

Charles F. Hanson & Co.

Worcester, Massachusetts

- 1849 Charles Frederick Hanson was born in Uddevalla, Sweden (Naturalization papers).
- 1865 Hanson emigrated to Boston in August (Nat. papers).
- 1868 Hanson was working in Boston as a piano tuner (marriage certificate).
Hanson & wife Eliza moved to Worcester (gravestone).
- 1870 C. F. Hanson, music teacher, East Boston (census).
- 1871 C. F. Hanson, piano tuner for S.R. Leland & Son in Worcester (city directory).
- 1873 Hanson, piano tuner (directory). Son Charles Arthur Hanson was born (gravestone).
- 1876 Hanson was a piano tuner in Worcester (state record).
- 1880 Hanson was a piano tuner in Worcester (census).
- 1883 Charles F. Hanson & Co, music, #242 Main St, Worcester (city directory).
- 1889 Hanson & Co, #317 Main St, Worcester (directory).
- 1900 Charles & son Arthur both listed as music dealers (census).
- 1907 Hanson & Co, #188 Main St, Worcester (directory).
- 1910 Hanson and son Arthur were proprietors of a music store and daughter Lillian (b.1869) was a music teacher (census).
- 1916 Hanson & Co, #260 Main St, Worcester (directory).
- 1918 Hanson & Co, #260 Main St (directory).
- 1920 C. F. Hanson, musical merchant, Worcester (census).
- 1921 Charles Hanson died on February 10; musician and music store owner (death certificate).
- 1930 Arthur Hanson, piano store owner (census).
- 1940 Arthur Hanson, owner of piano tuning business (census).
- 1965 Arthur died this year; ending any business (gravestone).



Photos from internet sales. These would have been stencils made when he first started the business.