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**List of Banks**

Bank of Brattleboro  
Brattleboro Savings Bank

Brattleboro Savings & Loan  
Brattleboro Trust Company  
First National Bank of Brattleboro  
First Vermont Bank  
Peoples National Bank  
Vermont Peoples National Bank  
Vermont Bank & Trust Co  
Vermont National Bank  
Vermont Savings Bank  
West River Bank  
Windham County Bank

**Businesses**

R. M. Alexander Plumbing  
C.E. Allen's Seeds  
Ames  
American Optical  
    A. DeAngelis  
Avenue Grocery – Closed  
Bakers - Closed  
Barrows Coal Co.  
Beadniks  
Berkshire Hathaway, Inc.  
Bickford Knitting Machine Co.  
Bloomer/Chatterton, Inc.  
Boise Cascade  
Book Cellar  
C.E. Bradley  
Brattleboro Food Co-op.  
Brattleboro Creamery  
Brattleboro Development Credit Corp.  
Brattleboro Drug Company  
Brattleboro Gas & Light Co.  
Brattleboro Granite Company  
Brattleboro Jelly Company  
Brattleboro Public Market  
Brattleboro Sewing Machine Co.  
Brattleboro Tool Company  
Brown & Roberts Hardware  
Brown Photography, Lewis  
Buddington Grist Mill  
Bushnells Store  
Carpenter Organ Company

Cersosimo Lumber Company  
Cheney & Clapp  
C.F. Church Manufacturing Co.  
Clawson-Hamilton Co.  
F. Coombs and Son  
Cotton Mill  
Crosby Milling Company  
Crystal Springs Ice  
C & S Grocers, Inc.  
Custom Laundry  
DeWitt Grocery Company  
Dunklee Machine Shop  
Dunham Brothers  
Dutch Bake Shop  
C.H. Eddy Co.  
S.W. Edgett & Co.  
S. H. Edwards Manufacturing  
Emerson & Son  
Estey Organ [see separate listing]  
Fishers Market  
Fleming Oil Co.  
Furgat Tractor & Equipment Co.  
Galanes Vermont Shop  
Gas House  
Haskins and Schwenk, Attorneys  
E. L. Hildreth & Co.  
Holden Martin Lumber Co.  
Holstein-Friesian Association (2)  
Homebody  
Hooker Corser, Mitchell Overhall Co.  
Carl S. Hopkins – Seed Gardens  
Hopkins & Dickson Mfg.  
Houghton Simonds Store  
The Old Jelly Mill  
Johnson & Hallgren Painting  
Latchis Theater  
Lawton Quality Cleaners  
J.E. Mann, Inc.  
Marsh Brick Yard  
Milk Plant, The  
Minshall Organ Company  
Mocha Joes  
Montgomery Ward Company

Pages Ice Cream  
Purebred Livestock Sales Co.  
Richards Group  
R.S. Roberts  
Rockwell & Sherwin  
Roots Pharmacy  
Rule Factory  
Sam's Outdoor Outfitters  
H.W. Sargent Signs  
Schorling, Carl  
Smith, Charles Alvah, Clock Maker  
S. A. Smith Manufacturing Company  
Spencer Press  
S.M. Spencer Stencils  
Stephen Greene Press  
Stevens & Associates  
Stockwell Store  
Superior Material Spreader Company  
Taylor for Flowers  
Templeton Furniture Company  
True North Granola  
I.N. Thorn  
Van Doorn, Anthony  
Vaughn and Burnett  
Vermont Country Deli  
Vermont Loan & Trust Co.  
Vermont Printing Company  
Vintons Paper Mill  
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White River Chair Company  
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### **Churches**

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First Congregational, W. Brattleboro, 1, 2  
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St. Michaels Catholic  
St. Michaels Episcopal

Swedish Congregational, Strand Avenue  
Tent Tabernacle  
Trinity Lutheran  
Unitarian/Universalist  
Miscellaneous Churches

**Genealogy (Notebooks are in small  
bookcase in front of desk)**

Arey  
Bailey, Farmer - notebook  
Balestier  
Barrett  
Barrows/Cox  
Beal  
Bliss  
Briggs  
Brungardt - notebook  
Burnett  
Butterfield  
Cabot  
Carpenter  
Chamberlain  
Chase  
Clapp (Notebook) (folder)  
Colburn  
Cook  
Corse  
Cox ( see Barrows)  
Crosby (Notebook)  
Crown (Notebook) - 2  
Crowningshield  
Cushman  
Deyo  
Dickinson  
Drown  
Eames (Notebook)  
Ellis  
Elmer  
Esterbrook  
Farnum  
Folsom  
Fuller (Notebook)  
Gates

Goodhue (Notebook)  
Harris  
Haskell  
Heaphy  
Hildreth  
Holden  
Holland  
Holton  
Hopkins  
Horton  
Houghton  
How/Howe  
Hunt  
Johnson  
Kathan  
Knapp (Notebook)  
Leach  
Long  
McCune  
Minihan  
Moon  
Newton  
Nye  
Parker  
Patrick  
Plummer  
Potter  
Powers  
Rice  
Richardson – see also Esterbrook  
Robbins  
Sawtell  
Sawyer  
Shelley  
Smith, Carrie  
Smith, John  
Stanly/Standley  
Staples  
Stockwell (also Notebook)  
Stoddard (Notebook)  
Thomas  
Thurber  
Thurston

