

Originals at the Whitley County Historical Museum - Columbia City, Indiana

Benjamin Gardner and wife consent to the marriage of their daughter to Philander Colby.

Mr. Cuppy for this is to ratify you that I  
and my wife have consented that Philander  
Colby for to be married to Harriet Gardner our  
daughter Union Township August 11. 1840  
Ben<sup>je</sup> Gardner