

Capt Hugh Mason Family

First Generation

1. **Dr Ebenezer MASON**, son of **Dea Jonas MASON** and **Mary CHANDLER**, was born 1 Nov 1732 in North Yarmouth, Cumberland, ME and died 4 Jun 1816 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME.

In Rev War, as was his son Ebenezer Jr. See Desc of Capt Hugh Mason p83-4.

Ebenezer married **Rebekah WINSLOW**, daughter of **Barnabas WINSLOW** and **Marcy GLASS**, 13 Jan 1756 in North Yarmouth, Cumberland, ME. Rebekah was born 9 Mar 1734/35 in North Yarmouth, Cumberland, ME and died 17 Sep 1769 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME.

Rebekah is descended from Richard Warren of the Mayflower, so all of her children and descendants are too.

Children from this marriage were:

- M i. **Jonas MASON** was born 2 Nov 1756 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died in Mar 1778 in , PA.
He had no known marriage and no known children.
Died in Rev War.
- 2 F ii. **Asenath MASON** was born 4 Sep 1758 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died 25 Dec 1833 in Turner, Androscoggin, ME.
- M iii. **John MASON** was born 3 Nov 1760 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died 22 Oct 1824 in Casco Bay, Cumberland, ME.
John married **Lucy LOCKE**, daughter of **John LOCKE** and **Susanna RING**, 28 Oct 1783 in Falmouth, Cumberland, ME. Lucy was born in 1758 in Falmouth, Cumberland, ME and died 23 Mar 1854 in Portland, Cumberland, ME.

Desc from Mayflower Myles Standish. Desc of Capt Hugh Mason p123-4.
- 3 M iv. **Ebenezer MASON Jr** was born 7 Mar 1763 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died 16 Jan 1847 in Vienna, Kennebec, ME.
- F v. **Mercy MASON** was born 13 Mar 1766 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died 21 Jan 1854 in Poland, Androscoggin, ME.
Some online trees give Amos d-date to Mercy; not in Minot VR.
Findagrave slate stone Herseyville Cem, Androscoggin Co. 8 ch.
Mercy married **Amos HERSEY**, son of **James HERSEY** and **Betty NOYES**, 25 Mar 1787 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME. Amos was born 30 Oct 1765 in Abington, Plymouth, MA and died 6 Jun 1834 in Minot, Androscoggin, ME.

Ebenezer next married **Anna CLEAVES** 6 Jan 1774 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME. Anna was born in 1746 and died 28 Oct 1796 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- M i. **Willard MASON** was born 12 Sep 1774 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died 1 Mar 1834 in Turner, Androscoggin, ME.
Willard married **Lucy COBURN** 20 Jan 1799 in Turner, Androscoggin, ME. Lucy was born 8 Apr 1779 and died 17 Dec 1815 in Turner, Androscoggin, ME.
Willard next married **Mary WHITING** 10 Sep 1816 in Hartford, Oxford, ME. Mary was born in 1780 and died 2 Jul 1847 in Hartford, Oxford, ME.
- M ii. **Thaddeus MASON** was born 3 May 1776 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died 20 Nov 1798 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME. He had no known marriage and no known children.
- M iii. **Jonas MASON** was born 7 Jun 1778 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died 21 Nov 1868 in Augusta, Kennebec, ME.
Jonas married **Abiah BRYANT** 17 Mar 1799 in Turner, Androscoggin, ME. Abiah was born 2 Dec 1777 in Turner, Androscoggin, ME and died 9 Feb 1821 in Thomaston, Knox, ME.
Jonas next married **Rebecca MATHEWS** 20 May 1824. Rebecca was born 19 Nov 1798 and died 12 Jan 1845.
Jonas next married **Catherine CAMPBELL** 11 Mar 1846 in Somerville, Somerset, NJ.
- F iv. **Anna MASON** was born 7 Jun 1778 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died 13 Sep 1829.
Anna married **Lemuel NASH** in Sep 1799.
- F v. **Sarah Winslow MASON** was born 15 Jan 1781 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died 14 Jan 1801 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME. She had no known marriage and no known children.
- M vi. **Samuel MASON** was born 18 May 1783 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died 17 Oct 1804 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME. He had no known marriage and no known children.
- M vii. **Nathaniel MASON** was born 21 Feb 1785 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died 29 Sep 1830 in Minot, Androscoggin, ME.

Nathaniel married **Elizabeth RYERSON** 29 Nov 1804 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME. Elizabeth was born 13 Jun 1773 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died 29 Mar 1819 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME.

Nathaniel next married **Lydia J LANE** 23 Jan 1821 in Minot, Androscoggin, ME. Lydia was born 27 Oct 1791 in Poland, Androscoggin, ME and died after 1848.

- F viii. **Mary Hamilton MASON** was born 8 Sep 1788 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME.
Mary married **Luther WHITING** in Jan 1817.

Ebenezer next married **Mary** 21 Aug 1797 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME. Mary was born 2 Sep 1741 and died 17 Feb 1822 in Minot, Androscoggin, ME.

widow Mrs Mary Collins.

Second Generation (Children)

2. **Asenath MASON** was born 4 Sep 1758 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died 25 Dec 1833 in Turner, Androscoggin, ME.

Asenath married **William BRADFORD**, son of **Ezekiel BRADFORD** and **Betsey CHANDLER**, 12 Dec 1776 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME. William was born 9 Mar 1754 and died 26 May 1828 in Turner, Androscoggin, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- M i. **William BRADFORD** was born 6 Aug 1778 in Turner, Androscoggin, ME.
M ii. **Asa BRADFORD** was born 4 Feb 1780 in Turner, Androscoggin, ME.

3. **Ebenezer MASON Jr** was born 7 Mar 1763 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died 16 Jan 1847 in Vienna, Kennebec, ME.

Ebenezer has a documented Richard Warren Mayflower line.

Fought in Rev War, as did his father. Ebenezer is buried in South Chesterville. May 31 is the marr int date. New Gloucester mar-rec by Rev Samuel Foxcroft. [TMG v34 p31]. Desc of Capt Hugh Mason p124 lists 11 ch and that 4 others died in infancy.

Ebenezer Jr was a pensioner. MA Soldiers & Sailors vol X p 319 says: "Ebenezer Mason Jr. Private, Capt William Harris' detachment from Col Pike's (Cumberland Co) Regt.; detached Sept 27, 1779, discharged Oct 23, 1779, service 26 days, under direction of Committee of Falmouth, detachment detailed for defense of Falmouth agreeable to order of General Court of Sept 3, 1779."

MOCA record says "Maine PVT, Harris' Regt, Pike's Regt, Rev War". Capt Hugh Mason genealogy p205 says "Ebenezer Mason appears as one of the early settlers of Littleborough (renamed Leeds in 1801), and as being actively engaged in throwing off the "British Yoke".

Ebenezer married **Susanna CHURCHILL** 26 Jun 1783 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME. Susanna was born in 1765 in New Gloucester, Cumberland, ME and died in Sep 1836 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- F i. **Susanna MASON** was born 4 Oct 1783 in Littleborough-Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 12 Sep 1863 in Turner, Androscoggin, ME.
Desc of Capt Hugh Mason p124,205. Marriage int were in Wayne July 16, 1803. 10 ch.
Susanna married **Sylvanus ADKINS** in Sep 1803 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME. Sylvanus was born in 1782 in , , ME and died 17 Feb 1858 in Turner, Androscoggin, ME.
- 4 M ii. **Ebenezer MASON 3rd** was born 5 Feb 1785 in Littleborough-Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 3 Apr 1821 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME.
- M iii. **Philip Chandler MASON** was born 23 Sep 1786 in Littleborough-Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 7 Feb 1856 in Buckfield, Oxford, ME.
Desc of Capt Hugh Mason p205 says he was born in Phillips, but it did not exist then.
Philip married **Betsey COBURN**, daughter of **Jonas COBURN** and **Lucy VARNUM**, 26 Mar 1809. Betsey was born 13 Feb 1781 in Turner, Androscoggin, ME and died 26 Mar 1826 in Paris, Oxford, ME.
Philip next married **Lucy COBURN**, daughter of **Asa Varnum COBURN** and **Rebecca CROCKER**, 3 Sep 1826. Lucy was born in 1800.
- M iv. **Naphtilia MASON** was born 17 Oct 1787 in Littleborough-Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 5 Jan 1818 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME.
Naphtilia married **Molly JEPSON** in Feb 1810.
- M v. **Martin MASON** was born 28 Mar 1792 in Littleborough-Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died in 1821.
Martin married **Mary BROWN** in Apr 1818.
- M vi. **John MASON** was born 24 May 1794 in Vienna-Rome, Kennebec, ME and died 2 Dec 1891.
John married **Pamelia SOPER** 18 Jan 1821. Pamelia was born in 1800 and died 11 Apr 1822.

John next married **Mary CROWELL**, daughter of **Jonathan CROWELL** and **Remember TILTON**, 13 Jun 1822. Mary was born 3 Dec 1792 in New Sharon, Franklin, ME and died 20 Apr 1877.

In 1822 Mary was widow of George Riggs who d 20 Apr 1817.

- F vii. **Rachel MASON** was born 10 Apr 1795.
Rachel married **Solomon DAVEE**, son of **Simeon DAVEE** and **Susanna PRATT**, in Mar 1818. Solomon was born 25 Jun 1796 in Buckfield, Oxford, ME.
- F viii. **Rebecca MASON** was born 25 Apr 1799 and died in 1823.
Rebecca married **Peter COBURN**.
- M ix. **Asaph MASON** was born 19 Mar 1800 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died in 1822.
- M x. **Isaac MASON** was born 25 Jan 1803 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died in 1823.
Isaac married **Eliza DUNHAM**, daughter of **Thomas DUNHAM** and **Sylvina**, 24 Feb 1822 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME. Eliza was born 20 Mar 1804 in Hebron, Oxford, ME.
- F xi. **Mercy MASON** was born 13 Mar 1805 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 5 Apr 1805 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME.

Ebenezer next married **Hannah BASS** in 1838. Hannah was born in 1780 and died 29 Dec 1859.

Third Generation (Grandchildren)

4. Ebenezer MASON 3rd was born 5 Feb 1785 in Littleborough-Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 3 Apr 1821 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME.

Descendants of Capt Hugh Mason p205. Ebenezer has a documented Richard Warren Mayflower line.

Ebenezer is bur in Leeds' Fish Cemetery. Maine Place Names says, Eben Mason built the second grist mill in 1816, in West Leeds; he was also the town's first blacksmith.

Ebenezer married **Mercy Paine FISH**, daughter of **Jireh FISH** and **Mercy FARRER**, 20 Dec 1807 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME. Mercy was born 31 Mar 1789 in Littleborough-Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 12 Mar 1876 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME.

Parkman VR CD p75 has marr int of Job Dunham & Mercey Mason of Parkman 11 Sep 1836. p76: Stephen Gilbert of Parkman & Mehitable Mason of Cambridge, mi [no date, but immediately followed by: Stilman Mason of Cambridge & Esther Cox of Parkman, mi July 30 1837. p78: Calvin Morgridge of Parkman & Miss Elonia Mason of Cambridge, mi Dec 16 1838. Jacob Dunham 83 is a boarder and pauper res with David Leighton family in 1860 Cambridge. Mercy P Dunham IS in 1860 Parkman census p 884 age 72 in household of James Packard 55 (no wife but has ch). Parkman Deaths 1842-1879 has a "Mercy Dunham wife of Joseph S Dunham died [blank, on same page as 1870 and 1873]. A couple pages later is "Mercy Dunham died March 12th AD 1876 AE 86 years". She is buried in Parkman Village Cem behind the church, in Stephen & Mehitable Gilbert lot on the same stone, with this date.

Children from this marriage were:

- 5 F i. **Mercy MASON** was born 7 Jan 1809 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 15 Dec 1859 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME.
- 6 F ii. **Susanna MASON** was born 18 Nov 1810 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 10 Oct 1855 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.
- 7 M iii. **Stillman MASON** was born 4 Jan 1813 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 16 Apr 1855 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.
- 8 F iv. **Mehitable Mercy MASON** was born 12 Dec 1815 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 22 May 1893 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME.
- 9 F v. **Elonia Paine MASON** was born 13 Oct 1818 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 18 Mar 1895 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME.

Fourth Generation (Great-Grandchildren)

5. Mercy MASON was born 7 Jan 1809 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 15 Dec 1859 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME.

Capt Hugh Mason Gen says Mercy m Daniel Robbins. 1850 Bath census shows Daniel Robbins 50, Mahitable 35, Mary E 17. Her sister Mehitable is accounted for and documented as wife of Stephen Gilbert in Parkman. No other eligible Daniel Robbins in 1850 census. 1830 Bath lists Daniel Robbins Jr. 1850 Bath Daniel 50, Mahitable 35, Mary E 17. 1860 has Daniel 63, Mehitable 46. So, did Mercy Mason really marry Daniel Robbins, or did some unknown Mehitable? An Ancestry tree says she md twice, Daniel Robbins 18 Oct 1829 in Leeds, and James Packard 17 June 1848 in Parkman. MOCA cemetery records show no James or Mercy Packard in Piscataquis Co or Cambridge. MOCA Parkman Village Cem does list Lydia wife of James Packard d 18 Oct 1841 age 28y 3m. Online tree list ch of Daniel & Mercy as William Henry, Arvilla, Aurelia, Philena, and Rhodelphia Robbins. 1850 Parkman census: James Packard 46, Mercy 41, Jackson 12, Rebecca 11, Clarinda 8/12. [no notice of Robbins ch.] 1860 Parkman (PO E Sangerville): James Packard 55, Jackson 23, Clarinda J 11, Levi F 5, Mercy P Dunham 72. 1870 Parkman (PO Dover): Edmund Currier 53, Dorcas 48, Ida L 4,

Levi Packard 17, James Packard 66. An Ancestry tree says he is the son of Elnathan Packard & Rebekah Dunham, and gives his b-d-date/place.

Mercy married **Daniel ROBBINS Jr** 18 Oct 1829 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME. Daniel was born in 1800 and died before 1848.

Mercy next married **James PACKARD** 17 Jun 1848 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME. James was born 18 Mar 1804 in Hebron, Oxford, ME and died 9 Jun 1888 in Medford, Piscataquis, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- F i. **Clarinda J PACKARD** was born in Sep 1849 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME.
- M ii. **Levi F PACKARD** was born in 1854 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME and died 10 Oct 1902 in Oxford, Oxford, ME.
M/C says 1st m for both, he 45 b Parkman, of Medford; his parents dec James Packard b Hebron & Ella Dunham unk (Levi's stepmother?); berth a b Jay, her parents John H Grant dec & Mary A Chandler b Bethel. D/C has unknown for parentage age 46, wd. Accident - run over by (ill.) cart, and chest completely crushed in. Bertha's d/c says age 33,3,18 b Gray, wife of L F Packard.
Levi married **Bertha Edna GRANT** 5 Jan 1901 in Oxford, Oxford, ME. Bertha was born in Jul 1868 in Jay, Franklin, ME and died 15 Nov 1901 in Oxford, Oxford, ME. They had no children.

6. Susanna MASON was born 18 Nov 1810 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 10 Oct 1855 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.

Family from Cambridge VR family registers p47. Buried in Cambridge Memorial Garden cem. VR p8: Luther is son of John Rogers, (son of James), b 17 Oct 1781 & Betsy McNelly b 29 June 1786. Parkman VR, p68 of the CD, Luther Rogers of Ripley & Susan Mason of Parkman, mi Feb 9 1832. 1850 Cambridge census 205/222. 1860 Cambridge census 477/487: Luther A 53, Sarah 36, Lee S 8, Eldora Gilbert 10. 1870 Leeds census 234/242: Lee S Rogers 19 b Cambridge, in fam of Phillip Pettingill 66 b Leeds, Joanna 66 b Freeport, Elizabeth 22 b Leeds, James H Burnham 26 b Leeds.

Susanna married **Luther A ROGERS**, son of **John ROGERS** and **Betsey McNELLY**, in Feb 1832. Luther was born 3 Mar 1807 in Ripley, Somerset, ME and died 10 Nov 1864 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- 10 F i. **Delsena L ROGERS** was born 15 Nov 1835 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 4 Dec 1860 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.
- F ii. **Lauraette ROGERS** was born 2 Feb 1842 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 1 Apr 1842 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.
- F iii. **Harriet F ROGERS** was born 16 Apr 1844 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 18 Jan 1845 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.
- M iv. **Seth S ROGERS** was born 13 Jan 1846 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 17 Feb 1851 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.
- M v. **Lee S ROGERS** was born in 1851 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died after 1874.
Not found after 1870 census.
Lee married **Susie E SHAW** 23 May 1874 in Lewiston, Androscoggin, ME.