Wales & May  
Warren  
Wateroff/Longfellow  
Whitney  
Wilder  
Williams  
Wright

**Houses**

Atwood  
Averill  
Beal  
Blake  
Bradley  
Brookside Terrace  
Burnham  
Caruso  
Childs  
Cobblestone  
Crosby  
Diamondstone  
Dickinson  
Dunham  
Estey  
Folsom House  
Goodhue House  
Greene  
Grout  
Holbrook  
Hooker  
Inwood  
Locke  
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Reed Castle  
Slack  
Starr  
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Tyler

**Organizations**

American Legion  
Art in the Neighborhood  
Banjeukelele Club  
The Banjo Ukulele Club  
B.P.O.E.  
Better Brattleboro Campaign  
Brattleboro Area Affordable Housing  
Brattleboro Boys and Girls Club  
Brattleboro Civic Improvement League  
Brattleboro Development Credit Corp  
Brattleboro Historical Society  
Brattleboro Outing Club  
Brattleboro Rifle Club  
Brattleboro Womans Club (AB116)  
Brattleboro Women's Evening Club  
(AB116)  
Business & Professional Womens Club  
Chautauqua  
Civilian Conservation Corps (C.C.C.)  
Colonial Dames  
Community Asylum Seekers Project  
(CASP)  
D.A.R.  
Eastern Star  
Edible Brattleboro  
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Estey Organ Museum (see Box 2)  
Exchange Club  
Families First  
Farm Bureau  
Fine Arts Vermont  
Food Connects  
Friends of the West River Trail  
Girls on the Run  
Grand Army of the Republic  
Grange (see boxes AB-63, St.Rm.2)  
Groundworks Collaborative  
Hatch Space  
Inshuti of Swanda  
In-Sight Photography Project  
I.O.O.F.

Knights of Columbus  
Ladies Enterprise Society  
Loaves & Fishes  
Masonic  
Meals on Wheels  
Peace Jam (see BUHS)  
Rebekahs, The  
Red Cross  
Rescue  
Retreat Farm  
Root Social Justice Center  
Rotary Club  
Round Table of Unity  
Social Security  
Stamp Club  
Sunshine Society  
Turning Point  
Vermont Everyone Eats  
Vermont Jazz Club  
Tuberculosis Camp  
V.F.W.  
Vermont Wheel Club (1, 2)  
Windham County Heat Fund  
Windham World Affairs Council  
Windham County Reads  
Windham-Windsor Housing Trust  
Winston Prouty Center, The  
Women's Freedom Center  
Y.M.C.A.  
Y.W.C.A.  
Miscellaneous Organizations

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Abbott Family  
Aiken, George  
Anderson, George Riley  
Allen, C. E.  
Allis, Marguerite  
Austine, Col. William  
Bailey, Emma  
Bailey, George "Farmer"  
Baker, Edward  
Baker, James

Balint, Becca  
Banslaben, James  
Barber, Merrill "Mezzy"  
Bellow, Saul  
Belogour, Paul  
Berman, Leo  
Boyden, Sarah Osgood  
Bradley, Richards  
Brasor, Charles J.  
Brasor-Pratt, Harriett  
Brattle, William  
Brosnahan, John R  
Brooks, George Jones  
Brooks, William S.  
Brown, Raymond L.  
Bunker, Ellsworth  
Burnett, Dr. Grace  
Bussino, Melinda  
Cabot, Mary R. – AB-16  
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Campbell, Bruce  
Cappy, Annette  
Carbone, Jerry  
Carnahan, John & Mary  
Casey, Mary  
Cassidy Maggie  
Cersosimo, Tony  
Chamberlain  
Chapman, Judge Ralph  
Cheney, Walter  
Childs, Walter H.  
Clapp Family  
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Coolidge, Pres. Calvin  
Cox, Douglas  
Croker, Gertrude  
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Davenport, Chas Newton  
DeAngelis, Joseph  
Diamondstone, Peter  
Dickerman, Dr. Lemuel  
Dummer, William  
Dunklee, Ernest W.  
Dunklee, Robert  
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Easterly, Thomas Martin  
Eastwood, Rev. James  
Eaton, Dorman B.  
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Elliot, Samuel  
Elmer, Stella  
Evans, Emery  
Evans, Samirgh  
Fairbanks Family  
Famous People  
Farr, Lovell  
Fisher, Alvan  
Fisher, Jean Pratt  
Fisk, Col. James, Jr.  
Fisk, Wilbur  
Freeman, Mary Wilkins  
Freme, Martha  
French, George  
French, William  
Frost, Chas. C.  
Fuller, Abby  
Fuller, Ida Mae  
Fuller, Levi K.  
Gannett, Robert T.  
Gibbs, "Ellie"  
Gibson Family  
Gilbert, Kyle  
Gilfeather Family  
Goddard Family  
Goodhue, Francis  
Green, Hetty  
Greene, Stephen  
Greenleaf, Stephen  
Grout, Rev. Lewis  
Gunzinger, August  
Hamilton, Richard  
Hansen, Fran Lyngaard  
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Harris, Fred (Scrapbooks AB-1)  
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Hayes, Warren  
Hendricks, Walter  
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Hertzberg, Gustav  
Hesse, Karen  
Hines, Alonzo H.  
Hogle, Dr. John R.  
Holbrook, Frederick, Gov.  
Holbrook, John, Deacon  
Hooker, Col. George  
Houpis, John Jr.  
Houghton, Fred  
Houghton, George  
Howe, C.L.  
Howe, Mary (Scrapbook AB-14)  
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Huber, J. Parker  
Hughes, Orrin Burton  
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Hunt Family (Richard Morris/  
William Morris/Leavitt)  
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Johnson, Amy  
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Mayor, Archer  
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Mead, William Rutherford  
Mellen, Helen  
Merriam, Dr. S.D.

