

The Goff Family of Halifax County, Nova Scotia

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First Generation

1. John Goff. John Goff was born in Ireland (before 1776) and died in Nova Scotia, Canada (after 1841, so at least 65 years old). Occupation: Farmer. Residence: Bedford Basin and Hammond's Plains, Nova Scotia.

An excellent article has just been published, shedding new light on the origins of the Goff and Gough surnames. (Goff, Phillip G. 2019. History of Gough and Goff Surnames. Journal of One-Name Studies. Vol. 16, No. 6 (Part 1), No. 7 (Part 2). I will include a summary as Appendix 1 at the end of this report, page 161. One main conclusion is that the two names grew distinctly and were not to any extent used interchangeably within families. As of the year 2000, there were approximately 82,000 Goff's and Gough's worldwide, distributed as follows: 55% Goff, 45% Gough; 60% in the United States, of which almost 80% are Goff's; 25% in the United Kingdom, of which 85% are Gough's. In Ireland, nearly 80% use the Gough spelling. The Goff/Gough Family Association, <https://goff-gough.com>, represents both families world-wide, and a great source for the exchange of family information.

Since John came to Nova Scotia from Ireland, I will include a bit of history of Goff's and Gough's in Ireland. Most of the Irish Goff's were originally of English descent. In the Republic of Ireland, the name Goff was found in most abundance in Co. Wexford whereas the name Gough was primarily found in Co. Waterford; both of these counties are in the southeast. The Tithe Applotment books of 1824-34, records of land holders who owed tithes to the Church of Ireland, record the Goff name in a total of 36 parishes across 15 of the 32 counties of Ireland - 14 parishes in Co. Wexford, 4 in Co. Waterford, and in 1 or 2 parishes in several other counties. The Gough name is recorded in 60 parishes in 21 of 32 counties across the country - 11 in Waterford and 1 in Wexford. Wexford Co. currently has the highest number of "Goff's" in Ireland. There were at least two prominent Gough/Goff families in Wexford Co. The Ballyorley House in Boolavogue, Ferns, County Wexford, was the original property of Clement Gough, built in 1675. Clement was a descendant of Garrett Gough, who settled in Ireland in 1530. The Ballyorley property in 1998 was in the ownership of Mrs. Micheal Gough and her daughter. I (Doug Goff) visited and had a wonderful tour of the property, which hasn't left Gough hands since it was built. The house was wonderfully decorated with portraits of its many inhabitants. John Gough (now deceased) of Clifton Royal on the Saint John River, N.B., established a link between Gough's of this family and a Gough/Goff family that ended up in Prince Edward Island and New

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Brunswick, from whom he descended.

Another prominent Goff family originated from Horetown House, in Horetown, Co. Wexford. It was built by Richard Goffe, son of Gen. William Goffe, who was the son of Rev. Stephen Goffe of Sussex County, England. Major-Gen. William Goffe rose to prominence in the days of Oliver Cromwell. He was one of the regicide judges of King Charles I. However, after the death of Cromwell and the restoration of King Charles II to the British throne, the new government offered rewards for the capture, dead or alive, of the regicide judges. Col. William Goffe fled to the colonies with his father-in-law Joseph Whalley and was befriended by sympathetic partisans of Cromwell and Parliament in Hadley, Massachusetts, where he died in seclusion in 1679. This family of Goff's in Ireland were part of the Anglo-Irish protestants, and a recent memoir has been written by Annabel Davis-Goff, entitled "Walled Gardens". There is also a very good account written by Dinah Goff from this family of the 1798 rebellion in Wexford. Horetown House is now used for overnight guests, horse trekking, etc. I (Doug Goff) visited also in 1998, and was most impressed with its stature. A genealogy of the Goff family was prominently displayed on the fireplace mantle. One of the descendants of this family from Horetown, Fade Goff, also ended up in Prince Edward Island, in a position of some authority. He has been written up in the Canadian Dictionary of Biography. There is a local community named Goff's Bridge in PEI.

Beside these two families from Wexford, there were a few other scattered "Goff" families. There were Irish Catholic "O'Goffe" and MacGeough, derived not from the English families but from the Celtic. There were also Goff families in Ulster Ireland, undoubtedly also English immigrants. The modern Goff family in the Republic of Ireland is well known for their horsemanship abilities, and I (Doug Goff) also visited Goff's Paddocks and Auction in County Kildare (<https://www.goffs.com/history>), not far from Dublin, one of the best horse breeding and trading stables in the British Isles.

The earliest known ancestor of ours in Nova Scotia was **John Goff**, who it appears married a widow with 6 children in 1796 in Cornwallis, Kings Co. (at least the marriage is recorded at St. John's Church, Cornwallis). We are unsure of the origins of John, although family tradition certainly held that he was of Irish descent and both his daughter Mary and his son Thomas declared their nationality in NS census records as Irish, as did his grandson William. Whether he came direct from Ireland to NS or via the US is not known by us. Is our John descended from any of the families in Co. Wexford Ireland? I don't know. One of the grandchildren of Thomas Anthony Gough, grandson of the original John, understood the family to be from County Waterford, perhaps from family folklore, which is very intriguing as it borders Co. Wexford and may imply a connection to one of those families. This branch of the family (see Thomas Anthony Gough, # 4), took the spelling of Gough. Certainly the surname Gough was more widespread in Waterford at that time. It seems unlikely that John came via the US. I had a yDNA test done as part of the Goff/Gough Family Association DNA project, and I did not match any of the US Goff families. It is also unknown whether he came alone or with family. Many of the colonizers to NS were from America or from England or Ireland (mostly the Scots-Irish) and generally, they immigrated with large families, aged parents with several grown children and their wives and children. These families have been well documented by the early histories of the various counties of Nova Scotia. We have no such knowledge of our John, however, who appears to have been on his own, or perhaps with unmarried siblings that left little or no progeny. Thus, the origins of John are difficult to find and may never be fully known.

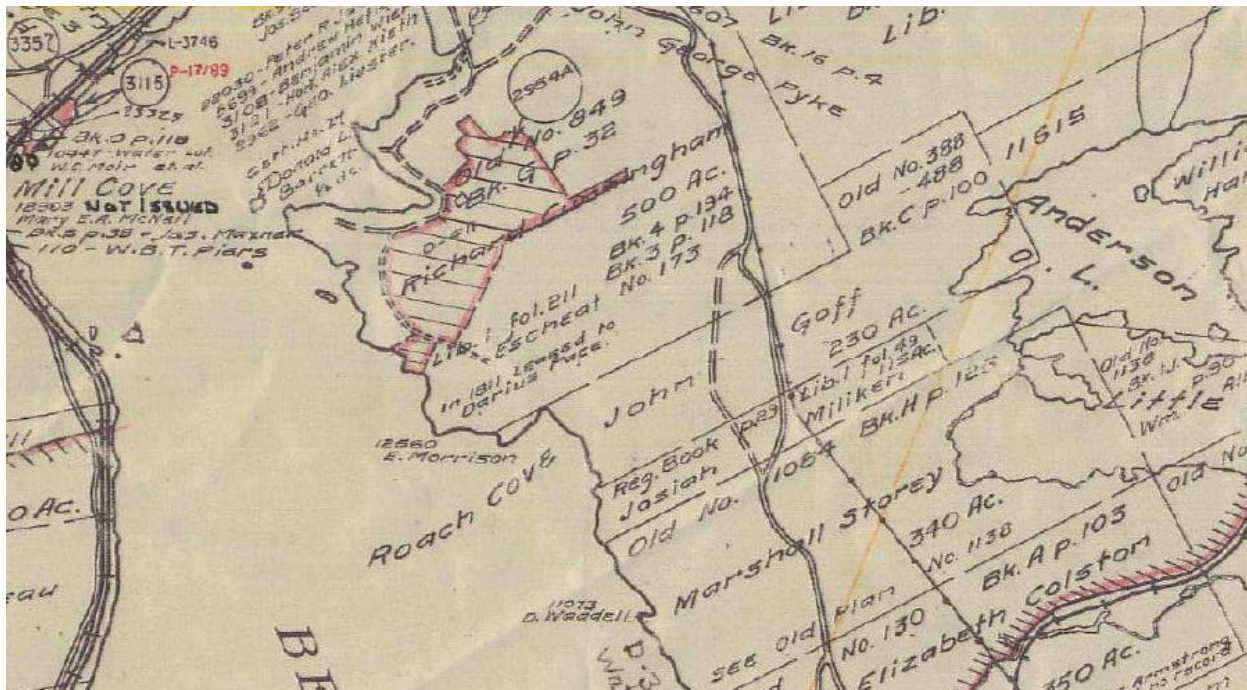
A John Goff received a town lot in Shelburne, Nova Scotia, in 1784, but we are unsure if this is the same John. It seems perhaps unlikely that John would have started off in Shelburne, 10 years later married someone in Cornwallis in 1796, and then found himself with his family in Bedford in 1812. A Thomas Goff received 100 acres in Digby Township in the same year. Also there is a marriage record of James Goff to Elizabeth Crawford in Halifax in 1777. This same James ("soldier") appears to have tangled with the law over the shooting of one Christopher Schlegall, 1 Nov. 1776 (Proceedings of the Nova Scotia Historical Society), although there was no conviction.

Ann (McCormack) Goff had 6 children from her McCormack marriage, and John and Ann had a further 3 children.

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This comes from a page of a family bible, from the home of Edna (Goff) Warner. Their son Thomas stated his birthplace as Halifax, 1796. Her maiden name and origin are unknown. The Goff children included Thomas (who md. Eleanor Holland), Mary (who md. Nicholas Holland, a brother of Anthony Holland and Eleanor Holland, Thomas' wife) and William, who died young. Thus Thomas became the progenitor of our family.

John Goff of Dartmouth, Yeoman, received a land grant of 230 acres at Bedford Basin, April 1, 1813 (Crown Land Grants Folio 11, Book C, page 100), comprised of a block of 100 acres granted in 1810 and another 130 acres between the original block and the eastern shore of Bedford Basin. From Land Grant maps of the Nova Scotia Crown Land Information Management Centre, Halifax, John's 230 acres stretched from Roach Cove east to Anderson Lake (along today's Bedford Bypass (Hwy 7) and at the site of the Department of National Defense Magazine depot 'Magazine Hill'). The birthplace of John's son Thomas in 1796 was Halifax, on Thomas' death certificate. If John and Ann married in Cornwallis, they didn't stay there long, as Thomas was born 6 months after the marriage. It appears likely they were in the greater Halifax/Dartmouth area somewhere, and by 1810 were on the east side of the Bedford Basin, between Dartmouth and Bedford.



Land was granted to Richard Cunningham on the east side of Bedford Basin, formerly granted to Mrs. Mary Magdalen Howe, on 17 Oct. 1816, adjacent to the land granted to John Goff at the head of Lobster Cove, and continuing to Pace's Brook. Mrs. Howe owned all the land south of Parker's Brook (today's name) as far as Roche's Cove, including Admiral's Cove (Tolson). Darius Pace came to Bedford in the late 1700's. Between the Sackville River and Parker's Brook was the land owned by Joseph Scott; from the Brook south to Roche's Cove was Mary Howe's 560 acres. She leased her land to Pace after 1772. An old plan in the Crown Lands Office shows Pace's Brook and Pace's Cove. It was he who named Admiral's Rock, after Admiral Lord Nelson. At that time, the east side was the less-developed side. In the early 19th century, Dartmouth consisted of about twenty-five families working as a sawmill and agricultural outpost of Halifax. By 1823, there was a "new Dartmouth Road to Sackville", but it did not receive the traffic of the Halifax Road to Bedford. The route to Halifax from the east side would have been overland via the Bedford Road or perhaps to Dartmouth and via boat across the harbour.

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There is reference to John having received another 500 acres at Bedford Basin in 1819 recorded from the Land Grant Index at the Provincial Archives of Nova Scotia, but no record of this can be found from the Crown Lands Grant maps or in the Crown Land Information Management Centre.

John Goff of Bedford Basin, Husbandman, also received a Land Grant of 500 acres split on both sides of the Annapolis Road out of Hammonds Plains, 28 April 1824, bordering the lands of Frederick Rhalves (Crown Land Grants Folio 207, Book L, page 2). (From Joan Dawson's book, the original Hammonds Plains Road leaving the Bedford Road was headed towards Annapolis via New Ross). This can be seen on the old Land Grant maps, and includes the current areas south of Kelly's Lake and Long Lake, between Chain Lakes and Holloway Lake (then Rhalves Lake), south and including Hubley Mill Lake, and then east to Pogwa Lake in the area west of Hammonds Plains and north of the Head of St. Margaret's Bay. This today is undeveloped land: rock, lakes and bogs. John may have used it for lumber, but any development of it is now unknown.

The census of 31 December, 1827 records John and Ann Goff in the Hammond's Plains area. There was one male and one female listed in the house, occupation was farming, and religion was listed as R.C. (although this is suspect, because they were married in (or their marriage was recorded at) St. Johns Anglican Church, Cornwallis Twp., Kings Co., and Thomas' family had strong connections to St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville - no other connection to the Roman Catholic church is present in this family). By 1827, all of the children would have been on their own. (Note: Mrs. Elsie Tolson in her history of Bedford states that the original church at St. Johns began as early as 1797, maybe even as early as 1790. The present Church was built in 1829. The parish as set forth in 1804 included Bedford, Sackville, Birch Cove, Rockingham, part of Lantz, up to the head of Grand Lake and a small part of Rawdon parish. All faiths and races were allowed to be buried.)

John Goff deeded land to Thomas Goff in 1819, to James Quinlan in 1829, and to Alexander Hubley in 1841. Beyond that, we don't know more about John or when he died. No clear record of any of the McCormack children has been found, beyond the single family bible page.

On 21 Jan 1796 **John Goff** married **Mrs. Anna McCormack**, 1755-1842.

Information on Ann is very sketchy. The McCormack name comes from a family bible page that came from the home of Edna (Goff) Warner, listing the names of her McCormack children followed by the names of her Goff children (Thomas, Mary, and William). Her surname was recorded in the Cornwallis Township Book as McKenzie, but this may have been a handwriting interpretation for McKormack, the spelling found in St. John's Anglican Church, Cornwallis, records. Although there was a family of McCormacks in Kings County dating back to this time, we have not been able to place her former husband or children amongst them. We thought that would be an obvious clue to finding her identity.

Acadian Recorder Sat 31 Dec 1842, "died 22 Dec. at Hammond's Plains, Mrs. Ann Goff, 87, of Cornwallis."

Children of **Mrs. Anna McCormack** by her first marriage:

- i. Abigail McCormack (3 Dec 1781-6 Dec 1800) Born on 3 Dec 1781. Abigail died on 6 Dec 1800; she was 19 (Family bible).
- ii. John McCormack (6 Jun 1783-Sep 1808) Born on 6 Jun 1783. John died in Sep 1808; he was 25 (Family bible).
NSHVS: Elizabeth Kelly and John McCormack marriage bond 1808 in Halifax County
- iii. David McCormack (6 Feb 1786-) Born on 6 Feb 1786.
- iv. James McCormack (18 Jun 1788-) Born on 18 Jun 1788.
NSHVS: James McCormack, widower, age 80, b. Cornwallis, died 14 Mar 1869 in Halifax, Halifax County.

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- v. Sarah McCormack (21 Jun 1791-) Born on 21 Jun 1791.
- vi. Samuel McCormack (18 Jan 1794-) Born on 18 Jan 1794.

Children of **John Goff** and **Ann**:

- 2 i. Thomas Goff (14 Jun 1796-23 May 1868)
- ii. Mary Goff (10 Jun 1799-1890) Born on 10 Jun 1799. Mary died in Hammonds Plains, N.S., in 1890; she was 90. Buried in Hammonds Plains Anglican Cemetery, Hfx. Co., NS.

Mary Holland, age 82, was listed in the 1881 census of Hammonds Plains, as a widow, nationality Irish, living with Charles and Mary Thomson (her niece). This is good evidence of John's origin, as little other evidence has been found, other than family tradition. We are unsure of any family, although suspect they had no children.



On 20 May 1826 when Mary was 26, she married **John “Nicholas” Holland**, son of Johann “Matthäus” Holland (27 Jul 1755-25 Jan 1830) & Margaret Appledore (1767-17 Jan 1820). Born on 25 Jun 1796 in Halifax, N.S. John “Nicholas” died in Bedford, Nova Scotia, on 2 Jul 1866; he was 70. Buried in Hammonds Plains Anglican Cemetery, Hfx. Co., NS. Occupation: Farmer (1826). Residence: Windsor Road (1826).

A marriage bond (NSARM) was signed May 17, 1826, between Nicholas Holland, Windsor Road, bachelor, farmer, and Mary Goff, spinster.

Death is recorded in the NS Historical Vital Statistics, s/o Matias and Margaret, cause of death “disease of kidneys”, married, age 70.

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- iii. William Goff (14 Jun 1802-2 Jan 1814) Born on 14 Jun 1802. William died on 2 Jan 1814; he was 11 (Family bible).

Second Generation

Family of John Goff (1) & Mrs. Anna McCormack

2. Thomas Goff (*John*¹). Born on 14 Jun 1796 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Thomas died in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia, on 23 May 1868; he was 71. Buried in St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS. Occupation: Businessman, Tavern Keeper, Miller, Husbandsman. Residence: Bedford, Sackville, Guysborough Road (area later to become Goffs). Religion: Anglican.

Thomas Goff, 1796-1868, lived in the Bedford area for many years and was active in a number of early Bedford businesses and activities. He married Eleanor Holland in 1823, in Halifax. Thomas Goff and his brother-in-law Anthony Henry Holland, the founder and first editor of one of Atlantic Canada's first newspapers, the *Acadian Recorder*, had a number of business ventures together. The biography of Anthony Holland has been written in the "Dictionary of Canadian Biography" by Miss Gertrude Tratt. Thomas was involved with Anthony in the establishment of the first paper mill in the province, built at the head of the Bedford Basin in 1819. The paper was made from linen and was used in the printing of the *Acadian Recorder* and the various pamphlets which issued from his press. The heavy paper manufactured at this mill was said to be of a tolerably good description (Halifax: Warden of the North).

It is likely that Anthony Holland and John and Thomas Goff became acquainted around 1819, when Holland began his operation on the northwest of the Bedford Basin. (It is possible they were acquainted previous, but we have no evidence to connect John to Halifax city or to the Little Dutch Church or the German population with whom Holland had his roots.) Thomas was 23 years old in 1819. Two of the papermakers in the mill in 1821, Samuel Courtney and John Campbell, both married sisters of Anthony's in 1821 (Note: neither are in the 1827 Nova Scotia census). In 1823, Thomas married Anthony's youngest sister Eleanor (marriage bond at NSARM dated 2 May 1823 between Thomas Goff, bachelor, residence "on the new Dartmouth Road to Sackville", occupation farmer, and Eleanor Holland, spinster) and in 1826, Anthony's brother Nicholas married Thomas' sister Mary. In 1823, Thomas' address was listed as "on the new Dartmouth Road to Sackville", i.e., on the east side of the Basin, likely John's property. John Goff deeded property to Thomas in 1819. By 1827, and likely soon after their marriage, it appears that Thomas and Eleanor were living "on the Hammonds Plains Road", very near to the Nine Mile House and Anthony's home, perhaps a part of his landholdings. The 31 December 1827 census of Hammond's Plains lists Thomas Goff, with 3 males, 2 females, and 1 servant residing in the house; religion listed as Anglican. In the 1827 census, Thomas' occupation is named as "Agriculture"; the household beside Thomas was that of John Grigrey, occupation papermaker. Between 1823 and 1830, Thomas and Eleanor had 5 children. Thomas has been described in various histories (including Thomas Randall's *Halifax: Warden of the North*) as being "involved with" Anthony in the operations of the paper mill. John Goff and Thomas Goff are both in the 1827 census of Hammonds Plains district, but separated by several families. On 11 May 1830, Thomas and Anthony Holland jointly received a water lot on the Bedford Basin, Thomas' occupation listed as "husbandsman".

Anthony died in a driving accident (fall from a horse) on Oct 10 1830 and on Nov 8, 1830, Eliza (Mrs. Anthony) Holland, Phillip John Holland and James William Merkel (Eliza's brother), executors of the estate of Anthony, leased to Thomas Goff for three years all of the land holdings of Anthony, 1000 acres, including the Nine Mile House. We have a copy of that lease, found in the home of Mr. Alex Goff. The Nine Mile House was an Inn of Bedford fame, run by Holland from 1823 to his death, during which time it was also known as Holland's Inn. On Nov 22, 1830, Thomas is advertising "To be let, that pleasantly situated cottage with garden etc. attached thereto, recently occupied by the late Mr. A H Holland on the Windsor Road, within eight miles of Halifax. It will be let for

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one or more years, as may be agreed upon. Inquires on the premises of Thomas Goff.”

Acadian Recorder, Nov. 20, 1832 “Nine Mile House. The Subscriber having again rented the above house, with all the grounds, etc. attached thereto, is now fitting it up in a more convenient style, as a Public Inn, begs leave to inform his friends both in Town and Country, that he will not fail to use his best endeavours to give general satisfaction; his larder will be well supplied, his liquors of the best quality, and his stables (which are superior well attended to. THOMAS GOFF.”

John McGregor leased the Acadian Paper Mill and about 13 acres of surrounding land from Anthony Holland in 1829. McGreogor ran an ad in the 15 Sept 1832 Acadian Recorder: “Acadian Paper Mills For Sale. 8 ½ miles from Halifax on Hammonds Plains Road. Only one of a kind in the Province. Dams permanently fixed to give supply of water. Machinery of the best make, in good repair. New machine recently from United Sates makes double quantity of paper. Rope cutting machine from Boston, boxes for new way of bleaching. Mill house is strong stone building, 35x45x22 high, and drying loft of wood. 10 acres belong to mill. Good house close to mill for two families, frost proof cellar with oven. Stone barn, shingled, can store 20 tons of hay or paper stock. Water privileges for two mills. One was lately occupied by saw mill. Mill never freezes. Apply P. J. Holland, or to the proprietor on premises.” (Tolson). James W. Merkel and P.J. Holland foreclosed on Mr. McGregor's mortgage in 1835, and then leased the mill in 1837 to the Piers' family.

From 1830 to 1840, it appears that Thomas operated the Nine Mile House and various properties associated with it, and at some point acquired at least some of it from the estate of Anthony Holland. He was variously listed as “tavern keeper” or “innkeeper” in historical records from this time. He also was a grist mill operator at Piers Mill (Tolson). He was said to have been Proprietor of Eight Mile House (which, I think, was the same Inn), 1832-1839. He was listed as a trustee of Birch Cove School District #8 , 12 June 1835. On the school roster were William Goff 12, John Goff 10, Margaret Goff 8 and Thomas Goff 7, children of Thomas Goff. Thomas appears to have financially supported several other school children as well. Thomas and Eleanor had 3 more children between 1830 and 1840.

“Piers Cove. On March 26, 1836, William Bevil Thomas Piers bought two pieces of land at Millview from Henry Mixner for 500 pounds. Mixner’s tannery (from 1813) was on one piece. Piers built a grist mill on the other, using the same water power as did the Acadian Paper Mill. The mill was built was built was a large overshoot waterwheel on the north side of the building. The tannery was in the yard of a small house near the mill. Mr. Piers’ purchase included that house plus a large house to the north. It was a pretty house, a spreading English country home type, with a fine row of native elms. It was occupied from 1836 by Piers. A wharf, store house and grain elevator were built beside the mill and Thomas Goff was the miller at the Grist Mill. He was proprietor of Eight Mile House from 1832-39 and that Inn was very near the mill. Good-sized vessels brought corn to the wharf, and for 72 years the cove was known as Piers’ Cove, or Piers’ Mill Cove. In 1837, Piers obtained a 5-year lease on the Acadian Paper Mill, the house, etc. at the foot of paper Mill Lake on the Hammonds Plains Road. James W. Merkel (Anthony Holland’s wife’s brother) was administrator of the Holland estate and granted the lease. Piers also manufactured line and twine at Piers Cove.” (Tolson) (Note: she refers to Thomas as proprietor of Eight Mile House, likely referring to what they called the Nine Mile House)

The paper mill must have stayed in the Holland family for many years. From www.hughespaper.com, “A document, dated 10 October 1873 shows that Daniel Hughes and his sons took over the lease of this mill from Jeremiah O'Connor. This lease, from William Holland (Anthony’s son, 1826-1875) was due to expire on 1 May 1875 and covered "All that piece or parcel of land on the old Hammond's Plains Road in the County of Halifax on both sides of the Nine Mile river situate to the north of Archibald's Mill and . . . containing four acres more or less . . . " The lease cost Hughes \$12,500 with repayments to be made at \$40.00 per week plus interest until the full amount had been repaid. A fire on 20 August 1875 destroyed the mill and its contents. It was never rebuilt.”

In 1840, Thomas appears to be letting go of the Bedford property, as evident from this newspaper article of March 11, 1840. “Valuable Property. The Subscriber offers for sale, near the Nine-Mile River Bridge – A Water Lot, on

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Bedford Basin, fronting on the Windsor Road 150 feet, and running 200 feet into the Basin; there are on the premises a new Store 30 feet square, 2 stories high, and a wharf attached to it; the store can be made into a good dwelling house at a small expense. Also – One acre of Land, opposite the Nine Mile River Bridge. Also, TO LET – A Grist Mill, in good order, about ¼ mile from the basin, on the Nine Mile River. Also, FOR SALE, 20 acres of Land, being part of Lot No 1, of Windsor Road Lots, bounded by the Hammonds Plains Road. Also-Part of Lot No 3, of Windsor Road Lots, containing about 250 acres, covered with hard and soft wood, there are on the premises a good frame House and Barn, and about 25 acres fit for the plough, which cut about 14 tons of Hay; the clearing is under a good stone wall. There are also on the premises two Log houses and clearings attached to each. Also-A good Wood Lot, being part of Lot No 5 of Windsor Road, containing 50 acres. Also, a Lot of Land covered with hard and soft wood, lying between the Sandy lake and the Windsor Road, containing 73 acres. Also – A Lot of Land, being part of Lot No 6 of Windsor Road lots, having two fronts on the Hammonds Plains Road, containing 158 acres, covered well with timber; there are on the premises a House, and a considerable clearing. Any part of these lands will be sold to suit the purchaser. Terms of sale may be known by application to – THOMAS GOFF. Nine Mile House, March 11, 1840.”

In 1840, Thomas N. Jeffery leased to Thomas Goff, farmer, Windsor Rd., the dwelling, farm, saw mill, mill pond and land situated on the Windsor Road known as the 30 mile house, provided that he would not use the premises as a tavern or public house, an arrangement which continued for at least two years. We have a copy of that lease, found in the home of Mr. Alex Goff. Thomas and Eleanor’s 9th child was born in 1841.

(Note: Thomas Nickleson Jeffrey (1783-21 Oct 1847 Halifax), Collector of Customs in Halifax, s/o John Jeffrey of Poole, Dorset, England, m 3 May 1805 Martha Maria Uniacke (16 Oct 1785-15 Nov 1873) d/o Attorney General Richard J. Uniacke of Halifax and Mount Uniacke Hants Co. and Martha Maria Delesdernier (1762-1803, d/o the pioneer Swiss settler at Windsor Moses Delesdernier.))

According to Joan Dawson’s “Nova Scotia’s Lost Highways”, the road out of Halifax, the Bedford Road, split at Fultz’s Inn, Sackville, at Mile 12 to the Windsor Road to the left and the Truro road to the right. The Windsor Road followed the Old Sackville Road and Route 1 of today. Uniacke House is at Mile 27. Jeffrey’s property at the 30-mile mark is shown on Woolford’s survey map of 1818 at the present Pigott Lake, and the Newport Road (Rte 215) is at mile 35, Windsor at mile 44.

On the 19th of Aug., 1843, Thomas received a land grant of 100 acres at Guysboro Road, and appears to have moved out to this new settlement with most of his family before that time. His son William’s first grant was in 1846. Thomas and Eleanor’s 10th and last child (Catherine Elizabeth Pirie) was born at Guysborough Road (St. Johns Church baptism record) in 1846 (the Pirie family bible recorded her birthplace as Antrim, Halifax Co, as copied by Connie Hill).

Two receipts in the possession of Douglas Goff (originally obtained from the Thomson family) read as follows: “Jan. 3, 1842, I agree to pay Nicolas Holland the sum of two pounds for the hire of two cows for one year Halifax currency and to return them in the same order as they are at present likewise the sum of twenty four shillings Halifax currency for the hire of eight sheep for one year and to return them in the same order as they are at present. Signed Thos. Goff (X his mark), witness William Goff” and “Musquodoboit June 6 1842 Nicolas Holland to Thomas Goff Sr., 1 pair of oxen Twenty pounds. Received payment Thomas Goff (X his mark) witness William Goff”. I suspect “Musquodoboit” referred to Thomas’ home on the Guysborough Road.

The New Guysborough Rd branched from the Truro Rd. at present day Waverley- the original Truro Rd (Old Cobequid Road) stayed east of Lake Thomas to present-day Fall River, then west of Fletcher’s Lake along Hwy 2, whereas the Guysborough Rd went west of Fletcher’s Lake and east of Miller Lake, probably Hwy 2 and then current 102, until it joined what we know as the Old Guys Rd today (Dawson). Thomas Jeffrey, Collector of Customs in Halifax, had land grants in the Guysborough Rd area (Gray & Smith). They say 1784, although that’s the year he was born so they have their year mixed up there. But it was Thomas Jeffrey who leased Thomas Goff the

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land for two years from 1840-42 on the Windsor Rd.

In the 1851 census Wyse's Corner, Thomas Goff & wife, 1 female under 10 (Catherine Elizabeth) 2 males 10-20 (Henry & Phillip) 2 females 10-20 (Ellen & Eliza) 2 males 20-30 (Wm., John or Thomas A.) 1 male over 50 (Thos) 1 female over 50 (Eleanor). {Note: names are just a guess, 1 of Wm., John or Thomas A., and Mary were likely on their own.} Neighbours are Alexander McMullen, John Kerr, James Kerr, _ Leck, _ Johnston, Thos Goff, John Miller, John Murphy, _ Buckley, Lewis Dillman, Titus Grant, Chas Dunbrack, Alexander Grant).

Thomas Goff is in the 1861 census of Wyse's Corner sub-district, with 1 male and 2 females in the household. Philip Goff is beside him, and other neighbours include Samuel Kerr, Alexander McMullen, John Kerr, Bridget Howard, William Wyse, John Ledwedge, (Note: in the 1861 census, William Goff was enumerated with the Truro Road subdistrict, 2 males and 5 females).

Based on these names, it suggests that Thomas' home on the Guysborough Road was in the Devon/Antrim area, further east than William's grant and where the village of Goffs now resides.

Thomas died at Guysboro Road May 23, 1868. His cause of death was apoplexy (stroke). His recorded birthplace as listed in his death register was Halifax and parents were John Goff, occupation carpenter, and Ann Goff. The informant was William Goff (9 June 1868). He is buried at St. John's Anglican Cemetery, Lr. Sackville, N.S. (I. S. Smith, minister, officiating). Eleanor, wife of Thomas, died June 16, 1865 aged 65 yrs., and is buried St. John's Anglican Cemetery, Lr. Sackville.

Thomas and Eleanor raised a large family, all born at Bedford except for Catherine Elizabeth, as recorded in St. Johns Anglican Church records. Catherine Elizabeth was born at Guysborough Road (recorded as Antrim in her family bible).

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On 3 May 1823 when Thomas was 26, he married **Eleanor Holland**, daughter of Johann "Matthäus" Holland (27 Jul 1755-25 Jan 1830) & Margaret Appledore (1767-17 Jan 1820)¹, in Halifax by Rev. Parsons. Born in 1800 in Halifax NS. Eleanor died in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia, on 16 Jun 1865; she was 65. Buried in St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS.

The marriage of Thomas Goff to Eleanor, youngest daughter of Mathias Holland was reported in the Free Press, Tuesday, 13 May, 1823.

A marriage bond was signed May 2 1823.

Eleanor Goff, New Guysborough Rd., aged 65, buried June 4 1865, I. S. Smith, minister (St. Johns Church records).

¹ See **Appendix 2** page 163 for further Holland ancestry and biographical information.

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To be Let,
For one or more years,



THAT well known
INN, called the
"Nine Mile House,"
now in the occupation
of Mr Thos Goff, with
the Garden, Land, and
out houses thereunto attached.

—ALSO—



The COTTAGE, and Garden
attached thereto, and 2 small dwellings east
and west. —**LIKEWISE**—
A Dwelling, Blacksmith's shop and Gar-
den, and the use of the Blacksmith's tools.
The above premises are so well known
that a farther description is deemed unne-
cessary. Possession may be given 8th
November next. Further particulars may
be had by application at this office.
P J Holland } Administrators.
J W Merkel }
Oct 6—5w

"Nine Mile House,"



THE subscriber
having again rent-
ed the above House,
with all the grounds, &c
attached thereto, is now
fitting it up in a more
convenient style, as a Public Inn, begs leave
to inform his friends both in Town and
Country, that he will not fail to use his best
endeavours to give general satisfaction; his
Larder will be well supplied, his Liquors of
the best quality, and his Stables (which are
superior), well attended to.

**Any person found trespass-
ing on the premises, will be prosecuted as
the law directs.**


THOMAS GOFF.

Nov 20 1f



Thomas Goff

Valuable Property.



The Subscriber offers for
Sale, near the Nine-Mile River
Bridge—A Water Lot, on Bed-
ford Basin, fronting on the Wind-
sor Road 100 feet, and running 200 feet into
the Basin; there are on the premises a new
Store 30 feet square, 2 stories high, and a wharf
attached to it; the store can be made into a
good dwelling house at a small expense.

Also—One acre of Land, opposite the Nine
Mile River Bridge.

Also, **TO LET**—A Grist Mill, in good
order, about $\frac{1}{2}$ of a mile from the Basin, on the
Nine Mile River.

Also, **FOR SALE**—20 acres of Land, being
part of Lot No 1, of Windsor Road Lots, bound-
ed by the Hammond Plains Road.

Also—Part of Lot No 3, of Windsor Road
Lots, containing about 250 acres, covered with
hard and soft wood; there are on the premises,
a good frame House and Barn, and about 25
acres, fit for the plough, which cut about 14 tons
of Hay; the clearing is under a good stone wall.
There are also on the premises two Log houses
and clearings attached to each.

Also—A good Wood Lot, being part of lot
No 5 of Windsor Road lots, containing 50 acres.

Also—A Lot of Land covered with hard and
soft wood, lying between the Sandy Lake and
the Windsor Road, containing 73 acres.

Also—A Lot of Land, being part of lot No 6
of Windsor Road lots, having two fronts on the
Hammond Plains road, containing 158 acres,
covered well with timber; there are on the
premises a House, and a considerable clearing.
Any part of these lands will be sold to suit the
purchaser. Terms of sale may be known by
application to

THOMAS GOFF.

Nine Mile House, March 11, 1840.

They had the following children:

- 3 i. William (22 Jul 1823-11 Feb 1885)

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- ii. John (1826-29 Feb 1856) Born in 1826 in Bedford, Nova Scotia. John died in Goffs, NS, on 29 Feb 1856; he was 30. Buried in St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS. John was accidentally shot while hunting moose by George Logan's father (as recorded by nephew M. D. Goff, 1951) and was not married. His death is recorded in the records of St. Johns Anglican Church, Lr. Sackville, minister Thomas Maynard. His address at the time of death was Guysborough Road.
John Goff of the New Guysboro Road had petitioned for 100 acres Crown Land to the south of the Guysborough Road near a lot granted to Timothy Sullivan, to include a wild meadow, land was "unoccupied, unimproved and ungranted". It appears from the Crown Lands Information Centre documents like he made payments 15 Dec 1854 and 19 March 1855 and then the land was granted to Henry Goff Mar 19 1856 (John died 29 Feb 1856).
 - iii. Margaret (1827-7 Mar 1851) Born in 1827 in Bedford, Nova Scotia. Margaret died in Hammonds Plains, Nova Scotia, on 7 Mar 1851; she was 24. Buried in St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS.
Margaret's death is recorded in the records of St. Johns Anglican Church, Lr. Sackville, minister A. D. Gray.
- 4 iv. Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough (1828-6 Mar 1907)
- 5 v. Mary Eliza (15 May 1829-1910)
- 6 vi. Henry Mattheas (11 Apr 1833-26 Feb 1865)
- 7 vii. Phillip (11 May 1835-26 Dec 1884)
- 8 viii. Eleanor (Ellen) (22 Apr 1837-bet 1876 - 1881)
- ix. Eliza Ann (1841-5 Sep 1860) Born in 1841. Eliza Ann died on 5 Sep 1860; she was 19. Buried in St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS.
- 9 x. Catherine "Elizabeth" (4 Jun 1846-11 Jun 1913)

Third Generation

----- Family of Thomas Goff (2) & Eleanor Holland

3. William Goff (*Thomas², John¹*). Born on 22 Jul 1823 in Bedford, Nova Scotia. William died in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia, on 11 Feb 1885; he was 61. Buried in St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS. Occupation: Innkeeper, Carpenter, Farmer, Justice of The Peace. Residence: Bedford, Sackville, Goffs. Religion: Anglican.

William received a land grant of 100 acres in 1846 at Guysboro Road, three years following the land grant of Thomas in 1843 in the same area. He also received grants of 112 acres in 1857 and 90 acres in 1862, and purchased Henry Goff's 100 acres in 1862. The 11 room house built by William on the south side of the Guysborough Road on his original 100 acres was to become home to four generations of Goff's. The village of Goff's, still in existence near the Halifax Airport, is named for these founding fathers and the history of the area has been recorded by Mrs. Noreen Gray and Mrs. Annie Smith in their book, "History Along the Old Guysborough Road". They write, "The Goff's farm is now gone, having become part of the Airline Golf Course. However, this family, in giving their name to the community, will long be remembered."

William and Hannah's home stood at the junction of the road from Enfield (the Oldham Road) and the old Guysboro Road near Kelly Lake. They ran a Stage Coach Inn which was no doubt a welcome sight to travellers when they finished the first part of their journey. The early days of stage coaches in Nova Scotia were described by R.D. Evans in a paper read before the Nova Scotia Historical Society on March 20, 1936 (Collections, NSHS, 1938, Vol. 24).

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He reports that the semi-weekly Guysborough stage was established in 1861 by a man named Archibald and ran from Halifax to Musquobodoit, Guysborough, St. Mary's, Country Harbour, and Port Mulgrave. The coach set out from Dartmouth, through North Preston, and thence pursued a northerly course through the woods to emerge on the Guysboro Road at the Inn familiarly known as "Goff's", a name which became adopted for the local village and has carried on to the present time.

Archibald secured the mail route in 1862 along the Guysborough Road and including the Eastern Shore and Tangiers, and by 1879, the Goff's Inn had also become the area's post office which carried on at the same house until 1969. The house later became the home of James Ledwidge but has been left only in memory and pictures. Stories about the old property have appeared at least twice in Halifax newspapers. It was directly opposite to the Goff's school, which was for a period of time used as the community fire hall. A new fire hall and recreation centre has been built on the site of the Goff's school, directly opposite the site of the Goff's home. In 1990, Everill Goff and his sons Murray and Douglas donated a reprint of an original charcoal sketch of William and Hannah Goff to the Goffs Memorial Recreation and Fire Hall, where it now hangs.

William and his family also ran a lath and shingle mill. He was a skilled carpenter and his carpentry work is still in existence in the homes of some of his descendants. William was appointed supervisor of roads, Eastern district, Halifax Co., May 1865, and also acted as a Justice of the Peace in the area.

William Goff declared his birthplace as NS, nationality as Irish and religion as Church of England in the 1871 and 1881 census for Guysborough Road. Hannah declared her birthplace as NS, nationality as Scotch, and religion as Reformed (Wesleyan) Presbyterian. Despite a lifetime together, they were buried apart - William in the Anglican cemetery (St. John's) in Lower Sackville with his parents and siblings, Hannah in the Presbyterian cemetery in Meaghers Grant with her parents and siblings. William and brother Philip are on the same headstone. The inscription reads, "They were pleasant in their lives and in death were not divided." They died 6 weeks apart.

In the 1861 census, William Goff was enumerated with the Truro Road subdistrict, 2 males and 5 females. (Note: Thomas and Philip were in the Wyse's Corner sub-district). In the 1871 census Goff William 47, Hannah 44, Mary 17, Ellen 15, John 13, Alexanderina 11, William 8, Ernest 5, Clifford 3, Mary E 7, and Sarah Ann 4. Mary and Sarah Ann are William's brother Phillip's children. Ellen should be Eliza and William is William Miles Dickey.

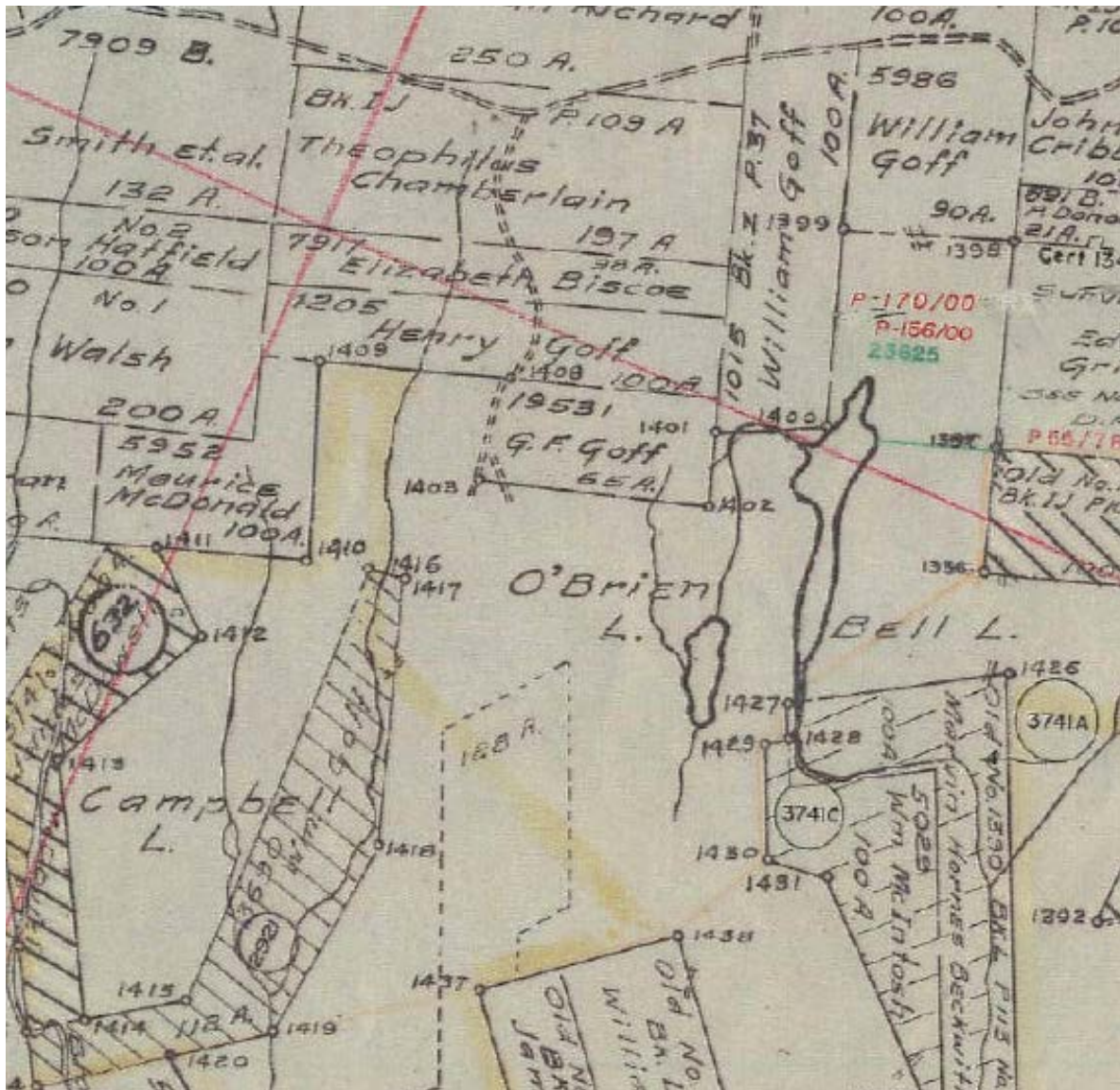
In the 1881 census Mary 27, Eliza 24, Alexa 21 (school teacher), Dickie 19, Ernest 15, and Clifford 13 are at home. Only John had left by then. It is interesting that all the children are listed as Scottish and Reformed Presbyterian, like their mother, rather than Irish, like their father.

In addition to their seven children, a girl, Mary Jane Marshall, born in Halifax, Jan. 12, 1880, was raised in the home of Mrs. Hannah Goff. She arrived in the Goff home as a small child in need of parenting and was quickly accepted as one of the family by all the Goff's throughout her lifetime. In 1900, she married Frank MacPherson and had two children, a son, Lorne, and a daughter Jennie. One of Jennie's family, Darrel, was raised by Mary. He was a victim of polio as a youth.



Goff's Post Office Cancellation, June 2, 1880

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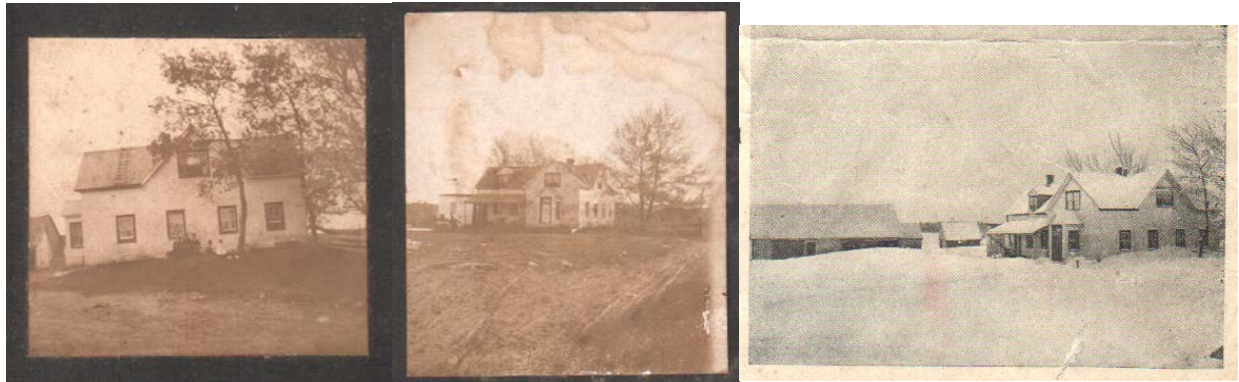
On 5 May 1853 when William was 29, he married **Hannah Ann Dickey**, daughter of Samuel Dickey (1797-13 Apr 1872) & Alexanderina MacInnes (8 Aug 1798-1841)², in Dartmouth, Nova Scotia. Born on 3 Aug 1826 in Glenmore, Musquodoboit, NS. Hannah Ann died in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia, on 26 Nov 1900; she was 74. Buried in Meaghers Grant, Halifax Co., NS. Religion: Presbyterian.

In all writings of Hannah's, also the gravestone of her father Samuel and the naming of her son Miles Dickey, the spelling "Dickey" is used. I have therefore adopted that spelling for at least her father's generation, but thereafter Dickie seems more prevalent, although both can be found.

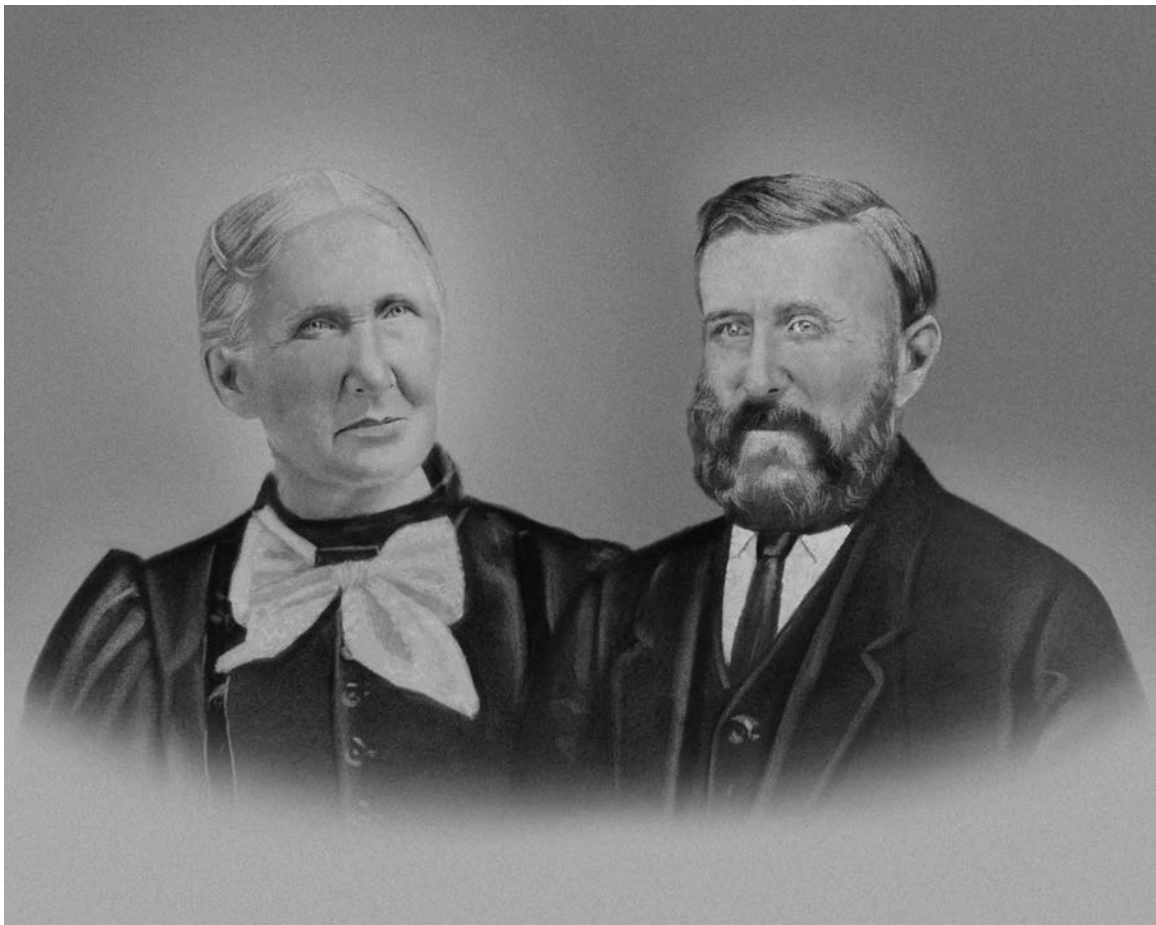
² See <http://www.gofffamilyhistory.ca/DickeyDickieFamilyColchesterNovaScotia.pdf> for a History and Descendancy of the Dickey family, <https://www.gofffamilyhistory.ca/MacInnesFamilyMusquodoboitNovaScotia.pdf> for a History and Descendancy of the MacInnes family and also **Appendix 3** page 169 for further biography and ancestry of Alexandrina MacInnes.

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1891 census Goff Hannah widow 65, Ernest 24, Clifford 23, Power Catherine 23, Marshall Mary 11.



William and Hannah (Dickey) Goff's Farm, circa 1870's-1880's.



William and Hannah (Dickey) Goff, charcoal-enhanced portrait.

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St. John's Church, Lower Sackville



Meagher's Grant Cemetery

They had the following children:

- 10**
 - i. Mary Eleanor (24 Feb 1854-27 Feb 1890)
 - ii. Eliza Ann. Born on 18 Oct 1855 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. Eliza Ann died in Milford Station, Nova Scotia, on 15 Dec 1922; she was 67. Buried in Milford Station Cemetery, Hants Co., NS. Residence: Fall River, MA (1880). She was never married. Referred to as "Aunt Lyde", Eliza was never married. She lived in Rhode Island and Massachusetts until her retirement and then came to Milford Station, N.S. where she lived with Flora (Goff) Wardrope, her niece. She died at the Victoria General Hospital in Halifax and is buried in Milford Station. She was remembered as a stern woman of strong moral character.

1880 census Fall River, Bristol, MA, living as servant, ae 24 bp NS, with Charles and Rhoda Case. However, she was in the 1881 census with Nova Scotia, at home.

1900 US census, Providence, Rhode Island, Eliza is living with William John Eastham, widow of her cousin Sarah Annie Goff (dau. of Phillip), and Clifford, 9, Gertrude, 8.

Sailing lists from Nova Scotia to Boston:

1896: Miss E A Gough, age 40, female, nationality N. S., last residence: R. I. destination: R. I., occupation :Tourist
 Clifford Eastham age 6, male, nationality Ame., last residence: R. I. destination: R. I., occupation: Tourist
 Gurtrude Eastham age 4, female, nationality N. S., last residence: R. I. destination: R. I., occupation: Tourist

1902: Miss E A Goff age 38, female, single, tourist, able to read and write: yes, nationality: Can, last residence: Can, sea port for landing: Boston, final destination in the U. S.: Mass.

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Clifford Eastham age 12, female, single, tourist, able to read and write: yes, nationality: U S, last residence :U S, sea port for landing: Boston, final destination in the U. S.: Mass.
 Gurtie Eastham age 10, female, single, tourist, able to read and write: yes, nationality: U S , last residence: U S, sea port for landing: Boston, final destination in the U. S.: Mass.

1919 14 Sep US border crossing Vanceboro, ME, Eliza A Goff b. 1855 Nova Scotia,
 Departure Contact Name: Brother Miles D; Arrival Contact Name: Nephew D W
 Stoddard (Daniel Stoddard md to Martha Thomson, d/o her aunt Mary Goff)



Eliza Ann Goff



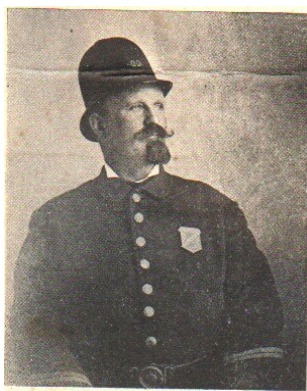
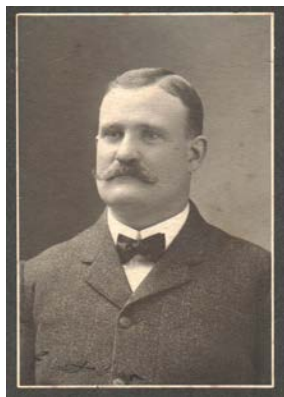
Milford Station Cemetery

- 11** iii. John Anthony Holland (26 Jul 1857-15 Nov 1916)
- 12** iv. Hannah "Alexanderana" (27 Oct 1859-3 Jul 1915)
- 13** v. William Miles Dickey "MD" (14 Jun 1862-10 Mar 1960)
- vi. Ernest Simpson. Born on 26 May 1866 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. Ernest Simpson died in Enfield, Nova Scotia, on 27 Dec 1938; he was 72. Buried in Meaghers Grant, Halifax Co., NS. Residence: US (1885), NS (Early 1930s). He was never married. Ernest Simpson Goff, known as "Uncle Jerry", was a police officer with the Boston City Police all of his working life. He carried the name Jerry for many years but its source is unknown. While in Boston, his niece Gladys Goff, Clifford's daughter, lived with him in Medford, MA, as did Charles Goff, his nephew, John's son. His house was left to Gladys when he left the area.

1900 census Somerville, boarder with Patrick and Ellen Keefe, occupation policeman.

1930 census, Medford, Goff Charles H, 43 (md. at 35), Salesman, Mary E wife, 49 (md. at 41), Ernest Goff, Uncle, 63, single, Watchman-banking.

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Ernest Simpson Goff, as a young man, a Boston police officer and a senior.

Meagher's Grant Cemetery

Upon retirement in the early 1930's, Ernest Simpson Goff returned to live in a small house, the "House by the Side of the Road", at Goff's. He was never married. He became ill in 1936 and moved to Enfield where he died at a nursing home. His funeral was held from the home of his brother M.D. Goff in Milford Station. He was buried in Meaghers Grant near his mother and her family. His cabin was left to his niece Edna, Clifford's daughter, and was moved to Musquodoboit Harbour where Edna lived for many years. "Uncle Jerry" was remembered as a fun loving, care free person and had a warm, friendly relationship with all of his family.

14 vii. Clifford Francklyn (20 May 1868-13 Oct 1930)

4. Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough (*Thomas Goff², John Goff¹*). Born in 1828 in Bedford, Nova Scotia. Thomas Anthony died in Halifax, Nova Scotia, on 6 Mar 1907; he was 79. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, NS.

Thomas and Isabella were married and had their first 5 children (Jessie, Margaret, Sarah, Nicholas Holland Howe and Thomas Henry) baptized all on Oct. 10, 1869 at St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS, I. S. Smith, officiating (parents recorded as Thomas Anthony Gough and Isabella Gough). Their son Nicholas was born in Hammonds Plains in 1867. Following this time, they moved to Almon Street, Halifax (1868-9). All of their family adopted the spelling of GOUGH, although the reason for the change is not clear.

1871 census, Halifax West, Thomas GOUGH 39 , C. of England, Irish, Carpenter , Isabella GOUGH 27, Jessie GOUGH 9, Margaret GOUGH 7, Sarah GOUGH 6, Nicholas GOUGH 4, Henry GOUGH 2, John GOUGH 2/12 (Febry).

1881 census, Ward No. 6, Halifax, Thomas GOUGH , 50 , Carpenter , Methodist , Isabela GOUGH 38, Margret GOUGH 16, Sarah GOUGH 14, Howe GOUGH 13, Henry T. GOUGH 12, John B. GOUGH 10, Arthur M. GOUGH 8, Daniel S. GOUGH 6, Alfred G. GOUGH 2.

1891 census, Ward No. 6, Halifax, Gough Thomas 62 , Carpenter , Methodist , Isabella 48, Henry 23 Carpenter,

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John 20 Cotton weaver, Arthur 19 Cotton spinner, Daniel 16 Cotton cander, Alfred 12, Phillip 9, Sarah Flack (dau.) 25 widow Cotton weaver, Bella 4 b.NS, Joseph 2 b. Egypt.

Thomas and Isabella are in the 1901 census of Halifax, Ward 6, f-7, pg. 22, with children Arthur, T. Henry, John B., Daniel L., Alfred G., Philip A., dau. Sarah Flack, widow, and 2 of her children.

McAlpine's 1907-08 Halifax Directory shows Gough, Alfred G, dairyman, 164 Almon; Gough, Daniel S, carpenter, 164 Almon; Gough, Isabel, wid Thomas, 164 Almon; Gough, John B, blacksmith 164 Almon; Gough, Nicholas H, carpenter 114 Almon; Gough Philip A, dairyman, 164 Almon; Gough, Thomas H, carpenter, 164 Almon.

Gough -Isabel, Henry, John, Alfred Gil, Philip and Joseph Flack (grandson) are in the 1911 census together in one household, beside William and Isabel Greening, Sarah's daughter.

On 10 Oct 1869 when Thomas Anthony was 41, he married **Isabella Boutilier**, daughter of John David Boutilier & Hannah Catherine Boutilier (18 Mar 1804-), in Hammonds Plains, N.S. Born on 21 May 1843 in St. Margarets Bay. Isabella died in Halifax, Nova Scotia, on 17 Aug 1933; she was 90. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, NS.

Isabella Gough is remembered as a very strong matriarch of the family. She raised her own large family and several of her grandchildren as well, including Joseph Flack and Jean and Kathleen Gough, after their parents were killed in the Halifax explosion.

1921 census Halifax John B Gough 49, Thomas Henry Gough 52 brother, Joseph Fleck 33 cousin, Jean Gough 10 niece, Kathleen Gough 8 niece, Isabel Gough 77 mother.

Her death certificate (NS Historical Vital Statistics) lists date and place of birth and death, residence 623 Robie St. and names of parents, David Boutilier, b. St. Margarets Bay, and Hannah Boutilier, b. St. Margarets Bay. Informant John Gough, 623 Robie St., son.

For a Boutilier genealogy, see <http://www.rootsweb.com/~canns/lunenburg/boutilier.html>

They had the following children:

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| 15 | i. | Jessie Gough (12 Jun 1862-7 May 1936) |
| 16 | ii. | Margaret ("Meg") Gough (10 Jul 1864-3 Dec 1948) |
| 17 | iii. | Sarah Ellen Gough (11 Oct 1865-13 Jun 1941) |
| 18 | iv. | Nicholas Holland Howe Gough (Feb 1867-3 Jan 1966) |
| | v. | Thomas "Henry" (Hen) Gough. Born on 10 Aug 1868 in Hammonds Plains, N.S. Thomas "Henry" (Hen) died in Halifax, N.S., on 5 Oct 1930; he was 62. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S. Occupation: Carpenter. He was never married. |
| | vi. | John Bartholomew Gough. Born on 7 Jan 1871 in Halifax, N.S. John Bartholomew died in Halifax, NS, on 5 Jan 1940; he was 68. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S. Occupation: Blacksmith. He was never married.
1921 census Halifax John B Gough 49, Thomas Henry Gough 52 brother, Joseph Fleck 33 cousin, Jean Gough 10 niece, Kathleen Gough 8 niece, Isabel Gough 77 mother. |
| 19 | vii. | Arthur McQuaid Gough (6 Jun 1872-10 Jan 1918) |
| | viii. | Daniel S. Gough. Born on 24 Sep 1874 in Halifax, N.S. Daniel S. died on 15 Dec 1956; he was 82. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S. Occupation: Carpenter. 1921 census Daniel Gough 47, Nellie 40. |

On 2 Jan 1911 in Boston, MA, when he was 36, Daniel S. married **Nellie Johnson**. Born

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- ix. 1874, Halifax. Daughter of William P. Johnson and Susan Fitzgerald (MA Marriages). Hanson Gough (Died as Infant). Born in Mar 1876 in Halifax, N.S. Hanson died in Halifax, N.S., on 8 Jun 1876; he was <1. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S.
Died in influenza epidemic.
- x. Alfred Gilpin "Gil" Gough. Born on 21 Sep 1878 in Halifax, N.S. Alfred Gilpin "Gil" died in Halifax, N.S., on 26 Nov 1916; he was 38. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S. Occupation: Milkman. He was never married.
- 20 xi. Dr. Philip Anthony Gough (27 Nov 1881-3 May 1939)

5. Mary Eliza Goff (*Thomas², John¹*). Born on 15 May 1829 in Sackville, Nova Scotia. Mary Eliza died in Hammond's Plains, Halifax Co., NS, on 20 Aug 1910; she was 81. Buried in Hammond's Plains Baptist Cemetery, NS. Religion: Church Of England (1881, 1891 Census).

Baptized by Rev. McConolly, St Johns Anglican church. Mary listed her nationality as Irish in the 1871 and 1881 census of Hammonds Plains.

On 14 Apr 1853 when Mary Eliza was 23, she married **Charles D. Thomson** in Hammond's Plains, NS. Born in 1827. Charles D. died on 3 Jul 1898; he was 71. Buried in Hammond's Plains Baptist Cemetery, NS. Occupation: Farmer (1871), Cooper (1881, 1891). Religion: Baptist (1871, 1881 And 1891 Census). Residence: Hammonds Plains.

1881 census Hammond's Plains: Charles Thomson, 54 (Scottish, Cooper, Baptist), Mary (Irish, Church of England), 50, Mary E., 26, Selina H., 22, Martha E., 19, Tremaine T. (Cooper), 17, Ada E., 14, Ethel S., 11, Emma S., 9, David, 5, Mary Holland, Widow, Irish, ae. 82, b. NS, (Church of England).

In 1891, David Bambrick age 15 is in the home of Charles Thomson, age 63, and Mary (Goff) age 61, Hammonds Plains, with Martha Thomson 28, and Emma Thomson 18. Mary Thomson was David's aunt.

A letter from June Mortimer, wife of LeRoy Goff Mortimer, states " Roy's mother and Roy were very close to the Thomson 'girls' (note they used the older spelling). I believe there were five of them - Martha Stoddard, Alice Pulsifer, Emma Boutilier, Mary and Lina. I knew Martha, Alice, and Lina. They were lovely, lovely women. Martha Stoddard and Alice Pulsifer both had a hand in the raising of Laird Boutilier."

They had the following children:

- i. Mary E. (Molly). Born in 1853 in Hammond's Plains, NS. Mary E. (Molly) died in Hammond's Plains, NS, on 30 Apr 1940; she was 87. Buried in Hammonds Plains Baptist.
Amos Thomas, 38, widower, farmer, b. Hammonds Plains, res. Hammonds Plains, son of John and Mary, groom, Mary E Thompson, 36, b. Hammonds Plains, spinster, dau. of Charles and Mary, bride, witnessed by Emma Thomson and William Pulsifer (NS Historical Vital Statistics)

On 4 Feb 1890 when Mary E. (Molly) was 37, she married **Amos Thomas** in Halifax Baptist. Born on 19 Apr 1851 in Hammonds Plains, N.S. Amos died in 1904; he was 52. Buried in Hammonds Plains Baptist.

1901 Hammonds Plains census Amos, 49, b. Apr 19, 1851, Mary, wife, 45, b. June 20 1855, Kesih R., dau. single, 20, b. Dec. 10, 1880, Clark, son, single, 20, b. Jan. 2 1881, Blake, son, 19, b. Mar 4 1882, Roy J., son, 16, b. May 24, 1885.

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1911 census Hammonds Plains, Blake Thomas, head, single, 29, b. Mar 1882, Kezia, sister, single, 31, b. Dec. 1879, Roy, brother, single, 27 b. May 1884, Mary, mother, widowed, 57, b. June 1853.

Hammonds Plains Baptist cemetery: Thomas, Clark R. 1881-1924, Bertha, his wife, 1881-1917, Children George and Ernest. Clark also had a son Amos by his first wife.

Thomas John "Roy", 1884-1960
Grace Florence Romans 1896-1988, wife

Thomas, E. Blake 1882-1959
His wife, Nellie Beatrice 1891-1966

- Roy and Blake were brothers of Clark.
- ii. Alice T. Born on 11 Nov 1856 in Hammond's Plains, NS. Alice T. died in Hammond's Plains, NS, on 30 Mar 1936; she was 79.
William Pulsifer 30 and wife Alice T. 33 are in the 1891 census Hammonds Plains.

Alice Pulsifer, Widow, age 42, b. Nov 11, 1858 is in the 1901 census for Hammond's Plains, beside Tremaine Thomson and beside Mary Thomson's.

On 21 Aug 1889 when Alice T. was 32, she married **John W. Pulsifer** in Hammonds Plains Baptist. Born in 1860. John W. died on 22 Jan 1901; he was 41. Buried in Hammonds Plains Baptist Cemetery. Occupation: Miller.

Born Hammonds Plains, son of Nelson (occupation shoemaker) and Nancy. Marriage witnessed by Tremaine and Jessie Thomson (NS Historical Vital Statistics). There is a William J. Pulsifer buried in Hammonds Plains Baptist Cemetery, d. Jan. 22, 1901, aged 41 years.

- iii. Louis L. (Died as Child). Born in 1858. Louis L. died in 1871; he was 13. Buried in Hammonds Plains Baptist Cemetery, N.S.
- iv. Selina (Lina) H. Born in 1859. Died in Malden, Mass., USA, on 25 Apr 1918; she was 59. Buried in Forest Dale Cemetery, Malden. She was never married.
- v. Martha A. Born on 26 Nov 1864 in Hammonds Plains, N.S. Martha A. died in Providence, Rhode Island, on 24 Oct 1927; she was 62. Buried in Lakeside Cemetery, Providence. Occupation: Nurse (1908).
1910 census Providence Rhode Island Daniel W Stoddard 47 (b. Rhode Island), Martha A Stoddard 45 (b. Canada, immigration 1900), D Everett Stoddard 18 (b. Rhode Island), son - Note: son of Daniel but not Martha.
1915 census Providence Rhode Island Daniel W Stoddard 50, Martha A Stoddard 50, Frank Knight, 26, b. NS, boarder.
1920 census Providence Rhode Island Daniel W Stoddard 56, Martha A Stoddard 55 (b. NS 1865).
1925 census Providence Rhode Island Daniel W Stoddard, head, 60, Martha A T Stoddard wife b. NS, 61, Charles L Boutilier, nephew, b. NS, 12.

On 15 Aug 1908 when Martha A. was 43, she married **Daniel Stoddard** in Boston, MA. Born in Feb 1863 in Providence, Rhode Island. Daniel died in 1948; he was 84.

Marriage 24 Nov 1887 to Henrietta Pierce (1862-1909), two children Daniel Everett (1892-1918), Ethel M (1898-1909). Widower at time of marriage to Martha Thomson in

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1908.

Lakeside Cemetery, East Providence, RI
STODDARD DANIEL W 1863-1948
STODDARD MARTHA A T

- vi. Tremaine Twining. Born on 29 May 1864. Tremaine Twining died in Hammonds Plains, N.S., on 17 Oct 1945; he was 81. Buried in Hammonds Plains Baptist Cemetery, N.S. Occupation: Cooper (1891 Census). Residence: Hammonds Plains. Tremaine ran a barrel factory in Hammond's Plains. There was close connection between Tremaine and the older generation of Goff's. He had no family.

His marriages to Jessie T. Bigby and Minnie B. Mader were recorded in the NS Vital Statistics.

1901 census Hammond's Plains, between Alice Pulsifer and David Thomson: Thomson T T, Male, Head, Married, b. May 29, 1864, ae 36, Thomson Jessie B T, Female, Wife, b. Aug 12 1864, ae. 36.

1911 census Hammond's Plains, Thomson Tremaine, Head, b. May, 1865, ae. 46, Minnie, Wife, b. May, 1877, ae. 34.

On 26 Jun 1889 when Tremaine Twining was 25, he first married **Jessie T. Bigby**. Born on 12 Aug 1864. Jessie T. died on 22 Dec 1905; she was 41. Buried in Hammonds Plains Baptist Cemetery, N.S.

- vii. On 17 Jun 1908 when Tremaine Twining was 44, he second married **Minnie B. Mader** in Mahone Bay, NS. Born on 28 May 1877 in Mahone Bay, NS. Minnie B. died in Hammonds Plains, N.S., on 22 May 1956; she was 78. Buried in Mahone Bay, NS.
Ada Eleanor. Born on 17 Feb 1867 in Bedford, N.S. Ada Eleanor died in Malden, Massachusetts, in 1935; she was 67. Buried in Forest Dale Cemetery, Malden. Residence: US, 1885. She was never married.
Malden (1900 Census, Single, With Sister Ethel, Malden, Single)
US Naturalization, Mar 31, 1924, 17 Prescott St., Malden, MA, Unmarried, bookkeeper.
1930 US census Malden, MA Ellen T Rich 87, Hattie M Rich 56, Eva L Carver 69 Henry D. Carver 74, Ada E Thomson 63 (clerk, coal office, lodger).

Forest Dale Cemetery, Malden, MA Ada E Thomson 1867-1935, on stone of Joseph Smith Rich 1835-1900, his wife Ellen Troward Prior 1842-1936, Hattie M Rich 1874-1942.

- viii. Ethel S. Born on 10 Mar 1870 in Hammond's Plains, NS. Ethel S. died in Providence, RI, on 24 Jan 1936; she was 65. Residence: US, 1888.
Malden (1900 Census, Single, With Sister Ada)

1920 and 1930 census Providence Rhode Island Frank H Knight 42, b. Rhode Island, Ethel S. Knight 60, b. Canada (immigration 1889) - no children listed.

In Lakeside - Carpenter Cemetery, East Providence, Rhode Island, head stone for Frank H. Knight (no dates), his wife Ethel S. Thomson, d. Jan. 24, 1936.

Ethel S. married **Frank Knight**. Born in 1889.

In 1915, Frank Knight, born NS, age 26, was a boarder with Daniel and Martha Stoddard

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- 21 ix. (Ethel's older sister), Providence, RI.
 x. Emma Sophia (25 Oct 1875-3 Nov 1945)
 David. Born on 20 Sep 1877.
 1901 Census, Hammond's Plains, beside Tremaine Thomson: Thomson David, Male, Head, Single, b. Sep 20, 1877, ae. 24, Thomson Martha, Sister, Single, b. Nov 26, 1864, ae. 36, Thomson Emma, Sister, Single, b. Oct 25, 1875, ae., 25, Thomson Mary E, Mother, Widow, b. Oct 25, 1831, ae. 69, Thomson Benj, Male, Servant, Widow, b. Sep 25, 1831, ae. 69.

They are not in the 1911 census. Nothing further of David is known or has been found.

