

Samuel Torrey House
Aunt Jennie Harding House
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House History

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William and Jennie Harding House
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Address: Town Road
City: Tremont, Great Gott Island
State: Maine
Map and Lot Number: Map 1 - Lot 26
Map: Tremont Tax Map 01
Original Land Owner: Samuel Gott
First Owner: Samuel Torrey (1849-1896)
Builder: Samuel Torrey (1849-1896)
Build Date: Circa 1874

"The original land was sold by Samuel Gott for \$40 to Samuel Torrey, who then built the house with the barn. Wm. H. and Mary A. Harding purchased the property from Samuel Torrey on April 1st, 1890. Clarence E. and Hazel Harding occupied the house until 1927 when they left Gott's Island for the home they purchased in Bernard. E. Northwood Kenway purchased the property from W.H. Harding's sons and their wives on August 22, 1947. The main house has witnessed baptisms, weddings and funerals. Northwood and his wife, Rita, have labored lovingly to restore the house to its original beauty and equip it with modern conveniences." - "The Historic Homes of the Town of Tremont...A perspective in Time," published by the Tremont Historical Society, July 1998, p. 14.

Owner Chain:

1874: Samuel Torrey built the house and barn.
Samuel Torrey (1849-1896) and his wife Mary Ann Gott (1853-1935)

1890: William H. Harding and Mary A. Harding purchased the property from Samuel Torrey
04/01/1890.
William H. Harding (1857-1925) and wife Jennie H. Lawson (1865-1942)

Their children, Clarence E. and Hazel Harding occupied the house until 1927.
Clarence E. Harding (1895-1993) and Hazel (Malanson) Harding (1896-1948)

1947: Edward and Rita Kenway purchased it as the "Aunt Jenny Harding House" from Clarence and Hazel Harding
Kenway - Edward Northwood Kenway (1924-)
Johnson - Rita (Johnson) Kenway (1931-2011)

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