7. Stillman MASON was born 4 Jan 1813 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 16 Apr 1855 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.

Parkman VR CDp76 lists marr int of Stillman Mason of Cambridge & Esther Cox of Parkman 30 July 1837, immediately after his sister Mehitable. 1850 Cambridge census 203/220: Stillman 36 teamster, Esther 32, Stillman E 12, Lucretia E 8, Phillip B 3.

Esther m2 Dexter Shepley of Parkman; she and son Phillip there in 1860. 1870 Esther & Dexter liv in Dexter. Not found in 1880, or in Maine death records. Dexter 1817-27 Sep 1887 is buried in Corinna Center Cem. Stillman and dau Ellen are buried in Cambridge Memorial Garden Cem.

Stillman married **Esther COX** in Aug 1837. Esther was born in 1817 in , , ME and died after 1870.

Children from this marriage were:

- 11 M i. **Stillman E MASON** was born in May 1837 in , , ME and died 19 Nov 1902 in Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA.
- F ii. **Lucretia E MASON** was born in 1842 and died after 1850.
- 12 M iii. **Phillip B MASON** was born in 1846 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died after 1880.
- F iv. **Ellen M MASON** was born in Dec 1854 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 16 Jun 1855 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.

8. Mehitable Mercy MASON was born 12 Dec 1815 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 22 May 1893 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME.

Parkman VR CDp76 lists marr int of Stephen Gilbert of Parkman & Mehitable Mason of Cambridge, date missing, but immediately following is the same of her brother Stillman 30 July 1837. The CD p241, p132 of family registers, lists the

children and dates as listed here, and gives marriage date. Register however, says ch of Stephen Gilbert b 26 Jul 1822 Monmouth & "Matilda Mason b New Gloucester Dec 12 1822". Note that the Dec 12 matches the Capt Hugh Mason genealogy for Mehitable. Perhaps the town clerk mixed up the name and year. 1850 Parkman census says Stephen & Mahitable are both 34, and all ch Christopher through Charles are still living. 1860 Parkman census also has Stephen & Mehitable both age 44, and lists all the children. 1870 Parkman has them both age 55, all the ch still in the house except Calvin. 1880 Parkman has her wd living alone age 64; the others not found in Pisc Co. Mehitable, Stephen, son Calvin, and mother Mercy are all buried in Parkman Village Cem behind the church, on the marble Gilbert Monument. On the same side as Mercy Mason is Stephen Gilbert's parents, Bailey Gilbert d June 1 1864 age 71 & wife Sarah d June 13 1879 age 82. Bailey was a son of Samuel Gilbert.

Mehitable married **Stephen GILBERT**, son of **Bailey GILBERT** and **Sarah SMART**, 28 Aug 1838 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME. Stephen was born 26 Jul 1815 in Monmouth, Kennebec, ME and died 5 May 1880 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- 13 M i. **Christopher Columbus GILBERT** was born 12 Jul 1839 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME and died 13 Jan 1904 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME.
- 14 M ii. **George B GILBERT** was born 16 Aug 1841 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME and died 27 Mar 1915 in Veazie, Penobscot, ME.
- F iii. **Susan R GILBERT** was born 10 Sep 1843 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME and died after 1870.
- M iv. **Calvin C GILBERT** was born 5 Dec 1845 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME and died 1 Nov 1860 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME.
- M v. **Charles D GILBERT** was born 27 May 1848 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME and died after 1870.
- F vi. **Sarah H GILBERT** was born 26 Feb 1850 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME and died after 1870.
- F vii. **Eldora L GILBERT** was born 30 Mar 1852 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME and died after 1870.
- M viii. **Everett A GILBERT** was born 10 Feb 1853 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME and died after 1870.
- 15 M ix. **Fred A GILBERT** was born 10 Mar 1857 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME and died after 1940 in Bangor, Penobscot, ME.
- F x. **Mary A GILBERT** was born 29 Oct 1859 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME and died after 1870.

9. Elonia Paine MASON was born 13 Oct 1818 in Leeds, Androscoggin, ME and died 18 Mar 1895 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME.

Parkman VR CDp78 lists marr int of Calvin Morgridge of Parkman & Miss Elonia Mason of Cambridge 16 Dec 1838. Piscataquis Co Marriages gives that date as the wedding date. 1850 Cambridge census: Elonia's brother Stillman Mason 35 teamster, Esther 32, Stillman E 12, Lucretia E 8, Philip B 3.

Elonia married **Calvin MORGRIDGE**, son of **Benjamin MORGRIDGE** and **Abigail PATTEN**, 16 Dec 1838 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME. Calvin was born in 1816 in Sangerville, Piscataquis, ME and died 10 Jul 1873 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.

Calvin Morgridge bought 12 pews/shares in Cambridge Meeting House Nov 6 1857.

Buried Village Cemetery, now Cambridge Memorial Garden, next to brother-in-law Stillman Mason, age 57. Have photo of stone. Unknown where wife is buried.

The child from this marriage was:

- 16 F i. **Mary Abigail MORGRIDGE** was born 8 Jun 1840 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 24 Mar 1922 in Salem, Essex, MA.

Fifth Generation (2nd Great-Grandchildren)

10. Delsena L ROGERS was born 15 Nov 1835 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 4 Dec 1860 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.

Cambridge VR p66-7 has family register with m-date and d-date. Married by Rev C Tailor at Cambridge. p29 has his birth and parents; D/C says parents b Farmington & Alton NH. Both buried Cambridge Memorial Garden Cem which has: Delcenia L. [ROGERS], wife, d. Dec. 7, 1858 AEt 23 yrs 22 dys. 1860 census includes Delcenia age 24, so Cambridge VR p66-67 must be correct with 4 Dec 1860; Dec 7 1858 is the death of her son Wilbur. 1860 census shows them living next to aunt Elonia Mason Morgridge.

Delsena married **Jefferson WATSON**, son of **Ephraim WATSON** and **Rachel LEIGHTON**, 1 Nov 1857 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME. Jefferson was born 29 Sep 1833 in Ripley, Somerset, ME and died 5 May 1905 in Dexter, Penobscot, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- M i. **Wilbur WATSON** was born 5 Dec 1858 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 7 Dec 1858 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.
- F ii. **Elba WATSON** was born 25 Nov 1859 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died after 1870.

11. Stillman E MASON was born in May 1837 in , ME and died 19 Nov 1902 in Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA.

Seemed to live in Bangor 1860; possibly in Philadelphia in 1880, 42 cabinet maker, with wife Esther M, 45, and son Edwin W 15. 1900 Philadelphia, 62 May 1838 ME-3, Esther 63 Nov 1836 2-1 NY-3, Edward 36 July 1863 ME wd. Philadelphia D/C on familysearch confirms from Cambridge Maine; acute gastritis and cardiac paralysis, a cabinet maker. Buried Mount Moriah Cem. Single gravestone has Stillman E 1837-1902; Esther M 1834-1906; W Edwin 1864-1904.

Stillman married **Esther M.** Esther was born in Nov 1834 in , , NY and died in 1906 in Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA.

The child from this marriage was:

- M i. **William Edwin MASON** was born in Jul 1863 in , Penobscot, ME and died 21 Dec 1904 in Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA.
William E Mason b ME wd d 21 Dec 1904 Phila, res 2017 Kater St, same as father, also bur Mount Moriah Cem. D/C says a fireman, no parents listed.
Public Ledger – Philadelphia; Friday morning, December 23, 1904, Page 9: "MASON – Suddenly, on the 21st inst., EDWARD, son of Esther M. and the late Stillman E. Mason, in his 41st year. Relatives and friends of the family, also Engine Company No. 4, P F. D., are invited to attend the funeral, on Saturday, at 1 p. m, from his mother's residence, 2017 Kater st. Interment at Mount Moriah Cemetery."

12. Phillip B MASON was born in 1846 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died after 1880.

1860 Parkman liv w Dexter Shepley 43 & Ester Shepley 43. 1870 in Dexter. 1880 Wellington: Philip B 33 painter, Emma M 29 VT, Minnie M 6, Eva O N 1 both b ME. Girls not found in Maine marriages. Nothing found in VT records, or MA. Nothing found for Philip Mason in any state 1900.

Phillip married **Emma M** about 1872. Emma was born in 1850 in , , VT.

Children from this marriage were:

- F i. **Minnie M MASON** was born in 1874 in , , ME.
- F ii. **Eva O N MASON** was born in 1879 in , , ME.

13. Christopher Columbus GILBERT was born 12 Jul 1839 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME and died 13 Jan 1904 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME.

1900 Monson census, M32y, 5-5, "Aleuea?" md 1y to Mabel Aug 1876.

D/C says age 64.6.1 which matches b-date, says father b Parkman, mother b Dexter, organic disease of brain.

Christopher married **Anna Elvira CUSHMAN**, daughter of **Nelson CUSHMAN** and **Elvira DAY**, in 1867. Anna was born in Nov 1849 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME and died after 1922.

Annie E Gilbert, 58 wd of/b Monson, m2) 25 Nov 1908 Dexter, Alvin A Eastman 61 wd b Exeter; source of her parents both b Monson, father dec.

Annie E Gilbert, 66 div 3rd m of/b Monson, m3) 9 Dec 1916 Bangor, William R Hughes 67; confirms her parents.

Children from this marriage were:

- M i. **Abner C GILBERT** was born in Oct 1869 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME.
Abner married **Mabel**. Mabel was born in Aug 1876.
- F ii. **Flora Anna GILBERT** was born in 1871 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME.
M/C: Fred is a physician and Flora Anna is a teacher. Gives parents full names; Flora: father dec, mother of/b Monson. Fred: Father b Lowell, mother dec b Lincoln.
Flora married **Fred Lord VARNEY**, son of **Jedediah VARNEY** and **Mary J CUMMINGS**, 20 Dec 1909 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME. Fred was born in 1873 in East Lowell, Penobscot, ME.
- M iii. **Roy GILBERT** was born in 1879 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME.
- 17 M iv. **John Harvey GILBERT** was born 26 Oct 1881 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME.
- M v. **Arthur Nelson GILBERT** was born 10 Jun 1883 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME and died 18 Jan 1965 in Augusta, Kennebec, ME.
B/C and 1918 WWI Registration agree on 1883; B/C gives parents middle names; Tall, med build, blue eyes, It brown hair; Finish Percher at Old Colony Woolen Co in Sangerville. M/C: Hattie's parents both of/b Sangerville. They are buried in Village Cem Sangerville.
Arthur married **Hattie F DAVIS**, daughter of **Arno G DAVIS** and **Hattie A FOLSOM**, 19 Jan 1910 in Sangerville, Piscataquis, ME. Hattie was born 1 Feb 1887 in Sangerville, Piscataquis, ME and died 6 Jan 1967 in Sangerville, Piscataquis, ME. They had no children.

14. George B GILBERT was born 16 Aug 1841 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME and died 27 Mar 1915 in Veazie, Penobscot, ME.

Birth rec says George was b 16 Aug, but d/c says 8 Aug., age 77,7,19, married farmer, gives mother's name as Mehitable Mercy - didn't have any middle name before. Killed in RR accident. Both Bur N Brewer Cem.

George married **Belynda F HOWARD**, daughter of **Samuel HOWARD** and **Sabrina ROBERTS**, 4 Mar 1869 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME. Belynda was born 20 Sep 1847 in North Brewer, Penobscot, ME and died 25 Aug 1920 in Orono, Penobscot, ME.

The child from this marriage was:

- F i. **Blanche GILBERT** was born in 1873 in Brewer, Penobscot, ME.

15. Fred A GILBERT was born 10 Mar 1857 in Parkman, Piscataquis, ME and died after 1940 in Bangor, Penobscot, ME.

1880 Brewer (also George B); 1900 Bangor Fred A, Carrie A 2-2ch, Gertrude 20, Grace E 16. 1930 Bangor have 2 g-daughters living with them, Peavey - Geraldine 18 and Glenice 12.

Fred married **Caroline A HOWARD** in 1879. Caroline was born in Feb 1857 in Brewer, Penobscot, ME and died in 1930-1939 in Bangor, Penobscot, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- 18 F i. **Gertrude Mae GILBERT** was born in Dec 1879 in Brewer, Penobscot, ME and died after 1936.
- 19 F ii. **Grace Estelle GILBERT** was born in Jul 1883 in Brewer, Penobscot, ME.

16. Mary Abigail MORGRIDGE was born 8 Jun 1840 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 24 Mar 1922 in Salem, Essex, MA.

Mary Morgridge is a documented descendant of Mayflower Pilgrim Richard Warren. Son Hamlin's m cert in 1895 says father is deceased, but his mother resided in Waterville. Mary is in the records of Waterville Pleasant Street Methodist Church, but with a note "last heard of 1905". 11/2006: Found D/C Salem MA v27 p65 #178: Mary A Leavitt d 24 March 1922 at her home 21 Ocean Terrace, widow of Ralph Leavitt, age 81. COD Chronic myocarditis. Bur Greenlawn Cem Salem on Mar 25 by the town in a pauper lot #260 Lot 6, no marker. Born Maine. Parents (sic) John Morege and Elonia Nason.

Salem News death notice 1922 - In Salem, March 24, at 21 Ocean Terrace, Mrs Mary A, widow of Ralph Leavitt, 81 years.

Obit Salem News Mar 25 - Mrs Mary A Leavitt, widow of Ralph Leavitt, died at her home, 21 Ocean terrace, yesterday. She was born in Maine, the daughter of the late John and Eleanora (Mason) Morette [sic], and was in her 82nd year.

1850 Cambridge census 249/270: Job Dunham 73 MA \$100, Mercy 51 [Elonia's mother] 250/271: Calvin Morgridge 34 farmer \$75, Elonia 31, Mary A 10.

1900 Salem MA census 5-WD p104, rent at 30 1/2 Hazel St. Mary Leavitt 59 June 1840 wd 4ch 3liv; all ME-ME-ME Fred M son Apr 1865 35 single Boarding House keeper Hamlin B son Sept 1869 30 M6yrs cotton weaver Elonia M dau Aug 1895 4.

1910 Marblehead MA census p 117 rent on Lafayette St 546/686 Fred M Leavitt, 45 div Truck Farm, all ME-ME-ME Mary A, mother, 69 wd 4-3 Hamlin B, brother, 39 M2-6yrs, Truck Farm Etta C, sis-in-law, 39 M2-6yrs, 1ch 0 liv Elonia M, niece 14.

1920 Salem MA census 3-WD p215 164/164 Etta C Leavitt, 48 wd, cook for private family, boarder, ME no others found in 1920 or 1930.

Mary married **Ralph Clinton LEAVITT**, son of **Joseph LEAVITT** and **Mary-Ann Jane WALLS**, 2 Apr 1858 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME. Ralph was born 18 Jul 1828 in Montville, Waldo, ME and died 6 May 1894 in Cornville, Somerset, ME.

In 1850 Cambridge census, Ralph 22 was a sailor. Ralph was a lumberman later. Every notation includes only his middle initial of C. Feb 2009: Roland Rhoades uses circumstantial evidence to give him the name of Clinton. Reasons: The name Ralph itself is uncommon or non-existent in the Leavitt family before 1829. Martha Leavitt, the daughter of Ralph's half-brother William Henry Harrison Leavitt, names her son Ralph Clinton Twist in 1886. It sounds to me that there was contact between Joseph Leavitt's two families and that Martha had a fondness for her Uncle Ralph. Ralph named a son Joseph C. Leavitt; that C is also lost to history, but could be Joseph Calvin after his grandfathers Joseph Leavitt & Calvin Morgridge. Ralph's brother Joseph had a son Daniel who names children Ralph Clifford and Joseph Clinton. I believe the middle names were used to differentiate between the contemporaries. That still begs the question of where the name Ralph Clinton came from in 1828. I have not found any generals or other statesmen, for which Joseph was fond of naming his children. I believe Joseph named his son Joseph D after his distant cousin/uncle Daniel Leavitt b 1748. Ralph and Mary were married by Comfort Taylor, Minister of the Gospel at the Cambridge Baptist Church, aka Cambridge Union Meeting Hall. Ralph is buried in Mt Pleasant Cemetery in Cambridge ME halfway up the hill; empty spots on both sides of him. The lot was purchased by his son Joseph C Leavitt. Son Willy H is buried in the Cambridge Village Cemetery, now known as the Cambridge Memorial Garden Cemetery.