6. Henry Mattheas Goff (*Thomas², John'*). Born on 11 Apr 1833 in Bedford (Nine Mile House), Nova Scotia. Henry Mattheas died in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia, on 24 Feb 1865; he was 31. Buried in St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS. Occupation: Farmer.

The record of Henry's baptism by A.D. Gray at Sackville was located. His first marriage license, 1858, was located at the Nova Scotia Historical Vital Statistics resource, witness was Philip Goff. Henry was granted 100 acres on the south side of the New Guysboro Road, 18 June 1858, and was listed at the time as a farmer. Ann Goff died in 1860 (St. John's Church records). He married Catherine Gates in 1862, a sister of brother Philip's wife.

John Henry Goff, son of Henry and Catherine, was baptized Jan. 28, 1865 (I. S. Smith, officiating). Henry lived on Guysborough Rd. and was a farmer at that time. Note that Henry died one month later. Henry's death is recorded on 24 Feb 1865, Oldham, cause of death Neuralgia, informant Cath. E. Goff. The NS Historical Vital Statistics show a Louisa Ann Goff, b. 16 Sep. 1865, Oldham, d/o Henry Goff, farmer, and Catherine Gates, registered by Catherine Goff. Henry would have been deceased by then.

On 30 Dec 1858 when Henry Mattheas was 25, he first married **Ann Boutilier**. Born in 1841. Ann died in 1860; she was 19. Buried on 5 Sep 1860 in St. Johns Anglican, Lower Sackville, NS. Residence: Guysborough Road.

Marriage from NS Historical Vital Statistics, witness was Philip Goff. Death from St. John's Church records, W. R. Cochran, minister.

On 2 Dec 1862 when Henry Mattheas was 29, he second married **Catherine Elizabeth Gates** in Dartmouth, NS. Born on 9 Apr 1837 in New Ross, NS. Catherine Elizabeth died in Braidwood, Will Co., IL, on 9 Nov 1886; she was 49. Buried in Oakwood Cemetery, Braidwood, Will Co., IL.

"Catherine Elizabeth Gates born 9 Apr 1837 and Sarah Ann born 20 Aug 1840 New Ross Nova Scotia Canada were children of John Henry Gates (1801-1879) and his wife Harriett Ann Reece (1812-1901) who was the daughter of Jacob and Catherine Myers d 1881 at 95 years old. John Henry Gates, New Ross, was the son of Joseph Gates and Mary Ann Grogan, Lunenburg Co. There was another sister Mary Eliza b. 1849 married George Dunham lived in South Carver Mass" (Note Philip Goff had Mary Gates age 20 with him as housekeeper in 1871 census, so likely younger sister of his late wife). Also a son John Henry Jr. (hhenigar)

William John McK. Goff (illegitimate), b. 5 Feb. 1868, Oldham, Catherine E. Goff, mother (NSHVS). Curiously, it has parents marriage date as May 7, 1860, but no father or other surname listed.

27 Jan 1870 by licence Ch. Of England, Halifax, Henry Canfield Bachelor 24 res Oldham miner b. Wallace, Joshua and Isabella Canfield, parents, Farmer, married to Catherine Goff, Spinster, 26, res Oldham, John and Harriet Goff parents, farmer, Witnesses P. Goff and M. E. Gates, Rev. I. C. Cochran.

- There must be some stretching of the truth here. Catherine was actually widow, age 33, parents John and Harriett

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Gates. Philip Goff was brother-in-law and Mary Gates a sister.

1871 census Wallace, Cumberland Co. Canfield Joshua 60, Isabelle Ann 50, George 29, James 27, Henry 26, Catherine E. 34 (German origin), John G. 7, Ann G. 5, William 3, Mary 20, Lydia 17, Asher(?) Male 19.
- This must be John Henry Goff age 7, Louisa Ann Goff age 5, and William John McK. Goff age 3.

Joshua A. Canfield b. 3 Jun 1871 Waverly, parents Henry A. Canfield, Catherine Goff,
Sarah H. Canfield, b. 20 Aug 1873 Westville, Pictou, parents Henry A. and Catherine.
Stephen H. Canfield, b. 1 Aug 1875, Westville, Pictou, parents Henry A. and Catherine Gates
(NSHVS)

1880 US census Braidwood, Will, Illinois. Canfield H. A. head 36 barber b. Nova Scotia, C. E. wife 43 keeping house b. Nova Scotia, John H. 16 son miner, Annie 15 daughter keeping house, William 13 son, Sarah 9 daughter, Stephen 5 son, Joseph Arnold 9/12.

Joseph Arnold Canfield, died July 30 1880 aged 10 Months, 13 Days
Catherine Canfield wife of H. A. Canfield died Nov. 9 1886 aged 49 years 7 months,
(Oakwood Cemetery, Braidwood, Will Co., IL)

Sarah Craver, wife of Charles Craver, died 16 Dec 1944 age 71, Gardner, IL, b. 20 Aug 1873, Nova Scotia, parents Henry Canfield Catherine Gates, buria Braceville-Garner Cemetery, Braceville, IL.
Sarah Sybil Canfield m. 22 Apr. 1897, Grundy, IL to Charles Henry Craver, age 33. Bride's parents Henry Canfield Maria (sic) Gates.

Henry Arnold Canfield died 27 Dec 1916, Joliet, IL, b. Nova Scotia, father Joshua, occupation barber, burial Oakwood (Illinois deaths).

In the "Descendents of Stephen Canfield" book published by Joyce Aitchison Wills and Irvine Canfield Scarlett it says Joshua H. Canfield (21 May 1811 - 4 Sept 1897) and Sibbil Anne Jeffrey of Bedeque PEI (22 Oct 1822 - 11 Nov 1908) had 11 children.

1. Isaac George Canfield (7 Sept. 1842 - 1917)
2. James MacKay Canfield (12 Feb 1844)
3. Henry Arnold Canfield (14 Oct 1845 - 27 Dec 1916)
4. Stephen Canfield (22 Dec 1847 - 19 Jan 1848)
5. Mary Jane Canfield (27 May 1849)
6. Asher Black Canfield (21 Jan 1852 - 18 Aug 1881)
7. Lydia Miller Canfield (21 Nov 1853 - 24 Feb 1942)
8. Susannah Elizabeth Canfield (7 Nov 1855 - 14 Apr 1881)
9. Matilda Fulton Canfield (5 June 1858 - 1946)
10. Harriet Adelia Canfield (1 Mar 1860 - 6 Apr 1950)
11. William Nicholson Canfield (11 May 1865)

Joshua's parents were Stephen Canfield Jr. (7 Jul 1784 - 30 Nov 1872) and Mary Arnold
Joshua's grandparents were Stephen Canfield U.E.L. (1752 - 12 Oct 1841) and Mary Bertice Pierce (1755-31 Aug 1830)

1910 US census, Braceville, Grundy, IL, Canfield Henry 54 Head married 23 years b. Canada English barber US immigration 1878, Sophia C. 45 wife, b. Wales immigration 1884, Arnold H. 19 son b. Illinois.

Henry and Catherine had the following children:

- i. John Henry Goff (Canfield). Born on 15 Feb 1864 in Goffs, Hfx. Co., N.S.
- ii. Louisa "Ann" Goff (Canfield). Born on 16 Sep 1865 in Oldham, Hfx. Co., NS.

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John and Ann were identified in the 1871 census in Wallace, Cumberland Co. and again in the 1880 census of Braidwood, Illinois with their mother and step father Henry Canfield. They may have gone by the surname Canfield. See above for details.

7. Phillip Goff (*Thomas², John¹*). Born on 11 May 1835 in Sackville, Nova Scotia. Phillip died in Waverly, Nova Scotia, on 26 Dec 1884; he was 49. Buried in St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS. Occupation: Farmer, Day Labourer (1871 Census), Butcher (1881 Census). Residence: Guysborough Rd. (1860), Waverley.

Phillip's life was not blessed with good fortune. He was married in 1860, and they had children born in 1862, 1864, and 1865, but then the baby died, age 5 months, and their oldest child died in 1866. They had another baby in 1867, but then Sarah died April 13, 1867, a complication of the childbirth. The NS Historical Vital Statistics show a Sarah Ann Goff, b. 13 Apr. 1867, d/o Philip Goff, mail carrier, Waverley, and Sarah Ann, mother. The two remaining children were with William and Hannah in 1871. Philip declared himself as a widower in both the 1871 and 1881 census. He also declared his nationality as Irish. He was living with Mary Gates, age 20, housekeeper, in the 1871 census (may have been his wife's younger sister or a niece?), and with daughters Mary, age 17, and Sarah, age 14, in the 1881 census. It was reported to us by his granddaughter, Gertrude Graham, that Phillip was twice married. This note was also made by Miles D. Goff in handwritten notes about his father's family. He married Kate A. Reeves in 1882 (NS marriage records) and her name was also provided by Agnes MacDonald, great granddaughter of Phillip's brother Thomas. Nicholas Gough and Maggie Gough (cousins) were witnesses. A note in the 1880 diary of William Goff recorded the visit of Uncle Phillip and Aunt Kattie on the 18th of March (but they weren't married until 1882?). A note in the same diary recorded the visit of Phillip and Sarah (daughter) on May 29, 1880 to the home of William Goff. Phillip died in 1884, aged 49. He is buried at St. John's Anglican, Lr. Sackville, and recorded on the same stone as brother William. The inscription reads, "They were pleasant in their lives and in death were not divided." They died 6 weeks apart.



On 25 Oct 1860 when Phillip was 25, he first married **Sarah Ann Gates** in St. John's Angl., Cornwallis, NS. Born in 1840 in Sherbrooke, NS. Sarah Ann died in Waverly, NS, on 13 Apr 1867; she was 27. Buried in St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS.

They had the following children:

- i. William Henry (Died as Child). Born in Feb 1862 in Waverley, N.S. William Henry died in Waverley, N.S., on 30 Sep 1866; he was 4. Buried in St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS.
William Henry Goff, Waverly, was buried Sept. 30, 1866, aged 4 years, 7 months, I. S.

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Smith, minister (St. Johns Church records). Remembered on the same headstone as his mother Sarah Goff, formerly at St. John's Anglican Church, Lr. Sackville, NS, now lost.

- 22 ii. Mary Ellen (May 1863-1951)
- iii. James Augustus (Died as Infant). Born in Jul 1865 in Waverley, N.S. James Augustus died in Waverley, N.S., on 28 Nov 1865; he was <1. He was buried St. John's Anglican Cemetery, Lr. Sackville (I. S. Smith, minister), and remembered on the same headstone as grandmother Eleanor Goff.
- 23 iv. Sarah Ann ("Annie") (13 Apr 1867-28 Nov 1895)

On 22 Jul 1882 when Phillip was 47, he second married **Kate A. Reeves**. Born in 1857 in Waverley, NS.

Kate (spinster at marriage) was daughter of James and Elizabeth. There was a Reeves family in Oldham, well known to the Goffs, likely Kate was from this family.

8. Eleanor (Ellen) Goff (*Thomas², John¹*). Born on 22 Apr 1837 in Sackville, Nova Scotia. Eleanor (Ellen) died in Bay Of Islands (Corner Brook), Newfoundland, on 11 Nov 1877; she was 40.

"Ellen (Goff) Bambrick died 11 Nov 1877 at Bay of Islands, Newfoundland in her 40th year, w/o James Bambrick, formerly of Meagher's Grant-leaving husband and five children." (Presbyterian Witness) From Provincial Archives of Nova Scotia via Cyril Cole, Jan. 7, 2015. Cyril tried to find if she had died in Corner Brook and checked cemeteries, but no luck. A few years ago he found out the old cemetery in Corner Brook had been moved. When digging up the graves, all of the gravestones were broken, believe this was in the 1960's.

Ellen and James Bambrick were living in Sheet Harbour NS, according to stated birth of dau. Elizabeth Mary in 1871 and Margaret Ellen in 1873, but they were not found in 1871 census of Sheet Harbour or any of that shore or Wyse's Corner, Little River, Meagher's Grant, Middle or Upper Musquodoboit. According to the NS Historical Vital Statistics marriage register and birth register, son David was born in Bay of Islands, Newfoundland (west coast, Corner Brook area) in 1876 and a baby daughter b. 1877 in Corner Brook, died 1879 and is bur. in Meaghers Grant - so Ellen may have died as a complication of childbirth. James was a widower in 1881 census, so perhaps they had gone to Newfoundland between 1873 and 1876, Ellen died soon after Maria was born, and James returned to his home area by 1879. James was working at lumbering in Sheet Harbour, and many men went from Nova Scotia to the Corner Brook area to be involved in the lumbering business at that time.

On 12 Jul 1866 when Eleanor (Ellen) was 29, she married **James Bambrick**, son of David Deal Bambrick (1813-31 Aug 1889) & Maria Rielly (-1850), in Dartmouth, NS. Born on 7 Mar 1840 in Meaghers Grant, NS. James died in Elderbank, Hfx. Co., NS, on 15 Aug 1917; he was 77. Buried in Elderbank, Hfx. Co., NS.

The marriage of James Bambrick 26, b. Musquodoboit, s/o David and M. Bambrick, to Eleanor Goff 28, b. Waverley, d/o Thos. and E. Goff, is recorded in the Nova Scotia Historical Vital Statistics, 12 July 1866, Dartmouth

James Bambrick's family has not been found in the 1871 census of Halifax Co.: Sheet Harbour, Wyse's Corner, Little River, Middle Musquodoboit, Gay's River. Some time between 1873 and 1876, they were lumbering in Bay of Islands, Newfoundland. After the death of Eleanor, David returned to Meagher's Grant before 1881.

From the 1881 census, Wyse's Corner,
 James BAMBRICK Widower Male Irish 41 b. Nova Scotia Farmer C. Presbyterian
 William BAMBRICK Male Irish 14 Nova Scotia Son C. Presbyterian
 Elizabeth M BAMBRICK Female Irish 10 Nova Scotia C. Presbyterian
 Margret E BAMBRICK Female Irish 8 Nova Scotia C. Presbyterian

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David BAMBRICK Male Irish 5 Nova Scotia C. Presbyterian

In the 1891 census, Bambrick James 51 Emma 35, Roy 5/12. Maggie Bambrick 18 is in the home of John McFetridge, Middle Musquodoboit. David Bambrick age 15 is in the home of Charles Thomson, age 63, and Mary (Goff) age 61, Hammonds Plains, with Martha Thomson 28, and Emma Thomson 18. Mary Thomson was David's aunt. No further record of William has been found.

1901 census, Elderbank

Bambrick James, M, Head, M, Mar 7 1840, 61

Bambrick Emma, F, Wife, M, Jun 21 1859, 41

Bambrick Roy M, M, Son, S, Oct 28 1891, 10

Bambrick Leona ?, F, Daughter, S, Oct 11, 1894, 7

Bambrick Alice G, F, Daughter, S, Aug 4, 1897, 4

The same family members are also in the 1911 census.

St. Andrew's United Church Cemetery, Elderbank

BAMBRICK, James b. 1840 d. 1917

BAMBRICK, Emma b. 1859 d. 1943

BAMBRICK, Freda b. 1920 d. 1975, wife of George V. MEAGHER; granddaughter of James & Emma BAMBRICK

They had the following children:

- i. William. Born on 31 Jul 1867 in Halifax NS. William died in Eureka, CA, in 1930; he was 62. He was never married.
William Bambrick can be found in Alberta census data: Ponoka, AB (1901), Red Deer District (1911), Strathcona (1916, 1921) - Single, B. NS, 31 Jul 1871. Birth year doesn't match, but date does.

On 16 Jan 1925, he arrived at Eastport, Idaho on his way to live with his uncle David Bambrick in Eureka, Humboldt, California and planned to become a US citizen. From 1925 to 1929 he was living in Eureka and could have died in Eureka between 1929, when U.S. City Director was taken, and 8 Apr 1930, when the U.S. census was taken. He never married. (Cyril Cole)

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| 24 | ii. | Elizabeth Mary (3 May 1871-21 Oct 1899) |
| 25 | iii. | Margaret Ellen (14 Aug 1873-17 Apr 1911) |
| 26 | iv. | David (Sep 1876-10 Nov 1918) |
| | v. | Maria Mary (Died as Infant). Born in 1877 in Corner Brook, Newfoundland. Maria Mary died in Halifax Co., NS, on 2 Nov 1879; she was 2. Buried in Meaghers Grant Cemetery. |

On 25 Oct 1887 when **James Bambrick** was 47, he second married **Emma Meagher** in Middle Musquodoboit, NS. Born on 21 Jun 1859 in Elderbank, Hfx. Co., NS. Emma died in Elderbank, Hfx. Co., NS, on 3 Jul 1943; she was 84. Daughter of James and Elizabeth (Tracey) Meagher.

St. Andrew's United Church Cemetery, Elderbank

BAMBRICK, Freda b. 1920 d. 1975 ^{SEP} wife of George V. MEAGHER; granddaughter of James & Emma BAMBRICK

They had the following children:

- i. **Roy Miller**. Born on 28 Oct 1890 in Chaswood, Halifax Co., NS. Roy Miller died in Waverley, NS, on 13 Jul 1962; he was 71. Buried in Hillcrest Memorial, Sackville, NS.

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Roy Millard Bambrick, 71, prominent Waverley resident, died suddenly at his home Friday. He was born in Chaswood, Halifax County, the son of the late James and Emma Bambrick, and had lived in Waverley for more than 35 years. An enthusiastic sportsman, he was an amateur boxer and runner in his younger days, and followed all sports. For the past 20 years he was president of the suburban hockey league. He was commissioner of the Supreme Court, a member of the Masonic Lodge AF and AM, and a former member of the Oddfellows Lodge. He was a municipal welfare worker, a member of the United Church and was employed by the CNR for more than 33 years. At the time of his retirement in 1954, he was section foreman. He leaves, besides his wife, Lucille, four daughters: Freda (Mrs. George Marr) of Waverley, Grace (Mrs. Dennis Garagan) of Halifax, Greta (Mrs. Crawford Reid) of Waverley and Shirley (Mrs. Malcolm MacLeod) of Toronto; 13 grandchildren; and two sisters; Lena (Mrs. George Gibson) of Wiseton, Sask., and Alice (Mrs. Henry Killen), Elderbank.

Family:

Freda Gertrude

Lillian Grace

Greta Hazel

Shirley Marie

(Jennie Reid's Musquodoboit Pioneers)

St. Andrew's United Church Cemetery, Elderbank

BAMBRICK, Freda b. 1920 d. 1975

wife of George V. MEAGHER; granddaughter of James & Emma BAMBRICK

On 16 Feb 1920 when Roy Miller was 29, he married **Lucilla Stewart** in Elderbank, Hfx. Co., NS. Born on 23 Dec 1902 in Upper Musquodoboit, NS. Lucilla died in Waverley, NS, on 19 Mar 1978; she was 75.

- ii. **Leona Maude**. Born on 11 Oct 1894 in Chaswood, Halifax Co., NS. Leona Maude died in Dinsmore, SK, on 29 Jan 1969; she was 74.

On 21 Dec 1932 when Leona Maude was 38, she married **George Gibson** in Saskatoon, SK. Born on 4 Aug 1885 in Aberdeenshire, Scotland. George died in Swift Current, SK, on 20 Aug 1968; he was 83.

- iii. **Alice Gertrude**. Born on 4 Aug 1897 in Little River (Elderbank), Hfx. Co., NS. Alice Gertrude died in Elderbank, Hfx. Co., NS, in 1972; she was 74. On 3 Jan 1920 when Alice Gertrude was 22, she married **Henry Allen Killen** in Elderbank, Hfx. Co., NS. Born in 1890 in Gays River, Col. Co., NS. Henry Allen died in Elderbank, Hfx. Co., NS, on 23 Jan 1966; he was 76. Son of William and Mary Ann (Penny) Killen.

9. Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff (*Thomas², John¹*). Born on 4 Jun 1846 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia.

Catherine "Elizabeth" died in Halifax, NS, on 11 Jun 1913; she was 67. Buried in St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS.

Catherine Elizabeth was referred to as "Aunt Libbie".

A note in the 1880 diary of William Goff recorded the visit of Elizabeth Pirie and two children on Saturday, May 29.

She and Walter Pirie are buried at St. John's Anglican, Lr. Sackville; however, the large, flat, table-like stone has become quite unreadable (1985).

Mrs. Walter S. Pirie

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“The death occurred on Wed., June 11, of Catherine Elizabeth, wife of Walter S. Pirie. Deceased had been in poor health for some months but death was unexpected, following an attack of pleuro-pneumonia. Mrs. Pirie was well and favourably known in the city where she had resided for nearly forty years, and leaves besides a husband two sons, William H. of the ICR and Arthur, manager of Robert Simpson Co. at Gabarus, C.B. and four daughters Harriett of the Northern Pacific Hospital at Laconia, Wash., Mrs. John Hill of this city, and Clara and Laura, at home.”

On 20 Dec 1870 when Catherine “Elizabeth” was 24, she married **Walter Scott Pirie**, son of John Pirie (1792-1879) & Margaret “Jane” Campbell, in St. Georges Rectory, Halifax, Rev. Uniacke. Born on 13 Aug 1843 in Sackville, NS. Walter Scott died in Halifax, NS, on 1 Dec 1927; he was 84. Buried in St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS.

Marriage recorded in the NS Historical Vital Statistics.

1901 census of Halifax, Walter Pirie, head, b. NS 13 Aug. 1843, Scottish, switchman, ICR, Elizabeth, wife, b. NS 4 June 1846, Irish, William, son, b. 8 Nov. 1871, single, Norman, son, b. 15 July 1876, single, Blanche, daughter, b. 24 Sept. 1878, single, Arthur, b. 13 Dec. 1880, single, Clara, b. 3 dec. 1885, single, Laura, b. 7 Sept. 1886, single.

1911 census with daughters Clara, 23, and Laura, 21.

The following is a brief description of the Pirie family from Dawn (Keough) Norton, 29 September, 2013.”My gg grandmother was Christian Thomson, (1796-1828) first wife of John Pirie (1792-1879). Christian was the d/o James Thomson. Christian died in childbirth after delivering twins, a male & female. They had two other children, one being my great grandmother, Isabella Pirie (1824-1897). Isabella (a school teacher) married Michael Kehoe, br. Galway, Ireland (c1828-1903). They had three sons. 1. John, moved to New Jersey, married and had one son, Claude. 2. James, never married & 3. Michael Jr. (my grandfather) marr. Sadie Pemberton, who died and left him a widower with a young daughter Gladys. He was remarried to Lillian Blakeney (my grandmother). They had four children. Carleton, drowned at age 2, Gordon, never married, Kenneth, my Dad & Phyllis. My Dad had 3 children, Phyllis had 4 daughters, one died at age 2, the other daughters, all married live in Calgary.

There is also another son of John Pirie & Jane Campbell: George Pirie b. 1835 Windsor Rd. N.S., d. March 11, 1920 St. John, New Brunswick. Married Martha Dickey, b.1839 N.S. (no death date). She was the dau. of David Dickey b. 1803, d. Apr. 14, 1870 Stewiacke (s/o David and Martha) & Mary Teas 1808-1901. George Pirie & Martha Dickey were married Jan. 29, 1867 in Lower Stewiacke. Res 1891: Portland, Victoria Ward, St. John, N.B. George's occupation: House Carpenter. Ch. of George & Martha:

Jessie Perrie (no one seems to know why this spelling) b. Mar. 15, 1868 in Waverley, N.S. d. Dec. 08, 1938 in Quincey, Mass.

David b. Oct. 02, 1869, Windsor, N.S. d. Dec. 1943 (no info on any marriage), 1901 res. St. John, N.B. single.

Harriett b. Mar. 1874, d. Nov. 12, 1941 (no info on where)

Katie b. c1880 N.S., Res. 1891 St. John, N.B. (no death date or place)

Howard b. Feb. 05, 1881 in St John, N.B.

Catherine Elizabeth Goff and Walter S. Pirie had the following children:

- 27 i. William Holland (8 Nov 1871-28 Nov 1964)
- ii. Harriet Eleanor. Born on 20 Nov 1874 in Halifax, NS. Harriet Eleanor died in Napa, CA, on 4 May 1963; she was 88.
 Harriett was born in Nov. 20 1874 according to the Pirie family bible, but Nov. 20, 1875 from NSHVS. If so, then, Norman Bruce could not have been born July 20 1876.

Harriett was a nurse in Laconia, Washington when her mother died, later in Napa,

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California, remained a spinster and lived to an old age. She made frequent summer visits to Nova Scotia.

- 28 iii. Norman Bruce (20 Jul 1876-30 Dec 1902)
- 29 iv. Blanche Isabel (24 Sep 1878-13 Apr 1969)
- 30 v. David "Arthur" (30 Dec 1880-22 Oct 1963)
- 31 vi. Clara Beatrice (3 Dec 1882-30 Jul 1969)
- vii. Francis Philip. Born in 1885 in Halifax, NS.
- viii. Laura Elizabeth "Dodie". Born on 7 Sep 1887 in Halifax, NS. Laura Elizabeth "Dodie" died in Halifax, Nova Scotia, on 6 Dec 1917; she was 30. Residence: 1482 Barrington St. At The Time Of The Explosion.
Killed in the Halifax explosion.
- ix. Jessica Alberta.
- x. Jean (Died as Child). Born on 22 Feb 1890 in Halifax, NS. Jean died in Halifax, NS, on 12 May 1896; she was 6. Buried in Sackville, NS.

Fourth Generation

Family of William Goff (3) & Hannah Ann Dickey

10. Mary Eleanor Goff (*William³, Thomas², Goff^d*). Born on 24 Feb 1854 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. Mary Eleanor died in Devon, Hfx. Co. Nova Scotia, on 27 Feb 1890; she was 36. Buried in Gays River United Church Cemetery, NS.

Mary lived at home in Goff's, no doubt with many of the responsibilities which go along with being the eldest sister to a large family, until she was married on Sept. 17, 1888 at age 34 to Alexander J. MacDougall, of Devon, Hfx. Co. Mary's brother Miles Dickey m. Alexander's sister Martha the following day. Mary died in childbirth with their first child, 18 months later.

On 17 Sep 1888 when Mary Eleanor was 34, she married **James "Alexander" McDougall**, son of Daniel McDougall³ (11 Apr 1831-1 Aug 1901) & Rachel McMullin⁴ (1 Jan 1833-26 Mar 1915). Born in 1856 in Kempt, Hants Co., N.S. James "Alexander" died in Devon, Hfx. Co., N.S., on 15 Nov 1899; he was 43. Buried in Gays River United Church Cemetery, NS. Occupation: Farmer, McAlpine Directory, 1890 Goffs, 1896 Antrim.

The obituary of Alexander McDougall reads as follows:

"A gloom has been cast over this community by the sudden death of Mr. Alexander McDougall of Guysborough Road, which occurred at his father's home on November 15th. Mr. McDougall had been ailing for some time but his illness was not thought to be serious until Nov. 3rd; he had been to consult his physician the previous evening and

³ Please see <http://www.gofffamilyhistory.ca/McDougallHantsCountyNovaScotia.pdf>

⁴ Please see [http://www.gofffamilyhistory.ca/McMullin\(McMullen\)Families-HalifaxCountyNovaScotia.pdf](http://www.gofffamilyhistory.ca/McMullin(McMullen)Families-HalifaxCountyNovaScotia.pdf)

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on the following day had driven some distance alone and on his return went to his parent's home close by his own place; where he was stricken with paralysis. Drs. Densmore of Elmsdale and McLean and Haliday of Shubenacadie were called but all their efforts were unavailing. The remains were interred at Gays River, and 31 carriages containing relatives and other friends followed the body to its last resting place. Rev. A. B. Dickie conducted the funeral service.

The deceased was born at Kempt, Hants County, 43 years ago, but removed with his parents when small, quite near his late home. He leaves a wife and one daughter, aged parents and four sisters to mourn the loss of a loving husband and father, a devoted son, and a kind brother. This is the fourth time that Mr. and Mrs. McDougall have been called to part with loved ones, two sons and one daughter having died some years ago and now their eldest and last remaining son. The sisters surviving are Mrs. John E. Long of Richibucto, N.B., Mrs. George Slocumb of Malden, Mass., and Mrs. Miles D. Goff and Miss Bella McDougall of Guysborough Road.

The bereaved ones feel deeply the kindness shown by their neighbours and friends in their affliction, during the painful illness friends were ready to help and sympathize with the family and the many cards of devotion proved the high esteem in which the deceased was held by those who knew him. Mr. A. Gladwin's consideration for all their wishes and his kind and sympathetic manner while performing the duties of Undertaker were appreciated by all the relatives. The pallbearers were James G. Kerr, James McMichael, John McMichael, Edwin Hirtle, Freeman Nelson, Clifford Goff."

Birth: 1856 (from 1861 census, 1 male 5-10; 1871 census, age 15; 1881 census, age 25; and age at death from gravestone, 44 in 1900)

Birthplace: Kempt, Hants Co., N.S. (from obituary and family bible), Windsor, NS (stated on marriage registration to Ruth Sibley, 1892)

Death: Nov 15 (from obituary and family bible), 1900 (from gravestone), Place: Devon, Hfx. Co., N.S. (from obituary)



Mary Eleanor Goff and James "Alexander" McDougall

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McDougall, J.A., d. 15 Nov. 1899 at Guysboro Road, ae 43 (PW). Since his gravestone says 1900 but no date, it is likely he died 15 Nov. 1899 and was buried in 1900.

They had one child:

32 i. Mary Victoria (24 Feb 1890-18 Aug 1960)

11. John Anthony Holland Goff (*William*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 26 Jul 1857 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. John Anthony Holland died in Somerville, Mass, on 15 Nov 1916; he was 59. Buried in Woodlawn, Somerville, Mass., USA. Occupation: Restaurateur. Residence: US (1875).

John A. H. married Almira Brown, a native of Tiverton, N.S. John was in the restaurant business in Somerville, Mass. They had four sons and one daughter in Massachusetts. The children were very young (ages 10 to 2) when their mother died. Percy and Grant were raised, or spent considerable time, in Goff's, Frank was raised in Tiverton with an Uncle and Aunt, and probably Charles and May also spent time in Digby Co. while young.

1900 US census Somerville, John Goff, lodger, b. Jul 1857 Canada, 42, widowed, occupation ice man, in the home of Anna Hamilton and six other lodgers.

1910 US census, Somerville, MA, John H Goff, 58, widowed, immigration date 1875, occupation, proprietor lunch room, home rented, Charles E Goff, single, 23, cook lunch room, Alexa Mortimer, 50, sister, immigration date 1880, Elsie Mortimer, 20, niece.

The Truro Daily News (Nov. 27, 1916) reported the death of John H. Goff, ae. 59, Somerville, Mass., Nov. 15, 1916.

“The Late John H. Goff,

The funeral services for the late John H. Goff, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Goff, who passed away Wednesday morning, Nov. 15, were held at John Bryants and Sons Rooms, Medford St., Somerville, Mass. on Friday Nov. 17 at 2 PM. Rev. Mr. Foye of the Winter Hill Baptist Church officiated.

Mr. Goff was born July 26, 1857, at Guysboro Road district, Halifax Co., NS. He left home when a young man and has resided in Somerville, Mass. for the last 40 years. A genial and kindly natured man in the home and in business, he had gained a large circle of friends.

He leaves four sons and a daughter to mourn. The children are Ralph Percy, an engineer on the Boston and Maine RR; Grant L. with the Spaulding Mfg. Co. of Chicopee, Mass.; Charles H., associated with his father in the restaurant business; Frank R. of Tiverton, NS and Mrs. May B., wife of Mr. Arthur Wenzel of West Newton, Mass. He also leaves three brothers and one sister: Ernest S. Goff of Somerville, Mass., Miles D. Goff of Milford, NS, Clifford Goff of Guysboro Road, Halifax Co., NS and Miss Eliza Goff of Somerville, Mass.

He was a member of Thistle Lodge 7170 IOOF, MU. The floral tributes at the funeral were many and beautiful; internment was at Woodlawn, Somerville.”

On 29 Dec 1880 when John Anthony Holland was 23, he married **Almira Brown**, daughter of Absalom Brown (10 Jul 1816-27 Feb 1896) & Eliza Powell (30 Sep 1819-13 Feb 1908), in Somerville, MA. Born on 16 Nov 1859 in Tiverton, Nova Scotia. Almira died in Somerville, Mass, on 20 Jun 1892; she was 32. Buried in Grafton, NS. Death certificate, Vol. 428, pg. 358 Somerville, cause of death metritis.

1871 census, Somerset, Kings Co., NS, Absalom Brown, 54, Eliza 53, Albert 21, Sarah 17, Martha 15, John 13, Almira 11, Eleanor Brown (W) 80. Note - Charles 27, Andrew 25 and Emmeline 22 were entered but then scratched with the notation that they also appear elsewhere.

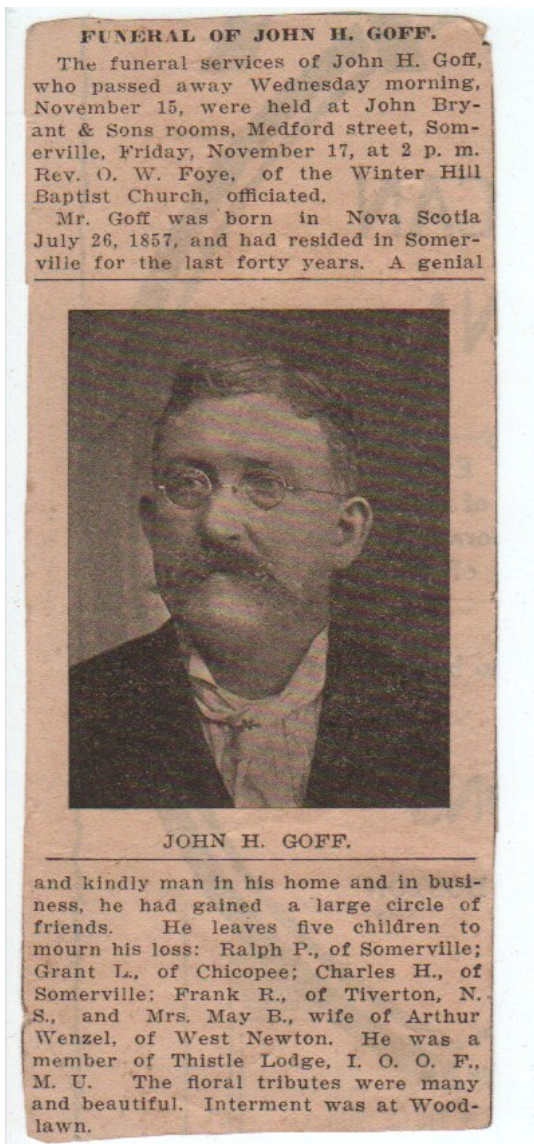
1881 census, Somerset, Kings Co., NS, Absalom Brown, 64, Eliza Brown, 62, Sarah Brown, 25, John Brown, 22.

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They had the following children:

- 33 i. Ralph "Percy" (Buck) (24 Oct 1882-25 Jun 1950)
 ii. Grant Lorne. Born on 21 Jan 1884 in East Holliston, Mass. Grant Lorne died in Chicopee, Mass., on 8 Jan 1948; he was 63. Buried in Hillcrest Park Cemetery, Springfield, Mass., USA.
 Marriages NEHGS Archives, Oct. 24, 1907, Somerville, MA, Grant Goff, 24, Res. 48 Marshall St., Somerville, MA, rubber worker, b. Somerville, father John Goff Mother May Pearl **, Cora Keyes, 23, b. Halifax, father James Keyes, mother Emma Cook ** (Note: mother's names are incorrect).

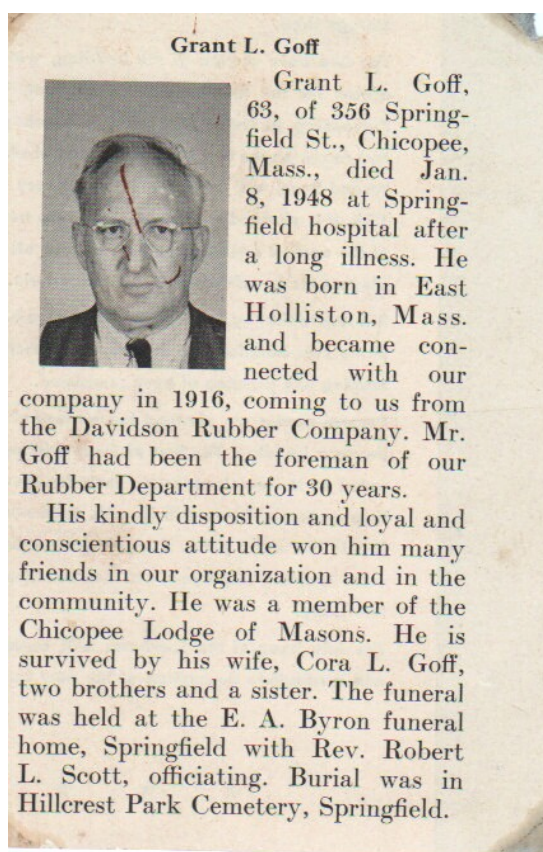
After the early death of his mother, Grant had spent some time in Goffs as a young boy. His wife Cora Keyes' family was from Milford Station and a very good friend of the Nova Scotia Goff family.



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Grant and Cora spent most of their life in Chicopee, MA (1920, 1930, 1940 census 356 Springfield St., Chicopee). They spent many vacations in Nova Scotia with the Goff family. Grant and Cora had no children.

On 24 Oct 1907 when Grant Lorne was 23, he married **Cora Logan Keyes**, daughter of James Keyes (30 Jun 1846-) & Ellen MacPhee (12 Jun 1855-29 Mar 1941), in Somerville, MA. Born on 29 May 1884 in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS. Cora Logan died in Chicopee, MA, on 15 Jan 1979; she was 94.



- iii. Charles H. Born on 6 Sep 1886 in Somerville, MA. Charles H. died in Medford, MA, on 17 Sep 1945; he was 59. Buried in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody, MA. Residence: Somerville; 92 Andrews St., Medford, MA. A letter from June Mortimer stated that June's Grandmother Pearl who was related to Almira (Brown) Goff, possibly a sister, was mainly responsible for the upbringing of Charles and Frank in Tiverton, Digby Co., N.S., following the death of their mother in 1892. June's father Charles Pearl and Charles Goff were named for the same man, Charles Pinio, who raised William Pearl, June's Grandfather.

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Charles was associated with his father in the restaurant business in Somerville at the time of his father's death. There was little or no communication between he and the Nova Scotian Goff family.

1910 US census, Somerville, MA, John H Goff, 58, widowed, immigration date 1875, occupation, proprietor lunch room, home rented, Charles E Goff, single, 23, cook lunch room, Alexa Mortimer, 50, sister, immigration date 1880, Elsie Mortimer, 20, niece.

1920 census Somerville, Charles Goff 33, Mary E Cutler 39 (widowed), LeRoy Mortimer 33 (single).

1930 census, Medford, Charles H, 43 (md. at 35), Salesman, Mary E wife, 49 (md. at 41), Ernest Goff, Uncle, 63, single, Watchman-banking. No children listed - married for 8 years but she was 49, which rather implies they had no children. Also they had a boarder, Robert Glen Kidston 31, b. Canada. There were Kidston's from Goffs, NS, Ernest befriended Winnifred Kidston after he returned from MA in the 1930s; she was Glen's sister.

1940 census Medford Charles 53 (meat cutter, retail establishment) May 64.

Filed WW1 (age 30) and WW2 (age 55, 1942) draft registration cards.

"GOFF - In Medford, suddenly Sept. 17, Charles H., husband of the late Mary E. (Housler) Goff, of 92 Andrews St. Services at the E. J. Gaffey Memorial Home, 43 High St., Medford, on Thursday, Sept. 20, at 2PM. Relatives and friends invited. Friends may call Wednesday 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 PM." Buried at Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody (Sep 20 1945).

Gladys Goff Willis, daughter of Clifford Goff and Charles' first cousin, lived in the same

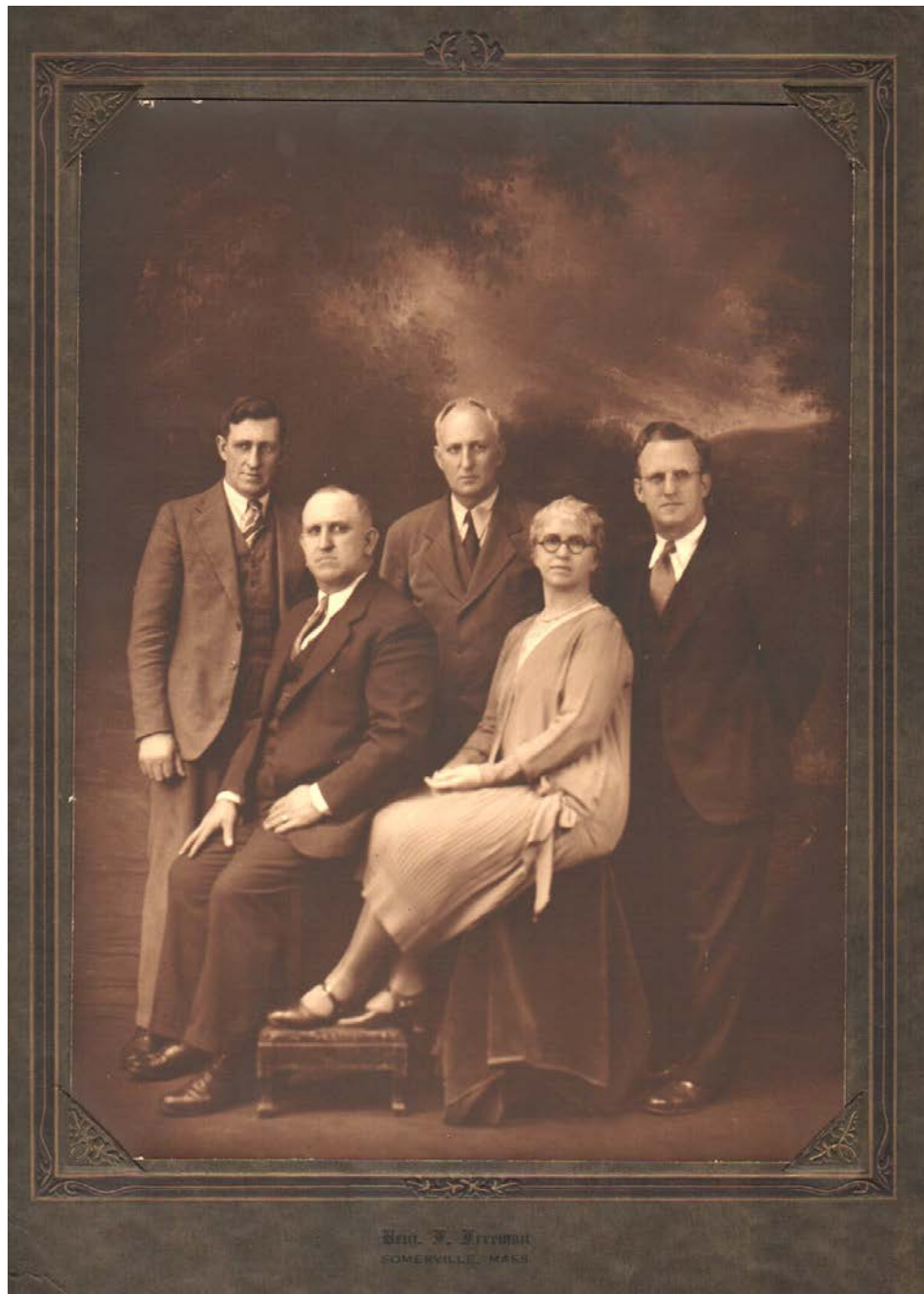
house (Andrews St., Medford) with her daughter Thelma. It was also known by the Nova Scotia Goff family that she was living in Uncle Jerry's house. Charles and Mary both died in 1945, so likely she moved into the house about that time.

In 1922 when Charles H. was 35, he married **Mary E. Housler**. Born in 1881. Mary E. died in Medford, MA, on 16 Apr 1945; she was 64. Buried in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody.

"GOFF - In Medford, April 16, Mary E. (Housler) Goff, wife of Charles H. Goff of 92 Andrews St. Funeral from the E. J. Gaffey Memorial Home, 43 High St., Medford, on Wednesday, April 18 at 2PM. Relatives and friends invited." Buried at Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody (Apr 18 1945).

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| 34 | iv. | Frank Lawrence (25 Aug 1888-21 Apr 1959) |
| 35 | v. | May Beatrice (29 Jan 1890-Aug 1963) |

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The Children of John A. H. and Almira (Brown) Goff: Frank, Percy, Grant, May and Charles.

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12. Hannah "Alexanderana" Goff (*William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 27 Oct 1859 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. Hannah "Alexanderana" died in Middleboro, Mass., USA, on 3 Jul 1915; she was 55. Buried in Hope's Rest Cemetery, Rock (Middleborough), MA. Occupation: Boarding House (1900). Residence: Malden, MA (1886), Providence, RI (1900).

"The Late Mrs. A. H. Mortimer,

Mrs. Alexandrina Hannah Mortimer, daughter of the late William and Hannah Goff, of Goff's, Hfx Co., passed away on July 3, 1915 at Middleboro, Mass., after an illness of about three months. The deceased was 55 years of age. A daughter, Mrs. Elsie B. Smith, and a son, Leroy; also four brothers, M. D. Goff, Clifford F. Goff, John H. Goff and Ernest S. Goff and one sister, Eliza Goff, mourn her death.

The funeral was largely attended and the floral tributes were many. She was laid to rest in Hopewell Cemetery at Rock, Mass.

Mrs. Mortimer had planned to go to California in May to make her home with her daughter and was preparing to make the trip in April, when she contracted a severe cold which developed into serious complications. Her daughter Elsie, on hearing of her condition, came east at once and has been constantly at her mother's bedside to the end.

Mrs. Mortimer lived with her son, who is a traveling salesman.

Her many friends and relatives in Little River and Meaghers Grant will sympathize with the bereaved family as well as her many friends in the United States. She was a devoted mother and her sunny and kind disposition won her countless friends. Her last visit to the Goff homestead was in the fall of 1913, when she spent about 4 months at her old home.

Mrs. Mortimer has lived in Somerville and Malden, Mass., for about 30 years but has visited her old home frequently during this time. Her daughter Elsie leaves for Goffs in a few days where she will rest for some weeks."

1905 census, Providence Rhode Island, with daughter Elsie B. 1910 US census, Somerville, MA, John H Goff, 58, widowed, immigration date 1875, occupation, proprietor lunch room, home rented, Charles E Goff, single, 23, cook lunch room, Alexa Mortimer, 50, sister, immigration date 1880, Elsie Mortimer, 20, niece. Note: Thomas P. Mortimer was living in Providence, RI, married, carpenter in mill, living as a lodger in a camp with 30 people.

On 15 Apr 1886 when Hannah "Alexanderana" was 26, she married **Thomas P. Mortimer**, son of William Mortimer & Isabella (Belle), in Malden, MA. Born in Sep 1851 in Charlottetown Royalty, Prince Edward Island. Thomas P. died in 1912; he was 60. Occupation: Carpenter. Residence: US (1879), Malden, MA (1890), Providence, RI (1900).

Marriage Source: Massachusetts Archives on-line at New England Historical Genealogy Society, Vol. 371 Page 170, Malden, Massachusetts, although he stated his age at 26 and her's at 24 when they were actually 34 and 26.

1900 (June 2 & 4) U. S. census: Cope Street, Providence City, Rhode Island

Tho. P Mortimer, head, born Sept. 1851, age 48, married 14 years, born in Canada, Father and Mother born in Canada, immigrated to U. S.: 1879, number of years in U. S.: 20, occupation: carpenter

Alexa H, wife, born Oct 1858, age 41, married 14 years, Mother of how many children: 2, number of these children living: 2, born in Canada, Father and Mother born in Canada, immigrated to U. S.: 1877, number of years in U. S.: 23

Roy G, son, born Mar. 1887, age 13, born in Massachusetts, occupation: at school

Elsie B, daughter born: 1890, age 9, born in Massachusetts

Ethel Seeton, 18, niece (Note: dau. of Laura Dickey, half-sister of Hannah, so a younger cousin rather than a niece)

14 lodgers

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Alexanderana (Goff) Mortimer



Hope's Rest Cemetery, Rock, MA

They had the following children:

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| 36 | i. | LeRoy Goff (7 Mar 1887-20 Jun 1977) |
| 37 | ii. | Elsie Bell (2 Jun 1890-1921) |

13. William Miles Dickey "MD" Goff (*William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 14 Jun 1862 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. William Miles Dickey "MD" died in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS, on 10 Mar 1960; he was 97. Buried in Gays River United Church Cemetery, NS. Residence: Goffs, Milford Station. Religion: Presbyterian (1891), United Church Of Canada. Occupation: Farmer.

Miles Dickey Goff, MD or "Uncle Dick", and Martha Jane McDougall were married in Milford Station, Hants Co., one day following the marriage of Mary Goff and Alexander McDougall. MD worked for his father's lumber business and ran a shingle factory. They lived for a short time immediately following their marriage in Oldham, Halifax Co., where their first son was born, and then in a house on the Guysborough Road, Hfx. Co., near William Goff's home, further east on the same side of the road, where their remaining two sons and one daughter were born.

In 1908, they purchased the Roland Ross farm property in Milford Station. In the 1911 census, Guy 21, John 18, and Alexander 17 are living with Miles 48 and Martha 48. Flora is boarding with a Noonan family in East Dover. They built a new house on the farm in 1916. After the death of Martha in 1925, John returned to the farm and married Hazel Wright, who came to the farm to live. John and Alex also purchased adjoining land from the Power family. They carried on a successful farm for 36 years. MD went to Saskatchewan for a summer some time after Martha had passed on. In 1944, M. D. sold the farm and moved with son John and family to a property in Milford Station next to the Milford United Church, a house which John built. He died in this house in 1960 at age 97. MD was a man of sterling character and was highly respected by all of the family members and the community at large.

"Miles Goff, 97, Dies at Milford,

Milford Station, March 15 - The death of Miles D. Goff, 97, which occurred at his home on Thursday, March 10,

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brought to a close the life of one of Milford's oldest and highly esteemed residents.

Mr. Goff, who was born on June 14, 1862, was the fifth in the family of eight children born to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Goff, of Goffs, Guysborough Road. For 20 years he carried on farming and lumbering in Goffs, selling out in 1908 and coming to Milford with his wife and family. Here he purchased the Ross farm which he successfully operated until his retirement in 1944.

After retiring, he built a new home near the Milford church where he lived happily with his son John and Mrs. Goff. Four years ago he was called upon to bear the loss of his son John, who died very suddenly, but his Christian faith supported him and the excellent care given him by his daughter-in-law, Mrs. John Goff, helped to make life pleasant.

Mr. Goff was a home-loving man and was happiest there with his family, and was always pleased to welcome his friends. He was a man of strong Christian principles and convictions, and until a year ago was in attendance at all services in the Milford United Church of which he was a member. Of late, when infirmities of age prevented active participation in church and community activities, he was, nevertheless, interested in and supported all church and community work. He lived a full and rewarding life and even in the face of failing health never complained, remaining cheerful until the last.

The funeral, attended by relatives and friends from his old home in Goff's and friends from the nearby communities, was held from his late home on Saturday, March 12, and was conducted by his pastor the Rev. Russell MacLeod, who read comforting messages from the Psalms and the New Testament. He paid tribute to the Christian life of Mr. Goff and spoke of the Christian's hope in the life hereafter. The Milford Choir led in the singing of "Unto the Hills" and "O Life That Will Never Let Me Go". Burial took place in the Gays River Cemetery beside his wife who died in 1925. The many beautiful floral tributes testified to the esteem in which he was held.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the surviving members of the family, the daughter Flora (Mrs. Chester Wardrope) of Ottawa, sons Alex of Milford and Guy of Gull Lake Saskatchewan, who was unable to be present but who telephoned the family on Thursday. Also surviving are a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren."

On 18 Sep 1888 when William Miles Dickey "MD" was 26, he married **Martha Jane McDougall**, daughter of Daniel McDougall (11 Apr 1831-1 Aug 1901) & Rachel McMullin (1 Jan 1833-26 Mar 1915)⁵, in Milford Station, N.S. Born on 23 Dec 1862 in Kempt, Hants Co., N.S. Martha Jane died in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS, on 19 Jun 1925; she was 62. Buried in Gays River United Church Cemetery, NS. Religion: Methodist (1891 Census).

"The Late Mrs. Dickie Goff. There passed away peacefully at her home in Milford on the evening of June 19, Mrs. Dickie Goff, a highly respected citizen, and her passing is mourned by a large circle of relatives and friends. She was a sincere Christian; a peaceful loving character full of good will and charity for all humanity in the home and all around her. Her kindness will ever be remembered by all. Mrs. Goff, who attained the age of 62 years, was born at Cheverie, but had lived at Milford for the past 17 years. She leaves a sorrowing husband and two sons, John and Alex, at home, a daughter, Mrs. Chester Wardrope in the west, Carmichael, Saskatchewan, also one son in the west, Guy of Gull Lake, Saskatchewan. Also three sisters Mrs. Long of Richebucto, NB, and Mrs. Slocomb and Mrs. Prescott, both living in Massachusetts. Sympathy goes out to them all. The funeral, which was held on Sunday afternoon, was very largely attended and the collection of flowers sent by sorrowing friends was very beautiful. Services were held at the Milford Church and interment was made in Gays River. Rev. E. A. Kirker of Truro officiated at the Church and grave, in the absence of Rev. J. P. Falconer, the regular minister."

Daniel McDougall's mother was Jane Murphy, and Rachel McMullin's mother was Martha, so Martha Jane was named for her grandmothers.

They had the following children:

- i. William "Guy". Born on 10 Aug 1889 in Oldham, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. William "Guy" died in Gull Lake, Sask., on 31 Oct 1967; he was 78. Buried on 3 Nov 1967 in

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Memory Gardens Cemetery, Swift Current, SK (CHRISTUS, Section 122, Plot C, Lot 3). Guy travelled by train to the Canadian Prairies on the seasonal grain excursions as a very young man, probably beginning 1912, and settled near Gull Lake, Sask. at a young age. His sister and brother John had already travelled to Saskatchewan, in her case as a teacher and John for summer grain work. Guy farmed on the 'Bench' south of Gull Lake. He was neighbours to and worked closely with the Connick family, Lester and sons Raymond, Bill and Dick. Other neighbours were the Wheelers - brothers Henry and Clyde, and later Henry's son Leonard. They moved up from Minnesota around the same time as Guy arrived in the west. The Connick farm was just a mile down the road from the Wheelers. (Note: Rod Stork is Henry Wheeler's grandson). Other neighbours included Henderson, Probert, Fralick, and Pilling. Guy farmed until 1954 at which time he retired, married Elvie Marion Borden, a native of Waterville, N.S., and moved to a small house in Gull Lake. They had an "adopted" daughter, Carole.

On 25 Nov 1954 when William "Guy" was 65, he married **Elvie Marion Borden**, daughter of George Borden & Elizabeth Douglas, in Calgary, AB. Born on 16 Mar 1903 in Waterville, Hants Co., NS. Elvie Marion died in Gull Lake, SK, on 12 Dec 1990; she was 87. Buried on 17 Dec 1990 in Memory Gardens Cemetery, Swift Current, SK.

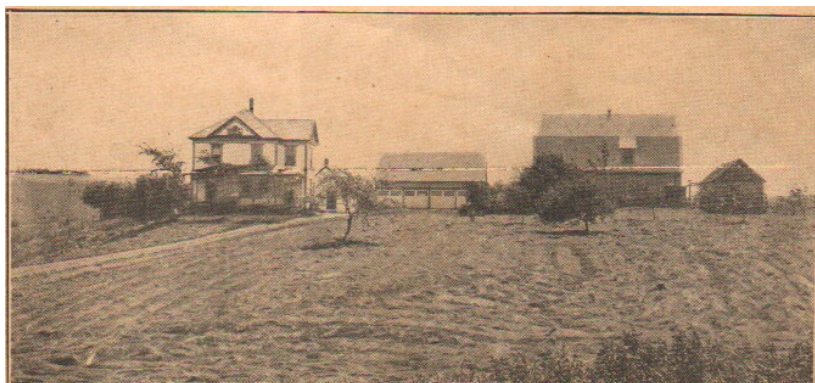


Miles Dickey and Martha (McDougall) Goff



**The Family of Miles Dickey and Martha Goff:
John R., Guy, Alex and Flora.**

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The Farm of Miles Dickey Goff & John R Goff, Milford Station, NS

Elvie Left home at an early age and lived in New York, USA, as a Childs Nurse for several years. She served in the Canadian Air Force (W.D.) for 4 years during World War 2. She served in Moncton, New Brunswick, for 2 years, and then for 2 years in Lentonon, Yorkshire, England. After the war, she moved to Calgary, Alberta, and ran a Canteen for Jenkins Stadd (Grocceteria). After her marriage, she moved to Guy's farm. She was a member of the Rebekah Lodge.

- 38 ii. Flora Myrtle (19 Oct 1890-1 Nov 1971)
39 iii. John Roy (11 Jun 1892-5 Jul 1956)
iv. Alexander Mac. Born on 26 Oct 1893 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. Alexander Mac died in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS, on 1 Dec 1966; he was 73. Buried in Gays River United Church Cemetery, NS.
- Alex was born at Guysborough Road, the namesake of his Uncle Alexander McDougall. Alex enlisted in the First War but did not serve overseas. He farmed with his brother John in Milford Station until the mid 1920's when he moved to Shubenacadie and ran an oil delivery business for Imperial Oil. He later moved back to Milford Station in the village from where he continued to run the oil business for many years until retirement.

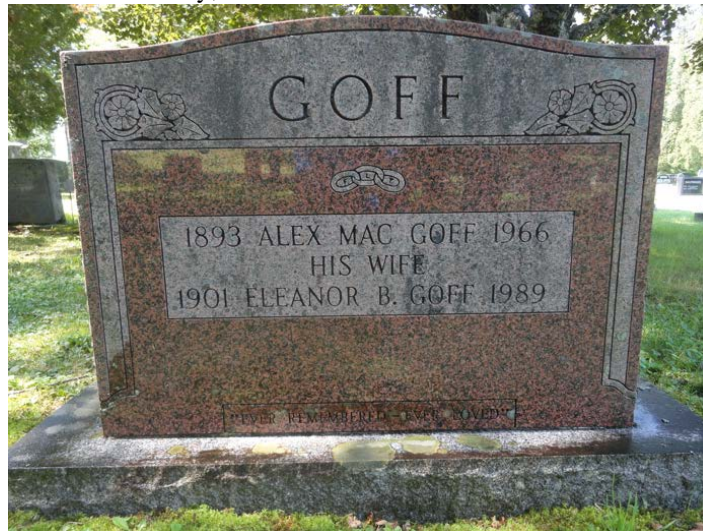
On 28 Jan 1926 when Alexander Mac was 32, he first married **Elizabeth (Bessie) Eleanor (Wardrope) Grant**, daughter of James "Edwin" Wardrope (1 Jun 1866-19 Jan 1954) & Margaret Jane Benjamin (25 Apr 1866-29 Apr 1938). Born on 16 Aug 1896 in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS. Elizabeth (Bessie) Eleanor (Wardrope) died in Shubenacadie, Hants Co., NS, on 20 Apr 1926; she was 29. Buried in Milford Station Cemetery, Hants Co., NS.

"Bessie" Goff, a sister of Chester Wardrope (the husband of Flora Myrtle Goff), first married to Mr. Grant. She died at 30 years of pneumonia.

Apr. 20, 1926. Mrs. Alexander Goff died of pneumonia in her 30th year. She was one of the leading and most popular people of this place. Active worker of Division, the Community Club, and a teacher in Sunday School. Loved by all. First married to Lamont Grant who died seven years ago. Second marriage was less than three months to Alex Goff. Survived by Alex Goff and a daughter Monta Grant, age 7. She was the daughter of Edwin and Margaret Wardrope. Three sisters: Jamina and Mildred of California and Jean of Mass., 5 brothers: Chester, Gull Lake; James and Everett of Milford, George of Conn., and Lewis of California.

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On 4 Sep 1929 when Alexander Mac was 35, he second married **Eleanor Blanch Rath**, daughter of Alonzo Rath (26 Oct 1866-25 Oct 1945) & Jessie C. Murray (8 Jun 1866-14 Aug 1943). Born on 7 Jul 1901 in Shubenacadie, Nova Scotia. Eleanor Blanch died in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS, on 6 Nov 1989; she was 88. Buried in Gays River United Church Cemetery, NS.



Gay's River United Church Cemetery

14. Clifford Francklyn Goff (*William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 20 May 1868 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. Clifford Francklyn died in Elderbank, Hfx. Co., N.S., on 13 Oct 1930; he was 62. Buried in Meaghers Grant, Halifax Co., NS. Occupation: Postman; Farming.

In the 1901 census, Clifford was alone at the home in Goffs, with a boarder William Price, following the death of his mother in 1900. Clifford and Mary were married in 1902 and they continued to live in the house built by William and Hannah Goff on Guysboro Road where they carried on the Coach House and Post Office. Clifford and MD also ran a lath mill. In 1919, they sold the Goffs farm to James Ledwidge and moved to Elderbank where Clifford worked at farming and served as a letter carrier. Clifford died while working on a highway project in Elderbank. Mary and daughter Edna moved to Milford Station where Mary died a short time later.

In addition to the responsibilities of the Post Office at Goffs, Clifford was a mail carrier, according to the terms of the following legal documents:

- Post Office Dept., Mail Services Branch. A contract for conveying His Majesty's mail between Enfield and Goffs. Contractor Clifford F. Goff, farmer, of the village of Goffs, 3 times per week, 6 1/2 miles, \$146 per annum. From 1st Jan 1910 to 31 Dec 1913, via the Post Office at Oldham by horse and vehicle. "Leave Goffs Post Office on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday so as to arrive at Enfield half an hour before 1st mail train for Halifax is due, and return on arrival of first mail train from Halifax, performing trip in either direction within one hour and a quarter, average speed of five miles per hour, seven minutes to be allowed for changing the mail at each post office on route." Signed C. F. Goff, contractor, William Kidston, Goffs, surety, Frank McPherson, Waverley, surety, John McDowall, J.P., witness.
- A continuation of the above contract for 4 years (1914-1917).
- A continuation of the above contract for 4 years (1918-1921). \$180 per annum.

On 17 Sep 1902 when Clifford Francklyn was 34, he married **Mary Louise Greenough**, daughter of James Greenough & Eliza Warner, in Dartmouth, NS. Born on 22 Jul 1877 in West Petpeswick. Mary Louise died in Milford Station, Hants Co., N.S., on 10 Jun 1932; she was 54. Buried in Meaghers Grant, Halifax Co., NS.

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Miles Dickey Goff, Mary (Greenough) Goff, Clifford Goff and John Roy Goff.



Meagher's Grant Cemetery

They had the following children:

- 40**
 - i. Eliza "Gladys" (2 Apr 1903-15 Nov 1979)
 - ii. William Ernest. Born on 7 Nov 1904 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. William Ernest died in Elderbank, Nova Scotia, on 2 Oct 1929; he was 24. Buried in Meaghers Grant, Halifax Co., NS.
Willie died of tuberculosis.
 - iii. Hannah Dickie. Born on 14 Mar 1908 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. Hannah Dickie died in Elderbank, Nova Scotia, on 3 Jan 1927; she was 18. Buried in Meaghers Grant, Halifax Co., NS.
Hannah died of tuberculosis.
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 - iv. Edna Alexa May (6 Mar 1914-21 Mar 2002)

Family of Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough (4) & Isabella Boutilier

15. Jessie Gough (*Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 12 Jun 1862 in Hammonds Plains, N.S. Jessie died on 7 May 1936; she was 73. Buried in Fairview Cemetery, Halifax.

The marriage of Jessie and Daniel is in the NS Historical Vital Statistics but I cannot make out his birthplace or names of his parents. She is named as dau. of Thomas and Isabella, b. Bedford.

Jessie and Thomas Asprey are shown in the 1901 census Halifax Ward 6 f-3, with son William Asprey, son John O'Connell and daughters Mary, Isabel and Margaret O'Connell.

Jessie Asprey, b. June 1862, is found in the 1911 census, head of household, with William, Thomas and Joseph Asprey, sons, John O'Connell, son, Isabella and Margaret O'Connell, daughters, Frances O'Connell, daughter-in-law, Rita O'Connell, granddaughter, and John O'Connell, grandson. They are beside James and Sarah (Gough)

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O'Connell and their sons Walter, John and Frederick.

From "dianne kaizer-anderson"

Sent: Friday, February 04, 2005 9:29 PM

We are just getting started on Bob's family genealogy. His grandmother Margaret O'Connell-Asprey (DOB: Apr. 23, 1889) was the daughter of Jessie Gough, daughter of Thomas. Jessie married first Daniel O'Connell (we have yet to be able to find out anything about him). He died before 1893. She then married Thomas Henry Asprey in 1893. He died in 1904. Margaret married John MacLeod

1. Margaret DOB: Jan 20, 1916 DOD: Apr. 23, 1999

2. Sheila: DOB: Feb, 1921 DOD: Dec. 2000

3.. John DOB: 1919

4, Gertrude: DOB: October 25, 1925

Margaret and Thomas Asprey are buried together in the Fairview Cemetery along with their daughter Margaret.

On 5 Apr 1881 when Jessie was 18, she first married **Daniel O'Connell** in Halifax Co., NS. Born in 1856 in Ireland.

They had the following children:

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| 42 | i. | John (15 Aug 1881-10 Oct 1935) |
| 43 | ii. | Mary Ella (Ellen) (1 Oct 1882-6 Feb 1923) |
| 44 | iii. | Isabella (28 Apr 1886-16 Nov 1940) |
| 45 | iv. | Margaret (23 Apr 1889-10 Jan 1972) |

On 8 Feb 1892 when Jessie was 29, she second married **Thomas Henry Asprey** in Halifax, NS. Born on 4 Jun 1868 in Birkshire, England. Thomas Henry died on 3 Dec 1904; he was 36. Buried in St Johns Fairview Cemetery.

1901 census of Halifax

They had the following children:

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| 46 | i. | William (17 Sep 1894-15 Sep 1956) |
| 47 | ii. | Thomas Henry (Feb 1902-1958) |
| | iii. | Joseph Alfred. Born in May 1905. Joseph Alfred died on 16 Mar 1963; he was 57. Buried in St Johns Fairview Cemetery.
Noted on headstone of Thomas and Jessie Asprey |

16. Margaret ("Meg") Gough (*Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 10 Jul 1864 in Hammonds Plains, N.S. Margaret ("Meg") died in Saint John, NB, on 3 Dec 1948; she was 84. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S. Residence: Halifax, NS; Saint John, NB (1892).

Marriage witnessed by Nicholas H. Gough.

Margaret Stokes is named on the Gough family headstone.

On 21 Sep 1889 when Margaret ("Meg") was 25, she married **William George Victor Stokes** in Halifax Co., NS. Born on 4 Apr 1864 in London England. William George Victor died in Saint John, New Brunswick, on 10 Dec 1927; he was 63. Buried in St Johns Fairview Cemetery. Occupation: Bookkeeper (1889), Musician (1901-1921 Census); 62nd Regt. Saint John Fusiliers; 26th Bat., C.E.F. . Residence: 1st Bandmaster In Halifax Public Gardens.

1901 census Saint John city NB

Stokes William b. Apr 4 1864 ae 37 occ Musician Margret Wife b. Jul 10 1864 ae 36 Florence Daughter b. Aug 30

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1890 ae 10 William Son b. Dec 28 1895 ae 5 George Son b. Apr 24 1900 (Note, should be 1899) ae <1

1911 census Saint John city NB

Stokes William b. Apr 1864 ae 47 Margret Wife b. Jul 1864 ae 47 Florence Daughter b. Aug 1890 ae 20 William Son b. Dec 1895 ae 15 George Son b. Apr 1899 ae 12

1921 census Saint John City, NB 67 St Patrick St

William G V Stokes 57 Occupation Musician-Bandmaster Margarette Stokes 57 William Stokes 25 George Stokes 22

New Brunswick registration of Births

Stokes Margaret Millicent 1893-MAR-23 Father William G. V. Stokes Mother Margaret Gough

Stokes William John Cleveland 1895-NOV-28 Father William George V. Stokes Mother Margaret Gough

Stokes George Victor 1899-APR-23 Saint John, NB Father William George Victor Stokes b. London, England Mother Margaret Gough b. Halifax, NS

New Brunswick Certificate of Death William G. V. Stokes Dec. 10, 1927 Saint John, NB, b. Apr 4 1864 London, England, occupation Musician Military Band, father John Stokes mother Mary A. Filmore. Burial Halifax NS.

New Brunswick Certificate of Death Margaret Stokes Dec. 3, 1948 Saint John, NB, widow of William G. V. Stokes b. Jul 10 1864 Halifax, NS father Thomas Gough mother Isabella Boutilier. Burial Halifax, NS. Informant George V. Stokes, son, Toronto, ON.

Stokes, Margaret M. died June 1, 1899, age 6.

Saint John City Marriages

Feb 20 1912 Groom George W. Stevens, 18, b. Saint John, res Saint John, parents Ward and Christina Stevens, bride Florence Theresa Stokes, age 21, b. Halifax, NS, res saint John parents William G. V. and Margaret Stokes

They had the following children:

- 48** i. Florence (Florrie) Theresa (30 Aug 1890-4 Jan 1932)
- ii. Margaret Millicent (Died as Child). Born on 23 Mar 1893 in Saint John, NB. Margaret Millicent died in Saint John, NB, on 1 Jun 1899; she was 6.
- iii. William John Cleveland. Born on 28 Dec 1895 in Saint John, NB. William John Cleveland died on 29 May 1978; he was 82. Buried in St Johns Fairview Cemetery. On 16 Aug 1951 when William John Cleveland was 55, he married **Jean Elizabeth Gough (52)**, daughter of Arthur McQuaid Gough (19) (6 Jun 1872-10 Jan 1918) & Elizabeth Sarah Currie (29 Jun 1884-28 Dec 1919). Born on 21 Apr 1911 in Halifax NS. Jean Elizabeth died on 8 Sep 1999; she was 88. Buried in St Johns Fairview Cemetery.

From Myrna Thomas, Feb. 17, 2006, "Mom (Jean) was only three when her brother died; seven when both parents died; and widowed at age 27 (with two young children + another on the way). She and her sister, Aunt Kaye, were raised by her Grandma (Isabel). She looked after Gran in her final years, and married shortly after Gran's death. Aunt Aggie & Uncle Nick were sort of like surrogate grandparents to us, and we lived very close to them and all their family. As mentioned earlier, Lloyd (Gough) was like a "big brother" to us (kid brother to Mom & Aunt Kaye) til he joined the Army and moved to Ontario during the war. Two other relatives of whom we have the fondest memories are Maggie & John MacLeod. They were so good to us after Mom was widowed."

STOKES, Jean Elizabeth (GOUGH)[WAMBOLT]; 89; Halifax NS>Ottawa ON; Chron-Herald (NS); 1999-9-11

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- iv. George Victor. Born on 23 Apr 1899 in Saint John, NB. Residence: Toronto, ON (1948).

17. Sarah Ellen Gough (*Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 11 Oct 1865 in Hammonds Plains, N.S. Sarah Ellen died in Halifax, NS, on 13 Jun 1941; she was 75. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S.

1891 census, Ward No. 6, Halifax, Gough Thomas 62, Carpenter, Methodist, Isabella 48, Henry 23 Carpenter, John 20 Cotton weaver, Arthur 19 Cotton spinner, Daniel 16 Cotton cander, Alfred 12, Phillip 9, Sarah Flack (dau.) 25 widow Cotton weaver, Bella 4 b.NS, Joseph 2 b. Egypt.

Sarah Flack was shown in the same dwelling as Arthur Gough in the 1901 census, as sister, widow, with Belle C. Flack, b. Oct 16, 1886 and Joseph A. Flack, Aug. 8, 1888.

James and Sarah O'Connell are in the 1911 and 1921 census with sons Walter, John and Frederick, beside the household of Jessie Asprey.

Marriage of James Alexander O'Connell, 35, widow, cooper, b. Halifax, s/o James and Elizabeth, and Sarah Flack, 35, widow, b. Halifax, d/o Thomas (carpenter) and Isabella, is recorded in the NS Historical Vital Statistics.

Death certificate, NS Historical Vital Statistics, listed as married, informant Walter O'Connell, Halifax, son, parents named as Thomas Anthony Gough, b. Bedford, and Isabella Boutilier, b. St. Margarets Bay.

Sarah O'Connell is named on the Gough family headstone.