Michelman, Richard E.  
Miller Family  
Mitchell, Richard  
Moody, Malcolm  
Moyse Family  
Newman, Alan G.  
Newton, William Sawyer  
Nichols, Clarina Howard  
Nichols, Joann H.  
O'Connor, Thomas  
O'Connor Family  
O'Keefe, Patrick  
Patch, Bob  
Pepe, Faith  
Perkins, Charles  
Pestle, Ray  
Pettee Family  
Phelps, Gen. John  
Piecniak, Michael (Mike)  
Powers, Jennie  
Pratt, Col. Walter  
Randall, Robert  
Raymond, Charles  
Remillard, Bernard  
Rice, Howard C. / Howard C., Jr.  
Rice, Marion McCune  
Richards, Ann (Annie)  
Richardson, Wm Henry  
Robb, Herman  
Root, Frederick E.  
Rumler, Robert  
Runnion, Norman  
Schroeder, Janet  
Schuster, C.F. Family  
Serkin, Rudolf  
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Shiminski, Mary  
Simonds, Charles F.  
Slason, Mary E.  
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Smith, George H.  
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Stark, Molly

Stearns, Dr. Samuel  
Stellman, Maxine  
Stockwell, "Aunt" Sally  
Stowe, Harriet Beecher  
Sugland, John G.  
Switzer, Florence  
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Taver, Charles Warde  
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Thayer, Porter  
Thompson, Thomas  
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Thornfield, Anna  
Toedt, H.F.C.  
Traver, Charles  
Tudor, Tasha  
Tyler, Jane Miles  
Tyler, John Steele  
Tyler, Mary Palmer  
Tyler, Royall  
Waite, Silas  
Walker, Robert W.  
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Wellman, Richard  
Wells, Rev. William  
Wells, Samuel  
Wheeler, Dr. Philip  
Williams, Jodi  
White, Sally Joy  
Whitney, Edwin  
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**Schools**  
Academy  
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Brattleboro Academy  
Brattleboro Business Institute

Brattleboro High (Annual Reports AB5)  
Brattleboro School of Dance  
Brattleboro Union High School  
Burnside Military  
Canal Street  
Clawson-Hamilton Business  
Esteyville  
Experiment in International Living-S.I.T  
Free Kindergarten  
Glenwood Ladies/Classical Seminary  
Grammar School, West Brattleboro,  
Elementary  
Green Street  
High Street  
Kurn Hattin Homes  
Mark Hopkins College  
Sarah Hunt School  
Marlboro College  
Melrose Seminary  
Neighborhood School House  
North Street  
Oak Grove  
P.T.A.  
Reed Street School  
St. Michaels High  
S.I.T. (School for International Training)  
& S.I.T. Institute  
Thompson Nursing School  
Amelia Tyler School  
Vermont Adult Learning  
Windham/Landmark College  
Windham Regional Career Center  
World Learning

Miscellaneous Schools  
School District Reports

**Telephone Directories, 1919-1998**

Bottom shelf

**Town Reports, 1875-2008** – Boxes in  
right back room

**Miscellaneous Boxes – Bottom Shelf**

Brattleboro Outing Club, 1, 2, 3, 4  
Photo Journal Material  
Then and Now  
Vermont History  
Winter Carnival, 1, 2  
Yesterday & Today/Plus Misc.

**Top Shelf Collections**

Collyer  
Crown  
Goodenough  
Eames

**Estey Boxes Index**

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Benefit Association  
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Estey Co. Correspondence/Personal

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Estey Homes  
Estey Letters (and stock certif.)  
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Waring Dissertation  
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Booklets/Brochures (large)  
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Miscellaneous Estey Papers

**ES-1**

Pipes, clamps, etc.

**ES-2**

Misc. Artifacts – larger box

**ES-4**

Misc. paper items – flat

**ES-6**

Estey Banner  
Fuller Flag

**ES-7**

Charles Henkel drawings