1860 Cambridge census:

1870 Cambridge Census 32/33: Ralph C Leavitt 41 farmer \$1500/1163, Mary A 28, Joseph C 11, Fred M 5. #88: Calvin Morgridge 53, Elonia P 51. 1870 Agricultural census:

1880 Harmony, Som Census 179/193: Ralph Leavitt 50, Mary A 39, Fred 15, Hamlin 9, Elonia P Morgridge 61 mother of wife (whole page says ME-3). 1880 Monson, Pisc: Joseph Leavitt 21, Ellura M 20, Sina 1.

1890 Waterville, Kenn Ward 5 Percival Court: LEAVITT, Fred M, 25; Hamlin 20; Mary 50; Nellie 20 [my note: Hamlin's wife]; MORGRIDGE, Elona 72.

Ralph died without an estate and separated from his wife, and working in Cornville, 3 towns SW of Cambridge. D/C says he was single with little info about him. However in 1901, 7 years after his death, a note turned up owing him money, which showed up in Somerset County Probate Court as File 1380, and solved a long mystery as to where Ralph's wife and children other than Joseph disappeared. It confirms Ralph's death date and that he last dwelt in Cornville. The record details the relationships as Mary A Leavitt widow of Salem, Mass, son Joseph C administrator of Waterville, and sons Fred M and Hamlin B both of Salem MA. The 1901 court filing explains "The occasion for this [late filing] is the recent discovery of a witnessed note dated November 10, 1884, in favor of the intestate for \$133, on which no payments have been made. This note constitutes practically all the estate...". The court settlement shared \$200 among the 4, with Mary getting a larger widows share of \$66.67, and the 3 sons getting \$44.44 each. Attorney Harvey Eaton also received \$93.59 for his services: "Procuring administration and settling estate costs and services in suit v. Leonard Stone et al. Opposing claim of Leonard Stone costs and services in suit brought by Leonard Stone v Adm'r and Eaton trustee costs and services in 2nd suit brought by Stone v Adm'r". Case settled in 1907.

Note: Find that court case to see if it mentions anything about Violet [Ralph's sister Violet m Leonard Stone]. 6/07: Could not find any mention in Kennebec or Somerset Co courts.

Children from this marriage were:

- 20 M i. **Joseph Calvin LEAVITT** was born 15 Nov 1858 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 27 Sep 1922 in Auburn, Androscoggin, ME.
- M ii. **Willy Harrison LEAVITT** was born 14 Sep 1862 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 6 Sep 1868 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.
- M iii. **Fred Morgridge LEAVITT** was born in Apr 1865 in Harmony, Somerset, ME and died 23 Aug 1915 in Tewksbury, Middlesex, MA.
1901 Mar-rec Fred M is 36 salesman b Harmony ME to Ralph C Leavitt & Mary Morigde; she is 32 Lecturer b Lynn; both of Greenfield 1st m; md by M S Howes. No record of any children.
1910 Marblehead MA census, Fred is Divorced. Have copy of d/c #388; he is divorced, farm laborer b ME parents Ralph Leavitt & Mary Morgridge, both b ME. He died at, and place of burial or removal is, State Infirmary Tewksbury. He died of acute myocarditis, acute dilation, and arterio sclerosis, a resident 2m 7d, in the state 18+ yrs, usual res Salem. He died at 3:45 pm.
Fred married **Sarah Elizabeth HALL**, daughter of **Gustavus HALL** and **Emily A LEWIS**, 29 Jan 1901 in Greenfield, Franklin, MA. Sarah was born in 1868 in Lynn, Essex, MA.
- 21 M iv. **Hamlin Benjamin LEAVITT** was born in Sep 1870 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 4 Nov 1919 in Salem, Essex, MA.
No further mar-rec or census rec found for her. Only 1870 Lynn MA. Her father in 1900 & 1910 Greenfield.

Sixth Generation (3rd Great-Grandchildren)

17. John Harvey GILBERT was born 26 Oct 1881 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME.

1900 census says b Oct 1881. 1918 WWI Registration card says 26 Oct 1882, conflicts with brother Arthur; Quarryman in Portland-Monson Slate Co; med ht, slender build, blue eyes, dark brown hair.
Has a grandson Philip Watt age 0 in 1930, Philip Gilbert 10 in 1940.

John married **Harriett Eunice BROWN**, daughter of **Henry BROWN** and **Jane W ANDERSON**, 30 Jun 1907 in Dover, Piscataquis, ME. Harriett was born 15 Apr 1886 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- F i. **Pauline Jeannette GILBERT** was born 9 Oct 1908 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME and died 15 Jan 1992.
Pauline married **MATTSON**.
- F ii. **Lorraine B GILBERT** was born 6 Oct 1910 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME and died 6 Sep 1922 in Abbot, Piscataquis, ME.
- F iii. **Muriel Blanche GILBERT** was born 18 Jan 1914 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME and died 22 Jul 2005 in Venice, Sarasota, FL.
Muriel married **Roscoe S COTIER** 18 Oct 1936.

18. Gertrude Mae GILBERT was born in Dec 1879 in Brewer, Penobscot, ME and died after 1936.

1902 M/C - 1st m for both, Andrew a MD, Gertrude Mae a cashier. His parents b Mt Desert & Eden. Her parents of Bangor, father a horse dealer b Parkman & mother b Brewer.
Son Andrew's 1936 M/C: Andrew was dec at 42, mother 51 of Boston.

Gertrude married **Andrew Allen BROWN**, son of **Amos S BROWN** and **Leonice L TRACY**, 15 Jan 1902 in Bangor, Penobscot, ME. Andrew was born in 1877 in Northeast Harbor, Hancock, ME and died about 1919.

The child from this marriage was:

- M i. **Sheldon Frederick BROWN** was born 25 Aug 1907 in Monson, Piscataquis, ME and died in Sep 1974. SSDI last res Raymond NH; iss MA. M/C: an accountant of Boston, she of Medford MA, names parents. Sheldon married **Anna Elizabeth TRANSUE**, daughter of **Hillard TRANSUE** and **Anna Elizabeth SCALLON**, 7 Mar 1936 in Seabrook, Rockingham, NH. Anna was born in 1915 in Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA.

19. Grace Estelle GILBERT was born in Jul 1883 in Brewer, Penobscot, ME.

M/C says Frank b So Boston. Geraldine's b/c says he b Dexter. 1940 Bangor census 20 Stillwater Ave, has Fred A 82 gfather, Geraldine 28, Glenice G 22, both public school teachers. MDI: A Grace M Peavey d 6 Apr 1964 Bangor age 81.

Grace married **Frank L PEAVEY**, son of **George PEAVEY** and **Mary E MURRAY**, 19 Dec 1908 in Bangor, Penobscot, ME. Frank was born in 1880 in South Boston, Suffolk, MA.

Children from this marriage were:

- F i. **Geraldine C PEAVEY** was born 16 Jun 1911 in Bangor, Penobscot, ME.
- F ii. **Glenice Gertrude PEAVEY** was born 24 Aug 1917 in Bangor, Penobscot, ME. Glenice married **Ernest G GETCHELL** 20 Feb 1942 in Bangor, Penobscot, ME.

20. Joseph Calvin LEAVITT was born 15 Nov 1858 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 27 Sep 1922 in Auburn, Androscoggin, ME.

Joseph is always referred to as simply Joseph C, the middle name lost to history. The C could stand for Clifford or Calvin or Clinton, maybe it was just plain C so that it could stand for any of them; see notes under his father. None of the names is carried on in subsequent generations. I believe his full name is most likely Joseph Calvin, named after both of his parents' fathers. The entire family of Joseph, Ellura, Sina, Chester, Ulrich, Edith and husband William are all buried in the family plot at Pine Grove Cemetery in Waterville, Lot 548, on Crescent Ave. Have photos of stones, and photos of people except Chester and Ulrich. November 2008, Pine Grove Cemetery told us their records state that Chester was reinterred in 1903 from Cambridge Maine. They also said that Ulrich Leavitt is buried there in "plot #4", though without any marker. No living family members had known anything about it. Joseph C Leavitt is also registered as the person who bought the lot in Mt Pleasant Cemetery in Cambridge, where his father Ralph is buried, and likely where his son Chester was first buried.

1900 Waterville 5-WD census, p 203 413/565: Joseph C Nov 1858 41 M22 insurance agent; Ellura A May 1860 40 M22 4 ch 3 liv; Sina O dau Aug 1879 20 S; Ulrich R son May 1881 19 S; Edith M dau Oct 1889 10. Family rented a home at 5 Pleasant St.

1910 Waterville 6-WD p 122 31/35, 70 Silver Street: Joseph B (sic) 51 M1 31 landscape gardener OA (own account); Ellura M 50 M1 31 4 3; Ulrich F son 28 M1 5yrs landscape gardener OA; Sina E dau 30 S; Edith M 20 S.

1920 Bath 5-WD Sagadahoc p 120 362/439, 18 Green Street: Joseph C Leavitt head 61 landscape gardener, Ellura M wife 59. 362/440: William L Robertson head 33 MA-MA-ME Asst Superintendent, Electrical; Edith L wife 31; Marguerite E dau 3 2/12; Jeannette A dau 3/12.

Joseph was reportedly a deeply religious man and a lay minister, a landscape gardener, and an insurance agent. He rented a home at 5 Pleasant St in Waterville. Stinneford cousin Thelma Barrows in 1985 writes "I used to know Aunt Ellura and Uncle Joe real well. I used to live in Waterville until I was 9 years old. Uncle Joe used to come over and say our prayers with us at night. He was a wonderful man but religious." He died on a Wednesday. Death certificate says he committed "suicide by drowning", jumping off a bridge in Auburn. He was reportedly in great pain from some illness.

I have a church "Notice Of Transfer. Mr. Joseph C Leavitt. At your request I have this day sent a Certificate of Transfer of your membership to the Hammond Street Methodist Episcopal Church in Lewiston, Maine. When said Certificate is acknowledged and your name is recorded in the records of said Church, your membership in this Church will cease. [signed] E. A. Pollard Jones, Pastor. 17 January 1922. A handwritten note on the other side says: "We are sorry to have you leave us but feel that you are doing the proper thing to attach yourself to some nearer church. Sincerely, EAPJ." E A Pollard Jones was pastor at the Waterville Pleasant Street United Methodist Church 1921-1927. Not sure if he moved there by himself or with his family.

Waterville Pleasant Street United Methodist Church, 5/06, report their records say Joseph Leavitt joined their church 1 April 1894, transferring from the Brighton First Baptist Church [all denominations used the same church building there]. Wife Ellura M joined 28 Oct 1894 from "probation" [means she had been coming a while and finally joined]. On 22 Feb 1927 she was removed by "RWC"; they don't know what that means. Daughter Sina also joined 28 Oct 1894 from probation, and died 17 Dec 1910.

Joseph married **Ellura Mae STINNEFORD**, daughter of **George H STINNEFORD** and **Lupira B Maria TRAFTON**, 1 Sep 1878 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME. Ellura was born 19 May 1860 in Brighton, Somerset, ME and died 27 Apr 1938 in Winslow, Kennebec, ME.

Carol Hanson Guentert says in her Hansons book, "Ellura Mae was a formidable woman, my mother told me. She was

five feet tall and weighed 140-150 pounds and she died at age 77 of cancer of the bowel."

Children from this marriage were:

- F i. **Sina Ellen LEAVITT** was born 24 Sep 1879 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 17 Dec 1910 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME.
Sina died of typhoid fever. Have her photo.
Sister Edith wrote in her birthday book, "Sina was taken ill with typhoid fever on December 3, 1910. Dear Sina left us for a better home at 12:45 pm on Saturday December 17, 1910 at age 31."
- 22 M ii. **Ulrich Frank LEAVITT** was born 10 Mar 1881 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 3 Jan 1944 in Norridgewock, Somerset, ME.
- M iii. **Chester Joseph LEAVITT** was born in Dec 1887 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 9 Sep 1889 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME.
- 23 F iv. **Edith Maude LEAVITT** was born 25 Oct 1889 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 2 Oct 1936 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME.

21. Hamlin Benjamin LEAVITT was born in Sep 1870 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 4 Nov 1919 in Salem, Essex, MA.

Hamlin B. was bp 8 Mar 1886 at Waterville Pleasant Street United Methodist Church. Also mentioned in church records is Ella C and Fred M. Every notation is simply Hamlin B. The only B name in the family is his mother's grandfather Benjamin Morgridge who died 11 years earlier, so that is likely the name.

Hamlin sued for divorce against his first wife, Nellie [2:59]. She deserted him 15 August 1891 and not heard from since. Divorce granted in Kennebec Superior Court 12 April 1895. No children. Div gave m date and place but not Nellie's last name. Lewiston m/c gives her name, both residents of Lewiston, his name still just Hamlin B, married by John F Putman, JP, no parents or other info given. Nobody named Hitchie is in Ancestry's census index.

Evidently Hamlin also married Ida May Roach while he was already married. Penobscot County Probate Files have F Marion Simpson of Carmel appointed guardian 15 Feb 1888 of Ida May Roach, age 16, minor child of Ella N Roach late of Carmel. Father still living, but divorce had given custody to the mother [divorced Apr 1878, Pen 52/160 docket 836]. On 19 Apr 1890, F Marion Simpson of Carmel resigns as guardian of Ida May Roach of Bangor because he is the administrator of estate of Phebe M Soule late of Carmel in which the said Ida May Roach is interested as an heir to said estate. On May 6, 1891, F Marion Simpson files a final account as Guardian of Ida May LEAVITT, formerly of Bangor but now of Waterville. Ida May Leavitt received the last \$100 in the account "Ida May Roach, now Ida May Leavitt, wife of Hamlin B Leavitt". No marriage, divorce, or death record found. Maine marriages does have Ida M Roach 23 b Bangor md Edwin S Carville 32 b Lewiston, both of L, on 8 Sep 1894 in Lewiston. Her 1st m, he wid. She a dressmaker, he a stove polisher. Her parents are listed as [blank] farmer of/b Bangor & Nellie Small of/b Bangor. His parents are Ezra R Carville of/b L & Dorcas Jordan b Webster. [Perhaps Hamlin make-believe married her so she could get her final check? or maybe there is a bigamy annulment in court records?]

Ella Maxwell was the daughter of Enos A Maxwell b Alfred and Alice Tracy b WI. Ella E Leavitt [Maxwell] sued Hamlin B Leavitt for divorce for desertion; granted 11 Feb 1901 in Androscoggin Co. [Maine Divorces 5:54]. Ella is buried in Evergreen Cem Rt 4, Alfred ME, Lot 70 under a huge maple tree in left section; stone calls her "Ella E Leavitt, dau of E A & Alice Maxwell, 31 Dec 1877 - 8 Dec 1905"; MOCA York Co does not list her parents there.

He m3 (or 4th?) Etta C Dunbar (widow Mrs Springer) 16 May 1903 in Salem MA v536 p605. Hamlin and Etta are both weavers, 32, and of Salem. Married by Frank M Lamb, Minister of the Gospel. Etta was buried 3 Dec 1923 at Greenlawn Cem in Salem, Anenome Path.

D/C v27 p13 #559: Hamlin B Leavitt drowned (Probable accidental drowning) in Salem Harbor near Willows. He resided at 25 Laurel St in Salem, and was divorced and a weaver. Buried Greenlawn Cemetery Salem, but removed 1926 to Harmony Grove Cem, Salem, acc to d/c. Jan 2012 - Harmony Grove has no record of our Leavitts. Greenlawn Cem confirms he is buried there, buried 6 Nov 1919 with no notation of transfer in either direction, Murphy Funeral Home. Lot#1395 on Red Bud Ave was purchased by son Ralph Leavitt.

Larry wrote, "Hamlin jumped into the ocean at the pier at the Salem Willows Park, he could not swim, my grandfather Ralph identified the body. I have the Salem Evening News frontpage story from 1919. His sister lived in Seabrook NH." Salem News death notice - In Salem, Nov 5, drowned, Hamlin B Leavitt, 50 years, a native of Maine, and the son of Mrs Mary (Mogaige) and the late Ralph Leavitt.

The Salem Evening News Thursday Nov 6, 1919 frontpage near top. Headline: Man Downed at Willows was Hamlin B Leavitt. Subheadline: Identified by Son Yesterday; Had lived in Salem for 15 years, working at Naumkeag Mill; Despondent Over Loafing Because of Strike. Text:

The body which washed ashore at Salem Willows yesterday morning was identified late yesterday afternoon as that of Hamlin B Leavitt of 25 Laurel St Salem. The identification was made by a son, Ralph E of the same address.

According to the son, Mr Leavitt had been a resident of Salem for the past 15 years and was employed at the Naumkeag mills before the strike.

The son could give no reason for his father's act, except that he might have been despondent over the closing of the mill. He had been missing from his home since last Sunday night. Mr Leavitt was about 50 years of age and leaves a mother, a son Ralph E and a daughter Elonia. He also has a brother Joseph in Waterville, Me.