On 14 Jan 1886 when Sarah Ellen was 20, she first married **J. Austen Flack** in Halifax, NS. Born in 1861 in Southampton. J. Austen died bet 1888-1891; he was 27. Occupation: Army Career, Egypt.

They had the following children:

- 49**
- i. Isabel (Belle) Charlotte (16 Oct 1886-29 Jul 1970)
 - ii. Joseph Andrew. Born on 8 Aug 1888 in Cairo, Egypt. Joseph Andrew died in Halifax NS, on 4 Oct 1959; he was 71. Buried in St. Johns Cemetery, Fairview, Halifax. Occupation: Cook, CN Railway, 25 Years. Residence: Bear Cove, Hfx. Co., NS. Named on the Gough family headstone.

Joseph Andrew married **Mary Evelyn**. Born in 1896. Mary Evelyn died in 1971; she was 75. Buried in Portugese Cove.

On 28 Oct 1905 when Sarah Ellen was 40, she second married **James Alexander O'Connell** in Halifax, NS. Born in Jun 1869 in Halifax, NS. Occupation: Cooper.

Widower, age 35, at the time of marriage to Sarah Flack. Born Halifax, s/o James and Elizabeth.

They had the following children:

- i. Walter. Born in Mar 1906 in Halifax NS. There is a Walter and Mrs. Walter O'Connell in the 1957 and 1965 voters lists, Halifax.
- ii. John Alexander. Born in Sep 1907 in Halifax NS. John Alexander died in Halifax, NS, on 24 Feb 1933; he was 25. Buried in Fairview. Marriage is recorded in the NS Historical Vital Statistics, parents listed as James and Sarah Gough.

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Death certificate, NS Historical Vital Statistics, informant Walter O'Connell, Halifax, brother.

On 9 Sep 1931 when John Alexander was 24, he married **Maria Buffett Evans** in Halifax, NS. Born in 1907 in Newfoundland.

Maria O'Connell, widow, age 30, stenographer, b. Newfoundland, d/o James Evans and Annie Buffett, res Halifax, md 18 May 1937 in Clifton, Col. Co. to Alfred Douglas MacPhee, bachelor, 24, b. Truro, res Truro, s/o Elmer MacPhee, b. Shubenacadie and Gladys Louise Mackenzie, witnesses Mr. and Mrs. Elmer MacPhee, Truro, NS.

- iii. Frederick Charles. Born on 29 Aug 1909 in Halifax NS. Died 30 Nov. 1976. Burial in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Lower Sackville, NS

18. Nicholas Holland Howe Gough (*Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born in Feb 1867 in Hammonds Plains, N.S. Nicholas Holland Howe died in Halifax, N.S., on 3 Jan 1966; he was 98. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, NS.

"Nicholas Holland Gough, 98, one of the oldest residents of northend Halifax, died at his home, 6026 Almon Street, after a short illness. Mr. Gough, born at Hammonds Plains in 1867, was the son of Thomas and Isabel (Boutilier) Gough. He was the great nephew of Anthony Holland, who established one of the first newspapers in Nova Scotia, and the last remaining member of a family of 11. A brother, Dr. Philip Gough, was a past deputy mayor of Halifax. Mr. Gough came to Halifax in 1868 and lived on Almon Street since then. All surviving members of his family also live there. He worked as a contractor with the late Evi Evans, building some of the older homes in northend Halifax. In later years he was superintendent with the firm of W. G. Foley and Son until his retirement in 1950. In politics he served from 1908 to 1911 as chairman of the Progressive Conservative Party in Halifax North.

Mr. Gough is survived by two sons, William and Arthur, at home; three daughters, Kathleen (Mrs. Harry Atkins), Margaret (Mrs. Harold Creaser), and Ethel (Mrs. John MacDonald), 15 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren, all living on Almon Street. He was predeceased by his wife 11 months ago in her 100th year. Two daughters, Florence and Alma, died in infancy."

1921 census Halifax Nicholas 54, Agnes 54, William 26, Arthur 16, Margaret 23

In Jul 1890 when Nicholas Holland Howe was 23, he married **Agnes Isabel Ferguson**. Born on 18 Sep 1865. Agnes Isabel died in Halifax, Nova Scotia, on 31 Jan 1965; she was 99. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S.

They had the following children:

- 50
- i. Florence (Died as Child). Born in 1891 in Halifax, N.S. Florence died in Halifax, N.S., in 1901; she was 10.
 - ii. Kathleen Clarissa (4 Apr 1893-22 Mar 1996)
 - iii. William James. Born in Jan 1895 in Halifax, N.S. William James died in Halifax, N.S., on 21 Mar 1969; he was 74. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S. One stepson, George Mosher.

On 26 Sep 1928 when William James was 33, he married **Laura Annetta Shay** in Halifax, NS. Born in 1896 in Windsor, Hants Co., NS. Laura Annetta died in Halifax, NS, on 23 Jan 1946; she was 50. Buried in St. John's Cemetery, Halifax.

- iv. Margaret Annie. Born in Mar 1898 in Halifax, N.S. Margaret Annie died in Halifax, N.S., on 19 Mar 1980; she was 82. Buried in St. Johns Cemetery, Fairview, Halifax.
On 15 Sep 1925 when Margaret Annie was 27, she married **James "Harold" Creaser** in Halifax, NS. Born on 17 Jul 1898 in Riverport, Dublin Shore, Lunenburg Co., NS. James "Harold" died in Halifax, N.S., on 9 May 1977; he was 78. Buried in St. Johns Fairview

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Cemetery, Halifax, N.S. Occupation: Grocer.

Son of William and Margaret (Romkey) Creaser.

- v. Alma (Died as Infant). Born in 1901 in Halifax, N.S. Alma died in Halifax, N.S., in Feb 1901; she was <1.
- 51** vi. Ethel Gladys (1 Mar 1902-1984)
- vii. Arthur N. Born in Apr 1905 in Halifax, N.S. Arthur N. died in Halifax, N.S., on 5 Apr 1995; he was 90. He was never married.
He worked for his father for many years in the construction business.

19. Arthur McQuaid Gough (*Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 6 Jun 1872 in Halifax, N.S. Arthur McQuaid died in Halifax, N.S., on 10 Jan 1918; he was 45. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, NS.

Arthur died from severe head injuries sustained during the Halifax Explosion, Dec. 6, 1917. He was a car repairer, Canadian Government Railway. He was living at 645 Kempt Road at that time. He was a member of Trinity Anglican. He was survived by wife Elizabeth Curry (in insane asylum), children Jean and Kathleen, siblings Mrs. Keating and Daniel Gough (although that list is not complete) and mother Mrs. Isabella Gough (Obituary, Halifax Herald, Jan. 12, 1918, p. 12, GANS Publication, Victims of the Halifax Explosion).

Jean and Kathleen (Kaye) were raised by their grandmother Isabel Gough after the explosion.

On 12 Feb 1907 when Arthur McQuaid was 34, he married **Elizabeth Sarah Currie** in St. Matthias Church, Halifax. Born on 29 Jun 1884. Elizabeth Sarah died in Halifax, NS, on 28 Dec 1919; she was 35. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S.

Daughter of George Christopher Currie of Shubenacadie and Mary Amanda Bond. Elizabeth died as a result of injuries sustained in the Halifax explosion.

They had the following children:

- i. Frederick Arthur (Died as Child). Born on 25 Nov 1908. Frederick Arthur died in Halifax, Nova Scotia, on 22 Nov 1914; he was 5. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, NS.
Died of diphtheria.
- 52** ii. Jean Elizabeth (21 Apr 1911-8 Sep 1999)
- 53** iii. Kathleen Elizabeth (12 May 1913-14 May 2002)

20. Dr. Philip Anthony Gough (*Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 27 Nov 1881 in Halifax, N.S. Philip Anthony died in Halifax, N.S., on 3 May 1939; he was 57. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S. Occupation: Col., US Army; Veterinarian; Deputy Mayor, Halifax.

1921 census Halifax P A Gough 38 occupation veterinary, Bessie wife 26.

Death certificate, NSHVS. Residence 623 Robie St., Halifax. Married. Cause of death Cerebral hemorrhage, May 3, 1939. Occupation Veterinary surgeon 31 years, last date of work May 3, 1939. Father Thomas A. Gough, birthplace Bedford, mother Isabella Boutilier, birthplace St. Margaret's Bay. Burial St. Johns. Informant John Gough, 623 Robie St., brother.

In 1915 when Philip Anthony was 33, he married **Bessie Elizabeth MacAvoy**. Born on 26 Oct 1897 in Halifax, NS.

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Daughter of John and Mary (Wambolt) MacAvoy.

They had one child:

- 54** i. Lloyd George (12 May 1921-21 May 2017)

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21. Emma Sophia Thomson (*Mary Eliza Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 25 Oct 1875 in Hammond's Plains, NS. Emma Sophia died in Hammond's Plains, NS, on 3 Nov 1945; she was 70. Buried in Hammond's Plains Baptist Cemetery, NS.

1911 census, Hammond's Plains: Boutilier Robert, Head, b. Sep. 1864, ae. 46, Emma, Wife, b. Oct, 1871, ae. 39.

On 26 Jun 1907 when Emma Sophia was 31, she married **Robert Edward Boutilier** in Hammond's Plains Baptist. Born in 1866 in St. Margaret's Bay, Hfx. Co., NS. Robert Edward died in Hammond's Plains, NS, on 18 May 1913; he was 47. Buried in Hammonds Plains Baptist Cemetery, N.S. Occupation: Cooper (1907, 1913).

Son of Edward (occupation fishing) and Mary Boutilier.

They had the following children:

- 55** i. Charles Edward "Laird" (1911-20 Aug 1956)
56 ii. Tremaine (1913-1997)

Family of Philip Goff (7) & Sarah Ann Gates

22. Mary Ellen Goff (*Philip³, Thomas², John¹*). Born in May 1863 in Waverly, NS. Mary Ellen died in 1951; she was 87. Buried in Hope's Rest Cemetery, Rock (Middleborough), MA. Residence: US (1882), Middleborough, MA.

Mary E., age 7, and her sister Sarah Ann, age 4, were residing in the household of William and Hannah Goff, Goffs, Guysborough Road, in the 1871 census, and in the 1881 census, Mary E., age 17, and Sarah Ann, age 14, were residing with Phillip Goff, Windsor Road.

Marriages, NEHGS Archives, Nov. 25, 1885, Carver, MA, Mary E. R. Goff, 22, b. Waverly, NS, father Philip, mother Sarah A., Jabez F. Smith, 27, b Middleborough, MA, res. Middleborough, parents Jabez and Jane.

1910 US census, Highland St., Middleborough, MA: Mary E Smith, head, 45, widowed, born Canada, farmer, Ethel M. dau, 24, married 5 years, 1 child living, Lizzie E., dau. 22, single, Alton, son, 18, wood worker in saw mill, single, Cleon, son, 15, single.

1920 US census, Spruce St., Middleborough, MA, Mary E Smith, 56, widowed, immigrated 1882, b. Canada, parents b. Canada, Cleon Smith, 25, single, house carpenter, b. Mass., mother b. Canada. Also Lizzie E Smith, housekeeper, 31, single, in the home of Harold and Gertrude Lovell, Middleboro, MA.

1930 US census, Spruce St., Middleboro, MA, Mary E Smith, head, 65, widowed, age at 1st marriage 23, b. Canada, parents b. Canada, immigrated 1882, Cleon P., son, 35, single, carpenter. Also Benson St., Middleborough, MA (beside Mary and Cleon), Tremaine Smith, 37, married, age at 1st marriage 28, b. MA mother b. Canada, teamster,

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veteran, Martha, wife, 34, age at 1st marriage 25, b. Mass., Marion, dau. 8, Tremaine Jr., 7.

A descendant of Phillip Goff, Dorothy Elizabeth (Bolster) Laughton (Mrs. Kenneth Laughton), RFD 2, Box 638, Tutney, VT, 05346, visited N.S. in Aug., 1986 and spoke to Everill M. Goff about the family. She was a granddaughter of Ethel Mae (Smith) Barrows through her daughter Verna May (Barrows) Bolster. Ethel May (Smith) Barrows was a granddaughter of Phillip through his daughter Mary Ellen (Goff) Smith.

On 25 Nov 1885 when Mary Ellen was 22, she married **Jabez "Frank" Smith** in Carver, Mass. Born in 1858 in Middleboro, Mass. Jabez "Frank" died in Middleboro, Mass., on 14 Jun 1905; he was 47. Buried in Hope's Rest Cemetery, Rock (Middleborough), MA.

He was a son of Jabez Smith and Jane T Bosworth, Middleborough, MA.

Children's births recorded in the New England Historical Genealogical Society on-line archives - as father Jabez F., mother Mary E. (Goff), b. Nova Scotia.

1900 US census: Highland St., Middleborough, MA. Jabez, b. June 1858, married 14 years, Teamster, Mary, wife, b. May 1863 NS, married 14 years, 4 children all living, parents b. NS, immigrated 1882, Ethel M., dau., b. Sep 1886, Lizzie, dau., b. Mar 1888, Tremaine A., b. Nov 1891, Cleon, b. July 1894.

Death listed in New England Historical Genealogical Society on-line archives, cause of death suicide by hanging.

Hope's Rest Cemetery, Rock, Mass.

Smith

1858 J Frank Smith 1905

1863 Mary E his wife 1951

1894 Cleon P Smith 1989

1922 Marion Gould 2005

(note: Marion Gould must be the daughter of Alton Tremaine Smith)

Barrows

1859 Zilpha E 1902

1882 Lucy E 1884

1879 Florence A 1886

1886 Baby 1886

1883 Myrta L 1903

(note: The baby whose dates on the stone read 1886 to 1886 is probably the male Barrows born Feb. 18, 1887 and died Feb. 21, 1887. I think the stone was put up after the Mother died. I couldn't find a child for Lewin and Zilpha in 1886.)

Son of Fred and Ethel

Warren F Barrows

Feb. 28, 1907 Mar. 14, 1907

(note: this stone in front of the Barrows stone)

They had the following children:

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| 57 | i. | Ethel May (27 Sep 1886-15 Mar 1971) |
| | ii. | Lizzie F. Born on 14 Mar 1888 in Middleborough, MA. |
| 58 | iii. | Alton "Tremaine" (24 Nov 1891-1 May 1970) |
| | iv. | Cleon Preston. Born on 28 Jul 1894 in Middleborough, MA. Cleon Preston died in Middleborough, MA, on 18 Sep 1989; he was 95. |
| | | Single, Highland St., Middleboro, Mass., June 5 1917 (WW1 draft registration card) |

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1930 census, Middleboro, MA, Single, living with mother.

23. Sarah Ann ("Annie") Goff (*Philip*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 13 Apr 1867 in Waverly, NS. Sarah Ann ("Annie") died in North Adams, Mass., on 28 Nov 1895; she was 28. Residence: Providence, RI.

Sarah Ann, age 4, and her sister Mary E., age 7, were residing in the household of William and Hannah Goff, Goffs, Guysborough Road, in the 1871 census, and in the 1881 census Sarah, age 14, and Mary E., age 17, were residing with Phillip Goff, Windsor Road.

Mass. marriage records: July 31, 1887 in So. Middleboro, Massachusetts. Groom: William Eastham, age 27, 1st marriage, residence: Taunton, occupation: overseer, born in Preston, England, Father Mathew, Mother Caroline. Bride: Sarah Annie Goff, age 21, 1st marriage, residence: Taunton, occupation: weaver, born in Nova Scotia, Father Philip, Mother Sarah Annie
Married by Ephraim A Hunt, Justice of the peace, So. Middleboro.

Mass. death record: 1895 Vol. 454 page 87 #337 North Adams, Massachusetts

Date of death: Nov. 28, 1895

Sarah A Eastham, name of husband William, age 28 years, born in East Halifax, Nova Scotia, occupation: housewife, residence: North Adams, Father and Mothers are not named, both born in Nova Scotia. Cause of death: Peritonitis

Sailing lists from Nova Scotia to Boston:

19 Aug 1895: Mrs. W J Eastham age 26, female, married, last residence: Providence, final destination: Providence
Gurtrude Eastham age 3, female, single, last residence: Providence, final destination: Providence.
Clifford Eastham age 5, male, single, last residence: Providence, final destination: Providence.

26 Aug 1896: Miss E A Gough, age 40, female, nationality N. S., last residence: R. I. destination: R. I., occupation :Tourist
Clifford Eastham age 6, male, nationality Ame., last residence: R. I. destination: R. I., occupation: Tourist
Gurtrude Eastham age 4, female, nationality N. S., last residence: R. I. destination: R. I., occupation: Tourist

10 Apr 1902: Miss E A Goff age 38, female, single, tourist, able to read and write: yes, nationality: Can, last residence: Can, sea port for landing: Boston, final destination in the U. S.: Mass.
Clifford Eastham age 12, female, single, tourist, able to read and write: yes, nationality: U S, last residence :U S, sea port for landing: Boston, final destination in the U. S.: Mass.
Gurtie Eastham age 10, female, single, tourist, able to read and write: yes, nationality: U S , last residence: U S, sea port for landing: Boston, final destination in the U. S.: Mass.

On 31 Jul 1887 when Sarah Ann ("Annie") was 20, she married **William "John" Eastham** in So. Middleboro, Mass. Born on 23 Feb 1862 in Preston, England. William "John" died in New Bedford, MA, on 3 Jul 1912; he was 50. Occupation: Mill Operator. Residence: Providence, RI (1892-1908); Montpelier, VT (1909).

s/o Matthew and Caroline Eastham. Christened 9 March 1862 Christ Church, Preston, Lancashire, England.

1871 England census, living in Preston, Lancashire County, Matthew Eastham, age 39, Caroline Eastham age 35, Elizabeth Eastham age 15, Jane Eastham age 12, Mary A Eastham age 10, William J Eastham age 9

1896 Providence house Directory Matthew Eastham, William J. Eastham and Eliza A. Goff, all boarding.

1900 US census, 273 Carpenter St., Providence, Rhode Island, William Eastham, born Feb. 1861 in England, age

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39, widowed, Father and Mother born in England, immigration date to U. S. 1883, 17 years in U. S., occupation: Supt. Cotton mill, owned or rented: rent.

Clifford Eastham, son, born June 1890 in Connecticut, age 9, Father born in England, Mother born in Nova Scotia, occupation, at school.

Gertrude L Eastham, daughter, born Nov. 1891 in Massachusetts, age 8, Father born in England, Mother born in Nova Scotia, occupation, at school.

Matthew Eastham, father, born May 1831 in England, age 69, widowed, Father and Mother born in England, immigration date to U. S. 1883, 17 years in U. S., occupation, watchman.

Eliza E Goff, boarder, born Oct. 1855 in Nova Scotia, age 44, Father and Mother born in Nova Scotia, occupation: housekeeper.

Mary A Blanchard, boarder, born May 1872 in Connecticut, age 28, Father born in Connecticut, Mother born in New York, occupation nurse.

1905 Rhode Island State census, living in Providence, Rhode Island.

William J. Eastham, age, 43 born Feb.23, 1862 in England, widowed,

Clifford E Eastham. Age 15, born June 4, 1889 in Connecticut, single.

Gertrude L Eastham age 13, born Nov. 20, 1891 in Massachusetts, single.

Eliza A Goff, age 49, born Oct.18, 1855 in Nova Scotia, single.

Nov. 23, 1905 Marriage of William John Eastham to Cora Abbie Abbott registered in Providence, R. I., William age, 43, 2nd marriage, widowed, living in Providence, cotton m'f'r, born in England. Father: Matthew, Mother: Caroline. Cora age 45, 2nd marriage, divorced, living in Providence, born in Moretown, Vermont, Father: James O. Sleeper, Mother: Esther M.

Massachusetts Death Certificate, William J Eastham, 28 Viall St., New Bedford, b 1862 England, Retired mill superintendent, divorced, died 3 July 1912, St. Luke's Hospital, cirrhosis of the liver, parents names unknown, informant Herbert Pemberton, 28 Viall St., New Bedford. Burial rural cemetery.

They had the following children:

- i. Leroy N. (Died as Infant). Born on 9 Aug 1888 in Berkeley (Cumberland), Rhode Island. Leroy N. died in Grosvenor Dale (Thompson), Connecticut, on 16 Sep 1888; he was <1. Source: Town Hall, Thompson, Connecticut
- ii. Clifford Earl. Born on 4 Jun 1889 in Grosvenor Dale (Thompson), Connecticut. WW I Draft Card dated June 5, 1917
Name: Clifford Earl Eastham, age 28, home address: 25 Hoyle Street, Providence, R. I.
Date of birth: June 4, 1889, natural born citizen, where born: Grosvenordale, Conn. U. S.
A. occupation: cotton classer, by whom employer: no one, where employed: no
where, have you a father, mother, wife, child under 12 or a sister or brother under 12,
solely dependent on your support (specify which)?: wife, married or single: married.

"Clifford died of the great Influenza epidemic after world war I." (Sharon Graham, Oct. 23, 2014)

- 59 iii. Gertrude Lillian (20 Nov 1891-May 1977)

Family of Eleanor (Ellen) Goff (8) & James Bambrick

24. Elizabeth Mary Bambrick (*Eleanor (Ellen) Goff*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 3 May 1871 in Sheet Harbour,

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NS. Elizabeth Mary died in South Manchester, Guysborough Co., NS, on 21 Oct 1899; she was 28. Buried in Manchester Cemetery, Port Shoreham Church.

NS Historical Vital Statistics, d/o James Bambrick and Ellen Goff

On 14 May 1894 when Elizabeth Mary was 23, she married **William "Fenwick" Scranton** in Manchester, Guysborough Co., NS. Born on 2 Oct 1866 in Manchester, Guysborough Co., NS. William "Fenwick" died in Manchester, Guysborough Co., NS, on 1 May 1938; he was 71. Residence: South Manchester, Guysborough Co.

Son of David and Rebecca (Simpson), in marriage register to Elizabeth Bambrick.

William F. Scranton (33, b. Manchester, s/o David and Rebecca), widower, married May 30 1900 in Guysborough to Mary May Crane.

The Eastern Chronicle, New Glasgow, N.S., Thursday, 13 Aug., 1942 Mrs. Burgess Newson, South Manchester, Guys. Co.

A wide circle of friends learned with regret of the passing of Mrs. Burgess Newson at her home at North River, P.E.I.

The deceased who previous to her marriage to Mr. Newson only eight months ago, was Mrs. Mae Scranton, widow of Fenwick Scranton of South Manchester.

She was born in Harbour Grace, Nfld., 63 years ago and was the former Mary Margaret Crane.

The late Mrs. Newson was held in high esteem, was of a jovial and kindly disposition and possessed many fine qualities.

She was a member of the Boylston Baptist Church and while residing in Manchester, was a faithful and active member of the Boylston Branch of the Red Cross Society.

Surviving besides her husband are three sons, Chas. Scranton, North River, P.E.I.; Henry, South Manchester and Ernest, Guysboro and one brother, Chas. Crane, Carbonear, Nfld.

The remains were brought to Manchester and the funeral service was held in the Manchester Baptist Church, conducted by her pastor, Rev. A. E. Todd, of the North River Church. Her three sons were pall bearers and they were assisted by Hoyt McPherson, a friend of the family. Interment was in Manchester cemetery.

Manchester Cemetery: Fenwick Scranton Oct 5, 1866 - May 1, 1938
Wife May Crane Oct. 15, 1876 - Aug. 6, 1942

Scranton, Elizabeth May, d. Oct. 21, 1899, 28 years
wife of Fenwick

There is also a Scranton, Ernest Roy, Apr 22, 1895 - Mar 30, 1965, Manchester Cemetery, no other names on headstone.

Ernest Roy G. Scranton, bachelor, butcher, res Guysboro, b. Manchester, s/o Fenwick Scranton and Mary Bambrick, md 7 Aug 1920 Guysboro Minnie Ehler, 25 b. Queensport, s/o John, b. Queensport, and Mary Ryter (NSHVS). 1901 census Scranton Fenwick b. Oct 5 1866, Mary wife b. Oct 10 1876, Ernest son b. Apr. 24, 1895.

NSHVS Henry Scranton b Apr 30, 1902, s/o Fenwick Scranton and May Crane.

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Charles Scranton, s/o Fenwick and May Crane, b. Jan. 1, 1916, d. Dec 10 2013.

Charlie Scranton Prince Edward Island

The year 1916 started off early for Charles Scranton. He was born at the stroke of midnight on January 1st at his ancestral homestead overlooking the Atlantic Ocean in Guysborough, Nova Scotia.

Agriculture was to be his forte, and at the early age of fifteen he was managing the family farm and fishing for salmon and lobster.

Following graduation from Guysborough Academy, Mr. Scranton studied agriculture at the Nova Scotia Agricultural College and business at Northern Vocational School in Toronto. Following service with the Armed Forces in World War II, he began a 32 year career with the Federal Government of Canada. His first position was that of Poultry Fieldman and as time progressed he became promoted to the position of Inspector in Charge of the Poultry Division of Agriculture Canada for P. E. I.

Mr. Scranton retired early to devote his full time to the raising and promotion of Hereford cattle. The high quality Herefords of Scranton Park Ranch have achieved national fame. They have captured such outstanding honours as Junior Champion Male, Reserve and Grand Champion Male and best two bulls of the show at the Royal Winter Fair in 1972. Since this time Scranton Park Herefords have become famous not only in the Scranton herd but also in the herds of other breeders.

Much of Mr. Scranton's life has been spent in service to his community, his church and his fellow man. In 1936 he became the first President of the Guysborough Credit Union. At present he is on the fellowship of Deacons of the First Baptist Church in Charlottetown and Past Vice-president of the Maritime Baptist Convention.

Mr. Scranton is a gifted orator and has on many occasions received the honour of being chosen as guest speaker. Two of such occasions were the Bicentennial Celebrations for the oldest Baptist Church in Canada in Sackville, New Brunswick and the Annual Convention of the Hereford Association in 1979.

Mr. Scranton's wisdom and guidance have given encouragement to many young farmers. His endeavours range from finding a farm for a stranded immigrant, to judging livestock and poultry at the exhibitions. He has continuously, for the past 36 years, judged poultry at the Charlottetown Exhibition.

He is a Director of the Canadian Hereford Association representing Eastern Canada, a Director on the Advisory Board for Record of Performance of Beef Cattle for Canada, President of the P.E.I. Easter Beef Show and Sale and Immediate Past President of the Maritime Beef Testing Society where he has been a Director for seven years. Mr. Scranton is also a Director of the Prince Edward Island Federation of Agriculture. For 10 years he was Secretary-Treasurer of the P.E.I. Hereford Assoc.

Mr. Scranton is married to the former Helen MacKeen. They have two sons - Blair of Edmonton, Alberta and Robert of Cornwall, Ontario.

Scranton Park Ranch visitors are always given a warm welcome by both Charlie and Helen.

His enthusiasm and dedication to agriculture continues to earn Charlie the admiration and respect of his contemporaries throughout North America.

Charlie Scranton passed away Dec. 10, 2013 at the Queen Elizabeth Hospital in Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island.

Charlie was named to the Order of Canada in 2007. He was inducted into the Atlantic Agricultural Hall of Fame in 1982. He has been recognized by a number of organizations including the PEI Institute of Agrologists, the Canadian Hereford Association and the PEI Easter Beef Show & Sale.

Charlie is survived by his sons Blair (Valerie) and Bob (Dawn). He will be lovingly remembered by his grandchildren: Robbie, Heather, Lance, Kim, Natalie, Andrew, Natasha and Ryan, by his 19 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

He was predeceased by his wife, Helen MacKeen, and by his brothers, Ernest R. Scranton and Henry Scranton.

They had one child:

- 60** i. Ernest Roy G. (22 Apr 1895-30 Mar 1965)

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25. Margaret Ellen Bambrick (*Eleanor (Ellen) Goff⁸, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 14 Aug 1873 in Sheet Harbour, Halifax Co., NS. Margaret Ellen died in Yuma, AZ, on 17 Apr 1911; she was 37.

On 25 Dec 1895 when Margaret Ellen was 22, she married **George Sylvester Peterkin** in Corona, CA. Born on 12 Jul 1868 in Troy, Rensselaer, NY. George Sylvester died in Yuma, AZ, on 21 Sep 1926; he was 58.

1900 census Yuma, Arizona, Peterkin George S (b. New York) 32, Madge E (b. Canada) 32, Clara E (b. California) 5.

1910 census Yuma, Arizona, Peterkin George S (b. New York) 41, Madge E (b. Canada) 37, Clair I (b. California) 13.

They had one child:

- 61** i. Sinclair (Clair) Irwin (18 Dec 1896-25 Dec 1974)

26. David Bambrick (*Eleanor (Ellen) Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born in Sep 1876 in Bay Of Islands, Newfoundland. David died in Nova Scotia, 10 Nov 1918; he was 41. Buried in Gaspereau Cemetery, Kings Co., NS. Occupation: Mill Man (1906); Cooper (1911). Residence: Hammonds Plains (1906); Gaspereaux (1911).

In 1891, David Bambrick age 15 is in the home of Charles Thomson, age 63, and Mary (Goff) age 61, Hammonds Plains, with Martha Thomson 28, and Emma Thomson 18. Mary Thomson was David's aunt.

Marriage from the NS Historical Vital Statistics, s/o James and Ellen. The stated birthplace of Newfoundland is curious. The record of birth of son Ronald also lists David's place of birth as Newfoundland and of son Richard it is specified as Bay of Islands.

1911 census Horton Bambrick David 37, Florence 37, Ronald (son), b. Nov. 1909.

On 19 Jun 1906 when David was 29, he married **Florence May Richardson** in Oakfield, NS. Born on 2 Jun 1873 in Halifax, N.S. Florence May died in Melanson, Kings Co., NS, on 22 Oct 1953; she was 80. Buried in Gaspereau, NS.

Florence was a daughter of Richard Richardson, of Bedford, and Sarah Hopewell (NSHVS).

Richard Richardson married Sarah Hopewell, daughter of Andrew Hopewell and Eliza Houghton, in Nov 25, 1869. Sarah Hopewell was born on Apr 8, 1845 in Sackville and died on May 7, 1880 at Bedford, Nova Scotia. Eliza Houghton was born on Aug 17, 1807 in Chester, Lunenburg Co., Nova Scotia, Canada, the daughter of Willard Houghton and Susanna Webber (b. 17 Dec 1772, d. 13 Aug 1849). Eliza married Andrew Hopewell in Oct 11, 1837. Eliza Houghton died on Feb 21, 1869 at Sackville, Nova Scotia. Willard Houghton was born on May 3, 1767 in Chester, Lunenburg Co., Nova Scotia, Canada, the son of Capt. Timothy Houghton and Eunice Whitcomb (b. 10 Dec 1733, d. 8 Oct 1815). Willard married Susanna Webber in Dec 2, 1795 at Chester. He died on Feb 12, 1852 at Chester, and was buried at United Baptist Cemetery, Sackville Nova Scotia. Capt. Timothy Houghton was born on Aug 21, 1727 in Lancaster, Worcester Co., MA, USA. He married Eunice Whitcomb in Jan 13, 1751. He was in military service in between 1756 and 1758 in Nova Scotia and immigrated on Aug 4, 1759 to Chester, Lunenburg Co., Nova Scotia. He died on May 10, 1780 at Halifax, and was buried at Old Burial Ground, Halifax, Nova Scotia (Houghton Family genealogy).

Florence was a widow at time of her death (NSHVS).

They had the following children:

- 62** i. Eric (Died as Infant).
 ii. Ronald Hopewell (30 Nov 1909-3 Apr 1993)

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- iii. Richard "Whitman". Born on 18 Jun 1912 in Gaspereau, Kings Co., NS. Richard "Whitman" died in Gaspereau, Kings Co., NS, in 1965; he was 52. Buried in Gasperaux, Kings Co., NS.
 AXMOTH DAVISON was born 11 September 1893 in Kings County, Nova Scotia, and died 6 March 1978 in Wolfville, Kings County, Nova Scotia. He married LOTTIE MAY STIVERS 18 May 1913 in Kings County, Nova Scotia, daughter of ROBIE STIVERS and LILLIAN BISHOP. She was born 10 September 1896 in Gaspereau, Kings County, Nova Scotia, and died 2 June 1971 in Gaspereau, Kings County, Nova Scotia.

Their daughter HAZEL STELLA DAVISON, b. 14 March 1917, Gaspereau, Kings County, Nova Scotia; d. 20 January 1971; m. WHITMAN R. BAMBRICK, 1 January 1938, Kings County, Nova Scotia; b. 1912, Horton, Kings County, NS; d. 1965, Gaspereau, Kings County, Nova Scotia.

On 1 Jan 1938 when Richard "Whitman" was 25, he married **Hazel Stella Davison** in Melanson, Kings Co., NS. Born on 14 Mar 1917 in Gasperaux, Kings Co., NS. Hazel Stella died in Gasperaux, Kings Co., NS, on 20 Jan 1971; she was 53.

- iv. Dorothy Thompson. Born in 1915 in Wallbrook, Kings Co., NS. Dorothy Thompson died in Bridgetown, Annapolis Co., NS, on 24 Oct 2005; she was 90.
 Dorothy Saunders (Daughter) was informant of the death of Florence Bambrick.

Kingston North Cemetery: same Tombstone:

Edmund B. Saunders, 1843 - 1912,
 his wife, Charlotte Ann, 1853 - 1933,
 William E., 1881 - 1962,
 his wife, Laura W., 1875 - 1970,
 Ada Berneice, 1906 - 1995 ,
 Everett Milton, 1909 - 2004 ,
 Murray Balcom, 1914 - 2006,
 his wife, Dorothy Bambrick, 1915 - 2005

Obituary index, Halifax Herald 26 Oct 2005

Dorothy Thompson married **Murray Balcom Saunders**. Born in 1914 in North Kingston, NS. Murray Balcom died in Middleton, NS, on 23 Apr 2006; he was 92.

Son of William and Laura (Woodworth) Saunders

Obituary index, SAUNDERS, Murray Balcom; 91; Middleton NS; Chron-Herald; 2006-4-24.

- 63 v. Weldon Robert C. (1917-2 Mar 2013)

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27. William Holland Pirie (*Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 8 Nov 1871 in Montague Mines, NS. William Holland died in Halifax, N.S., on 28 Nov 1964; he was 93. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S. Occupation: Car Foreman, CNR.

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Single, at home, in 1901 census. Son Walter was born in 1901.

William and Clara are in the 1911 census beside Walter and Catherine Pirie, with children Walter, Jean, Ruth, Grace and Sadie. Walter and Sadie died in the Halifax Explosion 1917.

In 1901 when William Holland was 29, he married **Clara May Hartlen**. Born on 21 Oct 1873 in Halifax, NS. Clara May died in Halifax, N.S., on 30 Jul 1951; she was 77. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S.

They had the following children:

- i. Walter (Died as Child). Born in Dec 1901 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Walter died in Halifax, Nova Scotia, on 6 Dec 1917; he was 16. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S. Residence: 50 N. Albert At The Time Of The Explosion. Walter was killed in the Halifax explosion.
- 64** ii. Jean (3 Apr 1904-16 Feb 1970)
- 65** iii. Ruth (7 Sep 1905-4 Feb 2000)
- 66** iv. Grace (11 Oct 1906-)
- v. Sadie (Died as Child). Born in Mar 1910 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Sadie died in Halifax, Nova Scotia, on 6 Dec 1917; she was 7. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S. Residence: 50 N. Albert At The Time Of The Explosion. Sadie was killed in the Halifax explosion.
- vi. Norman (Died as Infant). Born in Aug 1912 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Norman died in Halifax, Nova Scotia, on 30 Dec 1912; he was <1. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S.
- 67** vii. George Grant (1915-28 Oct 1989)

28. Norman Bruce Pirie (*Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 20 Jul 1876 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Norman Bruce died in Halifax, Nova Scotia, on 30 Dec 1902; he was 26.

Norman Bruce was born July 20 1876 according to the Pirie family bible. Harriett was born in Nov. 20 1874 according to the Pirie family bible, but Nov. 20, 1875 from NSHVS. If so, then, Norman Bruce could not have been born July 20 1876.

Brakesman Norman Pirie Meets With Fatal Accident

Falls between two cars and both legs severed – died at the hospital.

Norman Pirie, brakesman, met with a fatal accident this morning while in the discharge of his duty. The hour was early – 5:30 o'clock. It was dark and raining and shunting, always dangerous, was particularly so this morning. Pirie was engaged at the time disconnecting a coal hopper from a train of cars. He had accomplished the task but slipped from the other car and fell between it and the detached hopper, and the latter went over the unfortunate man, severing both legs. He was discovered on the track immediately after by his comrades. Dr. Hawkins was summoned and he did all he could to allay the sufferings of the man, He stopped the flow of blood, and ordered the ambulance from the Victoria Hospital, and the patient was conveyed to that institution with all despatch. The handsome black horse attached to the ambulance was driven at its limit and the gong sounded as it passed rapidly along the streets. The superintendent and the house surgeon had made preparations to receive the patient, and everything was done to save his life. Pirie was conscious to the last. His condition, however, was hopeless and his family was summoned. His father and mother were at the bedside when death came. The deceased was the son of Walter Pirie, switchman at North Street Depot. He was a young man of good habits and was generally well liked. He resided with his wife at 10 North Albert Street. He was married less than a year. David A.

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Pirie and Arthur Pirie, clerks in the office of the D.A.R. and William Pirie, carpenter, I.C.R. are brothers of the deceased. They reside with their father at 10 North Albert Street. The deceased was a member of the Railway Employees Association.

The Medical Examiner for Halifax record was dated Jan. 5, 1903.

In 1902 when Norman Bruce was 25, he married **Bessie Hurshman**. Born on 26 Mar 1873 in Halifax N.S. Bessie died in Halifax N.S., on 12 Jul 1951; she was 78.

Daughter of James Hurshman and Sarah Boutilier.

They had one child:

- 68** i. Muriel Blanche (1902-)

29. Blanche Isabel Pirie (*Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 24 Sep 1878 in Halifax, NS. Blanche Isabel died in Halifax NS, on 13 Apr 1969; she was 90. Buried in St. Johns Cemetery, Fairview, Halifax.

On 24 Apr 1903 when Blanche Isabel was 24, she married **John Lawrence Hill** in Halifax, NS. John Lawrence died in Halifax, NS, on 30 Apr 1945; he was 78. Born on 4 Mar 1867 in Fort York (Toronto), ON. Buried in St. Johns Cemetery, Fairview, Halifax. Residence: Corner Of Charles And Hunter Sts., Halifax.

They had the following children:

- i. Frederick Roosevelt. Frederick Roosevelt died in Oklahoma on 20 Dec 1975; he was 71. Born on 21 Feb 1904 in Halifax, N.S.
 Frederick Roosevelt married **Edith Johnson**. Edith died in Mar 1976.
- 69** ii. Elizabeth Margaret "Betty" (16 May 1906-28 Jun 2002)
- 70** iii. Katherine Gertrude (5 Apr 1908-5 Mar 1989)
- iv. George Pirie (Died as Child). George Pirie died in Halifax NS, on 2 Jan 1925; he was 14. Born on 28 Jul 1910 in Halifax NS. Buried in St. Johns Cemetery, Fairview, Halifax.
- v. Florence Mabel. Born on 28 Oct 1911 in Halifax NS. Florence Mabel died in Halifax NS, on 3 Aug 2005; she was 93. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S. SPILLET (Hill), Florence - 93, passed away August 3, 2005, in Halifax. Daughter of John and Blanche (Pirie) Hill. She is survived by sisters, Blanche Chipman and Constance Hill, both of Halifax; nieces, Pat (Dyer) Holland, Katherine (Murray) Johnston, Heather and Lois Murray, Helen (Murray) Archibald, Nancy Chipman, as well as great-nieces and great-nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, Stanley Spillett; sisters, Elizabeth Dyer, Katherine Murray; brothers, Fred and George Hill. Florence has been a resident at St. Vincent's Guest House for 11 years and family members are most grateful for the unfailing good humour and tender care she received from her St. Vincent's family as well as for the kindness shown her relatives throughout her residency there. Cremation has taken place. There will be no visitation. Graveside service will be at a later date.
- 71** vi. Florence Mabel married **Stanley Spillett**. Born in Winnipeg, MB. Stanley died on 15 Feb 1980 in Toronto, ON.
- vii. Blanche (5 Feb 1918-19 Jun 2007)
- Constance Mary. Born on 11 Mar 1921 in Halifax NS. Constance Mary died in Halifax NS, on 29 Aug 2018; she was 97. Residence: Vancouver, BC, Halifax, NS. She was never married.

Constance (Connie) Mary Hill, daughter of Blanche Pirie Hill and John Hill, born March

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11, 1921 in Halifax, died August 29, 2018 also in Halifax. She is the last member of her generation. She worked for Canadian National Steamships Company in Halifax and Canadian National Railways in Montreal & Vancouver. She will be lovingly remembered by her nieces and their families. She was wonderfully cared for by the staff at Berkeley Gladstone. Donations in her memory can be made to CNIB. Her burial will be at on Wednesday September 5th at 2:30 in St. Johns Cemetery.

30. David "Arthur" Pirie (*Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 30 Dec 1880 in Halifax, NS. David "Arthur" died in Halifax, NS, on 22 Oct 1963; he was 82.

On 26 Nov 1906 when David "Arthur" was 25, he married **Joanna Cecelia Miller** in Halifax, NS. Born in Nov 1890. Joanna Cecelia died in Halifax NS, on 6 Sep 1961; she was 70.

They had the following children:

- i. Norman (Died as Infant). Born on 23 Oct 1908 in Halifax NS.
- ii. Madeline "Blanche". Born on 8 Dec 1909 in Halifax, NS. Madeline "Blanche" died in Halifax, NS, on 29 Mar 1999; she was 89. Buried in St. Johns Cemetery, Halifax. She was never married.
Blanche Pirie's obituary stated that she was survived by sisters May and Margaret, 4 nieces, 2 nephews, 6 grandnieces and grandnephews, 4 great grandnieces and great grandnephews, predeceased by brother James Gordon Pirie and several siblings in infancy. She will be lovingly remembered for her fine cooking, beautiful needlework, joy of laughter and love of travel, music and choir singing. Blanche was employed for many years in the Halifax office of Imperial Oil.
- iii. Catherine "May". Born on 12 Nov 1910 in Halifax NS. Catherine "May" died in Halifax NS, on 13 Nov 2005; she was 95. She was never married.
It is with great sadness that the nieces and nephews of May Pirie announce her death on Nov. 13, 2005. She was the last surviving member of her immediate family. Born in Halifax on Nov. 12, 1910, she was the devoted daughter of Arthur David and Joanna Cecilia (Miller) Pirie, and loving sister of Madeline Blanche, Margaret, and James Gordon. She was also predeceased by an infant brother Arthur. May is survived by and was an adored aunt to four nieces and two nephews and their spouses, Janet (Coutts), Madeline and Don (Womeldorf), David and Karen, Susan and Michael (Geislinger), Vivian and Reid (DeMerchant), and Andrew and Myrna. May's immediate and extended families were very important to her life. She was also an integral part of the lives of her four grand nephews Michael, Matthew, Justin and Christopher and two grand nieces Tara and Karen. May was a long time employee of Wm. Stairs, Son and Morrow until her retirement. She enjoyed traveling the world with her sisters throughout her life. Her last excursion was an unforgettable cruise to Alaska in 2004 with her nieces Susan and Madeline. May was an avid bridge player and would volunteer as a spare at any time. She read the paper with vigour every day and enjoyed the crossword puzzles immensely. She was knowledgeable about current affairs and politics and had an astute opinion on everything. Until her move from her home on London St., May was a member of J. Wesley Smith Memorial Church in Halifax. She and her sisters then continued to attend church at Bethany United. May was described by many who knew her as kind and friendly and a wonderful friend. She will be dearly missed. Her remains have been cremated.
- iv. Frank William (Died as Infant). Born on 10 Oct 1911 in Halifax, N.S. Frank William died in Halifax N.S., on 9 Feb 1912; he was <1.
- v. Margaret. Born on 26 Jun 1913 in Gabarus, Cape Breton, NS. Margaret died in Halifax

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NS, on 14 Dec 2002; she was 89. She was never married.

A graduate of the Nova Scotia Normal College with a teaching certificate she taught mainly at Alexandra School in Halifax and was instrumental in opening the first class for children with cerebral palsy. Margaret was active in many sports, tennis and curling and taught swimming for the City of Halifax, coaching basketball and field sports at Alexandra School. She was an avid bridge player and enjoyed travel and was active in Halifax Women Teacher's Club, Nova Scotia Teachers Union and Halifax City Teachers Credit Union and taught English at night school for new Canadians.

She was survived by six grandnieces and grandnephews.

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| 72 | vi. | James Gordon (1915-4 May 1992) |
| | vii. | Frances Jean (Died as Infant). Born in Jan 1916 in Halifax N.S. Frances Jean died in Halifax, N.S., on 30 Mar 1916; she was <1. |
| | viii. | Franklyn (Died as Infant). Born in Aug 1918 in Halifax NS. Franklyn died in Halifax NS, on 30 Sep 1918; he was <1. |
| | ix. | Arthur (Died as Infant).
Died in infancy. |

31. Clara Beatrice Pirie (*Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff^s, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 3 Dec 1882 in Halifax, NS. Clara Beatrice died in Waverley, NS, on 30 Jul 1969; she was 86.

Referred to by family as "Aunt Clade". She was remembered by Pat Holland, great niece, as a stern temperance lady of strong character. She visited with MD Goff frequently. She and Mary Jane (Marshall) MacPherson were good friends in Waverley. Mary Jane had grown up in the home of William and Hannah Goff.

On 5 Apr 1917 when Clara Beatrice was 34, she first married **Chesley Alward Toole** in Halifax, NS. Born in 1887 in Memramcook, NB. Chesley Alward died in Halifax NS, on 1 Apr 1918; he was 31. Residence: Trenton, NS.

From Pat Holland (great niece): He was killed when his cart that he was driving down Barrington Street in Halifax went out of control, (I think the horse was spooked..). At that time they were living in New Glasgow where he had been working....and the baby had just died a short time before he was killed. He drove a horse and wagon for some company.

They had one child:

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| i. | Infant. Born in 1918. Infant died in 1918; she was <1. |
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On 1 Oct 1921 when Clara Beatrice was 38, she second married **Clark Romans Thomas**, son of Amos Thomas (19 Apr 1851-1904) & Ophelia Haverstock (1854-1888), in Halifax, NS. Born on 2 Jan 1881 in Hammonds Plains, N.S. Clark Romans died in Halifax NS, on 10 Jun 1924; he was 43. Buried in Hammonds Plains Baptist Cemetery, N.S.

Hammonds Plains Baptist cemetery: Thomas, Clark R. 1881-1924, Bertha, his wife, 1881-1917, Children George and Ernest. Clark also had a son Amos by his first wife.

Thomas John "Roy", 1884-1960

Grace Florence Romans 1896-1988, wife

Thomas, E. Blake 1882-1959

His wife, Nellie Beatrice 1891-1966

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Roy and Blake were brothers of Clark.

The Late C. R. Thomas

“Never has a community been so shocked and saddened as was the people of Hammonds Plains on Tuesday Jun 10, when word came announcing the death of Clark R. Thomas, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Amos Thomas, and a well known resident of Hammonds Plains, but who for the past few years has resided in Halifax. The funeral was held from his late residence 128 Windsor St. He leaves to mourn their loss his widow and one son Amos - mother and two brothers - J. R. Thomas and E. B. Thomas, residing at Hammonds Plains; also one sister Mrs. A. W. Craigie, Winnipeg.”

Named as donators: Blanche and Jack (Hill), Arthur and Jo (Pirie).

1881 census Hammonds Plains, Amos Thomas, 30, Ophelia, 26, Kezia R. (female) 1, Clark R., b. Jan.

1911 census, Clark, head, 30, b. Jan 1881, Bertha, wife, 30, b. Feb 1881, Amos, son, 4, b. Dec. 1906.

Clara Beatrice third married **Louis N. Thomas**. Born on 28 Nov 1867 in Winnipeg, MB. Louis N. died in Waverly, NS, on 31 Aug 1951; he was 83.

From Pat Holland (great niece of Clara Pirie): Louis was a cousin of Clark R. Thomas. He and Clara bought the little house out in Waverley that they lived in until he died suddenly in Halifax. They were not married too long when he died. He had been living in the West and returned to Nova Scotia when his wife died. I don't think he had any children and they must have been in their sixties when they got married.

NS Historical Vital Statistics Marriage to Clara Thomas, named as son of Benjamin Thomas, birthplace NS, and Emily Melvin, birthplace NS.

Louis N. Thomas, 1867-1951, buried in the Hammonds Plains Baptist Cemetery.

1881 census Hammonds Plains, Benjamin Thomas, 33 Emma L 39, Lewis N., 12, Jemimah, 8, Ivy 6, Mary 4, Sarah E, b. Sep. 1880.

1901 census Hammonds Plains, N. Lewis Thomas, head, married, 33, b. Nov. 28, 1868, W. May, wife, 34, b. Sep. 17, 1866, C. Louise, dau. 7, b. Oct 25, 1893, G. Muriel, 5, b. Nov. 11, 1895, A. Olive, 3, b. Sep. 16, 1897.

Fifth Generation

Family of Mary Eleanor Goff (10) & James “Alexander” McDougall

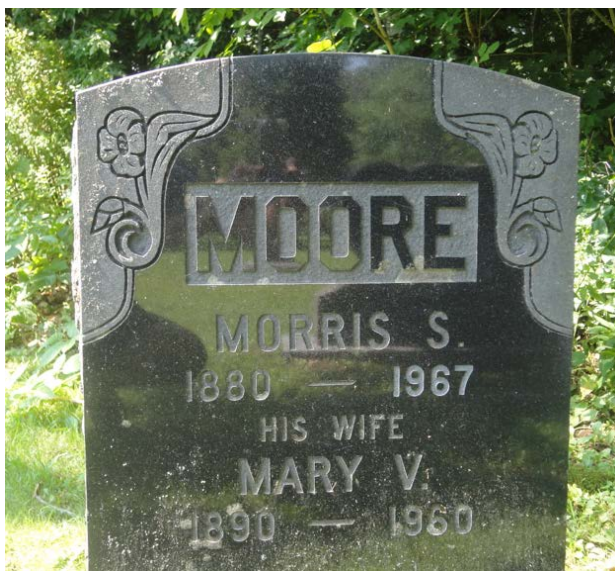
32. Mary Victoria McDougall (*Mary Eleanor Goff[#], William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 24 Feb 1890 in Devon, Hfx. Co., Nova Scotia. Mary Victoria died in Carrolls Corner, Nova Scotia, on 18 Aug 1960; she was 70. Buried in Gays River United Church Cemetery, NS. Religion: Presbyterian.

Mary Victoria McDougall was raised in the home of her Grandmother McDougall in Devon, Hfx. Co. She is in the 1901 census with her grandparents, age 11. Mary and Morris Moore lived at the family home in Devon, and later

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moved to Carroll's Corner.

On 5 Jun 1912 when Mary Victoria was 22, she married **Morris Samuel Moore**, son of Samuel Moore (1845-29 Jan 1903) & Catherine McMullin (1846-2 Mar 1916), in Little River, NS. Born on 25 Dec 1880 in Antrim, Halifax Co., NS. Morris Samuel died on 25 Mar 1967; he was 86.



They had the following children:

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| 73 | i. | Samuel Alexander (30 Apr 1913-6 Mar 1991) |
| 74 | ii. | Morris Delmaine (29 Jan 1915-9 Nov 2006) |

Family of John Anthony Holland Goff (11) & Almira Brown

33. Ralph "Percy" (Buck) Goff (*John Anthony Holland⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 24 Oct 1882 in Somerville, MA. Ralph "Percy" (Buck) died in Melrose, Mass., on 25 Jun 1950; he was 67. Buried on 28 Jun 1950 in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody. Occupation: Railroad Engineer.

Known as "Buck" Goff, he spent much of his early life in Goff's and was raised primarily by Grandmother Hannah Goff with help from M.D. Goff. He travelled frequently to Nova Scotia throughout his life. He worked as an engineer on the Boston and Maine railroad in the Boston area most of his life.

In 1900, Percy R Goff 19 is in the home of Charles N Stone, Andover MA, as a fram labourer. In 1910 Ralph P Goff is in the home of Isabel Benner and Georgie Benner (who was his future wife).

1930 U. S. Census: Pleasant Street, Melrose, MA, Enumeration date: Apr. 15, 1930 Ralph P Goff, head, age 48, married at age 29, born in Mass., Occupation: Locomotive Engineer, Industry: Steam Railroad, Father and Mother born in Canada, Georgianna, wife, age 38, married at age 19, born in Mass., Father born in Maine, Mother born in Canada, M. Isabelle, daughter, age 14, born in Mass., Ralph D, son age 3 8/12 born in Mass. Georgianna Benner, born July 29, 1891 in Everett, MA, Father George D, grocer, born Maine, Mother Isabella, Residence Everett (Source: Massachusetts Archives on-line at New England Historical Genealogy Society.)

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Marriage

Year: 1911 **Book:** 603 **Page:** 690 **Certification / Registration:** 311
Date of Marriage: June 8, 1911 **Place of Marriage:** Somerville, Mass.
Married by: Robert W. Beers, Clergyman, 419 Broadway, Somerville
Groom: Ralph Percy Goff **Age:** 29 1st Marriage
Residence: 90 Marshall St. Somerville, Mass. **Occupation:** Locomotive Engineer
Place of birth: Somerville, Mass.
Father: John A. H. **Mother:** Almira Brown
Bride: George Anna Benner **Age:** 19 1st Marriage
Residence: 90 Marshall St. Somerville, Mass. **Occupation:** Saleswoman
Place of Birth: Everett, Mass.
Father: George D. **Mother:** Isabella Campbell
Source: Archives, Boston, NEHGS on-line.

On 8 Jun 1911 when Ralph "Percy" (Buck) was 28, he married **Georgia Benner**, daughter of George D. Benner & Isabella Campbell (-1945), in Somerville, MA. Born on 30 Jun 1891 in Everett, MA. Georgia died 13 Aug 1992 in Melrose, MA; she was 100. Buried in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody.

She and her second husband, Guy B. Cousins (1887-22 Apr 1973), lived in Melrose, Mass. with son Ralph.

Census records indicate she was born in Mass., but her mother lived in Prince Edward Island according to memory of Everill Goff. In the Prince Edward Island 1901 census of Queens West there is an Isabelle Benner, widowed, head, with Herbert, son, 12 and Georgie C., dau. 10 (b. June 23).

They had the following children:

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| 75 | i. | May Isabel (Cherry) (23 Aug 1915-Mar 1989) |
| 76 | ii. | Ralph D. (22 Jan 1927-14 Apr 2011) |

34. Frank Lawrence Goff (*John Anthony Holland⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 25 Aug 1888 in Somerville, Mass. Frank Lawrence died in Malden, MA, on 21 Apr 1959; he was 70. Buried in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody, MA. Residence: Tiverton, Digby Co.; Mechanic Falls, ME; 72/74 Medford St., Malden, MA.

Frank was raised primarily by his maternal Grandmother's family in Tiverton, N.S., following the early death of his mother.

1901 Digby Co. census for Freeport,
William Pearl Head b. Oct. 8 1849, ae 52
Emeline Pearl Wife, b. Oct. 8, 1849, ae 52
Goff, Frank, boarder, b. Aug. 25, 1887, ae 13

1911 Digby Co. census for Tiverton,
Alfred Pyne, Head,
Naomi, wife,
Goff Frank b. Aug. 1888,
Reta (Pyne) b. Aug. 1893, wife,
Ada, dau. b. Dec. 1910

He was living in Tiverton, NS, when his father died in 1916, but subsequent to that he returned to Medford, MA.

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From granddaughter Carol Goff, "Frank left to go to sea at an early age (?) to escape an unhappy home life. It was a whaling ship. At one time a harpoon went through his lower leg and the ship's doctor wanted to amputate. But Frank boiled his leg himself, saving it, and always walked with a slight limp."

There is a sailing record aboard "Prince Arthur" from Yarmouth to Boston June 25, 1903 for Frank Goff (age 15) and May Goff (age 10)... it doesn't mention anything about other family members.

May was naturalized as a US citizen in 1907 (age 14).

In June 1910, Frank is back in Central Grove, NS. "The Digby Article Currier" reads: "Rev A.H. Saunders preached his farewell sermon here Sunday afternoon, May 28th. He left here Wednesday, May 31st to take charge of the Chegoggin Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs Frank Goff will occupy Mr. William Shaw's house." So, Frank was 22 and Reta was 17.

Roy and Ada were all born in NS, but there is no Nova Scotia record for Louise (died in infancy, 1923) so she may have been born in Massachusetts.

1930 US census, Melrose, MA

Household	Gender	Age	Birthplace
Head Frank L Goff	M	41	Massachusetts
Wife Rita G Goff	F	36	Canada
Son Roy J Goff	M	18	Canada
Son-in-law John Farrell	M	21	Massachusetts
Daughter Ada A Farrell	F	19	Canada
Grandson Frank L Farrell	M	1	Massachusetts

1940 US census, Malden, MA

Goff Frank 51 (part owner, trucking business), Reta 46; Res in 1935: Mechanic Falls, ME

Goff Roy 27 (part owner, trucking business), Res in 1935 Melrose, MA, Marjorie 21.

In a 1931 listing in the Melrose, Mass. directory Frank was working as an installer. In a Malden, Mass. City Directory for 1941 Frank and Reta, Roy and Margie, and a May (Frank's sister May??) living at family home - 72/74 Medford St., Malden. Frank and Roy bought house together and started a business together making walk-in refrigerated coolers for restaurants. Frank was unschooled, but an excellent carpenter (although he lost 2 fingers) and mechanical person. Roy was not, but a great salesperson. They were a good team and did well until Frank had a stroke. He was sick for 5 years and didn't take the incapacitation well at all. Ada, John Farrell, and Louise Farrell (2 older sons already out on their own) moved in to help with his care and also lived upstairs.

From Robert Mortimer, "Frank lived in Mechanic Falls during the late 40's or early 50's. He worked for my father who sold commercial refrigeration and had a warehouse/workshop in Mechanic Falls. Frank worked on re-conditioning used refrigerators and building walk-in coolers. He would also travel with my father throughout the state selling his products. During the early 50's Frank moved to Mass. and if I recall correctly, lived in the same house as his son Roy. Frank was a very likeable, hard-working, down-to-earth man with a great dry sense of humor. As I recall Roy, his son, was an out-going, happy-go-lucky person who, I believe worked in sales. We lost touch after the mid 50's but I have fond memories of my limited association with the Goffs."

Malden Evening News, Wednesday, April 22, 1959. Frank L. Goff, 70, of 74 Medford St., a retired contractor who worked in this area for nearly 50 years until retirement in 1952, died Tuesday at a Medford nursing home after a long illness. Mr. Goff did carpentry work in addition to general construction until poor health forced him to retire. A native of Somerville, he lived here since 1939 and previously resided in Melrose. Surviving are his wife Mrs. Reta (Pyne) Goff, a daughter Mrs. Ada A. Farrell of the same address, a son Roy of 72 Medford St., a sister Mrs. May

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Wentzel of Natick, four grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. The funeral service will be conducted at the Margeson Funeral Home, 839 Main St., Friday at 2:30 PM, Capt. Howard Daniels of the Malden Salvation Army Corps will conduct the service. Burial will be in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody.

On 5 Dec 1910 when Frank Lawrence was 22, he married **Reta Pyne**, daughter of Alfred Pyne & Naomi, in Freeport, Digby Co., NS. Born on 4 Aug 1893 in Central Grove, Nova Scotia. Reta died in Wilmington, MA, on 30 Jan 1975; she was 81. Buried in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody.



They had the following children:

- 77** i. Ada Almira (18 Dec 1910-6 Jul 1979)
- 78** ii. Roy John Edmund (10 Jan 1912-2 Jan 1999)
- iii. Louise (Died as Infant). Born in 1923 in Digby Co., NS. Louise died in Digby Co., NS, in 1923; she was <1.

35. May Beatrice Goff (*John Anthony Holland⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 29 Jan 1890 in Somerville, MA. May Beatrice died in Natick, MA, in Aug 1963; she was 73.

May was only 2 when her mother died in 1892. It was remembered by the Nova Scotia Goff family that she spent some time in Digby Co. while young.

In 1900, May B Goff, 10, b. Jan. 1890 Massachusetts, father b. Canada, mother b. Canada, is in the home of Frank Phoenix 29, wife Mary E 30, Adelaide A 4, and Maude N Phoenix 72, Somerville, MA.

There is a sailing record aboard "Prince Arthur" from Yarmouth to Boston June 25, 1903 for Frank Goff (age 15) and May Goff (age 10)... it doesn't mention anything about other family members. May was naturalized as a US citizen in 1907 (age 14). Frank seemed to be more permanently located in NS, in the 1901 and 1911 census.

In 1910, May B Goff age 20 is in the home of Willis H Kimball 60, wife Abie 59 and daughter Rebecca 25, in Somerville, MA.

May lost a baby, born and died 15 Oct 1914.

She and Arthur Wenzel lived in West Newton, MA at the time of her father's death (1916), although they resided in Natick for many years thereafter.

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May Wenzel's address was in the address book of Hazel Goff in Milford Station, NS, so they must have had some touch.

On 19 Nov 1913 when May Beatrice was 23, she married **Arthur Josiah Wenzel** in Newton, MA. Born on 17 Oct 1886 in Pleasantville, Lunenburg Co., Nova Scotia. Occupation: Chauffeur (1920 Census). Residence: US (1909), Newton, MA (1920), Natick, MA (1930, 1940).

Marriage certificate: b. Pleasantville, Lunenburg Co., NS, son of Jacob Wenzel and Mary Ross. 1901 census Wentzel Arthur 14, b. Oct 17 1886, Midville Branch, Lunenburg Co., stepson of Enos Snyder (head of household), Mary Snyder, wife. Other children surname Wentzel were Mary 18, Dawson 17, George 13, Ross 9, and Harold 7.

1920 U. S. Census: Webster Street, Newton, MA, Enumeration date: Jan. 15, 1920 Arthur J Wenzel, head, age 32, immigrated to U. S. 1909, born in Canada, father and Mother born in Canada, Occupation: Chauffeur for private family, May, wife, age 30, born in Mass., Father and Mother born on Canada, Arthur J Jr., son, age 4 3/12, born in Massachusetts, Barbara, daughter, age 2/12, born in Massachusetts

1930 US Census: Natick, MA, Perry Road, Arthur J Wenzel, head, age 43, married at age 27, born in Canada, immigrated to U. S. in 1908, Occupation: Chauffeur for private family, Father and Mother born in Canada, May B., wife, age 40, married at age 23, born in Mass., Father and Mother born in Canada, Arthur J., son, age 14, born in Mass, Barbara E., daughter, age in 11, born in Mass., Ruth C., daughter, age 8, born in Mass.

1940 US census Natick Wenzel Arthur 54 chauffeur for private family, May 50, Arthur J 24 (manager 5 and 10 cent store), Barbara E 21, Ruth 18.

1942 Draft Registration Card, Arthur Josiah Wenzel, 10 Perry Road, Natick, MA, b. Oct 17 1886 Nova Scotia, wife May B. Wenzel, employer Joseph Cerel and son.

1946 Natick MA City Directory, Wenzel Arthur J (May B) r 10 Perry, Arthur J Jr r 10 Perry, Ruth C r 10 Perry

They had the following children:

- i. Arthur Josiah Jr. Born on 7 Oct 1915 in Newton, MA. Arthur Josiah died in New York City, on 24 Jan 2004; he was 88.
- ii. Barbara. Born on 6 Nov 1918 in Newton, MA. Barbara died in Edgewater, FL, on 27 Nov 1994; she was 76.
US Social Security Death Index: Barbara Guilliams, b. 6 Nov. 1918 in MA died 27 Nov. 1994, Edgewater, FL.
Florida State Death Index, Barbara Wenzel Guilliams, d. 27 Nov. 1994, Edgewater Volusia Co., FL.

Barbara married **Mr. Guilliams**.
- 79 iii. Ruth Carolyn (28 Sep 1921-6 Feb 2005)

Family of Hannah "Alexanderana" Goff (12) & Thomas P. Mortimer

36. LeRoy Goff Mortimer (*Hannah "Alexanderana" Goff^d, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 7 Mar 1887 in Malden, Mass., USA. LeRoy Goff died in Mechanic Falls, Maine, USA, on 20 Jun 1977; he was 90.

Roy was raised in Middleboro, MA. For many years, Roy and June lived in Mechanic Falls, Maine. Roy was involved in sales for an American refrigeration company.

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Jun 5 1917 draft registration card, Leroy Goff Mortimer, single, res 9 Sellon Place Somerville, MA, b. Malden MA, Travelling Salesman McCray Refrigerator Company, Boylston St., Boston, MA.

1920 census Somerville, Charles Goff 33, Mary E Cutler 39 (widowed), LeRoy Mortimer 33 (single).

1930 US census Mechanic Falls, ME Leroy G Mortimer 40 b. MA, June V Mortimer 27 b. Canada, Marilyn Mortimer 3 b. Maine.

On 8 Jun 1922 when LeRoy Goff was 35, he married **June V. Pearl**, daughter of Charles E. Pearl (1870-) & Annie L. Tibert (1870-), in Mechanic Falls, ME. Born on 8 Jun 1902 in Tiverton, Nova Scotia. June V. died in Portland, Maine, on 8 Sep 1994; she was 92.

A letter from June Mortimer stated that June's Grandmother Pearl who was related to Almira (Brown) Goff, wife of John Anthony Holland Goff, possibly a sister (Note: they were indeed sisters - DG), was mainly responsible for the upbringing of Charles and Frank Goff in Tiverton, Digby Co., N.S., following the death of their mother in 1892. June's father Charles Pearl and Charles Goff were named for the same man, Charles Pinio, who raised William Pearl, June's Grandfather.

From Robert Mortimer, "Frank Goff (while living in Mass) in the early 1920's invited his cousin LeRoy Mortimer to join him on a trip to Maine to meet his cousin on his mother's side, Charles Pearl. It was on one of these visits that LeRoy met Charles' daughter, June, a young 20-year-old who was smitten by the 35-year old traveling salesman. They were married in 1922."

William Pearl, 25, s/o Hiram, md. 11 April 1868, Cornwallis, Emeline Brown, 21, d/o Absolom and Phoebe. William Pearl d. May 8, 1909, age 71.

May 5, 1891, Central Grove, Charles E. Pearl, 22, parents William and Emeline, b. Somerville, MA, residence Someville, md. Annie L. Tibert, 22, b. and res. Central Grove, parents George and Elizabeth.

July 17, 1911, Wesley Outhouse, of Tiverton, 80, widower, md. in Freeport to Emmeline Pearl, widow, 60, of Freeport. John A. Pyne was a witness.



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1901 Digby Co. census for Freeport,
William Pearl Head b. Oct. 8 1849, ae 52
Emeline Pearl Wife, b. Oct. 8, 1849, ae 52
Goff, Frank, boarder, b. Aug. 25, 1887, ae 13

They had the following children:

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| 80 | i. | Marilyn (1 Feb 1927-26 Aug 1999) |
| 81 | ii. | Laurel (11 Mar 1931- 13 Mar 2017). |
| 82 | iii. | Robert (Nov 1932-) |

37. Elsie Bell Mortimer (*Hannah "Alexanderana" Goff[#], William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 2 Jun 1890 in Malden, MA. Elsie died in 1921; she was 30. Buried in Hope's Rest Cemetery, Rock (Middleborough), MA.

At the time of her mother's death (1915, just after her marriage), the obituary listed her residence in California, although they must have returned before Rita was born, 1918.

1920 U. S. census

Belmont, Middlesex County, Massachusetts

Enumeration date: Jan. 22, 1920

Roy H Smith, head, rents, age 30, married, born in Massachusetts, Father born in Massachusetts, Mother born in Scotland, occupation: manager (unable to read)

Elsie B Smith, wife, age 29, married, born in Massachusetts, Father and Mother born in Canada.

Rita A Smith, daughter, age 1 4/12, born in Massachusetts, parents born in Massachusetts.

On 28 Apr 1914 when Elsie B. was 23, she married **Herman "LeRoy" (Roy) Smith** in Clinton, Mass. Born on 6 Nov 1889 in Fiskdale (Sturbridge), MA. Son of Joseph W Smith and Agnes McGilp (from Marriage Record to Elsie B. Mortimer). Herman "LeRoy" (Roy) died in May 1944; he was 54. Buried in Oakridge Cemetery, Southbridge, MA (Family Plot). Occupation: Laundry Proprietor (1914).

1940 US census in Queens, New York, Leroy H. Smith, age 50 (b. Mass), his wife Blanche L., age 42, b. Maine, daughter Rita A Smith, single, age 22, b. Mass., father b. Mass, mother b. Mass.. Residence in 1935 for all three: Manhattan.

Herman Leroy Smith, b. 06 Nov 1889 in Sturbridge, Massachusetts, USA, md. Blanche Lane (ancestry.com).

USSSI: Roy Smith, b. 9 Nov 1891, d. May 1944.

WWII draft registration card, Herman Leroy Smith, b. 9 Nov 1891 Sturbridge, MA, residence in 1942, Queens, NY.

They had one child:

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| 83 | i. | Rita Alexa (10 Apr 1918-24 Jan 2001) |
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Family of William Miles Dickey "MD" Goff (13) & Martha Jane McDougall

38. Flora Myrtle Goff (*William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 19 Oct 1890 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. Flora Myrtle died in Ottawa, Ont., on 1 Nov 1971; she was 81. Buried in Milford Station Cemetery, Hants Co., NS.

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Flo was born at Guysborough Road and married Chester Wardrope, of Milford Station. She went to Saskatchewan as a teacher as early as ~1912, and was joined by her brothers John, for two summers in ~1912 and then Guy, who stayed. Their father MD was also out to Saskatchewan for a summer. Flo returned to Saskatchewan with her husband Chester sometime after 1922. They returned to Milford Station in 1929, and they worked for a few years at lumber camps, she as the camp cook. She opened the Tea Cozy restaurant in Milford Station, which operated for many years. She lived her last few years in Ottawa with her daughter, Mildred.

On 30 Oct 1916 when Flora Myrtle was 26, she married **Chester Wardrope**, son of James "Edwin" Wardrope (1 Jun 1866-19 Jan 1954) & Margaret Jane Benjamin (25 Apr 1866-29 Apr 1938), in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS. Born on 22 Feb 1888 in Milford Station, Hants Co., N.S. Chester died in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS, on 14 Jan 1952; he was 63. Buried in Milford Station Cemetery, Hants Co., NS. Occupation: Foreman, Highway Work (At Time Of Death).

They had the following children:

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| 84 | i. | Hilda Eileen (23 Sep 1918-13 Mar 2008) |
| | ii. | Hazel Eleanor. Born on 31 Mar 1920 in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS. Hazel Eleanor died in Ottawa, Ontario, on 27 Oct 1997; she was 77.
Hazel and Leonard Ripley lived in Ottawa. They had no family, although Leonard had two children from a previous marriage, Brian and Elaine. |
| | | On 23 Mar 1963 when Hazel Eleanor was 42, she married Leonard George Ripley in Ottawa, ON. Born on 6 Nov 1921. |
| 85 | iii. | Edna Martha (31 Jan 1922-28 Sep 2023) |
| 86 | iv. | Allen "Roger" (12 Dec 1925-6 Apr 2009) |
| | v. | Helen "Mildred". Born on 4 Dec 1927 in Carmichael, Sask. Helen "Mildred" died in Ottawa, ON, on 18 Feb 1990; she was 62. Buried in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS. She was never married.
Mildred was never married. She lived in Ottawa for many years and upon retirement from CN Telecommunications, she moved to Carleton Place, Ontario. |

39. John Roy Goff (*William Miles Dickey* "MD"⁴, *William*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 11 Jun 1892 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. John Roy died in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS, on 5 Jul 1956; he was 64. Buried in Gays River United Church Cemetery, Col. Co., NS. Occupation: Farmer, Auctioneer. Residence: Goffs, Milford Station. Religion: United Church of Canada.

John went for harvest in Mair, Sask. in 1912 and made lifelong friends with the Endicott's. Some of their grandsons were in the military in W.W.2, and were stationed at Debert before going overseas. They found John R. very quickly and spent several 'leaves' at the Goff farm.

John was farming with his father in Milford Station until 1944 at which time he built a new house in Milford Station next to the Milford United Church and began to drive for Imperial Oil in a business with his brother Alex. He was also an active Auctioneer and was registered at this for over 25 years. He died suddenly while at work at the Imperial Oil refinery in Dartmouth, NS.

