

East Andover June 26, 1910

Dear Mary -

Sometime ago I received
Thanks from you concerning the
History of Canterbury. As Mr Moody
was not a native of Canterbury
you might not wish to mention him -
Cousin Henry knows my ancestry
and I think will give the facts
he thinks proper I will give dates -

I am 76 yrs old today - was born June 26, 1834
Son of W. D. & Nancy (Prescott) Clough -
Married June 26 - 1860.
Have three sons -

Geo H. M. -

Charles E. M. -

Horace A. Moody - I am sure the history
will be interesting reading - I thank you for
your very generous offer - & will let you know
later - With regards - C. A. Moody -

Mr Moody was born in York Maine.
May 4th 1808 - Died April 20. 1985.

was the son of Thomas & Mary Paul Moody.
Graduated from Gilmanton Theological
Seminary in 1843 - and was
ordained and installed over the church
in Canterbury Nov 22. 1843 -
Dismissed Dec 19. 1860.

Married Martha Mariak Garland
of South Berwick Me, July 20. 1843

Two children - John Howard & Martha Ellen.
Ellen Died July 25-1883 -

These are all the facts I can
give - The Moody's in York were quite
a noted family - there being many
- ministers - &c
Perhaps you know all this & more

East Andover Aug 26-1910

Dear friend Mary -

Your card
received yesterday -

Ellen's husband's name was
R. Crandall. I do not know
the first name. She always
called him Crandall,

Ellen died in Minneapolis
July 25-1883 -

Her father died Apr 20-1885.
Annie Mariah died in C, Mar. 28, 1863,
My children were all born in C -
except one - Susie M. born in Andover
Feb 20-1871 - Died July 2-1872.

My son Charles E. Moody
is married - They have two
children - Howard H. born July - 1905
Emily " June 5 - 1909 -

I think I have answered your
questions - If there is any more
information I can give - I shall
be pleased to do so -

Sincerely - C. A. Moody -

East Andover March 24, 1886.

Friend Abner,

Dear Sir: Yours of the 14th. current is at hand. I ^{am} pleased to learn that you are preparing a history of Canterbury. I enclose a document ^{which} speaks for itself. I think Father Patrick alludes to Mr. Cutler in his historical sermon, whether he knew of the records from which the enclosed was copied I know not.

I wish I could furnish you with something biographically about Father Patrick but I can not. I prepared a memorial of him at the time of his death, but Mrs. Patrick requested me to let her have it, which I did without taking a copy of it. I do not recollect any facts it might have contained. I think it probable that you revered Father, whose life ran

parallel with Father Patrick's ministry,
Can give you more accurate information
about him as a professional man &c,
than any other living person. I can say
that he was an unfailing friend and a
most excellent pastor of mine while he
remained in Canterbury.

I was born in Gosh, Me, May 4, 1808. I
was kept in the common schools and
under instruction of ministers most of the
time until I became of age. I com-
menced teaching in 1829 and taught
about ten years - Entered Cuthberton Theolog-
ical Seminary in 1840 graduated in 1843 -
ordained in Canterbury Nov. 22, 1843 - dismissed
Dec. 19, 1860 - continued to supply the Church two
years longer - went to Ohio and supplied the
Churches in Amherst and Vermillion one
year - took charge of the Church in Can-
terbury again in 1864 and continued acting
pastor until 1869, when I commenced preach-
ing at East Andover where I have ^{an} ~~been~~ ^{continued} to

preach for the last twelve years - and in addition am now supplying the Church recently formed at Andover Centre half the time, which gives me a five miles ride at noon on the Sabbath. So you perceive that I am not altogether rusting out.

My Class-mates at the Seminary were:
Charles Durgin, - dead a number of years.
Caleb Curtis, - died a few weeks since.
Daniel Sawyer, - living but does not preach.
William Freeman, - was in Wisconsin has not preached for some years.

Nathaniel Frost, - I have heard nothing from him since he graduated.

I suppose I am the only member of my class now able to preach. How thankful I am, I think, that my health & strength are continued to such a good degree.

Wishing you good success in your undertaking, I am, very respectfully, yours, &c,
H. Moody.

Dear John & Mary.
Stated.

Thomas Moody & Nov. 18. 1792, at York, Maine
Mary Paul & Oct-10 1775- at Elliott "
Joseph H. Moody m. Oct 7. 1902

Rev. Howard Moody.

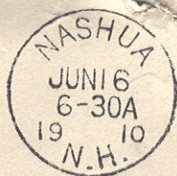
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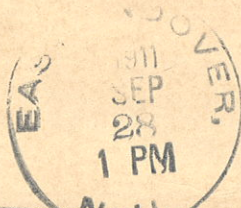
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N. H.

R. F. L. 11.



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Miss Mary E. Clough,
Canterbury,
New Hampshire.

East Andover Sept, 27.

April 20-1885. was surely the
correct date of Mr Moody's death,
I think there must have been
a misunderstanding in some way -
I was not aware of the fact.

This is the only explanation I can
give - I am in comfortable health
and hope it is well with you - C. A. M.