Hamlin married **Nellie E HITCHIE** 4 Jan 1890 in Lewiston, Androscoggin, ME. Nellie was born in 1870.
Hamlin next married **Ida May ROACH**, daughter of **Albert J ROACH** and **Ella N**, between Apr 1890 and May 1891 in Bangor Or Waterville, ME. Ida was born in 1871.

Hamlin next married **Ella E MAXWELL**, daughter of **Enos A MAXWELL** and **Alice TRACY**, 9 May 1895 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME. Ella was born 19 Nov 1878 in Alfred, York, ME and died 8 Dec 1905 in Auburn, Androscoggin, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- 24 F i. **Elonia May "Loni" LEAVITT** was born 9 Aug 1895 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME and died 7 Aug 1955 in Derry, Rockingham, NH.
- 25 M ii. **Ralph Enos LEAVITT** was born 18 Sep 1897 in Alfred, York, ME and died 4 Nov 1976 in Marblehead, Essex, MA.

Hamlin next married **Etta C DUNBAR**, daughter of **Charles A DUNBAR** and **Rachel C ANDERSON**, 16 May 1903 in Salem, Essex, MA. Etta was born in 1870 in Hallowell, Kennebec, ME and died in Dec 1923.

Seventh Generation (4th Great-Grandchildren)

22. Ulrich Frank LEAVITT was born 10 Mar 1881 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 3 Jan 1944 in Norridgewock, Somerset, ME.

Family pronounces his name "Yule-rich". 1904 M/C: Sadie was the dau of Frank L Young and Laura Wheeler. Descendants have no recollection of ever hearing anything about Ulrich or Daisy's first marriages or those names. I have found no divorce record from first wife and it is known that the mar to Daisy was a common-law marriage. Ulrich's death cert lists no information, only his ID "from social security card 007-16-5381". It does say Ulrich Frank Leavitt age abt 63, died of coronary embolism sudden, and influenza. Bur Jan 6, Henry E Hilton, Norridgewock funeral director. Ulrich's dau Ruth said they never knew when he died, their mother told them he died in the 1930s. Note that children Ruth and Bernard were not albinos, and the other 3 were. In November 2008 we discovered from Pine Grove Cemetery in Waterville that Ulrich is indeed buried in the Leavitt family lot with his parents and sister Edith Robertson. William Robertson often "took care of" extended family needs. There was no marker, but is in "Lot #4" between Ellura and Chester; we added a stone in 2009. Daisy O Gage, daughter of Reuben and Annie Gage in 1900 Fairfield, ME census, born Dec 1888. Daisy E Gage married Elton B Moore in 1906 (ME Marriages), the E is wrong as the Daily Kennebec Journal dated 25 Aug, 1906 carried the wedding announcement, and she was Daisy O in that one. Daisy Leavitt is in SSDI 30 Sept 1888 - 15 Dec 1967 last res Oakland. ME Death Index says died 14 Dec 1967 in Waterville. 1936 Oakland street directory, Daisy, widow of Aldrich, h. 198 Summer (Ruth also living here) [Daisy had also told her children that he was dead, because that's what she wished for. He wasn't very nice sometimes.] 1900 census gives bdate as May 1881 - could be a transcription error when the census was copied onto the form that was microfilmed.

WWI Draft Card has name as Ulrich Frank born 10 March 1881, no b-place, gardener living Waterville 1918, age 37. He was medium build and height, blue eyes, black hair. Nearest relative is simply Mrs Ulrich Leavitt at his address, 88 Maine in Waterville. Ruth's b/c says Ulrich was born in Harmony. 1941 Soc Sec application also specifies March 10, 1881, born Wellington.

1930 Sidney census, Middle Rd 168/169: Ulrich F Leavitt 48 landscape gardener, not a veteran md at 20; Daisy O wife 42, md at 17; Earle W 16; Ruth A 11; Bernard C 7; Dorothy O 4 1/12.

Ulrich married **Sadie A YOUNG**, daughter of **Frank L YOUNG** and **Laura WHEELER**, 28 Sep 1904 in Etna, Penobscot, ME. Sadie was born in 1881 in Newburgh, Penobscot, ME.

Ulrich had a relationship with **Daisy Olive GAGE**, daughter of **Reuben T GAGE** and **Anna Lodema DECKER**, about 1911. No evidence this couple married. Daisy was born 30 Sep 1888 in Oakland, Kennebec, ME and died 14 Dec 1967 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME.

Daisy O Leavitt is bur in Lakeview Cem in Oakland 1888-1967 with son Earl W Leavitt 1914-1955. M/C: In 1906 her first husband Elton B Moore was of Boston and a salesman, son of James B Moore b No Conway NH & Eleanor Nason dec b Bristol MA. Married by Charles P Cleaves. Gives her parents as Reuben Gage & Annie Decker. Unable to find any record of Elton, incl divorce or death.

Newspaper clippings from the scrapbook of Anna Decker Gage, from descendant Valton Wood:

Oakland - Mrs. Daisy Olive Leavitt, 79, died Thursday night at a Waterville nursing home after a long illness. She was born here on September 30, 1888, the daughter of Reuben and Anna Decker Gage.

Surviving are two sons, Kenneth Leavitt of Oakland and Bernard Leavitt of Congers NY; two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Robinson of Vassalboro and Mrs. Dorothy Glotz of Oakland; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Caroline Wood of Oakland and Mrs. Lola Preble of Waterville; an uncle and several nieces, nephews and cousins. Funeral services will be held Sunday at 1:30 PM at the Wheeler Funeral Home here. The Rev. Reginal Blair, pastor of the United Baptist Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Lakeview Cemetery here in the spring.

MTDNA is H1 per gdau Shirley's test.

Their children were:

- M i. **Kenneth Reuben LEAVITT** was born 9 Mar 1912 in Oakland, Kennebec, ME and died 26 Sep 1975 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME. He had no known marriage and no known children. Kenneth is buried in Sawtelle Cem in Sidney in the Wood family lot. Single.
- M ii. **Earl Wayne LEAVITT** was born 22 Apr 1914 in Oakland, Kennebec, ME and died 26 Mar 1955 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME. He had no known marriage and no known children. D/C confirms date of 1955 age 40. Died of rheumatic heart disease and is buried Lakeview Cem Oakland. Single.
- 26 F iii. **Ruth Althea LEAVITT** was born 14 May 1918 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME and died 29 Nov 2002 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME.
- 27 M iv. **Bernard Chester LEAVITT** was born 14 Mar 1923 in Lewiston, Androscoggin, ME and died 11 Dec 1970 in Nyack, Rockland, NY.
- 28 F v. **Dorothy Olive LEAVITT** was born 19 Mar 1926 in Norridgewock, Somerset, ME and died 1 Aug 2012 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME.

23. Edith Maude LEAVITT was born 25 Oct 1889 in Cambridge, Somerset, ME and died 2 Oct 1936 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME.

14 Apr 1930 Skowhegan census p225, resides 101 East Leavitt St. 106/117: William L Robertson 43, own home value \$7500, radio, M29 MA-ME-ME, Supt Electric Power Co Code 17362, Veteran No, Language code 53, everyone else 50; Edith L 41 M26, Marguerite E 13, Jeannette A 10, Muriel R 1 1/12, Ellura M Leavitt mother-in-law 69 wd. They lived in the same location in 1935, per labelled family photos. The PO says the post-911 address is now 30 E Leavitt St. Photo is on google maps and says it is a large house 1572 sq ft 8 rooms, 3 beds built in 1890, with a garage/barn, lot size .54 acre.

Edith & William are buried in the family plot with her parents at Pine Grove Cemetery Lot 548, Waterville. The April 1 1926 Kennebec Journal p2 has the Skowhegan local news, with an article headlined "Easter Concert at Federated Church". Mrs Edith Robertson played "Faith", and Jeannette Robertson was one of the "Lilies of the Field". Genetic tree: 5'0"; wt 100; brown hair. COD septicaemia, possibly acutely infected gall bladder attack. Cousin Carole Guentert adds, On Edith, I heard via Mom that she died of septicemia after her gall bladder surgery as her older retired former employer Dr E. P. Fish, did the surgery as a favor and left "the proverbial sponge" in the surgical site, causing the massive infection. He realized he was too old to be performing surgery, but she wouldn't have anyone else do it. Daughter Marguerite was at her hospital bedside when she passed.

Carole also adds (p84 of her book Hansons of York Maine), "I found that my maternal grandmother, Edith Leavitt Robertson, kept a Shakespeare birthday book with both joyous and sad entries. She made shorthand entries in her memory book on Jan 11 and 18, 1914 that read "Will spoke to me but I decided it was best to wait a month but I only waited a week" and "Will asked me to be his wife. I would not have the slightest idea that he cared for me. I feel sure that he does love me." On Jan 25, 1914, Edith entered "I had my ring. It was put on with a kiss. I think it's a beauty. I do love him." She never entered their wedding date, Nov 11, 1914 in this book."

Edith married **William Lewis ROBERTSON**, son of **William ROBERTSON** and **Alice Florilla SAFFORD**, 11 Nov 1914 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME. William was born 27 Jun 1885 in West Upton, Worcester, MA and died 10 Oct 1947 in Gardiner, Kennebec, ME.

William's birth is reported as 27 June 1886 in later years, but the original birth record is in 1885 Upton birth records. The Grand Lodge of Freemasons can be reached via grandlodge@mainemasons.org and their website has a growing selection of records. Chuck Ridlon of Maine Masons (& NALF member) emailed Roland: "Their website has his initial card from Waterville Lodge 33, he took his 1st degree May 25, 1914; his 2nd degree June 8, 1914; and his 3rd degree, June 15th, 1914. Usually they have to wait 2 weeks between degrees, so this tells me maybe he was leaving for the service so they only left 1 week between his 2nd & 3rd degree."

WWI Draft registration res 62 Burleigh in Waterville, b Upton MA, Civil Engineer for Central Maine Power in Waterville, has wife and child, was a Sargent in Canadian Infantry; medium height and build, blue eyes, dark red hair. Family: 5'11", balding. Carole adds, strawberry blonde to red brown hair.

William graduated from the University of New Brunswick. Birth recorded in Upton VR v360 p386, year 1885 confirmed. Birth record has parents as William Robertson b ME & Alice F Roberts b Dexter ME (sic; she probably said her married name Robertson, then changed it, but the clerk had already started writing it. Alice Florilla Safford WAS b Dexter.). William m2 Helen Elwell (Mrs Cousens) in Gardiner ME 15 June 1940. She m3) Howard Kelley (10 Jan 1891 - April 1983 Warwick RI). Helen and Howard would come to East Rochester to visit the Rhoades family occasionally.

William Lewis Robertson's d/c says he resided at 3 Cobbosee Ave; his wife Helen Cousens was 49; he was b West Upton Mass, and he was District Supt CMP Co. His father was a sea captain b NB and mother Alice Safford b NB [sic]. He died of Pulmonary thrombosis, and prostate cancer. His prostate cancer metastasized to his ribs (which broke when he tried to get out of the car) and spine.

Memories from dau Muriel: How did he meet Helen and where did the big house on the hill (3 Cobbosee Ave) come from? Helen might have been one of the housekeepers. They lived on Central St/Water St in Gardiner, house belonged to Helen, it was a Cousens' house. She worked in a factory office on Water St. Helen's mother was nice, they called her Nana. Muriel and Martha mowed the big steep lawn by hand. William remodeled the house. It burned ca 2010 and was

rebuilt.

Carole Hanson Guentert writes in her book *Hansons of York Maine*, p84-92: "Will introduced an unpopular step-mother into the Robertson girls' lives when he remarried a few years later. I remember Grandfather Robertson as a tall friendly man (Mom's childhood friend Edith Sanborn described him as "impressive"), who brought 3-foot tall dolls to Peggy and me for Christmas and on our birthdays. He was married to Helen Cousens by that time, and I spent time at their house on the hill in Gardiner Maine (Cobbossee Stream) in the summertime, though my mother never liked her step-mother, and we weren't allowed to either. My mother could really hold a grudge about that, but it may have been well-deserved.

Mom would tell of the huge strawberry shortcakes that her Dad would serve up in soup bowls, because he didn't want his girls to suffer deprivation like he did when he was a boy. When his father remarried, his step-mother cut him off from any financial help for college, so he got a loan from his employer, Ganong's Candy factory in St Stephen NB. Some letters from William are also reproduced in the book.

From MAINE BIOGRAPHIES, republished 2002 in two volumes, was originally published as v3 of Maine Resources, Attractions, and it's People, by Harrie B Coe 1928, v1 p379:

William Lewis Robertson, civil engineer and public utility executive of Skowhegan Maine, was born in West Upton Massachusetts, June 27, 1886, the son of William and Alice Safford Robertson. His father was born in New Brunswick Canada but his mother, died in 1891, was born in Dexter Maine.

Educated in the public schools of New Brunswick Canada, and in the University of New Brunswick, and having qualified as a civil engineer, William Lewis Robertson spent 13 years in municipal employment in the construction of highways, and then specialized in hydro-electric engineering, while continuing his work in general engineering. He was associated with Green and Wilson, civil engineers of Waterville Maine in 1903, later with the Canada and Gulf Terminal Railroad Company, and then with the New Brunswick Hydro-electric Company. On November 2, 1915, he became identified with the engineering department of the Central Maine Power Company, and was assistant superintendent of the Bath district in 1919, where he served until September 1923, when he was promoted to be superintendent of the Skowhegan district.

He is a 32nd degree Free and Accepted Mason; and of all affiliated bodies, and is Past Commander of Dunlap Commandery, Knights Templar, of Bath Maine, and is also a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, and of the Rotary Club of Skowhegan.

William L Robertson married Edith M Leavitt, daughter of Joseph C and Ellura Stinneford Leavitt, at Waterville Maine, November 11, 1914. Her parents were both born in Cambridge Maine. Their children: 1. Marguerite, born October 30, 1916, at Waterville Maine. 2. Jeanette, on October 8, 1918, at Bath Maine.

Obituary from old newspaper clipping:

William L Robertson, Gardiner CMP Company Superintendent Dies

Gardiner - William L Robertson died early Friday morning at the Gardiner General Hospital where he had been a patient for the past eight weeks. He had been in failing health for the past four months. He was born June 27, 1886, in West Upton Massachusetts, the son of William and Alice Safford Robertson.

He is survived by his wife, Helen Cousens Robertson; four daughters, Mrs. James Hanson of York Village; Jeannette Robertson, R.N. of Nashua New Hampshire; Muriel and Martha Robertson of Gardiner; one stepdaughter Mrs. Richard Dyer of Newport Rhode Island; one sister, Mrs. John McBride of St. Stephens New Brunswick; three grandchildren and nieces.

Mr. Robertson was graduated from the University of New Brunswick in 1913 where he obtained a civil engineer's degree. He has been employed by the Central Maine Power Company for 32 years. He had been employed at their offices in Bath, Waterville and Skowhegan and for the past 11 years was district superintendent at the Gardiner office. He was a member of Waterville Lodge, No. 33, F and A.M.; Taconnet Chapter, No. 52, R.A.M. of Waterville; Council of Royal And Select Masons of Skowhegan; Dunlap Commandery of Bath; Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Valley of Augusta; Maine Consistory S.P.R.S. 32nd degree, Valley of Portland. He was a member of DeBouillon Conclave No. 2, Knights of Red Cross of Constantine, Gardiner; past commander of Dunlap Commandery of Bath; past sovereign of Augusta Council Princes of Jerusalem.

He was past president of the Gardiner and Skowhegan Rotary clubs; treasurer of the Maine State Fair Association; race Commissioner for Windsor Fair and had been connected with Windsor Fair for many years. He was a member of the official board of The Highland Avenue Methodist Church and president of the Brotherhood of the church. He was a member of the Board of Trade and the Gardiner Merchants Association.

Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at two o'clock at The Highland Avenue Methodist Church. Friends may call at Staples Funeral Home, Brunswick Avenue. Additional information from the funeral notice:

The Rev. David R Hickland, pastor officiated, assisted by the Rev. Ondon C Stairs of the Winter Street Baptist Church. Honorary and active bearers represented business and other affiliations with which the deceased was connected.

Representatives from various Masonic bodies in cities and towns where the late Mr. Robertson was active attended in a group. Burial was in the family lot at the Waterville Pine Grove Cemetery.

Children from this marriage were:

- 29 F i. **Marguerite "Marge" Edith ROBERTSON** was born 31 Oct 1916 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME and died 11 Mar 1990 in York, York, ME.
- 30 F ii. **Jeannette "Jean" Alice ROBERTSON** was born 8 Oct 1919 in Bath, Sagadahoc, ME and died 17 Aug 2004 in Manchester, Hillsborough, NH.