"John R. Goff, Auctioneer, Dies. Milford Station, July 10. There passed away suddenly while at work July 5 Mr. John R. Goff of Milford Station. Born at Goffs, Halifax County 64 years ago, he moved to Milford Station in 1908. His earlier years were spent farming but for the past ten years he has been employed at the Imperial Oil Agency at Milford. He was well known throughout Central Nova Scotia as an auctioneer having conducted numerous auction sales in the area. He had taken an active part in community affairs being a member of Milford United Church, also the Independent Order of Odd-fellows. At the time of his passing he was recording secretary of Maple Leaf Lodge,

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an office which he held for several years. He was also a charter member of Sincerity Rebekah Lodge. He had been presented with a 40-year service jewel from Maple Leaf Lodge earlier this year. Surviving besides his wife, the former Hazel Wright of Elmsdale, are one son Everill of Truro; his aged father at home; one sister Mrs. Flora Wardrope of Ottawa; two brothers Alex of Milford and Guy of Gull Lake Saskatchewan. One daughter Helen predeceased him 15 years ago. Funeral services were conducted from his late residence on Saturday with Rev. E. R. MacVicar of Shubenacadie officiating. The high esteem of which the deceased was held was shown by an overflow attendance of friends many of whom were accommodated in the nearby United Church where a public address system had been installed. Hymns sung by the members of Milford Church Choir were 'Nearer My God to Thee' and 'What a Friend We Have in Jesus', both being favourites of the deceased. Pallbearers were Gordon Ettinger, Frank Geddes, Murray Rankin, Ralph Taylor, Harry Turple and Roger Wardrope, all members of Maple Leaf Lodge. Internment was at Gays River Cemetery where the I.O.O.F. conducted service."



John Roy Goff



**Hazel (Wright) Goff, Miles Dickey Goff,
John R. Goff, and Everill Murray Goff**

On 12 Jul 1926 when John Roy was 34, he married **Sarah "Hazel" Wright**, daughter of George Davenport Wright (19 Mar 1866-9 Sep 1931) & Frances Ann Fraser (26 Dec 1864-10 Apr 1943)⁶, in Halifax, N.S. Born on 27 Nov 1889 in Elmsdale, Nova Scotia. Sarah "Hazel" died in Brookfield, Col. Co., NS, on 10 Jun 1966; she was 76. Buried in Gays River United Church Cemetery, NS.

⁶ See <http://www.gofffamilyhistory.ca/WrightFamilyClementsAnnapolisNovaScotia.pdf> and <http://www.gofffamilyhistory.ca/FraserHantsCountyNovaScotia.pdf>

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Hazel worked in Boston for a few years as a young woman (after 1911 census, when she was at home), then returned to Elmsdale, working as a telephone operator, until 1926 at which time she moved in with John and his father at the farm. In her later years, she suffered terribly from arthritis and was confined to a wheelchair. She died in 1966 at the home of her brother Harding Wright in Brookfield, N.S., with whom she had lived since Sept. 15 1963 after she could no longer manage in her own home.

They had the following children:

- i. Helen Martha. Born on 24 Jun 1927 in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS. Helen Martha died in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS, on 16 Mar 1941; she was 13. Buried in Gays River United Church Cemetery, NS.
Helen Martha had a congenital heart disease and lived a very sheltered life at home.
- 87 ii. Everill Murray (20 Feb 1929-3 Oct 2018)

Family of Clifford Francklyn Goff (14) & Mary Louise Greenough

40. Eliza "Gladys" Goff (*Clifford Francklyn⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 2 Apr 1903 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. Eliza "Gladys" died in Medford, MA, on 15 Nov 1979; she was 76. Buried in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody.

Gladys went to the Boston area at an early age. She is in the 1930 census in Gardner, MA, age 27, single, immigration year 1920. She married Howard Willis in 1932 and lived in Peterborough, NH. 1940 census (Peterborough, NH): Head Howard G Willis 38 b. New Hampshire; Wife Gladys E Willis 37 b. Canada; Daughter Thelma A Willis 5 b. New Hampshire; Mother Adele C Willis 63; Lodger Kathleen Hood 64 b. Massachusetts. Gladys and Howard separated and divorced in the 1940s and she ended up back at the Jerry Goff house, Andrews St., Medford, MA. Charles Goff, son of John A. H., Gladys' cousin, also lived in the same house and died in 1945. Gladys visited Nova Scotia on several occasions before her death.

On 7 Aug 1932 when Eliza "Gladys" was 29, she married **Howard Gilbert Willis** in Newport, NH. Born in 1902 in Peterborough, New Hampshire.

Son of George D. Willis and Adelle C. Cogshall. Widowed at time of marriage to Gladys Goff.

They had one child:

- i. Thelma A. Born in 25 Jan 1935 in Peterborough, New Hampshire. Thelma died 31 May 2010 in Milton, New Hampshire and is buried in Puritan Lawn Memorial Gardens, Peabody, MA, along with her mother Gladys Willis.
Thelma A. married **Albert Clinton Tome**. They had 7 children, including Dawn Louise 25 Sep 1956 – 9 Dec 2009, Pamela Gail 30 Sep 1959 – 4 Dec 2001, Michael Dennis 26 Apr 1961 – 13 Nov 1962 (died in a house fire), Monica, Bruce James and Phillip.

41. Edna Alexa May Goff (*Clifford Francklyn⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 6 Mar 1914 in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia. Edna Alexa May died in East Petpeswick, Musquodoboit Harbour, NS, on 21 Mar 2002; she was 88. Residence: Musquodoboit Harbour, NS.

Edna moved to Milford Station with her mother upon her father's death in 1930. She attended the Normal College in Truro and taught at West Petpeswick. She moved to East Petpeswick (Musquodoboit Harbour) after her marriage to Milton Warner. She began hairdressing in 1937 and carried on until 1996. She and Milton lived in Uncle Jerry

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Goff's cabin, which was moved from Goffs to East Petpeswick after his death.

From her memorial "She had a wonderfully vibrant spirit that rubbed off on everyone around her. She'll be remembered for her incredible energy and her beautiful plants and gardens that she loved to tend. Her kindness knew no bounds."

On 4 Mar 1939 in Halifax, Edna Alexa May married **George "Milton" Warner**, son of George Warner & Etta Bayers. Born on 21 Feb 1912. G. Milton died in East Petpeswick, NS, on 25 Jun 1997; he was 85.



Gladys Goff, Boston, ca1930



Edna Goff, 1936

They had the following children:

- i. Blair. Born on 23 Aug 1939.
On 1 Aug 1964 when Blair was 24, he married **Laverne Dickie**, daughter of Frank Sidney Dickey (25 Jul 1895-) & Rachel Dillman (1912-).
- 88 ii. Glenda (29 Mar 1941-)

Family of Jessie Gough (15) & Daniel O'Connell

42. John O'Connell (*Jessie Gough⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 15 Aug 1881 in Boston (E. Weymouth), MA. John died in Halifax, NS, on 10 Oct 1935; he was 54. Buried in St. Johns Cemetery.

Marriage of John O'Connell, 26 (b. East Weymouth, MA), s/o Daniel and Jessie, to Frances Cecilia Connolly, 26,

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d/o John and Mary, NS Historical Vital Statistics.

1921 census Halifax John O'Connell 40 mason, Frances O'Connell 40, Reta Margaret O'Connell 13 daughter, John Daniel O'Connell 11 son, Jessie Asprey 59 mother, Thomas Henry Asprey 19 step-brother, Joseph Alfred Asprey 16 step-brother.

On 31 Oct 1907 when John was 26, he married **Frances Cecilia Connolly** in Halifax, NS. Born in 1881 in Halifax NS. Frances Cecilia died in Halifax, NS, on 19 Mar 1942; she was 61. Buried in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Halifax.

They had the following children:

- i. **Rita Margaret.** Born on 1 Mar 1908 in Halifax, NS. Rita Margaret died in Halifax NS, on 6 Apr 1957; she was 49.

Widow at the time of death.

On 27 Feb 1928 when Rita Margaret was 19, she married **George Jarvis Shrum** in St. George's Rectory, Halifax. Born in 1906 in Dartmouth, NS. Occupation: Longshoreman (1928).

- ii. **John Daniel.** Born on 20 Jan 1910 in Halifax NS.

On 15 Jun 1943 when John Daniel was 33, he married **Caroline Margaret Wilson** in Halifax NS. Born in 1916 in Newfoundland.

43. Mary Ella (Ellen) O'Connell (*Jessie Gough⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 1 Oct 1882 in Halifax, NS. Mary Ella (Ellen) died in Halifax NS, on 6 Feb 1923; she was 40. Buried in St. Johns Cemetery, Fairview, Halifax.

Marriage of Mary Ella O'Connell, 22, d/o Daniel and Jessie, to George Albert Nauffts, 26 (b. Boston, Mass.), s/o Stewart and Barbara, NS Historical Vital Statistics.

On 10 Dec 1904 when Mary Ella (Ellen) was 22, she married **George Alfred Nauffts** in Halifax, NS. Born on 4 May 1877 in Weymouth, Massachusetts. George Alfred died in Halifax N.S., on 26 Nov 1952; he was 75. Buried in Fairview St. Johns Cemetery. Occupation: CNR. Residence: Immigrated From US To Halifax 1879; Dutch Origin.

1911 census George & Mary, daughters Nellie b. May 1905, Jessie b. Oct. 1906, Gladys b. May 1909.

1921 census looks like George and Mary Nauffts 724 Robie St were living with a Charles Ryder, and on the next page it looks like they had daughters Nellie 16, Jessie 14 and Gladys 12.

They had the following children:

- i. Nellie. Born in May 1905 in Halifax, N.S.
- ii. Jessie Margaret. Born on 6 Nov 1906 in Halifax N.S. Jessie Margaret died on 8 May 1964; she was 57. Buried in St Johns Fairview Cemetery.
- iii. Gladys Barbara. Born on 15 Apr 1909 in Halifax, N.S.

44. Isabella O'Connell (*Jessie Gough⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 28 Apr 1886. Isabella died on 16 Nov 1940; she was 54. Buried in St Johns Fairview Cemetery.

Marriage of Isabella O'Connell, 25, d/o Daniel and Jessie, to Thomas Wambolt, 33, s/o John and Ellen, Jessie Asprey, witness, NS Historical Vital Statistics.

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1921 census Halifax Wambolt Isabel 35 Thomas Henry 41 Thomas John son 8.

Mrs. Isabella Wambolt, daughter, was informant of the death of Mrs. Jessie Asprey, NS Historical Vital Records.

On 25 Oct 1911 when Isabella was 25, she married **Thomas John Wambolt** in Halifax, NS. Born in 1878 in Halifax, N.S. Thomas John died on 4 Apr 1923; he was 45. Buried in St Johns Fairview Cemetery.

Son of John and Ellen

They had one child:

- i. Thomas Henry. Born on 13 Sep 1912 in Halifax NS.

45. Margaret O'Connell (*Jessie Gough⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 23 Apr 1889 in Halifax, NS. Margaret died on 10 Jan 1972; she was 82. Buried in Fairview Cemetery, Halifax.

Marriage of Margaret O'Connell, 26, d/o Daniel and Jessie, to John R. McLeod (b. Edinburgh, Scotland), 27, s/o Donald and Elizabeth, NS Historical Vital Statistics.

From "dianne kaizer-anderson"

Sent: Friday, February 04, 2005 9:29 PM

We are just getting started on Bob's family genealogy. His grandmother Margaret O'Connell-Asprey (DOB: Apr. 23, 1889) was the daughter of Jessie Gough, daughter of Thomas. Jessie married first Daniel O'Connell (we have yet to be able to find out anything about him). He died before 1893. She then married Thomas Henry Asprey in 1893.

He died in 1904. Margaret married John MacLeod

1. Margaret DOB: Jan 20, 1916 DOD: Apr. 23, 1999

2. Sheila: DOB: Feb, 1921 DOD: Dec. 2000

3.. John DOB: 1919

4, Gertrude: DOB: October 25, 1925

Margaret and Thomas Asprey are buried together in the Fairview Cemetery along with their daughter Margaret.

On 22 Dec 1914 when Margaret was 25, she married **John Rae McLeod** in Halifax, NS. Born in 1887 in Edinburgh, Scotland. John Rae died on 24 Jun 1964; he was 77. Residence: Canada 1914.

1921 census Halifax McLeod Jas R 33 Margaret wife 33, Margaret daughter 5, John son 2.

They had the following children:

- i. Margaret. Born on 20 Jan 1916. Margaret died on 23 Apr 1999; she was 83. HUNT (Anderson), Margaret Elizabeth - Passed away peacefully at home, Friday, April 23, 1999. Born in Halifax, she was the daughter of the late John and Margaret (O'Connell) MacLeod. Margaret, known to her closest friends as "Marg", was an outgoing, fun loving individual who could always find the lighter side to anything she faced. She had a sense of humour that charmed many and a keen wit which she exercised at the most opportune times. Marg was an avid reader for most of her life, an accomplished duplicate bridge player and was an integral part of a very active social bridge group. She invariably announced to staff on her frequent late returns to her home at Summer Gardens that she had either won "the pennies or the quarters". Despite her active life at home, she managed to find time to become a seasoned world traveller. She is survived by her son, Robert (Dianne); daughter, Margaret "Peggy", both of Halifax; brother, John, Victoria, B.C.; sisters, Sheila, Port Coquitlam, B.C.; Gertrude (Hugh) Ferguson; grandsons, Paul Anderson (Karen), Nathan and Ryan Hennigar;

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granddaughters, Tracey and Jennifer Fisher, and great-grandchildren, Zachery and Kaitlyn Anderson. Burial in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Lower Sackville.

- ii. John. Born in 1919. MACLEOD, John Rae 1919-2006. John Rae MacLeod passed away after a valiant struggle on June 20, 2006 at Royal Jubilee Hospital. John is survived and will be sorely missed by his loving wife of 67 years; Maureen (nee Gauvreau); children, Nora (Maggie), Richard, Jeanne (Nan), Chrisotpher (Kathy) and Colette (Barry); grandchildren, David-Paul, Haley, Colette, Cameron, Meghan, Rachel, and his sister Gert Fergeson, living in Halifax. John was predeceased by his first born son, Ian in Halifax. He moved with his family from Halifax in 1946 after serving for six years in the Canadian Army and later retired from the Hudson Bay Co. after 37 years of service. John was a collector of many things including books, stamps, coins, cards and toys. He loved to tinker and try to repair anything from cars to watches.
- iii. Sheila. Born in Feb 1921. Sheila died in Dec 2000; she was 79.
- iv. Gertrude. Born on 25 Oct 1924. Gertrude Jean MacLeod Snow Ferguson. Born 1924 to Margaret O'Connell and John Rae MacLeod, she was youngest of four children and the last surviving member of her immediate family, passed away on July 30, 2021 at Saint Vincent Nursing Home where she resided. Mom has called STVN her home for the last few years, but prior to that lived very independently in her home until she was 93, with great help from her daughter Lisa and her wonderful neighbors, until her health started deteriorating. Mom married Carmen Snow at a young age and they had a daughter Susan Jessie. They lived in Aylmer, Ontario for a couple of years before returning to Halifax, where Mom worked at Schwartz and then Moirs Chocolate Factory in the payroll department where she met her second husband Hugh Ferguson, who she subsequently married in 1962 and had daughter Lisa. After an extended time at Moir's she went to work for her favorite boss at Association of Professional Engineers of Nova Scotia where she ended her working career at the age of 65. During her many years at APENS Mom knew every Engineer that passed through the association door, everyone knew "Gertie". She was always helpful, knowledgeable and her smile will be remembered by many. During her long life she was a well-known Avon Representative. She always had a goal each year that she sold, which was to achieve the status of Presidents Club. She always felt she would never achieve it, but being the salesperson she was, she was always successful in this goal. Our Mom lived by the golden rule "to lend a helping hand" and was well known in her neighborhood as the "go to person". Mom was a big animal lover and had many cats during her life, she always enjoyed the surprise visits from her grand-dogs. She leaves to mourn her daughters Susan (Grant Redding, Shelburne NS) and Lisa Ferguson (Dennis Morrison, Prospect Bay NS); and numerous nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by sisters Margaret Anderson and Sheila Nelson; brother Johnny MacLeod; first husband Carmen Snow; and second husband Hugh Ferguson.

Family of Jessie Gough (15) & Thomas Henry Asprey

46. William Asprey (*Jessie Gough⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 17 Sep 1894 in Halifax, NS. William Arthur died in Halifax, NS, on 15 Sep 1956; he was 61. Buried in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Lower Sackville, NS.

1921 Halifax census in the household of Annie Bowser, mother-in-law: William Asprey 27, Elizabeth Asprey 25, Veronica 6 William 4 Jessie 2 Helen 10 months.

Children taken from Veronica's obituary:

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Veronica Fader
Marie Phelan
Annie Young
Bernadette (Agnes) Asprey
William Asprey
Jessie MacDougall
Helen Forhan

On 15 Feb 1915 when William Arthur was 20, he married **Elizabeth Veronica Bowser** in Halifax, NS. Born on 30 Dec 1895. Elizabeth Veronica died on 28 Apr 1988; she was 92.

Daughter of George Bowser and Anne Sheridan

They had the following children:

- i. **Veronica (Vera) Kathleen**. Born on 28 Mar 1915 in Halifax NS. Veronica (Vera) Kathleen died in Halifax N.S., on 22 Feb 2010; she was 94.

FADER, Veronica Kathleen "Vera"

- Passed away after a short illness, February 22, 2010, in QEII Health Sciences Centre, Halifax, surrounded by her loving family at the age of 94. Born in Halifax, March 28, 1915, she was a daughter of the late William and Elizabeth (Bowser) Asprey. Vera had a great commitment to her faith. She was a wonderful loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and great great-grandmother. She is survived by daughters, Helen (Peggy) Kinsman, Sharon (Paul) Chiasson; sons, George (Sis) Fader, James (Freda) Fader, all of Halifax; John (Carole) Fader, Lively, Ont.; sisters, Marie Phelan, Annie Young and Bernadette (Agnes) Asprey of Halifax; special niece and godchild, Kathleen Phelan. She was predeceased by husband, Charles "Bus" Fader; her only brother, William Asprey; sisters, Jessie MacDougall, Helen Forhan; niece, Nancy Morris. Visitation will be held on Thursday, February 25, from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. in J.A. Snow Funeral Home, 339 Lacewood Dr., Halifax. Funeral service will be held on Friday at 10 a.m. in Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta Church. Interment will take place in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Lower Sackville.

Kinsman, Helen "Peggy" Margaret DECEMBER 28, 1935 – NOVEMBER 20, 2017 - 81 of Halifax, passed away November 20, 2017, at the QE II Halifax infirmary site. Born in Halifax, she was the daughter of the late Charles and Veronica Fader. Peggy grew up in the North End of Halifax attending St. Stephen's school and later graduating from Saint Pat's High School. She then went on to work as a technical operator for MT&T and later becoming a homemaker in order to raise her son Paul. Her fondest memories were of those times spent at the camp; fishing, hiking skating and enjoying potluck dinners with the family. She spent many hours enjoying the rinks with Paul and Albert. She also enjoyed her weekend tradition spent shopping, playing bingo and Sunday dinner with her mom, Vera, Marie and Agnes. As time went on she became a grandmother to Dylan and Lily. Her grandchildren were the highlight of her days in the last few years of her life and they will miss her dearly. She is survived by her son, Paul (Melissa) Kinsman; sister, Sharon (Paul) Chaisson; brothers, George (Marion "Sis") Fader and James Fader as well as two grandchildren, Lily and Dylan Kinsman who were the light of her life, as well as many nieces and nephews. She is predeceased by her loving husband, Albert Francis Kinsman and her brother, John Fader.

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On 7 Nov 1935 when Veronica (Vera) Kathleen was 20, she married **Charles Henry Fader** in Halifax NS.

FADER, Charles Henry (Bus) - 81, Halifax, died April 16, 1995, in Camp Hill Medical Centre. Born in Halifax, he was a son of the late William and Eva (Boudreau) Fader. He was formerly employed with the City of Halifax for 34 years. Surviving are his wife, the former Veronica Asprey; sons, George, James, Halifax; John, Sudbury, Ont.; daughters, Mrs. Peggy Kinsman, Halifax; Sharon Baker, Lower Sackville; 12 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; brothers, Edward, Sarnia, Ont.; Herbert, Dartmouth; sisters, Mary (Mrs. E. Beck), Port Alice, B.C.; Helen Mugridge, Ontario. He was predeceased by brothers, John, Cyril. Visitation 2-4, 7-9 p.m. today and Tuesday in Snow's Funeral Home, Windsor Street, Halifax. Funeral 12 noon Wednesday in St. Joseph's Church, Rev. Gordon MacLean officiating. Burial to follow in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Lower Sackville. Donations to Canadian Cancer Society.
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- ii. **William Henry**. Born on 3 Feb 1917 in Halifax NS. William Henry died in Halifax NS, on 17 Jan 1982; he was 64. Buried in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Lower Sackville, NS.

William Henry married **Maddalena Pavia**. Born in 1921 in Montreal, Quebec. Maddalena died in Halifax NS, on 2 Sep 1993; she was 72. Buried in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Lower Sackville, NS.

Madeline Asprey, 72, Dartmouth, died September 2, 1993, in St. Vincent's Guest House, Halifax. Born Maddalena in Montreal, she was a daughter of the late Alesandro and Pasqua (Lorusso) Pavia. She is survived by a daughter, Rozanne (Mrs. John Webb), Halifax; son, Ken, Dartmouth; a grandson; three brothers, Tom, Montreal; Sandy, Auburn Hills, Mich.; Bob, St. Catharines, Ont.; three sisters, Lucy (Mrs. Lucien Pion), Calgary; Nancy (Mrs. Erminio Caringella), Mrs. Stella Filipponio, both of Chicago. She was predeceased by her husband, Bill; two brothers, Tony, Jos; sister, Mannie Horsnell.

- iii. **Margaret "Jessie"**. Born on 30 Sep 1918 in Halifax NS.

Married to Fred Bona and Bob MacDougall.

- iv. **Helen Mary**. Born on 16 Jul 1920 in Halifax NS. Helen Mary died in Dartmouth, N.S., on 30 May 2004; she was 83.

On 10 Mar 1939 when Helen Mary was 18, she married **James Edward Forhan** in Halifax NS. Born in 1909 in Halifax NS. James Edward died in 1974; he was 65.

- v. **Marie Theresa**. Born on 23 Oct 1925 in Halifax, NS. Marie Theresa died in Halifax, NS, on 14 Mar 2016; she was 90. Buried in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Lower Sackville, NS.

It is with a saddened heart, yet one which is filled with wonderful memories that I announce (mom)- Marie Theresa Phelan- found her peace and rest, in the arms of our Lord on March 14, 2016. She passed away at the age of 90, quietly and gently during her sleep – at home. Mom had a great commitment to her faith and when she was no longer able to attend mass, she continued to receive Holy Communion at home on a weekly basis. She was a wonderful, loving wife; mom; sister; Aunt and was a friend to all whom she met throughout her long life journey. Born October 23, 1925 – mom was one of seven children of loving parents – the late William and late Elizabeth (Bowser) Asprey. Mom will be remembered for her great sense of humor, her amazing knowledge of world history and her incredible, high level of "General Knowledge"- her large caring heart and her acceptance of people for whom they are. Mom loved music, loved to sing; and there

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was a time she enjoyed long walks and going to the movies. Mom loved all animals and there, always, was a cat, a dog or both at home. She is survived by daughter, Kathleen of Bedford NS; sister Bernadette (Agnes) Asprey of Halifax, NS; special nephew and close friend Robert MacKintosh of Halifax, NS; niece and Godchild Sharon Chiasson of Halifax, NS as well as many nieces and grandnieces; many nephews and grandnephews; great-grandnieces and great-grandnephews. Mom was predeceased by her husband, Harold Phelan; her only brother William Asprey; sisters; Jessie MacDougall; Helen Forhan; Veronica (Vera) Fader and Annie Young. Mom and I want to offer a "special thank you" to Rob for all his kindness, his caring, his support and his selflessness in aiding and helping mom in her later years as she courageously faced the challenges her health and wellness presented her. Rob was instrumental in assuring she was able to do just that. And mom wants to "thank" Agnes for all the delicious Sunday and birthday suppers at Novalea Drive. And of course for just "being there" for her and with her as her younger sister during her last month especially.

- vi. Marie Theresa married **Harold Phelan**. Born in 1915. Harold died in 1988; he was 73. **Annie Elizabeth**. Born in 1927 in Halifax, NS.

Married to Norman Gillard and John Young.

- vii. On 23 Apr 1945 when Annie Elizabeth was 18, she married **Norman Douglas Gillard** in Halifax NS. Born in 1923 in Glace Bay, Cape Breton, NS.
Bernadette "Agnes". Born on 25 Jun 1931 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Bernadette "Agnes" died in Halifax, NS, on 22 Mar 2020; she was 88. Buried in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Lower Sackville, NS. She was never married.

Bernadette "Agnes" Asprey. Born in Halifax on June 25, 1931 to William Asprey and Elizabeth (Bowser) Asprey. Agnes passed away peacefully in the QEII Health Sciences Centre on March 22, 2020 after a short illness. Agnes lived all her life in Halifax, being a proud North Ender. She was a devoted Roman Catholic with a close connection to her church. She was a person who was very content enjoying the simple pleasures life offered, like the sights and sounds of the birds and trees, a good meal, or talking on the phone with relatives, especially where she was not able to get out much in recent years. She loved to read, watch game shows, old movies and daily mass for shut-ins. She had a wonderful sense of humour and positive attitude towards life. She is survived by many cherished nieces and nephews, regular, grand and great. She was the last surviving member of her immediate family. As well as her parents, she was predeceased by sisters and brother: Vera (Bus Fader), Bill (Maddalena Pavia), Jessie (Fred Bona and Bob MacDougall), Helen (Jim Forhan), Annie (Norman Gillard and John Young), Marie (Harold Phelan).

47. Thomas Henry Asprey (*Jessie Gough⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*), son of **Thomas Henry Asprey** (4 Jun 1868-3 Dec 1904) & **Jessie Gough** (12 Jun 1862-7 May 1936). Born on 14 Feb 1902 in Halifax NS. Thomas Henry died in Halifax NS, on 8 Oct 1958; he was 56. Buried in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Lower Sackville, NS.

Quartermaster sergeant with Commissionaires.

Canada War Memorial headstone. **Cemetery Inscription:** R.C.E.M.E. - C. A.

They had 22 children, including:

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Daughters: Helen (Michael Slaunwhite), Marjorie (Bill Newcombe), Annie (Findlay), Mildred, Edith (Erwin Foster), Margaret (Donald Kennedy), Laura (Cremens), Joan and Johanna (Boucher). Also Theresa and Cecilia (both died in infancy)

Sons: Thomas Henry, Frederick, Edward, John (Jock), Ronald, Donald, James, William George, Joseph, Hugh, Henry. Also William (died in infancy).

From John Percy's obituary (2021), still living, brothers Ronnie, Donald; sisters; Margaret, Mildred, Edie, Nellie. Predeceased by brothers Thomas, Fred, Bill, Joe, Eddie, Henry, Hughie, Jimmie, and William in infancy; sisters Joni, Laura, Anne, Marjorie, and Theresa & Cecelia in infancy.

On 1 Nov 1924 when Thomas Henry was 22, he married **Helen Elizabeth Gerrior** in Halifax, NS. Born in 1906. Helen Elizabeth died in 1979; she was 73. Buried in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Lower Sackville, NS.

They had the following children:

- i. **Thomas Henry**. Born in 1925. Thomas Henry died in Halifax NS, on 22 May 2001; he was 76. Buried in St. John's Cemetery, Halifax.

Thomas Henry Asprey

Born: 1925 in Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada

Married: 01 MAY 1946

Died: 22 MAY 2001 in Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada

Wife: Mildred Veronica "Dodo" Nazer

Born: 08 MAR 1928 in Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada

Died: 02 FEB 2005 in Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada

Thomas or Thommy, as they called him, was the son of the late Thomas Henry and Helen (Gerrior) Asprey. He was married to Mildred "Dodo" Nazer on May 1, 1946. He served in the army and worked at HMCS dockyard and Stadacona. He died of emphysema.

Thomas Henry married **Mildred Veronica Nazer**. Mildred Veronica died in Halifax, NS in 2005. Buried in St. John's Cemetery, Halifax.

- ii. **Edward Joseph**. Born in 1926 in Halifax N.S. Edward Joseph died in Halifax NS, on 31 Aug 2012; he was 86.

Asprey, Edward Joseph-86 of Halifax, passed away on August 31, 2012 at home. Born in Halifax he was a son of the late Thomas and Helen (Gerrior) Asprey. Edward worked for over 20 years with the Department of Public Works. In his spare time Edward loved woodworking, hunting and he also ran a small trucking company. He is survived by his wife, Dianne (Walker) Asprey; daughter, Lisa (Derrick Forsyth); son, Edward; sisters, Helen, Marjorie, Annie, Mildred, Edith, and Margaret; brothers, John, Ronald, Donald and James; eight grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his sisters, Laura and Johanna; brothers, William, Thomas, Joseph, Hugh, Frederick, Billy and Henry.

Edward Joseph married **Diane Walker**.

- iii. **Frederick**. Born in 1926. Frederick died in 1990; he was 64.
- iv. **William Ansel** (Died as Child). Born on 19 Jan 1927 in Halifax NS. William Ansel died in Halifax NS, on 22 Jun 1930; he was 3. Buried in St. John's Cemetery, Halifax.
- v. **Johanna Jessie**. Born in 1929 in Halifax NS. Johanna Jessie died in Halifax N.S., on 13 Feb 2012; she was 83.

Boucher, Johanna Jessie, 83, Halifax, passed this world at home February 13, 2012

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surrounded by her loving family. Born in Halifax she was a daughter of the late Thomas and Helen (Gerrior) Asprey. She is survived by son Edward (Loreen); daughters: Theresa, Lynn, Valerie, Roseanna (Tony) McIntyre, all of Halifax, Donna (Jim) Bowie, New Brunswick. Several brothers and sisters; 25 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren, one great-great grandson. She was predeceased by her husband of sixty years, James Edward; and several brothers and sisters.

Johanna Jessie married **James “Edward” Boucher**.

- vi. **John Percy**. Born on 18 May 1930 in Halifax NS. John Percy died in Sheet Harbour, Halifax Co., NS, on 18 Oct 2021; he was 91. Buried in St. Peters Church Cemetery, Sheet Harbour.

Asprey, John Percy “Jock”- 91, Sheet Harbour passed away peacefully October 18, 2021 in Harbourview Lodge, Sheet Harbour surrounded by family. Born May 18, 1930 in Halifax he was a son of the late Thomas & Helen (Gerrior) Asprey. Predeceased by his loving wife Blanche (Howe) of 47 years. As a young boy Jock was an apprentice watch maker with his father. In his early years he worked at British Car Sales for 20 years, he then went on to work at the Dockyard in Halifax at the grain elevator. Jock and Blanche then moved with their young family to Sheet Harbour, where Jock worked at the local pulp mill as a labourer and then for Department of Transportation as a plow operator before starting his own business’ called Sheet Harbour Sanitation and Asprey’s Towing & Salvage until his retirement. Jock was well known along the Eastern Shore for his quick wit, humour, and community involvement. Jock was a past and Honorary member of Sheet Harbour Volunteer Fire Department, Eastern Shore Memory Cruisers, Sheet Harbour Board of Trade, and past president of Native Council N.S. Zone 11. His door was always open to anyone in need. Survived by children; Annette (Chester) Rafuse, Truro Heights, John (June), Spry Bay, Randy (Helen), Sheet Harbour, Karen (Eric MacKinnon), Sheet Harbour, Carla (Arthur Turner), Beaver Dam, Roger (Wendi Fielding), Truro, grandchildren; Amanda, Carlene, Ian-John, Hannah, Steven, Scott, Kandice, Roger, Matthew, Scotland, Korey, Tylor, Lawson, Layton, Sebastian, Tilina, Makira, 21 great grandchildren, brothers; Ronnie & Donald, sisters; Margaret, Mildred, Edie, Nellie, many nieces and nephews. Predeceased by brothers; Thomas, Fred, Bill, Joe, Eddie, Henry, Hughie, Jimmie, and William in infancy, sisters; Joni, Laura, Anne, Marjorie, and Theresa & Cecelia in infancy.

John Percy married **Blanche Howe**.

- vii. **Laura Patricia**. Born on 7 May 1931 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Laura Patricia died in London, ON, on 15 Apr 2004; she was 72.

Obituary for Laura Patricia Cremins

Surrounded by her loving family at L.H.S.C. University Campus on Thursday, April 15, 2004, Laura Patricia, dear wife of the late John Cremins and Owen Baker, in her 73rd year. Dear mother of James, Thomas, Jo Anne (Gary), Alma (partner Kim), Catherine (Ross), Timothy (partner Amanda) all of Ontario, Doris (Halil) of Quebec and John (partner Tracey) of Saskatchewan. Dear sister of Don of Calgary, Ronnie, Jock, Eddie and Jim, Margaret, Joanie and Nellie all of Nova Scotia, Margery, Mildred, Annie and Edie all of Ontario. Predeceased by her parents Thomas and Helen Asprey formerly of Nova Scotia and her grandson Tom Tom. Predeceased by 5 brothers. Also survived by 12 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. Visitors will be received at John T. Donohue Funeral Home, 362 Waterloo Street at King Street, on Sunday from 2-4 and 7-9 o'clock where the funeral service will be held on Monday morning at 11 o'clock. Interment in St.

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Peter's Cemetery. Memorial donations to St. Joseph's Health Care Foundation supporting Cushion Research would be appreciated.

Laura Patricia married **John Cremins**.

- viii. **Marjory Barbara**. Born in 1933 in Halifax NS. Marjory Barbara died in London, ON, on 9 Jul 2021; she was 88. Buried in Forest Lawn Cemetery, London.

The family of Marjory Barbara Newcombe (nee Asprey) is deeply saddened to announce her passing on July 9, 2021 at LHSC Victoria Campus in London, ON in her 88th year. Predeceased by her loving husband William Newcombe (May 4, 2002) and her dear son Henry Newcombe (August 9, 2010). Marjory was born on July 18, 1933 in Halifax, Nova Scotia where she eventually met and married the love of her life, William Newcombe. They raised nine children together and moved to their family home on Queens Avenue in London, ON in 1956/57. She will be deeply missed by her surviving children; William Newcombe (Annete), Eileen McCormick (Robert), Shirley Caruana (late John), Michael Newcombe (Lisa), Danny Newcombe, Keith Newcombe (Yolanda), Karan Newcombe (Brian) and Heather Sivyver (Jeff). She will also be missed by many Grandchildren and Great-Grandchildren. As a family we are grateful for the loving care that was provided by many family members including her children, and her sister Mildred Phalen. Marjory was happiest when surrounded by her family. She welcomed anyone into her home. She loved deeply and without hesitation. She will be remembered for her generosity as much as her quick wit. There will be no shortage of heartwarming and hilarious stories to share.

Marjory Barbara married **William Newcombe**.

- ix. **Annie**. Born in 1936 in Halifax, N.S. Annie died in Brantford, ON, on 23 May 2014; she was 78.

FINDLAY, Annie (nee Asprey) - unexpectedly at the Brantford General Hospital, on Friday, May 23, 2014, in her 78th year. Devoted wife and best friend of Robert Findlay. Predeceased by her daughter Regina (2013) and her grandchildren; Christopher (1975) and Kristina (1997). Nurturing, loving mother of Dorothy (Harry Wust), Lee (Terrance) Thwaites, Michael (Catherine) Doucette, Darlene (Joe) Resendes, Brian Doucette, Tammy (Jerome) Schroh, David Doucette, George (Crystal) Doucette, Paul (Mandy) Doucette and Robert (Tisha) Findlay and mother-in-law to Gabe Di Blasio and Cassandra Doucette. Proud and adored "Nanny" of many, many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Annie will be fondly remembered by her numerous extended family members and her friends.

Di BLASIO, Regina Helen - Peacefully at Victoria Hospital on Monday, July 8th, 2013, Regina Helen Di Blasio (nee: Doucette) in her 57th year. Beloved wife of Gabriel. Loving mother of Tina, Angelina, Gabriele, Michelangelo and the late Christopher (1975). Proud Nana of Ryan, Kyle and Aidan. Dear daughter of Paul Doucette and Annie Findlay (Robert). Also loved by her brothers and sisters: Dorothy Doucette (Harry), Lee Thwaites (Terry), Darlene Resendes (Joe), Tammy Schroh (Jerome), Michael Doucette (Catherine), David Doucette, Brian Doucette, George Doucette (Crystal) Paul Doucette (Mandy) and Robert Findlay (Tisha). Daughter-in-law of Rosina and the late Emidio Di Blasio (July 2nd, 2013). Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Annie married **Robert Findlay**.

- x. **Henry Newman** (Died as Child). Born on 18 Oct 1939 in Halifax NS. Henry Newman died in Halifax NS, on 5 Jul 1943; he was 3. Buried in Mount Olivet.
- xi. **William George**. Born on 3 Feb 1941 in Halifax, NS. William George died in Halifax,

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NS, on 26 Jul 2003; he was 62.

ASPNEY, William George - 62, passed away July 26, 2003, in QEII Health Sciences Centre, Halifax, with his family by his side. Born in Halifax, February 3, 1941, he was a son of the late Thomas and Helen (Gerrior) Asprey. Billy was a lover of all sports and was a truck driver for years. Surviving are his companion of many years, Mary Adams; ex-wife, Shirley Aikenhead; son, Douglas and his wife Clara; daughter, Jeanine and her husband Trevor; stepson, Jonathan Adams; sisters, Johanna and her husband the late Edward Boucher, Halifax; Helen and her husband Grant Gabriel, Margaret and her husband Donald Kennedy, all of Dartmouth; Laura and her husband the late John Crimens, Marjorie and her husband the late William Newcombe, Edith and her husband Irwin Foster, Annie and her husband Robert Findley, Mildred Phalen, all of London, Ont.; brothers, Edward and wife Dianne, New Ross; John and wife Blanche, Ronald and wife Roxie, all of Sheet Harbour; Donald and wife Dianne, Strathmore, Alta.; James and wife Isabel, Merrigomish; best friend of 55 years, Harold Moore. Besides his parents, he was predeceased by his brothers, Thomas, Frederick, Hugh, Joseph, Henry and Billy. Cremation has taken place, burial in Fairview Cemetery. (Halifax Herald 7/28/2003)

William George married **Shirley Aikenhead**.

- xii. **Cecelia** (Died as Infant). Born on 4 Jul 1942 in Halifax NS. Cecelia died in Halifax NS, on 6 Jul 1942; she was <1. Buried in Mount Olivet.
- xiii. **Michael "James"**. Born in 1947 in Halifax NS. Michael "James" died in New Glasgow, NS, on 29 Mar 2015; he was 68.

BIG ISLAND-James Michael "Jim" Asprey, 68, Big Island, passed away peacefully Monday, March 29, 2015 in the Aberdeen Hospital, New Glasgow, surrounded by his family. Born in Halifax, he was a son of the late Thomas and Helen (Gerrior) Asprey. He was an electrician with Trenton Works for most of his working life. He was known as Mr. Fix it. Jim's greatest love in his life was his family. Surviving are his wife of 50 years, Isabel (Phalen); son, James (Darlene), Saint Albert, Alta; daughters, Colleen (Tom) Hawley, Egerton; Connie Coady (Richard Arbuckle), Edmonton, Alta; grandchildren, Samantha and Sarah Scott; Lauren and Jake Coady; Christopher, Brandon and Mason Hawley; Jason Asprey; Carl and Alex Hines; great-grandchildren, Ruth and Amelia Brown; Carson Mattinson; Dawson Coady; brothers, John (Jock); Ronald, Sheet Harbour; Donald (Dianne), Margate, PEI; sisters, Margaret (Donald) Kennedy, Dartmouth; Helen (Michael) Slaunwhite; Marjorie (Bill) Newcombe; Edith (Erwin) Foster; Mildred Phalen, London, Ont; several nieces and nephews. Besides his parents, he was predeceased by his brothers, Thomas; Fred; William George; Joseph; Edward; Henry; Hugh; William (in infancy); sisters, JoHanna Boucher; Laura Cremens; Anne Findlay; Theresa Asprey (in infancy) and Cecelia Asprey (in Infancy). Interment will be in Murray's Point Cemetery.

Michael "James" married **Isabel Phelan**.

- xiv. **Helen**.

Helen married **Michael Bernard Slaunwhite**. Born on 11 Sep 1946. Michael Bernard died in Halifax N.S., on 5 Oct 2017; he was 71.

Michael Bernard Slaunwhite, 71 Halifax, passed away on October 5, 2017 at the QEII Halifax Infirmary. He was born on September 11, 1946 to the late Robert and Evelyn (Ryan) Slaunwhite of Terrence Bay. Sam was known for his love of music. He will be missed by all who knew and loved him. He is survived by his wife, Helen Asprey; children, Lois (Jamie) Pelrine, Laurie (Jerome) Walsh, Linda (Larry) Chaulk, Todd

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(Tanya) Slaunwhite, and Michael Slaunwhite; stepchildren, Joy (Wilfred) Gerrior, Kathy (Ross) David, Darlene (Dave) Hounsell, Tari (Jeff), and Joseph Gabriel; sisters, Kathleen (Allan), Peggy (Richard), Hilda (Roy), Gloria, Paulette (Wayne); favorite nephew, Paul Keefe; many grandchildren, step-grandchildren, nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by stepdaughter, Debbi Wells; brother, Robert; sisters, Angel and Debra Anne.

xv. **Margaret.**

Margaret married **Donald Kennedy**. Born on 15 Feb 1940. Donald died in Dartmouth, N.S., on 22 Nov 2017; he was 77.

Donald James Kennedy II. Born February 15, 1940 passed peacefully November 22, 2017 in Dartmouth General Hospital after a short battle with cancer. Leaving behind his loving wife of 51 years Margaret (Asprey), daughter Sherry (Robert Comrie), sons; Donald (Steven Andrews), Mark (Alexa Langille) and Daddy's beautiful girl Allisha. Sisters: Donna (John Muise), Kathy (Kevin Webber), Karen (William Mills), Grandchildren: Katelyn, Alyssa, Kyle (Grace) and great grandson: Gage. He had many nieces and nephews. Donald was predeceased by his mother Dorothy (Godfrey), father Donald James Kennedy I and brother Jack (Viola). Donald was a retired Navy Veteran who took great pride in his service to our country.

xvi. **Edith.**

Edith married **Erwin Foster**. Erwin died on 23 Mar 2017.

FOSTER, Erwin Alfred - Passed away suddenly on March 23, 2017 while surrounded by his family. Beloved husband of Edith (nee Asprey) for over 59 years. Loving father to Michael (Elizabeth), Kim (Don), Linda (Rob), Al (Heather Fidler) and Shawn (Corey Cochrane). Papa will be greatly missed by 10 grandchildren, 6 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great grandson. Predeceased by his parents Alfred Foster, Ethel Smith and 1 great grandchild, Janessa. Cremation to take place. As per Erwin's wishes, interment will follow at St. Peter's Cemetery. (London, ON)

xvii. **Ronald.**

xviii. **Donald.**

xix. **Joseph C.** Born in 1950. Joseph C. died in 2002; he was 52. Buried in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Lower Sackville, NS.

Cemetery Inscription: Forever in our hearts. Sadly missed by wife, daughter and granddaughter.

xx. **Mildred.**

Mildred Phelan

xxi. **Theresa** (Died as Infant).

xxii. **Hugh Vernon.** Hugh Vernon died in 1978. Buried in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Lower Sackville, NS.

Family of Margaret ("Meg") Gough (16) & William George Victor Stokes

48. Florence (Florrie) Theresa Stokes (*Margaret ("Meg") Gough⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 30 Aug 1890 in Halifax, NS. Florence (Florrie) Theresa died in Saint John, NB, on 4 Jan 1932; she was 41. Buried in Cedarhill Cemetery, Saint John.

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Saint John City Marriages

Feb 20 1912 Groom George W. Stevens, 18, b. Saint John, res Saint John, parents Ward and Christina Stevens, bride Florence Theresa Stokes, age 21, b. Halifax, NS, res Saint John parents William G. V. and Margaret Stokes

NB Registration of Births

1912-06-08 Stevens Arthur George Bently parents George W. Stevens and Florence T. Stokes
1915-01-15 Stevens Gordon William Victor parents George W. Stevens and Florence T. Stokes
1916-07-22 Stevens Edward John parents George W. Stevens and Florence T. Stokes
1918-05-06 Stevens Stanley Henry parents George W. Stevens and Florence T. Stokes

On 20 Feb 1912 when Florence (Florrie) Theresa was 21, she married **George W. Stevens** in Saint John, NB. Born in 1894 in Saint John, NB. George W. died in Saint John, NB, on 15 Nov 1953; he was 59. Buried in Fern Hill Cemetery, Saint John.

1921 census Saint John City

George Stevens 28
Florence Stevens 30
Arthur Stevens 9
Gordon Stevens 7
Edward Stevens 5
Stanley Stevens 3
Jean Stevens 2
Ward Stevens 50

Informant on certificate of death, Miss Jean M Stevens, Saint John, daughter (1953).

They had the following children:

- i. **Arthur George Bentley**. Born on 8 Jun 1912 in Saint John, NB. Arthur George Bentley died in Victoria, BC, on 21 May 1980; he was 67. Residence: Mayo, Yukon.

Information from Ancestry: Children Wanda 1937-2007, Wayne 1939-2005, Bonnie Jean Millicent b. Dawson City, Yukon 21 May 1947 d. Victoria BC 14 Dec 2011, md Arthur M. Donovan (1945-1989), others

Arthur George Bentley married **Thelma Louise Ross**. Born on 15 Dec 1914 in Dawson City, Yukon. Thelma Louise died in Victoria, BC, on 15 Oct 2000; she was 85.

- ii. **Gordon William Victor**. Born on 15 Jan 1915. Gordon William Victor died on 24 Aug 1977; he was 62.
- iii. **Edward John**. Born on 22 Jul 1916 in Saint John, NB. Edward John died in Saint John, NB, on 26 Sep 1970; he was 54.
- iv. **Stanley Henry**. Born on 6 May 1918 in Saint John, NB. Stanley Henry died in Saint John, NB, on 5 Feb 1973; he was 54.
- v. **Jean Millicent**. Born on 2 Nov 1919 in Saint John, NB. Jean Millicent died in Saint John, NB, on 28 Dec 1996; she was 77.

Family of Sarah Ellen Gough (17) & J. Austen Flack

49. Isabel (Belle) Charlotte Flack (*Sarah Ellen Gough⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*).

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Born on 16 Oct 1886 in Halifax, NS. Isabel (Belle) Charlotte died on 29 Jul 1970; she was 83. Residence: 166 Almon St., Halifax (1911); Port Arthur, ON (1956).

Marriage certificate, NS Historical Vital Statistics, parents named as Andrew and Sarah.

St Francis de Sales's Church Cemetery, Pickering, Ontario, Canada

Greening In loving memory of William John Greening Nov. 4, 1887 Jan. 25, 1972 Isabel Charlotte Flack his wife Oct. 8, 1886 July 29, 1970 May they rest in peace

MAGGIE GRENNAN (DYER) Maggie died in Halifax January 5, 2012. She was born in Thunder Bay and received her education at Hammariskjold High School and attended the Lakehead Teacher's College. She taught school one year in Nakina before going down east to teach for the Dufferin School Board. When she finished teaching she moved to Halifax where she planned on studying the languages and cultures of other countries. Her funeral and burial took place in Halifax attended by her sister and brother-in-law, Colleen and Russ Robinson, She is survived by her mother Joan Dyer; sister and brother-in-law Colleen and Russ Robinson; her brother and sister-in-law Bill and Jan Dyer. She also had nieces Sheila Ethier and her daughter Rosalyn; Sandra and Brian Fenton; Carol and Frank Wilson. Also her nephew Andrew Robinson, Rosalyn Ethier, Andy and Greg Greening. She was predeceased by her grandparents William and Isabel Greening, aunts and uncles: Dorothea and Basil Scully, Frances and Tom Greening, John Greening and cousin Lawrence Greening.

On 31 Aug 1909 when Isabel (Belle) Charlotte was 22, she married **William John Greening** in Halifax, NS. Born on 4 Nov 1887 in Northlake, Surrey, England. William John died on 25 Jan 1972; he was 84. Occupation: Soldier (1909, 1911). Residence: Canada (1907).

Son of John and Rose (NSHVS marriage)

1911 census, Almon St., Halifax William 23 Isabel 24.

They had the following children:

- i. Dorothea Mary Rose. Born on 16 Oct 1911 in Halifax N.S. Dorothea Mary Rose died in Sudbury, ON, on 21 Sep 2002; she was 90.
SCULLY, Dorothea Mary Rose "Dot" (née Greening) Died peacefully at home on September 21, 2002 at the age of 90 years, surrounded by loving family and friends. Dot was born in Halifax in 1911 and moved to Ontario as a child. She graduated from St. Michael's College, University of Toronto, and taught school in Port Arthur, where she met and married husband Basil. They moved to Sudbury in 1953, and Dot continued to teach at Nickel District and Lockerby Composite, where she taught Latin and was the school librarian until her retirement in 1972. Dot was a devout Christian and a great sign of faith to her family and friends. She loved cooking, reading and playing bridge, and was a generous person who helped many others on her life's journey. She passed into the next life with joy and peace, at the end of a life welllived. Beloved daughter of William Greening and Isobel Flack, both predeceased. Sadly missed by husband Basil, daughters Sheila Ethier and Brenda Laframboise (husband Alan), nephew Lawrence Greening (wife Doris) of Toronto, sister Joan Dyer of Thunder Bay, brothers Tom (wife Frances) of California and John (wife Marlene) of Toronto, and sister-in-law Joan Asselin (husband Omer). Dear grandmother of James (fiancée Marie), Alyson, Jonathan, and Rosalyn. Sadly missed by many nieces and nephews. Resting at THE JACKSON AND BARNARD FUNERAL HOME, 233 Larch St., Sudbury. Funeral Mass in St. Patrick's Church, 39 Walford Rd., Sudbury Wednesday, September 25, 2002 at 10 am. Interment in the Civic Cemetery. 9/23/2002 - Sudbury Star.

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Dorothea Mary Rose Greening married **Basil Scully**. He was born on 17 Dec 1916 in Little Current, Manitoulin Island, ON and died on 11 Nov 2002 in Sudbury, ON; he was 85.

Basil Scully died on Monday. He was 85. The native of Little Current was first heard on the radio in Sudbury. He made the jump to CKSO-TV when the first private television station in Canada signed on Oct. 25, 1953. Bas was Sudbury's first TV weatherman, a natural comedian with quick comebacks, an interesting sense of humour to say the least and a natural on-air presence. Sadly Scully's wife Dot (Dorothea) died in September. They had resided in the Lo-Ellen Park area for decades. Their home on Windle Drive was a favourite spot at Christmastime because the Scully's put up an elaborate outdoor display. Scully's long-time colleague Bill Kehoe, the first television news anchor in this city, was saddened to hear about Scully's passing. Scully was Kehoe's best man at his wedding. "Basil was a great practical joker," recalled Kehoe, in a telephone interview from the Ottawa area. "One of my favourite stories...we were conducting some kind of contest and people had to buy something from various stores and send a coupon in to the station. Entries poured in. Before the live on-air draw Scully asked Kehoe to get his fedora from a nearby office. Ten tickets from the barrel were put into the hat and Scully drew one out, announcing with his own particular sense of humour that the winner was 6 7/8. A hat size. Corny, but it worked.. " Scully had a short run at politics and ran as a PC candidate both federally and provincially. His political career was notable because ran against Lester B. Pearson in Algoma Riding in the 1958 federal election. The Liberal prime minister had been parachuted into the "safe" Grit riding. Scully "was a sacrificial lamb," recalled Kehoe. I said to him 'Basil, you haven't got a hope in hell of beating Lester Pearson'. He said 'ah, you never know, I might get something out of it'...I don't know if he ever did ever get anything out of it, but he did pretty well against Pearson, who was a pretty popular prime minister." Kehoe said there are no characters on local television now like in the "golden days" of the 1950s. Scully "represented another age," said the former broadcaster. "There were very few people as happy go lucky as he was. People have too many worries nowadays. Basil never seemed to have too many worries. Kehoe recalled that Scully wasn't even afraid of TV news manager Wilf Woodill. "We never knew if we had a job the next day, but Basil couldn't care less," said Kehoe. Judy Erola also knows first hand what a character Scully was. In those early days of television in Sudbury she was weathergirl Judy Jacobson. She had to be on her toes when Scully and her were on camera. "His comeback was never more than two seconds after," said the former federal cabinet minister and Nickel Belt MP. "He didn't have to think about it, it was right on his fingertips." Erola said they made the television rules up as they went along. Everything was live and there were jokes galore. Erola remembers one night appearing with Scully on the weather set dressed in Indian costumes. It was the start of Indian summer. "We had to come up with a gag a night and it was usually Bas's inspiration I can assure you," said Erola. Scully did get his comeuppance one night for all the practical jokes he played on his colleagues. During a live commercial promoting a new refrigerator with a water tap, staff replaced the H2O in the appliance with Tabasco sauce. Scully wasn't fazed — at least while the camera was on. "He took a sip and said 'wonderful'," said Erola. In 1965 Scully became the first director of northern programs at the Addiction Research Foundation. Scully wrote an autobiography in 1992 called Barefoot Boy with Chique. He is survived by two daughters Sheila Ethier and Brenda Laframboise, a sister, Joan Asselin, and four grandchildren, James, Alyson, Jonathan and Rosalyn. Friends may visit at the Jackson and Barnard Funeral Home today (Wednesday) from 2 to 5 pm and 7 to 9 pm. Prayers will be held at 7:30 pm. Funeral Mass will be held at St. Patrick's Church on Walford Road Thursday at 10 am.

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- ii. William "John". Born in 1917. William "John" died in Scarborough, ON, on 8 Jul 2006; he was 89.
GREENING, William John
(Founding Partner of Greening and Associate, and world traveller)
Peacefully on Saturday, July 8, 2006 at the Scarborough Centenary Hospital in his 89th year with his beloved wife Marlene by his side. Loving step-father of Marina, Caroline, and Adele. Cherished grandfather of Kameron, Bennett, Jessica, Amethyst, MacKenzy, April, and Pierce. Survived by his sister Joan. Predeceased by his siblings Dorothea, and Thomas. Interment at Resthaven Memorial Gardens. Your journey continues, for there are more worlds to explore.
Toronto Globe_and_Mail 2006-07-10
- 90 iii. Thomas.
iv. Joan.
Dyer, Joan (nee Greening). Passed away peacefully on August 29, 2015 at the age of 93. Predeceased by her brothers John and Tom, her sister Dorothea and her daughter Maggie. A loving selfless mother, she will be forever missed by her children Colleen (Russ) and Bill (Janet). She will be fondly remembered by her grandson Andrew as well as Lindsey, Michael and Chris and her nieces and nephews. Joan was born in Ottawa and spent part of her childhood in Toronto. She moved to Port Arthur when her father became School Inspector for the area. After studying Household Science at the University of Toronto, she became an elementary school teacher and taught for many years for the Catholic School Board. She had many friends, including the ladies of the "Knitting Club" who met regularly for decades.

Family of Nicholas Holland Howe Gough (18) & Agnes Isabel Ferguson

50. Kathleen Clarissa Gough (*Nicholas Holland Howe⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 4 Apr 1893 in Halifax, N.S. Kathleen Clarissa died in Halifax NS, on 22 Mar 1996; she was 102. Buried in St. Johns Cemetery, Fairview, Halifax.

ATKINS, Kathleen C. - 102, Halifax, died March 22, 1996, at home. Born in Halifax, she was a daughter of the late Nicholas and Agnes (Ferguson) Gough. Surviving are daughters, Margaret (Mrs. L.R. MacKinnon), Delores (Mrs. G. H. Fitzgerald), Dartmouth; sons, James H., Halifax; Carl F., Dartmouth; 13 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband, Harry R.; son, Roy. Cremation has taken place. Memorial service 11 a.m. Monday in St. John's United Church, Halifax, Rev. Carmen Riggs officiating. Burial in St. John Cemetery. Family flowers only. Donations to St. John's Parish building fund or any charity.

On 27 Sep 1916 when Kathleen Clarissa was 23, she married **Harry Roy Atkins** in Halifax, NS. Born on 29 Jul 1894 in Harrigan's Cove, NS. Harry Roy died in Halifax, NS, on 25 Apr 1951; he was 56. Residence: Almon St., Halifax.

NSHVS Marriage record, s/o James and Frances

1921 census Halifax Harold Atkins 27 Kathleen 27 James 4 Margaret 4/12.

They had the following children:

- i. **James Holland**. Born on 6 May 1917 in Halifax. James Holland died in Halifax NS, on 3 Dec 2014; he was 97.

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James Holland Atkins, 97 - Arborstone Enhanced Care, Halifax, Nova Scotia. Born in Halifax he was the son of the late Harry Roy and Kathleen Atkins. His wife Mary of 61 years and an infant son Roy predeceased him. A loving husband and father he is survived by a son James, daughter Janice and niece Joy (Mrs. Steven Lambert). Jim retired from Maritime Telephone and Telegraph Ltd. after 41 years of service, a life member of Bell Aliant Pioneers and The Odd Fellow Association. Cremation has taken place, no visitation or service by his request, family interment will take place at a later date.

James Holland married **Mary Madeline Devanney**.

- ii. ATKINS, Mary Madeline (DEVANNEY); 93; Halifax NS; Chron-Herald; 2010-10-10
Alfred "Roy" (Died as Child). Born on 17 Dec 1918 in Halifax, N.S. Alfred "Roy" died in Halifax N.S., on 15 Jun 1920; he was 1. Buried in St. Johns Cemetery, Fairview, Halifax.
- iii. **Margaret Frances**. Born on 22 Apr 1921 in Halifax N.S. Margaret Frances died in Charlottetown, PEI, on 29 Mar 2014; she was 92.
Margaret Frances MacKinnon (Atkins), 92, died suddenly at her home on March 29, 2014. Born in Halifax on April 22, 1921, she was the daughter of the late Harry Roy and "Kitty" Atkins. For Margaret, music always provided a beautiful symphony to her life from a young girl who played piano on a radio talent show, Uncle Mels, alongside Hank Snow, to concerts during the war, for family get-togethers, to her sunset years at The Berkeley where she played old time favourites for many a singsong. Margaret graduated from both Halifax Academy and the Royal Conservatory of Music. In her early years, she was a court reporter, moved on to teach dressmaking at the Halifax Vocational School, teach music years later in the Amherst School System, and finally provide music lessons privately when she and her husband retired to Prince Edward Island. When not "tickling the ivories", Margaret immersed herself in both the community and her children's extracurricular activities. She was in the CGIT, was a Girl Guide Commissioner, member of the Crystal Chapter, Easter Star, deeply involved in the Rotary Club & Shriners with her husband for many years, and active in the church and recreational sports teams throughout her life. Margaret loved to entertain and was always ahead of the curve when it came to dressing not only herself but her family and being a seamstress allowed her to whip up an outfit for many occasions, with matching shoes and jewellery, of course! Quick to participate in a practical joke, always ready to don a costume for a party, play a round of bridge or be part of a cabaret, Margaret was never one to be idle. Even when macular degeneration impaired her sight and her soul mate, Raymond, passed away, she continued to sail, ride a sea do, enjoy trips to Ireland and Disney with her children/grandchildren, learn to use a computer and at 90 was an inspirational speaker for the Vision Canada Conference in Halifax.
She is survived by her daughters, Lynn Boothroyd (Andrew), Orleans, ON; Rae Owen (Mike), Dartmouth, N.S.; Anne MacKinnon (Chris Moir), W. Porter's Lake, N.S.; son, Ian MacKinnon (Carol), Port Williams, N.S.; sister, Dunny Fitzgerald (Paddy), Dartmouth, N.S.; brothers, Carl Atkins, Dartmouth, N.S.; James Atkins, Halifax, N.S.; sister-in-law, Marian Dietz, Red Deer, AB; grandchildren, Allison Fitzgerald (Jason), Orleans, ON; Adrienne Boothroyd (Ian Dawes), Ottawa, ON; Ceri Owen, Kentville, N.S.; Dr. Meredith Owen (Neil Frizzo), Kemps Creek, Australia; Fraser Moir (Emily), Bedford, N.S.; Logan Moir, Halifax, N.S.; Sarah and Calum MacKinnon, Port Williams, N.S.; and four great-grandchildren, Rhys and Kian Fitzgerald and Erin and Alistair Dawes. Margaret was predeceased by her husband, Raymond; an older brother, Roy Atkins; her sisters-in-law, LeVaughn and Mary Atkins; and brother-in-law, Frank Dietz. Interment in Highfield Cemetery, West Royalty, P.E.I.

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"When I come to the end of the road, and the sun has set for me, remember the love that we once shared, miss me - but let me go." Hugs, Mom

Margaret Frances married **Lemuel "Raymond" MacKinnon**. Born on 23 Jun 1918 in PEI. Lemuel "Raymond" died in Halifax, N.S., on 5 Jan 1999; he was 80.

Highfield Cemetery, West Royalty, PEI

Lemuel Angus MACKINNON born July 7, 1885 died December 26, 1964; His wife Sara Elizabeth MACDONALD born November 8, 1888 died December 4, 1979; God Is Our Refuge And Strength; MACKINNON Lemuel Raymond MACKINNON born June 23, 1918 died January 5, 1999; His wife Margaret Frances ATKINS born April 22, 1921

- iv. **Carl Ferguson**. Born on 24 Aug 1925 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Carl Ferguson died in Dartmouth, Nova Scotia, on 14 Feb 2019; he was 93.

Atkins, Carl Ferguson Lt. Colonel (Ret'd), 93, of Dartmouth.

It is with great sadness that the family of Carl F. Atkins announce his peaceful passing on February 14th, 2019 at his home in Dartmouth. Carl was born in Halifax on August 24th, 1925 to the late Harry and Kathleen (Gough) Atkins. Carl is survived by his daughter Joy Lambert (Steven), Grandchildren Tommy Lambert and Jonathan Lambert, all from Victoria BC, Anthony Falls, Edmonton AB and Caitlin Falls, Edmonton AB. Carl is also survived by his only remaining sibling and constant companion, K. Dolores (Dunny) FitzGerald; as well as many nieces and nephews. Carl was predeceased by his beloved wife, LeVaughan (Jennings) Atkins, and their beloved daughter Linda (Atkins) Falls, brothers Roy Atkins, James (Mary) Atkins, sister Margaret (Raymond) MacKinnon. Carl was a longstanding and faithful employee of DND beginning his career at the tender age of 17 in November of 1942. Carl worked at the dockyards for over 40 years, retiring as a Lt. Colonel on June 29th, 1990.

In the early days, Carl, LeVaughan and Linda spent many weekends camping and travelling around Nova Scotia particularly in the Lunenburg area sharing time with many friends and family, building a lifelong friendship with his niece Lauralene Van Loon. Through the years Carl formed a great adoration and special kinship with Linda's children Anthony and Caitlyn and he cherished the many happy times enjoyed during their visits and talks. Carl's hobbies were enjoying meals with family and playing the stock market.

Dartmouth Memorial Gardens

ATKINS Father Lt. Col. Carl F CD 1925- ; Daughter Linda L. Falls RN 1960-1998; Mother LeVaughn V 1922-2010.

Daughter Linda LeVaughn. FALLS, Linda LeVaughn (ATKINS); ae 37; b. Dartmouth NS d. 3 Mar 1998 Waco TX; Halifax H L (NS); 1998-3-6. Children Anthony James Falls, Caitlin May Falls.

Carl Ferguson married **LeVaughn Viola Jennings**. Born on 19 Oct 1922 in Lunenburg, NS. LeVaughn Viola died in Dartmouth, NS, on 22 Oct 2010; she was 88. Buried in Dartmouth Memorial Gardens.

Daughter of Samuel Jennings and Laura Colp.

ATKINS, LeVaughn Viola (JENNINGS); 88; Dartmouth NS; Chron-Herald; 2010-10-23.

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- v. **Kathleen Dolores (“Dunny”).** Born on 29 Nov 1932 in Halifax, NS. Dolores (“Dunny”) died in Fall River, Halifax, NS, on 31 Jul 2022; she was 89.

Kathleen Dolores "Dunny" FitzGerald of Fall River, Nova Scotia. It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of our mother, Kathleen Dolores “Dunny” FitzGerald (née Atkins), age 89. Dunny passed away July 31, 2022, at the Victoria General Hospital, in Halifax, Nova Scotia, surrounded by family. She fought a fierce and courageous battle with cancer. Dunny was born in Halifax, Nova Scotia, on November 29, 1932, to the late Harry Roy Atkins of Harrigan’s Cove, Nova Scotia, and the late Kathleen Clarissa “Kitty” Atkins (née Gough) of Halifax, Nova Scotia. She was predeceased by her late husband of 57 years, Gordon Howard (G.H. “Paddy”) FitzGerald, whom she adored. She was also the last surviving member of her immediate family, predeceased by her three brothers, Roy (who died in infancy), James (Mary), Carl (LeVaughn) and her only sister, Margaret (Raymond) MacKinnon. Dunny is survived by her five children, Patti Lee (Lonnie) Wright of Friendship, Tennessee, Allison (Peter) Jones of Fall River, Nova Scotia, Dolores (Scott) Power of Halifax, Nova Scotia, Thomas “Tommy” (Ella) FitzGerald of Dartmouth, Nova Scotia and Toby (Stan) Humphreys of Fall River, Nova Scotia, ten grandchildren, Ryan (Ashley) Wright, Ashley (Delmond) Henderson, Hilarie Jones, Scott Power, Brody Power, Miranda (Jarvis) FitzGerald, Tanner FitzGerald, Kaitie FitzGerald, Maxwell Humphreys, Samuel Humphreys and twelve great-grandchildren. Dunny will be remembered as a devoted, loving, and loyal wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, daughter, sister, and friend. As a child, she was precocious in dance, singing, and piano, often performing with “Uncle Mel” during the Second World War. Her artistic talents later extended to painting (tole and canvas), ceramics, stained glass, knitting, interior design, and gourmet cooking. Generous of soul, she always gave her talents away freely as tokens of her friendship or love. An elegant and gracious host, Dunny loved to entertain and bring people together, whether in support of her late husband’s political career, or in support of local sports teams. Go Vees!

On 4 May 1957 Dolores (“Dunny”) married **Gordon Howard (Paddy) Fitzgerald**. Born on 19 Jan 1927 in Cochrane, ON. Gordon Howard (Paddy) died in Halifax NS, on 1 May 2014; he was 87.

Gordon Howard “Paddy” FitzGerald, 87, passed away peacefully May 1, 2014 at the Victoria General Hospital in Halifax, surrounded by family.

Paddy is survived by his wife of 57 years Kathleen Dolores “Dunny” (nee) Atkins, married May 4, 1957, children Patti Lee (Lonnie) Wright, Friendship, Tennessee, Allison (Peter) Jones, Fall River, Dolores (Scott) Power, Halifax, Thomas “Tommy” (Ella) FitzGerald, Dartmouth, Toby (Stanley) Humphreys, Fall River, ten grandchildren Ryan and Ashley Wright, Hilarie Jones, Scott and Brody Power, Miranda, Tanner, and Katie FitzGerald, Maxwell and Samuel Humphreys, three great grandchildren Addyson, Moriah, and Karis Wright, and sisters Rita Townsend, Ontario, Mona Hanford, British Columbia, and Margaret Goss, Ontario.

Born in Cochrane, Ontario on January 19, 1927 to Thomas FitzGerald and May Cooper, Paddy was a member of the Royal Canadian Navy and the Royal Canadian Navy Volunteer Reserve. He attended McGill and Mount Allison University before earning his law degree from Dalhousie in 1952. As one of the Province’s top trial lawyers, Paddy ran a successful legal practice, FitzGerald & Company, until 1979.

A devout family man and loyal friend with a strong sense of civic duty, Paddy was elected to the Nova Scotia House of Assembly in 1963, serving as an MLA from Bedford until 1970, Speaker of the House from 1969 to 1970, and Chairman of the Select Committee on Medicare. Previously he was a member of the Halifax Club, President of the Naval Officers Association of Canada, Nova Scotia branch, Nova Scotia Progressive

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Conservative Association and executive member , All Saints Church, Bedford. .
Paddy was someone who would avail himself to anyone in need. He will be greatly missed.

51. Ethel Gladys Gough (*Nicholas Holland Howe⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 1 Mar 1902 in Halifax, N.S. Ethel Gladys died in 1984; she was 81.

On 21 Nov 1923 when Ethel Gladys was 21, she married **John Alexander MacDonald** in Halifax Co., NS. Born in 1893. John Alexander died in 1962; he was 69. Occupation: Building Contractor.

They had the following children:

- 91**
- i. Arthur Alexander ("Mickey") (Twin) (24 Jul 1929-29 Jun 2018)
 - ii. Agnes (Twin). Born 24 Jul 1929. Residence: Halifax, NS (2006). She was never married. Agnes MacDonald, 5881 Spring Garden Road, #402, Halifax, NS, B3H 4S3, Feb. 18, 2006. "Dear Doug. Thank you for sending me that well-done history of the Goff/Gough family. It is a great record of the past generations. I have no idea why the spelling of Goff was changed to Gough. Maybe over the years someone made an error on the spelling and it just carried on as Gough. My Uncle (who is deceased) always said the family was from Waterford, Ireland. He did know a lot of the family history and it is unfortunate that he has passed away. I know in the Bedford area one can turn off to the Hammonds Plains Road. Off that road is a place called Goff's Settlement. My Uncle often told me that when he was a young boy he would go with his father (Nicholas Gough) to Bedford. Many times they would walk if they were unable to get a ride with a wagon, etc. My grandfather Nicholas Gough had a lot of brothers - Dan, Art, Gil, Phil, etc. My Uncle said they were very good to their mother. I was told that one son, Phil, who was interested in horses, took his mother to Kentucky when he was going to buy horses. I know that their mother took Jean and Kathleen and raised them after their father was killed in the Halifax Explosion. From what I heard she was a great mother. I got copies made of what you sent me and mailed them to my first cousins in Dartmouth. They were very interested in getting them. Also, a copy to my brother in Burlington, ON. Thank you so much. Sorry I can't help you very much. Sincerely, Agnes MacDonald."

Family of Arthur McQuaid Gough (19) & Elizabeth Sarah Currie

52. Jean Elizabeth Gough (*Arthur McQuaid⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 21 Apr 1911 in Halifax NS. Jean Elizabeth died on 8 Sep 1999; she was 88. Buried in St Johns Fairview Cemetery.

From Myrna Thomas, Feb. 17, 2006, "Mom (Jean) was only three when her brother died; seven when both parents died; and widowed at age 27 (with two young children + another on the way). She and her sister, Aunt Kaye, were raised by her Grandma (Isabel). She looked after Gran in her final years, and married shortly after Gran's death. Aunt Aggie & Uncle Nick were sort of like surrogate grandparents to us, and we lived very close to them and all their family. As mentioned earlier, Lloyd (Gough) was like a "big brother" to us (kid brother to Mom & Aunt Kaye) til he joined the Army and moved to Ontario during the war. Two other relatives of whom we have the fondest memories are Maggie & John MacLeod. They were so good to us after Mom was widowed."

STOKES, Jean Elizabeth (GOUGH)[WAMBOLT]; 89; Halifax NS>Ottawa ON; Chron-Herald (NS); 1999-9-11

On 25 Oct 1933 when Jean Elizabeth was 22, she first married **William Lester Wamboldt** in St. Matthias Church,

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Halifax. Born on 14 Feb 1909 in Indian Harbour, Hfx. Co. William Lester died on 30 Oct 1937 in Halifax, NS; he was 28. Buried in St Johns Fairview Cemetery.

Son of Arthur Wamboldt and Rosa Shatford, both of Halifax. Died as a result of a traffic accident.

They had the following children:

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| 92 | i. | Myrna Rosa Jean (23 Jun 1934-) |
| | ii. | Marion Kathleen Elizabeth. Born on 31 Aug 1936 in Halifax NS. Died May, 2019, Ottawa. Burial Pinecrest Cemetery.
On 18 Dec 1961 when Marion Kathleen Elizabeth was 25, she first married Norman Robinson . They were divorced in 1973.
In Jul 1981 when Marion Kathleen Elizabeth was 44, she second married Stan McGuirl . Stan died in Oct 1990. |
| 93 | iii. | Sheila (8 May 1938-) |

On 16 Aug 1951 when Jean Elizabeth was 40, she second married **William John Cleveland Stokes**, son of William George Victor Stokes (4 Apr 1864-10 Dec 1927) & Margaret ("Meg") Gough (16) (10 Jul 1864-3 Dec 1948). Born on 28 Dec 1895 in Saint John, NB. William John Cleveland died on 29 May 1978; he was 82. Buried in St Johns Fairview Cemetery.

