

# 1893

## Historical Happenings

- January 4 Washington, D.C.  
In a conciliatory move toward the Mormon Church, the government offers amnesty to all polygamist, providing they respect future laws against it.
- March 4 Washington, D.C.  
Grover Cleveland, who was also 22<sup>nd</sup> President was inaugurated as the 24<sup>th</sup> President of the United States.
- March 27 Boston, Massachusetts  
The first long-distance call was made today with branch managers of the American Bell Telephone Company in Boston and New York exchanging remarks. "The words were heard as perfectly as though the speakers were standing close by" says an account in the *Boston Journal*.
- April 6 New Orleans, Louisiana  
The longest bout in the history of boxing was held today between Andy Bowen and Jack Burke. The event ended, with no winner, after seven hours and 19 minutes.
- June 21 New Bedford, Massachusetts  
**Lizzie Borden Freed**  
"Lizzie Borden took an ax and gave her mother 40 whacks....." The children's rhyme may last forever, but the accused murderer's trial ended today. After two weeks of testimony, Miss Borden has been acquitted of the killing of her father and stepmother. There are no more suspects in the small town of Fall River besides Lizzie, who at 32 is unmarried and stands to inherit her father's fortune.
- September 16 Oklahoma Territory  
Opening of six million acres of Cherokee land causes rush of over 100,000 white settlers.



# AGE CHART /GEORGE WADSWORTH'S FAMILY

YEAR	GEORGE W.	EMELINE M.	ELMER	ALVAH
1857				
1858	21			
1859	22	16		
1860	23	17		
1861	24	18		
1862	25	19		
1863	26	20		
1864	27	21	1	
1865	28	22	2	
1866	29	23	3	
1867	30	24	4	
1868	31	25	5	
1869	32	26	6	
1870	33	27	7	
1871	34	28	8	
1872	35	29	9	
1873	36	30	10	1
1874	37	31	11	2
1875	38	32	12	3
1876	39	33	13	4
1877	40	34	14	5
1878	41	35	15	6
1879	42	36	16	7
1880	43	37	17	8
1881	44	38	18	9
1882	45	39	19	10
1883	46	40	20	11
1884	47	41	21	12
1885	48	DIED OCT 12, 1882	22	13
1886	49	PHTHISIS	23	14
1887	50	41 YRS	24	15
1888	51	6 MOS.	25	16
1889	52	18 DAYS	26	17
1890	53		27	18
1891	54		28	19
1892	55		29	20
1893	56		30	21
1894	57		31	22
	58		32	23
	Died July 8, 1907		Died July 14, 1917	24
	Pernicious Anemia		Pleuritis	25

