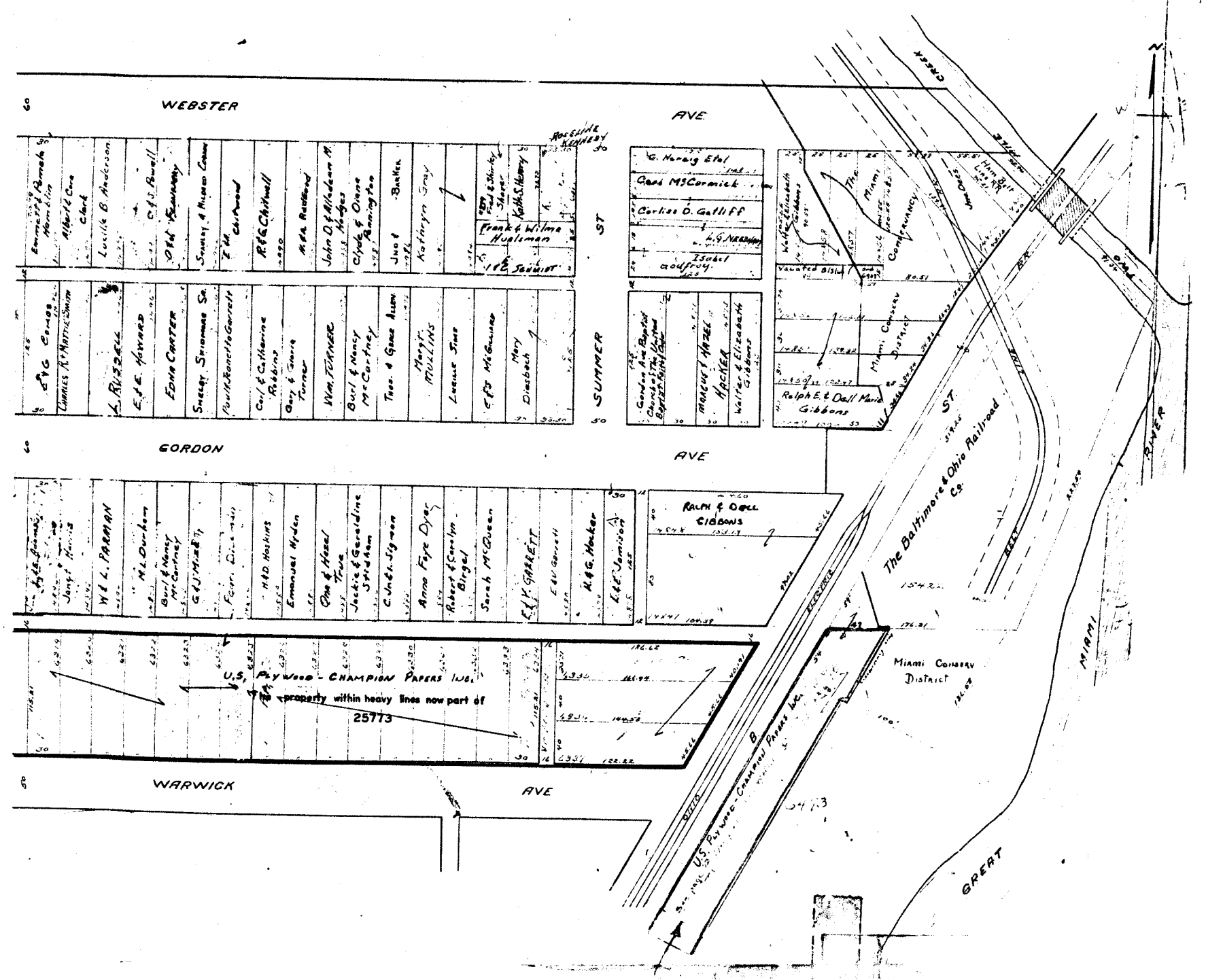HAMILTON WARD 1. N.S