53. Kathleen Elizabeth Gough (*Arthur McQuaid⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 12 May 1913 in Halifax NS. Kathleen Elizabeth died in Halifax NS, on 14 May 2002; she was 89. Buried in Fairview Cemetery, Halifax.

WOODWORTH (Gough) Kathleen--89, Halifax, passed away May 14, 2002 after a courageous struggle with cancer. Born in Halifax May 12, 1913 she was the daughter of the late Arthur and Elizabeth (Currie) Gough. She and her late sister Jean Elizabeth were survivors of the Halifax explosion through which they were orphaned. She will be profoundly missed and forever loved by her daughter Amy K. E. Woodworth. She is survived also by her nieces, Myrna Thomas, Edmonton, Marion McGuirl and Sheila Keeping, Ottawa, cousin Lloyd Gough, South River, Ontario, many other cousins. She was predeceased by her husband Amos, her older brother Frederick, sister Jean Elizabeth (Gough, Wambolt) Stokes. Funeral service St Matthias' Anglican Church, Internment in Fairview Cemetery.

In 1947 when Kathleen Elizabeth was 33, she married **Amos Woodworth**, son of Amos Woodworth (4 Aug 1844-29 Jul 1907) & Elizabeth Ann Wilson (15 Apr 1850-19 Jan 1892), in Halifax NS. Born on 11 Apr 1886 in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS. Amos died in Halifax NS, on 27 Nov 1962; he was 76. Occupation: Meat Inspector, Halifax.

Amos Woodworth, 76, of 51 Convoy Avenue, Fairview, died in the Victoria General Hospital after a lengthy illness. A native of Milford Station, Hants Co., son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Amos Woodworth of Milford Station. He was a merchant for many years and then was employed by the City Board of Health until his retirement in 1952. Mr. Woodworth was the Past Noble Grand of Amity Lodge No. 40 of the Independent Order of Oddfellows, and past chief patriarch of Halifax Encampment No. 3. He was also a member of Mizpah Rebekah Lodge number 5, and the Armdale Yacht Club. He is survived by his wife Kathleen (Gough); one daughter Amy, Halifax; two daughters by a former marriage; Hilda (Mrs. James Gillette), Bedford; Muriel (Mrs. Duncan Cameron), Ajax, Ontario; Gordon, Halifax; Ralph, Bedford; one sister Maggie (Mrs. John Dalrymple) of Milford Station; one brother John, also of Milford Station. Funeral service was held on Thursday at St. Matthias Church, Rev. H. R. Deering and Rev. Edward Morris officiating. Internment was in Fairview Cemetery.

They had one child:

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| i. | Amy Kathleen Elizabeth. Born on 4 Sep 1948. Residence: Hubbards, NS (2006). |
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Family of Dr. Philip Anthony Gough (20) & Bessie Elizabeth MacAvoy

54. Lloyd George Gough (*Philip Anthony⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 12 May 1921 in Halifax NS. Residence: South River, ON. Lloyd died 21 May 2017 in South River, ON.

Lloyd passed away peacefully at his home with family at his side on Sunday May 21, 2017 in his 97th year. Beloved husband of Gladys Gough for 69 years. Much loved father of Philip (Rosemary) of Sundridge. He was predeceased by his daughter Nova Pinkerton Kush (Gary Kush-surviving). Dear grandfather of Lindsey (Morgan) Moran, David (Ashley White), Laurel (Dan) Lyle, Tera Pinkerton (Kevin Minor), Arlette (Bart) Wood and Greg (Monique) Pinkerton. Cherished great- grandfather to 7 great- grandchildren.

Lloyd joined the army and moved to Ontario from Halifax during the second World War.

On 23 Jun 1947 when Lloyd George was 26, he married **Gladys Freda Long**. Born on 18 Apr 1923.

Gladys Gough Obituary. It is with heavy hearts we announce the passing of Gladys Freda Gough on Thursday August 17, 2023 at the North Bay Regional Health Center in her 101st year. Gladys is the beloved mother of Philip (Rosemary) Gough, the best grandmother of Tera (Kevin) Minor, Arlette (Bart) Wood, Greg Pinkerton (Tiki), Lindsey (Morgan) Moran, David (Ashley) Gough, and Laurel (Dan) Lyle. Much loved great grandmother of Meranda (Cam), Leah (Adam), Brett, Brendon (Taylor), David, J.P., Carmen, Ava, Emma, Gus, and Elijah. Cherished sister of Rose Elder. Predeceased by her loving husband Lloyd, her daughter Nova Kush, her sister Annabelle (Frank), and her brother in law Clifford. Gladys will be remembered for her community commitment, and dedication to both the Grace Anglican Church and South River Legion Branch 390.

They had the following children:

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| 94 | i. | Nova Ann (5 Oct 1950-31 Jul 2016) |
| 95 | ii. | Philip Edward (17 Jul 1952-) |

Family of Emma Sophia Thomson (21) & Robert Edward Boutilier

55. Charles Edward “Laird” Boutilier (*Emma Sophia Thomson⁴, Mary Eliza Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born in 1911. Charles Edward “Laird” died on 20 Aug 1956; he was 45. Residence: Cranston, Rhode Island (Drowned).

Charles Edward “Laird” married **Barbara Ash**. Buried in Quidnessett Memorial Cemetery North Kingstown, RI. Boutilier, Barbara (Ash) passed peacefully on Sunday April 7th, 2013 at Steere House, Providence, RI. Born in Cranston, she was the daughter of the late Albert and Anna (Ross) Ash, sister of Albert and the late Robert Ash. Barbara was the wife of the late Charles E. L. Boutilier. She was the devoted mother of Linda Boutlier Gendron (John) and Edward L. Boutilier (Martha) of Scituate. She was the proud grandmother of Jenna Boutlier Forsman (Brian) and Bryan Boutilier. She also leaves her great grandson Noah Forsman.

Barbara graduated from Cranston High School and Edgewood Secretarial School. Barbara maintained an upbeat, optimistic personal outlook, despite several personal set-backs that would have been too much for those with less forbearance. At age 14, she made it into the Journal of American Medicine by being one of the first to survive spinal meningitis. Her doctor experimented with a new sulfur medication and she came out of a deep coma. She made a full recovery but was left with permanent hearing loss in one ear. After five years of marriage, her beloved husband drowned while fishing alone off the rocks in Narragansett. She learned to drive, went back to work and managed to raise two young children as a single mother at a time when that was not common. She said that raising her children gave her the will to go on and she gave all she had to the job. She was proud was proud of the

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accomplishments of her children and grandchildren and wanted them to have more opportunities than she had. Later, she was one of the first single women to be given a mortgage so that she could buy a house for her family. Old Stone Bank took the risk because she was a loyal and valued employee. She rose to the level of Vice President despite not having a college education and went on to help found the Human Resources Dept. and eventually be the bank expert on employee benefits. She personally watched over the bank retirees. Ironically, when it was time for her to retire, she had such faith in the bank she put her pension in bank stock and lost it when the bank became insolvent. She never lost faith in the banking industry and was never bitter about what happened to her. She loved to travel and took her family on several vacations to Canada, a woman alone with two small children. She was grateful that her job allowed her to travel and took advantage of the chance to go to conferences all over the U.S. She often spoke of her trips to California, Bermuda, and Britain. Barbara revelled in her parent's large families and embraced her husband's family even after he died. She stayed in touch with family all over the world and loved the idea of family reunions. She managed to make up for not having biological sisters through her extended family and considered her cousin, Shirley and her sister-in-law Marge to be her sisters. She also maintained a life long relationship with her best friend from kindergarten, Lorene. She was a faithful member of Calvary Baptist Church and taught Sunday School for many years. She served on several boards including SPNM, Steere House, and the Society for Women Accountants.

They had the following children:

- i. Linda. Born in 1952.
- ii. Edward. Born in 1954.
Edward married **Martha Sturgess**.

56. Tremaine Boutilier (*Emma Sophia Thomson⁴, Mary Eliza Goff⁸, Thomas², John¹*). Born in 1913. Tremaine died in 1997; he was 84. Buried in Hammonds Plains Cemetery.

Tremaine married **Margarite Doyle**. Born in 1922.

BOUTILIER, Margarite (Marjorie) nee Doyle

January 9, 1922 - January 2, 2013

Peacefully at Princess Margaret Hospital, Toronto, after a long life well lived. Beloved wife of the late Tremaine (Boots). Wonderful mother of Diane, Bob (Carol) and Stephen (Linda). Proud grandmother of Stephanie, Katie and Scott. Loving and bossy big sister of Gerald, the late Jim and the late Barbara Dunlop. Dear friend of sisters-in-law Phyllis Doyle, Evelyn Doyle and Barbara Boutilier. Doting aunt of numerous nieces and nephews. Admired by all for her intelligence, independent spirit, beauty, strength, wit and generosity. Our sincere appreciation to the compassionate staff and caregivers at the Mount Sinai Family Medicine Clinic, Mount Sinai Hospital, Christie Gardens and Princess Margaret Hospital. In accordance with Marjorie's wishes, there will be a private family farewell. In lieu of flowers, please consider a memorial donation to the Toronto Daily Bread Food Bank.

They had the following children:

- 96**
- i. Robert (1949-)
 - ii. Diane. Born in 1954.
 - iii. Stephen. Born in 1956.
Stephen married **Linda Perron**.

Family of Mary Ellen Goff (22) & Jabez "Frank" Smith

57. Ethel May Smith (*Mary Ellen Goff⁴, Philip³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 27 Sep 1886 in Middleborough, MA. Ethel May died in Brattleboro, VT, on 15 Mar 1971; she was 84.

Married by Charles W Allen - father listed as Frank Smith, mother Mary Goff.

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On 2 Feb 1905 when Ethel May was 18, she married **Frederick Warren Barrows** in Middleborough, MA. Born on 4 May 1881 in Middleboro, Mass. Frederick Warren died in Brattleboro, VT, on 25 Jun 1957; he was 76. Residence: Middleborough, MA (1910 Census).

Father Lewin Addison Barrows, mother Almira Bumpus.

1910 (May 10) US census Miller St., Middleborough, MA, Frederick W. Barrows, 29, married 4 years, b. Mass., wife Ethel M., 2 children, 1 now living, b. Mass., father b. Mass., mother b. Canada, Verna M., dau., age 1 11/12, b. Mass.

1920 census Nashua, NH, Frederick Barrows 38 Ethel Barrows 33 Verna Barrows 11 Cleon Barrows 9

1930 census Brattleboro, VT Barrow Fred 48 Ethel 42 Cleon 19 Ralph 9 Earl 8 Winifred 2. Bolster Levi L 25 Verna M 21 Dorothy E 1.

1940 US census Brattleboro, VT Barrow Fred 58 Ethel 53 Winifred 12

Vermont Death Records

NAME:Frederick M Barrows

BIRTH DATE:4 May 1881

BIRTH PLACE:Middleboro, Mass

RESIDENCE PLACE: Brattleboro, Vermont

DEATH DATE:25 Jun 1957

DEATH PLACE:Brattleboro, Windham, Vermont, USA

FATHER:Lewin A

MOTHER:Lenora Bumpus

SPOUSE:Ethel Smith

CAUSE OF DEATH: Cerebral Arterial Sclerosis

VETERAN:Not applicable

DATE FILED:27 Jun 1957

They had the following children:

- i. Warren Franklin (Died as Infant). Born on 28 Feb 1907 in Middleborough, MA. Warren Franklin died in Middleborough, MA, on 14 Mar 1907; he was <1.
- 97** ii. Verna May (25 May 1908-5 Jul 1980)
- iii. Cleon Frederick. Born on 4 Sep 1910 in Middleboro, Mass. Cleon Frederick died in Dummerston, VT, on 7 Feb 1997; he was 86. Buried in Meeting House Hill Cemetery, Brattleboro, VT.
Vermont death index, last residence Brattleboro, age 86, widowed, birthplace Mass., SS issued Vermont.

Cleon F. Barrows

Birth: Sep. 4, 1910

Death: Feb. 7, 1997

Spouse: Marjorie Helen Bowen Barrows (1911 - 1996)

Children: Noel Robert Barrows (b. 29 Mar 1942, Vermont, d. 05 Jan 1955, buried Meeting House Hill Cemetery, Brattleboro); Lewin Francis Barrows

Burial: Meeting House Hill Cemetery, Brattleboro, Windham County, Vermont, USA

Marjorie Helen Bowen Barrows

Birth: Oct. 27, 1911, Colrain, Franklin County, MA

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Death: Nov. 7, 1996, Brattleboro, Windham County, VT
Daughter of Frederick N Bowen and Mae Caroline (Herzig) Bowen.

Cleon Frederick married **Marjorie Helen Bowen**. Born on 27 Oct 1911 in Colrain, Franklin Co., MA. Marjorie Helen died in Brattleboro, VT, on 7 Nov 1996; she was 85.

Daughter of Frederick Nathan Bowen and Mae Caroline Herzig. After the death of her mother, Mae, in 1915, she was sent to live with her mother's parents, Albert and Mary Herzig in Colrain, MA. Marjorie was later "given" to the CHASE family of Halifax, VT. After her marriage to Cleon, they lived and worked in Brattleboro, VT. After they retired, They moved to their mountain top summer home on Stickney Brook Road in Dummerston, VT. Marjorie was a talented needle worker, crocheter, knitter and tatter. Most of her relatives have samples of her handiwork. She and her husband spent most summers logging, splitting, and stacking wood for their household winter fuel and for their maple syrup operation. Marjorie and Cleon are both buried beside their son, Noel, in the Meetinghouse Hill Cemetery in Brattleboro, VT.

MIMS, Fla. -- Lewin Barrows, 58, of Mims, formerly of Brattleboro, Vt., died Tuesday, May 2, 2006, in Florida. Graveside services will be held Friday at 10 a.m. at Meetinghouse Hill Cemetery on Orchard Street in Brattleboro.

Lewin F. Barrows, Meeting House Hill Cemetery, Brattleboro, Birth: Jan. 29, 1947; Death: May 2, 2006.

Anna Mae Barrows, spouse of Lewin F. Barrows, Birth: Sep. 22, 1952, Bellows Falls, Windham County, Vermont, USA

Death: Dec. 28, 2008, Brattleboro, Windham County, Vermont, USA

Daughter of Edgar S. and Beatrice H Glynn Taylor

Mom to Frank and Cleon

Sister to Jennie and Joann

Grandmother to Karl Jr and Paul

Great grandmother to Karl III

Anna was a licensed Nursing Assistant, when she wasn't working she love being with her friends, angels, crocheting, walking, and watching her soaps, and DOG the Bounty Hunter.

iv. Ruth Myrtle (Died as Child). Born in Aug 1914. Ruth Myrtle died on 8 Mar 1915; she was <1.

v. Ralph Roland (20 Nov 1920-23 Nov 1989). Married Elizabeth Cobb. They had 5 children including son David Ralph.

Brunswick, ME- David Ralph Barrows, 63, of Karen Lane in Brunswick, formerly of Brattleboro, died early Saturday afternoon, January 15, 2011 at MidCoast Hospital in Brunswick following a brief illness. David was born in Brattleboro on February 2, 1947 the son of Ralph and Elizabeth (Cobb) Barrows. He was raised and educated in East Dummerston and was a graduate of Brattleboro Union High School, Class of 1966. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Army from 1966 until his honorable discharge from active service in 1968. He was stationed in Germany for most of his service time. A resident of Brunswick for the past three years he had been employed by the Town of Topsham as custodian at the town library. He had also worked for Tactical Services at the Target Store located in Topsham. While a resident of Brattleboro he had been employed as custodian at Saint Michaels School and previously, for 19 years worked at the former Georgia Pacific Company, formerly Erving Paper. With his wife he had attended the Grace Evangelical Free Church in Spofford and had been a fireman for the East Dummerston Volunteer Fire Department. Of his leisure time activities, David enjoyed metal detecting and trips to the beaches of Maine. David was known for his spirit of

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friendship and generosity always willing to lend a helping hand to anyone in need. On April 25, 1969 at the Dummerston Center Congregational Church he was married to Bonnie J. Francis who survives. Besides his wife of 41 years he leaves, one daughter, Joella Barrows of Saxtons River, one son, Jason Barrows of Brattleboro, two sisters, Terri Barrows of Brattleboro and Joan Lake of White River Jct. and West Palm Beach, FL, two brothers, Thomas Barrows of Vernon and Roland Barrows of Swanzey, N.H. Additionally he is survived by two aunts, Winifred Duby of Brattleboro and Betsy Chickering of Chesterfield, N.H., many nieces, nephews and cousins. Graveside committal services will be conducted in the springtime in Dummerston Center Cemetery on Thursday, May 19, 2011 at 1:00 PM.

- vi. Earl Clifford. Born on 22 Mar 1922 in Nashua, NH. Earl Clifford died in White River Junction, VT, on 10 Jan 2008; he was 85.
BRATTLEBORO -- Earl C. Barrows, 85, of 5 Organ St., died Thursday, Jan. 10, 2008, at the VA Medical Center in White River Junction. He was born in Nashua, N.H., on March 20, 1922, the son of Fred W. and Ethyl (Smith) Barrows. He was a lifelong resident of Brattleboro. A World War II veteran, Mr. Barrows served in the Marine Corps as an aerial gunner in the Asiatic-Pacific Theater. Mr. Barrows owned and operated Barrows Roofing Co. in Brattleboro for many years, retiring in 1987. Previously, he was employed by Brattleboro Roofing for 20 years. He was a member of the Brattleboro American Legion Post 5 and the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1034. An avid hunter and fisherman, he enjoyed making birdfeeders and cupolas. He also enjoyed spending time at his second home in Halifax. He leaves his wife of 62 years, Daisy M. (Merrill) Barrows; two sons, Stephen L. Barrows and his wife Vicky G. Barrows of Brattleboro, and Craig W. Barrows and his wife Catherine M. Barrows of West Chesterfield, N.H.; a sister, Winifred E. Duby of Brattleboro; five grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by two sons, Robert E. Barrows and Randy T. Barrows; four brothers, Warren F. Barrows, Walter R. Barrows, Cleon F. Barrows and Ralph R. Barrows; and two sisters, Ruth M. Barrows and Verna M. Bolster. A memorial gathering will be held Monday from 4 to 6 p.m. in the KER-WESTERLUND & FLEMING FUNERAL HOME, 57 High St., Brattleboro. A reception will follow at the Brattleboro VFW, 40 Black Mountain Road. A graveside service, with military honors, will be held Tuesday at 11 a.m. in Meetinghouse Hill Cemetery. Published in Brattleboro Reformer on Jan. 12, 2008.

Daisy Adele Barrows 78, of Organ Street, Brattleboro, died March 5, 2008 in Keene, N.H., at the Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center. Born June 3, 1929 in Brattleboro, daughter of Timothy and Ida Fields Merrill, she attended local schools and graduated from the Brattleboro High School. She also lived in Halifax for a short time. She was employed by the Spaulding Company, sewing baseballs at home, and also by the Margolins Pocket Book Co. and Appropriate Technology. An avid hunter, she thoroughly enjoyed the outdoors, fishing in streams in Halifax, and planting flowers. She also enjoyed knitting for family, friends and the Brattleboro Christmas Stocking. She was also a volunteer for the March of Dimes. She was united in marriage to Earl C. Barrows on Nov. 13, 1947 in Greenfield, Mass. Her husband of 60 years predeceased her Jan. 10, 2008. She leaves two sons, Stephen Barrows and his wife, Vicky, of Brattleboro, and Craig Barrows and his wife, Cathy, of West Chesterfield, N.H.; three grandsons, Joshua Barrows of Dover, Alex Barrows of Brattleboro, and Jason Barrows of Keene, N.H.; two granddaughters, Heidi Barrows of Marlboro, and Megan Barrows of West Chesterfield, N.H.; four great-grandsons and three great-granddaughters, as well as several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by two sons, Robert and Randy Barrows; her twin brother, David Merrill; a step-brother, Albert Fields; three brothers, Frank Merrill, John

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Merrill, and Melvin Merrill, and three sisters, Ruth Merrill Burnham, Gloria Merrill Hall, and Priscilla Merrill Farladeau. FUNERAL NOTICE: Private graveside services will be held at the Meetinghouse Hill Cemetery in the spring.
Published in Brattleboro Reformer on Mar. 9, 2008

- vii. Winnifred. Born on 9 Jan 1928 in Brattleboro, VT. Winnifred died in Brattleboro, VT, on 1 Jan 2020; she was 91. Winnifred first married **Clenn H. Frost**. They had one son Clenn. On 19 May 1950 Winnifred second married **Edwin Duby**. Born on 17 Mar 1920 in South Wardsboro, VT. Edwin died in Brattleboro, VT, on 22 Jul 2007; he was 87. They had one son Kevin.

Vernon - Winifred Barrows Frost "Winnie" Duby, 91, passed peacefully on Wednesday, January 1, 2020 at Vernon Green Nursing Home, where she was attended to by a very loving and compassionate staff. Winnie was born in Brattleboro on January 9, 1928 and was the youngest daughter of Fred W. and Ethel (Smith) Barrows. She attended Brattleboro schools. She was employed at A.G. Spaulding, J.E. Mann and for 23 years was an inspector at American Optical Company. Winnie was past president of the now defunct Dorr Sprague Marine Auxiliary and past president of the Fraternal Order of Eagles Auxiliary, of which she had been a member for 55 years. Her first marriage to Clenn H. Frost ended in divorce in 1949. She married Edwin N. Duby on May 19, 1951 but was predeceased by him in 2007. She is also predeceased by: her son, Clenn A. Frost; her brothers, Cleon, Warren, Walter Raymond, Ralph and Earl; and her sisters, Ruth and Verna. Winnie is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Kevin and Jane Duby of Brattleboro and her daughter-in-law, Mary Frost of Shaftsbury, as well as her grandchildren, Chris, Amanda and Clenn and seven great grandchildren, nieces and nephews. Winnie enjoyed reading, needlework, gardening, hymns and organ music. Burial will be in Dummerston Center Cemetery.

BRATTLEBORO -- Edwin Newell Duby, 87, of Landmark Hill Drive, died peacefully Sunday morning, July 22, 2007, at his home surrounded by his loving family. Mr. Duby was born in South Wardsboro on March 17, 1920, the son of the late Frank H. and Lucy (Scranton) Duby. He attended schools in Bartonsville and Dummerston. Mr. Duby was employed at the former Crosby Milling Co., and the former American Optical Corp. in Brattleboro. He later retired from Green Mountain Security in 1988, where he worked as a security guard at Vermont Yankee for many years. On a part-time basis, he had worked for Country News Distributors in Brattleboro. A veteran of World War II, he served in the Army Air Corps. He was stationed in the European-Mediterranean Theater of Operations with the 27th Fighter Squadron, 1st Fighter Group as a crew chief from 1941 to 1945. He attended many reunions of the 1st Fighter Group and last September was accompanied by his sons and wife to his last squadron reunion at Langley Air Force Base in Virginia. On their return trip to Vermont, the family stopped in Washington, D.C. so he could see the newly constructed World War II memorial. The trip was one of the highlights of his later years. On May 19, 1950, in Greenfield, Mass., he was married to Winifred Barrows, who survives. Besides his wife of 56 years, he leaves two sons, Clenn Frost and his wife Mary of Shaftsbury and Kevin Duby, and wife Jane of Brattleboro; three grandchildren, Christopher Frost and wife Janet of Brattleboro, Amanda Frost Mattison and husband Tim of North Bennington, and Capt. Clenn M. Frost and wife Bethany, who are stationed at Fort Campbell, Ky.; one great-grandchild, William Mattison; a sister, Janice Kraft of Swanzey, N.H., and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by two brothers, Everett and Albert, and five sisters, Alice, Eunice, Beatrix, Beatrice and Leone. Graveside committal services with full military honors will be conducted Thursday at 10 a.m. in the family lot in Dummerston Center Cemetery.

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Clenn A. Frost. Born on 20 Dec 1947 in Brattleboro, VT. Clenn A. died on 17 Apr 2009; he was 61. Clenn A. Frost, 61, husband of Mary Caparco Frost, a resident of Grandview Street, North Bennington, died suddenly Friday, April 17, 2009 while vacationing in Myrtle Beach, S.C. Born in Brattleboro Dec. 20, 1947, son of the late Edwin and Winifred Barrows Duby who survives. Clenn received his education in the Brattleboro schools and was a 1965 graduate of Brattleboro High School. He later attended Greenfield Community College. A veteran of the Vietnam War, Clenn served in the Army from Feb. 6, 1967 until Dec. 6, 1973 when he was discharged with the rank of Sergeant. Clenn and Mary were married in North Bennington on March 29, 1980. Clenn had been employed by Central Vermont Public Service Corporation since April of 1971 and during those 38 years had held numerous positions within the company. He was a member of IBEW Local 300. A very active member of the community for many years, Clenn was a member of the American Legion, a member of the Brattleboro American Legion Band where he played the trumpet, a past member of the Village of North Bennington Zoning Board, a past director of the NorShaft Little League, a former member and past president of the NorShaft Lions Club, and current president of the Grandview Cemetery Association. For many years he served as a volunteer coach in both the NorShaft Little League and Senior League, MAYAA basketball and freshman field hockey and junior varsity softball at Mt. Anthony Union High School. He also served as a Den Leader and Scout Master for the Norshaft Scouts, Pack 331. He was a devoted family man, who enjoyed spending time fishing, camping and playing golf. He leaves his wife, Mary C. Frost of North Bennington, a daughter and son-in-law, Amanda and Tim Mattison of North Bennington; two sons and daughters-in-law, Chris and Janet Frost of Brattleboro and Captain Clenn M. Frost, Army, and his wife Bethany of Clarksville, Tenn.; two grandsons, William and Brandon Mattison; his mother, Winifred Duby of Brattleboro; a brother and sister-in-law, Kevin and Jane Duby of Brattleboro; a sister-in-law, Cathy Idema and her husband Wayne of Pownal, a brother-in-law, Tony Caparco and his wife Joyce of Forrestville, N.Y.; several nieces, nephews and cousins. Published in Brattleboro Reformer on Apr. 20, 2009

Births. • In Brattleboro (Memorial Hospital), May 29, 2011, a son, Clenn Erich Frost, to Andrea (Hoyer) Conkling-Frost and Christopher C. Frost of Brattleboro; grandson to Erich and Mary Hoyer and Domnick and Joyce Frost Arceci, all of Brattleboro; Mary Frost of Bennington, and the late Clenn A. Frost; great-grandson to Eileen Daniels, Ann Filion and Winifred Duby, all of Brattleboro.

58. Alton "Tremaine" Smith (*Mary Ellen Goff⁴, Philip³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 24 Nov 1891 in Middleborough, MA. Alton "Tremaine" died in Plymouth, MA, on 1 May 1970; he was 78. Residence: Middleborough, MA (1930 US Census), Plymouth, MA (1942 Draft Regn.).

1920 US census Bridgewater, Plymouth Co., Mass., State farm, Alton T Smith, lodger, age 28, single, born in Massachusetts, Father born in Massachusetts, Mother born in Nova Scotia, occupation: attendant.

1930 US census, Benson St., Middleborough, MA (beside Mary and Cleon Smith), Tremaine Smith, 37, married, age at 1st marriage 28, b. MA mother b. Canada, teamster, veteran, Martha, wife, 34, age at 1st marriage 25, b. Mass., Marion, dau. 8, Tremaine Jr., 7.

WWI Draft Card, Alton Tremaine Smith, signed A. Tremaine Smith, res. Plymouth, MA, b. 24 Nov. 1891, 1684754, and WWII draft card, Alton Tremaine Smith, b. 24 Nov. 1891, res. Plymouth, MA, MIUSA1939B_082596.

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On 12 Feb 1921 when Alton "Tremaine" was 29, he married **Martha Adeline Tinkham** in Middleboro, Mass. Born in 26 May 1895 in Middleboro, MA, daughter of Charles W. Tinkham and Sarah J. Standish.

They had the following children:

- i. Marian Elizabeth. Born on 17 Jan 1922 in Middleborough, MA. Marian Elizabeth died on 2 Aug 2005; she was 83.
Hope's Rest Cemetery, Rock, MA
Smith
1858 J Frank Smith 1905
1863 Mary E his wife 1951
1894 Cleon P Smith 1989
1922 Marion Gould 2005

MIDDLEBORO -- Marion Elizabeth (Smith) Gould, 83, of Carver died Tuesday, Aug. 2, 2005, at Oak Hill Nursing Home after a long illness. She was the widow of Roy D. Gould. Born in Middleboro, she was the daughter of the late Alton T. and Martha A. (Tinkham) Smith. She was a member of the United Parish Church of Carver for many years. She was a homemaker but had worked as a nurses aide at Forest Manor Nursing Home and as a floor lady at Ocean Spray Cranberry Co. Mrs. Gould enjoyed flower gardening and feeding birds. Survivors include a son, Douglas R. Gould of Colorado Springs, Colo.; a daughter, Virginia M. Murdock of Lakeville; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. Her funeral service will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in the Egger Funeral Home, 61 Pearl St. Burial will follow in Hope's Rest Cemetery.

- ii. Tremaine Stanley. Born on 3 Apr 1923 in Middleborough, MA.

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59. Gertrude Lillian Eastham (*Sarah Ann ("Annie") Goff^d, Philip³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 20 Nov 1891 in Ware, Hampshire, MA, USA. Gertrude Lillian died in Metairie, Jefferson, Louisiana, in May 1977; she was 85. At the age of <1, Gertrude Lillian was baptized in Ware, Hampshire, MA, USA, on 26 Jan 1892. Residence: Nova Scotia (1905-1922).

We received a letter from Gertrude Graham on Dec. 6, 1973. She told us her husband had died over 30 years ago. She had one son James, then living in Bethesda, Maryland, and five daughters: her oldest had died in a house fire; Lesley Smith, Louisiana; Kathleen Duval, Rhode Island; Helen Keller, Texas; and her youngest daughter, Jean Simmons, Mass. Gertrude remembered many of the old generation of Goff names, and remembered the Holland names as well. Jean and Joel Simmons, Lakeville, MA, and Ken and Lesley Denzin, Amana, Iowa, Gertrude's daughters, visited Nova Scotia in 1986.

(Note: birth information from LDS, parents listed as Wm H. Eastham and Annie Goff. Death dates from US Social Security Death Index, Gertrude Graham, b. 20 Nov. 1891, MA.)

On 31 Mar 1914 when Gertrude Lillian was 22, she married **Frank Albert Graham**, son of William John Graham (1843-) & Rebecca McPhee (23 Feb 1846-27 Apr 1920), in Middleboro, Mass. Born in 1886 in Nine Mile River, NS. Frank Albert died in Middleboro, MA, in 1940; he was 54.

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Frank's parents were William J. Graham and Rebecca (MacPhee). They were married 28 Feb 1871 Shubenacadie, Wm John 28 res Nine Mile River, b Antrim, Ireland, s/o James & Nancy(?), Rebecca 25 d/o Evan and Isabella McPhee res Nine Mile River. (1871 census, NMR, McPhee Evan 62 Isabella 56 Jane 23 Charles Albert 18 Henry 16.)

1881 census Graham William J 38 b. Ireland, Rebecca 34, James E 7, Edith M 3, Bessie I 1.

1891 census Graham Rebecca, W, Head, son James 17, dau Bessie 11, dau Jessie 9, son Francis 6.

In the 1911 Hants Co. census, Frank Graham, b. 1886, 25, living with Rebecca, mother, head, widow, 59, b. 1851, also brother James, 31, sister Jessie, 28 and Annie, Aunt, 74.

1921 census Enfield, Hants Co. Frank A Graham 36 b. NS, Gertrude L. 29 b. USA, immigrated 1905, naturalized 1914, father b. England, mother b. US; Edith G. dau. 6, Kathleen L. dau 4, Helen L. dau. 2, James C. son 6/12.

1930 census Middleboro, MA

Household	Gender	Age	Birthplace
Head Frank A Graham	M	46	Canada
Wife Gertrude L Graham	F	38	Massachusetts
Daughter Edith Graham	F	15	Canada
Daughter Kathleen Graham	F	12	Canada
Daughter Helen Graham	F	11	Canada
Son Clifford Graham	M	9	Canada
Daughter Lesley Graham	F	5	Massachusetts
Daughter Jean Graham	F	0	Massachusetts
Brother James Graham	M	57	Canada

1940 census Middleboro, MA

Household	Gender	Age	Birthplace
Head Frank Graham	M	56	Nova Scotia
Wife Gertrude Graham	F	48	Massachusetts
Daughter Kathaleen Graham	F	22	Nova Scotia
Daughter Helen Graham	F	21	Nova Scotia
Son Clifford C Graham	M	19	Nova Scotia
Daughter Lesley Graham	F	15	Massachusetts
Daughter Jean Graham	F	10	Massachusetts
Brother James Graham	M	66	Nova Scotia

They had the following children:

- i. Edith. Born on 8 Feb 1915. Edith died in Middleboro, Mass., USA, in Feb 1969; she was 53.
- ii. Kathleen. Born on 25 May 1917. Kathleen died in Lincoln, Providence, RI, on 5 Sep 2005; she was 88.
FOX, KATHLEEN L. 'KAY' (GRAHAM), 88, of George Washington Highway, Lincoln, died September 5, 2005 in Rhode Island Hospital, Providence. She resided for many years in Woonsocket and Cumberland before moving to Lincoln this year. She was the wife of the late George Duval and the late James Fox.

Born in Nova Scotia on May 25, 1917, she was the daughter of the late Frank and

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Gertrude (Eastham) Graham. She was the mother of George Duval Jr. of N. Smithfield and the late Clerinda 'Kim' Barlow-Davignon. She is survived by one sister, Jean Simmons of Lakeville, MA.

She graduated as Valedictorian from Middleboro High School in 1934. In 1938 she graduated from Bridgewater State College in Bridgewater, MA and she attended Boston University.

She worked as a Middle School Teacher for thirty years and later as a social worker for fifteen years, retiring from the R.I. Dept. of Elderly Affairs, Providence. She was active as a VFW Auxillary at the Harold F. Flynn Post, Woonsocket. She was also a Friend of Bill W.

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Kathleen married **George Duval**. Born on 10 Apr 1898. George died in Providence, RI, on 20 Mar 1970; he was 71. Buried in Precious Blood Cemetery Woonsocket, Providence County, Rhode Island.

They had one daughter Clerinda.

DAVIGNON, CLERINDA 'KIM' (DUVAL), of Nate Whipple Highway, Cumberland, died Thursday, March 3, 2005 in Women and Infants Hospital, Providence. She was the wife of Rene Davignon and the late Alton 'Jim' Barlow. Born on May 4, 1953, she was the daughter of Kathleen (Graham) Fox of Cumberland and the late George Duval. She is survived by three children, Justin Duval of Wisconsin, Kathleen Merchant of Alabama, and Christopher Davignon of Cumberland, one brother, George Duval of North Smithfield, and five grandchildren. Kim was a Registered Nurse at Rhode Island Hospital before retiring in November, 2004. She had earned her Bachelor Degree in Nursing from Rhode Island College this year. Kim was also a friend of Bill W. Her funeral service will be on Monday at 10 a.m. in Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Nate Whipple Highway, Cumberland. Burial will be in Union Cemetery, North Smithfield. Calling hours are Sunday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. in the Holt Funeral Home, 510 South Main St., Woonsocket. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, New England Division, Inc., 222 Richmond St., Providence, RI 02903-4253.

Published in The Providence Journal on 3/5/2005.

- iii. Helen. Born in 1919. Helen died in Fort Sam Houston, Bexar County, Texas, on 25 Feb 1982; she was 63.

Helen married **Vincent J. Keller**.

Vincent John Joseph Keller, age 96, of Marshall, Michigan died Wednesday, November 25, 2015 at MediLodge of Marshall in the loving care of his family. Mr. Keller was born on March 21, 1919 in Spencer Township, Cedar Springs, Michigan to Jacob and Helen (Bauman) Keller. Vincent and his family moved to the Marshall area in 1920 and he was a graduate of Marshall High School, class of 1936. On December 15, 1945, he married the former Helen L. Graham. She preceded him in death on February 25, 1982. He then married the former Marjorie Merry (Hopkins) Cummings on September 25, 1982. She preceded him in death on May 2, 1998. Mr. Keller had a long and decorated career serving in the United States Army. During WWII, he served in the Pacific Theater, arriving in Japan in 1945. He was discharged as First Sergeant on December 4, 1945. In 1949, he relisted in the army serving two tours in Korea and nine years in Germany. While serving in the Army, he received the Legion of Merit, Occupation medals for Japan and Germany, as well as numerous other decorations and service medals. He retired from the military on July 31, 1969 as Chief Warrant Officer. In September 1969, Vince started

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a career with the Tax Corporation of America in San Antonio, Texas. He started his career as District Manager and later became a Regional manager. He retired in 1979, serving as a Vice President. Following his retirement, Vince and Helen traveled extensively until Helen became ill and died in 1982. Vince remarried and settled back in the Marshall area in 1986. He was a life member of the Claude E. Hale VFW Post 4073 and the Executive Club. Mr. Keller held various volunteer positions with the city and county. He enjoyed playing bridge and belonged to a club that met every Monday. His love of travel took him to all fifty states, to parts of Europe and the Far East.

He is survived by children, Trudie Holder of Rohrsersville, MD and David Keller of San Francisco, CA; step daughter, Diane Welch of Duluth, GA; grandchildren, Helen Gertrude Holder and Elizabeth Anne McKenzie; great grandchildren, James Richard, Colleen Elizabeth and Allison Belle; step-grandson, Brian Cummings; a brother, Milton Keller of Battle Creek; a special nephew, Jerry Keller of Battle Creek; and Beloved friend, Rachel Cutcher of Homer. He is preceded in death by a son, Clifford Keller; step-son, Phillip Cummings; and a brother, Harold Keller. A celebration of life service will be held in the spring 2016. Friends who wish may make memorial contributions to Southern Care Hospice or the Marshall Fountain Clinic.

Note from Sharon Graham (Helen's niece), Dec. 22, 2015, "At one time the Keller family lived near us in Maryland. We would go visit them on a Sunday. In those days, Clifford was still alive. Helen Graham Keller had contracted German Measles while pregnant with Clifford and as a consequence he had a weak heart. I remember he always wanted to play with us but would tire easily. Cousin Trudie, Helen's daughter, lives outside of Frederick Maryland and is married to an Episcopal priest."

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- iv. James "Clifford" (24 Nov 1920-17 Jan 2001)
 - v. Lesley. Born on 17 Mar 1925. Lesley died in Amana, Iowa, on 17 Jun 1998; she was 73. Lesley first married **Smith**.
Lesley second married **Ken Denzin**. Born in 1920. Ken died in Amana, Iowa, in 1995; he was 75.
 - vi. Jean Marie. Born in 1929. Jean Marie died in Lakeville, MA, on 4 May 2008; she was 79. Lakeville. Jean A. (Graham) Simmons, age 78 years, of Lakeville, formerly of Middleboro, died Sunday, May 4, 2008, at the Island Terrace Nursing Home, Lakeville. She was the wife of Joseph Simmons, they had been married for 58 years. Born in Middleboro, daughter of the late Frank and Gertrude (Eastham) Graham, she was a 1947 graduate of Middleboro Memorial High School. She had been a resident of Middleboro, until moving to Lakeville 30 years ago. She was the owner of Highland Country Antiques for several years. She had previously worked at the former Plymouth Shoe Company, Lucy Braleys Candy Store and had driven the Lakeville Senior Citizen bus. She was a former member of the town of Lakeville Registrar of Voters. She was a member of the Lakeville United Church of Christ, the Lakeville Red Hats Society, a former member of the South Middleboro United Methodist Church and the South Middleboro Grange. She was an avid reader and enjoyed flea markets. Survivors include her husband, two sons, Dale Simmons and Julie of Middleboro, Joel Simmons of Riverside, R.I.; three daughters, Laurie and her husband Robert Clorite of Lakeville, Lesley and her husband Bruce Taylor of Rochester and Donna Walz of New Bedford; seven grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren. She was mother of the late Dorothy St. Germaine and sister of the late James Graham, Helen Keller, Edith Clark, Katherine Fox and Lesley Denzin.

Jean Marie married **Joel Simmons**.

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Family of Elizabeth Mary Bambrick (24) & William “Fenwick” Scranton

60. Ernest Roy G. Scranton (*Elizabeth Mary Bambrick*⁴, *Eleanor (Ellen) Goff*⁸, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 22 Apr 1895 in Manchester, Guysborough Co., NS. Ernest Roy G. died in Truro, NS, on 30 Mar 1965; he was 69. Buried in Manchester Cemetery, Port Shoreham Church.

1901 census Scranton Fenwick b. Oct 5 1866, Mary wife b. Oct 10 1876, Ernest son b. Apr. 24, 1895.

Ernest Roy G. Scranton, bachelor, butcher, res Guysboro, b. Manchester, s/o Fenwick Scranton and Mary Bambrick, md 7 Aug 1920 Guysboro Minnie Ehler, 25 b. Queensport, s/o John, b. Queensport, and Mary Ryter (NSHVS).

Scranton, Ernest Roy, Apr 22, 1895 - Mar 30, 1965, Manchester Cemetery, no other names on headstone.

SCRANTON, Valerie L. W. - Dartmouth, died May 18, 2001 in Oakwood Terrace. Born in Cooks Cove, she was a daughter of the late Earnest and Mary (EHLER) Scranton.

Evergreen Cemetery, Guysborough
Scranton, Mary Jane Ehler 1893-1979
Scranton, Valerie L. W. 1926-2001 (same stone)

Scranton, Roy Bambrick Oct 1929-April 1981

On 7 Aug 1920 when Ernest Roy G. was 25, he married **Mary (“Minnie”) Ehler** in Guysborough, NS. Born in 1895 in Queensport, Guys. Co., NS. Mary (“Minnie”) died in Dartmouth, N.S., in 1979; she was 84. Buried in Evergreen Cemetery, Guysborough.

Daughter of John James Ehler, born Nov 11, 1853 in Guysborough, N.S.; and Mary Catherine Ryder, b. ca1868, daughter of John Alexander Ryder & Catherine Connell; md. Apr 16, 1884 in Guysborough, N.S.

They had the following children:

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 - i. Elizabeth May (28 Jun 1921-16 Nov 1974)
 - ii. Erna. NS Teachers College In Memoriam, CROWE (Scranton), Erna Imelda, 87, Stewiacke, July 17, 2012
Crowe, James “Gordon” - passed away August 14, 2021, at the age of 94. Born in Stewiacke, he was a son of the late Dyson H. and Alice (Smith) Crowe and the husband of the late Erna (Scranton) Crowe. Gordon graduated from NSAC in 1946 and in 1948 graduated with a BS in Agriculture from McGill University. He worked in the family business, Crowe’s Feed Mill, until 1968, when he went to work for the government of Nova Scotia in rural development and then as an agricultural representative. He contributed to the community in many different ways throughout his life as a member of the Grand Lodge, church warden and lay reader, caretaker of the cemetery, member of several different choirs, hospital board, town council, volunteer fire department and town historian. Surviving are his daughter, Myra, Ontario; sons, Dyson (Dionne), Fall River; Peter (Heather), Halifax; grandchildren, Michael, Brinsley, Nadia, Kyla, Jenna, Lisa and Morgan; eight great-grandchildren; brother-in-law, John Wood; sister-in-law, Phyllis Crowe; several nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews. He was the last surviving member of his immediate family having been predeceased by sister, Pauline and brother, David.
 - iii. Valerie. Born in 1926. Valerie died in 2001; she was 75. Buried in Evergreen Cemetery,

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- Guysborough.
- iv. Roy Bambrick. Born in 1929 in Cook's Cove, Guys. Co., NS. Roy Bambrick died in Perry Sound, ON, on 1 Apr 1981; he was 52. Buried in Evergreen Cemetery, Guysborough.
Roy Bambrick married **Mary Vickers**.
- v. William.

Family of Margaret Ellen Bambrick (25) & George Sylvester Peterkin

61. Sinclair (Clair) Irwin Peterkin (*Margaret Ellen Bambrick⁴, Eleanor (Ellen) Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 18 Dec 1896 in Corona, CA. Sinclair (Clair) Irwin died in Pomona, Los Angeles, CA, on 25 Dec 1974; he was 78. Residence: Yuma, AZ (1918) Draft Registration.

1930 census, Hanlon, CA, Peterkin Clair I 33 (Father's birthplace Iowa, Mother's birthplace Canada), Ruby D (wife) 31, Clair I (son) 3.

1940 census, Yuma, AZ, Peterkin Clair I 43 (Father's birthplace Iowa, Mother's birthplace Canada), Ruby D (wife) 41, Margerette E (daughter) 16, Clair I (son) 13.

California births, Margaret E Peterkin 18 Jul 1923, Los Angeles, mother's maiden name Hein.

California births, Clair I Peterkin 5 Jul 1926, Los Angeles, mother's maiden name Hein.

"Clair I. Peterkin Sr., 78, a former Yuma resident, died Thursday at Hill Haven Convalescent Hospital in Claremont, Calif. He had been a resident of Pomona in recent years. Peterkin came to Yuma with his parents when he was two years old and became a well-known farmer, businessman and blacksmith. He left Yuma for Pomona in 1947. Peterkin and his father, George S. Peterkin, homesteaded and developed land during the early 1900s in the Yuma area while operating the Yuma Agricultural Works at 2nd St. and Maiden Ln. He was founder and manager of the Yuma County Farmers Marketing Assn. Peterkin was a member and past master of the Yuma Masonic Lodge, a veteran of World War I; and a member of the American Legion and the Forty et Eight and of Kiwanis. Survivors include his wife, Ruby of the home, daughter, Mrs. Margaret Glass of Big Bear Lake, Calif.; and son Clair I. Jr. of Yuma; and four grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at Todd Funeral Home 570 N. Garey Ave., Pomona with Masonic graveside rites at Pomona Mausoleum. 502 E. Franklin. Rites will be at 11 a.m. Monday. The family requests remembrances be in the form of donations sent to Casa Colina Convalescent Hospital, 255 E. Bonita, Pomona."

On 25 Jan 1920 when Sinclair (Clair) Irwin was 23, he married **Ruby Dora Hein** in Los Angeles, CA. Born on 6 Mar 1899 in California. Ruby Dora died in San Bernadino, CA, on 1 Nov 1977; she was 78.

They had the following children:

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| 100 | i. | Margaret E. (18 Jul 1923-11 Apr 2009) |
| 101 | ii. | Clair Irwin (5 Jul 1926-Aug 1991) |

Family of David Bambrick (26) & Florence May Richardson

62. Ronald Hopewell Bambrick (*David⁴, Eleanor (Ellen) Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 30 Nov 1909 in Gasperaux, Kings Co., NS. Ronald Hopewell died in Windsor, Nova Scotia, on 3 Apr 1993; he was 83. Buried in Gasperau Cemetery, Kings Co., NS.

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Ronald and Maria Florence were first cousins, as Maria Florence's father Willard was a brother of Ronald's mother Florence.

On 14 Apr 1936 when Ronald Hopewell was 26, he married **Maria "Florence" Sara Richardson** in Quebec City. Born on 25 Sep 1908 in Riviere St. Jean, Saguenay, Quebec. Maria Florence Sara died in Avonport, NS, in 1978; she was 69.

They had the following children:

- i. Alvine May. Born in 1937 in Wolfville, NS. Alvine May died in Windsor, NS, on 24 Apr 1991; she was 54.
Two children, Eric Davis and Kim Davis (who died before 1991).
- 102** ii. Arnold Seymour (12 Mar 1939-7 May 1993)
- iii. Marina.
Married first to Don Reece, married second to Richard Potter, Marina had one son, Stephen Bambrick.
- iv. Glendeen.
Married first to Murray Davis. Married second to Mr. Weisner. One son Chad Weisner.

63. Weldon Robert C. Bambrick (*David⁴, Eleanor (Ellen) Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born in 1917 in Melanson, Kings Co., NS. Weldon Robert C. died in Middleton, NS, on 2 Mar 2013; he was 96. Buried in Gaspereau Cemetery, Kings Co., NS.

Weldon Robert C. Bambrick - 96, died March 2, 2013 in the Medical Unit of Soldier's Memorial Hospital, Middleton. He had recently moved to the facility's Veterans Unit from his home in West Brooklyn. Weldon grew up in Melanson and was the youngest son of Florence (Richardson) and David Bambrick. He was the last surviving member of his immediate family being predeceased by brothers, Eric (in infancy), Whitman, Ronald, and sister, Dorothy. He was also predeceased by his wife, Clara (Atwell-Brown-Bambrick); step-daughter, Merna and son, Gary. He is survived by son, Darrell (Melody), Wallbrook; daughters, Cheryll (Dave Hines), New Minas; and Tarina, West Brooklyn; step-daughters, Virginia (Gordon Davidson), Gaspereau; Connie (Jack Summerfelt), Calgary; and Sheila (Sam Kelley), Wallbrook; daughters-in-law, Janice Wills-Bambrick, Wolfville; and Evelyn Brown, Tatamagouche; several grandchildren and great grandchildren. Weldon was a woodsman and farm labourer in his youth. In 1942 he joined the army, became a Corporal and served in home defence as a member of the Canadian Infantry, Coastal Artillery and Dental Corps. He was stationed in Gaspereau Peninsula, Quebec; Saint John, New Brunswick; and in Nova Scotia at Yarmouth, Aldershot, McNutt's Island, Shelburne, Halifax-Stadacona and Cornwallis. After the war he purchased a farm in West Brooklyn, producing apples for export, growing beans for local processors, and raising beef and dairy cattle, chickens and pigs. In the early 1960s he also worked as caretaker at Evangeline Beach and loading pulp boats in Hantsport. With small, mixed-farming operations becoming less profitable by the 1970s, he took on work as a carpenter, building several large scale poultry and hog barns in Kings County, and on other projects including the Old Orchard Inn. He retired from construction in the early 1980s, but remained active on his farm. He had purchased a 1956 Ford Tractor in 1957, which he continued to operate until 2012. His hearty appetite – including oatmeal and lots of brown sugar for breakfast each day – along with years of keeping active are credited for his long life. He maintained physical strength well into his senior years until a fall in 2010 led to hip surgery and use of a walker. When asked the date of his last overnight stay in hospital, he replied, "1946!" Although not a church goer, Weldon was a long-time supporter of the West Brooklyn United Baptist Church. In earlier years he donated his labour on renovation projects and served on the Board of Trustees of the West Brooklyn Community Hall. He lived in the community for 67 years and will be sadly missed by long-time friends and neighbours. Having seen many changes in the Annapolis Valley throughout his lifetime, he still called it, "The best place in the world." Weldon enjoyed the simple life. He had been an avid Auction 45 card player, always

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read The Advertiser, watched Jeopardy and Wheel of Fortune, and enjoyed going out for Fish & Chips. Weldon had a strong character and maintained a wry wit and sharp mind. He could be a cynic with his belief: "In God we trust, all others pay cash!" Visitation will be held from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, March 5, 2013 in the White Family Funeral Home, Kentville, where the funeral service, followed by a reception, will be held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, March 6, 2013, Reverend Gary Manthorne officiating, assisted by Reverend Barb Cochran. Interment will take place at a later date in the Gaspereau Cemetery. Family flowers only. Donations in memory may be made to the West Brooklyn United Baptist Church or to any branch of The Salvation Army.

Weldon Robert C. married **Clara Letitia (Atwell) Brown**. Born in 1917 in Melanson, Kings Co., NS. Clara Letitia (Atwell) died in Wolfville, NS, on 21 Jun 1985; she was 68.

Daughter of Caleb and Letitia (Cavanagh) Atwell. Clara married first in Wolfville on 6 Oct 1934 to Russell Vincent Brown, born in Wallbrook, Kings, Nova Scotia, on 5 Oct 1913, died in Halifax, Nova Scotia on 7 Jun 1983, son of Fred and Cassie (Moline) Brown. Clara and Russell divorced in 1948. They had 5 children.

They had the following children:

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 - i. Darrell LeRoy (1949-)
 - ii. Cheryl.
Cheryl married **Dave Hines**.
 - iii. Tarina.

Family of William Holland Pirie (27) & Clara May Hartlen

64. Jean Pirie (*William Holland⁴, Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 3 Apr 1904 in Halifax, NS. Jean died in Halifax, N.S., on 16 Feb 1970; she was 65. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S.

On 19 Jul 1927 when Jean was 23, she married **George Seymour Crawford** in St. Johns Fairview, Halifax, NS. Born in 1901 in Halifax, NS. George Seymour died in Halifax, N.S., on 13 Jun 1983; he was 82. Buried in St. Johns Cemetery, Fairview, Halifax.

They had the following children:

- i. Joan.
- ii. Elaine.
- iii. Paul.

65. Ruth Pirie (*William Holland⁴, Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 7 Sep 1905 in Halifax, NS. Ruth died in Halifax NS, on 4 Feb 2000; she was 94.

STEVENS, Ruth - 94, passed away at Saint Vincent's Guest House, Halifax, on February 4, 2000. Born in Halifax, she was a daughter of William and Clara (Hartlen) Pirie. She was a member of St. Margaret's of Scotland Parish; a member of several seniors organizations, such as Ward 5 Community Centre, George Dixon Centre, Northwood Centre and Northern Lights; a member with daughters of England Lodge (50 years). In her earlier years, she was the organist at St. John's Anglican Church, Fairview. She was predeceased by her husband, John (Jack) Stevens; son, Thomas; daughter, Lillian; great-grandson, Paul Robichaud; sisters, Jean Crawford and Grace Wilkie; brother, George. She is survived by her son, William, Timberlea; daughter, Jennie Lewin, Halifax. She is also survived by several nieces and nephews; eight grandchildren; six great-grandchildren. Visitation will be 7-9 p.m. today, February 7, 2000, 2-4, 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, February 8, 2000 at Cruickshank's Funeral Home. Funeral service will be held 2 p.m. Wednesday, February 9, 2000 at St. Margaret's of Scotland Church, 3751 Robie Street. Committal at

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Saint John's Cemetery, Fairview. A reception to follow at St. Margaret's of Scotland Church Hall, Rev. Canon David Boston officiating. Memorial donations may be made to St. Margaret's of Scotland Church, Saint Vincent's Guest House or Ward 5 Community Centre.

Ruth married **John Atwell “Jack” Stevens**. 1899 – 12 May 1974. Buried St Johns Fairview Cemetery.

They had the following children:

- i. **Thomas Francis**. Born in 1929. Thomas Francis died on 30 May 1985; he was 56. Buried in St Johns Fairview Cemetery.

Deceased (2001); was married with two children.

- ii. **Jennie Esther**. Born on 28 Sep 1930 in Halifax, NS. Jennie Esther died in Halifax, NS, on 18 Jan 2023; she was 92.

Jennie Esther Lewin, age 92, passed away on January 18, 2023 in the Victoria General Hospital. Born in Halifax, she was the daughter of the late Ruth (Pirie) Stevens, Halifax and the late John (Jack) Atwell Stevens, Halifax. Jennie held the following memberships with Daughters of England Benevolent Society, Women's group Halifax North Memorial Public Library on Gottingen Street, Halifax and Ward 5 Neighborhood Centre, Halifax where she would meet up with her friends for lunch. She enjoyed swimming twice a week at Needham Pool and Recreation Centre. Jennie is survived by her sons John (Jack) (Nora), Dale (Kathy), Mark (Debbie), daughter Linda Robichaud (John) and many nieces and nephews; also has five grandchildren - Glenn, Karie, Vicky, Sheri and Jennifer and seven great grandchildren - Morgan, Chase, Olivia and Isabella, Caleb, Samantha and Nicole. Jennie was predeceased by her husband Victor Emmanuel Lewin; her two brothers Tom and William (Bill) and a sister Lillian; nephew Peter Stevens and niece Beth Stevens and grandson Paul Robichaud.

Jennie Esther married **Victor Lewin**.

- iii. **Lillian**. Born in 1933. Lillian died on 10 Apr 1992; she was 59. Buried in St Johns Fairview Cemetery.
- iv. **William G.**

66. Grace Pirie (*William Holland⁴, Catherine “Elizabeth” Goff⁸, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 11 Oct 1906 in Halifax, NS.

On 11 Aug 1927 when Grace was 20, she married **Frederick Robert Francis Wilkie** in Halifax, NS. Born in 24 Dec 1903 in Halifax, NS, died 26 Apr 1951 in Halifax, NS (NSHVS). Buried in Camp Hill Cemetery. Son of Frederick Alexander McMillan Wilkie and Alice Theresa Keating (NSHVS).

They had the following children:

- 104** i. **Shirley** (5 Dec 1928-9 Jun 2022)
- 105** ii. **Lynn Ardath**
- 106** iii. **Robert Alexander** (10 Aug 1930-14 Nov 2016)
- 107** iv. **Eric George** (8 Jun 1941-27 Apr 2009)

67. George Grant Pirie (*William Holland⁴, Catherine “Elizabeth” Goff⁸, Thomas², John¹*). Born in 1915 in Halifax N.S. George Grant died in Halifax, N.S., on 28 Oct 1989; he was 74. Buried in St. Johns Cemetery, Fairview, Halifax.

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Pirie, George Grant - 75, died Saturday in South Shore Regional Hospital. Born in Halifax, he was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Pirie. He worked for the CNR for several years while serving with the Artillery Reserve from 1932-1939. He was a member of the Royal Canadian Artillery from 1939-57. Upon retirement from the armed forces he worked with both the provincial and federal governments, retiring in 1977. He is survived by his wife Evelyn Lena; a son Walter, Ottawa; a daughter Sharron, Calgary; a sister Ruth Stevens, Halifax. He was predeceased by a son Grant Randall. Memorial service will be 2PM Wednesday in Snow's Funeral Home, Halifax. Burial will be in St. Johns Cemetery.

On 20 Jun 1935 when George Grant was 20, he married **Evelyn Lena Carmichael** in Halifax N.S. Born September 4, 1915 – Halifax, Nova Scotia. Died October 28, 2014 – Calgary, Alberta.

Evelyn passed away peacefully at Southwood Hospice on October 28, 2014 at the age of 99 years.

She was the loving mother of Sharron Scott of Calgary, Walter (Marj) Pirie of Ottawa and Grant (Eva) Pirie of Nova Scotia. She was the grandmother of George (Heather) Scott of Calgary, Catherine Pirie (Mark Minsky) of Ottawa, Debbie (Eric) Luddington, Randy (Joyce) Pirie, David (Vonnice) Pirie and Paul (Maureen) Pirie of the Maritimes and the great-grandmother and great great-grandmother of numerous children.

Evelyn was predeceased by her husband George, her son Grant and her three sisters.

Evelyn's life will be celebrated at Woodcliff United Church (5010 Spruce Drive SW, Calgary, AB) on Saturday, November 1, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. Condolences may be forwarded through www.mcinnisandholloway.com. In lieu of flowers, a donation may be made to the Calgary Humane Society.

They had the following children:

- i. Walter.
- ii. Sharron.
- iii. Grant Randall.

Family of Norman Bruce Pirie (28) & Bessie Hurshman

68. Muriel Blanche Pirie (*Norman Bruce⁴, Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff⁸, Thomas², John¹*). Born in 1902 in Halifax NS.

On 9 Feb 1933 when Muriel Blanche was 31, she married **Ernest George Copus** in Halifax, N.S. Born in 1904 in Reading, Berkshire, England.

They had one child:

- i. Barbara "Faye". Born in 1934 in Halifax NS. Barbara "Faye" died in Halifax NS, on 6 Apr 2004; she was 70.
Her obituary said she was the daughter of Ernest and Muriel (Hurshman) Copus, no mention of Pirie. Norman Pirie had passed away either before Muriel was born or just after.

Family of Blanche Isabel Pirie (29) & John Lawrence Hill

69. Elizabeth Margaret "Betty" Hill (*Blanche Isabel Pirie⁴, Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff⁸, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 16 May 1906 in Halifax NS. Elizabeth Margaret "Betty" died in Halifax NS, on 28 Jun 2002; she was 96. Buried in St. Johns Fairview Cemetery, Halifax, N.S.

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For many years Betty worked at Dalhousie University in various administrative offices. She was devoted to Universalist Unitarian Church, Halifax, where she was the oldest member.

On 22 Aug 1936 when Elizabeth Margaret "Betty" was 30, she married **Edmund Gerald Dyer** in Windsor, NS. Born on 1 Aug 1908 in Halifax NS.

Mount Olivet cemetery, Halifax, DYER Edmund Gerald 1908 - 1984

They had one child:

- 108** i. Patience "Pat" (1940-30 Jul 2012)

70. Katherine Gertrude Hill (*Blanche Isabel Pirie⁴, Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Katherine Gertrude died in Ottawa, ON, on 5 Mar 1989; she was 80. Born on 5 Apr 1908 in Halifax NS.

On 2 Nov 1937 when Katherine Gertrude was 29, she married **Robert "Charles" Murray** in Lower Sackville, NS. Born on 13 Apr 1906 in Earltown, NS. Robert "Charles" died in Halifax NS, on 7 Feb 1985; he was 78.

They had the following children:

- 109** i. Katherine Isobel (17 Mar 1939-)
 ii. Heather Margaret. Born on 1 Oct 1940. She was never married.
 iii. Lois Marion. Born on 11 Mar 1943 in Halifax NS. She was never married.
110 iv. Helen Joyce (29 Jun 1948-)

71. Blanche Hill (*Blanche Isabel Pirie⁴, Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 5 Feb 1918. Blanche died in Halifax, N.S., on 19 Jun 2007; she was 89.

CHIPMAN, Blanche E (HILL); 89; Halifax NS; Chron-Herald; 2007-7-7

CHIPMAN, Blanche E. - 89, Halifax, passed away on Tuesday, June 19, 2007, in Saint Vincent's Guest House. Born in Halifax, she was a daughter of the late John and Blanche (Pirie) Hill. She had been a long-time employee of the Nova Scotia Registry of Motor Vehicles. Surviving are daughter, Nancy, Halifax; sister, Connie Hill, Halifax; son-in-law, Don Millar; daughter-in-law, Juanita, and grandchildren, Wesley, Trieu, Crystal, Nelson, Noel and Faith; six great-grandchildren and one great great-grandchild. She was predeceased by her husband, Harry; son, Dennis, and daughter, Beverly Millar. Cremation has taken place. A memorial service will be held at a later date. Donations may be made to the Alzheimer Society of Nova Scotia or Canadian National Institute for the Blind.

Blanche married **Harry Chipman**.

They had the following children:

- 111** i. Beverley. Born in Jun 1936. Beverley died in Guelph, ON, on 23 Dec 1999; she was 63.
 Beverley married **Donald Millar**.
 ii. Dennis Jerome (1942-26 Apr 2000)
 iii. Nancy Ruth. Born on 17 Feb 1954.

Family of David "Arthur" Pirie (30) & Joanna Cecelia Miller

72. James Gordon Pirie (*David "Arthur"⁴, Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born in 1915 in Gabarus, Cape Breton. James Gordon died in Halifax, NS, on 4 May 1992; he was 77.

Pirie, James Gordon (Jim) - 77, Fall River, died May 4 1992 in Halifax. Born in Gabarus, Cape Breton, he was a son

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of the late Arthur D. and Joanna (Miller) Pirie. He was a veteran of the Second World War, serving in the RCAF as an aerial electrician. He was active in Masonic Order in Nova Scotia, past master, chartered member, life member of Fidelity Lodge. He was an active member of St. John's United Church, Waverley, serving as steward, elder, Sunday school teacher and choir member. He represented the Waverley charge at the Halifax Presbytery for many years. He worked at Imperial Oil Limited, Dartmouth refinery, for more than 42 years, retiring in 1976. He is survived by his wife, the former Mildred Bobbitt; two sons David, Burlington, ON; Andrew, HMCS Halifax; four daughters Janet Coutts, Montreal; Madeline Womeldorf, Sutter Creek, CA; Susan Geislinger, Bedford; Vivian DeMarchant, Fredericton; three sisters Blanche, May, Margaret, all of Halifax; six grandchildren.

On 27 Aug 1937 when James Gordon was 22, he married **Mildred Viola Bobbitt** in Armdale, NS. Born in 1919 in Halifax, N.S. Mildred Viola died in Fairview, Halifax, NS, on 14 Jan 2000; she was 81.

Daughter of William Wallace and Jessie (Rowsell) Bobbitt. Her obituary stated she was survived by daughters Janet Coutts, Montreal; Madeline Womeldorf, Sacramento, CA; Susan Geislinger, Bedford; Vivian DeMarchant, Fredericton; sons David, Burlington; Andrew, Fall River; six grandchildren, four great-grandchildren.

They had the following children:

- i. David.
- ii. Andrew.
- iii. Janet **Coutts**.
- iv. Madeline, married **Don Womeldorf**.
- v. Susan, married **Michael Geislinger**.
- vi. Vivian, married **Reid DeMarchant**.

Sixth Generation

Family of Mary Victoria McDougall (32) & Morris Samuel Moore

73. Samuel Alexander Moore (*Mary Victoria McDougall*⁵, *Mary Eleanor Goff*⁴, *William*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 30 Apr 1913 in Devon, Hfx. Co. Samuel Alexander died on 6 Mar 1991; he was 77.

On 5 Sep 1932 when Samuel Alexander was 19, he married **Molly Alta Wiewie**. Born on 31 Oct 1913 in Port Handover, Germany. Molly Alta died in Halifax, NS, on 29 Aug 1998; she was 84.

Molly Moore was the inspiration for the Molly Appeal (www.mollyappeal.ca), the annual charitable campaign for the Dalhousie Medical Research Foundation. It was begun in 1980 after her suggestion that if everyone in Nova Scotia donated just \$1, it might make a difference to medical research. Molly's identity remained anonymous for 15 years.

They had the following children:

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| 117 | i. | Samuel Maurice (15 Aug 1933-27 Aug 2013) |
| 118 | ii. | Shanawa Mary (21 Nov 1936-) |
| 119 | iii. | Bradford "Alexander" (30 Aug 1940-) |

74. Morris Delmaine Moore (*Mary Victoria McDougall*⁵, *Mary Eleanor Goff*⁴, *William*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 29 Jan 1915 in Carroll's Corner, NS. Morris Delmaine died in Halifax NS, on 9 Nov 2006; he was 91. Buried in

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Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Lower Sackville.

MOORE, Morris Delmaine - 91, Parkland Estates, former resident of Kaye Street, Halifax, for 57 years. It is with great sadness that wife, Alice, and sons, Glenn (Karen), Campbellford, Ont., and Bruce (Trudy), Ajax, Ont., announce the passing of a husband and father on November 9, 2006, in the VG Site, QEII. Morris will be missed by his grandchildren, Tara, Jason, Ryan, and Tonia; great-grandchildren, Bryanna, Brennon, and Jake; nieces, nephews and many friends. Morris was a son of the late Morris and Mary (MacDougall) Moore of Carroll's Corner. He was also predeceased by his brother, Sam. Morris was employed for 47 years by the Eastern Canada Savings & Loan Co. and Central Guaranty Trust Co. Morris enjoyed playing tennis, badminton, boxing and golf, and belonged to the YMCA, Pin-Hi Golf Club and the Waegwoltic Club for many years. He was a long-term treasurer of the Commercial Club of Halifax. Morris and Alice were avid square dancers from 1975 to 2000 and traveled with a square dance group to many provinces of Canada and danced in the U.S.A., Great Britain, Australia, New Zealand and most countries in Europe. Cremation has taken place. Visitation will be 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. today, funeral service will be 2 p.m. Tuesday, November 14, Rev. Sandra Cox and Rev. Jim Martell officiating, with a reception to follow, all in Atlantic Funeral Home, 6552 Bayers Rd., Halifax. Interment to follow in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Lower Sackville. Family flowers only. Donations may be made in Morris' memory to a charity of choice. Special thanks to staff of the Victorian Order of Nurses, the Palliative Care Unit and Heart Failure Clinic of the VG Site, QEII. On-line condolences may be sent to the family by visiting the website: www.atlanticfuneralhomes.com

On 1 Aug 1942 when Morris Delmaine was 27, he married **Alice Mae Rosamond Swales**. Born in 1917. She died in 2018 in Halifax.

<http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/nova-scotia/blue-jays-halifax-game-1.3270439>

Blue Jays 98-year-old superfan confident in team

'It's a Canadian team, and I'm really a Canadian, and a Nova Scotian'

CBC News Posted: Oct 14, 2015 1:28 PM AT

As the Blue Jays biggest game in 23 years draws nearer, one of the team's biggest fans says there's no way they can lose.

Ninety-eight year old Alice Moore is decked out for today's big Blue Jays game. She's sporting her Blue Jays shoes, shirt and baseball cap.

Moore is keeping her cool, and her faith in her favourite team hasn't wavered.

"They're going to win, there's no doubt about it. With the enthusiasm that these young players have, and they're just going all-out today. There's no doubt about that and they're going to win."

Moore lives in a Shannex care home in the Halifax suburb of Clayton Park.

Henry Hicks was one of the most significant presidents in Dalhousie's 200-year history, overseeing nearly two decades of dramatic growth and change on campus. But he didn't do it alone. If Hicks is considered the architect of the modern Dalhousie, then **Alice Moore** (1917-2018), his executive secretary and confidant for 14 years, was the project manager.

Moore was born in Halifax three months before the 1917 Explosion. As she neared adulthood, she took a job at Eastern Canada Savings and Loans (the precursor to Central Trust) to help earn extra money for her family following the death of her father. Starting as secretary, she rose through the ranks to become department head. She also met her future husband, Morris, at the company — on her first day of work, no less. They worked together in the same building for years, but when the company implemented a policy forbidding husbands and wives working together, Moore was let go. She was devastated, but her supervisor had an inside track on another opportunity: Dal's president was looking for a new secretary. "I said, 'I don't want to do secretary work,'" Moore recalled. "He said, 'Give it a shot.' 'Ok', I said, and he wrote me a letter of recommendation." She got a call back from the President's Office that afternoon. It had been years since she had practised secretarial shorthand, and she was worried she'd be a bit rusty. But the skills came back quickly, and her leadership experience soon made her an invaluable asset at a key time in Dal's history.

Dalhousie was evolving rapidly in the late 1960s. Many buildings we take for granted now as stalwarts of campus life were mere holes in the ground when Moore walked to her office each morning. The Dalhousie Arts Centre and Dalplex were two spaces that

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sprung out of the ground while Moore handled the heavy administrative workload — made doubly complicated by Hicks' frequent trips to Ottawa to fulfill his duties as a Canadian senator.

"It was busy in those days, when he was a senator, a lot was happening at Dalhousie" she said. "Our office held it all together." Even after her retirement Moore continued to work with Hicks, moving from their office in the administrative building — the one we now call the Henry Hicks Building — to his home office. She worked with him until the day he died in December 1990. Moore, who passed away in early 2018 at the age of 100, looked back fondly on her time at Dalhousie. She remembered when denim jeans came into fashion, and when students started wearing long hair. "It was nice being around all the young people. Dalhousie was wonderful, it was a big part of my life," she said with a laugh, "which is great because at the time I was hired it was the last place I wanted to work." (Dal magazine)

They had the following children:

- i. **Glenn Swales.** Born on 30 Jul 1943.
- ii. **Bruce William.** Born on 5 Jun 1947.

Family of Ralph "Percy" (Buck) Goff (33) & Georgia Benner

75. May Isabel (Cherry) Goff (*Ralph "Percy" (Buck)⁵, John Anthony Holland⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 23 Aug 1915 in Somerville, MA. May Isabel (Cherry) died in Danville, Indiana, on 29 Mar 1987; she was 71.

Birth

Year: 1915 **Book:** 629 **Page:** 875 **Certification / Registration:** 1180
Name of child: May Isabel Goff **Sex:** Female **Date of birth:** Aug. 23, 1915
Place of birth: Somerville, Mass.
Father: Ralph P. **Occupation:** Engineer **Place of birth:** Somerville, Mass.
Residence: 122 Pearl St. Somerville, Mass.
Mother: Georgiana Benner **Place of birth:** Everett, Mass.
Residence: 122 Pearl St. Somerville, Mass.
Source: Archives, Boston, NEHGS on-line.

May was single at the time of her marriage to Wesley.

Cherry had a daughter Barbara as a young woman. She later went to Western US (EMG). Barbara, age 2, was with her grandparents Ralph and Georgie in the 1940 US census, Melrose, Mass.