- 31 F iii. **Muriel Ruth ROBERTSON** was born 19 Mar 1929 in Skowhegan, Somerset, ME and died 29 Nov 2016 in Franklin, Merrimack, NH.
- 32 F iv. **Martha Ann ROBERTSON** was born 23 Feb 1931 in Skowhegan, Somerset, ME and died 15 Dec 1989 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.

24. Elonia May "Loni" LEAVITT was born 9 Aug 1895 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME and died 7 Aug 1955 in Derry, Rockingham, NH.

M/C v28 p25 #431: Elonia May Leavitt 24 mill operative b Waterville, dau of Hamlin B & Ella Maxwell, m Salem, George Augustus Payne 21 machinist b Salem, son of Ulyses S Payne & Angelina A Buxton, by Ulysses S Milburn, Minister of the Gospel, Salem. Div abt 1930. Rootsweb post contact David Robinson haruspex@pobox.com and dbrobinson on Ancestry.

1930 Salem census 81 Bridge St: Angelina C Payne 69 wd MA-3, George A 31 MA-3 son, Aubrey S 9, Ellsworth H 9 both MA-MA-ME grandsons; \$10/mo rent.

There is an Elonia Ballard in the 1952 Salem MA City Directory.

Larry Schultz asked his family about Elonia and replies "I spoke to my mom and Aunt re Aunt "Loni". She lived in a white rambling farmhouse in Seabrook. She died the summer of 1955 and was sick for a period of time before that. She was not wealthy enough to afford her medication. Sorry, but this is all I have..."

Ron Ballard died before Elonia. Ron was at a factory or something 2 miles from home when he died suddenly from a heart attack. He was job searching.

We do not know what hospital Elonia died in. She was in an oxygen tent. Ron had no children. We have no other info no photos....

Seabrook Library found the exact death date/place for me in their 1955 Town report, at the Derry Hospital.

Hilda Leavitt Thompson says Ron died before Elonia in the Hampton Beach area, but he is not in NH Deaths thru 1947. Also no Marr rec in NH thru 1947, so likely md in MA.

Elonia married **George Augustus PAYNE**, son of **Ulysses S PAYNE** and **Angelina A BUXTON**, 27 Nov 1919 in Salem, Essex, MA. George was born 17 Nov 1898 in Salem, Essex, MA and died 10 Sep 1951.

George and his parents are buried in Harmony Grove Cem in Salem, along with son Aubrey and wife. (Ulysses d 15 Aug 1929; Angelina d 22 Dec 1941). George remarried.

George's father's sister was Fanny Payne who married Frederick Peabody. There is a very extensive Peabody family tree on Ancestry.com that links to Fanny Payne.

Children from this marriage were:

- 33 M i. **Aubrey Sidney PAYNE** was born 3 Mar 1921 in Salem, Essex, MA and died 17 Apr 1978 in Beverly, Essex, MA.
- 34 M ii. **Ellsworth Harding PAYNE** was born 3 Mar 1921 in Salem, Essex, MA and died 28 Aug 1980 in , Indian River, FL.

Elonia next married **Ronald BALLARD**. Ronald died in 1948-1954 in Hampton Beach, Rockingham, NH.

25. Ralph Enos LEAVITT was born 18 Sep 1897 in Alfred, York, ME and died 4 Nov 1976 in Marblehead, Essex, MA.

1910 Auburn census shows Enos A Maxwell 55 div ME-3, Ralph E Leavitt grandson 12.

Larry wrote : "Ralph was born in Waterville and his mom died not long after. He moved to the Lewiston area with the maternal side of the family. He worked on a farm around 1912. Then he moved to Strong. Eventually he moved to Salem MA and married then to Marblehead MA which used to be part of Salem. He died in 1976 [MA Death index and SSDI confirm]." "Elonia May Leavitt had a second marriage to a Ron Ballard. In 1918 she was living with Fred her mom Mary and Ralph in the Salem census although Ralph was in the army from 12-1916 to 4-1919 WWI he came home due to a non-war accident, he broke his collarbone by falling out of a bunk."

"Ralph had 3 children, my mother Christina Shultz, my aunt Hilda Thompson, and my late uncle Ralph Jr. Uncle jr married Gertrude. She lived in in Meridith NH and had a son before the marriage. His name is Barry Leavitt. Barry will be moving this spring to a house he bought in RI."

My grandmother was Margaret Reilly 11-22-1895 died 12-10-1981 in Laguna Niguel CA where she was staying with my parents. She was born in Salem one of 8 children. Some of her siblings were born in Liverpool where they went for a few years when she was young - very poor family.

Her dad was James Reilly and mom MS Hoey. They were born in Ireland.

Ralph Sr and Margaret are buried at the Star of the Sea Cemetery, Marblehead in the far back.

Jan 1920 Philadelphia census has a Ralph Leavitt 22 b ME-3 as a hospital nurse

1930 Salem MA census Waite St taken Apr 8: Ralph E Leavitt 32 ME-3 steam railroad signalman fought in WW, Owns \$3500 value, m at 22; Margaret wife 33 MA-Ire-Ire; Ralph E Jr 7, Hilda M 4 6/12.

Ralph married **Margaret REILLY**, daughter of **James F REILLY** and **Margaret S HOYE**, 1 Sep 1920 in Salem, Essex, MA. Margaret was born 22 Nov 1895 in Salem, Essex, MA and died 10 Dec 1981 in Laguna Niguel, Orange, CA.

Mass Marriages has Margaret's parents in Salem, md 12 Jan 1893, he age 23 and she 24 (1920 Salem census, Derby St, gives their ages as 46 and 45, imm 1890, Nat 1900, and Margaret 23 with 5 other siblings.)

Children from this marriage were:

- M i. **Ralph Enos LEAVITT Jr** was born 13 Mar 1923 in Salem, Essex, MA and died 7 Mar 1982 in Lynn, Essex, MA.
Dates from SSDI and Mass Death Index on Ancestry.com. Ralph died of a heart attack.
They div, but are buried together at Woodlawn Cemetery in Everett MA. Gertrude m3 (She lived at that time in Meredith, NH, with her 3rd husband, Merlond (or Merland) McCloud (or McCloud), says Barry Leavitt. Ralph married **Gertrude May "Trudy" SEVERANCE**, daughter of **SEVERANCE** and **Lillian F JENKINS**, in Jun 1949 in Salem, Essex, MA. Gertrude was born 20 Aug 1922 in Malden, Middlesex, MA and died 3 Apr 1986 in Meredith, Belknap, NH. They had no children.
- Gertrude had married first Vernon Woods and divorced. Her son Barry was born 11 Dec 1943 in Everett and had his last name changed to Leavitt after the marriage and adoption; He now lives in RI. Barry writes, I can tell you that Dad and my mother, Gertrude, were married by a JP (or judge) on LarchmontRd. in Salem. It was his parent's home. Christina (his sister) might remember the number. The reception was held at a restaurant on the Beverly/Salem line. The place is still there. It is right on the water, but I thought it was called Bridge Street and the name of the restaurant was Humphrey's.
The family back to the Jenkins are buried in Woodlawn Cem in Everett.
1930 Everett MA census, 5 Marion Place: Myrtie M Jenkins 60 wd MA-3 (her and parents b MA); Lillian F Severance 24 daughter Div MA-3 restaurant cashier; Gertrude M granddaughter 7 MA-ME-MA. Myrtie is also wd in 1910, and MA-MA-NH. Lillian Jenkins mar to a Severance not found in MA, NH, or ME VR.
- 35 F ii. **Hilda Margaret LEAVITT** was born 9 Nov 1925 in Salem, Essex, MA and died 11 Jul 2012 in Salem, Essex, MA.
- 36 F iii. **Christina Patricia LEAVITT** was born 31 Jan 1932 in Salem, Essex, MA and died 26 Oct 2013 in Marblehead, Essex, MA.

Eighth Generation (5th Great-Grandchildren)

26. Ruth Althea LEAVITT was born 14 May 1918 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME and died 29 Nov 2002 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME.

Raymond, Ruth, and dau Dale are all buried Center Vassalboro Baptist Church cemetery. M/C 1938: married by W A Kelly. Donald is buried in Oakland Lakeview Cem which gives b-d dates. Buried in same lot are his parents Harry A Bickford 1888 (Oakland) -1956 & Ethel L Groves 1889 (China) -1944. <Daily Kennebec Journal issue 24 Apr, 1943> Divorces, issued the April court term: Ruth Bickford from Donald Bickford, both of North Vassalboro, she was granted custody of two minor children, they had been married 8 Jan 1938. M/C 1943: Married by Lowell Haynes. Raymond is in the US Army. Parents Frank Melvin Robinson dec b China & Lena Estelle Ames b Vassalborough. Ruth is div as Ruth Levitt and parents as Aldridge Frank Levitte b Cambridge of Norridgewock & Daisy Olive Gage of/b Oakland.

Ruth married **Donald Leroy BICKFORD**, son of **Harry A BICKFORD** and **Ethel L GROVES**, 8 Jan 1938 in Oakland, Kennebec, ME. Donald was born 25 Mar 1917 in Oakland, Kennebec, ME and died 23 Jun 1946 in Oakland, Kennebec, ME.

Children from this marriage were:

- F i. **Donna Ruth BICKFORD** was born 3 Aug 1938 in Oakland, Kennebec, ME and died 17 Jan 2015 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME.
Francis is the son of Mr Lord & Mildred Johnson (their mar-rec not found ME or NH); liv 2009.
OAKLAND - Donna Ruth (Bickford) Farnham 76, passed away peacefully at the Lakewood Continuing Care Center in Waterville, surrounded by her family on Saturday, January 17, 2015, after a courageous battle with Progressive Supranuclear Palsy (PSP). Donna held on to celebrate her and Ralph's 53rd wedding anniversary on January 13. She left this earth on her terms with a smile to be with her Lord. She was born on August 3, 1938, the daughter of Donald Leroy Bickford and Ruth Althea (Leavitt). Donna lost her father at an early age in 1946 and moved to Vassalboro when her mother remarried to Raymond Robinson, Sr. For the next 53 years, she called him dad, but never forgot her biological father.
Donna graduated from Erskine Academy in South China in 1956. On January 13, 1962, she married the love of her life, Ralph Farnham, Jr. She worked at Augusta Mental Hospital, Colby College Library, Larsen's Card and Gift Shop in Waterville, Waterville Osteopathic Hospital, and Digital in Augusta. She opened her own business called "Caring People" which she loved the most. In her spare time she would help out at the Oakland Library, and the VA Hospital at Togus. She belonged to Daughters of American Revolution (DAR), Rebecca's, Business and Professional Woman (BPW), REM, Red Hat Society, Humane Society, Maine State Grange (Oakland), and was on the committee for the new Veterans Memorial in Oakland representing Silent Howard Hayden - DAR. Donna enjoyed traveling, with many trips throughout the State of Maine, NH, Boston to visit her cousin and wife, Nashville, Tn., and Georgia. But the trip she loved the most was the trip with DAR to Washington DC, and Branson, Missouri, and all the stops in between. OH YES, don't forget the lawn sales, dancing at the Fox Den, and many other locations.

She is survived by her husband Ralph of Oakland; daughter Lynn of Waterville; brother Raymond Robinson, Jr and wife Lorraine of Vassalboro; four grandchildren; many cousins; nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by a sister Dale Veilleux in 1995; father Donald Bickford, mother Ruth Bickford Robinson in 2002, and stepdad, Raymond Robinson, Sr in 1998. The family would like to express thanks and appreciation to the excellent nursing staff, the outstanding CNA's, and all members of the Lakewood Staff. Donna will be deeply missed by Ralph, her family members, friends and associates of the organizations she belonged to.

Lawry Brothers-Wheeler, 26 Church St., Oakland, ME lawrybrothers.com In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to: Oakland Fire and Rescue, The Oakland Public Library or PSP at 30 E. Padonia Rd. Suite 201 Timonium, MD. 21093

Roland Rhoades adds: Donna was a National Association of Leavitt Families member and my second cousin, and first cousin to member Shirley Breznyak. Her mother Ruth and my mother were first cousins who had lost contact until I "found" her again in the 1980s researching our Leavitts. Ruth and Donna had provided much help in my research and some family artifacts back then. Ruth's father was Ulrich Leavitt (Joseph1858 like me, Ralph1828, Joseph1782) and her mother was Daisy Gage (Anna Decker, Josephine Leavitt1844, Joseph1782).

Donna married **Francis James LORD** 3 Nov 1956 in Cape Elizabeth, Cumberland, ME.

birth-rec not found 1937-8.

Donna next married **Ralph Everett FARNHAM Jr**, son of **Ralph FARNHAM Sr** and **Mae FURBUSH**, 13 Jan 1962 in Oakland, Kennebec, ME. Ralph was born 13 Dec 1936 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME.

- F ii. **Dale Jean BICKFORD** was born 13 Nov 1942 in Oakland, Kennebec, ME and died 19 Sep 1995 in Manchester, Hillsborough, NH.

David's B/C. Joseph's B/C. Earl's B/C not found in Maine 1940-45. Delbert's B/C found but almost invisible on microfilm. Joseph and Dale married at the Waterville 2nd Baptist Church. Joseph died in a car accident 26 Nov 1960 and is buried in Chadwick Hill Cem, China.

See Diane Pinkham's emails for more on the family.

Dale married **Joseph Victor GIROUX III**, son of **Joseph Victor GIROUX Jr** and **Ada Annie PELTON**, 6 Aug 1960 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME. Joseph was born 10 Aug 1943 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME and died 26 Nov 1960 in Lewiston, Androscoggin, ME.

Dale next married **David Olin BOULETTE**, son of **Glen Robert BOULETTE** and **Mildred GREEN**, 27 Jan 1962 in Skowhegan, Somerset, ME. David was born 8 Feb 1941 in Skowhegan, Somerset, ME.

Dale next married **Delbert Daniel HAYDEN**, son of **Fred H HAYDEN** and **Eleanor A KELLEY**, 6 Mar 1965 in Madison, Somerset, ME. Delbert was born 21 Nov 1943 in Madison, Somerset, ME.

Dale next married **Earl SHAW** 13 Mar 1984 in Clinton, Kennebec, ME.

Dale next married **Donald VEILLEUX** in Jul 1992 in , , NH. Donald was born about 1952.

Ruth next married **Raymond Ames ROBINSON**, son of **Frank Melvin ROBINSON** and **Lena Estelle AMES**, 12 Jul 1943 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME. Raymond was born 23 Oct 1917 in Vassalboro, Kennebec, ME and died 18 Jan 1998 in Augusta, Kennebec, ME.

The child from this marriage was:

- M i. **Raymond Ames ROBINSON Jr** was born 22 May 1946 in Vassalboro, Kennebec, ME. Raymond married **Lorraine BOURGOIN** 19 Apr 1969 in Augusta, Kennebec, ME.

27. Bernard Chester LEAVITT was born 14 Mar 1923 in Lewiston, Androscoggin, ME and died 11 Dec 1970 in Nyack, Rockland, NY.

Hildagard's b/d date from SSDI, # iss in MA 1953-56; Public records give a date of 12 Sep 1925.

Bernard C Leavitt Army enlistment record, on Ancestry: b 1923 ME, enl 28 Apr 1943 Portland as private, for the duration of the War or other emergency, plus 6 months, subject to the discretion of the President or otherwise according to law.

LEAVITT, HILDEGARD M. - Hildegard M. Leavitt, died on June 1, 2000 at Nyack Hospital. She was 74 years old. For several years she worked in the Housekeeping Department at Nyack Hospital. Hildegard is survived by one son, Bernard; one daughter, Christine Moccia and three grandchildren, Jennifer, Sarah and Travis. Her husband, Bernard predeceased her in 1970. Family will receive friends Monday evening from 7 - 9pm at the T.J. McGowan Funeral Home 113 Lake Rd East, Congers, NY. A graveside service will be held on Tuesday June 6, 2000 at 10:30 am at the Veterans Memorial Cemetery, Spring Valley.

Published: Sunday, June 4th, 2000 in TheJournalNews.com

Bernard married **Hildegard Maria GRUBER**, daughter of **Franz GRUBER** and **Fannie BAUMAYER**, about 1957 in , , Germany. Hildegard was born 9 Dec 1925 in , , Austria and died 1 Jun 2000 in Nyack, Rockland, NY.

Children from this marriage were:

- M i. **Bernard Charles LEAVITT** was born 18 Nov 1958 in , , KY.
11/07 Cousin Diane Pinkham says Bernard has a 17y son and 15y dau.

