were married before 1856.<sup>2,3</sup> **Vidalia BUCK**<sup>2</sup> (daughter of BUCK) died before 1860. Freedom D. BEEDE and Vidalia BUCK had the following children:

- +2            i. **Ada F. BEEDE** (born about 1856).
- 3             ii. **William B. BEEDE** was born about 1859 in New Hampshire.<sup>4</sup> [Speculation - there is no evidence that William was a son of Freedom. However, he was living next door to Freedom on the 1860 census with his possible grandmother and aunt Sarah.]

He appeared in the census in 1860 in Lancaster, Coos, New Hampshire. Age 1, born New Hampshire. He was living in the household of Walter and Sarah Buck, which was next door to Freedom and Ada. The household also included 66 year old Matilda Beede, possibly his grandmother. Name **Wm B. Beede**.

## Second Generation

2. **Ada F. BEEDE** (Freedom D.-1) was born about 1856 in New Hampshire.<sup>5</sup> She appeared in the census in 1860 in Lancaster, Coos, New Hampshire. Age 4, born New Hampshire. She was living with 34 year old Freedom Beede, probably her father. Name **Ada F. Beede**.

She appeared in the census in 1880 in Guildhall, Essex, Vermont. Age 24, born New Hampshire, father Vermont, mother Maine[?]. She was living with her husband in the household of her father-in-law, William Heartshorn. Name **Ada F.**

Ada F. BEEDE and Charles E. HARTSHORN were married. **Charles E. HARTSHORN** (son of William H. HARTSHORN and Delia L. ?) was born about 1855 in Vermont.<sup>6</sup> He appeared in the census in 1880 in Guildhall, Essex, Vermont. Age 25, born Vermont, parents born Vermont. He was a hotel keeper living with his wife in the household of his parents. Ada F. BEEDE and Charles E. HARTSHORN had the following children:

- 4             i. **Eva M. HARTSHORN** was born about 1876.<sup>7</sup> She appeared in the census in 1880 in Guildhall, Essex, Vermont. Age 4, living with parents in her grandparents household. Name **Eva M.**
- 5             ii. **Minnie D. HARTSHORN** was born about 1879.<sup>8</sup> She appeared in the census in 1880 in Guildhall, Essex, Vermont. Age 1, living with parents in her grandparents household. Name **Minnie D.**

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## Sources

1. Census Image, 1860.
2. A. Silliker <Dimetapper@aol.com>, Email: 21 Aug 2004.
3. Based on birth date of oldest known child. Ada was 4 in 1860.
4. Calculated from census. Age 1 in 1860.
5. Ibid., Age 4 in 1860 and 24 in 1880.
6. Ibid., Age 25 in 1880.
7. Ibid., Age 4 in 1880.
8. Ibid., Age 1 in 1880.