On 31 Aug 1946 when May Isabel (Cherry) was 31, she first married **Wesley Dencil Medeiros (Medaris)** in Conway, NH. Born on 14 Jul 1914 in Bedford, Indiana. Wesley Dencil died on 25 Dec 1975; he was 61. Buried in Floral Park Cemetery, Indianapolis, Indiana. Residence: Malden, Mass. (1946). Wesley was divorced when he married May Goff.

They had the following children:

- i. **Barbara Ann Goff.** Born on 28 Apr 1938. Barbara Ann died in Gosport, Indiana, on 18 Dec 2006; she was 68.

Barbara A. Bay Bell, 68, resident of Gosport, died Monday, December 18, 2006 at her residence. Born April 28, 1938 in Boston, Massachusetts, she was the daughter of May Goff Bay. She was a homemaker and also worked at K Mart in Martinsville. She attended Gosport Christian Church. Survivors include one son, Doug Bell of Gosport; two sisters, Kathy Clark of Jamestown and Roberta Griffin of Blue Eye, Missouri; three grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her mother,

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and her husband, Arnold Bell. Interment will be in Floral Park West in Indianapolis. (Evening World, page three, Tuesday, December 19, 2006)

Barbara, age 2, was with Ralph and Georgie (grandparents) in Melrose, Mass., 1940 census.

- ii. **Roberta Medaris.** Born in 1948.

Note from Ralph's funeral "My Mother is Roberta (Medaris) Griffin, Daughter of Cherry Medaris (May Bay) Sister to Barbara Bell - Vicky Holman - Springfield, MO - Great-Neice, Apr 16, 2011." My Mother, Brother and I all currently live in the Branson, Missouri area (2018).

- iii. **Kathy Medeiros.**

May Isabel (Cherry) second married **Sylvester Bay**.

76. Ralph Dexter Goff (*Ralph "Percy" (Buck)⁵, John Anthony Holland⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 22 Jan 1927 in Melrose, MA. Ralph Dexter died in Melrose, Mass., on 14 Apr 2011; he was 84.

Mr. Ralph D. Goff, a longtime resident of Melrose, passed away on April 14, 2011 at the Wilmington Health Care Center. He was 84 years old. Ralph was born in Melrose on January 22, 1927, one of two children of the late Ralph P. Goff and Georgianna (Benner) Goff. Ralph was raised in Melrose and enlisted in the United States Merchant Marine at the age of 17. He later served in the South Pacific during World War II in the U.S. Air Force. While on leave, he met his future wife of 57 years, Margaret, whom he married on December 18, 1953. Ralph worked as an engineer for the Railroad for many years. A handyman, Ralph enjoyed using his hands and home renovating. He loved the outdoors, visiting his cottage in Bristol, New Hampshire, and gardening. During his leisure time, Ralph enjoyed the many trips that he and his wife took across the country. He and Peg visited many places from Hawaii to Alaska to Bermuda and Florida. A devoted friend and family man, Ralph will be remembered for his love of family and loyalty to friends. Ralph was the beloved husband of Margaret A. (Amirault) Goff with whom he shared 57 years of marriage. Devoted father of Ralph D. Goff and his wife Patricia of N. Andover and Joyce A. MacCormack and her husband, Thomas J. of East Boston. Dear brother of the late Cherry Medeiros. Cherished grandfather of Ashleigh, Kevin, Jacqueline and her husband James, Joseph, and Andrew. Loving great grandfather of Hailey. Interment will be held in Wyoming Cemetery, Melrose, MA.

On 18 Dec 1953 when Ralph Dexter was 26, he married **Margaret Amerault**. Born on 6 Mar 1925 in Malden, Massachusetts. Margaret died in Medford, MA, on 16 Dec 2013; she was 88.

Mrs. Margaret A. Goff, a longtime resident of Melrose, passed away peacefully on Monday, December 16, 2013 in Medford, at age 88. Margaret was born on March 6, 1925 in Malden, one of 7 children of the late Dennis and Annie (LeBlanc) Amirault. She was raised in Malden, and graduated from Sacred Hearts High School. She married Ralph D. Goff on December 18, 1953 and they settled in Melrose to raise a family. Mrs. Goff was a family woman who dedicated much of her life to caring for her family. She was a devoted mother, doting grandmother, and loved gathering everyone together for the holidays. Margaret provided loving care for her parents as they grew older and provided the same devoted care for her husband, Ralph. She was always generous and loved sewing clothes for her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. For many years, Margaret enjoyed spending the summer at the family camp on Newfound Lake in New Hampshire. Every year, she looked forward to going to the beach, and getting together with family and friends. In her spare time, she loved travelling, doing puzzles, and playing games. Margaret was the beloved wife of the late Ralph D. Goff with whom she shared 57 years of marriage. Devoted mother of Ralph D. Goff and his wife Patricia of N. Andover, and Joyce A. MacCormack and her husband Thomas

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of E. Boston. Dear sister of Hazel Martel of Malden, and the late Rose Glionna, Frances Landry, Anita Meuse, Gilbert Amirault, and John "Brother" Amirault. Cherished grandmother of Ashleigh, Kevin, Jacqueline and her husband James, Joseph and his fiancé Cassie, and Andrew and his fiancée Vanessa. Loving great-grandmother of Hailey, Austin, and Morgan. Interment in Wyoming Cemetery, Melrose.

Margaret's family was originally From Amerault's Hill in Yarmouth Co., Nova Scotia.

They had the following children:

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| 120 | i. | Ralph D. |
| 121 | ii. | Joyce A. |

Family of Frank Lawrence Goff (34) & Reta Pyne

77. Ada Almira Goff (*Frank Lawrence⁵, John Anthony Holland⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 18 Dec 1910 in Central Grove, Digby Co., NS. Ada Almira died in Melrose, MA, on 6 Jul 1979; she was 68. Buried in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody, MA.

In Jul 1928 when Ada Almira was 17, she married **John J. Farrell** in Melrose, MA. Born on 1 Apr 1909 in Sudbury, MA. John J. died in Burlington, MA, on 22 Dec 1982; he was 73. Buried in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody, MA.

1940 census Melrose, MA. Head John F Farrell 31 b. Massachusetts, Wife Ada Farrell 29 b. Canada, Son Frank Farrell 11 b. Massachusetts, Son John Farrell 9 b. Massachusetts, Daughter Louise Farrell 8 b. Massachusetts.

They had the following children:

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| 122 | i. | Frank Leroy (12 Jan 1929-12 Feb 1996) |
| 123 | ii. | John Joseph (Jackie) (5 May 1930-25 Jul 2002) |
| 124 | iii. | Louise (22 Mar 1932-) |

78. Roy John Edmund Goff (*Frank Lawrence⁵, John Anthony Holland⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 10 Jan 1912 in Long Island, Digby Co., NS. Roy John Edmund died in Lawrenceville, GA, on 2 Jan 1999; he was 86. Buried in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody, MA.

USSSDI - Roy Goff, 10 Jan 1912 - 2 Jan 1999, SSN issued Massachusetts, died in Lawrenceville, Georgia.

On 12 Mar 1938 when Roy John Edmund was 26, he married **Marjorie Edith Nelson** in Malden, MA. Born on 25 Sep 1917 in Malden, MA. Marjorie Edith died in Lawrenceville, GA, on 12 Oct 2003; she was 86. Buried in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody, MA.

They had one child:

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| 125 | i. | Carol Lee (4 Apr 1942-) |
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Roy, Marjorie and Carol Goff, 1948



Family of May Beatrice Goff (35) & Arthur Josiah Wenzel

79. Ruth Carolyn Wenzel (*May Beatrice Goff⁶, John Anthony Holland⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 28 Sep 1921 in Newton, MA. Ruth Carolyn died in Framingham, MA, on 6 Feb 2005; she was 83.

FRAMINGHAM -- Ruth C. (Wenzel) Lupien, 83, died Sunday, Feb. 6, 2005, at Marlborough Hospital following a brief illness. She was the wife of Robert W. Lupien of Framingham. Born in Newton, the daughter of the late Arthur J. and Maybea (Goff) Wenzel, she had been a resident of Framingham for the past 50 years and had lived previously in Natick. A graduate of Natick High School with the Class of 1939, she was a member of Hartford Street Presbyterian Church of Natick and an active member of Callahan Senior Center in Framingham. She enjoyed knitting and was devoted to her family and friends. Besides her husband, she leaves her children, Peter A. Lupien of Denver, Barbara A. Crutchley and her husband, Wilbur, of Bonita Springs, Fla; and Robert M. Lupien of Framingham. She was the sister of the late Arthur J. Wenzel Jr. and Barbara Guilliams. Private funeral services were held. Burial was in the Riddell family lot at Lakeview Cemetery in Cochrutuate.

Ruth Carolyn married **Robert William (Bob) Lupien**. Born on 13 Oct 1926 in Wayland, Mass. Robert William (Bob) died in Framingham, Mass., on 11 Jun 2014; he was 87. Buried in Lakeview Cemetery, Cochrutuate, MA.

FRAMINGHAM: Robert William "Bob" Lupien, 87, died on Wednesday, June 11, 2014 at his residence. He was born in the family residence on Rice Road in Wayland on October 13, 1926 the son of the late Alphonse Lupien and Ellen (McSweeney) Lupien. Bob was the beloved husband of the late Ruth Carolyn (Wenzel) Lupien who died on February 6, 2005. He was the devoted and loving father of Barbara A. Crutchley and her husband Wilbur of Bonita Springs, FL; Robert M. Lupien and his wife Janice of Hooksett, NH; and the late Peter A. Lupien. Father-in-law of Anne Lupien of Litchfield, NH. Brother of Dorothy DesChamps of Ashland; Thomas Lupien of Cochrutuate and the late John Lupien, Patricia Leary, Dennis Lupien and James Lupien. Brother-in-law of Dorothy Lupien of Natick. Also survived by several nieces, nephews and his longtime friend Charles "Mickey" McNeill who was like a son to Bob. Bob has been a resident of Framingham for the past 59 years and previously resided in Cochrutuate. He spent his formative years in Cochrutuate and was a member of Wayland High School Class of 1943. Bob served his country proudly during World War II with the United States Marines as a Private First Class. He had a long and successful career as an installer in the oil, heating and air conditioning field and began with Diehls in Wellesley and retired after over 30 years of dedicated service with Coan Oil Co. in Natick. Bob enjoyed gardening at his residence in Framingham and loved to spend time poking around the "outdoor store". He was a loving and devoted husband and father to his family and enjoyed time spent with them. Private family graveside services will

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be held at the family lot in Lakeview Cemetery in Cochrane.

They had the following children:

i. **Peter A.**

From the US SSI, Peter A Lupien was born on June 02, 1953 and died on February 01, 2007 at the age of 53. This person last resided in Denver, Colorado in Denver County. Peter A Lupien was assigned the social security number (SSN) of: 013-44-9899. - not sure if this is the same person.

ii. **Barbara A.** Residence: Bonita Springs FL.

Barbara A. married **Wilbur Crutchley**.

Son of Harry and Tacy Crutchley.

iii. **Robert M.**

Family of LeRoy Goff Mortimer (36) & June Vyvian Pearl

80. Marilyn Priscilla Mortimer (*LeRoy Goff⁵, Hannah "Alexanderana" Goff⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 1 Feb 1927 in Mechanic Falls, ME. Marilyn Priscilla died in Merritt Island, FL, on 26 Aug 1999; she was 72.

11 Apr 1947, The Lewiston Daily Sun

Raymond A. Frost Miss Marilyn Mortimer

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Mortimer of 80 Pleasant Street, Mechanic Falls, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marilyn Priscilla, to Raymond A. Frost, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Frost of Mechanic Falls, formerly of Mt. Holly Springs, Penna. Miss Mortimer is a graduate of Mechanic Falls High School. She attended Bliss Business College for one year, and is now employed in the office of B. Pock Company. She is the organist at the Pleasant Street Baptist Church of Mechanic Falls. Mr. Frost is a graduate of Mechanic Falls High School, and is a veteran of 28 months' service overseas, as a member of the Army Air Forces, in the Mediterranean Theater and the CBI Theater of War. He is now employed by the Ponds Extract Company of Mechanic Falls. The wedding will take place June 8.

Marilyn Shea-McIntyre

1927-1999

Cocoa Beach, Fla. – Marilyn Shea-McIntyre, 72, of Merritt Island, Fla., died Tuesday Aug. 24 at Cape Canaveral Hospital. She was born Feb. 1, 1927 in Mechanic Falls, Maine. She moved to Florida in 1969. She was a homemaker and music teacher. She belonged to the Faith Lutheran Church, Merritt Island. Survivors include three sons, Jeremy Shea of Mars Hill, NC, Jonathan Shea of Rockledge, Fla., and Christopher Frost of Palm Bay, Fla.; one daughter Jill Stern of Cocoa, Fla.; one brother Robert Mortimer of Falmouth, Maine; one sister Laurel McKeen of Mechanic Falls; five grandchildren.

On 8 Jun 1947 when Marilyn Priscilla was 20, she first married **Raymond A. Frost**.

Augusta- Raymond A. Frost, 90, of Mechanic Falls, died at Togus hospice May 23, 2013, of a long battle with lung cancer. He was born in Mechanic Falls, August 1st 1922, son of Albert R. Frost and Evis Bridge Frost. He attended Mechanic Falls schools. He volunteered for the Army Air Force in 1942 and was honorably discharged in 1946 as a Corporal E4. He married his wife Dorothy Hall on September 12, 1955. Raymond was employed by Waterfalls Tissue (Marcel Paper) of Mechanic Falls as a shipper. He enjoyed writing letters to dignitaries. His passions were planes, ships, and picking wild flowers and sharing them with people in the community. He was a life-time member

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of the V.F.W. He was survived by his wife Dorothy of 58 years and his six sons; Greg and wife Karen of Melbourne Florida, Christopher and wife Jackie of South Paris, Carl of Mechanic Falls, Mike and partner Anita Chabot of Lewiston, Dana and fiancé Julie Hayman of South Paris, Donald and wife Linda of Mechanic Falls, daughter Theresa Toothaker and husband David of South Paris, and Brother Vernard of Scarborough. He was survived by 18 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren. He was predeceased by his parents and sisters Marguerite Larock, Charlotte Hartley, and Lola Collins, and grandson Christopher Toothaker.

Marilyn Priscilla second married **Frank Shea**. Born in 1922.

They had the following children:

- i. **Gregory Frost**. Born in 1950.
- ii. **Chris Frost**. Born in 1950.
- iii. **Jonathon**. Born in 1955.
- iv. **Jeremy**.
- v. **Jill**.

81. Laurel Mortimer (*LeRoy Goff^s, Hannah "Alexanderana" Goff^d, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 11 Mar 1931 in Mechanic Falls, Maine, USA. Laurel died in Mechanic Falls, Maine, USA, on 13 Mar 2017; she was 86.

Auburn - Laurel Marjorie McKeen, 86, of Mechanic Falls, widow of Renne R. McKeen, died March 13, 2017, at Clover Manor in Auburn. Laurel was born on March 11, 1931, in Mechanic Falls, daughter of LeRoy and June (Pearl) Mortimer. Laurel and Renne raised their family in Mechanic Falls in the house that Renne built. Laurel had a passion for reading and was an avid book collector. She loved the Maine coast and the Maritime provinces of Canada. Laurel also had a strong interest in Native American culture and history. Laurel is survived by four sons: Stephen, Michael, Peter, and Timothy; one daughter, Gayle; a brother, Robert Mortimer; three grandchildren, Matthew, Rachel, and Chassie; and two great-grandchildren, Mälikal and Kierra. Private graveside services will be held in the spring.

Laurel married **Renne Rudolph McKeen**. Born on 11 Jul 1925 in West Paris, Maine. Renne Rudolph died in Mechanic Falls, ME, on 31 Oct 2016; he was 91.

Lewiston- Renne Rudolph McKeen, 91, of Mechanic Falls, husband of Laurel (Mortimer) McKeen, died October 31, at Central Maine Medical Center. Renne was born on July 11, 1925 in West Paris, son of Renne and Saara (Pikkarainen) Mikkonen. He moved to Mechanic Falls after his marriage and built his family's home there. Renne served in WWII in the U.S. Navy as a Torpedo man's mate in the Pacific theater from 1943-46 and received the WWII Victory Medal, American Theater Medal, Philippine Liberation (2 Stars), and the Asiatic Pacific Theater (3 Stars). He worked as an electrician until his retirement in 1990, and was a member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers. Renne belonged to Finnish-American Heritage Society of Maine. In addition to his wife, Laurel, Renne is survived by four sons, Stephen, Michael, Peter, and Timothy; one daughter, Gayle; three grandchildren, Matthew, Rachel, and Chassie; and two great grandchildren, Malikal and Kierra.

They had the following children:

- i. **Stephen**. Born in 1950.
- ii. **Micheal**. Born in 1951.
- iii. **Gayle**. Born in 1953. Residence: Tennessee.

Gayle married **Derek Waller**. Born in 1937 in London, England. Derek died in Sewanee, TN, on 31 Dec 2009; he was 72.

WALLER, Derek John Age 72, Sewanee, died on December 31st, 2009 from pancreatic

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cancer. Born in England in 1937, he grew up in and around London. Derek received his Masters Degree from Indiana University and his Ph.D. from University of London's School of Oriental and African Studies. He retired from Vanderbilt University's Political Science Department in 2000, after 31 years. His specialty was communist China. During his years teaching at Vanderbilt he also served as Director of East Asian Studies and an Associate Dean. He developed and sustained Vanderbilt's popular International Studies in London (ISIL) program, which he administered for more than 20 years. He was an officer in the Southeast Regional Conference of the Association of Asian Studies. Derek was a world traveler, collector and dealer of rare books on Tibet and India, and an avid genealogist. Besides extensive traveling during his retirement he was also a volunteer for the Sewanee Writer's Conference, a tutor at Sewanee Elementary school and Secretary of the Board of the Friends of the Library of the University of the South. He is survived by his wife, Gayle McKeen; son, Daniel; daughter, Juliet (Alan) and grandson, Eli.

Vanderbilt political scientist noted for expertise on Communist China. Derek John Waller, a retired Vanderbilt University political scientist who taught and wrote extensively about the politics of Communist China, died on Dec. 31, 2009. The Sewanee, Tenn., resident, who was 72, had suffered from pancreatic cancer.

Waller, a professor of political science, emeritus, taught Vanderbilt's first course on the Communist Chinese system of government during a time of keen American interest in China's turbulent political and cultural developments.

The British native was a graduate of the London School of Economics. He earned his master's at Indiana University and doctorate at University of London's School of Oriental and African Studies before joining the Vanderbilt faculty in 1969. Waller was conducting research in Hong Kong during the summer of 1971 when he managed to secure a visa to visit mainland China. Waller's trip occurred several months before President Richard Nixon's famed visit to the People's Republic of China.

The Tennessean later reported on his trip, noting that he had walked across a bridge into Red China. Waller was quoted in the article as saying "everyone was friendly, in marked contrast to official propaganda. There were placards everywhere condemning the United States and its policy in Vietnam." During that same trip, Waller visited West Pakistan, where he found strong evidence of "massive economic aid from Russia."

Waller was a former associate dean and director of the Vanderbilt's East Asian Studies Program. He developed Vanderbilt's International Studies Program in London and served as director of Vanderbilt-in-England.

Waller was a collector and dealer of rare books on Tibet and India. His publications included *The Pundits; British Exploration of Tibet and Central Asia* (1990), which was translated into Japanese, and *The Government and Politics of the People's Republic of China* (1981).

"Derek was a wonderful professor who was deeply admired by faculty and students," Bruce Oppenheimer, professor of political science and acting department chair, said. "He was a class act in every sense of the word and will be greatly missed."

Erwin Hargrove, professor of political science, emeritus, and former department chair, remembers Waller as "a delightful colleague who loved to travel to faraway countries, including Singapore, India and Burma. He was deeply curious and versatile in his knowledge of a wide range of subjects."

During his retirement he volunteered for the Sewanee Writer's Conference and Sewanee Elementary School and was secretary of the University of the South's Friends of the Library board.

Waller is survived by his wife, Gayle McKeen; son, Daniel; daughter, Juliet (Alan) and grandson, Eli. A memorial reception will be held in Sewanee in January at a time to be announced later.

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- iv. **Peter.**
- v. **Timothy.**

82. Robert Mortimer (*LeRoy Goff⁵, Hannah "Alexanderana" Goff⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born in Nov 1932.

From: "Mortimer, Robert" , December 17, 2011. Our family is well; Our son, Jeffrey and wife Kathleen moved back from California to Weston, Massachusetts about a year ago--so we can have family gatherings more frequently. They have two sons Alex(12) and Kyle (8). Karen, our oldest, lives here in Falmouth with her husband, Mike, and our grandson, Joshua, who is now 13 years old. Our daughter, Susan and husband Jack, live in Newton, MA and are both teachers.

In Oct 1959 when Robert was 26, he married **Christina Collelo**. Born in Jul 1933.

They had the following children:

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| 126 | i. | Karen |
| 127 | ii. | Jeffrey |
| | iii. | Susan. |

Susan Mortimer married **Jack**.

Family of Elsie Bell Mortimer (37) & Herman "LeRoy" (Roy) Smith

83. Rita Alexa Smith (*Elsie Bell Mortimer⁵, Hannah "Alexanderana" Goff⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 10 Apr 1918 in Belmont, MA. Rita Alexa died in Melbourne, FL, on 24 Jan 2001; she was 82. Buried in Wesley United Methodist Church, West Melbourne, FL.

In the 1930 US census in Worcester, MA, Rita A. Smith, age 12, niece, b. Mass, father b. Mass., mother b. USA, living with William J (age 49) and Nellia A Smith (age 58) and their daughter Ruth (age 23). William J. Smith, parents Joseph and Agnes McGilp, md. Nellie May Cudworth (MA marriage records), so this is confirmation of the correct match.

In the 1940 US census in Queens, New York, Rita A Smith, single, age 22, b. Mass., father b. Mass, mother b. Mass., relation to head: daughter, living with Leroy H. Smith, age 50 (b. Mass) and his wife Blanche L., age 42, b. Maine. Residence in 1935 for all three: Manhattan. Herman Leroy Smith, b. 06 Nov 1889 in Sturbridge, Massachusetts, USA, md. Blanche Lane (ancestry.com). USSSI: Roy Smith, b. 9 Nov 1891, d. May 1944. WWII draft registration card, Herman Leroy Smith, b. 9 Nov 1891 Sturbridge, MA, residence in 1942, Queens, NY.

Rita Alexa married **George Garr Henry Koehn**. Born on 5 Aug 1917 in New York, USA. George Garr Henry died in West Melbourne, FL, on 12 May 1995; he was 77. Buried in West Melbourne, FL.

They had the following children:

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| 128 | i. | Bruce George (1942-) |
| 129 | ii. | Brian LeRoy (1947-) |

Family of Flora Myrtle Goff (38) & Chester Wardrope

84. Hilda Eileen Wardrope (*Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on

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23 Sep 1918 in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS. Hilda Eileen died in Truro, Colchester Co., NS, on 13 Mar 2008; she was 89. Buried in Milford Cemetery.

LUMSDEN, Hilda Eileen - 89, Stewiacke/Truro, passed away peacefully after a brief illness, on March 13, 2008, in Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro. Born in Milford, she was a daughter of the late Chester and Flora (Goff) Wardrope. Hilda was a proud independent individual who was always willing to help others. She loved meeting people, traveling and was extremely competitive at the card table. After spending most of her child rearing years in Saint John and New Glasgow, she moved to Ottawa and was employed by the Federal Government until her retirement in 1983. She was a devoted member of the Rebekahs for 72 years and proud of the number of offices that she held. She returned to Nova Scotia in 2002 living in Stewiacke and just recently moved to Truro. Hilda is survived by daughters, Euloth Bing, Westminster, CO; Karen Stewart (Tom), Chetwynd, B.C.; Heather Williams (Monte), Hopewell; Janice Udell (Reg), Spruce Grove, Alta.; Joyce MacKenzie (Alex), Edmonton, Alta.; Cindy Mitchell, Truro; sons, Wayne (Lori), Albert Bridge; Chester (Doris), Debert; sister, Edna Blaikie, Truro; brother, Roger Wardrope (Jen), Milford; 23 grandchildren, numerous great-grandchildren, and one special great great-granddaughter, Isabella, who she was especially proud of, having held her on her lap for many hours; brother-in-law, Lenard Ripley. She was predeceased by her husband, Walter; infant daughter, Sandra; great-grandson, Kyle Mitchell; sisters, Mildred Wardrope, Hazel Ripley, and daughter-in-law, Phyllis Lumsden. Visitation 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Monday with funeral service 1 p.m. Tuesday, March 18, both in Ettinger Funeral Home, 2812 Main St., Shubenacadie, Rev. Helen Waddell officiating. Interment in Milford Cemetery, Milford. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in memory of Hilda to the Victorian Order of Nurses, local food bank or charity of your choice.

On 11 Nov 1940 when Hilda Eileen was 22, she married **Walter Elliot Lumsden**. Born on 22 May 1914. Walter Elliot died in New Glasgow, NS, on 5 Oct 1972; he was 58.

They had the following children:

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| 130 | i. | Winona "Euloth" (23 Mar 1941-) |
| 131 | ii. | Karen Elizabeth (11 Nov 1942-) |
| 132 | iii. | Wayne Gilbert (6 Jul 1946-) |
| 133 | iv. | Chester Alden (11 Feb 1948-) |
| | v. | Sandra Louise (Died as Infant). Born on 18 Mar 1949 in Saint John, NB. Sandra Louise died in Saint John, NB, on 12 Aug 1949; she was <1. Buried in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS. |
| 134 | vi. | Heather Eileen |
| 135 | vii. | Janice Lea |
| 136 | viii. | Joyce Lynn |
| 137 | ix. | Cynthia Ann (Lumsden) Blaikie |

85. Edna Martha Wardrope (*Flora Myrtle Goff*⁵, *William Miles Dickey "MD"*⁴, *William*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 31 Jan 1922 in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS. Edna Martha died in Bible Hill, Col. Co., NS, on 28 Sep 2023; she was 101.

Blaikie, Edna M. (Wardrope) – Age 101, Truro, passed away on September 28, 2023, in Vimy Court, Bible Hill. Born in Milford Station, Hants Co., on January 31, 1922, to the late Chester and Flora (Goff) Wardrope, she was the last surviving member of her immediate family. Edna is survived by her son, Gary (Marly), Truro; daughter, Cindy (Bob), Truro; her son-in-law, Bill (Sherry) Shedden, Falcon Lake, Manitoba; daughter-in-law, Barb; her grandchildren, Joe (Melanie), David (Becky), Pam (Max), Melanie (Chris), Rian and David; her great-grandchildren, Cadence, Liam, Joshua, Adian and Ari and many nieces and nephews. Besides her parents, Edna was predeceased by her husband, Walter; daughter, Cheryl "Sherry" Shedden; her son, Walter "Lee"; her grandson, Matthew Shedden; her brother, Roger (Jen); sisters, Hilda (Walter), Hazel (Lenoard) and Mildred as well as many nieces and nephews.

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On 4 Apr 1942 when Edna Martha was 20, she married **Walter Ivan Blaikie**, son of **Harry Lee Blaikie** (1897-6 Sep 1988) & **Mary Ellen (Nellie) Fleming** (1902-1979), in Truro, Colchester Co., NS. Born on 25 Apr 1921 in Truro, Colchester Co., NS. Walter Ivan died in Truro, Colchester Co., NS, on 5 Apr 2007; he was 85. Buried in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS. Occupation: RCAF WWII; Car Dealer, Truro, Nova Scotia.

Blaikie, Walter Ivan, 85, Truro, passed away on April 5, 2007 at the Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro. Born in Truro, he was a son of the late Harry and Nellie (Fleming) Blaikie. He served with the RCAF during the Second World War. Walter is survived by his wife, Edna (Wardrope); his daughter, Cindy Mitchell, Truro; his sons, Walter "Lee" (Barb), Truro; Gary (Mary), Truro; his son-in-law, Bill Shedden, Winnipeg; his sisters, June Blaikie and Mary Kirby, both of Halifax; his brothers, H. "Lee" (Aileen) Blaikie, Mill Lake; Paul (Nancy) Blaikie, Valley; his grandchildren, Joe (Jocelyn), David (Daidre), Pam (Adam), Melanie (Chris), Rian and David; his great-grandchildren, Cadence, Liam, Adian. Besides his parents, Walter was predeceased by his daughter, Cheryl "Sherry" Shedden; his grandson, Matthew Shedden; his brothers, Ralph and Donald, and his sister, Helen in infancy.

They had the following children:

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| 138 | i. | Walter "Lee" (13 Jan 1943-16 Jan 2017) |
| | ii. | Gary Allan . Born on 8 May 1945 in Truro, Colchester Co., NS. |

On 27 Jun 1975 when Gary Allan was 30, he married **Mary Irene Hart** in Truro, Colchester Co., NS. Born on 3 Mar 1946 in East Walton, Hants Co., NS. Mary Irene died in Truro, Colchester Co., NS, on 17 Apr 2012; she was 66. Buried in Milford Cemetery.

Blaikie, Mary Irene – 66, Truro passed away peacefully, with family and friends by her side, April 17, 2012 in Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro following a courageous battle with cancer. Born March 3, 1946 in East Walton, Hants Co., she was a daughter of the late George and Ada (Lake) Hart. Mary loved her pets, enjoyed bowling and going on trips especially vacation trips with Pat. She worked over 37 years for Stanfield's Ltd. Mary enjoyed going to her church, the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints. She is survived by her loving husband of 37 years, Gary and will be sadly missed by her pet dog, "Buddy". Mary is also survived by sisters, Dorothy Swan, Bible Hill, Anne Kennedy, Halfway Brook, Rose McKinnon, Truro; brothers, George (Dawn Winterborne), Brookfield, Perry (Patty Miller), Great Village; several nieces, nephews, cousins, grandnephews and grandnieces. Visitation will be held on Friday, April 20th from noon until time of the service at 2:00 pm, both in Colchester Community Funeral Home, 512 Willow Street, Truro with service by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Interment in Milford Cemetery.

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| 139 | iii. | Cheryl Lynn (3 Aug 1947-15 Oct 1981) |
| 137 | iv. | Cynthia Ann (Lumsden) |

86. Allen "Roger" Wardrope (*Flora Myrtle Goff*⁵, *William Miles Dickey* "MD"⁴, *William*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 12 Dec 1925 in Gull Lake, Sask. Allen "Roger" died in Truro, Colchester Co., NS, on 6 Apr 2009; he was 83. Buried in Milford Cemetery. Residence: Milford Station, NS.

WARDROPE, A. Roger

Milford, passed away peacefully on April 6, 2009, with his family by his side, in Colchester Regional Hospital in Truro, in his 84th year. Born in Gull Lake, Sask., on December 12, 1925, Roger was the son of the late Chester and Flora (Goff) Wardrope. Roger proudly served as a North Nova Scotia Highlander "A" Company and endured nine months as a POW and survived the death march from France to Germany. He was employed as a heavy equipment operator at National Gypsum and later went back to school and took his Burner Service Technician. He was involved in the Boy Scout movement and the Milford Volunteer Fire Department and a 61 year member of the

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Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 48, Elmsdale. He is survived by his loving wife, Jennie (Geddes); sons, Ralph (Jocelyn), Milford; Steven (Florence), Antigonish; Ross, Porter's Lake; daughters, Debbie, Enfield; Dawn Ann (Gary) Proctor, River Herbert; Jenny Lynn (Frank) Woodworth, Milford; 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren and sister, Edna Blaikie, Truro; brother-in-law, Leonard Ripley, Ottawa, and daughter-in-law, Edna Wardrobe, Kennetcook. Roger was predeceased by his sisters, Hilda Lumsden, Hazel Ripley, Mildred Wardrobe and grandson, Trevor Ettinger and granddaughter, Tanya Proctor. Cremation has taken place under the care and direction of Ettinger Funeral Home, Shubenacadie. Visitation will be held 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. with a Legion Service at 7 p.m. today; funeral service 2 p.m. Thursday, April 9, all in Milford-Lantz United Church, Milford, Rev. Helen Waddell officiating. A reception to follow in the church basement. Interment will be held at a later date. We would like to thank the nurses and staff on the 3rd Floor of Colchester Regional Hospital and the VON who visited Roger at home. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Victorian Order of Nurses, Heart and Stroke Foundation of Nova Scotia, Canadian Diabetes Association or Milford - Lantz United Church. Family and friends may sign the guest book and leave condolences at: www.MeM.com

On 22 Aug 1952 when Allen "Roger" was 26, he married **Jennifer Edna Victoria Geddes**, daughter of **David "Lloyd" Geddes & Ada Patton**, in Truro, Colchester Co., NS. Born on 4 Aug 1934 in Grindstone, Magdalen Islands, P.Q. Jennifer Edna Victoria died in Truro, NS, on 18 Sep 2016; she was 82.

Jennie's father Lloyd was from Milford Station but met a woman from Magdalen Islands and lived there for some numbers of years before returning to Milford, where he then operated a service station. There were 13 children in the family.

WARDROPE (Geddes) Jennie Edna Victoria age 82 of Milford Station, N.S. died September 18, 2016 at the Mira in Truro. Born in Grindstone, Magdalen Islands P.Q. she was the eldest daughter of the late David Lloyd and Ada Elma (Patton) Geddes. In 1939 they moved from the Magdalen Islands to Shubenacadie where she attended school. Jennie taught Sunday school and C.G.I.T., was active in Home and School. She worked at the Royal Bank for many years and then moved into Real-estate sales. She also held several offices on the Credit Union board of directors. She enjoyed the local history and was working on the history of the early settlers of Milford. Jennie was an avid reader, mat hooker, quilter and knitter. Her greatest joy was her six children, eleven grandchildren and six great grandchildren and spending time in Bass River at the cottage. She is survived by her sons Ralph (Jocelyn) of Milford, Steven (Florence) of Fort McMurray and Ross (Debbie) of Stewiacke; daughters Dawn Ann Proctor (Gary) of River Herbert and Jenny Lynn (Frank) of Milford. grandchildren Amy, Tim, Krista, Adelle, Natalie, Charlene, Christina, Jillian, Lindsay Campbell (Arron). Five sisters Annie Archibald (Elmer), Elizabeth Russell (Creighton), Jessie Williams (Carl), Wanda and Terry. She was predeceased by husband Roger and daughter Debbie Ruth Peck, infant brothers John Robert, David, Kenneth, Harry, Donald, Gerald, and William Geddes, grandchildren Tanya Proctor and Trevor Ettinger.

They had the following children:

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| 140 | i. | Ralph Allen |
| 141 | ii. | Steven Lloyd |
| 142 | iii. | Deborah Ruth (25 Dec 1956-16 Mar 2015) |
| 143 | iv. | Dawn Ann (19 Jan 1958-10 Sep 2019) |
| 144 | v. | Ross Alexander |
| | vi. | Jennifer Lynn. |

Jennifer Lynn Wardrobe married **Frank Stephen Woodworth**. Son of Percy and Masie (Martin) Woodworth of Milford.

Family of John Roy Goff (39) & Sarah "Hazel" Wright

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87. Everill Murray Goff (*John Roy⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 20 Feb 1929 in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS. Everill Murray died in Truro, Nova Scotia, on 3 Oct 2018; he was 89. Occupation: Manager, Dairy, Ice Cream, And Frozen Food Business. Residence: Riverview, NB (1960-75), Truro, NS. Religion: United Church Of Canada.

GOFF, Everill Murray, 89, died on Wednesday, October 3, 2018 at the Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro, Nova Scotia following a brief illness. Born at Milford Station, NS, he was the son of the late John and Hazel (Wright) Goff. He was predeceased by sister Helen Martha in teenage years. Following grade school in Milford, Everill attended Colchester County Academy and Success Business College located in Truro. Upon graduation he became employed by Brookfield Creamery Limited and received training in a variety of company assignments. He transferred to Moncton as branch manager in 1960 and resided with family in Riverview, New Brunswick. In 1975, along with family, he returned to Truro with Scotsburn-Brookfield in a management role before retiring in 1989. He is survived by his wife, Doris (Whidden); sons, Murray (Wendy Lockhart), Moncton, New Brunswick; Douglas (Michelle Secord), Guelph, Ontario; granddaughters, Allison and Lindsay; grandsons, John and Drew. He was a long-time member of Truro Golden K Club, where he was recently awarded an honorary life membership. His community involvement also included membership in Truro Kiwanis Club, Phoenix Lodge, IOOF and Boy Scouts of Canada. He was honoured by Scouts Canada in 2010 with an appreciation certificate for 65 years of service in various levels of Scouting. Funeral service will be held 11 a.m., Thursday, October 11, 2018, at Saint Andrews United Church, 55 King Street, Truro, Reverend Boyd Vincent officiating. Reception will follow in the church hall. Private family interment in Gays River United Church Cemetery. Family flowers only. If so desired, donations in Everill's memory to Saint Andrew's United Church, 55 King Street, Truro, NS B2N 3K8, The Friends of the Moncton Hospital Foundation, Saint Paul's United Church, 404 Cleveland Avenue, Riverview, NB E1B 1Y2 or a charity of choice are welcomed.

(Halifax Chronicle Herald, Truro Weekly News, Moncton Transcript)

Everill travelled daily by train from Milford Station to Truro to attend high school. He began working for Brookfield Dairy in Truro on May 5, 1947, immediately following a 1-year business diploma at Success Business College in Truro. In 1960, he was transferred to Moncton, NB as Branch Manager. He left Brookfield Foods in 1970 and worked for Willitt Fruit Company (1971-73) and Sunrise Dairy (1973-75) in Moncton before returning to Brookfield Foods as Truro Branch Manager in 1975, responsible for the company's ice cream production. He retired in 1989.



Everill Murray Goff, 1948 and 2017

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On 6 Sep 1954 when Everill Murray was 25, he married **Doris Jean Whidden**, daughter of **Harry Eldridge Whidden** (24 Oct 1892-10 Feb 1959) & **Nettie Blanche Deyarmond** (23 Oct 1891-27 Dec 1980), in Onslow United Church, Nova Scotia. Born on 14 Mar 1927 in Onslow Mountain, Col. Co., NS. Doris Jean died in Truro, Nova Scotia, on 21 Mar 2019; she was 92. Occupation: Secretary. Religion: United Church Of Canada.

GOFF, Doris Jean - 92, Truro, passed away on Thursday, March 21, 2019, at Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro, following a brief illness. Born in Onslow Mountain, she was the daughter of the late Harry and Nettie (Deyarmond) Whidden. Her husband of 64 years, Everill, passed away in October 2018. Doris is survived by her sons, Murray (Wendy Lockhart), Moncton, New Brunswick; Douglas (Michelle Secord), Guelph, Ontario; granddaughters, Allison and Lindsay; grandsons, John and Drew; brother, Foster Whidden (late Frances), Bible Hill and several nephews. Along with her parents and husband, she was predeceased by her brothers, Roy (Eva) and Gordon (Elsie). She and Everill lived in Riverview, New Brunswick from 1960-1975, and apart from that, she lived in the Truro area the rest of her life. She was an active member at Saint Andrew's United Church where she was a life member of the UCW and was recognized for knitting over 6600 dolls for overseas shipment. She was previously honoured by the Colchester Regional Hospital Auxiliary for 35 years of volunteer service and was also formerly active with the Rebekah Lodge. Funeral service will be held 11 a.m., Tuesday, May 14, 2019, at Saint Andrews United Church, 55 King Street, Truro, Keith Selwyn-Smith officiating. Reception will follow in the church hall. Private family interment in Gays River United Church Cemetery. Family flowers only. If so desired, donations in Doris' memory to Saint Andrew's United Church, 55 King Street, Truro B2N 3K8, St. Paul's United Church, 404 Cleveland Avenue, Riverview, NB E1B 1Y2, Friends of The Moncton Hospital Foundation, 135 MacBeath Avenue, Moncton, NB E1C 6Z8 or a charity of choice are welcomed.

They had the following children:

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| 145 | i. | Murray John |
| 146 | ii. | Harry "Douglas" |

Family of Eliza "Gladys" Goff (40) & Howard Gilbert Willis

88. Thelma A. Willis (*Eliza "Gladys" Goff⁵, Clifford Francklyn⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 25 Jan 1935 in Peterborough, New Hampshire. Thelma A. died in Milton, NH, on 31 May 2010; she was 75. Buried in Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody, MA.

Thelma had 7 children, including Monica Gibbs and Bruce James Dill (from Tracy Marie Dill Marraffa, Bruce's daughter, 2015). Also son Phillip Tome b. 1967. Thelma Tome, US SSI b. Jan 25, 1935 in New Hampshire, died May 31, 2010 in New Hampshire.

In 1955 when Thelma A. was 19, she married **Albert Clinton Tome**. Born on 19 Apr 1935 in Pennsylvania. Albert Clinton died in Milton, Santa Rosa, FL, on 2 Apr 1989; he was 53. Buried in Barrancas National Cemetery, Pensicola, FL. Occupation: MMC, US Navy, Korea, Vietnam. They were divorced in 1960.

Son of Albert Franklin Tome and Mary Lou Renwick.

They had the following children:

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| i. | Monica Lee Dill. |
| ii. | Dawn Louise. Born on 25 Sep 1956. Dawn Louise died in Old Orchard Beach, ME, on 9 Dec 2009; she was 53. |
| iii. | Pamela Gail. Born on 30 Sep 1959. Pamela Gail died in Peabody, MA, on 4 Dec 2001; |

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- she was 42.
- iv. **Michael Dennis** (Died as Child). Born on 26 Apr 1961. Michael Dennis died in Chanceford, York Co., PA, on 13 Nov 1962; he was 1.

Birth: Apr. 26, 1962, York County, Pennsylvania, USA
Death: Nov. 13, 1962, York County, Pennsylvania, USA
Died due to smoke inhalation in a house fire. Huntington Daily News, 15 Nov 1962; Connellsville Daily Courier & Gettysburg Times, 14 Nov 1962.
Parents: Albert Clinton Tome (1935-1989) and Thelma Atalie Willis Tome (1935-2010),
Burial: Bethel United Methodist Church Cemetery, Shenks Ferry, York County, Pennsylvania, USA
(Find-a-grave, Record added: Apr 03, 2015)

Family of Edna Alexa May Goff (41) & Milton George Warner

89. Glenda Warner (*Edna Alexa May Goff⁵, Clifford Francklyn⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 29 Mar 1941.

Glenda married **Emerson Clyde Jennings**. Born on 11 Nov 1936. Emerson Clyde died on 28 Aug 1999; he was 62. Buried in Holy Trinity Anglican Church Cemetery, Tangier Nova Scotia.

They had the following children:

- 147** i. **Darlene Jean**
 ii. **Cheryl Joyce.**

- 148** iii. Cheryl Joyce Jennings married **Bryan Cameron.**
 iv. **Daniel**
 Ann Elizabeth.

Family of Margaret O'Connell (45) & John Rae McLeod

90. Margaret Elizabeth McLeod (*Margaret O'Connell⁵, Jessie Gough⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 20 Jan 1916 in Halifax, N.S. Margaret Elizabeth died in Halifax, N.S., on 23 Apr 1999; she was 83.

HUNT (Anderson), Margaret Elizabeth - Passed away peacefully at home, Friday, April 23, 1999. Born in Halifax, she was the daughter of the late John and Margaret (O'Connell) MacLeod. Margaret, known to her closest friends as "Marg", was an outgoing, fun loving individual who could always find the lighter side to anything she faced. She had a sense of humour that charmed many and a keen wit which she exercised at the most opportune times. Marg was an avid reader for most of her life, an accomplished duplicate bridge player and was an integral part of a very active social bridge group. She invariably announced to staff on her frequent late returns to her home at Summer Gardens that she had either won "the pennies or the quarters". Despite her active life at home, she managed to find time to become a seasoned world traveller. She is survived by her son, Robert (Dianne); daughter, Margaret "Peggy", both of Halifax; brother, John, Victoria, B.C.; sisters, Sheila, Port Coquitlam, B.C.; Gertrude (Hugh) Ferguson; grandsons, Paul Anderson (Karen), Nathan and Ryan Hennigar; granddaughters, Tracey and Jennifer Fisher, and great-grandchildren, Zachery and Kaitlyn Anderson. Burial in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Lower Sackville.

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Margaret Elizabeth married **Ray Anderson**.

They had one child:

- i. **Robert**.

Family of Isabel (Belle) Charlotte Flack (49) & William John Greening

91. Joan Greening (*Isabel (Belle) Charlotte Flack⁵, Sarah Ellen Gough⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born in 1922 in Ottawa, ON. Joan died in Thunder Bay, ON, on 29 Aug 2015; she was 93. Residence: Thunder Bay.

Dyer, Joan (nee Greening). Passed away peacefully on August 29 at the age of 93. Predeceased by her brothers John and Tom, her sister Dorothea and her daughter Maggie. A loving selfless mother, she will be forever missed by her children Colleen (Russ) and Bill (Janet). She will be fondly remembered by her grandson Andrew as well as Lindsey, Michael and Chris and her nieces and nephews. Joan was born in Ottawa and spent part of her childhood in Toronto. She moved to Port Arthur when her father became School Inspector for the area. After studying Household Science at the University of Toronto, she became an elementary school teacher and taught for many years for the Catholic School Board. She had many friends, including the ladies of the “Knitting Club” who met regularly for decades.

Joan married **Mr. Dyer**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Maggie**. Born in Thunder Bay, ON. Maggie died in Halifax NS on 5 Jan 2012.

MAGGIE GRENNAN (DYER) Maggie died in Halifax January 5, 2012. She was born in Thunder Bay and received her education at Hammarskjold High School and attended the Lakehead Teacher’s College. She taught school one year in Nakina before going down east to teach for the Dufferin School Board. When she finished teaching she moved to Halifax where she planned on studying the languages and cultures of other countries. Her funeral and burial took place in Halifax attended by her sister and brother-in-law, Colleen and Russ Robinson. She is survived by her mother Joan Dyer; sister and brother-in-law Colleen and Russ Robinson; her brother and sister-in-law Bill and Jan Dyer. She also had nieces Sheila Ethier and her daughter Rosalyn; Sandra and Brian Fenton; Carol and Frank Wilson. Also her nephew Andrew Robinson, Rosalyn Ethier, Andy and Greg Greening. She was predeceased by her grandparents William and Isabel Greening, aunts and uncles: Dorothea and Basil Scully, Frances and Tom Greening, John Greening and cousin Lawrence Greening.

- ii. **Colleen**, married **Russ Robinson**.
- iii. **Bill**.

Family of Ethel Gladys Gough (51) & John Alexander MacDonald

92. Arthur Alexander (“Mickey”) MacDonald (*Ethel Gladys Gough⁵, Nicholas Holland Howe⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 24 Jul 1929 in Halifax, N.S. Arthur Alexander (“Mickey”) died in Burlington, ON, on 29 Jun 2018; he was 88. Residence: Burlington, ON (2006).

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In Memory of Mickey MacDonald

MacDONALD, Arthur Alexander "Mickey"; (P.Eng, B.Eng Nova Scotia Tech Class of 1952; retired from Westinghouse/ABB, member of the Iroquoia Bruce Trail Club). Suddenly at his home on Friday June 29, 2018. Mickey, in his 89th year, beloved husband of Helen (nee Hooper) for 65 years. Loved father of Mark MacDonald, and Wendy Lachance (Paul). Dear Grandad of Melissa (Damien), Sara, Justin (Kate), Amanda (Eric), Matthew, Jonathan, and Great Grandad of Lucas Hobson. Survived by sister Agnes MacDonald and many relatives in Nova Scotia.

Arthur Alexander ("Mickey") married **Helen Hooper**.

HOOPER (Sharpe), Edna Violet – Halifax, passed away peacefully in her sleep on Wednesday, February 11, 2004, in Northwood Centre. Edna was the eldest daughter of the late Joseph and Katherine (Rhodenizer) Sharpe. Edna's whole life was devoted to raising her seven children. Born March 2, 1905 in Moser River, Edna spent her last 82 years in Halifax, first on Smith Street and later at Ogilvie Towers until she became a resident of Northwood Centre in 2001. Edna is survived by her son, Reginald, Montreal; daughters Dorothy (Chester) Dean, Fredericton, N.B.; Colleen (Raymond) Dean, Tide Head, N.B.; Shirley (Lewis-deceased) MacInnis, Halifax; Helen (Arthur/Mickey) MacDonald, Burlington, Ont.; Lynne (Chuck) Illsley, Cole Harbour; 11 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren. Also surviving are sisters, Eleanor Aulenback, Dartmouth; Gwen Brown, Ellershouse; brothers, Eric (Margaret) Sharpe and Carl (Marjorie) Sharpe, all of Moser River. Edna was predeceased by her husband, William Parker Hooper; her younger son, Wayne William Hooper; sister, Doris Pemberton; brothers, David, Millage, Lewis and Percy Sharpe. The Committal Service will take place in St. John's Cemetery, Halifax.

They had the following children:

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| 149 | i. | Mark |
| 150 | ii. | Wendy |

Family of Jean Elizabeth Gough (52) & William Lester Wamboldt

93. Myrna Rosa Jean Wamboldt (*Jean Elizabeth Gough⁵, Arthur McQuaid⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 23 Jun 1934 in Halifax NS. Residence: Edmonton.

On 18 Dec 1957 when Myrna Rosa Jean was 23, she married **George David Thomas** in St. Matthias Church, Halifax.

They had the following children:

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| i. | Derek Vincent. |
| ii. | Anne Elizabeth. |
| iii. | David William. |
| iv. | Carolyn Margaret. |
| v. | Shauna Jean. |
| vi. | Glyn Vaughn. |

94. Sheila Wamboldt (*Jean Elizabeth Gough⁵, Arthur McQuaid⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 8 May 1938.

In Jul 1963 when Sheila was 25, she married **Lloyd Keeping**. They were divorced in 1982.

They had the following children:

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| i. | Paul Arthur. |
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- ii. **Elizabeth Marie.**

Family of Lloyd George Gough (54) & Gladys Freda Long

95. Nova Ann Gough (*Lloyd George⁵, Philip Anthony⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 5 Oct 1950. Nova Ann died in Simcoe, ON, on 31 Jul 2016; she was 65.

KUSH, Nova (nee Gough/Pinkerton) - Cancer chased me around the block these last 20 years and finally caught up with me on Sunday, July 31, 2016. I am leaving behind the two best parents one could ask for, Lloyd and Gladys Gough and my only brother Philip (Rosemary) Gough. With a broken heart I had to say good-bye to a man who showered me with love and affection over these last 16 years, my wonderful husband Gary Kush. Now also left to grieve with him are our children Tera (Kevin) Pinkerton, Arlette (Bert) Wood, Greg (Monique) Pinkerton, Brad (Jadie), Curtis (Katy) and Tristan Kush along with our 10 beautiful grandchildren Meranda and Leah Wood, David Haggart, Brett and Brenda Kincaid, Savannah, Logan, Shayla, Lachlin and Noah Kush.

On 3 Oct 1970 when Nova Ann was 19, she first married **Terrance Pinkerton**. Born on 17 Dec 1950 in Thunder Bay, ON. They were divorced in Sep 1989.

They had the following children:

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| 151 | i. | Tera Melanie |
| 152 | ii. | Debbie "Arlette" |
| | iii. | Greg Anson. |

Nova Ann second married **Gary Kush**.

96. Philip Edward Gough (*Lloyd George⁵, Philip Anthony⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*). Born on 17 Jul 1952 in Thunder Bay, ON. Residence: Sundridge, ON.

Philip Edward married **Rosemary Stewart**.

They had the following children:

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| i. | Lindsey Carmen. |
| ii. | David Philip. |
| iii. | Laurel Rose. |

Family of Tremaine Boutilier (56) & Margarite Doyle

97. Robert Boutilier (*Tremaine⁵, Emma Sophia Thomson⁴, Mary Eliza Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born in 1949.

Robert married **Carol Packwood**.

They had one child:

- i. **Stephanie.**

Family of Ethel May Smith (57) & Frederick Warren Barrows

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98. Verna May Barrows (*Ethel May Smith⁵, Mary Ellen Goff⁴, Philip³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 25 May 1908 in Middleboro, Mass. Verna May died in Dummerston, VT, on 5 Jul 1980; she was 72. Buried in Meeting House Hill Cemetery, Brattleboro, VT.

Verna Barrows, b. 25 May 1908, Md. Levi Lester Bolster, 1928, d. 5 Jul 1980, Dummerston VT.

9 children

Levi Lester Jr. b. 31 Jul 1930, father Levi Lester Bolster, mother Verna Mae Barrows

In 1928 when Verna May was 19, she married **Levi Lester Bolster**. Born on 19 Mar 1905 in Manchester, VT. Levi Lester died in Brattleboro, VT, on 22 Apr 1984; he was 79.

1940 census Brattleboro

Levi L Bolster 34 Verna M 31 Dorothy 11 Levi Junior 10 Shirley C 8 Stewart 6 Ralph 5 Priscilla 4/12.

They had the following children:

- i. **Dorothy Elizabeth**. Born on 1 Apr 1929. Dorothy Elizabeth died in Brattleboro, VT, on 20 Dec 2009; she was 80. Buried in Dummerston Center Cemetery, VT.

Dorothy E. Laughton

1929 - 2010 EAST DUMMERSTON, VT Dorothy Elizabeth Bolster Laughton, 82, of East Dummerston died Wednesday, Dec. 30, 2009, at the Brattleboro Memorial Hospital. She was born on April 1, 1929, daughter of Levi and Verna Barrows Bolster in Brattleboro. Dorothy worked for several years at the Book Press in Brattleboro. She will always be remembered by her family as a mother and a caregiver to them all. Mrs. Laughton is survived by her husband Kenneth of East Dummerston. They were married on July 10, 1949. Survivors include a son, Leslie E. Laughton of Dummerston, three daughters, Beverly E. Loring and her husband Timothy of Concord, NH, Brenda E. Nowicki and her husband Stanley "Stas" of Milford, NH, Joyce M. Pohl and her husband Tony of Santa Fe, NM, four brothers, Levi Bolster Jr., Cleon Bolster, Ralph Bolster, Neil Bolster, four grandchildren, Quincy Loring, Marquette Boucher, Alexander Pohl, Morgan Pohl, and four great-grandchildren, Asya Loring, Jasmine Loring, Mailee Boucher, Giovanni Boucher. She was predeceased by two brothers, Raymond Bolster, Stewart Bolster, and sisters Patricia Phelps, Shirley Denyou and a half-sister Virginia Foster. Services for Mrs. Laughton will be later this Spring with burial in the family lot in the Dummerston Center Cemetery. There are to be no calling hours at this time. For those who wish, memorial contributions in her memory may be made to the Dummerston Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Inc.

Dorothy Elizabeth (Bolster) Laughton (Mrs. Kenneth Laughton), RFD 2, Box 638, Tutney, VT, 05346, a descendant of Philip Goff, visited N.S. in Aug., 1986 and spoke to Everill M. Goff about the family. She was a granddaughter of Ethel Mae (Smith) Barrows through her daughter Verna May (Barrows) Bolster. Ethel May (Smith) Barrows was a granddaughter of Philip through his daughter Mary Ellen (Goff) Smith.

Dorothy Elizabeth married **Kenneth Hudson Laughton**. Born on 24 May 1928 in Dummerston, VT. Kenneth Hudson died in Brattleboro, VT, on 5 Feb 2011; he was 82.

Kenneth Laughton 1928 - 2011 DUMMERSTON, VT Kenneth Hudson Laughton, 82, of East Dummerston died on February 5, 2011 at the Thompson House Nursing Home in

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Brattleboro. He was born on May 24, 1928, the son of Charles and Opal (Hudson) Laughton in East Dummerston, VT.

- ii. **Levi Lester.** Born on 31 Jul 1930 in Brattleboro, VT. Levi Lester died in New Hampshire, U.S.A., on 29 Dec 2013; he was 83.

Winchester - Levi Bolster Jr., 83, passed away at home on Sunday, Dec. 29, 2013, after a long illness. He enjoyed farming, getting together with friends, going to auctions, traveling and watching NASCAR races. He served in the U.S. Army and was stationed in Japan. He is survived by his three daughters, stepsons, stepdaughters, brothers, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by a son, two wives, siblings and his parents, Verna (Barrows) and Levi Bolster Sr. of Dummerston, Vt. At this time, the family would like to thank everyone for their condolences. No service has been scheduled. (Published in New Hampshire Union Leader on Jan. 3, 2014)

- iii. **Shirley Ethel.** Born on 24 Nov 1931 in Brattleboro, VT. Shirley Ethel died in Brattleboro, VT, on 8 Jul 2003; she was 71.

EAST DUMMERSTON -- Shirley Ethel Denyou, 71, of East West Road in East Dummerston, a lifelong resident of the area, died unexpectedly Tuesday morning, July 8, 2003, at Brattleboro Memorial Hospital, with her family by her side following a period of declining health. Mrs. Denyou was born in Brattleboro on Nov. 24, 1931, the daughter of Levi and Verna (Barrows) Bolster. She attended schools in Dummerston and Brattleboro and was a graduate of Brattleboro High School, Class of 1950. She had been a resident of Dummerston since 1948. She had been employed at the former Book Press and H. Margolin Co. and for many years worked at the former Concel Inc. on Vernon Road. A devoted wife and loving mother, she dedicated her life to assisting her oldest daughter who, at birth, was afflicted with cerebral palsy. Up until her death she was her daughter's primary caregiver. Mrs. Denyou was a member of the VFW Auxillary, Carl M. Dessaint Post 1034 where she served as a past president in 1972. She was also a member of the FO Eagles Auxillary, Brattleboro Aerie 2445. She had also attended Dummerston Center Congregational Church. She enjoyed bingo, playing cards, camping, vacationing with her family, crossword puzzles and marching with the VFW Auxillary in many of the statewide parades. On Jan. 6, 1951, in Dummerston Center Congregational Church, she was married to Lester E. Denyou. Her husband of 44 years died in March 1995. She leaves three sons, Wayne Denyou of Clovis, N.M., Michael Denyou of Dummerston, and Todd Phelps of Stowe; two daughters, Linda Denyou and Vicki Wood, both of Dummerston; four brothers, Levi Bolster Jr. of Swanzey, N.H., Ralph Bolster, Cleon Bolster and Neil Bolster, all of Dummerston; one sister, Dorothy Laughton of Dummerston; a half-sister, Virginia Foster of Hardwick; 10 grandchildren, six great-grandchildren, and many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews; and many dear friends that she looked upon as family. Besides her husband she was predeceased by one son, Ray Denyou in 1972, two brothers, Raymond Bolster and Stuart Bolster, and a sister, Priscilla Phelps.

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On 6 Jan 1951 when Shirley Ethel was 19, she married **Lester E. Denyou** in Dummerston, VT. Lester E. died in Mar 1995.

- iv. **Stewart Eugene.** Born on 8 Dec 1933 in Brattleboro, VT. Stewart Eugene died in Colorado, USA, on 14 Sep 2002; he was 68. Buried in Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Colorado Springs. Occupation: A3C US Air Force Korea.
- v. **Ralph.** Born in 1935.

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- vi. **Priscilla.** Born in 1939.
- vii. **Cleon.**
- viii. **Neil.**
- ix. **Raymond.**

99. Cleon Frederick Barrows (*Ethel May Smith⁵, Mary Ellen Goff⁴, Philip³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 4 Sep 1910 in Middleboro, Mass. Cleon Frederick died in Dummerston, VT, on 7 Feb 1997; he was 86. Buried in Meeting House Hill Cemetery, Brattleboro, VT.

Vermont death index, last residence Brattleboro, age 86, widowed, birthplace Mass., SS issued Vermont.

Cleon F. Barrows

Birth: Sep. 4, 1910

Death: Feb. 7, 1997

Spouse: Marjorie Helen Bowen Barrows (1911 - 1996)

Children: Noel Robert Barrows (b. 29 Mar 1942, Vermont, d. 05 Jan 1955, bur. Meeting House Hill Cemetery, Brattleboro); Lewin Francis Barrows

Burial: Meeting House Hill Cemetery, Brattleboro, Windham County, Vermont, USA

Marjorie Helen Bowen Barrows

Birth: Oct. 27, 1911, Colrain, Franklin County, MA

Death: Nov. 7, 1996, Brattleboro, Windham County, VT

Daughter of Frederick N Bowen and Mae Caroline (Herzig) Bowen.

Cleon Frederick married **Marjorie Helen Bowen**. Born on 27 Oct 1911 in Colrain, Franklin Co., MA. Marjorie Helen died in Brattleboro, VT, on 7 Nov 1996; she was 85. Buried in Meeting House Hill Cemetery, Brattleboro, VT.

Daughter of Frederick Nathan Bowen and Mae Caroline Herzig. After the death of her mother, Mae, in 1915, she was sent to live with her mother's parents, Albert and Mary Herzig in Colrain, MA. Marjorie was later "given" to the CHASE family of Halifax, VT. After her marriage to Cleon, they lived and worked in Brattleboro, VT. After they retired, they moved to their mountain top summer home on Stickney Brook Road in Dummerston, VT. Marjorie was a talented needle worker, crocheter, knitter and tatter. Most of her relatives have samples of her handiwork. She and her husband spent most summers logging, splitting, and stacking wood for their household winter fuel and for their maple syrup operation. Marjorie and Cleon are both buried beside their son, Noel, in the Meetinghouse Hill Cemetery in Brattleboro, VT (Sonya R Hamdan).

They had the following children:

- i. **Noel Robert.** Born on 29 Mar 1942. Noel Robert died on 5 Jan 1955; he was 12. Buried in Meeting House Hill Cemetery, Brattleboro, VT.
- ii. **Lewin Francis.** Born on 29 Jan 1947 in Brattleboro, VT. Lewin Francis died in Mims, FL, on 2 May 2006; he was 59. Buried in Meeting House Hill Cemetery, Brattleboro, VT.

MIMS, Fla. -- Lewin Barrows, 58, of Mims, formerly of Brattleboro, Vt., died Tuesday, May 2, 2006, in Florida. Graveside services will be held Friday at 10 a.m. at Meetinghouse Hill Cemetery on Orchard Street in Brattleboro.

Lewin F. Barrows, Meeting House Hill Cemetery, Brattleboro, Birth: Jan. 29, 1947; Death: May 2, 2006.

Anna Mae Barrows, spouse of Lewin F. Barrows, Birth: Sep. 22, 1952, Bellows Falls, Windham County, Vermont, USA

Death: Dec. 28, 2008, Brattleboro, Windham County, Vermont, USA

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Daughter of Edgar S. and Beatrice H Glynn Taylor
Mom to Frank and Cleon
Sister to Jennie and Joann
Grandmother to Karl Jr and Paul
Great grandmother to Karl III

Anna was a licensed Nursing Assistant, when she wasn't working she love being with her friends, angels, crocheting, walking, and watching her soaps, and DOG the Bounty Hunter.

100. Ralph Roland Barrows (*Ethel May Smith⁵, Mary Ellen Goff⁴, Philip³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 20 Nov 1920 in Nashua, NH. Ralph Roland died in Brattleboro, VT, on 23 Nov 1989; he was 69.

Ralph Roland married **Elizabeth Cobb**.

They had the following children:

- i. **David Ralph**. Born on 2 Feb 1947 in Brattleboro, VT. David Ralph died in Brunswick, Maine, on 15 Jan 2011; he was 63.

Brunswick, ME- David Ralph Barrows, 63, of Karen Lane in Brunswick, formerly of Brattleboro, died early Saturday afternoon, January 15, 2011 at MidCoast Hospital in Brunswick following a brief illness. David was born in Brattleboro on February 2, 1947 the son of Ralph and Elizabeth (Cobb) Barrows. He was raised and educated in East Dummerston and was a graduate of Brattleboro Union High School, Class of 1966. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Army from 1966 until his honorable discharge from active service in 1968. He was stationed in Germany for most of his service time. A resident of Brunswick for the past three years he had been employed by the Town of Topsham as custodian at the town library. He had also worked for Tactical Services at the Target Store located in Topsham. While a resident of Brattleboro he had been employed as custodian at Saint Michaels School and previously, for 19 years worked at the former Georgia Pacific Company, formerly Erving Paper. With his wife he had attended the Grace Evangelical Free Church in Spofford and had been a fireman for the East Dummerston Volunteer Fire Department. Of his leisure time activities, David enjoyed metal detecting and trips to the beaches of Maine. David was known for his spirit of friendship and generosity always willing to lend a helping hand to anyone in need. On April 25, 1969 at the Dummerston Center Congregational Church he was married to Bonnie J. Francis who survives. Besides his wife of 41 years he leaves, one daughter, Joella Barrows of Saxtons River, one son, Jason Barrows of Brattleboro, two sisters, Terri Barrows of Brattleboro and Joan Lake of White River Jct. and West Palm Beach, FL, two brothers, Thomas Barrows of Vernon and Roland Barrows of Swanzey, N.H. Additionally he is survived by two aunts, Winifred Duby of Brattleboro and Betsy Chickering of Chesterfield, N.H., many nieces, nephews and cousins. Graveside committal services will be conducted in the springtime in Dummerston Center Cemetery on Thursday, May 19, 2011 at 1:00 PM.

- ii. **Terri**.
- iii. **Joan**.
- iv. **Thomas**.
- v. **Roland**.

101. Winnifred Barrows (*Ethel May Smith⁵, Mary Ellen Goff⁴, Philip³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 9 Jan 1928 in Brattleboro, VT. Winnifred died in Brattleboro, VT, on 1 Jan 2020; she was 91.

Vernon - Winifred Barrows Frost "Winnie" Duby, 91, passed peacefully on Wednesday, January 1, 2020 at Vernon

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Green Nursing Home, where she was attended to by a very loving and compassionate staff. Winnie was born in Brattleboro on January 9, 1928 and was the youngest daughter of Fred W. and Ethel (Smith) Barrows. She attended Brattleboro schools. She was employed at A.G. Spaulding, J.E. Mann and for 23 years was an inspector at American Optical Company. Winnie was past president of the now defunct Dorr Sprague Marine Auxiliary and past president of the Fraternal Order of Eagles Auxiliary, of which she had been a member for 55 years. Her first marriage to Clenn H. Frost ended in divorce in 1949. She married Edwin N. Duby on May 19, 1951 but was predeceased by him in 2007. She is also predeceased by: her son, Clenn A. Frost; her brothers, Cleon, Warren, Walter Raymond, Ralph and Earl; and her sisters, Ruth and Verna. Winnie is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Kevin and Jane Duby of Brattleboro and her daughter-in-law, Mary Frost of Shaftsbury, as well as her grandchildren, Chris, Amanda and Clenn and seven great grandchildren, nieces and nephews. Winnie enjoyed reading, needlework, gardening, hymns and organ music. Burial will be in Dummerston Center Cemetery.

Winnifred first married **Clenn H. Frost**.

They had one child:

- i. **Clenn A.** Born on 20 Dec 1947 in Brattleboro, VT. Clenn A. died on 17 Apr 2009; he was 61.

Clenn A. Frost, 61, husband of Mary Caparco Frost, a resident of Grandview Street, North Bennington, died suddenly Friday, April 17, 2009 while vacationing in Myrtle Beach, S.C. Born in Brattleboro Dec. 20, 1947, son of the late Edwin and Winifred Barrows Duby who survives. Clenn received his education in the Brattleboro schools and was a 1965 graduate of Brattleboro High School. He later attended Greenfield Community College. A veteran of the Vietnam War, Clenn served in the Army from Feb. 6, 1967 until Dec. 6, 1973 when he was discharged with the rank of Sergeant. Clenn and Mary were married in North Bennington on March 29, 1980. Clenn had been employed by Central Vermont Public Service Corporation since April of 1971 and during those 38 years had held numerous positions within the company. He was a member of IBEW Local 300. A very active member of the community for many years, Clenn was a member of the American Legion, a member of the Brattleboro American Legion Band where he played the trumpet, a past member of the Village of North Bennington Zoning Board, a past director of the NorShaft Little League, a former member and past president of the NorShaft Lions Club, and current president of the Grandview Cemetery Association. For many years he served as a volunteer coach in both the NorShaft Little League and Senior League, MAYAA basketball and freshman field hockey and junior varisty softball at Mt. Anthony Union High School. He also served as a Den Leader and Scout Master for the Norshaft Scouts, Pack 331. He was a devoted family man, who enjoyed spending time fishing, camping and playing golf. He leaves his wife, Mary C. Frost of North Bennington, a daughter and son-in-law, Amanda and Tim Mattison of North Bennington; two sons and daughters-in-law, Chris and Janet Frost of Brattleboro and Captain Clenn M. Frost, Army, and his wife Bethany of Clarksville, Tenn.; two grandsons, William and Brandon Mattison; his mother, Winifred Duby of Brattleboro; a brother and sister-in-law, Kevin and Jane Duby of Brattleboro; a sister-in-law, Cathy Idema and her husband Wayne of Pownal, a brother-in-law, Tony Caparco and his wife Joyce of Forrestville, N.Y.; several nieces, nephews and cousins.
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Births. • In Brattleboro (Memorial Hospital), May 29, 2011, a son, **Clenn Erich Frost**, to Andrea (Hoyer) Conkling-Frost and Christopher C. Frost of Brattleboro; grandson to Erich and Mary Hoyer and Domnick and Joyce Frost Arceci, all of Brattleboro; Mary Frost of Bennington, and the late Clenn A. Frost; great-grandson to Eileen Daniels, Ann Fillion and Winifred Duby, all of Brattleboro.

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On 19 May 1950 when Winnifred was 22, she second married **Edwin Duby** in Greenfield, MA. Born on 17 Mar 1920 in South Wardsboro, VT. Edwin died in Brattleboro, VT, on 22 Jul 2007; he was 87.

BRATTLEBORO -- Edwin Newell Duby, 87, of Landmark Hill Drive, died peacefully Sunday morning, July 22, 2007, at his home surrounded by his loving family.

Mr. Duby was born in South Wardsboro on March 17, 1920, the son of the late Frank H. and Lucy (Scranton) Duby. He attended schools in Bartonsville and Dummerston.

Mr. Duby was employed at the former Crosby Milling Co., and the former American Optical Corp. in Brattleboro. He later retired from Green Mountain Security in 1988, where he worked as a security guard at Vermont Yankee for many years. On a part-time basis, he had worked for Country News Distributors in Brattleboro.

A veteran of World War II, he served in the Army Air Corps. He was stationed in the European-Mediterranean Theater of Operations with the 27th Fighter Squadron, 1st Fighter Group as a crew chief from 1941 to 1945. He attended many reunions of the 1st Fighter Group and last September was accompanied by his sons and wife to his last squadron reunion at Langley Air Force Base in Virginia.

On their return trip to Vermont, the family stopped in Washington, D.C. so he could see the newly constructed World War II memorial. The trip was one of the highlights of his later years.

On May 19, 1950, in Greenfield, Mass., he was married to Winifred Barrows, who survives.

Besides his wife of 56 years, he leaves two sons, Clenn Frost and his wife Mary of Shaftsbury and Kevin Duby, and wife Jane of Brattleboro; three grandchildren, Christopher Frost and wife Janet of Brattleboro, Amanda Frost Mattison and husband Tim of North Bennington, and Capt. Clenn M. Frost and wife Bethany, who are stationed at Fort Campbell, Ky.; one great-grandchild, William Mattison; a sister, Janice Kraft of Swanzey, N.H., and several nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by two brothers, Everett and Albert, and five sisters, Alice, Eunice, Beatrix, Beatrice and Leone.

Graveside committal services with full military honors will be conducted Thursday at 10 a.m. in the family lot in Dummerston Center Cemetery.

They had one child:

- i. **Kevin**

Family of Gertrude Lillian Eastham (59) & Frank Albert Graham

102. Kathleen Graham (*Gertrude Lillian Eastham*⁵, *Sarah Ann ("Annie") Goff*[¶], *Philip*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 25 May 1917 in Nine Mile River, Hants, NS. Kathleen died in Lincoln, Providence, RI, on 5 Sep 2005; she was 88.

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FOX, KATHLEEN L. 'KAY' (GRAHAM), 88, of George Washington Highway, Lincoln, died September 5, 2005 in Rhode Island Hospital, Providence.