- F ii. **Christine LEAVITT** was born 13 Jan 1962 in , , Germany and died 22 Jan 2008 in Congers, Rockland, NY. 1985 address: 125 Route 9 W, Congers NY 10920. I wrote 6/5/85. SSDI. Christine Moccia of Congers, NY died on January 17, 2008. She was 46. Christine was born January 13, 1962 in Germany to Bernard and Hildegard (Gruber) Leavitt. She has been a lifelong resident of Congers. She was a loving wife to Vincent, whom she married on July 23, 1985. Loving mother of Jennifer, sister of Bernie Leavitt. She was an aunt of Sarah and Travis Roberts. She was a devoted employee of Path-Mark in Nanuet for 15 years. Michael J. Higgins Funeral Home in Congers. Mt. Hope Cemetery in Hastings-on-Hudson. Christine married **Larry AUBUT**. Christine next married **Vincent MOCCIA** 23 Jul 1985 in Congers, Rockland, NY.

28. Dorothy Olive LEAVITT was born 19 Mar 1926 in Norridgewock, Somerset, ME and died 1 Aug 2012 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME.

Newspaper Marriage notice: Dorothy Olive Leavitt, daughter of Mrs Daisy Leavitt of Oakland, and Peter Norman Glotz, son of the late Mr & Mrs Emil Glotz of Hamburg Germany, were united in marriage Saturday at 8:30 pm at the Oakland Methodist Church. The Rev Norman Newman performed the double ring ceremony. The couple was attended by her sister and husband, Ruth and Raymond Robinson of Center Vassalboro. The bride wore a blue and gold dress and a corsage of gladiola. Mr Glotz is employed at the Hollingsworth & Whitney paper mills in Winslow. They will reside with her mother.

Dorothy's Husband Peter Glotz died at Togus Hospital in Augusta; buried Pine Grove Cem, Waterville. 1949 M/C: Peter is 40, son of Emil Bernard Glotz of Hartland b Hamburg Germany & Mary dec b unk (because she died when he was a child, it says). Married by N D Newman. However, Peter's B/C says he was b Palmyra and that his father was born Denmark, and mother was Annie H Eldridge b Palmyra. Annie d 25 Oct 1918 Waterville, div wife of Emile Glotz, bur Palmyra, born 4 April [no year] age 50. Doesn't give her parents. 1880 Palmyra census does show both Eldridge girls. Emile mar secondly, Annie's sister: Emile B Glotz 51 div Quarryman b Copenhagen Denmark, son of Gustavus Glotz & Sophia Hansen, both dec b Copenhagen; md 3 July 1918 Palmyra, Emma L Eldridge 53 wd b Pittsfield, dau of Bowman Eldridge & Angeline Welch, both dec b Bridgton. No other Glotz records on 1908-1922 microfilm.

FAIRFIELD -- Dorothy O. (Leavitt-Glotz) Lawton, 86, died Wednesday, Aug. 1, 2012, at Oak Grove Center in Waterville. She was born March 19, 1926, in Norridgewock, the daughter of Ulrich Leavitt and Daisy Gage. Dorothy had a double lineage from Joseph Leavitt-1782 of Montville & Cambridge Maine: Joseph>Ralph>Joseph>Ulrich and Joseph>Josephine>Anna Decker>Daisy Gage. Joseph is likely Nehemiah branch, but his lineage is not yet proven to previous generations.

She lived her childhood and early adult years in Oakland and married Peter (Norman) Glotz in 1949. Several years later, they had one child, daughter Shirley. They moved to Waterville in 1955. In 1968, after Peter's death, Dorothy married Gerald Lawton. She worked several years at Colby College as a dietary technician.

Dorothy is survived by her daughter Shirley Breznyak, and life partner Dick Thebarga, of Skowhegan; grandchildren John Mincher III and wife Elizabeth of Limerick, Timothy Mincher of Bethlehem, Pa., Larry Huggins of Skowhegan, Christopher Huggins of Bucksport, Michelle Breznyak of Skowhegan, and Melissa Breznyak of Waterville; three great-grandsons, Casey Mincher, Steven Lopez Jr., and Giovanni Garcia; great-granddaughters Hailey, Marnell, Carrie, Chelsea and Leah Mincher; soon-to-debut great-granddaughter Malia Santos; special niece Mrs. Ralph Farnham Jr. (Donna) of Oakland; favorite nephew Raymond Robinson Jr and wife Lorainne of Vassalboro; grand-niece Diane Pinkham and husband Dennis, who helped out in her last years; and several grand-nieces, grand-nephews and cousins. She was predeceased by husband Peter Glotz in 1962; husband Gerald Lawton in 1983; her parents; three brothers, Kenneth, Earle and Bernard Leavitt; her only sister, Ruth (Leavitt) Robinson; niece Dale Jean Hayden; and grandson, Peter N. Mincher on Dec. 23, 2011.

The family would like to thank the staff at Oak Grove Center in Waterville for the care and affection given to Dorothy. At her request, there will be no public visitation hours or funeral service. Dan & Scott's Cremation & Funeral Service, Skowhegan. Published in Morning Sentinel on August 9, 2012.

Dorothy married **Peter Norman GLOTZ**, son of **Emile Bernard GLOTZ** and **Annie M ELDRIDGE**, 20 Aug 1949 in Oakland, Kennebec, ME. Peter was born 18 Mar 1909 in Palmyra, Somerset, ME and died 4 Apr 1962 in Augusta, Kennebec, ME.

The child from this marriage was:

- F i. **Shirley Karen GLOTZ** was born 22 Aug 1953 in Augusta, Kennebec, ME. Jan 2011 Shirley said: I married John Mincher Jr 12/17/71; Div. Jan. 1980. Md Frank Breznyak Jr. 2/23/1983; Frank died 5/7/07; We had 3 ch. together, all still in Maine. Michelle and Adam are twins, then Melissa and she has 2 boys 3 and 7. John graduated Bangor High School. Frank was in the 4th Marine Division, WWII. 23&Me: MtDna is H1. Shirley married **John MINCHER Jr** 17 Dec 1971 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME. John was born 30 Jul 1951.

Shirley next married **Frank BREZNYAK Jr** 23 Feb 1983 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME. Frank was born 3 Jun 1921 and died 7 May 2007 in Skowhegan, Somerset, ME.

Dorothy next married **Gerald LAWTON** 16 Mar 1968 in Oakland, Kennebec, ME. Gerald was born 4 Jun 1923 and died 1 Feb 1983 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME.

29. Marguerite "Marge" Edith ROBERTSON was born 31 Oct 1916 in Waterville, Kennebec, ME and died 11 Mar 1990 in York, York, ME.

The same April 1 1926 Kennebec Journal which mentions her mother and sister on p2 Skowhegan news has the headline "Suffers from badly scalded foot and ankle". "Miss Marguerite Robertson met with a painful accident recently, one which might have resulted much more seriously than it did. The little Miss came in from outside where she had been playing and in throwing off her coat caught it on a pail of boiling water, on the heater close by. The contents overturned upon her foot and ankle, which were badly burned. While she is improving, the foot is painful."

Genetic tree: brown hair; angina. Daughter Carole says: Marge had hazel/green eyes I think and "mousey brown" hair. Her cause of death was lung cancer as the primary site but it spread up her spine to the brain. She had larger hands, as I noticed at her wake and her shoes were size 9+ as was her ring size; not a small woman, size 14 at later years and Mom was 5'6" or 7". (Son) Dennis' hand situation (no fingers on one hand) was thought to be the result of Mom having German measles while pregnant, tho' I'm not sure that is so.

Marguerite married **James Dennis HANSON**, son of **Augustine Charles "Gus" HANSON** and **Katherine DOYLE**, 27 May 1940 in Gardiner, Kennebec, ME. James was born 14 Nov 1913 in York, York, ME and died 19 Dec 1999 in Lakeland, Polk, FL.

Portland Press Herald (ME) - December 21, 1999

James Dennis Hanson, 86, of Beech Ridge Road and also of Lakeland, Fla., died Sunday in Lakeland.

Born here, a son of Augustine C. and Katherine Doyle Hanson, he graduated from York High School, the University of Maine and received his master's degree in sanitary engineering from Harvard University.

He was employed at Portsmouth Naval Shipyard in the safety division from 1942 until his retirement. He was assessor for the York Beach Corporation and trustee of the York Water District and the York Sewer District.

Mr. Hanson was a communicant of St. Christopher's Church, York. He spent winters in Lakeland. His hobbies included whittling, antique collecting and reminiscing with friends. His wife of 50 years, Marguerite Robertson Hanson, died in 1990.

Surviving are a son, W. Dennis of Seville, Spain; two daughters, Mrs. John (Margaret P.) LaForge of East Harpswell and Mrs. Kenneth (Carole H.) Guentert of San Jose, Calif.; one sister, Katherine Sturtevant of York; seven grandchildren and two great-grandsons.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 9 a.m. Friday at St. Christopher Church, York. Burial will be in First Parish Cemetery. Lucas and Eaton Funeral Home.

Children from this marriage were:

- F i. **Margaret "Peggy" Patricia HANSON** was born 17 Mar 1941 in Pittsburgh, Allegheny, PA.
Family info of their children and grandchildren provided by John and Peggy. Peggy is a member of the National Association of Leavitt Families.
Margaret married **John Edward LAFORGE**, son of **Louis Albert LAFORGE** and **Frances Arlene LOWELL**, 18 Nov 1967 in York Beach, York, ME. John was born 1 Feb 1941 in Bangor, Penobscot, ME.
- F ii. **Carole Elizabeth HANSON** was born 22 Aug 1943 in York, York, ME.
Family info from Carole. Carole is a member of the National Association of Leavitt Families.
Carole married **John Thomas BURROWS** 17 Oct 1970 in York, York, ME. John was born 22 Aug 1941 in San Jose, San Jose, CA and died 18 Nov 1996 in San Jose, San Jose, CA.
Carole next married **Kenneth E GUENTERT** 23 May 1987 in San Jose, San Jose, CA. Kenneth was born 5 Oct 1948 in South Bend, St Joseph, IN.
- M iii. **William Dennis HANSON** was born 11 Sep 1948 in York, York, ME.
William married **Linda VALENTINO** about 1976.
William next married **Susan Marie INGOLD** 13 Sep 1981 in Las Vegas, Clark, NV. Susan was born 24 May 1957 in Lake Forest, Lake, IL and died 20 Jun 1996 in York, York, ME.
William next married **Ana Maria Lobo PEREZ** 5 Aug 2000 in Utrera - Seville, Andalucia, Spain.

30. Jeannette "Jean" Alice ROBERTSON was born 8 Oct 1919 in Bath, Sagadahoc, ME and died 17 Aug 2004 in Manchester, Hillsborough, NH.

David and Jeannette are buried in St Patrick Catholic Church Cemetery in Hudson.

Obituary: Jeannette A Christie, 84, of Nashua, died Tuesday evening August 17, 2004 at the Courville at Manchester after a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Christie was born October 8, 1919 in Bath Maine, daughter of the late William and Edith (Leavitt) Robertson. She resided in Maine during her youth and has been a longtime Nashua resident. She was the widow of David P Christie, whom she married February 19, 1949 in York Maine. They had celebrated their 33rd wedding anniversary prior to his death September 3, 1982.

Mrs. Christie had worked as a registered nurse at Nashua Memorial Hospital and St. Joseph Hospital for a time before marrying and raising her five children. She was a communicant of St. Patrick Church in Nashville and was a member of the St. Patrick Ladies Guild. Mrs. Christie graduated from Gardiner Maine High School in 1936 and from Kents Hill Maine Junior College in 1938. She also graduated from Memorial Hospital School of Nursing in Nashua. She was predeceased by two sisters, Marguerite Hanson and Martha Kumpel. Survivors include two sons and a daughter in law, John and Debra Christie of Goffstown and Jay Christie of Peoria Arizona; three daughters, Jeanne Mithen of Topeka Kansas, Janet Christie, with whom she made her home, and JoAnn Grygorcewicz, both of Nashua; a grandson, Cpl. Brian C Mithen of Camp Pendleton California; two granddaughters, Karen and Vicki Grygorcewicz of Nashua; a sister and brother-in-law, Muriel and Roland E Rhoades of Lakeland Florida; and several nieces, nephews and cousins. The Fawell funeral service in Nashua in charge of arrangements. Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated in St. Patrick Church Nashua Saturday morning. Burial followed in St. Patrick cemetery in Hudson. Genetic tree: 5'3"; wt 140; dk brown hair; hazel eyes; Jean died of cancer, though she suffered from dementia/alzheimers.

Jeannette married **David P CHRISTIE**, son of **Richard Joseph CHRISTIE** and **Claire M BEAUDET**, 19 Feb 1949 in York Village, York, ME. David was born 13 Jan 1918 in Manchester, Hillsborough, NH and died 3 Sep 1982 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH.

Children from this marriage were:

- F i. **Jeanne CHRISTIE** was born 31 Dec 1949 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH. Jeanne married **Jerome MITHEN** 29 May 1976 in New Orleans, Orleans, LA. Jerome was born 25 Aug 1948 in New Orleans, Orleans, LA.
- F ii. **Janet Claire CHRISTIE** was born 28 Jul 1951 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH and died 22 Feb 2015 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH. Janet Claire Christie 63, loving daughter, sister, aunt and friend, was taken from us suddenly on Sunday February 22, 2015. She was born in Nashua on July 28, 1951 a daughter of the late David P. and Jeannette A. (Robertson) Christie. Janet graduated from Nashua High School, class of 1969, and Houle's Academy of Beauty. For the past twenty one years, Janet was employed as a medical administrative assistant for the St. Joseph Family Medical Group in Hudson. Janet was devoted to her family and cherished her friends. She enjoyed working with The Actor Singers for many years, as well as ushering for The Peterborough Players. Janet loved to travel and could always be counted on to ride shotgun on family "Road Trips." Janet is survived by two sisters, Jeanne Mithen of Topeka, KS, and JoAnn Grygorcewicz of Nashua, NH, two brothers, John Christie and his wife Debbie of Goffstown, NH, and Jay Christie of Peoria, AZ, two nieces Karen Tlili and her husband Hamdi of Waltham, MA, and Vicki Grygorcewicz of Nashua, NH, two nephews Brian Mithen of Topeka, KS, and Edward Grygorcewicz and his wife Nicki of Gibsonton, FL, and three grand nephews, Max and Sam Grygorcewicz, and Haitham Tlili. Calling hours will be held at the FARWELL FUNERAL HOME, 18 Lock Street, Nashua on Thursday evening from 5 to 8 p.m. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated in St. Patrick Church, 29 Spring Street, Nashua, Friday morning at 9:30 a.m. Interment will take place at St. Patrick Cemetery in Hudson. Friends are invited to attend and will gather at the church. Donations may be made in her memory to the Actor Singers Scholarship Fund, 219 Lake Street, Nashua, NH 03060. FARWELL FUNERAL SERVICE (603) 882-0591. www.farwellfuneral.com
- F iii. **JoAnn CHRISTIE** was born 20 Jun 1953 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH. JoAnn married **Edward W GRYGORCEWICZ**, son of **Stanley GRYGORCEWICZ** and **Erna SCHMIDT**, 13 Oct 1973 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH. Edward was born 24 Jul 1944 in Clausthal-Zellerfeld, Lower Saxony, Germany and died 17 Aug 1999 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH. Edward W. Grygorcewicz, 55, of 617 W. Hollis St., Nashua, died Tuesday morning, Aug. 17, 1999, at St. Joseph Hospital in Nashua following a brief illness. He was born July 24, 1944, in Clausdal-Zellerfeld, Germany, son of the late Stanley and Erna (Schmidt) Grygorcewicz. Mr. Grygorcewicz came to the United States as a young man and settled with his family in Cleveland, and later made his home in Maple Heights, Ohio, before moving to Nashua several years ago. Mr. Grygorcewicz was the husband of JoAnn (Christie) Grygorcewicz, with whom he celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary in October 1998. A machinist and tool crib attendant, Mr. Grygorcewicz had been employed with Improved Machinery, a division of Ingersoll-Rand -- now owned by the Beloit Corp. -- for the past 25 years. Mr. Grygorcewicz was a Marine Corps veteran, having served during the Vietnam War. An avid golfer, he also loved collecting sports cards and memorabilia. He was educated in Cleveland schools. Besides his wife, survivors include a son, Edward W. Grygorcewicz Jr. of Claremont; two daughters, Karen and Vicki Grygorcewicz, both of Nashua; a grandson, Joshua Grygorcewicz of Rhode Island; a brother and sister-in-law, Peter and Doris Arnecke of Wildeman, Germany; a nephew, Tom Arnecke of Germany; his mother-in-law, Jeannette Christie of Nashua; and brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law and their families. Farwell Funeral Service in Nashua.
- M iv. **John William CHRISTIE** was born 22 Aug 1957 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH. John married **Debra**.
- M v. **Jay Richard CHRISTIE** was born 2 Jun 1960 in Nashua, Hillsborough, NH.

