ABBREVIATIONS

BPL: Boston Public Library
FBC: First Baptist Church
HTW: Lamson's History of the Town of Weston
HUA: Harvard University Archives
MHC: Massachusetts Historical Commission
MHS: Massachusetts Historical Society
MCRD: Middlesex County Registry of Deeds (South District), Cambridge
NA–NER: National Archives, New England Region, Waltham
NEHGS: New England Historic & Genealogical Society
NEPA: New England Province Archives, College of the Holy Cross
NHS/JH: Newton Historical Society/Jackson Homestead
Pung: Dickson's Once Upon a Pung
RR: Dickson's Random Recollections
SPNEA: Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities
TR: Town of Weston annual reports
WDFPT: Waltham Daily Free Press Tribune
WFP: Waltham Free Press
WHC: Weston Historical Commission
WHS: Weston Historical Society
WPL: Weston Public Library
WHSB: Weston Historical Society Bulletin

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