A resident of Lincoln Place, at the time of her death, she had previously lived in Cumberland for seven years and on Coe Street in Woonsocket from 1950-1995. She was the wife of the late George Duval and James Fox. She worked as a Middle School Teacher for thirty years and later as a social worker for the State of Rhode Island Dept of Elderly Affairs for fifteen years retiring in 2002. Born in Nine Mile, Nova Scotia, Canada on May 25, 1917 she was the daughter of the late Frank and Gertrude (Eastham) Graham. A 1934 valedictorian of Middleboro High School, she graduated from Bridgewater State College in 1938 and then attended Boston University. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Woonsocket, the Women's Auxillary of the Harold Flynn VFW Post in Woonsocket and a friend of Bill W. Mrs. Fox had previously worked as a teacher at Woonsocket Middle School from 1959-1970, she also taught at Sandwich Jr Sr High School and the Farm and Trade School at Thompson's Island in Boston Harbor. She is survived by a son, George Duval Jr. of North Smithfield, a sister, Jean Simmons of Lakeville, Ma, four grandchildren and seven grandchildren. Sadly, she was predeceased by a daughter, Clerinda "Kim" Barlow Davignon. She was the sister of the late Edith Clark, Helen Keller and Leslie Denzion. Her funeral service will be held Friday, September 9, 2005 at 10 am in Arnold's Mills United Methodist Church, Nate Whipple Highway, Cumberland. Burial will be in Precious Blood Cemetery, Woonsocket.

Published in The Providence Journal on 9/7/2005.

Kathleen married **George Duval**. Born on 10 Apr 1898. George died in Providence, RI, on 20 Mar 1970; he was 71. Buried in Precious Blood Cemetery Woonsocket, Providence County, Rhode Island.

They had one child:

- i. **Clerinda**. Born on 4 May 1953. Clerinda died on 3 Mar 2005; she was 51.

DAVIGNON, CLERINDA 'KIM' (DUVAL), of Nate Whipple Highway, Cumberland, died Thursday, March 3, 2005 in Women and Infants Hospital, Providence. She was the wife of Rene Davignon and the late Alton 'Jim' Barlow.

Born on May 4, 1953, she was the daughter of Kathleen (Graham) Fox of Cumberland and the late George Duval. She is survived by three children, Justin Duval of Wisconsin, Kathleen Merchant of Alabama, and Christopher Davignon of Cumberland, one brother, George Duval of North Smithfield, and five grandchildren.

Kim was a Registered Nurse at Rhode Island Hospital before retiring in November, 2004. She had earned her Bachelor Degree in Nursing from Rhode Island College this year. Kim was also a friend of Bill W.

Her funeral service will be on Monday at 10 a.m. in Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Nate Whipple Highway, Cumberland. Burial will be in Union Cemetery, North Smithfield. Calling hours are Sunday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. in the Holt Funeral Home, 510 South Main St., Woonsocket. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, New England Division, Inc., 222 Richmond St., Providence, RI 02903-4253.

Published in The Providence Journal on 3/5/2005.

103. James Clifford Graham (*Gertrude Lillian Eastham⁵, Sarah Ann ("Annie") Goff⁴, Philip³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 24 Nov 1920 in Hardwoodlands, NS. James Clifford died in Port Townsend, WA, on 17 Jan 2001; he was

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On 28 Jun 1947 when James Clifford was 26, he married **Carolyn Doris Russell**. Born on 26 Jun 1924 in Ocean Grove, NJ. Carolyn Doris died in Port Townsend, WA, on 29 Mar 2008; she was 83.

Carolyn Doris Graham died in Port Townsend of breast cancer. She was 83. She was born in Ocean Grove, N.J., to Stanley Jay and Catherine (Ely) Russell, and spent her first six years in Neptune, N.Y. After her parents' divorce, she lived with the aunt and uncle, Lina and Warren, in Farmingdale and Freehold, both in New Jersey. She graduated from Freehold High School in 1942. With the assistance of a Cadet Nurse Corps scholarship, she graduated from Long Branch Memorial Hospital Nursing School in 1945. She worked in New Jersey as a public health nurse for two years. She married James Clifford Graham in Ocean Grove on June 28, 1947. The couple move to Washington, D.C., where she worked as a surgical nurse at St. Elizabeth's Hospital until the birth of her first child, daughter Sharon. When her husband became an analyst for the Central Intelligence Agency, Mrs. Graham became a full-time homemaker, remaining in Bethesda, Md., except for a time in London in 1960-63 and Germany in 1984-85. After her husband was diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease, she moved to Port Townsend in 1994 to be near her daughter, Linda. In addition to being a mother, school volunteer and hospital volunteer, she enjoyed her cats, theater and music. Mrs. Graham was a member of the First Presbyterian Church. Survivors include son James Graham of Port Townsend; daughters and sons-in-law Linda and Tim Nolan of Port Townsend and Jennifer and Andrew Schiltz of Potomac, Md.; daughter Sharon Graham of Washington, D.C.; and nine grandchildren. Her husband died Jan. 17, 2001. She was also preceded in death by daughter Barbara Hewitt and half-sister Audrey Stuart.

They had one child:

i. **Sharon.**

On Oct 23, 2014, at 10:20 AM, Graham, Sharon wrote:

Dear Mr. Goff,

I am the granddaughter of Gertrude Eastham Graham whose mother was "Annie" Goff. I am grateful to you for your research. I never knew about Annie's father Phillip but heard many sad stories about William Eastham, Annie's husband who went from riches to rags after her death. It seems as if that branch of the Goffs from whom I am descended suffered many misfortunes.

I have a large photo of Gertrude and Clifford Eastham which I keep over my desk. They were little children at the time. Clifford died of the great Influenza epidemic after world war I. Thank you so much for your work on the family tree. I know I shall be referring to it from time to time.

I am also very interested in genealogy and I know that my grandmother Gertrude was as well. Until now however I haven't known very much about the Goffs and I had often wondered how little Gertrude and her brother Clifford managed after their mother died. Now I know it was because of the Goffs who came to the rescue. Gertrude and Frank spent some time in British Columbia "homesteading" in Pinder Harbor area. At some point they were called back to Hardwoodlands to help Rebecca MacPhee Graham with the farm there. I'm not sure of all the details. My Dad was born in N.S. in 1920 but some of his sisters were born out in British Columbia. One of my sisters lives on the Olympic Peninsula and so I have visited Victoria with her many times. I believe that Frank Gertrude and 4 children moved to So. Middleboro MA around 1922 or 1923. They were naturalized much later – Dad was about 13 or so at the time. I had always hoped I could claim dual citizenship with Canada at some point but I'm not sure it is possible.

I do not know Mary Smith or Ethel Barrows. My Mom and Dad didn't hand down much

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of the information about our family to us. We got some notes from Margaret Moxom McConnell who died last year in New Brunswick. As for the Easthams, I think it is a sad tale. One of my cousins, Deborah Clark Newhall, one of Edith Graham's children, actually lives in Providence. I think she has done a lot of the research on the Eastham side of things.

I visited N.S in 1973 when I was in my early 20's and haven't been back since. I hope to go back armed with more information some day. I will keep in touch and see how to make that photo of my grandmother into an attachment for you – it is precious. I have almost no photos of everybody. It was wonderful to see the photos you put into your narrative.

Best wishes,
Rev. Sharon Graham

Department of Mission and Pastoral Care, MedStar Georgetown University Hospital,
3800 Reservoir Road, Washington, DC 20007

Family of Ernest Roy G. Scranton (60) & Mary ("Minnie") Ehler

104. Elizabeth May Scranton (*Ernest Roy G.⁵, Elizabeth May Bambrick⁴, Eleanor (Ellen) Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 28 Jun 1921. Elizabeth May died in Parkhill, Middlesex, ON, on 16 Nov 1974; she was 53. Buried in Parkhill Cemetery.

Elizabeth May married **Frank Albert Norman**. Born on 29 Dec 1920 in Wilmont Township, Waterloo, ON. Frank Albert died in Parkhill, Middlesex, ON, on 20 Jul 1977; he was 56.

They had the following children:

- i. **Douglas.**
- ii. **Cheryl.**
- iii. **Sandra.**

Family of Sinclair (Clair) Irwin Peterkin (61) & Ruby Dora Hein

105. Margaret E. Peterkin (*Sinclair (Clair) Irwin⁵, Margaret Ellen Bambrick⁴, Eleanor (Ellen) Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 18 Jul 1923 in Los Angeles, CA. Margaret E. died in Willows Glenn, CA, on 11 Apr 2009; she was 85.

Margaret E. married **William Hall Glass**. Born on 31 Jan 1932 in Glendale, CA. William Hall died in Redlands, CA, on 13 Feb 2015; he was 83.

William "Bill" Hall Glass was born on January 31, 1932 in Glendale, California to Ethel May (Hall) Glass and William Winslow Glass. "Billy" spent much of his childhood with his family at the Seven Oaks Resort which was co-owned by his parents and grandparents. In 2013 his childhood home burned to the ground after fugitive Christopher Dorner staged his last stand inside. The Glass family also had a home in Redlands where Billy attended McKinley Elementary and Redlands High School, followed by San Bernardino Valley College where he studied

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mechanical drafting. He was married to Margaret Ellen Peterkin on Dec. 25, 1958. After nearly 20 years working for General Dynamics in Pomona, Bill took an early retirement and moved his family up to Big Bear Lake, finally returning to the mountains he loved. Then in 1982 he returned to his beloved childhood home in Redlands, where he continued to reside until his death on Feb. 13, 2015.

Bill loved camping, cutting firewood, and the Lakers, but hiking was his lifelong passion. He made it to the top of Mt. Whitney 22 times, as well as crossing the Grand Canyon on multiple occasions. His last wish was that his ashes be placed at the top of San Geronio where he often hiked as a young man. His children and grandchildren will attempt that hike in his honor during the month of August.

Known locally as a Redlands history buff, Bill is fondly remembered by a large host of loving Michigan St. neighbors who gathered with him in spirit at a "bring your own chair" block party on Sunday afternoon, Feb. the 15th. He is survived by his longtime companion, Eleanor Kemp, his son and daughter-in-law, William and Barbara Glass, of Durham, North Carolina, and his daughter and son-in-law, Sheriann and Hanno Houtrouw, together with his four grandchildren, Hannah, Johannes, Amanda, and Sarah Houtrouw of Glenn, California.

Published in Redlands Daily Facts on Feb. 17, 2015

They had the following children:

- i. **Sheriann Teresa.**

Sheriann Teresa Glass married **Hanno A. Houtrouw.**
- ii. **William Warren.**

106. Clair Irwin Peterkin (*Sinclair (Clair) Irwin*⁵, *Margaret Ellen Bambrick*⁴, *Eleanor (Ellen) Goff*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 5 Jul 1926 in Los Angeles, CA. Clair Irwin died in Yuma Yuma, AZ, in Aug 1991; he was 65. Buried in Desert Lawn Memorial Park, Yuma.

Clair Irwin married **Donnitta May Rogers**. Born on 7 Jul 1926.

They had the following children:

- i. **George Roger.** Born on 14 Jul 1952 in San Francisco County, CA, USA.

George Roger married **Veronica Stock.**
- ii. **John David.** Born on 7 Nov 1955 in San Francisco County, CA, USA.

Family of Ronald Hopewell Bambrick (62) & Maria "Florence" Sara Richardson

107. Arnold Seymour Bambrick (*Ronald Hopewell*⁵, *David*⁴, *Eleanor (Ellen) Goff*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 12 Mar 1939 in Avonport, NS. Arnold Seymour died in Durham, ON, on 7 May 1993; he was 54. Buried in Gaspereau Cemetery, Kings Co., NS.

Arnold Seymour married **Jean.**

They had the following children:

- i. **Katherine Jean.**
- 153 ii. **Ronald Cecil**

Family of Weldon Robert C. Bambrick (63) & Clara Letitia (Atwell) Brown

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108. Darrell LeRoy Bambrick (*Weldon Robert C.⁵, David⁴, Eleanor (Ellen) Goff⁸, Thomas², John¹*). Born in 1949.

Darrell LeRoy married **Janice Wills**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Jillian Melissa.**
- ii. **David Scott Wills.**

Family of Grace Pirie (66) & Frederick Robert Francis Wilkie

109. Shirley Wilkie (*Grace Pirie⁵, William Holland⁴, Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff⁸, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 5 Dec 1928. Shirley died in Espanola, ON, on 9 Jun 2022; she was 93. Residence: Espanola, ON.

BLIGHT, Shirley Connaught was born in Halifax (Shirley Connaught Wilkie) on December 5, 1928. Her marriage to William James Blight in Espanola was on April 18, 1953. Shirley was a nurse at the Espanola General Hospital when they met, and thoroughly enjoyed her nursing career. Shirley's faith in the Lord, and her generous love of her family and her friends, were keystones in her life. Shirley's loving husband, Bill, passed away on January 25, 2009. Shirley died peacefully at the Espanola Nursing Home on June 9, 2022, surrounded by the love of her children. She will be sadly missed by her children Faith, Jayne, Bill and Jim, her sister Lynn, her sister-in-law Jean, her grandchildren Kirsten, Jeff, Tom, Jennifer and Marion and by her great grandson Finnley and great granddaughter Alice. Shirley's granddaughter Kirsten is very sad that her wonderful grandmother (Nana) will not be able to meet her new great granddaughter Cailey Ann who will be born the first week of October.

Shirley married **William James Blight**. Born on 9 Feb 1929. William James died in Espanola, ON, on 25 Jan 2009; he was 79.

Remembering Bill Blight - The Riverman

Rosalind Raby

Wednesday, February 4, 2009

A well-known Espanole passed away just over a week ago who had a profound influence on local environmental projects. Bill Blight loved the water and spent most of his life, not only enjoying it, but also helping to preserve the environment.

William James Blight was born on February 9, 1929. He died at home on Sunday, January 25 and is survived by his wife, Shirley, and children; Faith, Jane, Bill and Jim.

Blight made the North his home and was a clerk at one of the Kalamazoo-Vegetable-Parchment logging camps when German POWs were cutting the mill's start-up logs in 1945-46. He was an employee at the mill for many years until he retired and was a very active member with the Friends of the Spanish River (FSR) as well as the Espanola Historical Society.

His work with the Friends was perhaps the most important job he took on, besides taking care of his family. Fellow Friends volunteer, Bill McKenna, said Blight was so energetic when it came to the group.

"He was our Membership Chairman for as long as I can remember. I got involved with the FSR in 1995. It was formed in 1994 and I think Bill was involved from its inception," recalled McKenna. "He and fellow FSR member, Ed Tate, built our 32' replica pointer boat together, running between Sudbury and Espanola. We have been enjoying 'Big Red' ever since. He sure gets attention wherever we display him.

"Bill was involved in almost every aspect of the FSR and his help was really appreciated.

"One only needs to visit the website, www.friendsofthespanishriver.ca to see Bill in action in some meaningful way.

"Here are some examples of what I mean: Bill's own 'Logging Days' in our new 'History' section, as well as Travels with Captain Blight, (under its own title in our Main Menu) first appeared in the Spring 2002 issue of Kanawa

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Magazine and highlights a three-day journey down the Spanish River from Espanola to Spanish in 'Big Red' with some seasoned adventurers.

"Our film, 'Muskie' on our website features Bill and some Ministry of Natural Resources biologists struggling to carefully lift large muskies from live traps in the North Channel to extract their eggs and milt to continue the planting program."

Blight was also active in other ways too, added McKenna.

"Bill never missed our annual Spanish River cleanup. There he is in our 'Year 2000 in Review' with the late Scottie Carson dredging up an old computer monitor from the Spanish River. For the last three years in a row, Bill and I exhibited at 'Earth Day' in Sudbury representing the FSR. Every year was better than the last and they were all good. We were the big winners just being a part of it!

"Bill was the type of volunteer you could always count on. He worked quietly and persistently to get whatever job we were doing done."

Besides the Friends, Blight also donated his time to other organizations, including being an active volunteer with the Espanola branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses, a part of the Spanish River Forestry Stewardship Committee and so much more.

A memorial will be held in the spring to remember Blight. He was 79.

(www.midnorthmonitor.com)

They had the following children:

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| 154 | i. | Faith Diana |
| 155 | ii. | Jane Erica |
| | iii. | William Fred. |
| 156 | iv. | James Robert |

110. Lynn Ardath Wilkie (*Grace Pirie⁵, William Holland⁴, Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff³, Thomas², John¹*).

Residence: Halifax.

Lynn Ardath married **Carl McGrath**.

Deceased (2001).

They had the following children:

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| i. | Karen. |
| | Married to Mr. Seguin |
| ii. | Karla. |
| iii. | Kirk. |

111. Robert Alexander Wilkie (*Grace Pirie⁵, William Holland⁴, Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born on 10 Aug 1930. Robert Alexander died in Edmonton, AB, on 14 Nov 2016; he was 86.

WILKIE, Robert Alexander

August 10, 1930 - November 14, 2016

On November 14, 2016, Robert Wilkie of Edmonton passed away at the age of 86 years.

He is lovingly remembered by his wife of 61 years Phyllis, his children: Sandra (Laurence), Rod (Mona), and Tracey (Dan), his grandchildren: Michael (Bree), Tyler (Hayley), Zach, Josh, Afton, his great-grandson Oliver, and his sisters: Shirley Blight and Lynn McGrath. Robert was predeceased by his son Todd Robin, his sister Doris and his brother Eric. Robert served as Sergeant in the military and Special Constable in the RCMP for a total of 39 years. When Robert passed, he took most of his charm and sarcastic wit with him. We salute you Dad. We'll love you forever. Say hi to Higgins and Boots for us. (Edmonton Journal)

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Robert Alexander married **Phyllis**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Sandra.**
- ii. **Tracey.**
- iii. **Rodney.**

112. Eric George Wilkie (*Grace Pirie*⁵, *William Holland*⁴, *Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff*⁸, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 8 Jun 1941. Eric George died on 27 Apr 2009; he was 67.

Chief Warrant Officer (CWO) Eric George Wilkie CD Ret. June 8, 1941-April 27, 2009. Eric had three loves in his life. His dearest wife and soul mate Janice, who he was passionately in love with and completely devoted to; the Guns, and his son and faithful companion, Gunner. He was the youngest son of the late Major and Mrs. Fredrick R.F. Wilkie. Beloved brother of Robert Wilkie (Phyllis) of Edmonton, Shirley Blight (late Bill) of Espanola and Lynn McGrath (late Carl) of Halifax. Father to Elizabeth Barendregt (Rory), Erica Flynn (Sean) and Andrew Wilkie (Chris). Step- father to Graham (Jesse) and Holly Eppert. Grandfather to Kaylee, Taylor and Isabella. Eric began his military career in 1957 joining the 2nd Regiment Company RCA Nova Scotia (Militia). The minute he was old enough, he joined the Regular Force 1 PD Royal Canadian Artillery as a Gunner. He served with 1SSM Battery RCA in Germany until returning to 1RCHA Gaagetown in 1964. In 1967, he was again posted to Germany with 1RCHA. From there he was posted to 3RCHA Winnipeg in 1973. Eric returned to CTC Gaagetown in 1976 and taught at the Artillery School where he gained a reputation as being an exceptional teacher as well as mentor to the students. In 1980, he was posted to Range Control a position he thoroughly enjoyed and spoke about often. In 1985, he was posted to Sault Ste. Marie 49th Field regiment in the capacity of RSS. While RSS the 49th Field Regiment won the R.C.A.A Central Militia Area Competition four years in a row. Eric was published several times in the RCA Service Quarterly with regard to his expertise in firing technology. He retired from the Regular Forces in 1989 with 32 years of service. Not content to retire, Eric re- joined the Militia forces and served with the 49th Field Regiment as the Regimental Sergeant Major until his second retirement in 1993. Eric was an active member of the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 25 in Sault Ste. Marie and he served in several capacities including, Sgt-at- Arms and Building and Maintenance Chairman. Eric and Janice moved to Southern Ontario in 2000, where he came out of retirement once again and worked as a Provincial Offences Officer. Eric was an avid reader of historical and military genres, virtually unbeatable at games of trivia requiring historical knowledge, dates or facts. Eric was an extraordinary man whose mantra in life; There is no excuse for bad manners, was one he lived and abided by daily. Well known in Ingersoll as an officer who was firm yet fair he integrated himself into the community and had a strong support local merchant's philosophy. He will be missed by his many friends and colleagues. At Eric's request there will be no services. Janice was able to honour Eric's wishes of finishing his journey in his own home. It was a difficult time, bearable only through the kindness and generosity of friends and family. Janice would like to take this time to extend her deepest appreciation to all those who offered their help and support during Eric's illness and to the medical profession who ensured he was treated with kindness and dignified care. God saw you getting tired and a cure was not meant to be, So he put his arms around you and whispered Come to Me. With tearful eyes I watched you, as I saw you pass away. Although I loved you deeply, I could not make you stay. Your Golden Heart stopped beating, hard working hands at rest. God broke my heart to prove to me, He only takes the best. The Sault Star, ON

Eric George married **Theresa**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Elizabeth.**
- ii. Elizabeth married **Rory Barendregt.**
Erica.
Erica married **Sean Flynn.**

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iii. **Andrew.**

Family of Elizabeth Margaret “Betty” Hill (69) & Edmund Gerald Dyer

113. Patience “Pat” Dyer (*Elizabeth Margaret “Betty” Hill⁵, Blanche Isabel Pirie⁴, Catherine “Elizabeth” Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born in 1940 in Halifax N.S. Patience “Pat” died in Tatamagouche, NS, on 30 Jul 2012; she was 72. Residence: River John (2002).

Holland, Patience (Pat) Millicent – 72, Brule, Colchester County, passed away July 3, 2012 in Lillian Fraser Memorial Hospital, Tatamagouche surrounded by her loving family. Born in Halifax, she was the daughter of the late Edmund Gerald and Elizabeth Margaret (Hill) Dyer. A devoted wife, mother and friend, Pat graduated from Halifax Ladies College and the Children’s Hospital, Halifax and went on to pursue a nursing career. In the early years, she raised her family in Mississauga, Ont., then returned home to Halifax where she continued nursing, including working with youth at Nova Scotia Hospital, Dartmouth. She later discovered her love of teaching as an instructor at the Maritime Business College. After living in Halifax for many years, a decade ago she and her husband retired to the North Shore near Tatamagouche. There, she was active in the Lillian Fraser Memorial Hospital Ladies Auxiliary, served on the board of the Creamery Square Association and was involved in the original founding of the Fossil Museum. Pat was a passionate and talented rug hooker and enjoyed playing bridge and socializing with her many friends; both lifelong and new. Surviving are her husband of 50 years, Dennis; daughters, Karen Riley (Jim), Wyckoff, New Jersey; Sara Holland (Rod Were), New Westminster, B.C.; son, David (Catherine), Halifax; grandchildren, Holly Riley and Mark Riley, both of New Jersey; Aunt Constance Hill, sister-in-law Christine Holland, several cousins and many friends. Besides her parents, she was predeceased by her special friend and brother-in-law Dr. James Holland, other family members and dear friends. Cremation has taken place. Visitation will be held 2-4 p.m. Saturday, July 7, 2012 in Coulter’s Funeral Home (657-3288), 48 Riverside Dr., Tatamagouche and also 2-4 p.m. Sunday, July 8, 2012 in J.A. Snow Funeral Home, 339 Lacewood Dr., Halifax. A private interment will be held at a later date. Flowers are welcome or the family would appreciate memorial donations to the North Shore Health Services Foundation in care of Coulter’s Funeral Home. The family wishes to extend their thanks to Dr. K. Srivatsa and nurses in ICU in Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro as well as Dr. R. Bush and the nurses in Lillian Fraser Memorial Hospital as well as the VON for their wonderful care during her illnesses.

In 1962 when Patience “Pat” was 22, she married **Dennis Holland**.

They had the following children:

- 157**
- i. **Karen**
 - ii. **Sara**. Residence: Vancouver, BC (2002).
 - iii. Sara married **Rod Were**.
 - David** (Adopted).

Family of Katherine Gertrude Hill (70) & Robert “Charles” Murray

114. Katherine Isobel Murray (*Katherine Gertrude Hill⁵, Blanche Isabel Pirie⁴, Catherine “Elizabeth” Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 17 Mar 1939 in Halifax NS.

On 25 Apr 1962 when Katherine Isobel was 23, she married **Wayne Johnston** in Lower Sackville, NS. Born on 2 Aug 1938. Wayne died in Morrisburg, ON, on 30 Sep 1996; he was 58.

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They had the following children:

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| 158 | i. | Gwendolyn Ruth |
| 159 | ii. | Susan Janet |
| | iii. | Gordon Charles. |

115. Helen Joyce Murray (*Katherine Gertrude Hill*⁵, *Blanche Isabel Pirie*⁴, *Catherine “Elizabeth” Goff*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 29 Jun 1948 in Halifax NS.

On 29 Dec 1971 when Helen Joyce was 23, she married **Frederick Schurman Archibald** in Wolfville, NS. Born on 9 Dec 1946 in Cambridge, MA.

They had the following children:

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| i. | Andrew Murray. |
| ii. | Margaret Katherine. |

Family of Blanche Hill (71) & Harry Chipman

116. Dennis Jerome Chipman (*Blanche Hill*⁵, *Blanche Isabel Pirie*⁴, *Catherine “Elizabeth” Goff*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born in 1942 in Halifax NS. Dennis Jerome died in Lethbridge, AB, on 26 Apr 2000; he was 58.

From the obituary of Dennis Chipman:

Dennis attended Dalhousie University where he received Bachelor of Commerce and Master of Business Administration degrees. He also obtained his CA designation and R.I.A. Dennis held managerial positions for several large corporations before going to the University of Lethbridge as an Associate Professor in the Faculty of Management. For his work with young people and in the corrections field during the 1970's, Dennis was granted the Vanier Award and a life membership in the Canada Jaycees. Dennis will be dearly missed by his wife of 36 years, Juanita; his children Wes (Sonia), Trieu, Crystal (Cliff), Nelson, Noel (Tasha), Faith (Kirk), and a special niece Heather (Jon). Missing Grampie's hugs are Natasha, Charmelle, Tynisha and Tyren Chipman, Danton and McKenna Shigemi, Naionne Harrington and Riley and Olivia Chow. Dennis is also survived by his mother, Blanche, and a sister Nancy, Halifax. Dennis was predeceased by his father, Harry, and a sister, Bev.

In 1964 when Dennis Jerome was 22, he married **Juanita Cruikshank**.

They had the following children:

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| i. | Wesley. |
| ii. | Trieu (Adopted). |
| iii. | Crystal. |
| iv. | Nelson (Adopted). |
| v. | Noel (Adopted). |
| vi. | Faith (Adopted). |

Seventh Generation

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Family of Samuel Alexander Moore (73) & Molly Alta Wiewie

117. Samuel Maurice Moore (*Samuel Alexander⁶, Mary Victoria McDougall⁵, Mary Eleanor Goff⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 15 Aug 1933 in Antrim, Hfx. Co., NS. Samuel Maurice died in Rocky Mountain House, AB, on 27 Aug 2013; he was 80. Residence: Rocky Mountain House, AB.

Moore, Samuel Maurice 1933 ~ 2013

Samuel Maurice Moore passed away peacefully on August 27, 2013 at the Rocky Mountain House Health Care Center at the age of 80, after a lengthy battle with COPD (Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease).

Sam was born on August 15, 1933 at the Halifax Infirmary to Samuel Alexander and Molly Alta Moore. Sam grew up in Antrim, Nova Scotia and married Verna Mae Spares on February 12, 1955. He moved to Rocky Mountain House, Alberta from Carrolls Corner, Nova Scotia in 1981 with his wife and family.

Sam is predeceased by his son William (Billy) Moore on January 11, 1978; father Samuel Moore on March 6, 1991 and mother Molly Moore on August 29, 1998.

He is survived by his wife Verna Moore; daughters Heather (Ken), Debbie (Gary), Janice (Rob), Brenda (Steve), Verna (Danny); grandchildren Amber, Justin, Sam, Bill, Jeffery, Chelsea, Keeley, Nikki; great grandchildren Tristan and Blaire; his sister Shanawa (Bob) Snow; brother Alex (Barb) Moore; sister-in-law Jean Carroll, Freda Connors; brother-in-law Allen Spares.

A Celebration Of Sam's life will be held at the Chapel of the Rocky Funeral Home, Rocky Mountain House, AB on Thursday, September 5, 2013 at 2:00 P.M. Cremation entrusted to the Rocky Mountain Crematorium. Inurnment to follow in the Gays River Cemetery, Nova Scotia on September 9, 2013 at 2:00 P.M.

On 12 Feb 1955 when Samuel Maurice was 21, he married **Verna Mae Spares**, daughter of **George Chester Spares** (14 Jun 1904-) & **Edith Muriel Murphy** (22 Oct 1906-). Born on 15 Nov 1933.

They had the following children:

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| 160 | i. | Heather Ann |
| | ii. | Debra Shanawa. |
| | iii. | William George. Born on 28 Apr 1960. William George died on 11 Jan 1978; he was 17. Buried in Gays River United Church. Occupation: Killed In A Car Accident. |
| | iv. | Janice Lynn. |
| | | Janice Lynn Moore married Mr. McKeen. |
| 161 | v. | Brenda Lee |
| 162 | vi. | Verna Anita |

118. Shanawa Mary Moore (*Samuel Alexander⁶, Mary Victoria McDougall⁵, Mary Eleanor Goff⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 21 Nov 1936. Residence: Harrigan Cove, NS (2003).

On 23 Aug 1958 when Shanawa Mary was 21, she married **Robert Lee Snow**.

They had the following children:

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| i. | Miles Sinclair. |
| ii. | Brian Lee. |

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119. Bradford "Alexander" Moore (*Samuel Alexander⁶, Mary Victoria McDougall⁵, Mary Eleanor Goff⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 30 Aug 1940.

Bradford "Alexander" married **Marilyn Edwards**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Cindy Lynn**.
Cindy Lynn Moore married **Mr. Redden**.
- ii. **Tammy Lee**.
- iii. **Bradford Douglas**.

Family of Ralph Dexter Goff (76) & Margaret Amerault

120. Ralph D. Goff (*Ralph Dexter⁶, Ralph "Percy" (Buck)⁵, John Anthony Holland⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born in Aug 1954 in Melrose, Mass. Residence: North Andover, MA.

In Oct 1979 when Ralph D. was 25, he married **Patricia Collins**.

June P. (Cook) Collins, 85, of North Andover and formally of Melrose, died December 24, 2016 at the Lawrence General Hospital. June was born in Melrose on March 21, 1931 to the late Elbridge and Margaret (Dolan) Cook. She was raised in Everett . She moved to Melrose after marrying where she raised her family. June enjoyed living in Hilton Head, South Carolina with her husband James until his passing in 2002. Then later moved to North Andover. She was a graduate of Everett High School, Class of 1949. June was predeceased by her husband James and her son James, Jr. She is survived by two daughters, Patricia Goff and her husband Ralph of North Andover and Kimberley Collins of North Andover. Sisters, Dorothy Evers of Marlborough, MA and Ann Parini of Leesburg, FL. Grandchildren, Katie, Kevin, Ashleigh, Taylor and Christopher. Great grandchildren, Emma Claire and Preston Kee, as well as several nieces and nephews.

They had the following children:

- i. **Ashleigh**.
- ii. **Kevin**.

121. Joyce A. Goff (*Ralph Dexter⁶, Ralph "Percy" (Buck)⁵, John Anthony Holland⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Joyce A. Goff married **Thomas J. MacCormack**. Born on 31 Jan 1954 in East Boston, MA. Thomas J. died in Boston, MA, on 28 Aug 2014; he was 60. Buried in Woodlawn Cemetery.

MacCORMACK, Thomas J. "Tom" Of East Boston on Aug. 28, 2014. Loving son of Joseph and Alvina (Thibeault) MacCormack of East Boston. Beloved husband of over 35 years Joyce (Goff) MacCormack. Devoted father of Jacqueline MacCormack-Gagnon and husband James Gagnon of Wakefield, Joseph MacCormack of Worcester and Andrew MacCormack of East Boston and Fiancee Vanessa Masucci. Dear brother of Joyce Segale and husband Victor of VT, Brian MacCormack of RI and Jane Rodgers and husband Christopher of Wakefield. Cherished grandfather of Hailey and Austin Gagnon and Morgan MacCormack. Also survived by his many adored nieces and nephews. (Published in The Boston Globe on Sept. 2, 2014)

They had the following children:

- i. **Jacqueline**.

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- ii. **Joseph.**
- iii. **Andrew.**

Family of Ada Almira Goff (77) & John J. Farrell

122. Frank Leroy Farrell (*Ada Almira Goff⁶, Frank Lawrence⁵, John Anthony Holland⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 12 Jan 1929 in Stoneham, MA. Frank Leroy died in Melrose, MA, on 12 Feb 1996; he was 67.

On 30 Dec 1949 when Frank Leroy was 20, he married **Ann Lavinia Talieri** in Melrose, MA. Born on 19 Jun 1931 in Melrose, MA. Ann died 8 Mar 2019, Melrose. Ann L. (Talieri) Farrell of Melrose died Friday, March 8. She was 87. Born in Boston, she lived in Melrose all her life. She was a graduate of Melrose High School. Mrs. Farrell was a homemaker and a longtime member of St. Mary's Church. She was very active with the church, where she volunteered. Mrs. Farrell enjoyed playing Scrabble and bingo at the Fuller House in Melrose and was an avid reader. She looked forward to her monthly trips to Foxwoods to play bingo. Wife of the late Frank L., she is survived by a son, Dennis J. of Melrose; a daughter, Sheila of Lynn; two grandsons; a granddaughter and five great-grandchildren. Interment will be in Wyoming Cemetery, Melrose.

They had the following children:

- i. **Dennis.**
- ii. **Sheila.**
- iii. **Paul.** Born on 19 Sep 1965 in Melrose, MA. Paul died in Burlington, MA, on 20 Oct 2010; he was 45. He was unmarried. Burial Wyoming Cemetery, Melrose. Paul worked in sales for Sears in Burlington for over 10 years and the past 5 years at the Home Depot Expo Store in Burlington. He was a lifelong resident of Melrose, enjoyed candlepin bowling, playing Texas Holdem and was an avid reader. Paul had a wonderful sense of humor, a great personality and a very care free look on life.

123. John Joseph (Jackie) Farrell (*Ada Almira Goff⁶, Frank Lawrence⁵, John Anthony Holland⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 5 May 1930 in Stoneham, MA. John Joseph (Jackie) died in Melrose, MA, on 25 Jul 2002; he was 72.

Husband of Phyllis M. (Mansfield) Farrell. Father of Donna M. Farrell of Commack, NY, Edward J. Farrell and his wife Janice, John J. Farrell, III and his wife Kathleen, James M. Farrell and his wife Stacey, Steven J. Farrell and his wife Kathleen, Mark D. Farrell and Daniel S. Farrell all of Melrose. Brother of Louise Chase of Woburn and the late Frank Farrell. Grandfather of Erica, Timothy, Ashley, Amanda, Samantha, Jessica and Zackary Farrell all of Melrose. Devoted friend of Jackie Florence of Commack, NY and Daniel & Debbie Gilligan of Reading.

On 1 Jan 1950 when John Joseph (Jackie) was 19, he married **Phyllis May Mansfield** in Everett, MA. Born on 7 Aug 1931 in Boston, MA.

They had the following children:

- i. **Donna.**
- ii. **Edward.**
- iii. **John Joseph.**
- iv. **James.**
- v. **Stephen.**
- vi. **Mark.**
- vii. **Daniel.**

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124. Louise Farrell (*Ada Almira Goff*⁶, *Frank Lawrence*⁵, *John Anthony Holland*⁴, *William*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 22 Mar 1932 in Melrose, MA. Residence: Woburn, MA.

Louise R. (Farrell) Chase, a longtime resident of Woburn, passed away peacefully at Winchester Hospital on Thursday, June 14, 2018, at age 86. Louise was born in Melrose on March 22, 1932, one of three children of the late John J. Farrell, Sr. and Ada A. (Goff) Farrell. Raised in Melrose, Louise graduated from Melrose High School, Class of 1950. After graduating, Louise worked in bookkeeping in Boston at Lumberman's Insurance and later John Hancock. As a young woman, she enjoyed traveling with a large circle of girlfriends to New York for plays and concerts. She was a music lover her entire life, and often reminisced about seeing Frank Sinatra, Perry Como, and her favorite, Johnny Cash live in concert. Louise worked as a Nurses Aid at Oosterman's Rest Home in Wakefield and Melrose for 25 years. A sweet woman with an open heart, Louise enjoyed her work offering loving care and support to the residents. After retiring from Oosterman's at 62, she continued her work as home health aide for Howse Home Healthcare, until finally retiring at age 71. An avid Boston sports fan, Louise and Richard were season ticket holders for the Bruins for many years. Louise watched the Patriots in recent years, but most of all was a passionate and knowledgeable Red Sox fan. While analyzing the game, she often recited the full game schedule for the next two weeks. The wife of a veteran, Louise was a proud member of the Ladies Auxiliary with the VFW Post in Wakefield. A good cook, she often made her famous potato salad, calico beans or roast beef for member functions. Louise was also a regular bowler, and enjoyed bowling in several leagues in Melrose or Wakefield with her family and friends. Louise led a life full of laughter and love, but above all, family was most important. With her unconditional love, Nannie never said a bad word about anyone, and always looked for the good in people. She was a true matriarch who cherished any time spent together with family, and always had time for a chat with her grandchildren. She was well known for "Nannie's candy drawer" which was filled with special treats for all the big and little kids. She will be deeply missed, but always lovingly remembered as an easy going, sweet woman who opened her heart to her family. Louise was the beloved wife of the late Richard L. Chase, Sr. with whom she shared 37 years of marriage. Devoted mother of Richard L. Chase, Jr. and his wife Mary Jo of Woburn, Robert S. Chase and his wife Lorry of Wilmington, and David J. Chase and his partner Beth Dickerson of Pembroke Pines, FL. Dear sister of the late Frank L. Farrell and his surviving wife Ann of Melrose, and the late John "Jack" Farrell, Jr. and his surviving wife Phyllis of Melrose. Cherished grandmother of PJ Finn and his wife Anna Lisa, of Woburn, Theresa Crocker of Boston, Colleen DiMambro and her husband John of Billerica, Richard L. Chase, III and his wife Nicole of Woburn, Dianne Tarquinio and her husband Anthony of Stoneham, Marissa Chase of Manchester, NH, Thomas Chase and his wife Ashley of Saugus, and Lisa Chase of Woburn. Loving great-grandmother of Nicole DiMambro, Anthony DiMambro, Ashlynn Crocker, Angelo Finn, and Lily Chase. Also survived by many nieces and nephews, and her beloved cat, Dixie.

On 24 Sep 1955 when Louise was 23, she married **Richard L. Chase** in Medford, MA. Born on 30 Sep 1930 in Medford, MA. Richard L. died in Woburn, MA, on 30 Jul 1992; he was 61.

They had the following children:

- i. **Richard.**
- ii. **Robert.**
- iii. **David.**

Family of Roy John Edmund Goff (78) & Marjorie Edith Nelson

125. Carol Lee Goff (*Roy John Edmund*⁶, *Frank Lawrence*⁵, *John Anthony Holland*⁴, *William*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹). Born on 4 Apr 1942 in Malden, MA.

On 15 Aug 1964 when Carol Lee was 22, she first married **Eugene Paul Smith** in Walpole, MA. Born on 25 Apr

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1938 in Philadelphia, PA. Eugene Paul died in Melbourne, FL, on 15 Dec 2000; he was 62. They were divorced on 16 Sep 1977 in Taunton, MA.

They had the following children:

- i. **Kenneth Paul.**
- 163 ii. Kenneth Paul Smith married **Tracy Maureen Dempsey.**
Todd Montgomery (Smith) Goff

On 12 Apr 1985 when Carol Lee was 43, she second married **James Bryan White** in Lawrenceville, GA. Born on 14 Aug 1938 in Berlin, NH.

Family of Robert Mortimer (82) & Christina Collelo

126. Karen Mortimer (*Robert⁶, LeRoy Goff⁵, Hannah "Alexanderana" Goff⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Karen Mortimer married **Mike**.

They had one child:

- i. **Joshua.**

127. Jeffrey Mortimer (*Robert⁶, LeRoy Goff⁵, Hannah "Alexanderana" Goff⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Jeffrey Mortimer married **Kathleen**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Alex.**
- ii. **Kyle.**

Family of Rita Alexa Smith (83) & George Garr Henry Koehn

128. Bruce George Koehn (*Rita Alexa Smith⁶, Elsie Bell Mortimer⁵, Hannah "Alexanderana" Goff⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born in 1942. Residence: Cincinnati, OH.

Bruce George married **Judith Bennett**. Born in 1943.

Daughter of Donald (deceased 2011) and Elinor Bennett of Elmont, NY.

They had the following children:

- i. **Jeffrey Bruce.**
- ii. **Laura.**
- iii. **Todd Bennett.**

129. Brian LeRoy Koehn (*Rita Alexa Smith⁶, Elsie Bell Mortimer⁵, Hannah "Alexanderana" Goff⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born in 1947.

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Brian LeRoy married **Susan Olmstead**.

Daughter of Howard F (deceased 2010) and Margaret Olmstead, Oyster Bay, NY.

They had the following children:

- i. **Kevin Brian.**
- ii. **David.**

Family of Hilda Eileen Wardrope (84) & Walter Elliot Lumsden

130. Winona "Euloth" Lumsden (*Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 23 Mar 1941 in Halifax, NS. Residence: Denver, CO.

In Dec 1961 when Winona "Euloth" was 20, she first married **Harold William (Chad) Jadwin**.

On 23 Mar 1963 when Winona "Euloth" was 22, she second married **Thomas Mitchell** in Grotten, CT. Born on 22 Mar 1940 in Rapid City, South Dakota.

They had the following children:

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| 164 | i. | Blair Steven |
| 165 | ii. | Timothy Scott |
| 166 | iii. | Myles "David" |

Winona "Euloth" third married **Larry Bing**.

131. Karen Elizabeth Lumsden (*Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 11 Nov 1942 in Halifax, NS.

In 1959 when Karen Elizabeth was 16, she first married **George Arthur (Red) Cheyney** in Ottawa, ON. Born on 20 Jan 1936 in Prince Albert, Sask.

They had the following children:

- | | | |
|------------|------|---|
| | i. | Katherine Elaine. |
| | ii. | Theresa Gail. |
| | | Theresa Gail Cheyney married Robert Feschuck Cheyney . |
| 167 | iii. | Wendy Leah |

On 29 Apr 1969 when Karen Elizabeth was 26, she second married **Thomas William Stewart** in Jasper, AB. Born on 19 Nov 1946 in Princeton, BC.

They had the following children:

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|------------|-----|---------------------------------|
| 168 | i. | Tanya Jacqueline Marie |
| | ii. | Travis Justin (Adopted). |

132. Wayne Gilbert Lumsden (*Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴*,

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William³, Thomas², John¹). Born on 6 Jul 1946 in Truro, Colchester Co., NS.

On 30 Aug 1969 when Wayne Gilbert was 23, he married **Phyllis Colette MacDonald** in New Glasgow, NS. Born on 22 May 1945 in New Glasgow, NS. Phyllis Colette died in Ottawa, ON, on 28 Jul 2000; she was 55.

They had the following children:

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|------------|------|--------------------------|
| 169 | i. | Todd Dwayne |
| | ii. | Archie "Troy". |
| | iii. | Christopher Lyle. |

133. Chester Alden Lumsden (*Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 11 Feb 1948 in Saint John, NB.

On 12 Nov 1976 when Chester Alden was 28, he married **Doris Mockett**. Born on 31 Oct 1949.

Pamela and Tracey were daughters by a first marriage and were adopted by Chester.

They had the following children:

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|------------|------|----------------------|
| 170 | i. | Pamela |
| 171 | ii. | Tracy |
| | iii. | Kevin Andrew. |

Kevin Andrew Lumsden married **Audrey Camus**.

134. Heather Eileen Lumsden (*Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 28 Oct 1951 in Saint John, NB.

On 29 Apr 1972 when Heather Eileen was 20, she married **Monte Brian Williams** in New Glasgow, NS. Born on 5 Nov 1950 in New Glasgow, NS.

They had the following children:

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|------------|------|----------------------|
| 172 | i. | Monte Corey |
| 173 | ii. | Meaghan Leigh |
| 174 | iii. | Brian Steven |

135. Janice Lea Lumsden (*Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 16 Sep 1954 in Saint John, NB.

On 11 Mar 1978 when Janice Lea was 23, she married **Reginald John Udell** in New Westminster, BC. Born on 22 Jul 1949 in Edmonton, AB.

They had the following children:

- | | | |
|------------|-----|---|
| | i. | Trevor Scott. |
| | | Trevor Scott married Tamara Ordonez Moscopulos . |
| 175 | ii. | Holly Lynn |

136. Joyce Lynn Lumsden (*Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 16 Sep 1954 in Saint John, NB.

On 29 Mar 1975 when Joyce Lynn was 20, she first married **Richard Bockman** in Calgary, AB. Born on 12 Feb

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1951. They were divorced.

They had the following children:

- i. **Patrick Mark Elliot.**
 - ii. Patrick Mark Elliot Bockman married **Virginia (Genney) Beirner.**
- 176** **Shaun Allen**

Joyce Lynn second married **Alex MacKenzie.**

137. Cynthia Ann (Lumsden) Blaikie (*Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Cynthia Ann (Lumsden) Blaikie married **John "David" Robert Mitchell.**

They had the following children:

- i. **Cherie Rian**
 - ii. **David Lee.**
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Family of Edna Martha Wardrope (85) & Walter Ivan Blaikie

138. Walter "Lee" Blaikie (*Edna Martha Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 13 Jan 1943 in Hagersville, Ont. Walter "Lee" died in Truro, NS, on 16 Jan 2017; he was 74.

Blaikie, Walter "Lee" 74, Truro passed away peacefully surrounded by family on January 16, 2017 in Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. Born in Hagersville, Ont., he was the son of Edna (Wardrope) Blaikie and the late Walter Blaikie. Lee worked at various jobs before working as a car dealer at Blaikies Dodge Chrysler, Truro. In his retirement years he and Barbara spent their winters in Florida along with significant travels and cruises. He was an avid golfer and harness racing fan. He was a lifelong fan of the Boston Red Sox and Boston Bruins. Besides his mother, he is survived by his wife of 47 years, Barbara; daughters, Pamela (Adam) Zacharjasz, Toronto, Melanie (Chris) Oickle, Halifax; sister, Cynthia Mitchell; brother, Gary; several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his father; his sister, Cheryl Shedden and a nephew.

On 6 Sep 1969 when Walter "Lee" was 26, he married **Barbara Lynn MacDonald** in Saint John, NB. Born on 26 Nov 1947 in Saint John, NB.

They had the following children:

- i. **Pamela Lynn.**
 - ii. Pamela Lynn Blaikie married **Adam Zacharjasz.**
 - Melanie Dawn.**
- Melanie Dawn Blaikie married **Christopher Oickle.**

139. Cheryl Lynn Blaikie (*Edna Martha Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 3 Aug 1947 in Truro, Colchester Co., NS. Cheryl Lynn died in Winnipeg, MB, on 15 Oct 1981; she was 34. Buried in Milford Cemetery.

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On 25 Jun 1968 when Cheryl Lynn was 20, she married **William Roger Shedden** in Ottawa, ON. Born on 17 Apr 1947 in Kirkland Lake, ON.

They had the following children:

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| 178 | i. | Joseph Andrew Stuart |
| | ii. | William "Matthew" Robert (Died as Child). Born on 29 Sep 1972 in Ottawa, ON.
William "Matthew" Robert died in Winnipeg, MB, on 30 Aug 1989; he was 16. |
| 179 | iii. | David Allan Craig |

Family of Allen "Roger" Wardrope (86) & Jennifer Edna Victoria Geddes

140. Ralph Allen Wardrope (Allen "Roger"⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹). Born on 26 Jun 1954 in Truro, Colchester Co., NS.

On 8 Nov 1974 when Ralph Allen was 20, he married **Jocelyn Ann Harvey** in Shubenacadie, NS. Born on 22 May 1953 in Windsor, NS.

They had the following children:

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|------------|------|-----------------------|
| 180 | i. | Amy Louise |
| | ii. | Timothy James. |
| | iii. | Krista Ann. |

141. Steven Lloyd Wardrope (Allen "Roger"⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹). Born on 15 Sep 1955 in Truro, Colchester Co., NS. Occupation: Retired RCMP.

On 30 Aug 1980 when Steven Lloyd was 24, he married **Florence Eleanor MacPherson** in Liverpool, NS. Born on 20 Nov 1955 in Sydney Mines, NS.

They had the following children:

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| | i. | Adelle Lauren. |
| | ii. | Natalie Patricia. |
| | iii. | Charlene Faye. |

142. Deborah Ruth Wardrope (Allen "Roger"⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹). Born on 25 Dec 1956 in Truro, Colchester Co., NS. Deborah Ruth died in Pugwash, Cumb. Co., NS, on 16 Mar 2015; she was 58.

PECK (Wardrope), Deborah Ruth, age 58, formerly of Milford, passed away peacefully Monday morning, March 16, 2015 at the East Cumberland Lodge, Pugwash. She was the daughter of Jennie (Geddes) Wardrope and the late Roger Wardrope. She is survived by her daughter Christina who loved her dearly. Brothers Ralph (Jocelyn), Steven (Florence), Ross (Debbie), sisters Dawn Ann (Gary), Jenny-Lynn (Frank), several nieces and a nephew. Cremation has taken place under direction of Ettinger's Funeral Home. Visitation will take place on Saturday, March 21 at the home of her brother Ralph at 2083 Highway 2, Milford from 2-4pm. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Canadian Cancer Society or the Canadian Diabetes Association.

On 16 Jul 1983 when Deborah Ruth was 26, she married **Frederick Peck** in Milford Station, Hants Co., NS. They were divorced.

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They had one child:

- i. **Christine Victoria.**

143. Dawn Ann Wardrope (*Allen "Roger"⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*). Born on 19 Jan 1958 in Truro, Colchester Co., NS. Dawn Ann died in River Hebert, Cumb. Co., on 10 Sep 2019; she was 61.

In Loving Memory of Dawn Proctor. It is with heavy hearts that the family of **Dawn Ann Proctor** age 60, of River Hebert NS, announce her peaceful passing on Tuesday September 10th, 2019 at Cumberland Reginal Health Care Centre in Amherst with her loving family by her side. Born in Truro, NS, she was the daughter of the late Roger and Jennie (Geddes) Wardrope. Dawn grew up in Milford and thanks to the Carnival coming to town she met the love of her life Gary. Dawn and Gary were married in 1981 and moved to River Hebert where they raised their family. Dawn loved numbers and was a seasonal tax preparer for many years helping out many friends and neighbours. She worked a short stint at Canadian Tire before her employment at Gowers Store in River Hebert. After that she worked at Access Labels in Amherst for 22 years, starting out as a press operator and then she moved into the finishing department. She loved her job and all the friends she made while she worked there. Dawn was a homemaker, and looked after her family. She loved to read and true stories and historical books were her favourite. Due to her love of numbers, she volunteered as treasurer at the Royal Canadian Legion in River Hebert for 10 years, helping out the organization along with friends and neighbours. Her trips to the Magdalen Islands were a special time and she always felt that place held a special place in her heart, where she felt content and happy. She and Gary also shared in their love of their camp, where they spent many occasions and created happy memories with their family and friends. Her spirit and her sense of humour will be forever missed along with her attitude on life, "It is what it is!" her motto. Left to mourn her passing are her husband and best friend Gary of 38 years, daughter Jillian, Toronto; brothers, Ralph (Jocelyn), Milford, Steven (Florence), Fort McMurray, and Ross (Debbie) Stewiacke; sister, Jenny-Lynn (Frank) Woodworth, Milford; numerous nieces, nephews and extended family. Besides her parents, Dawn was predeceased by her daughter Tanya and sister Debbie.

Dawn Ann married **Gary Howard John Proctor.**

They had the following children:

- i. **Tanya Dawn.** Born on 3 May 1982 in Medicine Hat, AB. Tanya Dawn died in Wolfville, NS, on 21 Apr 2003; she was 20.

PROCTOR, Tanya Dawn - 20, Wolfville and River Hebert, died Monday, April 21, 2003. Born in Medicine Hat, Alta., she was a daughter of Gary and Dawn (Wardrope) Proctor. Tanya was a third year B.A. student at Acadia University, where she was a member of the Literary Society and a counsellor with Teen Advisory On-line. She graduated with honours from River Hebert District High School in 2000, and served as student council co-president, being a major voice in the "Save Our School" campaign. Tanya played on the high school basketball and soccer teams. She was a member of the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 14 in River Hebert. She loved playing the guitar and wrote her own music and poetry. Tanya was one of "Three Musketeers" with her best friends, Shane Legere and Christopher Terrio, of River Hebert. Besides her parents, Tanya is survived by sister, Jillian, at home; grandparents, Victor and Betty Proctor; great-grandmother, Hilda Proctor, all of River Hebert; grandparents, Roger and Jennie Wardrope, Milford; several aunts and uncles; many cousins and friends. She will be sadly missed by her family dog, Doegee. Visitation will be 2-4, 7-9 p.m. today in River Hebert & Joggins Community Funeral Home. Funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, April 25, in Trinity United Church, River Hebert, Rev. Danny Compton and Rev. Clarence Clarke officiating. Interment to follow in Hillside Cemetery. By request, family flowers only. Donations may be made to Hillside Cemetery, River Hebert or a charity of choice.

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ii. **Jillian.**

144. Ross Alexander Wardrope (*Allen "Roger"⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Ross Alexander Wardrope married **Edna (Miller) Ettinger**. Born on 16 Nov 1955.

Daughter of Donald and Madge (Burton) Miller of Kennetcook. Trevor Robert Ettinger was son of Robert Ettinger and Edna Miller Ettinger Wardrope and step-son to Ross.

They had the following children:

- i. **Trevor Robert Ettinger**. Born on 13 Jul 1980 in Truro, Colchester Co., NS. Trevor Robert died on 26 Jul 2003; he was 23.
- ii. **Lindsay Nicole**.

Lindsay Nicole Wardrope married **Aaron Campbell**.

Family of Everill Murray Goff (87) & Doris Jean Whidden

145. Murray John Goff (*Everill Murray⁶, John Roy⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Murray John Goff married **Wendy Joan Lockhart**, daughter of **Leonard Lockhart Jr. & Margaret (Peggy) Smith**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Allison Grace Lockhart**.
- ii. **Lindsay Anne Lockhart**.

146. Harry "Douglas" Goff (*Everill Murray⁶, John Roy⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Harry "Douglas" Goff married **Catherine "Michelle" Secord**, daughter of **Lloyd Douglas Secord** (7 Feb 1932-12 Apr 2005) & **Lise Marie Louise Madeline Regimbal** (23 Apr 1933-21 Sep 2011).

They had the following children:

- i. **John Alexander**.
- ii. **Drew Douglas**.

Family of Glenda Warner (89) & Emerson Clyde Jennings

147. Darlene Jean Jennings (*Glenda Warner⁶, Edna Alexa May Goff⁵, Clifford Francklyn⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Darlene Jean Jennings married **Brenton Laybolt**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Lorri**.

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- ii. Lorri married **Paul Arnold**.
Chelsea.

148. Daniel Jennings (*Glenda Warner⁶, Edna Alexa May Goff⁵, Clifford Francklyn⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Daniel Jennings married **Kimberley**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Timothy**.
- ii. **Trevor**.

Family of Arthur Alexander ("Mickey") MacDonald (92) & Helen Hooper

149. Mark MacDonald (*Arthur Alexander ("Mickey")⁶, Ethel Gladys Gough⁵, Nicholas Holland Howe⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*).

Mark MacDonald married **Brenda McDonald**.

They had one child:

- i. **Sara**.

150. Wendy MacDonald (*Arthur Alexander ("Mickey")⁶, Ethel Gladys Gough⁵, Nicholas Holland Howe⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*).

Wendy MacDonald married **Graham Croft**. Occupation: Operates Millcroft Farm.

They had the following children:

- i. **Melissa**.
- ii. **Justin**.

Family of Nova Ann Gough (95) & Terrance Pinkerton

151. Tera Melanie Pinkerton (*Nova Ann Gough⁶, Lloyd George⁵, Philip Anthony⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*).

Tera Melanie Pinkerton married **William Kincaid**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Brett**.
- ii. **Brendon**.

152. Debbie "Arlette" Pinkerton (*Nova Ann Gough⁶, Lloyd George⁵, Philip Anthony⁴, Thomas Anthony (Goff) Gough³, Thomas Goff², John¹*).

Debbie "Arlette" Pinkerton married **Bart Wood**.

They had the following children:

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- i. **Meranda Lynn.**
- ii. **Leah Ann.**

Family of Arnold Seymour Bambrick (107) & Jean

153. Ronald Cecil Bambrick (*Arnold Seymour⁶, Ronald Hopewell⁵, David⁴, Eleanor (Ellen) Goff³, Thomas², John¹*).

Ronald Cecil married **Belinda Fong**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Daniel Steven.**
- ii. **Krista Jenna.**
- iii. **Victoria.**

Family of Shirley Wilkie (109) & William James Blight

154. Faith Diana Blight (*Shirley Wilkie⁶, Grace Pirie⁵, William Holland⁴, Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff³, Thomas², John¹*).

Faith Diana married **Len Dafoe**.

They had one child:

- i. **Kirsten.**

155. Jane Erica Blight (*Shirley Wilkie⁶, Grace Pirie⁵, William Holland⁴, Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff³, Thomas², John¹*).

Jane Erica married **Don Simser**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Jeffrey Daniel.**
- ii. **Thomas Michael.**

156. James Robert Blight (*Shirley Wilkie⁶, Grace Pirie⁵, William Holland⁴, Catherine "Elizabeth" Goff³, Thomas², John¹*).

James Robert Blight married **Gwendolyn Ruth Johnston (158)** , daughter of **Wayne Johnston** (2 Aug 1938-30 Sep 1996) & **114. Katherine Isobel Murray** (17 Mar 1939-).

They had the following children:

- i. **Jennifer Gillian.**
- ii. **Marion Margaret.**

Family of Patience "Pat" Dyer (113) & Dennis Holland

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157. Karen Holland (*Patience “Pat” Dyer⁶, Elizabeth Margaret “Betty” Hill⁵, Blanche Isabel Pirie⁴, Catherine “Elizabeth” Goff³, Thomas², John¹*). Residence: Wyckoff, NJ (2002).

Karen married **James Riley**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Holly** (Adopted).
- ii. **Mark** (Adopted).

Family of Katherine Isobel Murray (114) & Wayne Johnston

158. Gwendolyn Ruth Johnston (*Katherine Isobel Murray⁶, Katherine Gertrude Hill⁵, Blanche Isabel Pirie⁴, Catherine “Elizabeth” Goff³, Thomas², John¹*).

Gwendolyn Ruth Johnston married **James Robert Blight (156)**, son of **William James Blight** (9 Feb 1929-25 Jan 2009) & **109. Shirley Wilkie**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Jennifer Gillian**.
- ii. **Marion Margaret**.

159. Susan Janet Johnston (*Katherine Isobel Murray⁶, Katherine Gertrude Hill⁵, Blanche Isabel Pirie⁴, Catherine “Elizabeth” Goff³, Thomas², John¹*).

Susan Janet Johnston married **Marcel Damon DeCoste**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Katherine Anne**.
- ii. **Elizabeth Mary**.
- iii. **Margaret Rachel**.

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Family of Samuel Maurice Moore (117) & Verna Mae Spares

160. Heather Ann Moore (*Samuel Maurice⁷, Samuel Alexander⁶, Mary Victoria McDougall⁵, Mary Eleanor Goff⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Heather Ann Moore married **Mr. Dunstall**.

They had the following children:

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- i. **Amber Amanda Amor**
- ii. **Justin Samuel George**

161. Brenda Lee Moore (*Samuel Maurice⁷, Samuel Alexander⁶, Mary Victoria McDougall⁵, Mary Eleanor Goff^a, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Brenda Lee Moore married **Mr. White**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Samuel John**
- ii. **William Michael**

162. Verna Anita Moore (*Samuel Maurice⁷, Samuel Alexander⁶, Mary Victoria McDougall⁵, Mary Eleanor Goff^a, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Verna Anita Moore married **Mr. Carpentier**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Jeffrey Glenn**
- ii. **Chelsea Joy**
- iii. **Keeley Mae**
- iv. **Nikki Sylvia**

Family of Carol Lee Goff (125) & Eugene Paul Smith

163. Todd Montgomery (Smith) Goff (*Carol Lee⁷, Roy John Edmund⁶, Frank Lawrence⁵, John Anthony Holland⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Todd Montgomery Smith Goff married **Jodie Sexton**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Emma Catherine**
- ii. **Abigail Marjorie**

Family of Winona "Euloth" Lumsden (130) & Thomas Mitchell

164. Blair Steven Mitchell (*Winona "Euloth" Lumsden⁷, Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Children:

- i. **Brittany**
- ii. **Nicholas**

165. Timothy Scott Mitchell (*Winona "Euloth" Lumsden⁷, Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Children:

- i. **Travis Scott**
- ii. **Alicia Marie**

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166. Myles "David" Mitchell (*Winona "Euloth" Lumsden⁷, Hilda Eileen Wardrobe⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Children:

- i. **Tiffany LouAnn**
- ii. **Garrett Patrick**
- iii. **Kyle David** (Died as Infant) (2 Dec 2000-27 Jan 2002)

Family of Karen Elizabeth Lumsden (131) & George Arthur (Red) Cheyney

167. Wendy Leah Cheyney (*Karen Elizabeth Lumsden⁷, Hilda Eileen Wardrobe⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Wendy Leah Cheyney married **Victor Johnson**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Christina Leah**
- ii. **Steven Michael**

Family of Karen Elizabeth Lumsden (131) & Thomas William Stewart

168. Tanya Jacqueline Marie Stewart (*Karen Elizabeth Lumsden⁷, Hilda Eileen Wardrobe⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Tanya Jacqueline Marie Stewart married **Jody Samuel MacDonald**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Brianna Pearl**
- ii. **Samantha Karen**

Family of Wayne Gilbert Lumsden (132) & Phyllis Colette MacDonald

169. Todd Dwayne Lumsden (*Wayne Gilbert⁷, Hilda Eileen Wardrobe⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Todd Dwayne Lumsden married **Wanda Louise Estabrooks**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Matthew Todd**
- ii. **Benjamin Scott**

Family of Chester Alden Lumsden (133) & Doris Mockett

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170. Pamela Lumsden (*Chester Alden⁷, Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Pamela Lumsden married **Dexton Bennett**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Mikaela Sydney**
- ii. **Ashton Alexander**
- iii. **Riley Spencer**

171. Tracy Lumsden (*Chester Alden⁷, Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Tracy Lumsden married **Mark Dixon**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Joseph James**
- ii. **Matthew Jonathan**
- iii. **Lindsay Tate**

Family of Heather Eileen Lumsden (134) & Monte Brian Williams

172. Monte Corey Williams (*Heather Eileen Lumsden⁷, Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Monte Corey Williams first married **Terra Lynn Caver**.

Monte Corey Williams second married **Melissa Kay Deardorff**.

They had one child:

- i. **Monte Cameron**

173. Meaghan Leigh Williams (*Heather Eileen Lumsden⁷, Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Child:

- i. **Simon Julian Rousset**

174. Brian Steven Williams (*Heather Eileen Lumsden⁷, Hilda Eileen Wardrope⁶, Flora Myrtle Goff⁵, William Miles Dickey "MD"⁴, William³, Thomas², John¹*).

Brian Steven Williams married **Kendra Lynn Burton**.

They had one child:

- i. **Brian Kahdian**

Family of Janice Lea Lumsden (135) & Reginald John Udell

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175. Holly Lynn Udell (*Janice Lea Lumsden*⁷, *Hilda Eileen Wardrope*⁶, *Flora Myrtle Goff*⁵, *William Miles Dickey* "MD"⁴, *William*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹).

Holly Lynn Udell married **Perry Saterno**.

They had the following children:

- i. **Mark**
- ii. **Calida Lynn**

Family of Joyce Lynn Lumsden (136) & Richard Bockman

176. Shaun Allen Bockman (*Joyce Lynn Lumsden*⁷, *Hilda Eileen Wardrope*⁶, *Flora Myrtle Goff*⁵, *William Miles Dickey* "MD"⁴, *William*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹).

He common-law married **Leah Miller**.

Vincent is Leah's son.

They had the following children:

- i. **Vincent Miller**
- ii. **Lucian Miller**

Family of Cynthia Ann (Lumsden) Blaikie (137) & John "David" Robert Mitchell

177. Cherie Rian Mitchell (*Cynthia Ann (Lumsden) Blaikie*⁷, *Hilda Eileen Wardrope*⁶, *Flora Myrtle Goff*⁵, *William Miles Dickey* "MD"⁴, *William*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹).

Child:

- i. **Adian Sienna Madill**

Family of Cheryl Lynn Blaikie (139) & William Roger Shedden

178. Joseph Andrew Stuart Shedden (*Cheryl Lynn Blaikie*⁷, *Edna Martha Wardrope*⁶, *Flora Myrtle Goff*⁵, *William Miles Dickey* "MD"⁴, *William*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹).

Joseph Andrew Stuart Shedden married **Jocelyn MacKay**.

They had one child:

- i. **Liam**

179. David Allan Craig Shedden (*Cheryl Lynn Blaikie*⁷, *Edna Martha Wardrope*⁶, *Flora Myrtle Goff*⁵, *William Miles Dickey* "MD"⁴, *William*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹).

David Allan Craig Shedden married **Daidre**.

They had one child:

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i. **Candace**

Family of Ralph Allen Wardrobe (140) & Jocelyn Ann Harvey

180. Amy Louise Wardrobe (*Ralph Allen*⁷, *Allen "Roger"*⁶, *Flora Myrtle Goff*⁵, *William Miles Dickey "MD"*⁴, *William*³, *Thomas*², *John*¹).

Amy Louise Wardrobe married **Todd Irving Paley**.

They had one child:

i. **Joshua Cole**

Appendix 1: The Origins of the Surname

An excellent article has just been published, shedding new light on the origins of the Goff and Gough surnames. (Goff, Phillip G. 2019. History of Gough and Goff Surnames. Journal of One-Name Studies. Vol. 16, No. 6 (Part 1), No. 7 (Part 2). Here are some excerpts from that article:

A worldwide study of the frequency of the Gough and Goff surnames points to England as the source for both family names. At the time when hereditary surnames were first adopted, the Gough surname was written as Gogh' and was restricted to western England along the border with Wales, in Shropshire and Herefordshire. The Goff surname was spelled as Goffe and stretched from Dorset to Essex, and perhaps to Norfolk. In addition, the Goffe family was also centered in Warwickshire and its neighbors, Worcestershire and Northumberland, in the center of England.

Gough is a surname derived from a nickname. Surname dictionaries describe Gough as being derived from the Welsh word coch or goch, meaning red, which likely signified someone with red colored hair or complexion. By the 17th century, Gough was the nearly universal spelling of the surname in England. The surname had evolved from Goch (pronounced gökh) to Gogh and finally to the modern form of Gough (pronounced gof), in use today.

The Goffe surname appears in many counties in the 13th and early 14th centuries, also at the dawn of hereditary surnames. Surname dictionaries as early as 1605 have identified the Goff/e surname as being derived from the Celtic or Welsh word for "smith", likely referring to an occupational affiliation, the blacksmith. However, geography makes it improbable that a Celtic word would be the origin of the Goff/e surname. The earliest known attested instances of the Goff/e surname, in the 13th and 14th centuries, do not overlap with the geography of Celtic-speaking populations. Occupational data in the 14th century Poll Tax and Lay Subsidy Rolls further tilts the odds against Goff/e being derived from the occupation of smith. There are two likely, interrelated origins: Goff/e as a godefader (godfather) and an older respected male; and, derived from a pet form of the Middle English Given name of Godefrido or Galfrido. Godefrido appears in the Goff/e geographical footprint at the right time. The name goffe for godefader appears in an English-Latin glossary within two centuries after Goff/e seems to have been adopted as a surname. However, to appear in this glossary it would seem reasonable to assume the word Goffe, meaning godefader, had been in use earlier. Interestingly, both Godefrido and godefader have "God" as the root word for the first syllable. The second half of Godefrido means peace. The shared root word may hint at that both words are sources for the Goff/e surname.

An analysis of nearly 5,000 English baptisms for the period 1538 through 1837 shows a strong correlation between the dropping of the "e" in Goffe with overthrow of the monarchy in 1649 and its restoration in 1660. In 1653, Oliver Cromwell, one of the 59 Regicidal judges who condemned Charles I to death, was appointed Lord Protector. Two of the other judges who signed the death warrant were Edward Whalley, first cousin of Cromwell, and Whalley's son-in-law, William Goffe. The Cromwell family connection was convenient for Whalley and Goffe as long as Cromwell lived, but shortly after Cromwell died in 1658, the monarchy was restored. Charles II, the son of the executed king, began his reign in May 1660. At the restoration of the monarchy, 24 of the judges, or Regicides, were already deceased, 16 had left the country and 19 remained in England. It was generally understood that death warrants would be taken out on the surviving Regicides. On 6 June 1660, Charles II summoned Whalley and Goffe, and the other judges, to appear before him in two weeks' time. Whalley and Goffe fled England for America, arriving in Boston on 27 July 1660. Goffe and Whalley were pursued under warrants for their arrest for the

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remainder of their lives. They were protected by local residents in New England and never captured. The year 1660 also marked a shift in the spelling of the surname from Goffe to Goff. In some cases, the change may have been influenced by a fear of a perceived family connection with Judge William Goffe following the restoration of the monarchy. Such a concern would not have been without merit. By the time of the 1841 England census, about 85% of the Goff/e population used the Goff spelling. In most families, the surname had evolved from Goffe (pronounced gof-ə) to Goff (pronounced gof), which is still in use today.

Appendix 2: The Holland Family

Johann “Matthäus” Holland (son of Johann “Matthäus” Holland(t)-Merten and Christina “Barbara” Kramer). Born on 27 Jul 1755 in Rotterode, Hessen-Kassel, Germany. Johann “Matthäus” died in Halifax, Nova Scotia, on 25 Jan 1830; he was 74. Buried on 28 Jan 1830 in Little Dutch Church Cemetery, Halifax, N.S. Occupation: Nailsmith; Soldier In Regiment Von Stein;. Residence: 1776-8 New York; 1778 Halifax; Land Grant At Nine Mile River, Hfx. Co.

AN HISTORICAL NOTE ON THE ACADIAN RECORDER from Genealogical Association of Royal Nova Scotia Historical Society 1978. Publication #1, N.S. Vital Statistics from Newspapers 1813-1822.

The Holland family of the Recorder was founded in Nova Scotia by Matthaues (Matthew) Holland. He was a native of Rotterode (actually “Rotterode”), in the Landkreis of Hersfeld (actually Hersfeld was the place of the garrison, in Hessen-Kassel, the Landkreis of Rotterode is Schmalkalden the Exclave including Amt Hallenberg, note from Rolf Wahl), in Hesse-Cassel (actually “Hessen-Kassel”), and a veteran of service in the fourth company of the Regiment Von Seitz during the later part of the American Revolutionary War. In the early summer of 1783, when the Revolution was, in fact, ended, Holland was reported as having left his regiment. He died at Halifax on 28 January 1830, aged 74. By his marriage, 3 June 1784, to Margaret Appledore (died 17 January 1820, aged 53), there were six children.

He is buried in the old Dutch (Deutsch = German) Church cemetery in Halifax.

I received a most interesting letter (28 Jan 2010) from Rolf Wahl (wahl-rolf@t-online.de) from Jena, Germany, formerly of Steinbach-Hallenberg, Hessen-Kassel, Germany. He is a historian who has researched the 120 soldiers from this area who were part of the Garisionsregiment von Sten/von Seitz/von Porbeck. They were in New York 1776-1778, then Halifax 1778-1783. All but 3 soldiers (Valentin Hilpert, Matthäus Hollandt and Georg Häfner) returned to Hallenberg in 1783.

“The Steinbach-Hallenberg area was part of former "GDR". In this period - it was not permitted to communicate with the archives in West-Germany. I started my researching after the fall of the wall. I learn now more and more about the time in Halifax/Nova Scotia of our soldiers. I looking also after still living descendants of our deserted soldiers. I am also a Descendant of a soldier, which was soldier of the Seitz-Regiment of 1776 to 1783 in New York and Halifax. His name was Johannes Jäger and Private in the 5. Company. I have already contact to Ron Helpard - Descendant of Valentin Hilpert.”

Mr. Wahl sent me several maps and documents, including the ancestral information about Matthäus Holland in Steinbach and Rotterode, Hessen-Kassel, Germany, also “transkription of parish register year 1755 (including number 51 Johann Matthäus Hollandt (see the difference to number 54 here another father Matthäus Holland -> Holland without "t" to end). There are two different family names in the Hallenberg area.” Later (16 Feb, 2010) he sent several documents showing that the familial surname was actually Holland(t)-Merten, along with various Church registers. Also a very interesting original instruction of 1784 - “in summary it was forbidden to get post (mail) from America for the townsfolk of Hessen-Kassel after the American War time. It is possible the family of the deserted soldiers have never had contact thereafter.”