31. Muriel Ruth ROBERTSON was born 19 Mar 1929 in Skowhegan, Somerset, ME and died 29 Nov 2016 in Franklin, Merrimack, NH.

Muriel grew up as a Methodist, but attended Sunday Schools at the Universalist churches in Skowhegan and Gardiner. Moved to Gardiner as a small child, and graduated from Gardiner High School 1947, and Burdett Business College in Lynn MA. Attended Girl Scout Camp at Cobbossee Lake in 1941 according to a letter from her father, and was a Cub Scout Den Mother. Attended Episcopal churches in Gardiner ME, and Dover and Rochester NH.

Genetic Tree: 5'2"; wt 110-130; brown hair; hazel eyes; high blood pressure; back problems/ scoliosis; Blood A+. Memory problems in late 70s, slow progression. No cancer. Had thyroid operated on in her 30s or 40s. Has been diagnosed with clinical depression in her later years. She passed at 11:50pm Nov 29 at the nursing home, mostly unresponsive for the previous week.

FTDNA test results: Maternal Haplogroup is H6a1a2a. [My maternal cousins will be the same - Robertson > Leavitt > Stinneford > Trafton > Penney > Gowen > Cole > Spencer 1698.] H6 is one of the oldest branches of haplogroup H. Its age is estimated at around 26,000 years. It is one of the most frequent branches of H found among Arabian lineages, and is the most frequent branch among those found in Central Asia. It likely originated in the Middle East or Central Asia. H6 is also found at very low frequencies in Europe. I have also uploaded my data to the mtDNA Community website for additional analysis.

23&me test refined Aug 2014 shows 99.9% European, broken down as 64.8% British & Irish, 12.7% French & German, 2.3% Scandinavian, 16% Broadly Northern European, .2% Italian, 2.1% Broadly Southern European, 1.8% Broadly European, .1% unassigned. This test also showed 2.9% Neanderthal dna (274 variants).

Refined again Oct 2019: 99.8% European broken down as, 71.4% British and Ireland, 14.1% French & German, .1% Scandinavian, 12.4% Broadly Northwestern European, 1.2% Italian, .2% Broadly Southern European, .3% Broadly European, .1% trace, .1% unassigned.

Muriel married **Roland3 Edward RHOADES**, son of **Roland Edison RHOADES** [PEAVEY] and **Marion Frances BOUDWAY**, 7 Oct 1950 in Gardiner, Kennebec, ME. Roland3 was born 5 Jun 1930 in Gardiner, Kennebec, ME and died 7 May 2017 in Franklin, Merrimack, NH.

Roland attended Farmingdale and Gardiner schools, graduating from Gardiner High School in 1947. Served in the US Army Air Corps, in charge of sled dogs in Labrador. In many circles, he was known as "Dusty" as in "dusty roads". He moved to Dover NH in 1955 and East Rochester NH in 1959. He worked at GE in Somersworth NH for 11 years. He was a licensed electrician, carpenter and general contractor, a co-owner of a couple companies. He and Muriel were also owners of Hilltop Recreation Center in Somersworth NH, which he built from the ground up in the 1960s to include a golf driving range, go-karts, baseball and softball batting cages, and "Space Age" miniature golf. That was a major news attraction; each hole had a giant theme, like a flying saucer large enough to walk through, that airplane pilots said they used as a bearing for landing at the Rochester airport. It also had space creatures and planets made from steel, chicken wire and mortar. His children always had summer jobs! He was also an Eagle Boy Scout, Order of the Arrow; Scoutmaster in Gardiner ME and Salmon Falls NH; Cubmaster in East Rochester; and served on the vestry as Jr and Sr Warden of the Episcopal Church in Rochester. He converted their summer camp in Sanford to year-round and moved from East Rochester in 1980. He sold his business and retired to Lakeland FL around 1985 in a retirement park where he has been President of the Shuffleboard Club, with many trophies. He and Muriel have led a very active life in the Florida warmth; it's hard to ever find them home. In January 2011, they sold their home in Lakeland and moved in with daughter Nancy in NH.

Genetic Tree: 5'10"; wt 175; black hair; hazel eyes; balding at 40; arthritis, heart disease, back problems (the "Boudway back" acc to his mother), slight diabetes; Blood AB+. Memory problems at about age 80, rapid progression. Had a heart attack and stint 1995; pacemaker 2005. Knee replacement 2009. Prostate cancer 2009.

DNA test results from 23&me: Mtdna U2e1a. Y-dna paternal line belongs to Haplogroup R1b1a, 2019 redefined as R-U152. 23&me autosomal test, refined Aug 2014, showed 99.8% European, broken down as 41% British & Irish, 14.8% French & German, 8.2% Scandinavian, 29.9% Broadly Northern European, 1.3% Iberian, .5% Broadly Southern European, .1% Ashkenazi, 4.1% Broadly European; .2% East Asian & Native American, .1% Mongolian, <.1% Native American. Broadly means they do not yet have the comparative data to pin it down. His father's story about his g-grandmother (Whalen) being an Indian princess is in question. This test also showed 2.7% Neanderthal dna (315 variants).

Analysis was updated again in 2019: 99.8% European, broken down as 46% British & trace of Irish, 16.1% French & traces of German, 11.1% Scandinavian-Swedish, 21.2% Broadly Northwestern European, .6% Spanish/Portuguese, .3% Greek/Balkan, 1.5% Broadly Southern European, .9% Eastern European, 2% Broadly European, .2% unassigned.

Children from this marriage were:

M i. **Roland4 Edward RHOADES** was born 10 Nov 1951 in Gardiner, Kennebec, ME.

Education/Work: Started 1st grade at age 5 and was almost kept back. By 5th grade I was in the advanced sections of my class in math and English. A Cub Scout and Boy Scout advancing to Star rank. Graduated from Spaulding High School in Rochester NH 1969 at 17, member of the National Honor Society. I remember taking an IQ test in school and being told the results were private, but they told me anyway. I remember being told a number in the 120s, I think it was 123 or maybe 127. University of New Hampshire 1969-1972.

Always a liberal in politics, family were Democrats back to at least 1929, continuing as a diehard Bernie

Sanders supporter.

Manager of my father's business, Hilltop Recreation Center in Somersworth NH 1976-1983. Electrician at Portsmouth Naval Shipyard Shop 99 1983-1993 where I advanced as far as I could (WG-10 Step 5) without committing to nuclear work or being a foreman, and resigned to work my own business full time. Fuller Brush Man and nationwide trainer 1992-2016.

Started genealogy research in 1980. A founder and President of the French Family Assn 1984. Joined the National Association of Leavitt Families in 1984, elected VP 2004, President 2005-2009, elected Genealogist 2009-present. Actively research many of my Maine families and maintain a genealogy website for them. Has multiple paths to Mayflower ancestors and joined Maine Mayflower Society in 1984.

Marriages: Rosalyn Tumblin who m1 Donald Bernier; m3 Jim Leavitt of Alfred. Dau of Arnold C Tumblin b MA & Gertrude Gorman b ME. Married by Marguerite Stanley NP in Gowen Park, Sanford, reception at my house 118 Jackson St. Cynthia and I were married by Rev Mykel Johnson at Allen Avenue Unitarian Universalist Church on the anniversary of my grandparents' wedding.

Genetic Tree: 5'9"; wt 160-175; light brown hair, hazel eyes; non-balding at 68; slightly high blood pressure and cholesterol; Blood A+. Right handed, but partially left handed, I'm told I deal cards left handed. My Y-DNA is R1b1a2a1a1 acc to FTDNA, but my father and I on 23&me are R1b1b2a1a2d3. Shorthand is R-M269, refined in 2019 to R-U152. My maternal mtdna is H6a1a.

My 23&me autosomal Aug 2014 results have been refined: 99.5% European, broken down as 46.5% British & Irish, 21% French & German, 8.4% Scandinavian, 21.5% Broadly Northern European, .2% Italian, .2% Broadly Southern European, .1% Ashkenazi, 1.6% Broadly European; .1% East Asian & Native American, .3% Unassigned. 2.8% Neanderthal dna (286 variants).

Refined again in Oct 2019: 98.9% European broken down as, 51.5% British with trace of Irish, 24.9% French & German, 6% Scandinavian-Swedish, 14.1% Broadly Northwestern European, .6% Spanish/Portuguese, 1.2% Broadly Southern European, .7% Broadly European, .1% Broadly Western Asian & North African, 1% unassigned.

Roland4 married **Rosalyn Lee TUMBLIN**, daughter of **Arnold Clark TUMBLIN** and **Gertrude GORMAN**, 5 Sep 1987 in Sanford, York, ME. Rosalyn was born 16 Mar 1951 in Sanford, York, ME. Roland4 next married **Cynthia Ann POIRIER**, daughter of **Joseph Edward POIRIER** and **Kathleen HARRIS**, 14 Dec 2007 in Portland, Cumberland, ME. Cynthia was born 1 Oct 1950 in Newburyport, Essex, MA.

- F ii. **Nancy Jeanne RHOADES** was born 20 May 1956 in Dover, Strafford, NH.
Nancy is left-handed. Nancy m2 Ronald Gould 3 June 1980 in Sanford ME; Marriage annulled because he was already married.
Nancy married **Bruce CONNICK**, son of **Wendell Spaulding CONNICK** and **Bernice A McALISTER**, 6 Mar 1976 in Rochester, Strafford, NH. Bruce was born 8 Mar 1956 in Newmarket, Rockingham, NH.
Nancy next married **Mark CHAGNON**, son of **Arthur E CHAGNON** and **Florence F MORGRIDGE**, 5 Jun 1982 in Rochester, Strafford, NH. Mark was born 16 Oct 1962 in Fort Belvoir, Fairfax, VA.
Nancy next married **Norman LABRECQUE**, son of **Robert J LABRECQUE Sr**, 7 Aug 2000 in Rochester, Strafford, NH. Norman was born 3 Jun 1950 in York Harbor, York, ME.
- M iii. **Steven William RHOADES** was born 28 Oct 1958 in Dover, Strafford, NH.
Graduated Spaulding High School in Rochester NH in 1977; joined the Army for one term where he served mostly in NC. Divorced but remained friendly with Joanne. Joanne's middle name is just M.
Steve and Joanne are 9th cousins descended from immigrant John Libby and his son Matthew.
Steve & Carla div Dec 13, 2013.
Steven married **Joanne M NASON**, daughter of **Ernest Raymond "Sonny" NASON Jr** and **Meredith J COOK**, 30 Jul 1978 in Rochester, Strafford, NH. Joanne was born 10 Oct 1960 in Wolfeboro, Carroll, NH.
Steven next married **Carla WRIGHT** 1 Aug 2000 in Franconia, Grafton, NH. Carla was born 15 Feb 1954 in Exeter, Rockingham, NH.

32. Martha Ann ROBERTSON was born 23 Feb 1931 in Skowhegan, Somerset, ME and died 15 Dec 1989 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.

Martha was a nurse and also a heavy smoker. Died of lung cancer; metastatic ovarian cancer, still smoking to the end at 58 years young. 5'6"; dk brown hair; blue eyes; cancer

Marriage is listed in Maine Marriage index, bride of York and groom of Melrose, but m/c not found in microfilm.

Martha married **Richard Brozelle "Duke" KUMPEL**, son of **Edgar Warren KUMPEL** and **Florence TRUMAN**, 10 Aug 1952 in York, York, ME. Richard was born 25 Dec 1930 in Medford, Middlesex, MA and died 22 Jul 2012 in Reading, Middlesex, MA.

KUMPEL, Richard B. "Duke" of Reading formerly of Wakefield, July 22. Husband of the late Martha Ann (Robertson) Kumpel. Father of William Kumpel and wife Patricia, Linda Lomas and husband Howard, Kristen Abbondante and husband John all of Wakefield, Judith Gonnella and husband Thomas of Gettysburg, PA and Mark Kumpel and wife Helene Van Neste of Scarborough, ME. Brother of Florence Sorenson of Reading and George Kumpel of Edmonds, WA. Long time companion of Mary Cail of Melrose. Life long friend of Donald "Cookie" Corcoran of Melrose. Papa Duke of

ten and great papa of one. A period of visitation will be held at the McDonald Funeral Home, 19 Yale Ave WAKEFIELD on Wednesday, 4 - 8 P.M. Private funeral services will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Joslin Diabetes Center, 1 Joslin Pl. Boston, MA 02115 Attn: Development Office.

For obit/directions/guestbook, www.mcdonaldFS.com

Richard "Duke" Kumpel, 81, passed away on Sunday July 22, 2012. Cherished dad to his five children and Papa Duke to his grandchildren and first great granddaughter, he remained a steady presence in his children's lives showing his warmth and humor that characterized his life. Duke, born on Christmas Day 1930, was raised in Melrose. He shared many happy childhood experiences with his sister Flo and brother George. It was at Lincoln Elementary School in Melrose where he met his lifelong friend and "partner in crime" Donald "Cookie" Corcoran. He graduated from Melrose High School in 1948 where he was a sprinter with the Track and Field Team. After graduating he enlisted in the Navy and served with the Seabees for two years. He met his bride-to-be Martha who was in the nurse-in-training program at Melrose Wakefield Hospital and she immediately caught his eye. He married his beautiful wife Martha in 1952, and soon after the couple moved to Greenwood where they raised five children. Their home in Greenwood was a frequent site of neighborhood pool parties and Christmas caroling get-togethers.

Duke worked for the Local 537 as a union pipefitter for over forty years working on many large scale commercial projects. While working and helping Martha raise the children, he attended Northeastern University at night for eight years finally earning his B.S. in Civil Engineering.

He touched many lives through his associations as a player agent for Wakefield Little League for more than ten years. In addition, he served on the Board of Directors of both Little League and Wakefield Youth Hockey. Duke will be especially remembered for his tireless work leading to the growth of Massachusetts Hockey. In 1974, he became a charter member of Massachusetts Hockey and later served as a member of Mass Hockey's Executive Board. In addition, he served as USA Hockey Director-at Large for nineteen years and was proudly elected USA Hockey Director Emeritus. He received numerous accolades and awards for his work and was inducted in to the Massachusetts Hockey Hall of Fame in 2001.

He moved to Reading in 1996 and served on the Condo Board for Summit Towers for many years. An avid snowbird for the past sixteen years, Duke enjoyed winters at his condo in Fort Lauderdale where he enjoyed shared dinners, reminiscing with old friends and sitting in the sunshine with his Sudoku puzzles. Oftentimes, he was joined by his companion, Mary Cail of Melrose. She was his constant and loving friend and they shared the last nineteen years together going to countless hockey games, rooting for the Red Sox together and enjoying time with family and mutual friends.

Duke never met a stranger and he had a joy for life and for helping others. He had an uncanny ability to fix things and always had a smile for others. He will be remembered and sorely missed by his five children and their spouses including Bill and his wife Pat, Linda Lomas and her husband Howie, Judy and her husband Tom Gonnella of Gettysburg Pennsylvania, Mark and his wife Helene Van Neste of Scarborough, Maine, and Kristen and her husband John Abbondante. He is also survived by ten grandchildren and one great granddaughter. He was predeceased by his loving wife Martha who died in 1989.

A visitation for relatives and friends will be held at McDonald Funeral Home, 19 Yale Ave, Wakefield on Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. A memorial service will be held at a future date.

Children from this marriage were:

- M i. **William Lewis KUMPEL** was born 19 Jul 1953 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.
Bill Kumpel provided updates 7/5/02, 26 Lafayette St. Wakefield, MA 01880 781-245-2710
bkumpel@aol.com
William married **Patricia Mary Elaine JENNINGS** 5 Jun 1976 in Wakefield, Middlesex, MA. Patricia was born 5 Jun 1954 in Everett, Middlesex, MA.
- F ii. **Linda Ann KUMPEL** was born 29 Feb 1956 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.
Linda married **Howard LOMAS** 28 Jul 1979 in Wakefield, Middlesex, MA. Howard was born 23 Dec 1955 in Boston, Suffolk, MA.
- F iii. **Judith Marie KUMPEL** was born 28 Jul 1959 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.
Judith married **Thomas Alan GONNELLA** 26 Jul 1980 in Wakefield, Middlesex, MA. Thomas was born 3 Nov 1956 in Stoneham, Middlesex, MA.
- M iv. **Mark Alan KUMPEL** was born 7 Mar 1961 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.
Mark was on the US Olympic Hockey Team, professional hockey teams, coach of the Portland (ME) Pirates hockey team, and has spent his lifetime involved in hockey with various teams.
Mark married **Helene VAN NESTE** 30 May 1987 in Québec City, Quebec, QC. Helene was born in , , QC.
- F v. **Kristen Louise KUMPEL** was born 24 Aug 1964 in Melrose, Middlesex, MA.
Son Evan Cosmo Abbondante is adopted, born 3 Oct 1998 in Lawrence MA.
Kristen married **John Cosmo ABBONDANTE** 11 Sep 1993 in Wakefield, Middlesex, MA. John was born 27 Apr 1963 in Concord, Middlesex, MA.