Most soldiers of the 4th company were of Schmalkalden and the towns thereabouts (Trusen, Asbach, Brotterode, Seligenthal, Floh, Struth etc.). Most soldiers of the 5th company were of Steinbach, Rotterode, Altersbach, Herges, Oberschönau, Unterschönau, Herges, Berbach and Springstille = all the places of the Hallenberg area. All these soldiers have visited the same school and the same church, your ancestor Johann Matthäus Holland-Merten is baptised here :

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<http://www.amt-hallenberg.de/galerie-kirche-steinbach-hallenberg.html>

From a "List of German Settlers at Nine Mile River in the Province of Nova Scotia", document from the Nova Scotia Archives dated Halifax 26 May (17)84, "Private Holland" with one man, one woman and one child. This Nine Mile River grant was in Halifax Co., to the east of Halifax City, in the present Beechville area off the St. Margarets Bay Road. Rolf also sent me (15 Nov 2012) a document from the German archives, which was a copy of the original report to the Landgrave of Hesse-Kassel, dated July 1783, which listed 24 soldiers who had deserted in Halifax - Mathias Holland (sic) was named on the list.

A letter addressed to Mrs. William Pulsifer (Alice Thomson, d/o Mary Goff and Charles Thomson) Sept. 18, 1913 from St. Georges Rectory read: "Dear Madam, I am pleased to be able to forward you the birth of John Nicolas Holland. He was the son of Matthias and Margaret Holland and was born on June 25 1796. His sponsors were John Nicolas Smith, Henry Miller and Harriett Theiss. There were several other children besides Nicolas, such as Catharine Barbara and John Philip. Thanking you for the fee. I am yours truly, A. W. Cunningham." A following letter addressed to Mrs. Pulsifer Sept. 26, 1913 from St. George's Rectory read "Dear Madam, Following are the names and dates of birth of the other Holland children in the old register: Catharine Barbara, 21 August 1784; Anthony 25 Nov. 1785; X; Catharine Elizabeth 30 January 1791; John Philip 24 June 1793; John Nicolas 25 June 1796. Matthew Holland died Dec. 12, 1784 age 2 years 1 month 1 week. There is a gap from 1785 to 1791 and I think some other children must have been born but I cannot find them. Yours truly, A. W. Cunningham"

On 3 Jun 1784 when Johann "Matthäus" was 28, he married **Margaret Appledore** in Halifax, St. Georges (Little Dutch Church). Born in 1767. Margaret died in Nine Mile River, Hfx. Co., NS, on 17 Jan 1820; she was 53.

There is a marriage for Christa (Christopher) Appledore to Sarah (or Clara) Miller (Meuller) on May 1, 1763 at St Paul's Church, in the book "Baptisms, Marriages and Burials, 1749 -1768, St Paul's Church, Halifax, Nova Scotia." by Jean M Holder. They later located to Lunenburg where they had baptized, a daughter, Mary Margaret Appledor on April 29, 1766 (St John's Anglican Lunenburg records, parents Chris and Clara). This may be Margaret Appledore who married Matthias Holland. Christopher Apfeltor was listed as a member of the Zion Lutheran Church, Lunenburg in 1775. I don't know where Christopher Appledore came from, Appledore appears to be an English surname (information from Dorothy Selig, dlselig@ns.sympatico.ca, April, 2010).

Her death is recorded in the Acadian Recorder, 17 Jan 1820, Nine Mile River, Halifax Co., age 53, hence the birth year of 1767, although the Mary Margaret Appledor above would also fit.

"Died, at her son's house, Nine Mile River on Monday evening last, in the 53rd year of her age, after a long and painful illness which she bore with true Christian fortitude and resignation to the divine will, Margaret, consort of Mathias Holland."

Otherwise no information about an Appledore family has yet been found.

They had the following children:

- i. Matthew (Died as Child). Born on 5 Nov 1782 in Halifax, N.S. Matthew died in Halifax, N.S., on 12 Dec 1784; he was 2.
The death of Matthew Holland in Dec. 1784, age 2 years, 1 month, 1 week, 0 days, was recorded in the old registry of St. Georges Rectory, as copied in letter to Mrs. Alice Pulsifer, 1913 (see Matthias Holland, father). In May, 1784, Matthias Holland was recorded as living with one child, and Catherine Barbara was not born until Aug. 1784.
- ii. Catherine "Barbara". Born on 21 Aug 1784 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. On 22 May 1821 when Catherine "Barbara" was 36, she married **Samuel Courtney** in Halifax NS.
The Acadian Recorder of Sat., 26 May 1821 reported the marriage by Rev. Twining of Mr. Samuel Courtney and Barbara Holland. Marriage bond dated May 22, 1821, signed

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by Samuel Courtney, Nine Mile River, paper maker, and Anthony Holland, Halifax, printer, for the marriage of Samuel Courtney to Barbara Holland (NSHVS).

The Acadia Paper Mill is believed to have been founded about 1819 by Anthony Henry Holland on the Nine Mile River, near Bedford Basin. Holland needed paper for his newspaper, the "Acadian Recorder" which he was publishing at nearby Halifax. According to the noted paper historian, Dard Hunter, this was the second paper mill established in Canada. Early papermakers at this mill included John Campbell (who married Catherine Elizabeth Holland in 1821); Samuel Courtney (who married Barbara Holland in 1821) and William Fudge (who married Julia Webber in 1827).

- iii. Anthony Henry. On 22 Dec 1816 when Anthony Henry was 31, he married **Eliza Merkel**, daughter of John Merkel & Catherine Barbara (1770-15 Mar 1833), in By Rev. Wright. Born in 1792. Eliza died in Shelburne, NS, on 2 Jan 1863; she was 71. They had the following children: Child (Died as Infant) (3 Aug 1817-); Sophia Hawkins (Died as Infant) (19 Sep 1819-9 Oct 1819); William J. E. (1826/7-7 Mar 1875). *See biography below.*
- iv. Catherine Elizabeth. Born on 30 Jan 1791 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. NSHVS, "Catherine Elizabeth, daughter of Matthew and Margaret Holland, was baptized by the Reverend Bernard Michale Houseal, Minister and Pastor of the German Congregation on the 30th day of January, 1791. I certify that the above is faithfully extracted from the Register of baptisms kept by the late Rev. Bernard Michael Houseal and now in my possession. Benj. G. Gray, Missionary to the Germans, St. George's Church, Halifax, 2 May, 1821."

Marriage bond, John Campbell, Paper Maker, and Catherine Elizabeth Holland, 2 May 1821.

"Married, on Wednesday evening by the Rev. B. G. Gray, Mr. John Campbell to Catherine Elizabeth, daughter of Mathias Holland of this town."

- On 2 May 1821 when Catherine Elizabeth was 30, she married **John Campbell** in Halifax, St. Georges, Rev. B. G. Gray. Occupation: Paper Maker.
- v. Philip John. Born on 24 Jun 1793 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Philip John died in Halifax, NS, on 27 Feb 1837; he was 43. Buried in Old Dutch Cemetery, Halifax. Occupation: Printer; Proprietor Of The Acadian Recorder (1822-1836). On 24 Jun 1823 when Philip John was 30, he married **Sarah Ann Smith**, daughter of Thomas J. Smith (1767-1823) & Catherine Vollmar (20 Feb 1773-21 Nov 1864), in St. Pauls Church Halifax By Rev. Dr. Inglis. Born in 1803. Sarah Ann died in Halifax, NS, on 25 Feb 1842; she was 39. Buried in Old Dutch Church, Halifax. They had one child Jane (Died as Child) (Sep 1826-23 Mar 1830).
- vi. John "Nicholas". Born on 25 Jun 1796 in Halifax, N.S. John "Nicholas" died in Bedford, Nova Scotia, on 2 Jul 1866; he was 70. Buried in Hammonds Plains Anglican Cemetery, Hfx. Co., NS. Occupation: Farmer (1826). Residence: Windsor Road (1826). A marriage bond (NSARM) was signed May 17, 1826, between Nicholas Holland, Windsor Road, bachelor, farmer, and Mary Goff, spinster.

Death is recorded in the NS Historical Vital Statistics, s/o Matias and Margaret, cause of death "disease of kidneys", married, age 70.

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Their headstone names Nicholas Holland and Mary Goff.

On 20 May 1826 when John "Nicholas" was 29, he married **Mary Goff**, daughter of John Goff & Mrs. Anna McCormack. Born on 10 Jun 1799. Mary died in Hammonds Plains, N.S., in 1890; she was 90. Buried in Hammonds Plains Anglican Cemetery, Hfx. Co., NS.

Mary Holland, age 82, was listed in the 1881 census of Hammonds Plains, as a widow, nationality Irish, living with Charles and Mary Thomson (her niece). This is good evidence of John's origin, as little other evidence has been found, other than family tradition. We are unsure of any family, although suspect they had no children.

- vii. Eleanor. Born in 1800 in Halifax NS. Eleanor died in Goffs, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia, on 16 Jun 1865; she was 65. Buried in St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS. On 3 May 1823 when Eleanor was 23, she married **Thomas Goff**, son of John Goff & Mrs. Anna McCormack, in Halifax by Rev. Parsons. Born on 14 Jun 1796 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Thomas died in Guysborough Road, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia, on 23 May 1868; he was 71. Buried in St. Johns Anglican Church, Lower Sackville, NS. Occupation: Businessman, Tavern Keeper, Miller, Husbandsman. Residence: Bedford, Sackville, Goffs. Religion: Anglican.

Johann "Matthäus" Holland(t)-Merten (*father of Johann "Matthäus" Holland*). Born in 1710 in Steinbach, Hessen-Kassel, Germany, son of **Johann Holland(t)-Merten** and **Anna Catharina Drechsler**. Occupation: Nailsmith And Trader Of Nail Goods. Residence: Steinbach, Hessen-Kassel, Germany. On 2 Jun 1746 when Johann "Matthäus" was 36, he married **Christina "Barbara" Kramer** in Steinbach-Hallenberg, Hessen-Kassel, Germany. Johann Matthäus Holland-Merten of Steinbach-Hallenberg moved after the wedding with Christina Barbara Kramer to Rotterode (Rolf Wahl, 16 Feb. 2010).

Christina "Barbara" Kramer (*mother of Johann "Matthäus" Holland*). Born on 19 Jun 1719 in Rotterode, Hessen-Kassel, Germany, daughter of **Quirin Kramer** (Mayor (Schultheiß) of Rotterode -> working in order of the "Sovereign of Hessen-Cassel") and **Margaretha Weißheit** (Born in Struth-Helmershof). Christina "Barbara" died in Rotterode, Hessen-Kassel, Germany, on 27 Dec 1757; she was 38.

Anthony Henry Holland (son of *Johann "Matthäus" Holland*). Born on 25 Nov 1785 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Anthony Henry died in Birch Cove, Bedford Basin, Nova Scotia, on 10 Oct 1830; he was 44. Buried in Old Dutch Church Cemetery, Halifax, NS. Occupation: Proprietor, Acadian Recorder (1813-1824).

Anthony Henry Holland (1785 - 1830) was the founder and outspoken editor of the Acadian Recorder, one of the province's first newspapers. The biography of Anthony Holland can be found in the Dictionary of Canadian Biography, written by Miss Gertrude Tratt. A biography can also be found in "Genealogical Association of the Royal Nova Scotia Historical Society, 1978, Publ. #1, N.S. Vital Statistics from Newspapers, 1813-1822." These provide a more complete picture of his talents as a newspaper editor. A picture of Anthony Holland can be found in the Collections of the Nova Scotia Historical Society, Vol. 17, 1913. An oil painting of Anthony Holland hung in the sitting room at the farm of M. D. Goff in Milford Station, NS, that had been passed through the generations. Everill Goff remembers "That room was on second floor. It had a couple of rocking chairs and a couch in it. I was born in that room. It was a wonderful place to relax and read."

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Anthony Henry Holland, proprietor of the Acadian Recorder in Halifax, decided to start a paper mill to supply paper for his newspaper and pamphlets from his press, due to unreliable supply from American sources. He did so in 1819 on the west side of the head of the Bedford Basin at the Nine Mile River (formerly Salmon River on Woolford's map, see below), near the intersection of the Hammonds Plains Road (Mill Cove; present day Millview). The "Acadia Paper Mill" stood upstream from Mill Cove on the river. He received the grant of land for the mill from William IV, signed by John Spry Morris. The site was chosen because of the water power Nine Mile River would provide (Tolson). According to the noted paper historian, Dard Hunter, this was the second paper mill established in Canada (www.hughespaper.com). There were already inns at the mouth of the Nine Mile River along the Halifax-Bedford Road when Holland built his paper mill on the river at the foot of what later became Paper Mill Lake, after the river was dammed (Tolson).

In 1818, John Elliott Woolford published a small book of road maps entitled "Survey of Roads from Halifax to Truro and Halifax to Windsor". The maps laid out in great detail the terrain and the erected structures as found at that time. According to Woolford's map, the road to Hammonds Plains veered to the left immediately south of the Salmon River and just north of Mile 8 (now it is north of the river). The "New Inn" is shown to the south of the river and the Tan Yard and Andrews Inn to the north. The Sackville Bridge, barracks and other establishments are at mile 10 1/2, but the 9 Mile mark per se is shown part way between the Salmon River establishments and the Sackville bridge establishments, with nothing between. Hence, this may have led to confusion regarding the Eight Mile House and the Nine Mile House, which may have referred to the inns on either side of the Salmon River and therefore very close to each other. (Dawson)

Acadian Recorder, Jan. 9, 1819, "Rags, rags, rags. The Subscriber intending to erect a Paper Mill, the ensuing season, he requests families to be careful of their Linen and Cotton rags. A person will be employed in the spring to collect them through the town. In the mean time they will be taken in (and a liberal price given) at No. 1, Corner of Duke and water Streets. -A.H.Holland."

"The first storey of the mill was constructed of quarried stone, mortared, with heavy hand-hewn beams, fastened throughout with pine pins. Ceiling joists were particularly strong in order to support the weight of wet paper stored above. Wooden slats, like venetian blinds, formed the walls of the upper storey to give ventilation for drying the paper that was stored when wet. Water power was directed through wooden sluices from various dams on the river. The paper was made of rags, and John Willis, the ragman, who had a warehouse on north Hollis St., advertised for rags, clean linen or cotton, gathered and delivered them to the paper mill. There the smelly mess of old rags, waste paper and garbage was mangled and mashed together in molasses. This was flattened out in sheets and dried in the loft" (Tolson). Power for the mill was furnished by a twenty foot breast wheel, eight feet wide and one small over shot eight feet in diameter and four feet wide. No steam was used in the mill and the stock was cooked in a large open pot over a fire. It was then loft dried. The paper machine used was a thirty-six inch one with a fire drier. (www.hughespaper.com)

Early papermakers at this mill included John Campbell (who married Catherine Elizabeth Holland in 1821); Samuel Courtney (who married Barbara Holland in 1821) and William Fudge (who married Julia Webber in 1827) (www.hughespaper.com). Catherine Elizabeth and Barbara were sisters of Anthony Holland, the proprietor.

In 1823 the Legislature saw fit to grant 100 pounds towards the upkeep of the mill. By then, Mr. Holland was living in his home near the mill, and the Nine Mile House was known then as the Mill Inn or Holland's Inn." (Tolson)

The Nine Mile House had been in existence as a Public House for some years prior to Holland's mill development. "May 15, 1819. The Mill Inn, formerly the Nine Mile House. Emanuel Williams begs leave to acquaint the ladies and gentlemen of Halifax that he has opened the above well-known and pleasant situated house as a Public Inn, and has fitted it up in a superior style to accommodate those who may favour him with their countenance and support. Dinner parties will be accommodated at the shortest notice, and furnished with every luxury the country affords. The choicest wines and liquors will be constantly at hand. Travellers and lodgers will find clean beds and comfortable

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apartments; good provender and stabling for horses, and an attentive and careful groom. Nothing will be wanting to render the stay agreeable." In December, 1822, the Bedford Road was the busiest in the province. The inn was on the lower side of the road, a few yards from the later Moir's Chocolate Factory. The dinner parties were superb and the Nine Mile Inn was the place to go! (Tolson).

"In 1822, Holland added his brother Philip John and a friend, Edward A. Moody, as partners, and two years later left the newspaper business to them. Philip John continued until 1836, when he sold the Recorder to Edward A. Blackadar and John English. From 1814, (AH) Holland had also issued a yearly almanac, the Nova Scotia Calendar, which was carried on by his brother until 1832" (Tratt). (Note: John English was a witness to the 1830 lease of AHH's inn (Nine Mile House) and lands (1000 acres) from Eliza Holland, Philip John Holland and James William Merkel to Thomas Goff). Thus by 1823, it seems Anthony Holland had left Halifax and the daily operations of the newspaper and relocated to Bedford, where he ran the paper mill and purchased the Nine Mile House Inn and other related properties (Tratt). By 1830, when he accidentally died in a driving accident from the fall from a horse, his property totaled 1000 acres and included the Nine Mile House, a cottage, blacksmith shop, and various outhouses, barns, stables and other buildings in and around Mill Cove, to the west and north of the Basin (Tolson).

Thomas Goff married Anthony Holland's sister in 1823. From ~1820 - 1830, Anthony and Thomas were involved together in the paper mill and other business ventures. In 1830, following Anthony's death, Thomas leased much of Anthony's business holdings and property from the estate and assumed operations of the Nine Mile House.

Anthony Holland also owned land at mile 21 of the original road from Sackville (the split) to Truro on the west side of Fletchers Lake (Dawson). She describes "Blade's Inn, on a property owned by Anthony Holland, printer, founder and editor of the Acadian Recorder. It was in the Acadian Recorder that Blades' advertised in 1817 "The Subscriber informs the public that he has taken that convenient STAND on the COBEQUID ROAD belonging to Mr. Holland and has opened a House of Entertainment. He will keep good LIQUORS and strict attention will be paid to his STABLES." She goes on, "The Holland name persists on this part of the old road, which today is identified as the Old Holland Road."

AN HISTORICAL NOTE ON THE ACADIAN RECORDER from Genealogical Association of Royal Nova Scotia Historical Society 1978. Publication #1, N.S. Vital Statistics from Newspapers 1813-1822.

When Anthony Holland founded the Acadian Recorder on 16 January 1813, Nova Scotian journalism entered upon its second phase of development. The older newspapers had been too sensible of their indebtedness to the administration of the day to risk the expression of critical opinion. The Gazette was the governmental organ, its publisher being generally also the King's Printer. The Halifax Journal and the Weekly Chronicle were circumspect, and their publication did not in the least offend the local oligarchy. In agreement with the government and with one another, the established newspapers were content to treat the public to accounts of the latest British victory over Napoleon.

Holland was 27 years old, Halifax-born, and the son of German settlers. He was named in honour of Anthony Henry, an earlier German printer in Halifax. He was not especially a rebellious young man, but he did believe in progress and improvement. He was in the Whiggish tradition of Charles James Fox, Lord Holland. One member of the Holland family, whether inspired by the politics or the coincidence in names, gave his son the name, Charles James Fox Holland, in 1813.

Anthony Holland wanted to see his town and province become up-to-date, for the area was sadly backward and appeared to be reluctant to change.

The new editor went to work with a sense of having a mission to educate his contemporaries. He included letters from the public in his columns, and he printed discussions upon topics of the day. Everyone may not have liked this, but people got the Acadian Recorder in order to read the latest controversies. In 1818, Holland had to appear at the bar of Assembly for some criticisms of members, and received a short imprisonment in consequence. A few years later, a pamphlet from Holland's press landed its author, William Wilkie, a term of two years imprisonment with hard labour. It was a dangerous climate in which to publish anything that challenged the existing state of affairs. Holland did, however, create a demand for more reading material, and this in its turn necessitated the founding of

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other newspapers and even a monthly magazine.

During its first decade, the Acadian Recorder published two series of letters which have a place in the literary history of Nova Scotia, both for their philosophy and their content. A Scot, John Young, wrote his valuable 'Letters of Agricola' upon agriculture beginning in 1818. Young's comments illustrate the backwardness of local farming methods. "The principles of vegetation," said Young, "were so grossly misconceived that few even of the farmers imagined that plants, like animals, stood in need of food". As to the use of equipment, 'Agricola' found it almost unknown: "Even a common roller was a wonder, and there were counties that could not furnish one of them."

Beginning late in 1821, Holland published the remarkable series of 'Letters of Maphibosheth Stepsure' from the pen of another Scot, Rev. Thomas McCulloch. These epistles cast the blame for much of the province's backwardness where it belonged, at the doors of the people themselves. In this satire, M'Culloch criticised the waste of time and money on gossip, idle travel, and the desire to possess luxuries before the necessities had been provided.

The Acadian Recorder endured for many years, and to an end only after three decades of the twentieth century had elapsed. When the Recorder finally was discontinued, the western world was in the grip of the Great Depression. For a newspaper to run from two years before Napoleon's fall to two years before Hitler's rise was no mean achievement. The course set for it in the first decade or so by Anthony Holland had given it an excellent start. If, when it perished nearly 120 years later, the Acadian Recorder had grown old-fashioned, that was not the fault of its first proprietor, who had been a forward looking man.

Appendix 3: A Brief Ancestry of Alexanderina MacInnes

First Generation

1 Alexanderina MacInnes. Born on 8 Aug 1798 in Lower Meaghers Grant, NS. Alexanderina died in Glenmore, Musquodoboit, NS, in 1841; she was 42. Buried in Meagher's Grant, NS. Ca 1823 when Alexanderina was 24, she married **Samuel Dickey**.

Second Generation

2 Miles MacInnes. Born ca 1754 in Camucross, Sleat, Isle Of Skye, Scotland. Miles died in Meaghers Grant, NS, in 1818; he was 64. Residence: North Carolina (1774), Halifax (1784).

Lieut. Miles MacInnes, by Flo Dickey, Tucson, AZ.

Miles MacInnes departed from the Isle of Skye, Scotland to North Carolina in 1774. It has been said that he was born at Camucross, Sleat, Isle of Skye. It is also possible that he was born at North Uist. It is very possible that he was a son or close relative of John MacInnes (MacGinnis) who was the boatman for Flora MacDonald and Bonnie Prince Charlie, but I have not found any documentation to prove any of the above as yet.

Miles arrived in North Carolina in 1774 with enough money to purchase livestock and operate a plantation of 1800 acres in Anson County, North Carolina. He grew apples, peaches, wheat, corn, rye, and oats. He raised cattle, horses, sheep, and hogs. The nearest villages were Cross Creek and Campbelltown (which were merged about 1778 under the name of Campbell- town was then changed to Fayetteville in 1783). Miles probably purchased goods from this village. It was a thriving trade center with mills, pharmacy, courthouse, hotel, and general store.

Miles was appointed a lieutenant by his regiment leader Colonel Hector McNeil. He served under Captain Allen MacDonald who was commander of the Anson Battalion that was in the battle of Moore's Creek Bridge. Miles future father-in-law, Captain Angus MacDonald and Angus's son, Angus, also served in this battalion.

When the North Carolina governor called up the Highland settlers of his Province, he expected that they would march about one hundred miles to the sea-coast where British ships would arrive to transport them to Nova Scotia and they would be given training and arms in order to defend their country against rebels. But this was not the case. Before the Highlanders reached the coast of North Carolina they met a smaller and much better armed body of Yankee rebels. Unfortunately for these Highlanders, less than half were armed and those classed as "armed" had nothing other than swords. The battle took place at Moore's Creek Bridge February 27, 1776. In the brief battle Highlanders were outmaneuvered by the highly skilled Americans. A few were killed and more than 800 taken prisoners. Included among the prisoners were Allen MacDonald of Kingsburgh and his two sons, our Capt. Angus MacDonald, and our Lieut. Miles MacInnes. Since there were so many prisoners and not nearly enough Yankees to guard them, the younger men were released. They were told to go home and think about joining the Yankee cause. Some of the Highland prisoners escaped.

Miles MacInnes was among those captured. He was carried to the Cross Creek jail where he was "loaded with irons and suffered many cruelties." When word came of the approach of a large British force, the rebels removed his chains and he made his escape to the British Army.

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Miles MacInnes continue to serve as a lieutenant in the British forces under Colonel Ray. He served on active duty in the Carolinas, Georgia, and Florida, until 1783. For the last few months of his military service he was in St. Augustine, Florida.

Miles' property was confiscated. After the war he went to London to present his claims for losses suffered in North Carolina arriving December 9, 1783. He had excellent references and letters of recommendation from high officials, but things moved slowly. In late summer 1784, (nearly a year later) he was awarded about 45% of his losses and given permission to emigrate to Nova Scotia, where he had friends and connections. His old unit and the 84th Royal Highland Emigrant Regiment had been sent there a few years earlier and mustered out at Windsor, Nova Scotia at the end of the war. The soldiers were given land in Nova Scotia provided they stayed.

After the deportation of the French Acadians, the British offered free land and vacant farms in Nova Scotia to anyone willing to settle. Many New Englanders, including our Dickeys and other groups from Scotland, the British Isles, and German states along the Rhine came to settle. Two hundred Scots settled at Pictou, Nova Scotia in 1773 from the ship Hector. They were the first of a vast wave of Highlanders who crossed the Atlantic seeking a better life. These Highlanders settled mainly on Cape Breton and Prince Edward Island.

In 1775, when the Revolution broke out in America, it seemed likely that Nova Scotia would join the other thirteen colonies. This did not happen. It remained a Crown Colony and thus Nova Scotia became one of the main receiving points for the flood of Loyalists who fled the new United States after the war. In all, about 30,000 people settled in Nova Scotia mainly along the Atlantic Coast. The arrival of so many people, some of them very influential, transformed Nova Scotia into a busy Crown Colony.

Megher's Grant was a grant of land comprising about 9000 acres near Halifax . For the purpose of colonization, this land was granted to "Bachelor Meagher" a Major in the British Army in 1765. One of these Loyalist colonists was our Miles MacInnes.

Miles MacInnes was a single man when he arrived in Halifax, Nova Scotia in the autumn of 1784. He was awarded 200 pounds sterling for his property losses in North Carolina and he received "half-pay" for one year, and a pension of 20 pounds per annum from 1783 to 1790, when the amount was reduced to 16 pounds sterling per annum. The Pension Rolls show that he was paid until 1818 and from that date the pension was paid to his widow, Christiana MacDonald MacInnes.

Miles was promised 200 acres on the Musquodoboit River as soon as it could be surveyed, but he had to wait until December 1785 before that was done. Miles and another loyalist named Daniel Blue and Andrew Murphy, were the first three white settlers on that part of the Musquodoboit River. This area is located above the rapids (falls) that are located about two and a half miles from the mouth of the river, which is a few miles north east of Halifax.

A settlement had been started in 1784 on the headwaters of the Musquodoboit River by men from Truro and Onslow by way of the Stewiacke River and that settlement extended downstream.

The Dickeys were in this group of settlers and married into the MacInnes family. But Miles and his companions were the first white settlers to come into the Musquodoboit Valley from the Atlantic Coast and extend the settlement northward.

This settlement on the Musquodoboit River, Halifax county, was made up of Scottish North Carolinians. It was a nucleus of ten men, four women, and two children who settled there as early as May of 1784. Most of the men had served in the Militia and were from Cumberland and Anson county, North Carolina. Miles MacInnes was one of these Musquodoboit settlers.

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The grant of land which Miles was to settle was stony, uncultivated, and full of underbrush, but fertile. When they first went in, they had to cut roads around three waterfalls. Miles and his party missed the distribution of food and tools which the provincial government made to the loyalists and during the first year they had to eat their seed potatoes. By the time they got more from Halifax the following year the season was too far advanced for a successful crop. Miles said the only communication with Halifax was by water and that was hazardous most of the year.

Even though Miles built a log house on this land, he found the land unsuitable for farming and tried to obtain another grant of land farther up the river. Unfortunately all the good land had been already granted to others, particularly a large area granted to Martin Meagher.

This district is now called Meagher's Grant, named for "Bachelor Meagher." This grant of land was comprised of some 9000 acres. It is documented that Ranald MacDonald, one of the first settlers came from the United States. Ranald was born on the Isle of Skye, a loyalist and believed to be the son of Flora MacDonald. Archibald Crawford, another early settler, married Mary MacDonald, daughter of Angus MacDonald and sister of Christiana who married Miles MacInnes. Another early settler was John Dunbrack, a Scotchman, who married Catherine MacDougall and her brother, Alexander MacDougall married Catherine MacDonald, another sister of Christiana MacDonald.

About 1790, Miles purchased some land a few miles up stream from where he first settled on a farm known as the Parker Place (owned in 1980 by Fulton Dunbrack) and a few years later moved to a farm where he resided for the remainder of his life. Miles son, Malcolm remained in the home and raised a family of sixteen. It was eventually sold to Wellington Kent, then to a Dr. Wilson, and in 1980 to Robert Misiner. It is on Lay Lake Road and just west of where the Lower Meagher's Grant school was located in 1987. His neighbors included Angus MacDonald, Archibald Crawford, Jacob Bayer (Byer), a son of George Bayer, Sr. formerly of Frankfort on-the-Main, Germany, James Cruickshank, and John Dunbrack to name a few.

The first time Miles MacInnes saw his wife was when he and some other officers were on a trip to McNabb's Island and unexpectedly came on the three MacDonald girls while bathing.

On September 19, 1789, Miles MacInnes married Christiana in St. Paul's Church in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Two of Christiana's sisters were married to neighbors of Miles; her sister Mary became the wife of Archibald Crawford and her sister Alexandrina, better known as "Lexy," became the wife of Jacob Bayer. A third sister Catherine married Alexander MacDougall.

In 1810, Miles MacInnes signed as a witness to the Will of Alexander Mackenzie, Lake Egmont, Halifax County, N.S. The other witness was to the Will were Ranald MacDonald and James MacDonald.

Miles MacInnes was instrumental in getting a road from Meagher's Grant to Halifax. He became a Justice of the Peace and was a prominent citizen of the district. In 1814, he and Archibald Crawford applied for Crown Land on West River St. Mary's, where they hoped to raise cattle. Each was to receive a grant of 500 acres, but before the land could be granted, Miles MacInnes died and the land reverted to the government.

Miles died in 1818 and Christiana died in 1853 at the age of 84. Miles MacInnes apparently died without a Will. For no stated reason, the estate was not settled until about 1834, when part of his land at Meagher's Grant was conveyed by a deed to his son Malcolm. The deed was signed by the other heirs. Other nearby land was conveyed to his son Angus. The names of the female heirs were:

Ann McDougal (no mention of name of husband)
Jennet Logan, wife of Robert A. Logan.
Mary Cruickshanks, wife of James Cruickshanks.
Alexandrina Dickey, wife of Samuel Dickey.

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Christiana Cruickshanks, wife of Alexander Cruickshanks.
Elisa Ann McInnes,
(a daughter born 1816)

Miles MacInnes and Christiana MacDonald MacInnes had 9 children who produced at least 60 grandchildren all whom lived to be adults and had large families. Their descendants are now widely scattered over Canada and the United States and have included men and women who became lawyers, doctors, educators, bankers, engineers, explorers, publishers, military officers, nurses and writers.

**** In all documents signed by Miles MacInnes the surname is spelled MacInnes. In deeds signed by his heirs in 1834 the name appears as MacInness. In a map of Halifax County showing names of householders about 1860 the name appears as McGinnes and as McGinness. In some books, such as "Historical and Genealogical Record of the First Settlers of Colchester County" by Thomas Miller, the name appears as McInnis.

**** In a story about the early settlers of Meagher's Grant by A.B. Lay, he stated that when ever you hear the name MacInnes you will find carpenters. It has been said of Malcolm MacInnes that he could build a mill with a square, saw and broad axe."

More on Miles MacInnes can be found in "Highlanders from Skye, in North Carolina and in Nova Scotia: 1771-1818", By Robert Archibald Logan, Scottish genealogist, 1966, Vol. 12(4): 92-108.

On 19 Sep 1789 when Miles was 35, he married **Christiana MacDonald** in Halifax, NS.

They had the following children:

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| | i. | Ann/Nancy (1790-) |
| | ii. | Jannet (1792-1859) |
| | iii. | Mary (1795-) |
| 1 | iv. | Alexanderina (1798-1841) |
| | v. | Ranald (1801-) |
| | vi. | Angus (1804-) |
| | vii. | Malcolm (1806-) |
| | viii. | Christiana (1810-) |
| | ix. | Eliza Ann (1816-1878) |

3 Christiana MacDonald. Born in 1769 in Isle Of Skye, Scotland. Christiana died in Meaghers Grant, NS, in 1853; she was 84. Residence: North Carolina (1773), Halifax (1778).

Christiana was the daughter of Angus MacDonald the VIII of Griminish, North Uist and Catherine MacLeod, the daughter of the Rev. Donald MacLeod of Skye and Ann MacLean of Boreray. Christiana was born on the Isle of Skye in 1769. She was about five years old when she went with her family to North Carolina in 1773.

After the American Revolution the family settled in Nova Scotia and on September 19, 1789 Christiana married Lieut. Miles MacInnes in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Christiana's father, Captain Angus R. MacDonald the VIII of Griminish was a descendant of Hugh (Uisduin) Alexander, First of Sleat and his thrid wife, the daughter of MacLeod of Harris. Christiana's mother, Catherine MacLeod was born about 1731 in Skye and died 1813 in Nova Scotia. Christiana's lineage goes back to Somerled through John, First Lord of the Isles and both of his wives, Amy MacRuari and Priness Margaret Ross Stewart.

The first time Miles MacInnes saw his wife was when he and some other officers were on a trip to McNabb's Island and unexpectedly came on the three MacDonald girls while bathing. Christiana and Miles were married in Halifax,

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Nova Scotia on September 19, 1789. Miles MacInnes died in 1818 and Christiana died in 1853 at the age of 84. From the Nova Scotian, a newspaper clipping said:

"At Musquodoboit, aged 84 years, Mrs. MacInnes, widow of Mr. MacInnes, an officer of the British Navy. She was born on the Isle of Skye, and arrived in America before the war of independence. After the Revolution she came to Nova Scotia and married, and has left behind her a numerous family of children, grandchildren and great grand children...."

Miles MacInnes and Christiana MacDonald MacInnes had 9 children who produced at least 60 grand-children all whom lived to be adults and had large families. Their descendants are now widely scattered over Canada and the United States and have included men and women who became lawyers, doctors, educators, bankers, engineers, explorers, publishers, military officers, nurses and writers.

All of the ancestry of Christiana MacDonald, which includes Kings of both Scotland and England and many Barons and Knights, has come from Flo Dickey, the Burkes and Scots Peerages, and the Clan website genealogies for Clan MacDonald, Clan MacLean, Clan MacLeod and Clan MacFarlane.

Third Generation

6 Angus (VIII) MacDonald. Born in Griminish, North Uist, Scotland. Angus (VIII) died in 1802 in Meaghers Grant, NS.

Angus MacDonald, VIII of Griminish of Scotland, North Carolina & Nova Scotia
by Flo Dickey, Tucson, AZ

Angus and his brother Archibald, the sons of John MacDonald, VII of Griminish and Ann MacDonald of Balivqueen, appear about the same time as 'on record as of Griminish and Scolpig'.

Tradition tells that Angus of Griminish, evidently on his succeeding his father, was hoodwinked into a scheme of emigration by several of the North Uist gentlemen, who pretended that they were to cross the seas to America.

Angus is said to have been masterful and domineering and his neighbors devised this somewhat dubious plan to get him out of the country. Be this as it may, Angus alone made genuine preparations for the voyage to America while the others kept up the deception to the very end by sending packing cases laden with peats and other similar contents to the port of embarkation.

At first, Angus was taken in by this ruse; but afterwards, when it was too late he sailed for the new world. Angus, having given up the tenure of Griminish for the new world, his brother Archibald came into possession as tacksman of Griminish.

A poem by John MacCodum, the North Uist poet, bemoans the emigration. But the poem states that Angus was a man of considerable wealth, nobility and much stature in North Uist.

Angus was living in Griminish prior to his father's death in 1765 and was then on record as Angus of Griminish. One could assume that Angus went to America after his father's death in 1765. It is said he did not find a congenial home in the new world and returned to Scotland before 1769. However circumstances change and he returned to America and settled in North Carolina with his wife and some of his children in December 1773. Angus was married when he went to America the first time and his wife, Catherine stayed with her parent's family on the Isle of Skye

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during his absence as three of their daughters were born on the Isle of Skye; Mary born 1767 and Christiania "Christy" born 1769 and Catherine born 1773.

In the later part of 1773, Angus and his family set sail for North Carolina and arrived in December of 1773. Also on the same voyage in 1773 were three young neighbors and cousins of Angus' from Knockline in North Uist. They were Marion, Janet, and Angus, children of Donald MacDonald. These young people came over as servants to pay for their passage. They were just a few of the many Highlanders that left their homeland for the new world. The following story relates the reasons for this move.

In 1746, following the Battle of Culloden, the Parliament of Britain passed some harsh laws to abolish the Highland Clans. The use of the tartans and the wearing of kilts were prohibited. These measures were endorsed by the occupying army. Local government thereafter was to be by Government appointed officials. No Highlander was allowed to own any arms. All this meant was that the clan chief would have no further use for the tacksmen except as tenants. A clan could survive only so long as the chief adhered to the ancient principles and they all had a perfectly valid legal right to lay those principles aside and rent the land for the best price it would bring. Sooner or later every clan chief adopted the new order of things. The tacksmen did not like it. They were as equally determined to emigrate rather than accept the new law.

This is what happened in the case of our Skye and Uist MacDonalds. In 1746 Sir Alexander of Sleat, the Chief, died the same year of the new laws. His oldest son, James, was a minor. Old Kingsburg was his tutor. James was given a good education, and when he took over the reins, he had not the remotest idea of doing differently from the long established custom. Every clansmen loved him and it was reciprocal. But Sir James died in 1766 at the age of 26 and unmarried. The next in line to inherit the chiefship was the next brother, Alexander. He had been educated in London, and perhaps no thought had been given to the possibility that he might some day be chief. He began to rent his land for the best price he could get regardless of kinship. As rapidly as leases expired the tacksmen were to pay higher rents or leave and leave they did. There was propaganda widely circulated that greatly hurt the pride of the tacksmen, to the effect that they were robbing the chiefs with one hand and the poor people with the other. Dr. Johnson discusses this at length in "The Tour of the Hebrides."

In 1759 a regiment was raised on the estates of Sir James MacDonald, and led by Montgomery, a brother of the mother of Sir James. In order to enlist the Highlanders, Prime Minister William Pitt decided to allow them to organize pure Highland regiments and permit them to wear kilts and be led by their own officers. Fourteen hundred men volunteered and officers were commissioned. They first saw action in New York and Pennsylvania and by 1761 a report came in that the Cherokees were molesting the western Carolinas. Montgomery, with 700 of these men, went to the Carolinas for about a year. Returning north they were discharged at the end of the French and Indian War of 1763. They were offered free land if they wanted to settle in America, or passage if they wanted to go home. But this group of MacDonald men returned to Skye and Uist. Naturally these men would learn a lot about the country during their stay in the Carolinas and tell about it back in Skye.

In 1771, James MacDonald of Heisker, Hugh "One-eye" MacDonald of Armadale, and several other MacDonalds applied for a grant of 40,000 acres of public land in North Carolina for themselves and their families.

In 1772, Hugh was back in North Carolina and bought land on Mountain Creek and returned to Skye and was there in October 1773 to ferry Johnson and Boswell to Mull and returned to North Carolina in 1774 to build a grist mill for the new settlers. In other words the clan was about to move its place of abode, and as Johnson expresses it, carry along their kindred, their customs, their language, etc. and "change nothing but their place of abode and of that they see the advantage."

In December 1773, Angus, his wife Catherine and five children arrived in North Carolina and settled immediately on land transferred to him by Alexander MacDonald, 5th of Cuidreach. In the later part of 1774, arrivals from Skye included Flora MacDonald and her husband, Alan MacDonald of Kingsburgh, their sons, Alexander, and James and

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their daughter Anne and her husband, Alexander MacLeod of Dunvegan, Isle of Skye; also Donald MacDonald son of Alexander MacDonald, 5th of Cuidreach and Miles MacInnes. Three young neighbors of Angus, from Knockline in North Uist came on the same passage with Angus to America in 1773. They were Marion and Janet daughters of Angus MacDonald and their cousin Angus, son of Donald MacDonald a relative. These young people came over as servants to pay for their passage.

Angus MacDonald had purchased several other tracts of land and by the time the Highlanders were mobilized at Cross Creek in February, 1776, he owned a total of 1861 acres. He received a commission as Captain from the governor of North Carolina and was in command of his company when taken prisoner at Moore's Creek Bridge, February 27, 1776.

Miles MacInnes, Flora MacDonald, her husband Allen of Kingsburgh, their sons Alexander and James, a daughter Ann and son in law Alexander MacLeod, Donald MacDonald (son of Alexander 5th of Cuidreach) all arrived in Anson County in 1774, most likely on the ship "Cato" arrived from Scotland carrying 312 Highlanders, in December of 1774, all from the Isle of Skye (Port of Brunswick Record Book). They settled in the Cape Fear basin where their relatives had settled a year earlier.

The nearest villages were Cross Creek and Campbelltown, which were merged about 1778 under the name of Campbelltown which was changed to Fayetteville in 1783.

Soon after their arrival trouble began in New England between the British and the American colonies. Two Scottish officers of the British Army were sent to North Carolina to organize a regiment of Highlanders to help support the British cause. They were Major Donald MacDonald and Captain Donald MacLeod, cousins of our descendants in North Carolina.

Many of the Scottish settlers in North Carolina were born in America or had become Americanized and favored the Yankee cause. Some wanted to remain neutral as they knew the treatment they or their parents had received from the English troops in Scotland when they had gone against the English government in the Rising of 1745. Those who arrived only a few years before 1775 were not free to make a choice as they had taken an oath of loyalty prior to their arrival in America. These newly arrived Scots, our ancestors, had lost so much in Scotland, they did not want to risk losing all their possessions in this new homeland. Most of the newcomers still had family back in Skye and feared reprisals if they supported the Yankee cause.

The British Government was well aware of this and tried to round up all the Highland men and transport them to known loyal territory as soon as possible, before they could be persuaded to join the Yankees. It was for this reason that Major Donald MacDonald and Captain Donald MacLeod were sent to North Carolina. Flora MacDonald, having gone against the British before in helping Bonnie Prince Charles, knew exactly what the repercussions would be. Consequently she was very willing to support the British and help persuade her family and friends to do so as well. Soon Major MacDonald, Captain MacLeod and about 1500 men began marching to the sea coast where they expected to be taken by ship to Halifax, Nova Scotia for training and arms, then return to Anson County to fight the Yankees. They joined the Highland Emigrant Regiment and they wore their tartans and kilts with pride. Unfortunately for these Highlanders, less than half were armed and those classed as "armed" had nothing other than swords. They were met by a smaller but well armed force of Yankees at a place known as Moore's Creek Bridge February 27, 1776. In the brief battle, Highlanders were outmaneuvered by the highly skilled Americans. Some were killed, including Captain Angus's son, and more than half taken prisoner. Included among the prisoners were Allen MacDonald of Kingsburgh and his two sons, Captain Angus MacDonald, and Lieut. Miles MacInnes. Since there were so many prisoners and not nearly enough Yankees to guard them, the younger men were released. They were told to go home and think about joining the Yankee cause. Some of the Highland prisoners escaped.

On October 28, 1785, in London, England, Captain Angus MacDonald submitted his claim to the Commission appointed by the British Government to settle claims of American Loyalists.

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His claim stated that he had resided in North Carolina from December, 1773, until he was taken prisoner by the enemy in February of 1776. He took an active part in the uprising of Highlanders at Cross Creek and was taken prisoner February 27, 1776. He remained a prisoner over two years. After being released he rejoined the British forces and served until "the Peace.." He submitted a "Schedule" of property losses in North Carolina; lost when his possessions were taken or destroyed by the Americans. Angus claimed the loss of 5 tracts of land, each of which was operated as a plantation complete with buildings, horses, cattle, hogs, sheep, tools, and equipment. Two of the plantations were equipped with grist mills. The land areas were all in Cumberland County, in the vicinity of Cranes Creek, which is northwest of Fayetteville. The different tracts had areas of 400, 300, 250, 256, and 655 acres, for a total area of 1861 acres. Angus also claimed the loss of 94 sheep, 10 horses, 70 hogs, and 39 cattle. Several of his plantation were rented to tenants.

On October 28, 1785 his case was heard in London. In sworn testimony, he stated that he arrived in North Carolina in December, 1773 and settled at Cranes Creek in February of 1774. After being captured he was kept in close confinement for a year and was then let out on parole. After his release, he joined the British Army in Philadelphia in 1777. He obtained a lieutenancy in the PIONEERS AND GUIDES in 1778. He was at the siege of Charleston, and later Captain in the NORTH CAROLINA HIGHLANDERS and continued with them until the peace. He went from New York to North Carolina to rescue his wife and five children, who had lived on his home estate until they were forced to flee, without any possessions, in 1781.

From North Carolina, Angus took his family to Nova Scotia, where they lived until he started his voyage to England to try to recover his losses. Angus arrived in London a few days before the hearings, October 20, 1785. The evidence of the hearings shows that he produced a conveyance, dated 1 April 1774, for four tracts of land totaling 400 acres purchased from Alexander MacDonald. Alexander MacDonald of Cuidreach, on the Isle of Skye, was married to a half sister of Flora MacDonald. She was a daughter of Flora's mother and her second husband, Captain "One-eyed" Hugh MacDonald. Angus stated that when he arrived in North Carolina he carried over 300 guineas, a draft for 1340 guineas, and goods and possessions having a total value of about 700 pounds sterling. He could not produce deeds for the other tracts of land because they had been left in "the office" in North Carolina but he gave the following information;

300 acre tract purchased from a man named Cameron, 1774

250 acre tract purchased from a man named Gilmore, March or April of 1775

256 acre tract purchased from a man named Matthews, May 1775.

655 acre tract purchased from a man named Bowie.

He claimed loss of crops totalling 1000 bushels of indian-corn and 150 bushels of wheat. In 1781, his wife and children were forced to leave home without even a "second shift."

A supporting witness to these claims was Captain Alexander Morrison who had known both Captain Alexander and Captain Angus MacDonald in Scotland and North Carolina. He lived eight or nine miles from Angus, in North Carolina. He was with them when they made the bargain for the land at Cranes Creek. He said that Angus MacDonald was a man of good character and had brought property into the country.

Another witness, Donald Shaw (son in law of Morrison), had known Angus in America and before, and spoke highly of him.

There is nothing in the file to show when a decision was made about the property losses, but there is a document showing the following:

#444 Capt.Angus MacDonald

His claim for losses (in pounds sterling).....1909

Sum originally allowed..... 751

Revised allowance..... ..915

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Total payable under Act of Parl.....915-0-
Sum already received.....300-8
Final balance due.....614-12-
There was no indication of dates.

Captain Angus MacDonald waited in London for four months without receiving payment. Angus had given his tenure of Griminish to his brother Archibald before leaving for America. Some time during his the waiting period in London, Angus returned to his native Uist. However, he did not go back to his ancestors in Griminish, but resided at Balranald, then occupied by his kinsman, Donald MacDonald.

He presented another claim on or soon after, February 17, 1786 asking that some form of aid or temporary support be given him until he "might receive compensation for his lost property," and he gave the following reasons;

He had served in the rebellion in America and his wife and family had been forced to remain in the hands of the enemy who plundered them of their effects and confiscated all his estate.

Before the evacuation of New York (November, 1783) he returned to North Carolina for his family and took them to Nova Scotia "where they are now" and with whom he had remained until he came to England to have his claim heard. Since his arrival in England, he had been examined by the Commissioners for the Loyalist Claims, his claim "amounting in Carolina currency to 3393-17 pounds, equal in Sterling to about 1936-6-4." He had to refurnish his family with clothing, household furniture, and equipment; to purchase tools for farming; "to build a house in the wilderness" and, this, exhausted all his finances and involved him greatly in debt, he having no resources other than his half-pay, and "what is still a greater sting to his feelings as a husband, and a father, that for want of means, he is unable to go back to his family."

Josiah Martin, who had been governor of North Carolina when Angus lived there, was then in London. He wrote a letter, dated 17 February 1786, supporting the Memorial and recommending that "a temporary aid, or subsistence, be awarded to Captain Angus MacDonald to enable him to return to his family in Nova Scotia."

Captain Angus was called for a hearing on February 25, 1786. In the record of that hearing, the following information can be found:

He went to North Carolina, December 1773.

He raised a company of 250 men and joined Major Donald MacDonald's forces by order of Governor Josiah Martin. He had two commissions of Captain; one from Governor Martin and one from Lord Cornwallis. He had half pay as Captain.

After the peace, he went to Nova Scotia with his wife and children.

He came to England in October 1785.

His case was heard October 28, 1785, Loss of 1939 pounds Sterling, Intends to return to Nova Scotia at first opportunity.

The Commissioners evidently thought it better to send him back home to Nova Scotia than to pay his support in London until his claim was paid. The decision was to pay him 25 pounds "to defray the expense of his return to Nova Scotia."

It is assumed that he returned as soon as possible and that the compensation for property losses was paid to him after his return to Nova Scotia. Of all the American loyalists named MacDonald who submitted claims to the British government for property losses in North Carolina, Captain Angus MacDonald was the one who received the largest amount of compensation. With all his land, he probably had slaves but, unlike some of his neighboring claimants, he did not submit any claim to the British government for the loss of slaves. It is probable that when he went back to North Carolina, to rescue his wife and children, he also rescued some of his slaves and took them to Nova Scotia, with the family. This would explain the story in Nova Scotia that he brought his wife and family, and slaves to that

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country.

Angus and his family settled in Kennetcook, Hants County, Nova Scotia. For some reason they spent a lot of time on MacNabb's Island, according to an article written, August 10, 1901, by J.D. Bayer, a great grand son of Angus. Bayer states that his great grandfather Angus came to Nova Scotia from Florida, where he had a plantation of some size and a dozen slaves. That they originally came from the Isle of Skye and his great grandmother was married after the celebrated Flora MacDonald who was married to Allan MacDonald of Kingsburg.

****One must remember that a lot of people in Nova Scotia thought of the eastern sea coast of the United States as one giant Florida and then Miles was in Florida prior to Nova Scotia may be the source of this statement. Flora married Alan of Kingsburg Nov.6, 1750, did Bayer mean that his great grand parents married after that date?*****

Captain Angus MacDonald married Catherine MacLeod, the daughter of the Rev. Donald MacLeod III of Greshornish (1698-1759), Skye and Ann MacLean, the daughter of the Rev. John Maclean the second son of John MacLean, 8th of Boreray. The Rev. Donald MacLeod III of Greshornish served as a missionary to the Island of Benbecula, in 1736 to North Uist and 1754 to Duirinish on Skye. He spent most of his ministry in the outer Hebrides.

Captain Angus MacDonald and Catherine MacLeod had several children;

1. Donald, born in North Uist (c.1750), was alive in 1795 and living in North Uist at that time.
2. Angus, born in North Uist, married Margaret Buchanan. He died in the Battle of Moore's Creek Bridge or shortly thereafter of wounds.
3. Alexander, born in North Uist, died in Nova Scotia.
4. Mary, born about 1767 on the Isle of Skye, married Archibald Crawford of Nova Scotia.
5. CHRISTIANA "Christy" born about 1769 on the Isle of Skye, married MILES MacINNES of Skye, North Carolina and Nova Scotia. (Bayer said he remembered hearing that the first time Captain Miles MacInnes saw his wife was when he and some other officers were on a trip to MacNabb's Island and unexpectedly came upon the three MacDonald girls bathing.)
6. Alexanderina "Lexy" married Jacob Bayer, Nova Scotia.
7. Catherine born ca. 1773, married Alexander MacDougal, Nova Scotia.

After the marriage of Christy to Miles MacInnes, Captain Angus MacDonald moved to Meagher's Grant. The old cellar of his house could be seen in 1910. Each of the MacDonald girls received two slaves. Tom Wade of Windsor Junction is a son of one of the girls given to Christy MacInnes, Black Charlotte. The other one also named Charlotte, married a former southern slave named Dennis McGruda.

Charlotte lived in a small log cabin on the MacInnes' farm, and one night when Dennis came a courting, the MacInnes boys crept up to the shanty to listen. Dennis first knelt down and said a long prayer after which he managed to pop the momentous question, and in a very short time Mr. MacInnes, who was a Justice of the Peace, had to perform the marriage ceremony for the happy couple.

Dennis McGruda got to Nova Scotia by guiding the British to a Yankee stronghold in the war of 1812. The British found him at work for his master and compelled him to show them where the enemy was by promising him his freedom. They were good as their word, and that's how Dennis McGruda got to Nova Scotia.

Captain Angus MacDonald received half pay of Captain till 1813.

*****From Moore County Court Minutes of February 22, 1785:**

"Thomas Matthews came into court and on oath returned the following articles of the estate of Angus MacDonald liable for confiscation to wit: 200 acres of land, 9 pounds and 15 shillings, one surveyors chain, 2 head of cattle and

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one horse in the hands of Thomas Collins."

**** Moore County Court Minutes of August 21, 1792:

"A Letter of Attorney from Anguish McDaniel to Ferquard Campbell was duly proved before Samuel Ashe, Esq. one of the judges of the Superior Court and Ordered to be registered."

It would therefore appear that Captain Angus MacDonald, then in Nova Scotia, had some hopes of recovering at least a part of his property. The foregoing claim is quite different in form from those filed by others of the Highlanders. Whereas other claims are submitted with certificates from officers who were captured at Moore's Creek, Capt. MacDonald produced only two, one from Dr. Morrison; the other from Donald Shaw, (Dr. Morrison's son in law) and these only mildly certified to his loyalty and scarcely at all to his property. The entire claim is confused and one can hardly tell just how much property he lost. The 400 acre tract referred to was sold to him by Alexander MacDonald of Mt. Pleasant, North Carolina, and the deed is recorded in Fayetteville. The other deeds referred to as having been left "in the office" are not of record. The 400 acres mentioned lay on, and is believed to include the mouth of Little Crane's Creek where it enters Big Crane's Creek, just below the railroad between Cameron and Vass. The mill mentioned was originally built by Thomas Gilmore, and at one time known as the Keith, Muckle and Stokes's Mill. In the early days of the Raleigh and Augusta Air Line, this place was a flag-stop, and was known as Walnut Grove. A few of these trees still grow in the vicinity.

Ca 1750 Angus (VIII) married **Catherine MacLeod** in Isle Of Skye.

They had the following children:

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| | i. | Donald (ca1750->1795) |
| | ii. | Angus |
| | iii. | Alexander |
| | iv. | Mary (1767-) |
| 3 | v. | Christiana (1769-1853) |
| | vi. | Alexandrina ("Lexy") |
| | vii. | Catherine (ca1773-) |

7 Catherine MacLeod. Born in 1731 in Isle Of Skye, Scotland. Catherine died in Meaghers Grant, NS, in 1813; she was 82.

Catherine's grandparents were the Rev. John MacLean the second son John MacLean, VIII of Boreray and Mary MacDonald of Morar, the daughter of Alexander MacDonald, 6th of Morar and Anne MacDonald of Sleat. Her other set of grandparents were Alexander MacLeod III of Greshornish, Skye the son of Norman MacLeod, 2nd of Greshornish and Catherine MacLean of Coll.

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John	1
John	child of 2
John Alexander	child of 146
John Anthony Holland	11
John Henry	child of 6
John Roy	39
Joyce A.	121
Kevin	child of 120
Lindsay Anne Lockhart	child of 145
Louisa "Ann"	child of 6
Louise	child of 34
Margaret Ann	child of 2
Mary	child of 1
Mary Eleanor	10
Mary Eliza	5
Mary Ellen	22
May Beatrice	35
May Isabel (Cherry)	75
Murray John	145
Philip	7
Ralph D.	120
Ralph Dexter	76
Ralph "Percy" (Buck)	33
Roy John Edmund	78
Sarah Ann ("Annie")	23
Thomas	2
Todd Montgomery Smith	163
William	child of 1
William	3
William Ernest	child of 14
William "Guy"	child of 13
William Henry	child of 7
William Miles Dickey "MD"	13
(Goff) Gough	
Thomas Anthony	4
Gough	
Alfred Gilpin "Gil"	child of 4
Alma	child of 18
Arthur McQuaid	19
Arthur N.	child of 18
Daniel S.	child of 4
David Philip	child of 96
Ethel Gladys	51
Florence	child of 18
Frederick Arthur	child of 19
Hanson	child of 4
Jean Elizabeth	52
Jessie	15
John Bartholomew	child of 4

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Kathleen Clarissa	50
Kathleen Elizabeth	53
Laurel Rose	child of 96
Lindsey Carmen	child of 96
Lloyd George	54
Margaret Annie	child of 18
Margaret ("Meg")	16
Margaret ("Meg")	parent of spouse of 52
Nicholas Holland Howe	18
Nova Ann	95
Dr. Philip Anthony	20
Philip Edward	96
Sarah Ellen	17
Thomas "Henry" (Hen)	child of 4
William James	child of 18
Graham	
Edith	child of 59
Frank Albert	spouse of 59
Helen Louise	child of 59
James Clifford	103
Jean Marie	child of 59
Kathleen	102
Lesley	child of 59
Sharon	child of 103
William John	parent of spouse of 59
Greening	
Dorothea Mary Rose	child of 49
Joan	91
Thomas	child of 49
William John	spouse of 49
William "John"	child of 49
Greenough	
James	parent of spouse of 14
Mary Louise	spouse of 14
Hartlen	
Clara May	spouse of 27
Harvey	
Jocelyn Ann	spouse of 140
Roland James	parent of spouse of 140
Haverstock	
Ophelia	parent of spouse of 31
Hein	
Ruby Dora	spouse of 61
Hill	
Blanche	71
Constance Mary	child of 29
Elizabeth Margaret "Betty"	69
Florence Mabel	child of 29
Frederick Roosevelt	child of 29
George Pirie	child of 29
John Lawrence	spouse of 29

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Katherine Gertrude	70
Holland	
David	child of 113
Dennis	spouse of 113
Eleanor	spouse of 2
Johann "Matthäus"	parent of spouse of 2
Karen	157
Sara	child of 113
Hooper	
Helen	spouse of 92
Hurshman	
Bessie	spouse of 28
Jadwin	
Harold William (Chad)	spouse of 130
Jennings	
Ann Elizabeth	child of 89
Cheryl Joyce	child of 89
Daniel	148
Darlene Jean	147
Emerson Clyde	spouse of 89
Timothy	child of 148
Trevor	child of 148
Johnson	
Christina Leah	child of 167
Steven Michael	child of 167
Victor	spouse of 167
Johnston	
Gordon Charles	child of 114
Gwendolyn Ruth	spouse of 156
Gwendolyn Ruth	158
Susan Janet	159
Wayne	spouse of 114
Wayne	parent of spouse of 156
Keeping	
Elizabeth Marie	child of 94
Lloyd	spouse of 94
Paul Arthur	child of 94
Kincaid	
Brendon	child of 151
Brett	child of 151
William	spouse of 151
Koehn	
Brian LeRoy	129
Bruce George	128
David	child of 129
George Garr Henry	spouse of 83
Jeffrey Bruce	child of 128
Kevin Brian	child of 129
Laura	child of 128
Todd Bennett	child of 128
Kush	

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Gary	spouse of 95
Laybolt	
Brenton	spouse of 147
Chelsea	child of 147
Lorri	child of 147
Lockhart	
Leonard Jr.	parent of spouse of 145
Wendy Joan	spouse of 145
Long	
Gladys Freda	spouse of 54
Lumsden	
Archie "Troy"	child of 132
Benjamin Scott	child of 169
Chester Alden	133
Christopher Lyle	child of 132
Heather Eileen	134
Janice Lea	135
Joyce Lynn	136
Karen Elizabeth	131
Kevin Andrew	child of 133
Matthew Todd	child of 169
Pamela	170
Sandra Louise	child of 84
Todd Dwayne	169
Tracy	171
Walter Elliot	spouse of 84
Wayne Gilbert	132
Winona "Euloth"	130
Lupien	
Barbara A.	child of 79
Peter A.	child of 79
Robert M.	child of 79
Robert William (Bob)	spouse of 79
MacAvoy	
Bessie Elizabeth	spouse of 20
MacCormack	
Andrew	child of 121
Jacqueline	child of 121
Joseph	child of 121
Thomas J.	spouse of 121
MacDonald	
Agnes	child of 51
Arthur Alexander ("Mickey")	92
Barbara Lynn	spouse of 138
Brianna Pearl	child of 168
Jody Samuel	spouse of 168
John Alexander	spouse of 51
Mark	149
Phyllis Colette	spouse of 132
Samantha Karen	child of 168
Sara	child of 149

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Wendy	150
MacInnes	
Alexanderina	parent of spouse of 3
MacKay	
Jocelyn	spouse of 178
MacKenzie	
Alex	spouse of 136
MacPherson	
Florence Eleanor	spouse of 141
Madill	
Adian Sienna	child of 177
Mansfield	
Phyllis May	spouse of 123
McCormack	
Mrs. Anna	spouse of 1
McDonald	
Brenda	spouse of 149
McDougall	
Daniel	parent of spouse of 10
Daniel	parent of spouse of 13
James "Alexander"	spouse of 10
Martha Jane	spouse of 13
Mary Victoria	32
McGrath	
Carl	spouse of 110
Karen	child of 110
Karla	child of 110
Kirk	child of 110
McKeen	
Gayle	child of 81
Micheal	child of 81
Peter	child of 81
Renne Rudolph	spouse of 81
Stephen	child of 81
Timothy	child of 81
McLeod	
Gertrude	child of 45
John Rae	spouse of 45
John Rae	child of 45
Margaret Elizabeth	90
Sheila	child of 45
McMullin	
Catherine	parent of spouse of 32
Rachel	parent of spouse of 10
Rachel	parent of spouse of 13
McNiff	
Kathleen	spouse of 127
McPhee	
Rebecca	parent of spouse of 59
Medaris	
Roberta	child of 75

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Medeiros

Kathy child of 75

Medeiros (Medaris)

Wesley Dencil spouse of 75

Miller

Joanna Cecelia spouse of 30

Leah spouse of 176

Vincent child of 176

Mitchell

Alicia Marie child of 165

Blair Steven 164

Brittany child of 164

Cherie Rian 177

David Lee child of 137

Garrett Patrick child of 166

John "David" Robert spouse of 137

Kyle David child of 166

Myles "David" 166

Nicholas child of 164

Thomas spouse of 130

Tiffany LouAnn child of 166

Timothy Scott 165

Travis Scott child of 165

Mockett

Doris spouse of 133

Moore

Bradford "Alexander" 119

Bradford Douglas child of 119

Brenda Lee 161

Bruce William child of 74

Cindy Lynn child of 119

Debra Shanawa child of 117

Glenn Swales child of 74

Heather Ann 160

Janice Lynn child of 117

Morris Delmaine 74

Morris Samuel spouse of 32

Samuel parent of spouse of 32

Samuel Alexander 73

Samuel Maurice 117

Shanawa Mary 118

Tammy Lee child of 119

Verna Anita 162

William George child of 117

Mortimer

Alex child of 127

Elsie Bell 37

Jeffrey 127

Karen 126

Kyle child of 127

Laurel 81

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LeRoy Goff	36
Marilyn Priscilla	80
Robert	82
Susan	child of 82
Thomas P.	spouse of 12
William	parent of spouse of 12
Murphy	
Edith Muriel	parent of spouse of 117
Murray	
Heather Margaret	child of 70
Helen Joyce	115
Katherine Isobel	114
Katherine Isobel	parent of spouse of 156
Lois Marion	child of 70
Robert "Charles"	spouse of 70
Nauffts	
George Alfred	spouse of 43
Gladys Barbara	child of 43
Jessie Margaret	child of 43
Nellie	child of 43
Nelson	
Marjorie Edith	spouse of 78
Norman	
Cheryl	child of 104
Douglas	child of 104
Frank Albert	spouse of 104
Sandra	child of 104
O'Connell	
Daniel	spouse of 15
Frederick Charles	child of 17
Isabella	44
James Alexander	spouse of 17
John	42
John Alexander	child of 17
John Daniel	child of 42
Margaret	45
Mary Ella (Ellen)	43
Rita Margaret	child of 42
Walter	child of 17
Olmstead	
Susan	spouse of 129
Packwood	
Carol	spouse of 97
Paley	
Erin Victoria	child of 180
Joshua Cole	child of 180
Todd Irving	spouse of 180
Patton	
Ada	parent of spouse of 86
Pearl	
Charles E.	parent of spouse of 36

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June Vyvian	spouse of 36
Peck	
Christine Victoria	child of 142
Frederick	spouse of 142
Peterkin	
Clair Irwin	106
George Roger	child of 106
George Sylvester	spouse of 25
John David	child of 106
Margaret E.	105
Sinclair (Clair) Irwin	61
Pinkerton	
Debbie "Arlette"	152
Greg Anson	child of 95
Tera Melanie	151
Terrance	spouse of 95
Pirie	
Arthur	child of 30
Arthur "David"	child of 72
Blanche Isabel	29
Catherine "May"	child of 30
Clara Beatrice	31
David "Arthur"	30
Frances Jean	child of 30
Francis Philip	child of 9
Frank William	child of 30
Franklyn	child of 30
George Grant	67
Grace	66
Grant Randall	child of 67
Harriet Eleanor	child of 9
James "Andrew" Duncan	child of 72
James Gordon	72
Janet Louise	child of 72
Jean	child of 9
Jean	64
Jessica Alberta	child of 9
John	parent of spouse of 9
Laura Elizabeth "Dodie"	child of 9
Madeline "Blanche"	child of 30
Madeline May	child of 72
Margaret	child of 30
Muriel Blanche	68
Norman	child of 30
Norman	child of 27
Norman Bruce	28
Ruth	65
Sadie	child of 27
Sharron	child of 67
Susan Margaret	child of 72
Vivian Jean	child of 72

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Walter	child of 67
Walter	child of 27
Walter Scott	spouse of 9
William Holland	27
Powell	
Eliza	parent of spouse of 11
Prime	
Naomi	parent of spouse of 34
Proctor	
Gary Howard John	spouse of 143
Jillian	child of 143
Tanya Dawn	child of 143
Pyne	
Alfred E.	parent of spouse of 34
Reta	spouse of 34
Reeves	
Kate A.	spouse of 7
Regimbal	
Lise Marie Louise Madeline	parent of spouse of 146
Richardson	
Florence May	spouse of 26
Maria "Florence" Sara	spouse of 62
Rielly	
Maria	parent of spouse of 8
Riley	
Holly	child of 157
James	spouse of 157
Mark	child of 157
Rogers	
Donnitta May	spouse of 106
Rousset	
Simon Julian	child of 173
Russell	
Carolyn Doris	spouse of 103
Saterno	
Calida Lynn	child of 175
Mark	child of 175
Perry	spouse of 175
Scranton	
Elizabeth May	104
Erna	child of 60
Ernest Roy G.	60
Roy Bambrick	child of 60
Valerie	child of 60
William	child of 60
William "Fenwick"	spouse of 24
Secord	
Catherine "Michelle"	spouse of 146
Lloyd Douglas	parent of spouse of 146
Sexton	
Jodie	spouse of 163

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Shea

Frank	spouse of 80
Jeremy	child of 80
Jill	child of 80
Jonathon	child of 80

Shedden

Candace	child of 179
David Allan Craig	179
Joseph Andrew Stuart	178
Liam	child of 178
William "Matthew" Robert	child of 139
William Roger	spouse of 139

Simensky

Michael	spouse of 126
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Simser

Don	spouse of 155
Jeffrey Daniel	child of 155
Thomas Michael	child of 155

Smith

Alton "Tremaine"	58
Cleon Preston	child of 22
Ethel May	57
Eugene Paul	spouse of 125
Herman "LeRoy" (Roy)	spouse of 37
Jabez Francis "Frank"	spouse of 22
Kenneth Paul	child of 125
Lizzie F.	child of 22
Margaret (Peggy)	parent of spouse of 145
Marian Elizabeth	child of 58
Rita Alexa	83
Tremaine Stanley	child of 58

Snow

Brian Lee	child of 118
Miles Sinclair	child of 118
Robert Lee	spouse of 118

Spares

George Chester	parent of spouse of 117
Verna Mae	spouse of 117

Stevens

Arthur George Bentley	child of 48
Edward John	child of 48
George W.	spouse of 48
Gordon William Victor	child of 48
Jean Millicent	child of 48
Jennie	child of 65
John Atwell "Jack"	spouse of 65
Lillian	child of 65
Stanley Henry	child of 48
Thomas Francis	child of 65
William G.	child of 65

Stewart

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Rosemary	spouse of 96
Tanya Jacqueline Marie	168
Thomas William	spouse of 131
Travis Justin	child of 131
Stokes	
Florence (Florrie) Theresa	48
George Victor	child of 16
Margaret Millicent	child of 16
William George Victor	spouse of 16
William George Victor	parent of spouse of 52
William John Cleveland	child of 16
William John Cleveland	spouse of 52
Swales	
Alice Mae Rosamond	spouse of 74
Talieri	
Ann Lavinia	spouse of 122
Thomas	
Amos	parent of spouse of 31
Anne Elizabeth	child of 93
Carolyn Margaret	child of 93
Clark Romans	spouse of 31
David William	child of 93
Derek Vincent	child of 93
George David	spouse of 93
Glyn Vaughn	child of 93
Louis N.	spouse of 31
Sauna Jean	child of 93
Thomson	
Ada Eleanor	child of 5
Alice T.	child of 5
Charles D.	spouse of 5
David	child of 5
Emma Sophia	21
Ethel S.	child of 5
Louis L.	child of 5
Martha A.	child of 5
Mary E. (Molly)	child of 5
Selina (Lina) H.	child of 5
Tremaine Twining	child of 5
Tibert	
Annie L.	parent of spouse of 36
Tinkham	
Martha Adeline	spouse of 58
Tome	
Albert Clinton	spouse of 88
Dawn Louise	child of 88
Michael Dennis	child of 88
Pamela Gail	child of 88
Toole	
Chesley Alward	spouse of 31
Infant	child of 31

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Udell

Holly Lynn	175
Reginald John	spouse of 135
Trevor Scott	child of 135

Wamboldt

Marion Kathleen Elizabeth	child of 52
Myrna Rosa Jean	93
Sheila	94
William Lester	spouse of 52

Wambolt

Thomas Henry	child of 44
Thomas John	spouse of 44

Wardrope

Adelle Lauren	child of 141
Allen "Roger"	86
Amy Louise	180
Charlene Faye	child of 141
Chester	spouse of 38
Dawn Ann	143
Deborah Ruth	142
Edna Martha	85
Hazel Eleanor	child of 38
Helen "Mildred"	child of 38
Hilda Eileen	84
James "Edwin"	parent of spouse of 38
Jennifer Lynn	child of 86
Krista Ann	child of 140
Lindsay Nicole	child of 144
Natalie Patricia	child of 141
Ralph Allen	140
Ross Alexander	144
Steven Lloyd	141
Timothy James	child of 140

Warnell

Eliza	parent of spouse of 14
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Warner

Blair	child of 41
George	parent of spouse of 41
Glenda	89
Milton George	spouse of 41

Wenzel

Arthur Josiah	spouse of 35
Arthur Josiah Jr.	child of 35
Barbara Elizabeth	child of 35
Ruth Carolyn	79

Whidden

Doris Jean	spouse of 87
Harry Eldridge	parent of spouse of 87

White

James Bryan	spouse of 125
Mr.	spouse of 161

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Samuel John	child of 161
William Michael	child of 161
Wiewie	
Molly Alta	spouse of 73
Wilkie	
Andrew	child of 112
Elizabeth	child of 112
Eric George	112
Erica	child of 112
Frederick Robert Francis	spouse of 66
Lynn Ardath	110
Robert Alexander	111
Rodney	child of 111
Sandra	child of 111
Shirley	109
Shirley	parent of spouse of 158
Tracey	child of 111
Williams	
Brian Kahdian	child of 174
Brian Steven	174
Meaghan Leigh	173
Monte Brian	spouse of 134
Monte Cameron	child of 172
Monte Corey	172
Willis	
Howard Gilbert	spouse of 40
Thelma A.	88
Wills	
Janice	spouse of 108
Wilson	
Elizabeth Ann	parent of spouse of 53
Wood	
Bart	spouse of 152
Leah Ann	child of 152
Meranda Lynn	child of 152
Woodworth	
Amos	parent of spouse of 53
Amos	spouse of 53
Amy Kathleen Elizabeth	child of 53
Wright	
George Davenport	parent of spouse of 39
Sarah "Hazel"	spouse of 39
Young	
Kimberley	spouse of 148

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