33. Aubrey Sidney PAYNE was born 3 Mar 1921 in Salem, Essex, MA and died 17 Apr 1978 in Beverly, Essex, MA.

WWII Army enlistment records: Aubrey S Payne b 1921 enlisted 16 Jan 1921 in Salem, Field Artillery National Guard, 67" 127 lbs, same as his brother, single, Actor.

Also enlisted at Ft Devens MA for the duration of the war, machinist apprentice, 66" 120 lbs.

Mass Death Index has this 1978 d-date for Aubrey S. No SSDI. US Dept of Military Affairs BIRLS Death file has the same date with the correct birthdate; enlisted 12 Dec 1942, released 30 Oct 1945.

MassDI also has spouse of Aubrey S Payne, Ellen F 28 Jul 1915 - 19 Sep 2000 Salem MA, also SSDI.

1978 Salem News Deaths - Of Beverly Mass, April 17, unexpectedly, Aubrey S Payne, 57 years, husband of Ellen F (Olsen) Payne, of 8 Sailers Ave.

Obit - Beverly - Aubrey S Payne, husband of Ellen F (Olsen) Payne, of 8 Salters Ave, died unexpectedly Monday evening at the age of 57.

He was born in Salem and had been a resident of Beverly for 30 years. He was an Army veteran of World War II and a recipient of the Purple Heart. He was a member and commander of the Military Order of the Purple Heart No. 240 in Salem. He was employed for the past 30 years by Parker Brothers in Salem.

Besides his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Dorothy E Payne of Beverly; a son Thomas A S Payne of Beverly; a brother Ellsworth Payne of Florida, a niece and a nephew.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 11am in the Lee, Moody & Russell Funeral Home, Beverly.

Harmony Grove Cem in Salem has their burials, along with his father and Payne grandparents.

Aubrey married **Ellen Florence OLSEN**, daughter of **Thomas OLSEN** and **Florence CLARY**. Ellen was born 28 Jul 1915 in Methuen, Essex, MA and died 19 Sep 2000 in Salem, Essex, MA.

Salem Evening News; 2000-9-21; Of Beverly, Ellen F Payne, age 85. Survived by her children, Dorothy Pierce and Thomas Payne, both of Beverly. A graveside service will be held Friday 8am at Harmony Grove Cem Salem, arrangements by Goodrich Funeral Home, Lynn.

Beverly - Ellen Flora (Olson) Payne, 85, of Beverly, died Tuesday Sept 19, 2000, in the Shaughnessy-Kaplan Rehabilitation Hospital, following a brief illness. She was the wife of the late Aubrey Payne. Born in Methuen, she was the daughter of the late Thomas and Florence (Clary) Olson and lived in Beverly for the past 52 years. Prior to her retirement, Mrs Payne worked as an assembly worker at Audiophonics for 15 years. Mrs Payne is survived by her daughter, Dorothy Pierce of Beverly, and her son Thomas Payne, also of Beverly.

Children from this marriage were:

- F i. **Dorothy PAYNE** was born 31 Dec 1953 in Beverly, Essex, MA.
Div 2009. 12/24/14 she called me in response to my 2012 letter, 508-932-2704.
Dorothy married **David PIERCE** in 1989.
- M ii. **Thomas Aubrey Sidney PAYNE** was born 3 Jan 1959 in Beverly, Essex, MA.
I talked with Tom in Feb 2012 for some family info. He says his sister has done some family research.

34. Ellsworth Harding PAYNE was born 3 Mar 1921 in Salem, Essex, MA and died 28 Aug 1980 in , Indian River, FL.

WWII Enlistment records: Ellsworth H Payne b 1921 enlisted at Salem MA 16 Jan 1941, Field Artillery, National Guard, cabinetmaker, single, height 67", 127 lbs. US Public Records 1950-1993 show him living in Haverhill FL.

SSDI: Ellsworth H Payne March 3 1921 - Aug 28 1980, iss MA. Helena iss VT. Helena's name from cousin Mike Filosa email of 3/20/2012.

Ellsworth died in a private plane crash off the coast of Florida, when it caught fire.

Ellsworth married **Marjorie Rose CUMMINGS** 27 Jul 1946 in Derry, Rockingham, NH. Marjorie was born in 1928 in Derry, Rockingham, NH.

Children from this marriage were:

- M i. **James PAYNE** was born in 1951 in Derry, Rockingham, NH.
- F ii. **Robin PAYNE** was born in 1955 in Derry, Rockingham, NH.

Ellsworth next married **Helena "Lena" Mary FALZARANO**, daughter of **Francesco Domenico FALZARANO** and **Maria Carmina IZZO**, in Dec 1961 in , Dade, FL. Helena was born 14 Dec 1911 in White River Jct, Windsor, VT and died 7 Jul 2000 in West Palm Beach, Palm Beach, FL.

3/22/2012 email from Michael Filosa filosam@verizon.net - Hi Roland,

Aunt Lena, as she was called by family, was born "Elena Mary Falzarano" on 14 Dec 1911 in White River Junction, Windsor, VT and died in West Palm Beach, FL 7 Jul 2000. According to the Florida Marriage index, she was married Dec 1961. Ellsworth was her first marriage. Although born Elena she is often referred to as Helena and that is on most if not all of her later documents.

Her father was Francesco Domenico Falzarano (1874-1943) and her mother was Maria Carmina Izzo (abt 1875 - 1941) Both were born in Italy and died in White River Junction, Vermont.

My second cousin-1X removed, Louis Izzo and I have fairly complete trees on Ancestry for the Falzaranos. There are other pretty good trees also, but we are the two close relatives with trees. My aunt Clementina Filosa-Morton and my Uncle Gary Filosa have been my sources of information on Ellsworth and Lena. They both spent substantial time with her after Ellsworth's death. There is a picture from an event in VT that includes Ellsworth and Lena and is attached to my tree. It also includes Lena's brothers: Larry, Alphonse (Ponzi) and Ralph (Babe) Falzarano. I will send you the photo when I get home. I recall that your tree said you didn't have any photos.

I am not sure the plane ever got into the air from what my Aunt told me. It caught fire on the ground and neither Ellsworth nor his friend could be saved.

Thanks for the additional information on Ellsworth and Aubrey.
Best regards, Mike

35. Hilda Margaret LEAVITT was born 9 Nov 1925 in Salem, Essex, MA and died 11 Jul 2012 in Salem, Essex, MA.

Larry Shultz writes: Hilda Margaret Leavitt married Robert Saunders Thompson, at the Star of the Sea Catholic church in Marblehead MA in Sept of 1954. Reception at the Lynnfield (MA) Country Club. They had 2 children John and Tom; they each have 2 children; the sons are currently living with Hilda on 25 Neptune Rd in Marblehead MA. OBIT: Marblehead — Hilda M. (Leavitt) Thompson, age 86, wife of the late Robert Thompson, of Marblehead, died at Grosvenor Park Nursing Home, Salem, on Wednesday, July 11, 2012, following a short illness. Born in Salem, the daughter of the late Ralph and Margaret (Reilly) Leavitt, she was educated in local schools, graduating from Salem High School in the Class of 1943. She then began what would become a 42-year career at General Electric in the administrative offices, West Lynn. Mrs. Thompson retired from the Wilmington, MA, facility in 1985. In the summer, she had enjoyed her annual visits to Gurnsey Island at Lake Winnepesaukee. Her avocation was knitting. Mrs. Thompson took great pride in the children's motif sweaters and traveled to various shows selling her work. Mrs. Thompson also loved traveling with her husband, visiting Japan and Europe. She is survived by a son Tommy L. Thompson of Marblehead; four grandchildren, Maddy, Colin, Katlyn, and Becky; a sister Christina Schultz and her husband Harvey of Marblehead and four nephews, Larry Schultz of Marblehead, Brian Schultz of Danvers, James Schultz of Laguna Niguel, CA and Barry Leavitt of Rhode Island. She was predeceased by a son John L. Thompson and a brother Ralph Leavitt, Jr. ARRANGEMENTS: Her funeral will be held on Tuesday, July 17, 2012, at 10:15 AM, from the Murphy Funeral Home, 85 Federal St (corner of North Street), Salem, to be followed by a funeral Mass at 11 AM In Our Lady Star of the Sea Church, 85 Atlantic Ave., Marblehead, MA 01945. Interment will be in Waterside Cemetery, Marblehead. www.MurphyFuneralHome.com.

Hilda married **Robert Saunders THOMPSON** 5 Sep 1954 in Marblehead, Essex, MA. Robert was born 22 May 1928 in Boston, Suffolk, MA and died 23 Nov 1986 in Salem, Essex, MA.

Children from this marriage were:

- M i. **John Thomas THOMPSON** was born 14 Oct 1959 in Marblehead, Essex, MA and died 26 Apr 2011 in Marblehead, Essex, MA.
MARBLEHEAD — John Thomas Thompson, age 51, of Marblehead, husband of Denise (Richard) Thompson, was born on October 14, 1959 and died at home, unexpectedly on Tuesday, April 26, 2011. [Married May 18 or 19.]
A "Header," he was born Marblehead the son of Hilda (Leavitt) Thompson of Marblehead and the late Robert Thompson. Educated in Marblehead schools, he began to enjoy his passion for fishing with his own boat at the age of 16. Following his graduation from Marblehead High School in the Class of 1978, he turned his passion into a career. For many years he owned and captained several boats up to 25 miles off the coast of Marblehead alternating between lobstering and gill netting. His most recent boat was the "Fundy Dawn," which is featured on this year's cover of the Marblehead Community Phone Book.
In addition to his wife and mother he is survived by four children, William and Christopher Shinney of Marblehead and Katelyn and Rebecca Thompson of Center Ossipee, N.H.; a brother, Thomas Thompson of Marblehead; three grandchildren, Faith and Hunter Willey and Kayden Shinney.
ARRANGEMENTS: His funeral will be held on Saturday, April 30, 2011 at 11 a.m. in the Murphy Funeral Home, 85 Federal St., (corner of North Street) Salem. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. Interment will be private. In lieu of flower, memorial contributions may be made to install a bench in his memory overlooking the harbor, c/o his brother Thomas Thompson, 25 Neptune Road, Marblehead, MA 01945. www.MurphyFuneralHome.com.
John married **Denise RICHARD** 18 May 1992 in Marblehead, Essex, MA.
- M ii. **Thomas L THOMPSON** was born 26 Jun 1968 in Salem, Essex, MA.
Thomas married **Monica GIDELA** 2 Sep 1995 in Marblehead, Essex, MA.

36. Christina Patricia LEAVITT was born 31 Jan 1932 in Salem, Essex, MA and died 26 Oct 2013 in Marblehead, Essex, MA.

Larry Shultz writes: My parents were married at the Star of the Sea in Marblehead MA on 6-19-1954. Reception was in Lynnfield MA at the Colonial Country Club. They currently live on 5 Victoria Lane in Marblehead. Christina also provided much of the family information in Dec 2011.
OBIT: Christina Patricia (Leavitt) Shultz, age 81, loving wife of Harvey L. Shultz, of Marblehead on Saturday evening, October 26, 2013 in Marblehead. She had suffered a stroke in April.
Born in Salem the daughter of the late Ralph E. and Margaret (Reilly) Leavitt, she was educated in Salem schools, graduating from Salem High School in the Class of 1949, where she was a member of the National Honor Society. After receiving her BA in Elementary Education from Boston University in 1953, she began a teaching career with the City of Salem at the Carlton School. She married Harvey L. Shultz at the Star of the Sea in Marblehead. They moved to State College, Pennsylvania, where she brought education to home bound students.
After beginning their family, they returned to Marblehead in 1962. She was active in her children's activities and participated on several school organizations and boards working hard to enhance the student experience. She was a 7

year member of the Guild of St. William at St. John's Prep. In 1977 – 1978 she enjoyed the position of President of the Guild. Mrs. Shultz was also active in the community volunteering for many years at the Essex Institute and later the Peabody Essex Institute. The Shultz's relocated to southern California for 4 years while Harvey was working at ITT Corporate Headquarters, returning to Marblehead in 1982.

In addition to her beloved husband, she is survived by three sons, Larry P. and his wife Donna M. Shultz of Naples FL, Brian Shultz and his wife Joyce DeSanctis of Danvers, and James D. Shultz of Laguna Niguel, CA; eight grandchildren, Makiah McDade and her husband Michael, Autumn Bartlett and her husband Brandon, Ceridwen Shultz, Brenden Shultz, Kahleigh Fitzpatrick, Natalie Lewis and her husband Christopher, Devin Shultz and Danica Shultz; seven great grandchildren, Bryson, Danika, and Madison McDade and Benjamin, Nathan, Caleb and Jacob Bartlett. She is also the sister of the late Ralph Leavitt Jr. and Hilda (Leavitt) Thompson.

Her funeral will be held on Thursday, October 31, 2013 at 9:15 AM from the Murphy Funeral Home, 85 Federal St, Salem, to be followed by a Funeral Mass at 10:00 A.M in Our Lady Star of the Sea Church, 81 Atlantic Ave, Marblehead. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. Visiting hours will be on Wednesday, October 30, 2013 from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM in the Murphy Funeral Home. Interment will be in Waterside Cemetery, Marblehead. Those who wish may make memorial contributions to St. John's Preparatory School, 72 Spring St., Danvers, MA 01923. www.MurphyFuneralHome.com

Christina married **Harvey Larue SHULTZ**, son of **Wilbur SHULTZ** and **Edna HOUSEKNECHT**, 19 Jun 1954 in Marblehead, Essex, MA. Harvey was born 14 Dec 1928 in Muncy, Lycoming, PA and died 16 Dec 2018 in Naples, Collier, FL.

Harvey Larue Shultz of Marblehead, husband of Christina P. (Leavitt), passed away peacefully on December 16, 2018, at his home in Naples, FL. He was born near Muncy, PA, the son of Wilbur and Edna (Houseknecht) Shultz. He was educated in a one room schoolhouse before graduating from Millville High School in Millville, PA, Class of 1946. After a 6 year enlistment in the US Navy, he attended Penn State and graduated in 1956 with a BS in Marketing from the Smeal College of Business. While in the Navy he served aboard the USS Salem CA-139. Upon discharge he had achieved the rank of EM1 / Chief Electricians Mate. After graduation from Penn State he was employed by the Clark Controller Company (New York, NY) and joined ITT Cannon Electric (Salem and Wakefield) in 1964. Except for a short period in the early 70s, he spent his entire career with ITT, including 5 years at corporate headquarters in Santa Ana, CA. Post retirement he worked part time at Moynihan Lumber in Beverly and the J.N. Picariello Co. in Salem. Harvey was married to Christina for 59 years, until her death in 2013. He is survived by his sister Martha Starr of Benton PA, and his 3 sons: Larry and Donna Shultz of Naples, FL; Brian Shultz and Joyce DeSanctis of Danvers; and James Shultz of Laguna Niguel, CA. He also leaves 8 grandchildren, 8 great-grandchildren and a number of grand-nieces and grand-nephews.

Harvey was very involved at the Star of the Sea Church, where he and Christina were married in 1954. He volunteered with the newspaper drives, the annual bazaar, and was Cub Master for Pack 32 in 1967 and 1968. Later he volunteered with Troop 11. He also enjoyed carpentry, hiking, river rafting and driving his vintage Ford pick-up truck. He and Christina were members of the Headmasters Society at St. Johns Prep for many years.

His funeral services will be held Tuesday, July 8, at Our Lady Star of the Sea Church, 85 Atlantic Ave, Marblehead, MA. Interment at Waterside Cemetery, West Shore Drive, Marblehead. Murphy Funeral Home, 85 Federal Street, Salem. www.MurphyFuneralHome.com

Children from this marriage were:

- M i. **Larry Paul SHULTZ** was born 19 Apr 1955 in Bellefonte, Centre, PA. Graduated Marblehead HS 1973. He found my website and contacted me on Facebook Jan 2011. At the time I thought his grandfather had dy. Larry married **Donna M FOX** 15 Jan 1977 in Bradford, Merrimack, NH. Donna was born in , , MI.
- M ii. **Brian John SHULTZ** was born 1 Jan 1957 in Euclid, Cuyahoga, OH. Brian married **Norrine GOTTFREDSSEN**. Brian next married **Joyce DESANCTIS**.
- M iii. **James Darren SHULTZ** was born 29 Mar 1960 in Paterson, Passaic, NJ. Have a boy and a girl; res CA; has worked on movies with Widen family. James married **Julianne WIDEN** in 1994 in , , CA.